

# KC Rally @ Crufts 2019!

Try out for the Inter-Regional Rally competition, to be held on  
Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March 2019, NEC, Birmingham.

**The Northern Ireland & Isle of Man team needs YOU!**

**Who?** Anyone who has been training and/or competing in Rally currently living in Northern Ireland or the Isle of Man and whose dog is KC registered is encouraged to apply. Please note: Inter-Regional Obedience Team members 2019 will NOT be accepted to compete on the Rally team at Crufts 2019 (and vice versa).

**Which dogs?** There are breed restrictions for the Rally team. We may have no more than 2 Border Collies/ WSD, no more than 2 crossbreeds and no more than 2 of the same pedigree breed. (Please complete page 2 for each dog/handler team.)

**When?** 7.30pm, Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> November 2018 (L1 & 2) or Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> November 2018 (L3 to 6), Mallusk Orange Hall, Mallusk, Northern Ireland.

Isle of Man members will be selected according to their prior experience and application details and discussion with the IOM Assistant Manager and according to the team breed restrictions.

We need 1 team member for each of Levels 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6, a reserve for Level 1 and some non-travelling (backup) reserves for all Levels. Eligibility date for qualifications is 31<sup>st</sup> October 2018.

Every team member must be capable and willing to compete **at the level above** if necessary on the day.

This year, team members will be self-funding. You will need to be available from 7.30am on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March 2019 for the teams' parade, and for the rest of the day for the competition itself.

The Kennel Club provides team tee-shirts and benches for each team member for the event at Crufts.

**Deadline for receipt of application forms: Friday 14<sup>th</sup> December 2018  
(earlier if possible...)**

Applicants to the team will be notified of their success or otherwise by the 1<sup>st</sup> January 2019.

All applications and queries to be sent to:

Rachel Cooper, NI & IOM Rally Team Manager  
'Rockmount'  
10 Carmorn Road,  
Toomebridge,  
County Antrim  
BT41 3NX  
028 7965 1979 (home number, 6pm to 9pm)  
07855 474 414 (mobile, 4pm-9pm only, text any time)

**Application for Crufts Rally team 2019**

**Dog/Handler details:**

Handler name: .....

Contact telephone number & address: .....

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Dog's KC name: .....

Dog's KC Registration number: .....

Pet name:..... Breed: .....

Dog's date of birth: ..... Dog's height: .....cm (L3 upwards)

Current Level(s) worked: ..... Level(s) applied for:.....

Please give details of your relevant **Rally** experience. Include any competitions, levels worked, including online, fun days, training, workshops, seminars and courses. Also indicate your (latest) Qualifying scores/ places (if any).

<b>Competition/ event:</b>	<b>Qualifying score?</b>

**Any other details which you think might be relevant?**

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**Are you trying out/ have you tried out for the Inter-Regional Obedience Team 2019 with this dog? Y/N**

**Unisex polo shirt size: S/ M/ L/ XL**

**Please provide a paragraph about you and your dog. This may include breed facts, past performance, other skills, etc. (This helps me produce the briefing cards for the commentator at Crufts and for the team posters)**


**I will also require a photo of you/ you and your dog if you are selected.**