



UK HOOPERS

Open Hoopers Show

Held in conjunction with Stuart Doughty Agility



Sunday 19th December 2021

Held indoors & outdoors at:

**Cheltenham RDA, Prestbury Park Racecourse, Prestbury,
Prestbury, Cheltenham GL50 4SH**

1 indoor and 1 outdoor ring (both rings will be indoors in the case of very poor weather)

Closing Date: 28th November 2021 or sooner if oversubscribed.

On the day entries are unlikely to be available, entries capped at 400 runs

UK Hoopers place to at least 5th in all sections of more than 10 dogs with rosettes to a minimum of 3rd in all classes/sections.

For online entries, more information and full Rules and Regulations see WWW.UKHOOPERS.COM

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Entry Fees: £4 per run. On the day entries (if available £4.50)

No postage charges apply, ring cards will be provided at the show.

YOU DO NOT NEED MEMBERSHIP TO ANY ORGANISATION TO ENTER THIS SHOW

Show Managers – Stuart Doughty & Sarah Fenby

Please direct enquiries to 07983281838 (calls/text only between 9am and 7pm or on morning of show from 8am) or via email info@ukhoopers.com

Local Vet/Medic details available at the show.

Class Schedule

(Classes are NOT expected to run in this order, ring plan will be issued prior to the event)

Please use class numbers when entering.

Provisional Timetable:

Show Opens 7.30am. Course Walking from 8.00am, Judging 8.30am

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Class		Grade			
		1	2	3	Type
1	Hoopers	✓			Graded
2	Hoopers		✓	✓	Graded
3	Hoopers	✓	✓		Graded
4	Hoopers			✓	Graded
5	Santa Dash (Speedstakes)	✓	✓	✓	Open*
6	Parcours	✓	✓		Graded
7	Parcours			✓	Graded
8	Parcours	✓			Graded
9	Parcours		✓	✓	Graded
10	Double Elves (Pairs)	✓	✓	✓	Open*

*Denotes Special Class

Pairs will be time permitting and is entered on the day, entries are £2.50 per handler/dog, £5 per pair.

Class Descriptions

Hoopers – A course consisting only of hoops.

Parcours – A course containing any combination of allowable equipment.

Speedstakes – A fast and flowing course designed to test speed & control.

Pairs – 2 handlers and 2 dogs compete over 1 course for a combined score (no baton change)

Grading

All standard classes have separate awards for Small, Large and Veteran dogs (Veteran & Veteran+ will be split if numbers allow). Open classes have 1 set of awards per class but will usually place to a higher number.

Combined – both grades of dog will compete together with results split into Small, Large and Veteran.

Graded– Separate awards for each section in each grade (Eg. G1 Small, G1 Large, G1 Veteran, G2 Small, G2 Large, G2 Veteran and so on)

Classes labelled with only one grade are graded classes which are open to dogs of that grade only.

Please ensure you check your entry and select classes carefully, refunds will not be provided for entries into classes for which you are not eligible to run in.

NFC runs are available. A handler may choose to run NFC (Not for Competition) in any class in which they are eligible to compete. The handler must inform the scribe/judge upon entering the ring before commencing their run. The handler then has 60 seconds ring time and may train in the ring. **NFA** (Not for Award) runs are also available, please see rules for further details. **Nursery** runs are not available at this show.

A silent toy may be carried in the hand when running in Grade 1, NFC or Nursery

Dog Section

Small – Dogs with an ulna measurement of 15cm or less.

Large – Dogs with an ulna measurement of 15.1cm or more.

Veteran – Dogs 7-10 yrs. **Veteran+** - Dogs 10yrs or over. (Dogs may run as a Veteran or not at the handlers choice. Once a dog competes as a Veteran it will remain as such).

Awards

Placing cards to 5th in each section of every class. Rosettes will be awarded to a minimum of 3rd place or 20% of pre-entered numbers, whichever is higher. Clear Round rosettes will be available for unplaced, clear rounds. Prizes or trophies may be awarded based on pre-entered class numbers. Presentations will be made during the show, all awards must be collected before the show closes or shall be forfeited.

Full Rulebook

Can be viewed at www.ukhoopers.com competitors must read and understand the rules before entering and will be expected to comply at all times. The judges decision is final.

Level Classification

Grade	UK Hoopers Eligibility	CHUK Equivalent*	Hooperholics Equivalent*
1	All dogs new to competition start here	Starters	Starters
2	Dogs who have earned 1200 or more progress points at Grade 1	Novice (Prev Beginners)	Improvers
3	Dogs who have earned 1800 or more progress points at Grade 2	Intermediate (Prev Novice)	Class C
4	Dogs who have earned 2500 or more progress points at Grade 3	Advanced (Prev Masters)	Class B
5	Dogs who have earned 3000 or more progress points at Grade 4	Masters (Prev Elite)	Class A
6	Dogs who have earned 3000 or more progress points at Grade 5		Class A+

*For illustration/guide only

Food & Drink:

Refreshments will be available on site serving hot drinks and snacks. Meals are available off-site locally



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