



# **Busy Bee Dog Training**

## **Schedule of**

### **Open Rally Competition**

(To be held under Kennel Club Rules & Regulations 'S' and licenced by the Kennel Club)

**VENUE:** Jurby Parish Hall  
Bretney Road  
JURBY  
Isle of Man  
IM7 3EU

**Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> & Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> April, 2025**

Show Opens – 9am  
First walk Through – 9.15am  
Judging Starts – 9.30am

*The show will close ½ hour after all judging has been completed.*

**Entry Fees: £7 per dog per class**

**Chief Steward: Jayne Hubble (Sat 5<sup>th</sup>) & Linda Nicol (Sun 6<sup>th</sup>)**

**Show Secretary: Debbie Martin**

81 Lezayre Park, Ramsey, IOM. IM8 2PU (debbiekmartin@wimanx.net)

**ENTRIES CLOSE: 14<sup>th</sup> March, 2025** (postmark)

Eligibility - wins up to and including 7 days before closing date (7<sup>th</sup> March, 2025)  
must be counted when entering any class.

Running Orders will be sent by email (or please include SAE with entry)

**Entries to – D Martin**  
**81 Lezayre Park, Ramsey, Isle of Man IM8 2PU**  
**Telephone: 07624 410754 (before 9pm please)**

Vet on Call: Arg Beiy Veterinary Practice, Parliament Street, Ramsey 01624-812208

**Please follow IOM Government Covid Guidelines as applicable at the time of the show.  
However if you have Covid please be respectful of others and do not attend the show**

## **Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> April, 2025:**

<b><u>Level</u></b>	<b><u>Judge</u></b>
1	Karen Woods
2	Eileen Williamson
3	Eileen Williamson
4	Eileen Williamson
5	Karen Woods
6	Karen Woods

## **Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> April, 2025:**

<b><u>Level</u></b>	<b><u>Judge</u></b>
1	Debbie Martin
2	Liz Gibbon
3	Liz Gibbon
4	Liz Gibbon
5	Debbie Martin
6	Debbie Martin

Reserve Judges: Liz Gibbon, Debbie Martin, Eileen Williamson & Mandy Quayle, further judges to be appointed if necessary

**Class Rosettes – 1<sup>st</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> place**

**Certificates for qualifying scores in all classes.**

No prize money is on offer at this show

## **ELIGIBILITY AND SCHEDULE OF CLASSES**

### **Classes at Rally Competitions**

A competition host may stage one or more special classes not conforming to the standard class tests set out in Annex C of the Regulations. Such classes must contain the word 'Special' in the title of the class, and shall not count towards progression, titles or awards in standard competition classes.

### **Levels**

Rally handler/dog teams compete in their lowest eligible class from Level 1 to Level 6. They may also compete at the subsequent level. Progression to the next level does not require either wins or places, however, a class will be won by the dog that has lost the least number of points, unless otherwise stated for special classes. Progression is dependent upon gaining three Excellent scores, under three different judges, or six qualifying scores under four different judges.

Levels 1 – 4 and Veteran have a qualifying score of 175 out of 200

Levels 5 & 6 have a qualifying score of 180 out of 200

Scores equivalent to these qualifying scores (or greater) earned at Limited Rally Competitions do not count towards Progression, Rally Level Titles or Excellent Titles. In all levels a qualifying score of 190 or above equates to an excellent score

## **Eligibility**

When entered for a competition, a dog must be entered in a standard class at the level for which it is eligible. The dog may also, if desired, be entered in up to two additional classes, including one further standard level class at the subsequent higher level. Once a dog has earned any level or excellent title it is not longer eligible for any lower level. A dog may be entered in special classes only, up to a maximum of 3 classes in total. Special classes do not count towards progression.

**Level 1** - open to dogs which have not achieved a Level 1 or Level 1 Excellent Title.

**Level 2** - open to all dogs which have achieved a Level 1 or Level 1 Excellent Title, except those that have achieved a Level 2 or Level 2 Excellent Title. Dogs eligible for and entered at Level 1 may also enter at this Level.

**Level 3** - open to all dogs which have achieved a Level 2 or Level 2 Excellent Title, except those that have achieved a Level 3 or Level 3 Excellent Title. Dogs eligible for and entered at Level 2 may also enter at this Level.

**Level 4** - open to all dogs which have achieved a Level 3 or Level 3 Excellent Title, except those that have achieved a Level 4 or Level 4 Excellent Title. Dogs eligible for and entered at Level 3 may also enter at this Level.

**Level 5** - open to all dogs which have achieved a Level 4 or Level 4 Excellent Title, except those that have achieved a Level 5 or Level 5 Excellent Title. Dogs eligible for and entered at Level 4 may also enter at this Level

**Level 6** - open to all dogs which have achieved a Level 5 or Level 5 Excellent Title. Dogs eligible for and entered at Level 5 may also enter at this Level

**Veteran** – a dog which is 7 years old or over on the first day of competition may be entered in just a Veteran class. It may also be entered in standard level classes and special classes to a maximum of 3 classes in total

**PLEASE PARK WHERE DIRECTED BY STEWARDS**

**All access points MUST be kept clear – please park sensibly**

**Please remember to respect all other users of this venue clean up after your dog and use the bins provided. Dogs must be kept on leads at all times, unless competing.**

## **DOGS IN VEHICLES ON HOT DAYS**

*Your dog is vulnerable and AT RISK if left in a vehicle in high temperatures and even on days considered as slightly warm. Please take care of your dog. If your dog is found to be at risk forcible entry to your vehicle may be necessary without liability for any damage caused.*

**Directions to Venue -**

Take the Bowring Road from Ramsey (signposted Ramsey Cottage Hospital) and take the left turn opposite St Olaves Church onto the Jurby Road. Continue along this road through St Judes crossroads and take the second right after this onto Summerhill Road. At the far end turn left onto Bretney Road and continue almost to the end, the hall is the long white building on your left.

### **RULES & REGULATIONS**

These rules and regulations are to be read in conjunction with the Kennel Club Rally Regulations S under which this show is licensed. It is the responsibility of everyone entering this show to make themselves familiar with the Kennel Club Rally Regulations, available from the Kennel Club. Judges and reserve as listed, additional Judges will be appointed as necessary

1. There is no sponsorship at this show
2. Entry fee is £7 per dog per class
3. Rosettes and prize cards 1st to 6<sup>th</sup> place. Qualifying Certificates to all competitors with a qualifying score of 175 (L1-4 & Veteran) or 180 (L5 & 6) or better. No prize money is on offer
4. Show opens 9am - Judging starts 9.30am.
5. First Walk through is at 9.15am. Competitors should report to the Show Secretary's desk to collect competition ring numbers, then personally book in at the ring side table and chose a place in the running order.
6. No bitch in season is allowed to compete and the mating of bitches within the precincts of the competition is forbidden.
7. All dogs must enter and leave the judging ring on lead. When in use, one end of the lead must be attached to a ring on the dog's collar and the other should be held in the handler's hand(s) except for when performing Bonus Exercises 4 or 5 where the handler has chosen for their dog to drag the lead
8. Dogs must compete in a buckle or snap collar. Collars may have tags on them. Decorations and/or costumes, harnesses, slip leads, check and half-check collars are not allowed. A medicated collar may also be worn in the ring
9. The committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries
10. Not for Competition entries will be accepted for dogs aged 12 weeks and over. Details of each dog must be recorded on the entry form and must be KC registered.
11. In the event that the competition is cancelled due to unforeseen circumstances, the organisers/society will refund fees less reasonably incurred expenses. If the show processor has the provisions to do so, competitors will be refunded in the manner in which they had entered the competition, but in any event the society will refund fees within 3 months of the competition date to all those who had entered and requested a refund within 1 month of the competition date.
12. Should a judge be unable to fulfil their appointment the organiser reserves the right to appoint an alternative Judge.
13. It is the competitor's responsibility to be available for their class and running order
14. Should circumstances so dictate the organiser, in consultation with the judges, may alter arrangements as necessary. Such changes will be reported to the Royal Kennel Club.
15. Only dogs of six calendar months of age and over on the first day of the competition are eligible to take part in level 1, 2 or 3 classes. Only dogs of 12 calendar months of age and over on the first day of the competition are eligible to take part in Level 4 or higher or special classes which incorporate jumps or similar exercises. A dog which is 7 years old or over on the first day of competition may be entered in a Veteran class
16. A dog must not compete in the same class more than once, including special classes
17. Entry passes are not required to gain entry to the show.
18. No person shall carry out punitive correction or harsh handling of any dog at any time within the precincts of the competition
19. No competitor shall impugn the decision of the judge or judges
20. After a dog has commenced competing in a class no substitution of handler is permitted in that class.
21. For the duration of the competition and including those in the exercise area, all dogs must be on a lead except when competing or practising prior to competition.

22. Food or toys shall not be carried in the ring or given to a dog whilst under test except in special classes where the use of food and/or silent toy rewards has been specified in the Schedule
23. A dog cannot be entered in the same class more than once.
24. Once a dog has entered the ring to compete, no further practice may be carried out.
25. A dog must at the time of entry for the competition, be registered as required by Kennel Club Rules and Regulations in the owner's name (or registration or transfer applied for). In the case of joint registered owners, the full name of every registered owner must be given. Where an owner makes an entry on behalf of another joint registered owner(s) or where an agent enters on behalf of a single or joint registered owner(s) such person must have the authority and consent from the single or joint registered owner(s) to sign the entry form on their behalf thereby binding them all to Kennel Club Rules & Regulations. In the event of any dispute, evidence of such authority and consent will be required. A dog acquired subsequent to entry having been made at a competition may compete as the new owner's property provided that an application for the transfer has been forwarded to the Royal Kennel Club before the Competition, and the new owner has undertaken to abide by the Regulations and conditions of the original entry form (and in accordance with the conditions set out above.)
26. Dogs will be disqualified if proved to have been handled in the class by a scheduled judge's spouse or immediate family, or resident at the same address as a scheduled judge.
27. Following discussion between the Chief Steward and the show management and/or a veterinary surgeon, a dog shall be prevented from competing and/or removed from, the Competition if it is: -
- a. A bitch which is in season.
  - b. Suffering from any infectious or contagious disease,
  - c. Interfering with the safety or chance of winning of an opponent.
  - d. Of such temperament or is so much out of control as to be a danger to the safety or well-being of any person or other animal
  - e. Likely to cause suffering to the dog if it continues competing.
- The circumstances of such a removal shall be recorded in the Show Incident Book and submitted to the Royal Kennel Club
28. Judges' discretion prevails and Judges' decisions are final
29. An exhibitor or competitor should ensure that contact details for any handler are available and must be provided upon request in any investigation of a breach of this regulation by such handler
30. Welfare of Dogs – An exhibitor (or competitor) whose dog is entered at a Kennel Club licensed event should take all reasonable steps to ensure the need of their dog(s) are met and should not knowingly put their dogs' health and welfare at risk by any action, default omission or otherwise. A breach of this Regulation may be referred to the Board for disciplinary action under Kennel Club Rules and Regulations. The use of pinch collars, electronic shock collars or prong collars, is not permitted at any Rally event licensed by the Royal Kennel Club. This shall apply at the venue and within the precincts of the competition.
31. No modifications may be made to the Schedule once published except by permission of the board of the Royal Kennel Club which must be followed by advertisement in the Canine Press if possible
32. **Booking in** – all competitors must report to the ringside of all classes entered and book in by marking a list of entries within one hour of the scheduled time for the commencement of judging of the class. The class lists will be provided by show management and will be available from the stated opening time of the show

### Animals allowed in Event

No animal other than one officially entered shall be brought into the precincts of a competition during its continuance, except any dogs registered to assist the disabled or dogs required for educational or instructional purposes or by permission of the Board. However, at the discretion of the Host organisation, a dog brought to the show by a spectator may be admitted into the precincts of the competition, with the proviso that those in charge of the dog sign a declaration confirming the dog is free from disease and that the dog will be kept under proper control at all times.

