



**OFFICIAL PREMIUM LIST**

**NOVA SCOTIA GERMAN SHEPHERD DOG CLUB**

69th<sup>th</sup> SPECIALTY SHOW FOR GERMAN SHEPHERD DOGS

**July 3, 2021**

Unbenched      Outdoors      Unexamined

No cover will be provided for exhibitors in the event of unfavourable weather

These events are held under the rules of the Canadian Kennel Club

At

**MILFORD RECREATION SPORTS FIELD, MILFORD, N.S.  
(Take exit 9 off Hwy 102 to old Hwy 2)**

**Show Secretary  
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**Entries Close  
10:00 pm, Wednesday  
June 16, 2021**

**CLUB OFFICERS**

President	Paul Boyd	Vice President	Wendy Clark
Secretary	Helen Hurlburt	Treasurer	Helen Hurlburt
Directors	Reta Boyd	Murdock MacKinnon	Cindy MacPherson

**SHOW AND TRIAL COMMITTEE**

Chairperson	Wendy Clark	Secretary	Nancy McRae
Superintendent	Angela Slauenwhite	Publicity	Wendy Clark
Advertising	Paul Boyd, members	Photographer	Andrea Thomas
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Ribbons	Wendy Clark		

CANADIAN KENNEL CLUB  
Mr. Jeff Cornett, Executive Director

CKC DIRECTOR (NS & NFLD/LAB)  
Mr. Frank MacArthur

CKC Conformation Council (NS)  
Mr. Collin Veinot

CKC Obedience Rep. (NS)  
Mrs. Christine Graham

**JUDGES AND ASSIGNMENTS**

**CONFORMATION**

**MICHEL CHALOUX**

All classes, regular, non-regular and unofficial

**FUTURITY/MATURITY**

*Sponsored by Royal Canin*

**KENT BOYLES**

All Classes

**OBEDIENCE**

**DIANE HISELER**

All Classes

**RALLY OBEDIENCE**

**TRACY SNYDER**

All Classes

**ENTRY FEES**

Conformation	\$30.00	(6 <sup>th</sup> dog on, \$25.00)
Obedience / Rally	\$30.00	
MOTCH, RAE, RMX	\$50.00	
Exhibition only	\$10.00	
Baby Puppy	\$15.00	
Non-Regular	\$15.00	
Unofficial Classes per dog	\$15.00	
TCN Fee per Event	\$11.50	
Catalog	\$ 6.00	

**IMPORTANT NOTE FOR EXHIBITORS / PATRONS**

**Please note that the setup area for exhibitors and patrons will remain the same as in previous years. Any exhibitor / patron set up inside the restricted area will be instructed to relocate. This change is necessary to allow emergency access to the field should it be required. Thank you in advance for your co-operation.**

NOTE - Proceeding with these shows and trials will be dependent on current rules for social gathering & NS Government COVID Restrictions. These directives are updated regularly depending on the case numbers in Nova Scotia and recommendations referenced in this PL are subject to last minute changes.

## **REFUND POLICY**

If, due to COVID, these Trials are not able to be held; refunds will be issued to exhibitors - MINUS 20%. While all efforts will be taken to expedite refunds, they may take up to 14 days (depending on volume & other work commitments).

If because of; an act of God, riot, civil disturbance, extreme weather event, governmental orders, regulations, or decree, or other acts or circumstances beyond the control of the CDC, it is impossible to open or complete the Shows/Trials, no refund of entry fees will be made.

To comply with CKC regulations, we will be unable to accept or substitute any entry reaching the Show Secretary after the closing time and date.

All entry fees must be in the hands of our Show Secretary prior to closing date

Personal cheques and money orders for full value only will be accepted and must be made payable to **N.S. German Shepherd Dog Club** for all specialties.

No post-dated cheques accepted. All NSF cheques will be Subject to a charge of \$30.00. N.S.F. cheques are considered non-payment of entry fees and are punishable by disciplinary action and cancellation of awards. All fees must be paid before the show.

**Attention USA exhibitors:** Please note that fees are due and payable in Canadian dollars. Due to consistently fluctuating currency rates, discounted cheques will not be accepted. Personal cheques will be accepted, however, they are to be payable in Canadian funds.

Please do not mark cheques "Payable in Canadian Funds" or "At Par." They will not be cleared by the banks. To simplify the process, we urge that you purchase bank drafts or money orders payable in Canadian funds. Your understanding and cooperation is appreciated. Thank you.

A copy of the Rules pertaining to Dog Shows & Obedience Trials is available from the Canadian Kennel Club. Each exhibitor is responsible for knowing and complying with the rules of the Canadian Kennel Club regarding their events.

The NSGSDC does not accept credit cards for payment.

E Transfers can only be taken through The Entry Line.



the entry line Ltd.

ENTER BY PHONE With the help of OUR FRIENDLY DOG SHOW ENTRY EXPERTS!

Call 1-800-293-2935 • Or fax 1-519-754-0796  
Or enter online at [www.entryline.com](http://www.entryline.com)

FREE MEMBERSHIP!

Entries taken by phone and fax until 6:00 pm EST on the day of closing.  
Entries taken online until closing.

This is a privately owned business and charges a fee for this service.

Visa, Mastercard, American Express, Discover

### ***Important Note Regarding Emails & Faxes***

It will be the responsibility of the exhibitor to ensure that any electronic submission, either email, facsimile, or any document transmitted electronically, reaches the proper authority or recipient, within the times and limits as regulated for each document in the CKC Rules & regulations. Sent fax receipts, and/or, copies of sent emails, will not be taken as evidence of receipt by recipients.

## **SPECIALTY CONFORMATION SHOW**

**REGULAR CLASSES:** The following CKC Regular Classes will be provided for both sexes:

Baby Puppy AS OF July 1, 2021	4-6 Months	
Junior Puppy	Senior Puppy	12 to 18 Months
Bred by Exhibitor	Canadian Bred	Open
Veterans	Specials Only	Exhibition Only

Competition for Altered Dogs will be offered for dogs over six months of age and will be judged after the judging of Best Puppy in Breed in the regular classes

**UNOFFICIAL CLASSES:** Dogs entered in Non-Regular Classes must be entered in one of the CKC Regular Classes, Specials Only, or Exhibition Only.

**Breeders Class** Stud Dog and two or more of his progeny or a brood bitch and two or more of her progeny. All dogs must be entered in one of the official classes but need not be owned by the same person. Trophy to go to the owner of the sire or dam.

**Kennel Class** 3 or more related or non-related progeny bred by the same kennel

**Long Coat Class** All dogs who have a long coat.

### **OBEDIENCE CLASSES**

Novice A & B, Open A & B ( H & 18), Utility A & B (Pre-Novice, Novice C and Novice Intermediate)

### **RALLY CLASSES**

Novice A & B, Intermediate, Advanced A & B, Excellent A & B, Master

Rally ring size is 40' by 60'. **Please State Jump Heights**

**Mixed-breed and unrecognized-breed dogs (purebred from CKC recognized registries) may compete in Obedience and Rally Obedience Trials.**

In order to compete in CKC trials, mixed-breed and unrecognized-breed dog owners must apply for a [Canine Companion Number \(CCN\)](#) prior to entering and meet specific criteria as set out in the [Canine Companion Club Policy](#). Applications for a CCN number can be submitted to CKC.

**EXHIBITORS ARE EXPECTED TO KNOW THE RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR DOG SHOWS, OBEDIENCE AND RALLY TRIALS. BOOKLETS ON DOG SHOW, OBEDIENCE AND RALLY TRIAL RULES ARE AVAILABLE FROM THE C.K.C**

A judge officiating at a show shall not be subject to indignities of any kind during the progress of the show and it is the duty and obligation of the show-giving club to see that this rule is effectively carried out. (Dog Show Rules, Sec. 4.1.3)

No person may approach a judge, either directly or otherwise, orally or in writing, to favour his entry. Disciplinary action will be taken against any person who violates this rule or against a judge who fails to report any contravention of this rule to the CKC within 14 days of the act. (Dog Show Rules Sec. 4.1.6)

### ***ATTENTION ALL CANADIANS WHO ARE NOT CKC MEMBERS***

Effective January 1, 2011, the CKC has instituted an annual Non-Member Participation Fee for awards and titles for a CANADIAN non-member of the CKC. These fees apply only to dogs wholly owned by a non-CKC member and are not applicable to CKC members. Non CKC member participants must either purchase a CKC membership or pay the non-member participation fee within 30 days of notification or the CKC will cancel any awards and titles. More information, and application forms can be downloaded from the CKC website: <http://www.ckc.ca>

## EASTERN REGION FUTURITY/MATURITY

The Futurity/Maturity will be held in conjunction with the Nova Scotia German Shepherd Dog Club Specialty on Saturday. Closed May 1, 2021

### Secretary for the Futurity

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## GENERAL INFORMATION

1. The Show/Test/Trial Superintendent will be in full charge of the event that will be governed by CKC rules.
2. Identification cards and judging schedules will be mailed as soon as possible after the Closing Date.
3. The NSGSDC will use due care and diligence for the welfare of dogs and exhibitors, but will not be responsible for or assume any liability in the event of accident, or other misfortunes, to either dogs, exhibitors, or patrons.
4. REFUND POLICY: If, due to COVID, this show and trials are not able to be held; refunds will be issued to exhibitors - minus 20%. While all efforts will be taken to expedite refunds, they may take up to 14 days (depending on volume & other work commitments). If because of riot, civil disturbance, or other acts beyond the control of the management, it is impossible to open or to complete the show, no refund of entry fees will be made.
5. **All exhibitors will be responsible for clean up on the grounds and surrounding areas for their own dogs and/or dogs they are handling.**
6. The precincts of the show and trial will extend 10' beyond the rings.
7. A judge officiating at a show shall not be subject to indignities of any kind during the progress of the show and it is the duty and obligation of the show giving club to see that this rule is effectively carried out. (Dog Show Rules, Sec. 4.1.3)
8. No person may approach a judge, either directly or otherwise, orally or in writing, to favour his entry. Disciplinary action will be taken against any person who violates this rule or against a judge who fails to report any contravention of this rule to the CKC within 14 days of the act. (Dog Show Rules Sec. 4.1.6)

### 9. Temporary Competition Number (TCN) - \* Effective March 2, 2020

A Temporary Competition Number (TCN) must be obtained before submitting an entry for an event. The same TCN must be used for all event entries for a dog until the dog is permanently registered. Once a dog is permanently registered or has an ERN, the TCN will be replaced with the registration number or ERN. A TCN cannot be used for Listed Breeds (MCN) or dogs that will require a Performance Event Number (PEN) or Canine Companion Number (CCN).

There is no fee to obtain a TCN however exhibitors will still be required to pay TCN Fees (formerly called Listing Fees) when entering events using a TCN.

TCN Numbers may be obtained online via the CKC website where the number is issued instantly. Exhibitors may also mail in a printed application or contact CKC Shows and Trials by phone for a number.

Dogs may still enter CKC events until without a registration number or ERN until March 2, 2020 by marking TCN on the entry form (or Listed if it is an older entry form). An email address is required on the entry form in this case. Before applying for a TCN online, exhibitors are encouraged to check their dog's profiles to determine if the CKC has already created a TCN for that dog. There will be a tab called TCN Dogs in the owner's Portal account.

\* If your dog does not have a registration number or ERN and has already competed in a CKC event and earned points, scores or awards, there is no need to apply for a TCN. The CKC will update its records accordingly

## Champions and championship points - chapter 15

**Section 1** - a dog awarded winners at a championship show held under these rules shall be credited with a number of championship points (ranging 0-5), and the determination of the number of championship points to be credited to the dog awarded winners shall be as provided hereunder:

Section 2:

Dogs competing *	1	2	3-5	6-9	10-12	13 or more
Points allocated	0	1	2	3	4	5

\* includes the dog awarded winners

## TROPHY LIST – CONFORMATION, OBEDIENCE, RALLY

### PERPETUAL TROPHIES

Best of Breed	John DeBlois Boyd Perpetual Trophy
Best of Opposite Sex	Reta E. Boyd Perpetual Trophy
Best Dog Bred by Club Member	M. Albert Walker Memorial Trophy
Winners Dog	Danny Stewart Memorial Trophy

### Suitable prizes will be given for each of the following

Best of Breed	Best of Opposite Sex
Winners Male	Reserve Winners Male
Winners Female	Reserve Winners Female
Veterans Male	Veterans Female
Best of Winners	Best Puppy
Highest in Trial	Highest qualifying Score in Each Class

Accommodations available at our host hotel  
the Holiday Inn Express at the Airport.  
Make reservations early.  
Mention the NSGSDC when reserving.  
(902) 576-7600  
(dogs must be kept in crates)

### **COVID-19 EVENT PROTOCOLS**

**NOTE – THESE ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE DEPENDING ON RESTRICTIONS IN PLACE AT THE TIME OF SHOW AND TRIALS**

#### **General Safety Practices**

- The NSGSDC and all show participants will follow federal, provincial, local and guidelines that apply to the area and site where the event is held.
- Practice social distancing consistent with guidelines. Do not congregate in groups larger than five; or within your own family circle only.

#### **WAIVERS & SITE ACCESS**

**Waiver must be signed by everyone participating at the show and trial.** To be valid, the Questionnaire & Waiver **must** be dated within the 14 days prior to the last day of the show.

**Show Site Access Process:** Waiver is to be presented to the show secretary upon arrival at the show site. No electronic copies of the Questionnaire & Waiver will be accepted.

**NOTE** - Any one not willing to submit a COVID-19 Waiver will be asked to leave the show precinct

#### **MASKS**

- The correct wearing of masks (covering the mouth & nose) is mandatory, by all event participants while within the precinct of the event.
- The only time masks may be removed is while eating or drinking & then the mask must be immediately put on again. If exhibitors are sitting in their vehicles, masks may be removed.
- In the event someone has a medical exemption from wearing a mask, then sadly they will have to secure someone to handle their dog(s) for them. While we respect medical exemptions, we also have to respect keeping others as safe as we can.
- If you use disposable masks, we ask that you please cut the strings/elastics before properly disposing of the masks in the garbage.
- People without a mask will be asked to leave the event.
- Masks will not be provided by, or be available from, the Nova Scotia German Shepherd Dog Club.

#### **HAND WASHING, SANITIZER & DISPOSABLE GLOVES**

- Each Judge & Ring Stewards' table will have hand sanitizer on it (for use by Judge & Ring Steward).
- Wearing disposable gloves is not encouraged. The COVID virus gets on them in the same way it gets on your hands. Your hands can get contaminated when you take off the gloves.

- Signage will be posted to emphasize the importance of frequent hand-washing & proper hygiene practices.
- Hand Sanitizing stations will be available.
- Exhibitors are also encouraged to bring their own hand sanitizer.
- Everyone is encouraged to wash their hands as often as possible.

**"Wash your Hands, Wash your Hands"**

#### **SOCIAL DISTANCING**

- Mandatory 2 meters Social Distancing will be maintained at all times (unless you are within your designated 'bubble')-

#### **RINGS**

- Exhibitors will maintain 2 m distance from competitors at all times while within the rings.
- Exhibitors will "show the bite" to the Judge.
- Exhibitors will only approach ringside as their ring time is approaching (5 minutes prior).
- Except for individual examinations, a physical distance of 2 m will be maintained at all times.
- Each table shall have hand sanitizer and each ring steward/judge shall have their own pen. If any of the equipment falls in the ring, please allow the steward to replace it.
- Exhibitors are not to touch items on the Judge/Ring Steward table.

#### **RIBBONS**

- Judges will not touch or present ribbons. The Ring Steward will place the ribbons for the class on the table at the ring exit. Please be sure that, as an exhibitor, you know what ribbon(s) you have earned. The Judge will be clear in their placement indication.
- Exhibitors will pick up their placement ribbon(s) as they exit the ring.
- **PLEASE – no recycling of ribbons.** If you do not wish to keep your ribbons, please do not touch the ribbons.

#### **PHOTOGRAPHY**

- To be determined

## GROOMING

- There is no power available for grooming in the parking area.

## JUDGES & JUDGING

- Judges will not physically examine the dog's bite but will have the exhibitor display the bite.
- Judges will clean their hands frequently using hand sanitizer, hand wipes, etc.
- Judges will: wear masks at all times while in the show ring & on the show grounds unless eating, bring their own materials and equipment for their own use only (e.g. CKC Standards, pens), limit interactions to ring procedure instructions.
- Judges will not touch ribbons, will clearly indicate class placements (for benefit of both exhibitors & ring stewards)
- Except for individual examinations, a physical distance of 2 m will be maintained at all times.
- Best of Breed Judging:
  - To ensure "Social Distancing" and Exhibitor safety, breed judging may be split into groups (if warranted) with the Judge making cuts from each split. The cuts will then be brought back for the final Breed judging & placements.

## WASHROOMS/DRESSING ROOMS

- Indoor Washrooms will be available.

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Dog Show participants are not to randomly travel throughout the recreation centre. Please enter the building for washroom use only. iAnywhere you travel, please help clean & sanitize as required.
- No indoor grooming.
- No Public Catalogue will be available. Please know your number(s) when picking up armbands.
- Please pick up after your dogs.
- No public dog bathing station.
- Be self-sufficient: bring sanitizer, bring personal use masks, no masks will be available.
- Do not bring & leave personal belongings to ringside (chairs, towels, coolers, grooming equipment, water/spray bottles, etc).
- Do not leave masks, gloves, water bottles, litter, etc., behind at the show site. Please dispose of these items in the garbage bins.
- Avoid shaking hands, hugging, or other physical contact.
- Avoid touching dogs that are not your responsibility.
- Social Distancing must be maintained during the walk-through for rally obedience & masks must be worn by the exhibitors.

## Staging Areas

- Only Exhibitors with dogs will be allowed in staging areas (area just outside of each ring).
- Each ring will have a staging area.
- Avoid touching other dogs
- If exhibitors do not want a ribbon or rosette, please leave it on the table and do not touch it.

## Ring Stewards

- Ring Stewards will remain in the ring areas.
- Wear a mask.
- Maintain 2 m from others.
- Place ribbons on the table to be picked up by the exhibitor.
- The Ring Steward will not touch the judge's pens, materials and equipment. If required to do so, they will use hand sanitizer before & after doing so.

## Show Secretary

- Scheduling will be an important measure used to reduce numbers in the rings at one time.
- The Secretary will develop scheduling that will keep the number of people in the ring areas within posted limits.

## SAFETY MEASURES AND PROCEDURES

### COMPLIANCE

- There will not be any paper judging schedules available at the show.
- These are trying times as everyone knows, but the Nova Scotia German Shepherd Dog Club and its members remain diligent with regard to Compliance.
- All instances of non-compliance or acts of verbal defiance, arguing, etc., must be reported to the Show Superintendent and without hesitation the person / persons will be asked to vacate the venue immediately. In addition, an Official Complaint will be filed by the club with the Canadian Kennel Club. The Nova Scotia German Shepherd Dog Club acknowledges that these procedures are not the normal way of hosting an event, but in order to remain compliant we are going to follow the Regulations as set out by The Health Department.

Anyone entering with EntryLine will have to sign the Questionnaire/Waiver (below) either when arriving at the venue, OR bring with them the Questionnaire & Waiver that will be included in the Judging Schedule.



## COVID SCREENING QUESTIONNAIRE/SYMPTOMS & WAIVER

Do you have two or more of the following symptoms (new or worsening or unexplained)?

- Fever (or signs of a fever, such as chills, sweats, light-headedness)?
  - Yes
  - No
- Cough, sore throat, runny nose, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing?
  - Yes
  - No
- Nausea and/or vomiting, Diarrhea, Abdominal pain?
  - Yes
  - No
- Unexplained fatigue/malaise?
  - Yes
  - No
- Headache?
  - Yes
  - No
- Loss of/change to sense of smell or taste?
  - Yes
  - No
- Small, red or purple spots on your hands and/or feet without cause?
  - Yes
  - No

## CONTACT/TRAVEL HISTORY

Have you:

- Travelled outside Nova Scotia in the 14 days before onset of illness?
  - Yes
  - No
- Been in close contact with a known or suspect case of Covid-19 in the last 14 days or at one of the listed exposure sites?
  - Yes
  - No

If you answered yes to any of the contact or travel history questions with or without symptoms, you are considered a person under investigation of Covid-19. It is recommended if you have not been tested to proceed to your nearest Covid-19 testing location.

The Nova Scotia German Shepherd Dog Club will use due care and diligence for the welfare of dogs and participants, but will not be responsible, or assume liability, in the event of accident, or other misfortunes, to either dogs or participants. **The participant shall absolve Nova Scotia German Shepherd Dog Club and its members of any liability thereof. In particular, Participants acknowledge that they are taking part in this event with full knowledge of the existence of the coronavirus pandemic and understand and accept that while the Nova Scotia German Shepherd Dog Club will make all reasonable effort to run a safe event, and will adhere to all Nova Scotia government coronavirus requirements and restrictions in force on the date of the event in doing so, it is impossible to eliminate all risk and by entering and attending the event, the participant accepts the risk of contracting COVID-19 and will absolve the Nova Scotia German Shepherd Dog Club and its members and MILFORD RECREATION SPORTS FIELD of any liability in the event that they test positive for COVID-19 after this event.**

Date:

Signed:

Armband #: