



# HEELWORK TO MUSIC - FUN DAY - Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2008

from 10am at Gaerwen Farm, Dwyran, Anglesey, LL61 6AX

**FOOD and TOYS allowed in the ring**



These fun classes will not be formally judged however they will have one or more people observing who will be able to give special awards as appropriate. There will also be experienced handlers available to observe your routines and provide you with feedback if you wish. Classes will run in the order given below. Should you miss your class you may still be able to work your dog at the discretion of the organisers however you would not normally be eligible for an award. Please try and arrive in good time so you can exercise and settle your dog before working.

## CLASSES

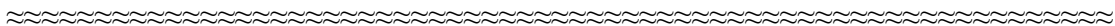
1. **'Debutantes'** – for handlers who have never entered a KC licensed HTM event.
2. **'Caterpillars'** – for those just hatching - handlers who have not yet won out of Starters in any KC Class & old handlers with new dogs.
3. **'Chrysalises'** – for emerging handlers who have not yet won out of Novice in any KC Class.
4. **'Butterflies'** – for handlers working at Intermediate or Advanced level in any KC Class
5. **'Hat Trick'** – open to all. The handler must wear and use an appropriate hat during the routine.
6. **'Pairs Plus'** - any combination in excess of 1 dog & 1 handler.
7. **'Lucky Dip'** – 30 seconds of the music will be played to you immediately prior to your performance.

Entry fees are £3 per class, discounted to £2.50 for YMDTS members. Closing date for pre-entries is 9<sup>th</sup> March (postmark). Entries (or changes to your pre-booked routines) will be accepted up to the commencement of each class however entry fees on the day will be £3.50 per class (£3 for YMDTS members). The entry fee in Class 6 is per routine NOT per handler, the discounted rate will apply if at least 1 entrant is an YMDTS member.

## DIRECTIONS TO VENUE

A55 ACROSS BRITANIA BRIDGE TO ANGLESEY; BEFORE END OF BRITANIA BRIDGE, TAKE LEFT SLIP ROAD; TURN LEFT AT END OF SLIP ROAD (A5); TAKE NEXT BIG LEFT TURN ONTO A4080 (WHITE TOLL HOUSE ON CORNER); ABOUT 1 MILE AFTER BRYNSIENCYN, TAKE RIGHT TURN AT B4419 (SIGNED LLANGAFFO, DWYRAN); TAKE 2ND LEFT (STAGGERED CROSSROADS), (BLUE SIGN AT END OF LANE SAYS "UNSUITABLE FOR HEAVY VEHICLES"); NEXT LEFT AT Y JUNCTION, AND LEFT INTO GAERWEN FARM GATES.

**There will be no catering on site for this day so please arrange to bring your own refreshments along.**



## FUN DAY ENTRY FORM

**Please enclose a SAE if you require confirmation of your entry** and send your entries to:

Maggie Backhouse, Gaerwen Farm, Dwyran, Anglesey, LL61 6AX: Cheques to: Ynys Môn Dog Training Society

If you intend to enter more than 3 classes, or use more than 1 dog please complete a separate form for each as appropriate, putting the payment details on one form only

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Dog's pet name \_\_\_\_\_ Breed \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_

Handler's name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ postcode \_\_\_\_\_ tel: \_\_\_\_\_ email: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ entries @ £2.50 (YMDTS members), \_\_\_\_\_ entries @ £3 (non-members) Total enclosed = \_\_\_\_\_  
See overleaf for the rules

## **RULES FOR THE FUN DAY**

1. All dogs must be kept under control at all times.
2. Children aged 16 years and under must be accompanied and supervised by an adult.
3. The organisers reserve the right to refuse entries.
4. Harsh or punitive correction or handling will not be tolerated.
5. No bitch in season will be allowed to participate.
6. Should unforeseen circumstances so dictate, the organisers may alter arrangements as necessary.
7. In the event of circumstances making it necessary that the event is cancelled, the organisers reserve unto themselves the right to defray expenses from the entry fees received.
8. All handlers will be responsible for cleaning up after their dogs.
9. For safety reasons, the organisers reserve the right to refuse admission to any person/dog as necessary.
10. All dogs will be entered at this event at their owners risk and while every care will be taken the organisers will not accept any responsibility for loss, damage or injury however caused to dogs, persons or property while at the event.

## **ADDITIONAL RULES FOR THE FUN DAY CLASSES**

1. While the classes are in progress other dogs will not be allowed on the front two seating rows.
2. Entry fees are non- refundable.
3. Entries may be limited at the discretion of the organisers if the event is oversubscribed.
4. Only dogs over 6 months of age are eligible to enter the fun classes,
5. Handlers should provide their own music on tape or CD (Class 7 excepted). It should be of good quality, clearly labelled and it is advisable to provide a back up. The music should have a maximum length of 3½ minutes, except for Classes 1 and 2 which have a maximum of 2½ minutes.
6. Handlers entering more than once on the day must use different music and routines.
7. Handlers may submit up to 2 entries per class (with the same dog), but must use different music and routines on each occasion.
8. Food and toys may be taken into the ring.
9. Handlers may dress appropriately for the occasion and complementary to the presentation. Props may be used.
10. Dogs may only wear dressed collars.
11. The use of voice and body language is encouraged and handlers may make contact with their dog.
12. Handlers should book in with the organisers on arrival and hand in their music.
13. A running order will be made for all classes and printed in the catalogue which will be displayed on the noticeboard.