



Maelor Equestrian Centre, Wrexham,
North Wales, LL12 9SD
Saturday 4th February 2023

Thank you for entering this event, please take the time to read this information and also familiarise yourself with the competition rules which are available at www.ukhoopers.com under the competing tab, look for UK Hoopers Handbook. If you have any questions on the day please do ask one of our friendly team who will be more than happy to help you out.

Ring Layout

There will be 1 indoor ring set up and classes will follow the attached running order. There will be announcements to let you know when the ring becomes open for walking so listen out for these. Please ensure you have walked your course before the judging commencement time as once judging starts there will be no further walking.

There will be at least 15 minutes to walk each course.

You **must not** touch anything inside the ring.

We encourage you to maintain social distancing **at all times**, including when walking courses, you are also responsible for making sure that everyone else is able to maintain social distancing from you too.

Course Walking

There will be a white board on the fence of the ring, this will contain extra course info and also tell you about any PowerPoints that course may contain. It will also tell you the running order (colours) for that ring. **It will stay the same colour order for every class in that ring for that day.**

Timetable

The proposed timetable is as follows, please note that the rings may run differently to expected but that it is your responsibility to ensure you have walked your courses and are available to run, those with multiple dogs are asked to ensure that they remain on the ball so that the rings are not waiting for people to swap dogs. The rings will not be held.

Number in brackets indicates number of dogs in the class – please note there may be additional POTD entries

Arriving

You are welcome to arrive from 8.30am, there will be no access to the site before this time. Course walking will start at 8.45am. The first course will not be judged until 9am.

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Class no.		No. of dogs
9am 1	Parcours G3 & 4	6
2	Parcours G3 & 4	6
3	Hoopers G3 & 4	6
4	Hoopers G3 & 4	6
11am 10	Nursery & Legends Hoopers	10
5	Speedstakes	19
11	Nursery & Legends Parcours	9
12pm 6	Parcours G 1 & 2	26
7	Parcours G 1 & 2	25
8	Hoopers G1 & 2	28
9	Hoopers G1 & 2	25

The Grade 3 & 4 courses will run in the morning from 9am.

The Nursery & legends and Special class will **NOT start before 11am** but may start later depending on the running of the morning classes.

The Grade 1 & 2 courses will **NOT start before 12pm** but may start later.

Social distancing (2m) should be observed at all times, you are welcome to watch but only dogs queueing may be in the arena, no spectating dogs, only people please.

Please don't gather around ring entrances etc and please ensure that you follow the UK Hoopers rules on being 2m from the ring fence at all times.

Running Orders & Queuing

Each dog who is competing this weekend has been issued with a COLOUR. This colour dictates your running order. When you walk your course you must check the colour order for that ring, and **you will be asked to queue when your colour is called**. Eg. If your dog "Rex" is allocated Blue, you will run in the Blue queue for the entirety of the show. In a class the order might be Blue, Pink, Green, so in this case you will know that you will be in the first set of dogs to the ring and should collect your dog ready for the class to start. In another class Blue might be last and so you know you have time to grab a cuppa and watch a few dogs first.

There will also be a list in the office if you need to check your colour.

Please listen to the announcements and do not guess or assume. This approach should help to minimise queue length, ensure ease of access around the site and prevent areas from becoming over populated with people or dogs.

You may not run in an earlier colour except for ring party/helpers. This will all be briefed throughout the day, you will not need to guess when to run, just listen carefully and follow the instructions you are given.

As you enter the ring to run, please give your **dog's name first** and then your name. Please wait for the scorer to acknowledge they have the correct dog on the tablet and then wait to be started by the scorer / judge.

Please respect each others space and allow for people to social distance from you if they wish, you are welcome to watch from around the field and rings but please don't gather around ring entrances/exits or thoroughfares etc and please ensure that you follow the UK Hoopers rules on being 2m from the ring fence at all times.

Handler	Dog	Colour	Handler	Dog	Colour
Lorna Wildman	Astrid	Green	Ammy Calsbeek	Monty	Green
Leeann Bentley	Baxter	Blue	Chris Roberts	Muffin	Blue
Gillian Blanchard	Bea	Green	Mike Aubury	Neo	Green
Heather Butler	Benjamin	Blue	Doe Beere	Pabie	Blue
Lynne Jackson	Bentley	Green	Alison platt	Piper	Green
Val Woolrich	Betty	Blue	Sandra Yates	Poppy	Blue
Kirsty collier	Boss	Green	Mrs Sally Clarke	Poppy	Green
Julia Shimwell	Dizzy	Blue	Laura williams	Puzzle	Blue
Sue Fitton	Domino	Green	Amy Joyce	Revel	Green
Kirsty collier	Dozer	Blue	Heather Rapley	Rex	Blue
Chris Roberts	Dusty	Green	Issy Eley	Rio	Green
Gillian Blanchard	Eboney	Blue	Anne Woolford	Rowan	Blue
Jane Missin	Echo	Green	Janice pickup	Serendipity	Green
Carol Hobday	Gaby	Blue	Peter van der Veer	Sita	Green
Vickie Barker	George	Green	Julie Lewis	Stardust	Green
Kath Jones	Harry	Blue	Susan Fitzsimmons	Suki	Green
Issy Eley	Henry	Green	Sue Parry	Tizz	Green
Alison platt	Holly	Blue	Lynn Hughes	Toby	Blue
Sue Parry	Kizz	Green	Carol Hobday	Todd	Green
Kayleigh Shield	Luna	Blue	Cathy Bates	Twinkle	Green
Lewis Thompson	Marley	Green	Lynn Hughes	Willow	Green
Lynne Jackson	Mitzie	Blue			

DOGS WILL RUN IN THE COLOUR LISTED ABOVE UNLESS YOUR DOG IS REGISTERED AS A YELLOW DOG, IN WHICH CASE YOU MAY RUN THEM AS YELLOW

Scoring:

Live scoring will be used, you can check your results at <https://hoopers.online> throughout the day. Any discrepancies should be raised with the show office as soon as possible and within 10 minutes of a class closing.

If using a mobile phone you can opt to save the page directly to your home screen for easy access. Simply tap the 3 dots and select "Add to Home Screen" which will put the icon on your phone screen.

How to find the venue:

The venue address is **Maelor Equestrian Centre, Wrexham, North Wales, LL12 9SD**

Continue up the drive to the venue. You will pass the equine centre on your left. Continue to follow the road round to the left and you will see parking in front of you, along the field, in front of the indoor arena.

What 3 words reference – **HAZEL. FEAST. GREEN**

If you have never used What3words before, it is a fantastic app that works the same as Googlemaps, except it takes you to a precise 1m square instead of a vague postcode. We recommend using it as this location will bring you directly to the parking area.

Parking

As you come through the gate, continue straight on and park inside the fenced area to the right hand side of the outdoor school.

Please do not park on the top area or down the slope.

There is no off-lead exercise area at the venue. Dogs must be kept on lead at all times around the venue.

Hoopers Record of Achievement Books will be available to purchase on site at £5 each from the show office.

Lastly, and this is the most important rule of all. Have fun! Smile! Enjoy your day with your dog, praise them even if it all goes wrong and laugh it off and don't forget to thank your judge for giving up their day so that we can enjoy ours. We are very much looking forward to seeing everyone, drive safe and see you soon!

Sarah & the whole team

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