



# Open Hoopers Show

By Kind Permission of: Lincoln Agility  
Enthusiasts (LAE) KC Agility Show



**Held outdoors at:**  
**The Lincolnshire Showground,**  
**Grange – de – Lings, Lincoln, LN2 2NA**

**Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> to Sunday 24<sup>th</sup>**  
**April 2022 (3 Days)**

2 outdoor, fenced rings approx. 30m X 30m

**Closing Date: 15<sup>th</sup> March or sooner if oversubscribed.**

On the day entries are unlikely to be available.

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

For online entries, more information and full Rules and Regulations see [WWW.UKHOOPERS.COM](http://WWW.UKHOOPERS.COM)

Keep up to date, like **UK Hoopers** on Facebook for up-to-date information and/or join the **UK Hoopers – Everything Hoopers** Facebook group and the show specific group **UK Hoopers Shows – Official info & Updates**

**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 Manager - Sarah Fenby

Please direct enquiries to 07534 253 432 (calls/text only between 9am and 5pm or on morning of show from 8am) or via email [info@ukhoopers.com](mailto:info@ukhoopers.com)

Local Vet/Medic details available at the show.

**This show is being run alongside a popular and well attended Kennel Club Agility Competition, it is imperative that site rules are followed which may be outside of our standard rule book. Please familiarise yourself with all rules before attending. Dogs are welcome to participate in both events and will be subject to the relevant rules and regulations for each sport.**

## Class Schedule

Classes are **NOT** expected to run in this order, ring plan will be issued at least 1 week prior to the event at [www.hoopers.online](http://www.hoopers.online) Please refer to class numbers when entering.

Friday 22nd April					
Class		Grade			
		1	2	3	Type
1	Hoopers	✓			Graded
2	Hoopers		✓	✓	Combined
3	Hoopers	✓			Graded
4	Hoopers		✓	✓	Graded
5	Speedstakes	✓	✓	✓	Open*
6	Parcours	✓			Graded
7	Parcours		✓	✓	Combined
8	Parcours	✓			Graded
9	Parcours		✓	✓	Graded
Saturday 23rd April					
Class		Grade			
		1	2	3	Type
10	Hoopers	✓			Graded
11	Hoopers		✓	✓	Combined
12	Hoopers	✓			Graded
13	Hoopers		✓	✓	Graded
14	Hooked on Hoopers Speedstakes Qualifier	✓	✓	✓	Open*
15	Parcours	✓			Graded
16	Parcours		✓	✓	Combined
17	Parcours	✓			Graded
18	Parcours		✓	✓	Graded

Sunday 24th April					
Class		Grade			
		1	2	3	Type
19	Hoopers	✓			Graded
20	Hoopers		✓	✓	Combined
21	Hoopers	✓			Graded
22	Hoopers		✓	✓	Graded
23	Speedstakes	✓	✓	✓	Open*
24	Websters Novice Championship Qualifier (Parcours)	✓			Graded
25	Parcours		✓	✓	Combined
26	Parcours	✓			Graded
27	Parcours		✓	✓	Graded

*\*Denotes Specials Class*

### Class Descriptions

Hoopers – A course consisting only of hoops.

Parcours – A course containing any combination of allowable equipment.

### 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 they will remain as such).

### Awards

Placing cards to 5<sup>th</sup> in each section of every class. Rosettes will be awarded to a minimum of 3<sup>rd</sup> 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.

### Webster Novice Championship Qualifier

This class will count as one heat of the qualifying rounds. There are 10 qualifying heats throughout 2022 and the dogs who have accumulated the most points once all 10 heats have been run will be invited to the final in September. Only grade 1 dogs may qualify for the finals. Dogs who have since graded up into grade 2 will still be invited to run in the finals.



### Hooked on Hoopers Speedstakes Qualifier

This class will count as one heat of the qualifying rounds. There are 10 qualifying heats throughout 2022 and the dogs who have accumulated the most points once all 10 heats have been run will be invited to the final in August. This is a specials class and is open to any grade of dog.



### Full Rulebook

Can be viewed at [www.ukhoopers.com](http://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:**

Food and drinks will be available from the show, there will also be a number of trade stands in attendance.

### **Camping:**

Camping is available Thursday, Friday and Saturday at £15 per night and must be paid directly to LAE. If you have an agility plaza account you may book camping there (preferred method by LAE) alternatively you may book camping by sending the correct fee by BACS to:

LAE

Sort Code: 77-16-01

Account Number: 86429060

You must include a reference with your payment, this is **HOOPERS/yourname**

If you are also entering agility (entries via Agility Plaza) you can book your camping at the same time, if you would like to camp in the hoopers area then please use **HOOPERS** as your camping group name.

- Only Park where directed.
- All units must carry a fire extinguisher or have a bucket of water at the front of the unit at all times.
- There will be no 'joining' of gardens.
- Training equipment is not allowed in the camping areas.
- Arrivals from 2pm Thursday, no arrivals after 9pm any evening.

### **Directions to the Venue**

The Lincolnshire Showground is situated two miles north of Lincoln on the A15. More information can be found at:

[www.lincolnshireshowground.co.uk](http://www.lincolnshireshowground.co.uk)

It is recognised by GoogleMaps – please make sure you read the event info when issued for details of which gate to enter by plus more important information.



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