



# The Kennel Club of Jersey

## Agility and Flyball Regulations

These regulations apply to all agility and flyball events licensed by The Kennel Club of Jersey (the KCJ). Agility and flyball events must follow The Kennel Club Limited (UK) (KC) General Regulations for Flyball and Agility Competitions (H) (Reg H) save for the following exceptions. All event organizers issued with licenses agree to adhere to the KCJ Constitution, Regulations & Codes.

1. Where Reg H States Board this is to be read as the KCJ Executive Committee, where it states Kennel Club this is to be read as the KCJ as appropriate.
2. Licenses will be issued by the KCJ following application for a license and approval by the Executive Committee.
3. Dogs taking part in the event must be registered with either the KCJ or the Guernsey Kennel Club.
4. The event organizer will be responsible for deciding the eligibility of all dogs competing at the event.
5. Persons disqualified or suspended by the KCJ or any organization with which the KCJ has a reciprocal agreement is held will not be eligible to take part in any event.
6. Guarantors are not required for events licensed by KCJ.
7. Objections, disqualifications, forfeit of awards and fines will be dealt with by the event organizer organizing the event with the KCJ acting as arbiter in accordance with its Constitution.
8. Where appointed a Show Manager is allowed to run dogs. In the event of a complaint being lodged against the Show Manager then an independent Committee Member from the event organizer will deal with the complaint.
9. The event organizer is responsible for all matters related to the running of an event, including the appointment of judges. An incident book must be maintained at all events.
10. Dogs must be kept on leads when not competing, unless they are in a designated exercise area which stipulates they are allowed off the lead.
11. For agility events the following exceptions also apply:

- a. Grading will consist of Grade A and Grade B. All dogs will be deemed as Grade A
  - i. until they have won four standard classes (standard classes to include combined classes) with clear rounds, where at least two are agility classes.
  - ii. Also, for dogs which are eligible to compete in Grades 1 or 2 at a Kennel Club Ltd (UK) licensed agility shows
  - iii. Plus, dogs that are in Grade 3 but have yet to win a class at Grade 3. Also, dogs which are eligible to compete in Level 1 at a FCI licensed Agility Show. (France 1er Degre)
  - iv. All other dogs will be deemed Grade B.
- b. Wins at an Open show count towards Limit show grading, but wins at a Limit show do not count towards Open show grading.
- c. 'Special' classes may be offered, which must be defined in the event schedule, these classes will not count towards grading wins.
- d. It will be at the Judge's discretion as to whether any course is measured using a timing wheel.
- e. Where there are two judges for any licensed Limit or Open Show either of the judges may compete in any class under the other judge.
- f. If a course remains the same for all heights it is not necessary to offer course walking between each height change.
- g. Prior to competing for the first time in a standard class a dog must be measured. The Kennel Club of Jersey will appoint measurers for the Jersey jurisdiction. A minimum of three measurers must be used for the first two measures. Where a third measure is needed, two different measurers should be used where possible but at least one must not have measured the dog before
- h. Long jump: Wooden long jumps are still allowed to be used
- i. Spread jumps: For spread jumps poles used can be the same length
- j. Shows: Pay on the day classes are allowed and there will be a minimum of 50% extra on the normal class charge
- k. Show closing dates are at the discretion of the club
- l. Bitches in season can compete in a final where they have qualified
- m. Invitational rounds at finals are only open to dogs that have competed in a standard class at a qualifying show.

12. For Limited Agility Shows a maximum of four standard classes and any number of special classes may be scheduled.

13. Test area to be decided by the judge.