GSD Club of Greater Eugene May 22-23. 2021 Polk County Fairgrounds, Rickreall, Oregon

Covid-19 Social Distancing Plan

Oregon Governor Brown's <u>Executive Orders related to the COVID-19 pandemic requires social</u> distancing measures for public or private gatherings outside the home that include a site distance plan requiring at least six feet between individuals must be maintained at all times and facemasks properly worn. This plan is designed specifically for the GSDCGE AKC All Breed Rally & Obedience Trials at the Polk County Fairgrounds in Rickreall Oregon.

Any person who fails to follow this plan and maintain at least six feet between individuals at all times during this event or on the show grounds during show hours will be investigated by the trial committee for misconduct prejudicial to the interests of the sport and may result in expulsion from this event and possible sanction by AKC.

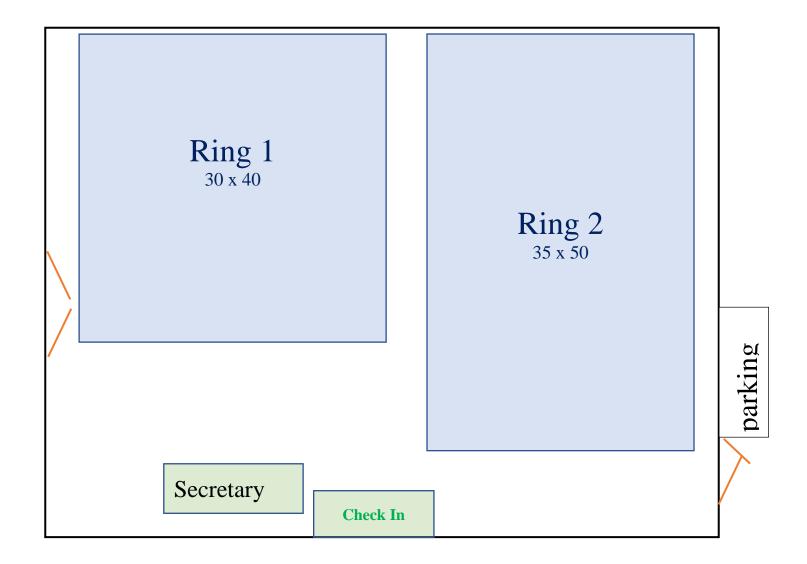
- 1. If you feel unwell, have a fever, cough, or sneezing before leaving for the show, please stay home. If you have recently been in the presence of a person who has either tested positive for COVID-19 or has the symptoms noted above, stay home. You can text the event secretary if you are unable to attend. Gate Steward will ask you these screening questions before allowing you to check in.
- 2. MASKS must be worn at all times on the grounds when on in a vehicle.
- 3. **Concurrent Events** There will be 2 concurrent rally trials one day, and 2 concurrent obedience trials the other day. To minimize the number of persons in the building or on the grounds, only ONE rally class at a time will be allowed in the building. Two obedience classes will be allowed in the building at the same time with staging at opposite ends of the building. Each class will be judged once for trial 1, then immediately judged for trial 2. Only exhibitors for each class will be allowed in the building spaced at least six feet apart at all times. Spectators will be limited on a space available basis and must remain seated in the building while a class is running and exit the building before the next class is called into the building.
- 4. **Start Times** Please time your arrival to the show grounds for check in to NO MORE than 30 minutes before your scheduled start time. Upon completion of your class and awards, please leave the grounds so others may use your space.
- 5. **There will be NO** indoor crating except while your class is in the building. Exhibitors wait in vehicles to be called. If you bring a crate in, please remove it at the conclusion of your class.
- 6. PARKING Please leave one parking place between you and another vehicle. Do not park between two vehicles. If you have a handicap sticker and need to be close to building, please let us know asap so we can be sure to have adequate spaces reserved. We may request you to move to a different parking space to give access to an exhibitor in a class ahead of yours.
- 7. **Dog Exercise Area** Only one dog/handler at a time in the exercise area on a leash no more than six feet in length. Pick up after your dog and dispose in can in the exercise area or pack it out with you. Give space to those exhibitors preparing to enter the building to compete.
- 8. **Check In** with Gate Steward near the roll door about 30 minutes before your scheduled class time. Stay behind the tape line to maintain six-foot distance until it's your turn. Bring

your own pen to mark yourself present and pick up the info packet containing armband numbers, rubber bands, course maps, and schedule. .

9. Class staging

- a. **Gate Steward** will call your class in after the prior class has cleared the area. Gate Steward will ask you screening questions before allowing you to check in (See #1 above).
- b. **Wait in your vehicle** until your class is called. Please leave grounds promptly after completion of your block. You can sit in your vehicle with windows down and talk to those on either side of you. Or set up chairs by your vehicle to chat but keep at least SIX FEET apart.
- c. **Face Masks** every person exiting their vehicle must wear a face mask at all times. Keep mask on outside if likely to come within six feet of any other person.
- d. **Exit building promptly** after judging. If you are done for the day, please head home so others can take your parking place.
- e. Maintain at least six feet between you and other exhibitors or spectators at all times.
- f. **Spectators** must be limited to exhibitors and persons who traveled in the same vehicle with an exhibitor. Non-exhibitors must remain with vehicle or within designated spectator areas.
- 10. **Judges and stewards** will maintain social distance as practical between each other, exhibitors and spectators. Gloves will also be supplied for those wishing to have another layer of protection.
- 11. **Prizes** At the conclusion of your class return to ringside for announcement of class placings and scores. Class Results will be posted at https://mydoggym.com/results-1 shortly as soon as possible after a class completes.
- 12. **Food on premises** There will be no vendors or food available on site. Club will not provide snacks or water to exhibitors, so please pack your own and pack your empties out. There are fast food restaurants close by if you need to purchase lunch while in the area.
- 13. **Lunch** will be on your own for all exhibitors. Judges, stewards, and committee members will be served commercially packaged box lunches to eat in their vehicles or other socially distanced area.
- 14. **Photos** No official photographer on site. If you would like a picture with your ribbons, check with event secretary. We will have a designated official to do photos. If someone in your party is available to handle your camera, that's ok too. Could you forward a copy to rainspring.mdg@gmail.com (.jpg preferred)
- 15. **Contact Tracing** If you become ill with Covid-19 after this event, please let event secretary know. We will NOT share your identity but will advise others in your class they may have been exposed to Covid. If you are contacted by a Public Health tracer, you can refer them to the Event Secretary to get the names and contact information of others you may have been in contact with at this event.

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