



South Dakota 4-H Dog Obedience Class Graduate Novice



Team Number	Final Score:	Individual	Circle Placing: Purple (180-200) Blue (160-179) Red (140-159) White (139 or less)	Dog's Name:		
				Breed:		
				Judge:		
Exercise & Command	Heel Free Figure 8 (Off leash) Forward Halt Right Turn Left Turn About turn Slow, Normal, Fast, Normal Exercise finished	Drop on Recall 35' Leave your dog Call your dog Signal: to drop the dog 2nd call your dog Finish Exercise Finished	Dumbbell Recall 35' Give your dog the dumbbell Leave your dog Call your dog Take it Finish Exercise Finished	Recall over High jump (dog is placed 8' facing the high jump, handler stands 8' on opposite side of the high jump) Leave your dog Call your dog Finish Exercise Finished	Recall over Broad Jump (dog is placed 8' facing the broad jump, handler stands 8' on opposite side of the broad jump) Leave your dog Call your dog Finish Exercise Finished	Group - Long Down (on leash; 5 minutes) Down your dog Leave your dog Return to your dog Exercise finished
	Minor ____ Improper heel position ____ Forging or crowding handler ____ Lagging or sniffing ____ Heeling wide including turns and abouts ____ Lack of naturalness or smoothness ____ Handler error	____ Dog stood or downs ____ Extra command or signal before leaving ____ Dog touches handler ____ Slow response or sat between feet ____ Slow retrieve ____ Dog mouths dumbbell ____ Slow return or drop ____ No sit or poor sit ____ Lack of naturalness or smoothness ____ No finish or poor finish ____ Handler error	____ Dog stands ____ Dog touches handler ____ Slow response or sat between feet ____ Slow retrieve ____ Dog mouths dumbbell ____ Dog fails to release dumbbell ____ No sit or poor sit ____ No finish or poor finish ____ Lack of naturalness or smoothness ____ Handler error	____ Dog stood or downs ____ Dog touches handler ____ Slow response to recall ____ Dog sits between feet ____ No sit or poor sit ____ No finish or poor finish ____ Minor jump touch ____ Handler error	____ Dog stood or downs ____ Dog touches handler ____ Slow response to recall ____ Dog sat between feet ____ No sit or poor sit ____ No finish or poor finish ____ Minor jump touch ____ Handler error	____ Dog stood or sat within 3-5 minutes ____ Minor move before handler returns ____ Minor bark or whine ____ Excessively loud commands ____ Handler error
Substantial ____ Handler continually adapts pace to dog ____ Extra command to heel ____ No change of pace including fast and slow ____ No sit or poor sit	____ Extra command or signal to stay after handler leaves ____ Out of position stay ____ Dog moves from place it was or downs ____ Dog anticipates drop, recall, or come in ____ Dog sat out of reach	____ Extra command to take dumbbell ____ Extra command or signal to stay ____ Dog drops dumbbell ____ Dog moves from place or downs ____ Dog anticipates recall ____ Dog sits out of reach ____ Out of position stay	____ Extra command or signal to stay ____ Extra signal or command to jump ____ Out of position stay ____ Dog moved from place it was left ____ Dog anticipated recall ____ Dog does not clear jump ____ Dog sat out of reach	____ Extra command or signal to stay ____ Extra signal or command to jump ____ Out of position stay ____ Dog moved from place it was or downs ____ Dog anticipated recall ____ Dog does not clear jump ____ Dog sat out of reach	____ Forces into position ____ Dog stands or sits within 1 to 3 minutes ____ Repeated whines or barks	
Major ____ Unqualified heeling	____ Dog does not come on first command or signal after drop ____ Dog does not drop on first command or signal	____ Fails to take dumbbell on first command ____ Handler forces dumbbell into dog's mouth ____ Dog does not come on first command or signal	____ Dog does not come on first command or signal ____ Dog does not jump on first command or signal	____ Dog does not come on first command or signal ____ Dog does not jump on first command or signal ____ Dog walks over any part of the jump	____ Dog stands or sits within 1 minute	
Total Net Score						
Max Points	40	40	30	30	30	30
		Growling or snapping	Harsh disciplining, training in ring	Fouling (minus 25 points)	Improper collar/leash (minus 10 points)	Less Penalty ____
			Food or treats	Bites/attacks another dog or person; Goes to another dog in group exercises	Unmanageable	Team is excused with white ribbon
				Shows fear	Leaves the ring	Minus one ribbon placing