

# Department 22: Dogs

Project	Exhibit	Suggestions
Dog Obedience	Video (Required)-not to exceed 4 minutes	See ^ below for more information
Dog Creative Agility	Video (Required)-not to exceed 4 minutes	See # below for more information
Dog Handling	Video (Required)-not to exceed 4 minutes Photo (Required)-1 photo	See * below for more information
Costume	Video (Required)-not to exceed 60 seconds with narration of 50 words or less Photo (Required)-1 photo of exhibitor with dog in costume	

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^: Dog Obedience: A continuous video, not to exceed 4 minutes, for the entire class. There is no requirement for sits and downs. For the heeling part, if the person recording the video does not want to call out the pattern, they may hand draw out rally signs that designate where they are to change their heeling. (sit, fast, slow, normal, right turn, left turn). Patterns attached.

#: Agility: Classes in this section will require a video not to exceed 4 minutes. This is an opportunity for the exhibitor to showcase their project animal while being creative with “obstacles” & have Fun!!! Choose creative ways to demonstrate your team’s agility skills- be creative. For example, have your dog jump over a broomstick handle balanced on 2 boxes; have dog jump on a box or other surface; have dog jump in car, pass through & jump out other side on command; have dog crawl/go under chair with sheet over one end. Be creative! You may also use Agility equipment if available. The video does not have to be continuous, but it must be one video--may record, pause, record on one video.

Agility Classes:

- Beginner- (on leash)- must do 4 Obstacles (May use 2 obstacles- do each twice)
- Intermediate- (off leash)- must do 6 Obstacles (May use 3 obstacles- do each twice)
- Advanced- (off leash)- must do 8 Obstacles (May use 4 obstacles- do each twice)

\*: Dog Handling: A continuous video, not to exceed 4 minutes, is required for this section. Additionally, 1 photo for publicity and promotion. Please view the supplemental documents, including ring set up and patterns, for each age division:

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**Evaluation and Awards:** All classes will be evaluated using the Danish method (i.e. A, B, C). All participants will get feedback from the judges regarding their performance for educational purposes.