4-H Obedience Class: Novice

Member: Breed: Dog No.: Date:

Show: Class: Judge:

Exercise	Dog Errors		Handler Errors		Score	Total
HEEL ON LEASH & FIGURE 8	Poor Attention Interferes with Handler Lags/Forges/Wide No/Poor Sit No change in pace Extra Command	10	Does not check to see if dog is ready Unclear commands or signals Excessive hand movements Poor footwork - steps into dog on halt Adapts to dogs: pace, turns, halts Poor timing on take off and halts Does not centre dog between posts Other	Command & Signal Unnecessary extra command Handler fails to work a straight line Poor leash work No change of pace Handler watches dog while heeling Starts too close/far from posts	30	40
STAND FOR EXAMINATION	Dog not in heel position Resist standing Moves feet Shyness/Aggressive Sits/lays down Extra Command	7	Dog not in heel position Unreasonable time in posing dog Rough treatment in posing dog Does not leave dog from heel position Handler backs away - handler not at end of leash Crowds dog on return	Handler does not check dog Unclear command to dog Handler waits for leave order Extra commands/signal Poor leashwork Does not return to heel position	23	30
HEEL Off Leash	Poor Attention Interferes with Handler Lags/Forges/Wide No/Poor Sit No change in pace Extra Command	10	Does not check to see if dog is ready Unclear commands or signals Excessive hand movements Poor footwork Adapts to dogs: pace, turns, halts Poor timing on take off and halts Other	Command & Signal Unnecessary extra command Handler fails to work a straight line Steps into dog on halt No change of pace Handler watches dog while heeling	30	40
RECALL	Dog changes position Fails to stay or come Slow Poor/ No Front Poor/No finish Extra command	7	No attempt to start at heel position Improper body position Command and signals Excessive body movements Other:	Leaves before judges order Extra/unclear commands or signals Backs away from dog	23	30
SIT On Leash 1 Minute	Fails to remain in sit Excessive movement Excessive noise Breaks after handler returns Extra Command	7	Improper distance from other teams Armband not readiable behind dog Not in heel position to leave Does not check to see if dog is ready Unclear/Extra command to dog	Leaving the ring or positioning S D S D S D S D	23	30
DOWN On Leash 1 Minute	Fails to remain in down Excessive movement Excessive noise Breaks after handler returns Extra Command	7	Rough Treatment Extra cmds/signal/touches dog Backs away/excess movement Handler returns straight to dog Crowds dog/does not return to heel Release dog early/does not leash on compl Other	S D S D S D S D S D S D S D	23	30
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PENALTY at judge's discretion		less			less	less
	Out of Control Soiling the Ring Excessive Noise Not Working Growls/Snaps		Unable to read armband Corrections/Training in Ring/Harsh Cmnds Directs/Corrects dog between exercises Presentation of self/dog Other	Incorrect leash/collar Lacking Praise Poor Communication Does not listen to judge Poor Sportsmanship		
BONUS at judge's discretion		plus			plus	plus
	Well Motivated Attentive Wants to work with handler		Happy working team Good communication with dog Good ring skills - efficient team Other	Strong attention to detail Well presented Good Sportsmanship		
	Placement	Dog Total	Comments		Handler Total	**Team Total**