

1<sup>st</sup> Annual

# Dog Fun Show To benefit Essex County Trail Association



Saturday, August 28<sup>th</sup>, 2010 (Rain Date: Sunday, August 29<sup>th</sup>) Classes start at 9am

> 130 Topsfield Road Ipswich, MA

Show Organizer: Ashley Hill ashleyhill00@hotmail.com

Judges: TBA

This is a fun, informal event with classes similar to the traditional hunter/jumper horse show with classes open to dogs of all breeds and sizes.

Entry Fees: \$3 per class pre-entry, \$5 per class post-entry, \$15 per Derby-Cross Team Prizes and Ribbons to 4th place will be awarded in each class. Additional awards at the end of the day to dog entries in the following categories: Cutest, Most Athletic, Most Senior Entry, "Dog Judges Would Most Like to Take Home", Most Obedient, Least Obedient

Conditions of entry: No puppies under 4 months. Dogs must have proof of up to-date vaccinations. No Aggressive dogs. No sick dogs. No females in season. All competitors (dogs and handlers) are entering at their own risk. Liability and release forms must be signed by all handlers/competitors. ALL DOGS must be kept on a leash at all times. CLEAN UP AFTER YOUR DOGS IS MANDATORY!! Please provide your own pickup bags.

Concession stand available. Please bring water for your dogs.

Please visit the ECTA website for more details: www.ectaonline.org/events

# **Class List**

## Hunter Classes – 9 am start

Dogs will be judged on manners and obedience, smoothness and consistency of gaits, and style on the flat and over fences. Handlers will not be judged. Dog divisions divided as follows: Small Dog 25 lbs and under, Medium Dog 26-50 lbs, Large Dog over 50 lbs.

- 1. Small Dog Hunter Over Fences Fences 6-9"
- 2. Small Dog Hunter on the Flat
- 3. Medium Dog Hunter Over Fences Fences 12-15"
- 4. Medium Dog Hunter on the Flat
- 5. Large Dog Hunter Over Fences Fences 18 21"
- 6. Large Dog Hunter on the Flat
- 7. Hunter Pairs Class Fences 6-9" for small dogs, 15-18" for medium/large dogs (Pairs should have similar look and maintain consistent pace)

--Short Break for Course Re-setting--

### **Jumper Classes**

Jumper classes will be timed, fastest round wins. Each rail knocked down will be penalized 2 seconds. The derby cross will consist of teams of three and will be in the format of a relay – time will start when the first competitor crosses the start and will stop when the third competitor crosses the finish.

- 8. Puddle Jumpers 6-9"
- 9. Low Jumpers 12-15"
- 10. Golden Oldie Jumpers (dogs 9 and older) 12-15"
- 11. Level 0 Jumpers 18-21"
- 12. Level 1 Jumpers 24-27"
- 13. Level 2 Jumpers 30"-33"
- 14. Derby Cross 15-18"

### Fun Classes

- 15. Puissance One jump, height raised after each round. Elimination for knock down/refusal.
- 16. Trick Class Be ready to impress the judges with your best trick!
- 17. Command Class Dogs will be asked simple commands like sit, stay, heel, jog, etc.
- 18. Costume Class Get creative!