

DOGS IN VEHICLES ON HOT DAYS

Your dog is vulnerable and **AT RISK** if left in a vehicle in high temperatures and even on days considered as slightly warm. Please take care of your dog. If your dog is found to be at risk, forcible entry to your vehicle may be necessary without liability for any damage caused.

Entry Fees:

PD Stake: £25 TD/WD/UD Stakes: £24.00 CD Stake: £17.00

(Members may deduct £1 from each entry)

Please use a separate entry form for each stake.

PLEASE INCLUDE AN S.A.E. TO THE HANDLER

A leaflet giving the schedules of points and notes for guidance of competitors at working trials may be obtained from The Royal Kennel Club Ltd, 1 Clarges Street, Piccadilly, London, W1Y 8AB

All dogs must be kept on a lead at all times, unless using the exercise areas, or when instructed otherwise by the Judge.

Competitors are respectfully requested not to train or practice on the tracking ground or adjacent land, otherwise permission to hold these trials in this locality could be withdrawn.

Online entries with BACS payment accepted.

Email:

**PLEASE MAKE CHEQUES PAYABLE TO Y.W.T.S. or
BACS Transfers: Yorkshire Working Trials Society**
Sort: 05 01 06 – Account 10269090

PLEASE INCLUDE A STAMPED, ADDRESSED ENVELOPE TO THE HANDLER

PLEASE USE A SEPARATE ENTRY FORM FOR EACH STAKE

**KEEPSAKE TROPHIES FOR ALL 1ST PLACE STAKE WINNERS
ROSETTES AND PRIZE CARDS TO FOURTH PLACE**



Yorkshire Working Trials Society OPEN WORKING TRIAL

Stakes: PD TD WD UD

HELD UNDER KENNEL CLUB LTD RULES AND REGULATIONS (I) AND
THE REGULATIONS OF THE YORKSHIRE WORKING TRIALS SOCIETY

On: 5th & 6th September 2026
(prior days may be used if necessary)

At:

The field on Broad Lane, Nether Poppleton, York, YO26 6HU

Judges:

Patrol Dog

Dave Marchant

Tracking Dog

Sheila Margreaves

Working Dog

Holly Whitfield

Utility Dog

Roseanne Leatham

In the event of unforeseen circumstances arising, Yorkshire W.T.S. reserves to itself the right to make any other arrangements as may be deemed necessary.

The Officers and Committee members of the club holding the licence are deemed responsible for organising and conducting the trial safely and in accordance with the Rules and Regulations of the Kennel Club and agree to abide by and adopt any decision of the Board or any authority to whom the Board may delegate its powers subject to the conditions of Regulation I31. In so doing those appointed as officers and committee members, accept that they are jointly and severally for the organisation of the trial and that this is a bidding undertaking.

Entries to be received by: Wednesday 6th August 2026
Entry with Fees/SAE to: Trials Manager- Dave Olley

Online entries accept to

RULES AND REGULATIONS

- 1) Dogs entered at Kennel Club Ltd licensed Working Trials must be registered at the Kennel Club Ltd in accordance with Kennel Club Regulations for Classification and Registration B.
- 2) All dogs resident outside the UK must be issued with a Kennel Club Authority to Compete number before entry to the show/event can be made. All overseas entries without an Authority to Compete number will be returned to the exhibitor/competitor
- 3) The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries.
- 4) The order of running shall be determined by a draw and the competitors notified accordingly by post or via email of their reporting time prior to the day of the Trial.
- 5) Dogs under 18 calendar months of age on the closing date are ineligible for competition at Kennel Club licensed working trials except that dogs of 6 calendar months of age on the closing date of the trial may be entered for Special Stakes, which do not include the long jump, clear jump and scale.
- 6) Spayed bitches and castrated dogs may compete at the Trial.
- 7) Should circumstances so dictate the Society in consultation with the judges, may alter the arrangements as necessary. Such changes and the circumstances surrounding them must be reported to the Kennel Club Ltd.
- 8) A dog must not compete in the same stake more than once, including special stakes.
- 9) Judges at a Trial are prohibited from entering a dog which is recorded in their ownership or part ownership.
- 10) If the entries in the Companion Dog (CD) Stake exceed 20, a second judge may be appointed to judge the Group IV exercises and competitors notified accordingly.
- 11) Not for competition entries are not accepted
- 12) No modification will be made to this schedule except by permission of the General Committee of the Kennel Club Ltd, which will be followed by advertisement in the Canine Press whenever possible.
- 13) OWNERS LIABILITY: Owners must accept full liability for any injury to persons or damage to property caused by their dogs, and entries are accepted on the basis of owners indemnifying the Society and its Officers against all claims in respect thereof.
- 14) WELFARE OF DOGS: An exhibitor (or competitor) whose dog is entered at a Kennel Club Ltd licensed event should take all reasonable steps to ensure the needs of their dogs, are met, and should not put their dogs health and welfare at risk by any action, default, omission, or otherwise. A breach in this Regulation may be referred to the General Committee for disciplinary action under Kennel Club Ltd Rules and Regulations
- 15) In the event that a competitor's entry cheque is not honoured by their bank, YWTS will require the competitor to reimburse the Society of any charges accrued.
- 16) In the event the show/trial is cancelled due to unforeseen circumstances, the Society will refund fees, on receipt of a SAE submitted within one month of the show/trial date.
- 17) Spayed bitches and castrated dogs may compete at the trial.
- 18) The mating of bitches within the precincts of the competition is forbidden.
- 19) One close fitting smooth collar must be worn, providing the only attachment is a form of identification. Dogs must not wear any type of slip or half slip collar when under test.
- 20) No dog suffering from any infectious or contagious disease or having been exposed to such disease during the period of 21 days prior to the trial may compete. Competitors infringing this regulation will be liable to be fined and/or dealt with under KC rule A11.

CLASSIFICATION and DEFINITIONS OF STAKES

1. When entering for Championship or Open Working Trials, wins at Members Working Trials will not count.
2. No dog entered in PD or TD Stakes at a Championship Trial shall be eligible to enter in any other Stake at the meeting.
3. Societies may schedule stakes other than those defined below. The eligibility for the "special" stakes must be defined by the society, and included in the schedule. The word "special" must be included in the title of the stake.
4. No Working Trial Stake shall be limited to less than 30. If a limit is imposed on entries in a stake, it shall be carried out by ballot after the date of closing of entries. Championship TD and PD Stakes shall not be limited to numbers.

INTRODUCTORY STAKE

For dogs which have not qualified CDEX or UDEX dogs in this stake may also enter the CD Stake.

COMPANION DOG STAKE (C.D.)

For dogs which have not qualified or obtained a Certificate of Merit in WD, PD or TD Stake at Open or Championship Working Trials.

UTILITY DOG STAKE (U.D.)

For dogs which have not been awarded a Certificate of Merit in WD, PD or TD Stakes.

WORKING DOG STAKE (W.D.)

For dogs which have been awarded a Certificate of Merit in UD Stakes but not in PD or TD Stakes.

TRACKING DOG STAKE (TD)

For dogs which have been awarded a Certificate of Merit in WD Stakes but excluding those that have qualified TD Ex.

PATROL DOG STAKE (PD)

For dogs which have qualified WD Excellent at a Championship Trial but excluding dogs that have qualified PD Excellent at a Championship Trial.

The schedule of points and notes for guidance of Competitors at Working Trials may be obtained from the Kennel Club Ltd, 1-5 Clarges Street, Piccadilly, London, W1J 8AB.

WELFARE OF DOGS

An exhibitor or competitor whose dog is entered at a KC licensed event should take all reasonable steps to ensure the needs of their dog(s) are met, and such not knowingly but their dogs health and welfare at risk by any action, default, omission or otherwise. A breach of this regulation may be referred to the Board for disciplinary action under the KC rules and regulations. The use of pinch collars, electric shock collars or prong collars is not permitted at any working trials event licensed by The KC. This shall apply at the venue and within the precincts of the trial.