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AGILITY THIS MONTH

By Karen de wit



Spring is in the air – well we hope so!! A bit of wind to dry up our sodden grounds would be nice

I have a puppy again – well actually Zinc will be 12 months old this month, so I guess he isn't really a puppy!! Anyway, having a puppy is such fun. For them everything is a new experience. Today we saw people jumping on a trampoline on our walk and he thought after looking at them bouncing up and down – Oh yowl-howl-yowl!!! And then some more looking and we moved on.

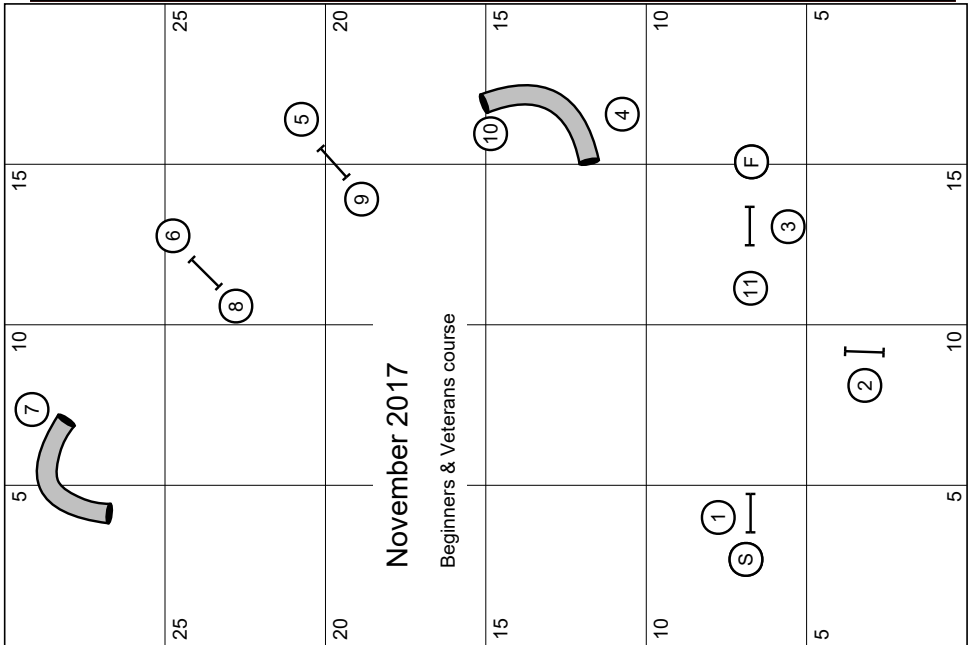
Our walks are bouncy-bouncy-bouncy – mainly on a loose lead but transitioning between in front and nearly pulling to beside me and perfect!! Our walks compromise quite a little training session. We have sits of course, and waits while I walk around. Then heeling is essential. About turns left and

about turns right, RallyO left about turns as well. Then we have walk nicely on my right, as well as my left. Then of course the odd spin left and right!!

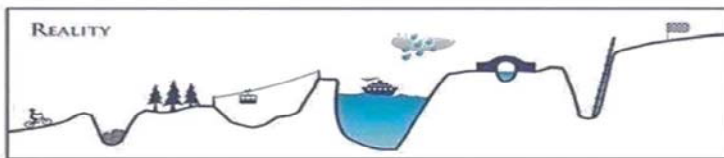
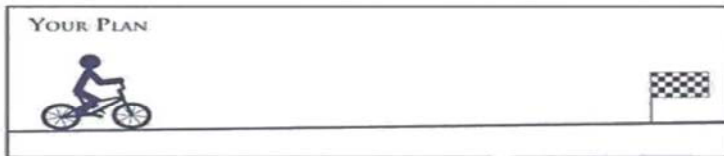
I have entered him in RallyO in November and December so we have something to work towards which is really cool!! December is NZARO rally so we will need to add the ladder, a ramp on the ground and a few other change of sides moves!! In addition to all this our Club will be running Canine good Citizen this month so we are working on good manners through a door. Food manners is in progress, "No, you cannot lick off the plate (unless its on the ground and I have said you can!!)". Agility-specific behaviours have included walking backwards, targeting, leadouts and cavalettis. Next month I am looking at getting out channel weave too, and some more contact foundation.

November 2017

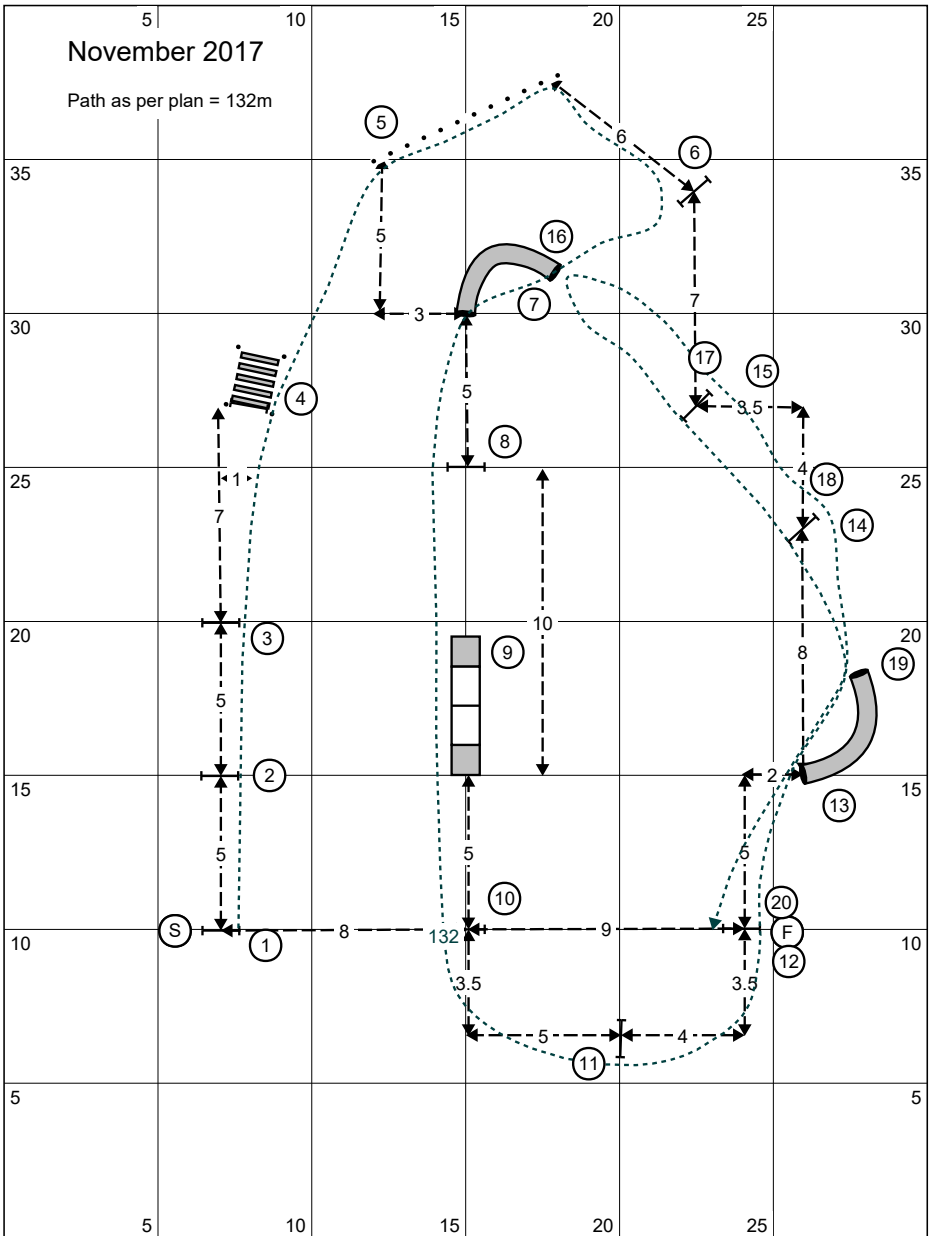
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Training a dog.

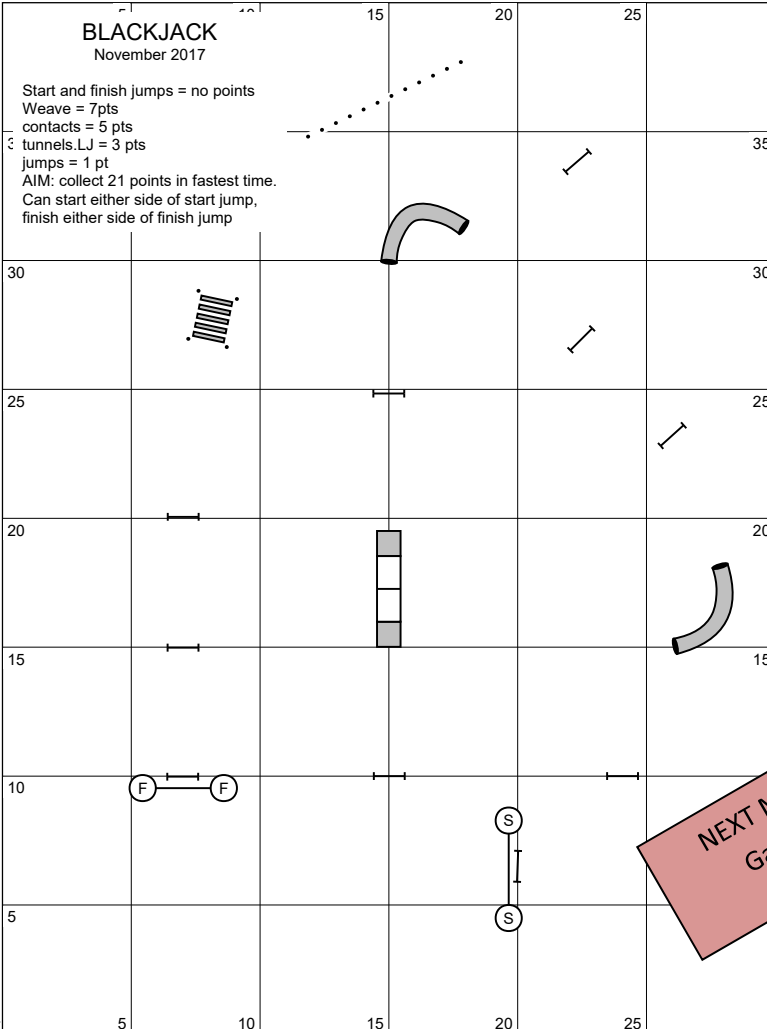


November Course



NOV GAME: BlackJack

This is a game where you gain points by negotiating obstacles correctly. The aim is to gain exactly 21 points. The start and finish obstacles **are not worth points at the start or finish** (but the start can be worth 1 point during the Game). Doing the finish jump always ends the game.



NEXT MONTH:
Gamblers

New Zealand Association of Rally-O

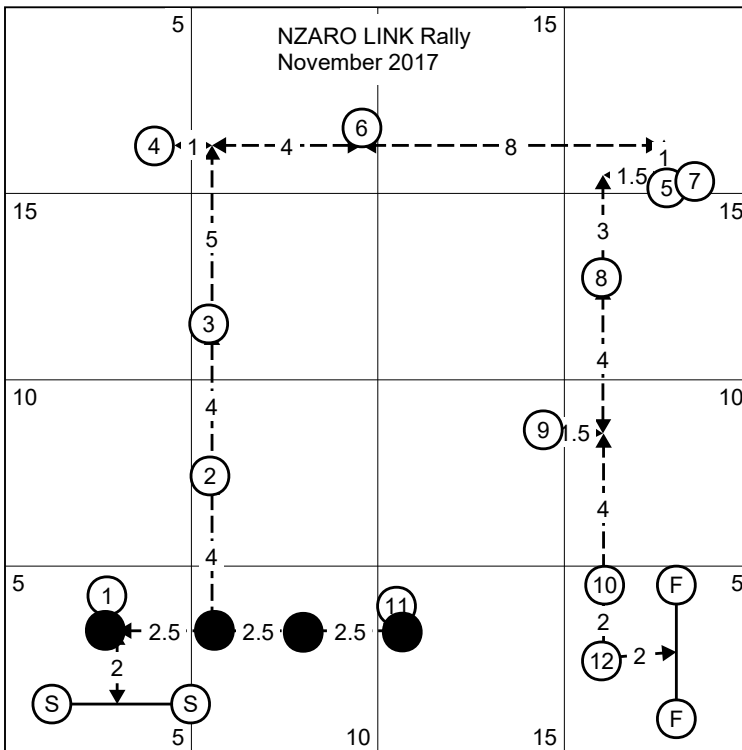
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SIGNS (NZARO signs at www.nzaro.webs.com)

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|--------------------------------------|---|
| 1. st figure 8 weave twice (23) | 8. moving side step right (20) |
| 2. 360 right(11) | 9. halt sit(3) |
| 3. Call front finish right halt (15) | 10. right turn (5) |
| 4. 270 left (10) | 11. NZARO figure of eight (N1) |
| 5. left about turn (29) | 12. Call front finish right forward(13) . |
| 6. left about turn (29) | |
| 7. 270left (10) | |



RALLY-O RESULTS.

Pl	Club	Team members	Score	Time
1	Wairarapa	Donna Garrity & Mack, Nicky Detheridge-Davies & Rufus, Robin Gemmill & Col	100.0	250.520
2	Upper Hutt	Karen de Wit & Dee, Karen de Wit & Quick, Jane Aukett & Holly	100.0	264.710
3	Hawkes Bay	Chrissy Harris & Misty, Jackie Olley & Zac, Anne Baxter & Floyd	100.0	293.316
4	Central ADTS	Vivienne Lewis & Winter, Johanna Mennell & Ruby, Jan Voss & Maple	100.0	295.020
5	Canterbury COC	Helen Scott & Mac, Helen Scott & Harry, Kelly Walker & Gael	99.7	320.660
6	Sunshine Whk	Maree Boreham & Ebony, Helen Barnes & Cookie, Trish Funnell & Bryn	98.3	310.340
7	Norwest	Rosalind Walkington & Fletcher, Rosalind Walkington & Katie, Karen Smith & Lottie	96.0	283.820

FLYGILITY comment

WHAT ABOUT VETERANS NALA FLYGILITY?

Just when inspiration fails me a couple of things usually crop up. I keep forgetting to find out what happened at the last NZFDA AGM. The Association used to furnish me with a list of new Champs so I could contact them for a pic and a few words from the achievers, but that doesn't seem to happen anymore. So if you have received a Champion or more over this last year would you please send me a photo and a little bit about you and your dog. email raewyn@dogsplay.co.nz. I would love to put them into the Nala Mag.

Then the other day my 'Messenger' went ding and there was Sandra Mohekey wondering how I would feel about Veterans Nala Fly. Wonderful, fantastic, feedback, some one thinking about Nala Fly Hooray, Great, Marvellous.

So this is our joint decision on the subject:

Starting December courses for the rest of the Nala Year. This will be a trial run with a full year to follow if there are sufficient enthusiastic entrants.

The courses will be as drawn. Veterans can choose which height they run on. You cannot run both the normal scoring courses and Veterans. Dog must be 8 years and retired 6 months from NZFDA Competitions.

At the end of the year ribbons awarded to the top 10%.

Results to Sandra Mohekey e runaone@cheerful.com as listed in the Nala Magazine.

So isn't that great. Our Club have 4 suitable dogs who really are not competitive at regular Nala Fly anymore. Please join in if you have an older dog. If you have an older dog who doesn't normally compete in Nala that's fine as long as you are a Nala Member..

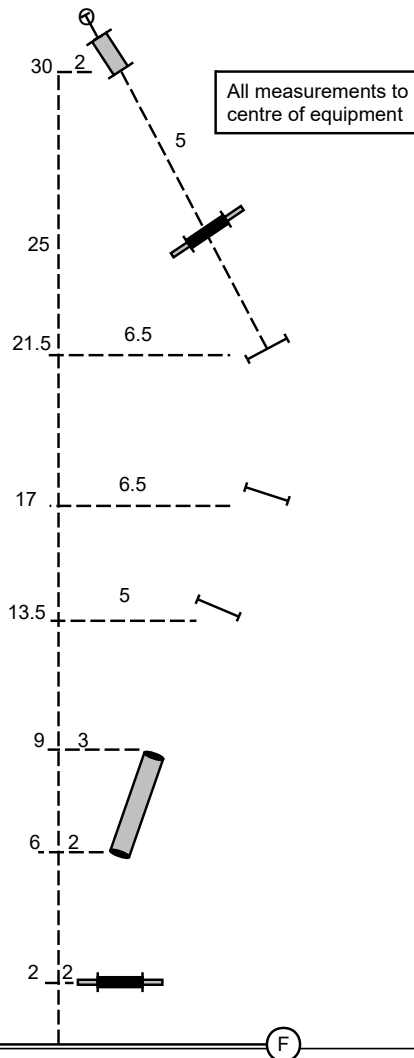
Part two of my inspiration came from Page 3 September Nala Mag. Karen de Wit has a few words on the subject of being enthusiastically greeted by her canine family members when she gets home from wherever.

Canine Good Citizen would say that over-greeting, jumping up, barking, whining, grabbing bits of clothing, circling, panting, appearing stressed/aggressive are faults that should never be encouraged. However, like Karen I don't mind a bit of excitement from my dogs at the end of a separation. My lot are sometimes free in the driveway when I arrive home in the truck and they go nuts on the other side of the gate. I ask for a down from everyone while I open the gate. I get a roll over and give a tummy tickle, and I always leave the drivers door open on the ute. 'Get in the Truck' and I am forgotten as they all tumble into the truck and go over the seats and the floor looking for crumbs from my lunch and tear up an empty pie bag if there is one, finally just lying on the seats contentedly as I proceed to drive down the driveway. I leave them in the truck while I unpack and they are generally happy to stay there as long as I will let them. They are calm by now and ready for a normal greeting. I strongly believe in consistent little rituals like this.

As a trainer I get a number of calls from people wanting to know how to release their dog from a pen, kennel and run or crate at the end of a working day. Some of the dogs' antics are crazy/dangerous. So we talk about a thing called 'draw a line in the sand'. What behavior do you want/find acceptable when you release your dog and it is greeting time.? When we have established a midway point where the dog gets to express itself and the owner in their good clothes is still in one piece, then we train for that behavior. As soon as you have a measure of control with a down and a little food treat then as quickly as possible a couple of ball throws is good. Often all day confinement presents another reason for the stressed greeting. Doggy is busting to use the loo!! After a lovely long pee and maybe something else, our doggy happily brings back his ball and gets his 'Good Dog ' greeting from his best friend..

I reckon we should all be grateful to our dog for not caring how bad the day was. You are home now and all is well. Good on you Karen a little madness in the middle of our busy lives is a wonderful thing.

STANDARD FLYGILITY COURSE
S039 - Nov 2017
Raewyn Saville



AGILITY RESULTS.

Division1

Wairarapa	Brazil ADX JDX	Dianne REID	16.903	52.617
	Jay	Stacie CLARK	17.632	
	Tasman ADXG JDX	Sharleen DRUMMOND	18.082	
East BOP	Joy ADXG JDX	Tina MITCHELL	17.160	54.980
	Edge	Sue WHITWELL	18.720	
	Cola	Eileen GOLDSMITH	19.100	
Mt Maunganui 1	Epic JDX	Fiona DENTON	18.251	56.777
	Trix ADX JD	Hayley ANDREW	18.545	
	Beta ADXG JAB	Deb JACKSON	19.981	
Hawkes Bay	Q T Pi ADXG JDX	Sharon SIMONSEN	17.328	56.939
	Abby ADXG JDX SN	Lex CLARE	19.415	
	Misty CGCG ADX J	Chrissy HARRIS	20.196	
Mangawhai	Breeze ADXS JDX	Annette FLANNAGAN	19.190	59.440
	Belle ADX FD	Carol TAYLOR	19.850	
	Poppy ADXB JDX	Lauren MEYERS	20.400	
Cambridge	Spark ADXG JAG S	Julie McCONKEY	18.195	60.405
	Lilly ADXG JDS J	Robyn BRETTELL	20.996	
	Ethel	Frankie HUDDART	21.214	
Upper Hutt 1	Holly CGCF ADXG	Jane AUKETT	21.487	69.358
	Feergus ADXB JDB	Anne PACKER	21.531	
	Finn ADXG JDX JA	Karen de WIT	26.340	
Central HB	Izzy JDX	Joanne LITTLE	18.068	72.181
	Poppi	Katrina ALEXANDER	19.225	
	Dot AD	Jill PAYNE	34.888	

Division2

1	Huntly	Teal ADXB JD George JD Buster	Kim ORLANDO-REEP Dr John GATES Richard SHEPARD	19.257 20.622 23.170	63.049
2	Sth Canterbury	Manu JD Riki Ziggy ADXG JDG J	Jenny D'ARCY Kate BUTLER Jenny D'ARCY	20.644 22.049 22.922	65.615
3	CCATS	Bazil ADXG JD J Hawkeye Halo AD JD JAB	Helen LAPPIN Kathryn SNOOK Helen LAPPIN	20.697 22.546 23.029	66.272
4	Nelson 2	Brandi ADXA Bron Split ADXS JD Gerry JD	Nikki STEYN Kathryn KONIECZNY Sarah COLE	18.615 24.962 25.593	69.170
5	Mt Maunganui 2	Dexter AD JD Buddy Paddy	Dani KONINGSVELD Maggie MARRINER Justine DALE	19.541 25.225 25.426	70.192
6	Selwyn	Swag JD Kemo Zuki ADX JD	Jessica TANSEY Steve TANSEY Darren JOHNSTON	18.925 27.336 32.247	78.508

Division3

1	Tauranga 3	Snoop AD JD Kobi ADXG JDG SN Cricket ADX JD	Bernice SHEARMAN Jocelyn JENSEN Cherie SAUNDERS	19.858 21.423 23.431	64.712
2	Whangarei	Kobi CGCB AD JD Bilbo AD JD Misty	Jo NICHOLSON Anne COZENS Barbara PROUT	21.910 22.740 24.400	69.050
3	Blenheim 3	Mindy Crystal JD Karma	Jennifer BULLAS-EVEREST Wendy REYNOLDS Claire BROOKS	21.783 24.936 25.182	71.901

4	Upper Hutt 3	Taco Cameo AD RA Cash JD	Darren LILLEY Gillian CRUICKSHANK Wayne TURNER	19.332 26.679 27.894	73.905
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Division4

1	Nelson 4	Bob JD Remi Zsizi	Linda HUMPHRIES Emma EGGERS Lizzi GILLARD	18.807 20.134 21.921	60.862
2	CHB Orange Roughies	Scout Cricket ADX JDX Storm	Jaimee ALEXANDER Brooke LITTLE Christine HARBER	20.748 22.425 23.418	66.591
3	Tokoroa	Rocky ADXG JAX F Zoe ADXG JDX JAS Lexi JD FDX	Paul NEEDHAM Paul NEEDHAM Paul NEEDHAM	19.912 20.064 28.654	68.630
4	Hawera 4	Moss JD Joy JD Joey	Diane HAYDON Kirsten PIERSON Kirsten PIERSON	19.091 27.644 30.746	77.481
5	South Rangitikei	Blaze ADX JDX Fya ADXB JDX Niko ADXG JDX	Lynda CUMMINS Lynda CUMMINS Sandra MOHEKEY	21.030 31.620 32.440	85.090
6	Tauranga 4	Fern JD Dottie Hugo	Jocelyn JENSEN Rozie DUNFORD Sue FOSTER	23.853 31.144 32.429	87.426
7	Gizzy	Blaze AD JD Tank AD Girl	Kirsten INGOE Penny BUSHELL Kim EDWARDS	23.710 25.540 45.430	94.680
8	Dog Sport Rotorua	Sophie Chip Grace	Debbie TRIMBACH Raewyn SAVILLE Sharon BROSNAHAN	38.340 38.590 42.650	119.580

GAMES RESULTS.

JUMPERS PAIRS - SEPTEMBER 2017

MAXI					
1	Arrow	Sandra Mohekey	Sth Rangī	0	23.48
2	Ali	Pete de Wit	UHDC	0	27.531
3	Blaze	Linda Cummins	Sth Rangī	0	29.19
4	Niko	Sandra Mohekey	Sth Rangī	0	29.19
5	Tayghen	Martin Bush	EBOP	0	34.14
6	Trick	Joanne Allan	EBOP	0	34.14
7	Ziggy	Sue Andresen	Mt M'ganui DTC	0	36.165
8	Lucy	Trish Bush	EBOP	0	36.19
9	Yay-lo	Joanne Allan	EBOP	0	36.19
10	Rogue	Trish Bush	EBOP	0	40.6
11	Quinta	Joanne Allan	EBOP	0	40.6
12	Mono	Jane Ocallaghan	UHDC	5	30.435
13	Ginny	Jo Moody	Hawera	5	32.184
14	Typhoon	Chris Moody	Hawera	5	32.184
15	Trix	Hayley Andrew	Mt M'ganui DTC	5	33.153
16	Chip	Raewyn Saville	Dog Sports Rotorua	5	47.19
17	Ace	Stephanie McCarty	Mt M'ganui DTC	25	44.576
18	Cash	Wayne Turner	UHDC	555	
18	Thane	Jorja Mulholland	UHDC	555	
18	Indie	Steve Davies	Mt M'ganui DTC	555	
18	Glen	Justine Dale	Mt M'ganui DTC	555	
18	Blaze	Shelley Stewart	Mt M'ganui DTC	555	
18	Big Bad Wolf	Judy Towers	Hawera	555	
18	Richie	Jen Kemp	Hawera	555	
18	Abby	Carol Galliers	Hawera	555	
18	Moss	Diane Haydon	Hawera	555	
18	Joy	Kirsten Piersten	Hawera	555	
18	Boston	Chris Hutchings	Dog Sports Rotorua	555	
18	Sophie	Debbie Trimbach	Dog Sports Rotorua	555	

MEDIUM					
1	Fya	Linda Cummins	Sth Rangī	0	23.48
2	Finn	Karen de wit	UHDC	0	27.531
3	Monti	Chris Kenny	Mt M'ganui DTC	0	35.222
4	Cheeky	Deb Jackson	Mt M'ganui DTC	0	35.222
5	Beta	Deb Jackson	Mt M'ganui DTC	0	36.165
6	Ash	Kirsten Ingoe	Gisborne	0	38.47
7	Tank	Penny Bushell	Gisborne	0	38.47
8	Taco	Darren Lilley	UHDC	5	30.435
9	Molly	Sue Warrander	Dog Sports Rotorua	5	47.19
10	Inky	Mandy Ward	Mt M'ganui DTC	25	44.576
11	Rider	Margaret Lilley	UHDC	555	
11	Ray	Anneke Lilley	UHDC	555	
11	Stacey	Fiona Turnr	UHDC	555	
11	Maldy	Stephanie McCarty	Mt M'ganui DTC	555	
11	Rojo	Malcolm Ward	Mt M'ganui DTC	555	
11	Karrie	Diane Haydon	Hawera	555	
11	Belle	Judy Towers	Hawera	555	

SMALL					
1	Holly	Jane Aukett	UHDC	0	35.61
2	Sky	Gillian Cruickshank	UHDC	0	35.61
3	Bobby	Jane Aukett	UHDC	0	39.725
4	Cameo	Gillian Cruickshank	UHDC	0	39.725
5	Eddie	Kirsten Piersten	Hawera	0	40.868
6	Mony	Carol Galliers	Hawera	0	40.868
7	Fergus	Anne Packer	UHDC	0	50.701
8	Monty	Trix Jaggi	UHDC	0	50.701
9	Caesar	Clint perkins	UHDC	0	51.368
10	Faith	Sue Boyle	UHDC	0	51.368
11	Tegan	Tracy Swart	Mt M'ganui DTC	0	54.12
12	Bess	Dave Swinyard	Mt M'ganui DTC	0	54.12
13	Boo	Raewyn Saville	Dog Sports Rotorua	0	55.66
14	Gracie	Sharon Brosnahan	Dog Sports Rotorua	0	55.66
15	Patrick	Justine Dale	Mt M'ganui DTC	5	33.153

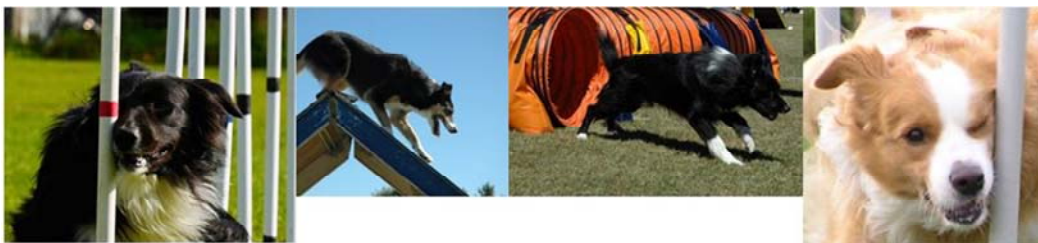
16	Tink	Jane Ocallaghan	UHDC	35	54.984
17	Smudge	Erin Mulholland	UHDC	555	555
17	Kahli	Mandy Ward	Mt M'ganui DTC	555	555
17	Lena	Viv Pert	Hawera	555	
17	Joey	Kirsten Piersten	Hawera	555	
17	Evea	Kirsten Piersten	Hawera	555	

FLYGILITY RESULTS.

1	Taranaki BeeGees	26.424	Willow JD Dazzle UDX CD Blue JD	Sandra BANKS Laurel AUSTIN Lynn PILLETTE
2	Ball fighters	26.600	Blaze ADX JDX Fya ADXB JDX Meg	Lynda CUMMINS Lynda CUMMINS Nichola COLE
3	Selwyn Stars	27.000	Zuki ADX JDX Pippin Tess JD	Darren JOHNSTON Sue NEALE Carole LOGAN
4	Feildabull	28.660	Arrow FD Fd CH Echo Shadow FDX	Sandra MOHEKEY Nichola COLE Nichola COLE
5	Hawkes Bay 1	29.132	Cherchez Lace JD CGCB Roxy ADX	Jackie OLLEY Chrissy HARRIS Campbell LIST
6	Wairarapa 1	29.598	Jamaica ADXG JAB Jay Tasman ADXG JDX	Dianne REID Stacie CLARK Sharleen DRUMMOND
7	The BBC'S	29.946	Bounce ADXS JDX Buzz ADXG JAB Cougar AD JDX	Marie WALES Chris CHARLTON Marilyn LAMBERT
8	Upper Hutt Bombers	30.350	Cash JD FDCh Stacey FDCh Zeba	Wayne TURNER Wayne TURNER Wayne TURNER
9	Hawkes Bay 2	31.598	Chester Misty CGCG ADX J QuBa ADXS JDX	Peggy SCOTT Chrissy HARRIS Colleen O'CONNOR
10	Excitabull	32.930	Holly	Wendy COLE

		FdCh Pulse	Sandra MOHEKEY
		Tango JD FD	Liz TOLHURST
11 Taranaki Harlequins	32.943	Gympie JD RN	Laurel AUSTIN
		Grace ADX CDX JD	Sandra BANKS
		Bella ADXB JDX	Lynn PILLETTE
12 Smooth & Rough	33.521	Piper AD JDX	Nicole BEAUMONT
		Peaches ADXG JAB	Chris CHARLTON
		Roxy ADXG TCQ JD	Marilyn LAMBERT
13 Superbulls	34.320	Fagan	Darius FELL
		Niko ADXG JDX	Sandra MOHEKEY
		FCH Chloe	Lynda CUMMINS
14	34.340	Caesar	Clint PERKINS
		Zed	Sharon HASTINGS
		Jete CGCF	Sharon HASTINGS
15 Wairarapa 2	35.798	Blast ADXG	Ana WORKMAN
		Sam ADXS JDX	Stacie CLARK
		Whizz ADX JD	Debbie PATERSON
16 Royal Mounties	36.380	Ziggy ADXG JDX	Sue ANDRESEN
		Kahli	Mandy WARD
		Bess ADXG JAX	Dave SWINYARD
17 Dog Sports Rotorua	137.190	Boston	Christine HUTCHINGS
		Sophie	Debbie TRIMBACH
		Chip	Raewyn SAVILLE
18 CHB midgets	39.946	Dot AD	Jill PAYNE
		Jack ADXG JDX FD	Chris ROSS
		Taku AD JD	Chris ROSS
19 Hawkes Bay 3	45.910	Biggie CGCG RN	Chrissy HARRIS
		Boo	Heather McGRANNACHAN
		Treason JD	Campbell LIST
20 In The Fly Zone	48.270	Little Miss Chat	Diane HAYDON
		Moss JD	Diane HAYDON
		Fizz	Carol GALLIERS
21 Wairarapa 3	51.759	Brazil ADX JDX	Dianne REID
		PhamTim	Ana WORKMAN
		Spy	Sharleen DRUMMOND
22 The Allsorts	69.041	Gemma	Natalia BEKETOVA
		CH Gator JD	Natalia BEKETOVA
		Smokey	Marie WALES
23 Dog Sports Rotorua	2110.000	Molly	Sue WARRENDER
		Grace	Sharon BROSNAHAN





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