COCHISE COUNTY 4-H DOG OBEDIENCE SCORE SHEET, NOVICE CLASS

Contestant's Number _____ Grade Division _____ Date _____

Name of Show _____ Judge _____

EXERCISES COMMANDS	Major Deduction	Minor Deduction SUBSTANTIAL / MINOR						Max Points	Points Off	NET SCORE

HEEL ON LEASH — Forward, Halt, Right turn, Left turn, About turn, Slow, Normal, Fast, Exercise finished

Heeling / Fig 8

	HL	F8	Heeling and Figure 8	HL	F8
❑ Constant tugging on leash or guiding………………………… ❑	❑	❑	Extra commands or signals…………	❑	❑
	❑	❑	No change of pace Slow /Fast……..	❑	❑
❑ Unmanageable………………… ❑	❑	❑	Handler lacks *brisk* pace……………	❑	❑
	❑	❑	Improper heel position………………	❑	❑
	❑	❑	Occasional tight leash………………	❑	❑
	❑	❑	Forging❑……… Lagging❑…………	❑	❑
❑ Handler continually adapts pace to dog…………………………….. ❑	❑	❑	Crowding handler……………………	❑	❑
	❑	❑	Heeling wide on Turns/About turn…	❑	❑
	❑	❑	No sit/Poor sit………………………	❑	❑

Max Points: **30HL**

FIGURE 8 — Forward, Halt, Exercise finished

	❑	❑	Lack of natural/smoothness………..	❑	❑
	❑	❑	Sniffing…………………………....	❑	❑
	❑	❑	Handler Error………………………	❑	❑

Max Points: **20F8**

STAND FOR EXAMINATION (off leash) — Stand your dog and leave when ready. Return to your dog. Exercise finished

Major Deduction	Minor Deduction	
❑ Shows shyness or resentment	Rough treatment to pose dog………………………	❑
	Resistance to handler posing………………………	❑
❑ Growls or snaps	Moved feet slightly before, during, after exam……	❑
	Stay command out of heel position………………	❑
❑ Lay or sat before or during examination	Extra command to Stay (verbal or physical)………	❑
	Showed minor shyness………………………	❑
	Sat as handler returns or after exam……………	❑
❑ Moves away before or during examination	Improper handler position upon return…………….	❑
	Lack of naturalness/smoothness………………….	❑
	Handler error………………………………………	❑

Max Points: **30**

HEEL FREE (Off leash) — Forward, Halt, Right turn, Left turn, About turn, Slow, Normal, Fast, Exercise finished

Major Deduction	Minor Deduction	
❑ Leaves handler	Additional commands or signals……………………	❑
	No change of pace on Slow/Fast…………………	❑
❑ Unmanageable	Handler lacks *brisk* pace………………………..	❑
	Improper heel position…………………………	❑
❑ Handler continually adapts pace to dog	Forging❑ Lagging❑…………………….	❑
	Crowding handler………………………………….	❑
	Heeling wide on Turns and About turns…………	❑
❑ Unqualified heeling	Poor sits/No sit……………………………………	❑
	Lack of naturalness/smoothness………………….	❑
	Sniffing……………………………………………	❑
	Handler error………………………………………	❑

Max Points: **30**

RECALL (off leash) — Leave your dog, Call your dog, Finish, Exercise finished

Major Deduction	Minor Deduction	
❑ Extra command or signal to stay	Stood or lay down while waiting for command	
	Slow response to command or signal	
❑ Didn't come on first command or signal	Did not come briskly	
	Did not come directly in to handler…………………	❑
	Failure to sit in front of handler	
❑ Moved from position	Sat between feet…………………………………...	❑
	Touched handler coming in………………………….	❑
	Extra com. to Stay before leaving	
❑ Anticipated recall command	Slow/Poor sit in front………………………………..	❑
	Slow finish/Poor finish………………………………	❑
❑ Sat out of reach	No sit at heel or finish	
	Touched handler on finish…………………………...	❑
	Hands not at side	
	Handler error………………………………………...	❑

Max Points: **30**

MAXIMUM SUB-TOTAL 140

LONG SIT (off Leash) (1 minute) — Sit your dog, Leave your dog, Return to dog, Exercise finished

Major Deduction	Minor Deduction	
❑ Did not remain in place	Used rough treatment or force to Sit………………	❑
	Dog resisted………………………………………..	❑
❑ Goes to another dog	Placed dog so it interfered with adjacent dog……..	❑
❑ Stood or lay down *before* handler returned	Dog moved minor distance…………………………	❑
	Minor barks or whines……………………………..	❑
	Dog changed position *after* return to Heel………..	❑
❑ Repeated barking or whining	Handler error………………………………………..	❑

Max Points: **30**

LONG DOWN (off leash) (3 minutes) — Down your dog, Leave your dog, Return to dog, Exercise finished

Major Deduction	Minor Deduction	
❑ Did not remain in place	Touched dog or collar to get dog to Down………..	❑
	Used rough treatment or force to Down…………..	❑
❑ Sat or stood *before* handler returned	Dog resisted………………………………………..	❑
	Placed dog so it interfered with adjacent dog……..	❑
❑ Goes to another dog	Dog moved minor distance………………………….	❑
	Minor barks or whines………………………………	❑
❑ Repeated barks or whines	Dog changed position ……………………………….	❑
	Handler error………………………………………..	❑

Max Points: **30**

Explanation of penalty **MAXIMUM POINTS** 200

Handler	Appropriate dress (clean, neat, safe) ❑ Less Penalty for Unusual Behavior
	Deportment❑ Grooming❑ Sportsmanship❑ Courtesy❑

Dog	Dog's lack of willingness or enjoyment of work❑ Lack of smoothness and naturalness by the handler❑	**TOTAL NET SCORE**
	H. disciplining❑ Shows fear❑ Fouling ring ❑ Excused❑	

RIBBON AWARDS (Dogs will be placed in Blue, Red and White award groups   Blue 170-200, Red 140-169, White 139 and below)

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