



2023 NATIONAL DOG SHOW

AUCKLAND

2 - 7 OCTOBER

ARDMORE, AUCKLAND



Official Schedule

IMPORTANT ENTRY INFORMATION

Enter online at www.dogsnz.org.nz.

Entries open **3 July 2023**. Online entries only, closing Friday **1 September 2023, no exceptions!**

JUDGING FORMAT 2023

Purina Pro Plan National Dog Show

Best of Group judging will be judged 4th to 1st. No reserve winners will be required. Age of Group winners will be automatic if one of the four Group places is that age.

Age of Group will be judged unless eliminated by Group winners

Best in Show judging will be the same format.

Curtain Raiser Show and Prelude Show

The regular New Zealand judging format will be used.

ENTRY

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Breed judging times: Commencing times TBA.

Report and start times: TBA.

ENTRY FEES

Breed (Prelude)	\$27.50 per entry
Breed (National)	\$27.50 per entry
Stakes (National)	\$20 for each Stake Class
Breeders Team Stakes (National)	\$20
Grooming Marquee	\$30 per day
Grooming Booked Gazebo Spaces	Premier \$30 per day Standard \$20 per day
Catalogue, NDS/Prelude Combined, Pre-ordered/printed Only	\$20

Dogs New Zealand reserves the right to re-allocate breeds and appoint replacement judges if necessary.



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Judging at breed level for the National Dog Show and the Prelude Show will run in tandem on the same day.

Best of Group for the Prelude Show will be held on that day.

All Best of Groups, Best in Show and Stakes Finals for the National Dog Show will be held on Saturday 7 October.

BREEDERS TEAM STAKES (National)

Open to breeders of any one breed, three to a maximum of five dogs or bitches not necessarily owned by the breeder but must carry the one kennel name.

Any exhibit, if over the age of seven years, need not have been entered in any breed class. One team from each group will go through to the final.

CLASSES TO BE JUDGED

Breed Classes	1, 3, 5, 6, 8, 11, 18 (Dogs) 1a, 3a, 5a, 6a, 8a, 11a, 18a (Bitches)
Stakes	Puppy Stakes 3–12 months New Zealand Bred Stakes (over 6 months) Veteran Stakes Breeders Team Stakes

Judges

See NZ Dog World's April 2023 issue for full judges' profiles.

Mr Vincent O'Brien (Ireland)

National Dog Show

Utility: All Breeds and Group judging

Terriers: All Breeds and Group judging

Best In Show

Prelude Show

Non-Sporting: All Breeds and Group judging

Mrs Annukka Segersven (Finland)

National Dog Show

Hounds: All Breeds and Group judging

Toys: All Breeds and Group judging

Prelude Show

Gundogs: All Breeds and Group judging

Terriers: All Breeds and Group judging

Best in Show

Mr Davor Javor (Croatia)

National Dog Show

Gundogs: All Breeds and Group judging

Working Dogs: All Breeds and Group judging

Prelude Show

Hounds: All Breeds and Group judging

Toys: All Breeds and Group judging

Mr Andrew Burt (Australia)

National Dog Show

Non-Sporting: All Breeds and Group judging

Prelude Show

Utility: All Breeds and Group judging

Working: All Breeds and Group judging

Mrs Louise Harris (New Zealand)

National Dog Show

Puppy, NZ Bred, Veteran and Breeder Stakes

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Judging Timetable

TUESDAY 3 OCTOBER 2023

Report and Start time TBA

NDS Hounds: Mrs Annuka Segersven, Breed judging

Prelude Hounds: Mr Davor Javor, Breed and Group judging

NDS Utility: Mr Vincent O'Brien, Breed judging

Prelude Utility: Mr Andrew Burt, Breed and Group judging

NDS Stakes & Breeders Teams for above groups: Mrs Louise Harris

WEDNESDAY 4 OCTOBER 2023

Report and Start time TBA

NDS Gundogs: Mr Davor Javor, Breed judging

Prelude Gundogs: Mrs Annuka Segersven, Breed and Group judging

NDS Stakes & Breeders Teams for above groups: Mrs Louise Harris

Junior Handler Final

Young Dog Showing Finals

THURSDAY 5 OCTOBER 2023

Report and Start time TBA

NDS Toys: Mrs Annuka Segersven, Breed judging

Prelude Toys: Mr Davor Javor, Breed and Group judging

NDS Non-Sporting: Mr Andrew Burt, Breed judging

Prelude Non-Sporting: Mr Vincent O'Brien, Breed and Group judging
NDS Stakes & Breeders Teams for above groups: Mrs Louise Harris

FRIDAY 6 OCTOBER 2023

Report and Start time TBA

NDS Terriers: Mr Vincent O'Brien, Breed judging

Prelude Terriers: Mrs Annuka Segersven, Breed and Group judging

NDS Working Dogs: Mr Davor Javor, Breed judging

Prelude Working Dogs: Mr Andrew Burt, Breed and Group judging

NDS Stakes & breeders teams for above groups: Mrs Louise Harris

Prelude Best in Show: Mrs Annuka Segersven

SATURDAY 7 OCTOBER 2023

Report and Start time TBA

All NDS judging will be live streamed on Saturday

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Group judging for all National Dog Show Groups

Stakes Finals

Purina Pro Plan National Dog Show Best in Show

Obedience TEST C Demonstration

Auckland Curtain Raiser Show

MONDAY 2 OCTOBER 2023

All Breeds Championship Show

Purina Pro Plan Auckland Exhibition Centre, Papakura/Clevedon Road, Ardmore, outdoors. Normal gazebo set-up around rings.

Online entries only at www.dogsnz.org.nz Entries close **15 September 2023.**

Breed Classes 1, 3, 5, 6, 8, 11, 18 (Dogs)
 1a, 3a, 5a, 6a, 8a, 11a, 18a (Bitches)



CURTAIN RAISER DOG SHOW 2023

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Entry Fee \$18 per class

Curtain Raiser Catalogue Emailed Free

Pre-ordered Printed Catalogue \$10

Prizes Cash and sash

Catering available

Reporting sheets will be emailed or posted.

Judges

Toys: Sandra Smid (QLD)

Terriers: Sandra Smid (QLD)

Gundogs & BIS: Nikki Lane (NSW)

Hounds: Polly Middleton (NZ)

Working Dogs & Open Stakes: Martin Hewitt (NZ)

Utility & Baby Puppy Stakes: Catherine Loft (NSW)

Non-Sporting: Donna Wright (NZ)



Information for Exhibitors

Allocation of Judges and Scheduling: The Purina Pro Plan National Dog Show Committee reserves the right to re-allocate judges and alter the scheduled order of judging should circumstances require.

This may include changing the day of judging. Any changes will be notified.

Car Parking: All carparking at the 2023 NDS is managed by the AEC committee.

Car parking in the back carpark by the building is being managed by the AEC committee and can be booked online via the Dogs NZ website when entering the shows.

Free parking is available without bookings in the front car park.

AEC paid permanent carparks are not recognised during the week of these events.

Camper van parking: Pre-booked \$25 per day. Contact Karla Magnus: karla.m@xtra.co.nz

Catering: Catering caravans and coffee stalls will be available throughout each day.

Desexed Dogs: Spayed bitches and neutered dogs can enter in Classes 18 or 18 A. Best Neuter in show will be judged 1st to 4th. Neuter reserve of group are not required for BIS judging.

Exhibitors Timetable: Will be posted out.

No crates are permitted in the building. Dogs may only enter the building prior to their breed judging and must leave after judging. Trolleys are permitted in the relevant holding ring while the breed is being judged.

Grooming Areas: Grooming spaces are available. Marquee grooming spaces are \$30 per day and must be pre-booked. Gazebo spaces: Premium \$30 per day, Standard \$20 per day. Bookings for all grooming spaces can be made by contacting Rhonda Ward: NDSGrooming2023@gmail.com

Stakes Classes: Exhibits entered in a breed class at the National Dog Show may be entered in a stakes class for which they are qualified. The classes are:

- Puppy Stakes: All breeds of puppies aged 3-12 calendar months on the first day of the show
- NZ Bred Stakes: All breeds of NZ bred dogs aged 6 months and over.
- Veteran Stakes: For dogs/bitches over the age of seven years
- Breeders Team Stakes

Trophies: An extensive range of ribbons, cups and prizes will be offered for competition.

Venue: Purina Pro Plan Auckland Exhibition Centre Papakura/ Clevedon Road Ardmore



National Dog Show 2023 site plan.



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NDS 2023 Management Details

With the formal opening of entries for the Purina Pro Plan National Dog Show, the organising committee provides these additional notes to assist members to understand how NDS will be managed at Ardmore.

Ardmore Venue Set-up

To allow members to understand how the Ardmore indoor venue will be used to accommodate NDS 2023, we have provided scaled plans of the venue for both NDS and Prelude shows, and the BIS layout on Saturday 7 October 2023. See the two plans within this article, or visit:

NDS: www.dogsnz.org.nz/pdfs/nds-floorplan-daytime.pdf

BIS: www.dogsnz.org.nz/pdfs/nds-floorplan-bis.pdf

It is important to note that crates will **not** be permitted within the indoor venue at any time during NDS.

Grooming Spaces During NDS

To accommodate the grooming needs of entrants, the event will have three separate areas where members can book grooming spaces. A plan is printed below or can be downloaded from www.dogsnz.org.nz/pdfs/nds-gazebos-marquee.pdf. Alongside the amenities building veranda, we will have erected a large marquee, complete with raised flooring, where members can book grooming spaces. Grooming spaces will be 2m x 1.5m per space. Walkways into the exhibition building will be provided to ensure weather protection. Marquee grooming spaces must be pre-booked.

We will also be providing 3 x 3 metre Premium gazebo spaces to allow exhibitors to erect their own gazebos. In this area, all walkways will have raised flooring to allow access to the exhibition area without walking on the grassed area. Premium spaces must be pre-booked.

In addition, members will be able to book regular gazebo spaces to erect their own gazebos. However, these areas will not have raised walkway access to the building and will require their dogs to walk on the grass walkways. Regular gazebo spaces must be pre-booked.

Car Parking Spaces

Members who wish to reserve a car space will be able to book a parking space in the rear carpark. Bookings will provide entry to the rear carpark where an attendant will manage the allocation of the parking spaces. An area will be set aside for members with a carpark booking as an unloading area in the rear carpark.

Regular paid carpark spaces will not be available during NDS week.

Members who do not wish to book a carpark will be able to park free in the front carpark. An unloading zone for the front carpark will be established on the hard stand in front of the barn and toilet complex.

Bookings must be made via the Dogs NZ website when entering the shows.

Camping During the NDS

Only vehicles that are certified as self-contained are permitted to book to camp. Vehicles that book a space are prohibited from discharging grey waste on the property. A dump station and water replenishment are available nearby, 10 minutes' drive from Purina Pro Plan Auckland Exhibition Centre. Camping bookings can be made by emailing Karla Magnus at Karla.m@xtra.co.nz

Trade Stalls

A variety of trade stalls have already been booked. If your business would like to book a trade stand, please contact Karla Magnus at Karla.m@xtra.co.nz

National Dog Show Ribbon Sponsorship

The National Dog Show committee is seeking ribbon sponsorship for the upcoming NDS in Auckland, for both breeds and Groups. Sponsorship can be credited to individuals, kennels or clubs. All ribbon sponsors will be recognised on the Best of Breed ribbon and in the NDS catalogue.

If you or your club would like to support the National Dog Show through ribbon sponsorship, breed ribbon sponsorships are available at \$68.54 per breed or \$100 per group. Bookings can be made by emailing Kimberley Burton at sales@caranz.co.nz to secure a booking. 🐾



Monday: Curtain Raiser Show, normal ring format
 Tuesday—Friday: Specialty Show rings



National Dog Show 2023 floor plan, marquee and gazebos.

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Purina Pro Plan National Dog Show 2023

Obedience and Rally-O

Obedience and Rally-O are returning to the National Dog Show at the Purina Pro Plan Auckland Exhibition Centre, Ardmore in October 2023. Due to the limited time and space at the Ardmore venue, these will be invitational events rather than full open-entry Championship Shows and will include only Obedience Novice, Test B and Test C, and Rally-O Advanced and Excellent. These will all be held on the same day, **Wednesday 4 October**, in the same ring in the order below.



Obedience Rules and Selection Criteria (subject to change)

- This will be an invitational event rather than a full open-entry Championship Show and will include only Novice, Test B and Test C.
- Challenge certificates and winners' certificates will not be issued but there will be ribbons, product and prizes for place-getters and the National Dog Show Test C cup will be awarded to the winner of the Test C competition.
- Eligibility is at 1 October 2022.
- The Dogs NZ Obedience results will be used from 1 October 2022 up to 5 June 2023 (the day after King's Birthday Monday).
- The results over this period will be used to compile the highest points for the three tests for each dog in the results ranking.
- The handlers/owners of the first 15 dogs in the rankings for each of the three tests will be invited to attend and compete at the National Dog Show.
- When someone declines, the next person on the list will be invited until we have 15 dogs/people accept (or potentially fewer than 15 depending on how many decline).

Rally-O Rules and Selection Criteria (subject to change)

- Only Rally-O Advanced and Rally-O Excellent will be held (no A and B split) and will be held in that order after the completion of Obedience Test C (Wednesday afternoon start).
- The events will be eligible for the issue of qualifying certificates. Ribbons, product and prizes will be awarded.
- Eligibility is at 1 October 2022. All dogs eligible for Advanced A or B are eligible for the Advanced event and all dogs eligible for Excellent A or B are eligible for the Excellent event.
- Prospective competitors will be asked to submit an application to enter along with their dog's scores in Championship Rally-O Advanced and Excellent events for the period 1 October 2022 to 5 June 2023.
- Applications will be reviewed, and dogs will be ranked in Rally-O Advanced and Excellent according to their results with up to 15 dogs selected in each of the two events. 🐾

