

OBEDIENCE TEAM CLASSES

AMERICAN BELGIAN MALINOIS CLUB

NATIONAL SPECIALTY ~ WEDNESDAY, MAY 3, 2023

- ** Novice class level (Heel on Leash; Figure Eight; Stand for Examination; Heel Free; Drop on Recall; Sit Stay –Get Your Leash; Group Exercise –Sit & Down Stay)
- ** Team Class is a non-regular class.
- ** Four (4) dogs on a team, but five (5) can be entered with one (1) considered as an alternate. No entry fee owed for the fifth dog.
- ** Entry fee: \$40.00 per team (\$10.00 per dog/handler)
- ** Each dog can only be on one team.
- ** Prizes: Non-regular class ribbons
- ** Two (2) judges will be involved –one calling the orders while the other judge scores each team’s performances. Teams will be judged one at a time, except for the group exercises. The dogs on a team will perform the exercises simultaneously and will be judged as specified for the NOVICE class, except that a Drop on Recall will be used in place of the Recall exercise. In all exercises, except the Drop on Recall, the teams have the option of executive the judge’s orders on the team captain’s repeat of the command.
- ** Individual dogs’ scores will be based on the performance of the dogs & handlers individually plus team precision & coordination. Each dog/handler will be scored against the customary maximum team total of 800 available points. Individual dog’ scores need not be recorded.

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### **~ OBEDIENCE TEAM REGISTRATION FORM ~**

Please complete an AKC entry form for each team dog and attach to this form. The entry fee is \$40.00 per team per trial.

TEAM NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

| <u>Running Order</u> | <u>Handler’s Name</u> | <u>Dog’s Call Name</u> | <u>Dog’s AKC Registration Number</u> |
|----------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| #1                   | _____                 | _____                  | _____                                |
| #2                   | _____                 | _____                  | _____                                |
| #3                   | _____                 | _____                  | _____                                |
| #4                   | _____                 | _____                  | _____                                |

Alternate #5 (if needed/not required):

#5 \_\_\_\_\_