

2022 Ultimate Air Dogs Event Rules for Dominion Energy Riverrock

1. Female dogs in heat are banned from the event premises at all times.
2. Dogs must be AT LEAST 6 months old and know how to swim.
3. Only ONE dog may be off lead at a time.
 - a. This is the dog whose turn it is on the dock. All other dogs must remain either on lead or kenneled at all times.
 - b. It is your responsibility to watch that the dog on the dock is back on lead before unleashing your dog.
 - c. NO RETRACTABLE LEASHES.
4. No abusive treatment of dogs will be permitted during or outside of competition.
 - a. This includes any harsh correction and collar jerks.
 - b. No pushing or pulling the dog up the stairs or into the pool. (The dog MUST go in on its own accord for the jump to be scored.)
 - c. "Training collars" are not allowed on the dock. This includes but is not limited to prong collars, pinch/choke collars and/or electronic collars. Nothing may be hanging off of collars, either.
 - d. DO NOT PUSH YOUR DOG OFF THE DOCK!
 - e. We retain the right to ask anyone to leave at our discretion.
5. There may be 2 handlers on the dock, one to hold the dog while the other "handles" the dog.
6. Respect the personal space of all others.
 - a. When in line, it is your responsibility to be aware of the dog and human in front of you and behind you, keeping your dog out of reach of all others.
 - b. When leading your dog, be aware of all other dogs and humans around you.
 - c. When in the Staging area, please do not touch the property of others without permission. This includes (but is not limited to) dogs, kennels and all other belongings.
7. Pick up all of your waste.
 - a. We retain the right to ask anyone who has not picked up their dog's waste, to leave the event.
 - b. You are responsible for bringing bags to pick up after your dog(s). Bags are sometimes available at the Registration desk, if you forgot yours. (Hand sanitizer is also usually available.)
 - c. This also includes any garbage you or your family may accumulate while at the event, i.e. Beverage bottles, paper products, etc...
8. There will be a designated Staging Area at events.
 - a. You are encouraged to bring a kennel, doggy waste bags, food, treats, water, bowls, towels, blankets, toys, an emergency medical kit and/or anything else necessary for your dog's comfort and care while at the event. NOTE: WE DO NOT PROVIDE TOYS.
 - b. All of these things should remain within the Staging area, which is adjacent to the pool dock.
9. All competitors and staff must conduct themselves in a civilized manner which reflects the values of Ultimate Air Dogs.
 - a. Unsportsmanlike behavior will not be accepted.
 - b. Common sense prevails.

10. If you are participating in our UKC program, you MUST submit your UKC# upon registering for each event. Otherwise, your scores will not be submitted to the UKC.

11. CHECK---IN PROCEDURES

- a. During your first time on site at the event, everyone MUST first check in at the main Riverrock Registration tent at Historic Tredegar.
- b. Everyone MUST check---in with the Secretary near the pool dock at least 30 minutes before EACH activity on the event schedule, even if you have registered. Otherwise, you will not be included in the running order. Additions will not be made after the activity has begun.
- c. Everyone MUST sign a Liability Waiver ONCE per event, the first time that they check---in.

12. Have Fun and be Safe!