Louganis

Louganis is like a curious mixture of Power and Speed and Time Warp or Call Direct and Send. The course begins with the untimed performance of two contact obstacles. The dog's time will begin only when he crosses the starting line after the second contact obstacle. However, bonus points may be earned if the handler advances beyond any of the three handler containments shown on the course, marked by the letters "A", "B", "C". Containment A will earn the dog 5 bonus points. Line B earns the dog 10 points and line C will earn the dog 20 bonus points. Should the dog fail to perform the contact obstacles correctly all bonus points are lost. Although the opening is not timed, the handler will forfeit any possible bonus if he returns to reset a dog left behind. The timer will indicate the start of judging by declaring "Ready" to the handler awaiting the start of his course. The dog receives only one attempt at earning bonus points.

The bonuses are "all or nothing". No faults will be given the dog for missing a contact or failing to perform one of the contact obstacles. The dog simply does not earn any bonus points.

Time--Time starts when the dog performs the first jump and stops with the last jump. Electronic timing will be used. There is no time for the bonus attempt.

Scoring

Louganis is scored Time plus Faults less Bonus.

5 faults for dropped bars and wrong courses

20 faults for failure to perform

Elimination for two or more failures

Refusals are not faulted.

The dog with the lowest score wins.

Qualifying

Qualifying will be based upon a standard course time for the dog's level using the yps table from TDAA rules v 3.1. The course will be measured and a time calculated once the course is built. A score equal to or less than the sct is required to qualify at all levels.

10 20 30 40 50

A5

B10

70   70

C20

60   60

TS

1   S

S   50
                                                        2
F   F
15

4   40

14
                                                        3

5   30
13

6

7   8

12   20

Seating and crating
                                                        10
                                                        9

11   10

RS   30   40