

National K9 Dock League Rules

National K9 Dock League is a Dock Diving League partnering with International Dog Sports. The goal of National K9 Dock League is to bring you and your club a Friendly Competitive Dock League and build a local community.

Clubs- You need at least 8 Teams to form a club, A team is 1 dog and 1 Handler, You are allowed to have a holder on the dock. Each club needs at least 1 day a month to record their jumps for League Nights. Each club is competing as a whole team to face off against every other club across the country and facing off head to head!! **YOU DO NOT NEED TO OWN A FACILITY TO BECOME A CLUB CAPTAIN**, however you just need to find a place to do the jumps (with permission and the facility owners knowing what you are doing).

Seasons- National K9 Dock League will go by "Seasons". This season is going to be from May 1st- Aug 31, Club captains will submit in it their league nights for the season, and NK9DL will make a game Schedule for who each club will face this season in your head to head matches

MAY- NEED 1 LEAGUE NIGHT

JUNE- NEED 1 LEAGUE NIGHT

JULY- NEED 1 or 2 LEAGUE NIGHT

AUGUST- NEED 1 or 2 LEAGUE NIGHTS

CLUBS MUST OFFER 5 LEAGUE NIGHTS. N

TEAMS MUST BE PRESENT FOR 3 OF THE 5 LEAGUE NIGHTS FOR SCORES TO COUNT.

Dock Requirements-

Dock must be a minimum of 40 feet x 8 feet.

Pool must be a minimum 40 feet x 18' feet.

Yes ponds are allowed with correct and accurate ways to judge and pictures of it approved.

National K9 Dock league will allow any facility to participate as long as the facility owner is made fully aware of your plans and says it's ok.

SCORING SYSTEM

Scoring- The way Scoring will work is each team gets two rounds. A round consists of 3 jumps. So after you do Both rounds, the farthest 5 jumps of your 6 jumps will count towards the League Night scores. Every member's score for the club will be added together and then the total club score will be averaged. The higher Club average is the winner for that league night. If a dog catches the toy they get an extra point each catch.

Divisions- We will be following IDS divisions

Horizon open and Legend follow the same system.

CLASS	DIVISION	RANGE		POINTS
OPEN	COMET	1"	2'	1
		2' 1"	4'	2
		4' 1"	6'	3
		6' 1"	8'	4
		8' 1"	9' 11"	5
OPEN	PROTOSTAR	10'	10' 11"	1
		11'	11' 11"	2
		12'	12' 11"	3
		13'	13' 11"	4
		14'	14' 11"	5
	NEBULA	15'	15' 11"	1
		16'	16' 11"	2
		17'	17' 11"	3
		18'	18' 11"	4
		19'	19' 11"	5
OPEN	RISING STAR	20'	20' 11"	1
		21'	21' 11"	2
		22'	22' 11"	3
		23'	23' 11"	4
		24'	24' 11"	5
OPEN	SUPERSTAR	25'	25' 11"	1
		26'	26' 11"	2
		27'	27' 11"	3
		28'	28' 11"	4
		29'	29' 11"	5

SuperNova 30' - 50' -6pts

(+1 pt for a catch)

Maximum jumps per round:30pts

Maximum Catch per round:5pts

Maximum Total per round: 35pts

(open and legend share the same point system) (Legends are 8 years or older)

LAP Horizon

LAP	COMET	1"	1'	1
		1' 1"	2'	2
		2' 1"	3'	3
		3' 1"	4'	4
		4' 1"	4' 11"	5
LAP	PROTOSTAR	5'	5' 9"	1
		5' 10"	6' 7"	2
		6' 8"	7' 5"	3
		7' 6"	8' 3"	4
		8' 4"	8' 11"	5
LAP	NEBULA	9'	9' 9"	1
		9' 10"	10' 7"	2
		10' 8"	11' 5"	3
		11' 6"	12' 3"	4
		12' 4"	12' 11"	5
LAP	RISING STAR	13'	13' 6"	1
		13' 7"	14' 1"	2
		14' 2"	14' 8"	3
		14' 9"	15' 3"	4
		15' 4"	15' 11"	5
LAP	SUPERSTAR	16'	16' 6"	1
		16' 7"	17' 1"	2
		17' 2"	17' 8"	3
		17' 9"	18' 3"	4
		18' 4"	18' 11"	5

Supernova- 19'-50' - 6pts

(+1 pt for a catch)

Max Jumps: 30pts

Max Catch: 5 pts

Max Total:35 Pts

(Lap is under 17 inches).

We tried our best to make it most fair for all dogs while also keeping it competitive for the clubs! (We plan to Add Eclipse into the games we will offer in the future.)

CLUB VS CLUB MATCHUPS-

This season clubs will face off each club night versus another club!!! Each club will have a record throughout the year that will help determine placement for the Bracket Championship at the end of the season.

Rankings- After league nights finish club captains will report the scores before the end of the month. Rankings will be posted at the start of the next month. Rankings will consist of Club average for the month, Total club score for the season, Individual team scores, The Raw Club Scores (before we average the score) and the clubs Record

Cost- National K9 Dock League cost \$15 per dog per season to NK9DL and Clubs/facilities can charge what they see fair.

Championship- SINGLE ELIMINATION BRACKET- Sept 20TH
SEEDING BASED ON SEASON RECORD.