

# Agility

## Did You Know?

All the articles are still available at any time for you to read at [www.dogagility.org.nz/](http://www.dogagility.org.nz/)

## Remembering two years of NZ Dog World articles...



This Agility article will be my second-to-last for the year and I thought it a good opportunity to recap what has been submitted over the past two years.

From my part, it's no easy feat finding people to write an article for *NZ Dog World* but I've been very lucky. I think I've had a 90% acceptance rate with everyone I've asked.

Articles from February 2021 onwards were published in *NZDW*, the AC website and also on the DNZAC Facebook page. Topics have varied immensely but in my opinion have been good reading for the Agility community. Also added to articles were helpful 'Did you know?' snippets of information.

2021 had some huge challenges with COVID-19 and not a lot of Agility happening around the country but the magazine still managed interesting articles to keep us entertained.

- **February:** Running a show under Level 2, Queenstown DTC and Whangarei DTC
- **March:** Giving Agility a sporting chance, Nick Chester
- **April:** Agility judging: Why do I do it?, Martin Bush
- **May:** Juggling farming & Agility, Susan Lorenze
- **June:** A measurer's view, Kim Orlando-Reep
- **July:** Living the Agility dream, Aprille McGee
- **August:** The Agility Committee, Rosemarie J Baker
- **September:** Gisborne Agility & Obedience, Susan Edwards
- **October:** A history of Agility in NZ, Karen de Wit
- **November:** Take the Lead Dogs NZ, Karen Morrison
- **December 21/January 2022:** End of year messages from AC, Rosemarie J Baker

In 2022, Agility was finally back on track and competitions restarted around the country. *NZDW* continued with various topics.

- **February:** Agility Games in NZ, Karen de Wit
- **March:** NZ Agility Champs, Karen Morrison
- **April:** Please give us space, Natalie Greaves

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- **May:** 30 years in Agility, Alan McClumpha
- **June:** From dog phobic to dog manic, Lyn Sayers
- **July:** NZ vs Aussie, a judge's prospective, Cam List
- **August:** Course designs: making dogs smile, Justine Dale
- **September:** Course designs: behind the numbers, Chris Moody
- **October:** Agilité canine à Nouméa, Fiona Hodgson
- **November:** *NZDW* recap, Rosemarie J Baker

Thank you to all who contributed over the past two years: it was very much appreciated. You truly are amazing!

Thank you also to the people who read the articles. I am sure you have all benefited from them in some way or another. And thank you to those that commented on the Facebook posts — It was nice to know people were reading them and I know the authors enjoyed the comments. 🐾

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## Getting a permanent number

All permanent numbers are now applied automatically.

On [www.dogagility.org.nz](http://www.dogagility.org.nz), on the 'My Dogs' page you can add a new dog to your profile or reserve a number for a new puppy to later be applied for.

When applying for a new number, if you don't know the height, you can input '999' but you need to remember to pick the height class you think the dog will fit into. Don't worry: we can change that later depending on the measure.

Reserving a number is also easy from the 'My Dogs' page. You can see the letter and pick the number if available and save it for when the dog is over 12 months old.

Also, from the 'My Dogs' page or the 'View Profile' page, there are a range of things you can change or do yourself.

**My Dogs Page** View your results from previous competitions.

If you click on the modify button for each dog you can also:

- Add a Dogs NZ number (eg: OB/1234 or 12345-2005).
- Make the dog inactive (retired or deceased). All results remain but won't show up on your list if you have active dogs in the filter.
- Choose if you want to receive Clear Round Certificates or not.
- Add alternative handlers or people that can enter your dogs.
- View and apply for awards or titles as required.

**View Profile Page**

- Add your Dogs NZ number.
- Change your club.
- Change personal details such as phone number and address.
- Change your log in password.

Any questions or queries about the website can be directed to Cam List, [camlist@xtra.co.nz](mailto:camlist@xtra.co.nz).