



Welcome to the 2019 Husky Fest

Fri 8th March – 10th March

Please fill in a booking form complete with full payment and send to: Arctic Quest
5 Glebeland Drive, Bredon, Tewkesbury Glos. GL20 7QF. BACs: Arctic Quest Ltd. S/C: 40-22-09
A/N: 12448947 Alternatively we can take debit card over the phone, but will still need a booking
form in the post

CLOSING DATE IS 20th Feb. Bookings received after this date will be returned. Full payment is
required at time of booking. Additional nights can be arranged. Numbers will be capped and
booking will be on a first come, first served basis.

All payments are NON refundable

On arrival please check in at the main car park, where you will be taken to your pitch/challet.
There is a £5 deposit for a keyfob for site barriers and toilet blocks, payable on arrival.

All running of dogs will be subject to weather if too hot we will look at alternative activities for the
dogs 'welfare.

We will be supporting the yellow dog campaign – meaning that if your dog does not do well in
group situations, is on heat, etc then they will be required to wear a yellow ribbon/ bandana.

Dogs working will need to be 12 months or older. Please enquire further if you dog is just under
this age to talk about what we can do for you

All dogs that will be working need to be fit, healthy and physically capable of working in harness.

All dogs will need to be fully vaccinated and free from KC. We strongly recommend having your
dog vet checked before working to make sure there are no health problems.

The campsite will be open to other guests, the usual courtesy towards members of the public
would be appreciated.

Anyone staying in the chalets, campsites terms and conditions will apply, please see these when
checking, there will be cleaning fees if applicable

There will be a Meal provided on the Saturday evening, which is included in the full weekend pass.

All dog's mess needs to be cleaned up, anyone acting inappropriately will be asked to leave.

We recommend bringing your own helmet (cycling, snowboard, etc), but do have some if required
and a correctly fitting working harness for your dogs. We do provide harnesses, but please be
aware these are sized for our team and we do not have any Mal or X Large sizes.

There will be stalls on site to purchase dog and working related products.



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PROGRAMME OF EVENTS

Fri 8th March

Check in will be available from 2pm – 6pm. Late check in will need to be booked in advance.

7.30pm - Welcome Meeting in Cafe

8 – 9pm – Introduction to Mushing (covering legal requirements, equipment, terminology, trail safety, etc)

The Lakeside Café will be open from check- in until 11pm

Sat 9th March

The morning sessions will provide a choice of 3 workshops, which are repeated over three different sessions. They comprise of the following workshops:-

Working in Harness session 1

Dog Behaviour/ training

Working in harness session 2

Session 1: 9.00- 10.00am

Session 2: 10.30 – 11.30

Session 3: 12 .00– 1.00

If we have enough Juniors we will run a training session for them (time to confirm) minimum age 8 years old.

LUNCH 1.00 – 2.00pm

Drop in running sessions available in the afternoon

2:00pm – 4:00pm

Drop in session for Dog behaviorist Tug Wilson

1:1 sessions first come first serve on the day!

2.00 – 4.00pm

Novelty Dog Show

5.30pm - 6.30pm Racing presentation Marquee

7 pm

Meal at Lakeside Café

Team quiz





Sun 10th March

Morning - Fun Race

Early afternoon - Prize Giving

Please note working and race times are weather dependent and may alter for the well being of the dogs. We will have a better idea of temperatures closer to the date, any changes will be put up on the event noticeboard outside marquee at Croft Farm.

Please be patient ,working with our own team and running rides takes a great deal of our time and email is often the best way of getting hold of us.

FACILITIES Croft Farm

Croft Farm is located just outside Tewkesbury in the scenic River Avon Valley, with a caravan and camping park adjacent to it's own lake. There are hard standing areas for caravans with electric hook-up if required at an additional cost of £4 for the weekend.

Croft Farm website: www.croftfarmleisure.co.uk

Arctic Quest website: www.arcticquest.co.uk

Facilities include hot showers, toilet blocks, café/bar and a fenced off lead area, which is near the entrance when you drive in. Be warned the main gate to the off lead area is not husky proof and the fencing whilst secure is not high.

The café/bar serves decent food, including breakfast.

We will be running on gravel and grass trails with varying distances to cope with different dogs fitness and ability.

Directions

We are only 10 minutes from the M5.

From the M5

Leave the M5 at junction 9. Head towards Tewkesbury and turn right at the first set of traffic lights, into Shannon Way. At the next set of traffic lights turn right and go over the motorway bridge.

Take the first turning left, through a housing estate and go over the motorway for a second time. At the T junction turn right onto the B4080 and then take the first left into Croft Farm.

