

MINI-DISTANCE RULES

Mini-Distance is a timed event in which each team competes in 60 second rounds, attempting to score as many points as possible by completing catches on a field marked as shown in the diagram below.

The thrower must remain behind the throwing line at all times, but is free to move around in the area behind the throwing line. The dog must start behind throwing line for the first throw only, but by necessity will return to the line to return the disc to the thrower behind the line. Scoring is determined by the distance from the throwing line and whether or not all four paws are off the ground for the catch.

Each team will be allowed one practice throw prior to the start of the time. If a team does not wish to use the practice throws, the judges should be notified.

There will be two rounds. The first round will include all competitors, with the top 10 dogs advancing to the final round.

Since this is for fun and entertainment and does NOT earn points for regional or national competition, we have decided to allow competitors to use their own discs if they choose (either solid or floppy), or the disc provided at check-in.

