Hoopers Team Relay

How it works: Two short courses, two Distance Handling Boxes

Team A runs course A, while team B must remain inside their box. Once team A has finished and both dog and handler are inside their box, team B proceeds to run course B (team A must remain inside their box until team B completes course B

Rules:

- Each team must remain inside their box while the other runs
- As long as handler B is inside their box when the dog crosses the first obstacle and the dog begins on the approach side of the first obstacle, the dog's position does not matter
- Leashes may be left inside the DHB
- Each team begins with 20 points, faults are deducted
- A clean run with no faults earns 10 bonus points
- Score of both teams is combined for a final score

Faults:

- Refusals don't count
- Off course or wrong direction = 5 faults
- Displacing an obstacle = 5 faults
- Handler stepping **one foot** out of the box = 5 faults
- Handler stepping **two feet** outside the box = 10 faults
- Missing any obstacle (not completing the course) = elimination