



Schedule of Thirty-second Open Breed Show
(20 Class Unbenched)

plus

Limited Obedience Show

(4 Classes - Members only)

Held under The Kennel Club Limited Rules and Show Regulations

held at **Nether Whitacre Village Hall, Station Road,**
Nether Whitacre, Birmingham, B46 2EH

on Sunday 14th April 2019

Show opens 10am

Breed Judging commences at 11am / Obedience Judging not before 1pm

Judges

Breed Classes: Mrs Toni Jackson (Elbereth)

Obedience Classes: Sharan Wicks

All Judges at this show agree to abide by the following statement: "In assessing dogs, judges must penalise any features or exaggerations which they consider would be detrimental to the soundness, health and well being of the dog."

Guarantors to the Kennel Club

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Show Manager: Mrs Iona Bailey, Penybryn, Swyddffynnon, Ystrad Meurig, SY25 6AW (01974
831580), copi.cywir@btinternet.com

Only undocked dogs and legally docked dogs may be entered for exhibition at this show.

ENTRIES CLOSE: Friday, 29th March 2019 (Postmark)

ONLINE ENTRIES CLOSE: Friday, 5th April 2019 at <http://www.onlineshowentry.com/>

All Entries and correct fees to be sent to the Show Secretary – Mrs. I Bailey
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THE AUSTRALIAN CATTLE DOG SOCIETY OF GREAT BRITAIN

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Honorary Veterinary Surgeons (On Call)

The Lodge Veterinary Centre, 64 Coleshill Road, Hodge Hill, Birmingham, B36 8AB
Telephone 0121 783 2327 or 0121 783 7158.

SHOW OUTSIDE - WEATHER PERMITTING

ENTRIES CLOSE: Friday 29th March 2019 (postmark),

Friday 5th April 2019 (Online)

ENTRY FEES

First entry per dog £4.50 Members, £5.50 Non-Members

£1.50 each subsequent entry with the same dog Catalogues £2.00 prepaid with entry, £2.50 on the day NFC/Spectators: £2.00 per dog

Please make cheques payable to:

THE AUSTRALIAN CATTLE DOG SOCIETY OF GREAT BRITAIN

SPONSORSHIP

Sponsorship for the classes would be appreciated. £5.00 will help pay for the rosettes for one class.

REFRESHMENTS

Tea, coffee and biscuits will be supplied by the Society.

LUNCH

Please bring along a plate of food, savoury or sweet, to be shared with everyone as part of our Aussie Style finger buffet.

RAFFLE

The Society would welcome Raffle Prizes - please bring them on the day.

ANNUAL TROPHIES (For Members Only)

TROPHY	Presented to	Donated by
THE PRESIDENT'S TROPHY	Best In Show	Mr J. Holmes
THE BRECKLEY SALVER	Best In Show	Mrs M. Brendon
THE RAVENSWING FLINT SHIELD	Best Opposite Sex	Mr R. Marchant
THE GILSLAND TROPHY	Winner Open Dog	Mr & Mrs Skipper & Mrs Brown
THE KINGFISHER SHIELD	Best Puppy In Show	Mr & Mrs Fisher
THE COGGES TROPHY	Winner Open Bitch	Mrs R. Lee
THE SYDNEY MEMORIAL TROPHY	Best Working Dog or Bitch	Mr & Mrs Locke
THE TILLY CUP	Winner Limit Dog	Mr R. Marchant
THE WARRIGAL TROPHY	Best Brood Bitch (Winner Class 20)	Mrs S. Huntingdon
THE KANGA PLATE	Oldest Dog or Bitch	

**Please return any trophies won at the 2018 Society
Open Show**

**Contact
Lesley Wright, Trophy
Steward 01572 893 522**

SHOW REGULATIONS

1. The show will open at 10am.
2. Dogs will be received at any time but it is the exhibitor's responsibility to ensure that dogs are available for judging when required.
3. Breed judging will commence at 11am, Obedience Judging will commence NOT before 1pm.
4. Exhibits may be removed from the Show after their judging has been completed. The Show will close half an hour after all judging has been completed.
5. The use of cooking stoves in the proximity of the tenting and benching areas is forbidden except as authorised by the show management.
6. Entry fees: first entry per dog £4.50 Members, £5.50 Non Members, subsequent entries £1.50 per class. NFC/Spectators £2.00 per dog.
7. No prize money will be paid.
8. The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries.
9. Puppies under six calendar months of age on the first day of the show are not eligible for exhibition.
10. The mating of bitches within the precincts of the show is forbidden.
11. Best Puppy in Show Where a Best Puppy in Show competition is scheduled the Best Puppy in Show is a puppy which has competed and is unbeaten by any other puppy exhibited at the same show. A puppy is a dog of six and not exceeding twelve calendar months of age on the first day of the Show. Where the Best in Show is a puppy it should automatically be awarded Best Puppy in Show respectively. Where the Reserve Best in Show is a puppy which has only been beaten by an adult dog it should also automatically be Best Puppy in Show respectively. Consequently, selection of Best Puppy in Show must follow the selection of Best in Show respectively.
12. Best in Show: Best in Show must be selected from the exhibits declared Best of Sex. If a Reserve Best in Show is to be selected, the eligible dogs are those declared Best Opposite Sex and the Reserve Best of Sex to the exhibit declared Best in Show.
13. Exhibits will not be admitted to Best in Show competition after a period of ten minutes has elapsed since the announcement that exhibits are required for judging, unless they have been unavoidably delayed by previous judging not being completed on time, and then only with the special permission of the Show Management.
14. Exhibitors must not pick up dogs by their tails and leads when lifting them nor handle a dog in a manner which causes its feet not to touch the ground when on the move. This is not acceptable. Exhibitors should note that such practice would constitute harsh handling and reports of such practice will be referred to the Committee under Kennel Club Show Regulation F11.
15. All exhibitors must be familiar with the Kennel Club Regulation F (Annex B - Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition)

16. All dogs resident outside the UK must be issued with a Kennel Club Authority to Compete number before entry to the show/event can be made. All overseas entries without an Authority to Compete number will be returned to the exhibitor/competitor.
17. **DOGS IN CARS** Your dog is vulnerable and at risk during hot weather and the Kennel Club offers the following guidance to help guide you through the do's and don'ts travelling to and whilst at KC licensed events.
 - When travelling to a show please take a moment to consider whether the route to the show is on a busy holiday route, and leave earlier to avoid increased time in traffic jams.
 - If your vehicle is not air-conditioned seriously consider whether travelling to the show is a good idea at all.
 - The vehicle should be as fully ventilated as possible, and plenty of stops should be taken, with lots of water available to drink.
 - Ensure your dog is not sitting in full sunlight. There should be plenty of free flowing air around the dog.
 - When at the show, never leave your dog in the vehicle.
 - Keep the dog in the shade – take your own shade for example a large umbrella and always have plenty of water available to drink so your dog stays well hydrated.
 - Avoid your dog taking part in unnecessary exertion, or from standing in exposed sunlight for extended lengths of time. Remember, if you feel hot your dog is very likely to feel much hotter and dehydrated, and this could lead to dire results. Please look after your dog's welfare.
18. Not for competition entries will be accepted. Details of each dog so entered must be recorded on the entry form and must be Kennel Club Registered.
19. The Society cannot hold itself responsible for accidents to exhibitors, Exhibits of Members of the Public and it is on this understanding that entries are accepted.
20. The Committee is empowered to exclude or remove any dog that is not in a fit state for exhibition, from disease, vice, natural or other causes and if such exclusion takes place either before or after the dog is judged, the entry fee will be forfeited.
21. **DOG FOULING & GROOMING WASTE** Any owner, exhibitor, handler or other person in charge of a dog is required to remove as soon as possible any fouling and grooming waste caused by their dog(s) at any Kennel Club licensed event and within the environs of that event including Car and Caravan Parks and approaches. Any organisation holding a Kennel Club Licensed event is required to provide an adequate number of receptacles for the disposal of such fouling.

BREED CLASSES

Judge – Mrs Toni Jackson (Elbereth)

1. Special Veteran (7-9 yrs inclusive) Dog
2. Special Veteran (10 yrs plus) Dog
3. Puppy Dog
4. Junior Dog
5. Novice Dog
6. Post Graduate Dog
7. Limit Dog
8. Open Dog

9. Special Veteran (7-9 yrs inclusive) Bitch
10. Special Veteran (10 yrs plus) Bitch
11. Puppy Bitch
12. Junior Bitch
13. Novice Bitch
14. Post Graduate Bitch
15. Limit Bitch
16. Open Bitch

BEST IN SHOW WILL NOW BE JUDGED FOLLOWED BY BEST PUPPY AND BEST VETERAN

17. Special Open Working Dog or Bitch
18. Brace
19. Stud Dog
20. Brood Bitch

OBEDIENCE CLASSES

Judge – Sharan Wicks

21. Pre-beginners Dog or Bitch
22. Beginners Dog or Bitch
23. Novice Dog or Bitch
24. Class 'A' Dog or Bitch

Entry is restricted to Members only, but any member who has another breed may enter this obedience competition if they wish.

DEFINITIONS OF CLASSES

In the following definitions, a Challenge Certificate includes any Show award that counts towards the title Champion under the rules of any governing body recognised by the Kennel Club. Wins at Championship Shows in breed classes where Challenge Certificates are not on offer shall be counted as wins at Open Shows.

In the case of a dog owned in partnership and entered in members' classes or competing for members' specials, each partner must at the time of entry be a member of the Society.

In estimating the number of awards won, all wins up to and including the seventh day before the closing of entries shall be counted when entering for any class, i.e. **23rd**

March 2019 wins in Variety classes do not count for entry in Breed classes but when entering in Variety classes wins in both Breed and Variety classes must be counted. A first prize does not include a Special Prize of whatever value.

If an exhibitor reports before the judging of a class or classes that a dog has been entered which is ineligible, the exhibitor may choose one of the following options:

(1) Withdrawal: The dog may be withdrawn from competition subject to the conditions of Regulations 9(j) and 20.

(2) Transfer

(a) If a dog is ineligible for a class or classes as regards its colour, sex, weight or height, the Show Secretary shall transfer it to the equivalent class or classes for the correct colour, sex, weight or height or, in the event of there being no equivalent class, Minor Puppy and Puppy excepted, to the Open class for the correct colour, sex, weight or height.

(b) For an exhibit entered incorrectly in a Minor Puppy Class, Puppy Class or Junior Class, which is over age but under twelve calendar months of age, eighteen calendar months of age or twenty-four calendar months of age respectively, the Show Secretary shall transfer the exhibit to the Puppy Class, Junior Class or Yearling Class respectively for the correct colour, sex, weight or height and in the event of there being no Puppy, Junior or Yearling Class to the Open class for the correct colour, sex, weight or height

(c) For any reason other than the above, the Show Secretary shall transfer it to the Open Class for the correct colour, sex, weight or height.

(d) If an exhibit arrives late and misses a class, even if it is the only class in which the dog is entered, the dog may not be transferred to any other class.

Puppy: For dogs of six and not exceeding twelve calendar months of age on the first day of the show

Junior: For dogs of six and not exceeding eighteen calendar months of age on the first day of the show

Novice: For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate/CACIB/CAC/Green Star or three or more First Prizes at Open and Championship Shows (Minor Puppy, Special Minor Puppy, Puppy and Special Puppy classes excepted, whether restricted

or not).

Post Graduate: For dogs which have not won a Challenge

Certificate/CACIB/CAC/Green Star or five or more First Prizes at Championship Shows in Post Graduate, Minor Limit, Mid Limit, Limit and Open classes, whether restricted or not where Challenge Certificates were offered for the breed.

Limit: For dogs which have not become show Champions under the Kennel Club Regulations or under the rules of any governing body recognised by the Kennel Club, or won 3 or more CC/CACIB/CAC/Green Stars or won 7 or more First Prizes in all at Championship Shows in Limit or Open Classes confined to the Breed, whether restricted or not at Shows where Challenge Certificates were offered for the breed.

Open: For dogs of not less than seven years of age and not exceeding 9 years of age on the day of the show For dogs of not less than ten years of age on the day of the show

Special Veteran (7-9 yrs inc.): For dogs of not less than seven years of age and not exceeding 9 years of age on the day of the show

Special Veteran (10 yrs plus): For dogs of not less than ten years of age on the day of the show

Special Open Working: At this show, for dogs that have won 1st-4th Prize in any Obedience class at Limited, or Championship Shows held under KC Rules & Regulations; for dogs that have qualified and obtained a Certificate of Merit at Championship or Open Working Trials held under KC Rules & Regulations; for dogs which have won 1st-4th Prize in an Agility Competition held under KC Rules & Regulations.

Brace: For two exhibits (either sex or mixed) of the same breed belonging to the same exhibitor, each exhibit having been entered in some class other than Brace or Team.

Stud Dog/Brood Bitch: For a dog or a bitch, accompanied by at least two of its registered progeny. The Dog or Bitch not necessarily entered in another class however, all progeny having been entered and exhibited in another class. The dog or bitch and the progeny need not be registered in the same ownership.

Not For Competition: Societies may at their discretion, accept Not for Competition entries. Societies may accept such entries from breeds of dog not included within the title of the Society and at Shows held over more than one day, such entries may be accepted on any day from any breed

NOTE: Puppies over 4 months and under 6 months of age on the day of the show, are eligible to attend, provided they are entered as 'Not for Competition'.

DEFINITIONS OF OBEDIENCE CLASSES

1. Dogs are ineligible to compete at Limited Shows that have won an Obedience Certificate or obtained any award that counts towards the title of Obedience Champion under the rules of any governing body recognised by The Kennel Club. Obedience Champions are only eligible to compete in Class C at Open and Championship Shows.
2. A dog must be entered in the lowest scheduled class for which it is eligible and

may also be entered in another class if desired, one special class excepted.

PRE-BEGINNERS

To compete in Pre-Beginners a handler or dog must not have won a First Prize in either Pre- Beginners or Beginners nor gained a third place or above in any other obedience class.

BEGINNERS

To compete in Beginners a handler or dog must not have won a total of two or more First Prizes in Beginners Class, or one First Prize in any other Obedience Class. (Pre-Beginners excepted).

NOVICE

For dogs which have not won two First Prizes in Obedience Classes (Pre-Beginners and Beginners excepted)

CLASS A

For dogs which have not won three First Prizes in Class A, B and Open Class C in total.

PRE-BEGINNERS

Handlers will not be penalised for encouragement or extra commands except in the Sit or Down tests. In these tests at the discretion of the Judge, handlers may face their dogs. Judges must not use the words "last command" except in the Sit and Down tests

The detailed tests will be:

1. Heel on Lead (15)
2. Heel Free (20)
3. Recall from sit or down position at handler's choice. Dog to be recalled by handler when stationary and facing the dog. Dog to return smartly to the handler and sit in front, go to heel - all on command of Judge or Steward to handler. Distance at discretion of Judge. Test commences when handler leaves the dog (10)
4. Sit one minute, handler in sight (10)
5. Down two minutes, handler in sight (20)

Total 75 Points

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the dog (10)

4. Retrieve any article. Handlers may use their own article (25)

5. Sit one minute, handler in sight (10)

6. Down two minutes, handler in sight (20)

Total 100 Points

NOVICE

Handlers will not be penalised for encouragement or extra commands except in the Sit or Down tests. In these tests at the discretion of the Judge, handlers may face their dogs. Judges must not use the words "last command" except in the Sit and Down tests. The detailed tests will be:

1. Temperament Test. Dog to be on the lead, in the stand position, handler to stand by the dog. Judge to approach quietly from the front and run his hand gently down the dog's back. Judge may talk quietly to the dog to reassure it. Any undue resentment, cringing, growling or snapping to be penalised. This is not a stand for examination or stay test (10)

2. Heel on Lead (15)

3. Heel Free (20)

4. Recall from sit or down position at handler's choice. Dog to be recalled by handler when stationary and facing the dog. Dog to return smartly to the handler and sit in front, go to heel - all on command of Judge or Steward to handler. Distance at discretion of Judge. Test commences when handler leaves the dog (10)

5. Retrieve a dumbbell or dummy. Handlers may use their own item (15)

6. Sit one minute, handler in sight (10)

7. Down two minutes, handler in sight (20)

Total 100 Points

CLASS 'A'

Simultaneous command and signal will be permitted. Extra commands or signals must be penalised. The detailed tests will be:

2. Heel Free (30)

3. Recall from sit or down position at handler's choice. Dog to be recalled to heel by handler on command of Judge or Steward, whilst handler is walking away from the dog, both to continue forward until ordered to halt. The recall and halt points to be the same for each dog and handler. Test commences following handler's last command to the dog (15)

4. Retrieve a dumbbell. Handlers may use their own dumbbell (25)

5. Sit two minute, handler in sight (20)

6. Down three minutes, handler out of sight (30)

7. Scent discrimination. The handlers scent on a marked cloth provided by the Judge. There must be a total six scent cloths, this total must not include any decoys, but must include the cloth provided by the Judge. These six cloths must be set out in a straight line which may be in any direction (30)

Total 150 Points

“Showing in a Nutshell”: A Ringcraft Class for All

“Up and back, please”, “In a triangle”. Ever wondered what that means or where to stand or what to do next? These are all things that people in showing learn over the years!

Want to have a stab at showing but unsure of how to go about it? Or have you just started and want to get the best out of your dog? Then please join us for a fun and relaxed look at showing and ringcraft PRIOR to our Open Show on 14th April 2019.

This class will give you the opportunity to know what the judge expects of you and your dog in the ring, how to show your dog to its best potential and give you the opportunity to “run” your dog around in a “mock” class.

The class will be taught by Mr. Mark Plummer of Austmans Kennels who has over 20 years of handling experience. There will be plenty of time to ask questions and to “show” your dog!

Come and join us and have fun with your dog. Everyone is welcome!

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