



# THE POMERANIAN CLUB OF SOUTH WALES

**Patron:** Mr Brian Hopkins  
**President:** Mr Robert Niven-Lewis  
**Vice President:** Mr W. Stone

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## Schedule of 21 Class Unbenched **BREED CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW** (Held under Kennel Club Limited Rules & Regulations)

to be held in conjunction with South Wales Kennel Association Championship Show at  
**ROYAL WELSH SHOWGROUND**  
**Llanelwedd, Builth Wells, Powys LD2 3SY**

on  
**SUNDAY, 9<sup>th</sup> October 2022**

Show Opens: 9:30am

Judging Commences after completion of Breed judging at SWKA Show

**JUDGE: Mr John Purnell (Yikasown)**

**The judge at this show agrees 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.”

### **Jurisdiction and responsibilities**

The Officers and Committee members of the society holding the licence are deemed responsible for organising and conducting the show safely and in accordance with the Rules and Regulations of The Kennel Club and agree to abide by and adopt any decision of the Board or any authority to whom the Board may delegate its powers subject to the conditions of Regulation F17. In so doing those appointed as officers and committee members accept that they are jointly and severally responsible for the organisation of the show and that this is a binding undertaking (vide Kennel Club General Show Regulations F4 and F5).

**If a competitor, or anyone in their household, has Covid-19 related symptoms or has tested positive for Covid-19 they must isolate in line with Government advice. The competitor must not attend the event**

### **All correspondence to:**

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**POSTAL ENTRIES CLOSE: SATURDAY, 11<sup>th</sup> September 2022 (Postmark)**  
**ONLINE ENTRIES CLOSE: SUNDAY, 18<sup>th</sup> September 2022 (Midnight)**

***YOU MAY DOWNLOAD THIS SCHEDULE AND ENTER ONLINE AT :***  
**[www.onlineshowentry.com](http://www.onlineshowentry.com)**

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

## OUR JUDGE

**Mr John Purnell (Yikasown)**



My breeds are Dobermann Pinschers which I have owned since 1974 and Miniature Pinschers since 1982. I am passed to award CCs in 16 breeds – 7 toys, 6 working and 3 pastoral and I have also passed to judge the Working Group at Championship shows. I have judged over 120 Best in Shows and have travelled and judged in many countries over the years. I am very pleased and looking forward to judging this delightful breed at the October Championship Show.

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Founded in 1987

**Patron:** Mr Brian Hopkins

## **Officers**

**President:** Mr Robert Niven-Lewis

**Vice President.:** Mr William Stone

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**Cup Steward:** Mr Geoff Hardwick

## **Committee**

Mrs Pat Watkins

Mr Geoff Hardwick

Mr Michael Coombs

Mr William Stone

Mr Mathew Allan

Mr Cameron Dowden

Ms Louise Lyons

Mr Dan Jenkins

Mr Richard Howells

Ms Moe Guess

**Show Manager:** Mr William Stone

**Official Photographer:** Lianne Johnson

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## **PRIZE MONEY**

**£50 for Best in Show**

**£25 for Best Puppy in Show**

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## **SPECIALS**

The Pomeranian Club of South Wales offer

1<sup>st</sup> Royal Canin product

1<sup>st</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup> Prize Cards

Beautiful Trophies for Best in Show, Reserve Best in Show, Best Puppy in Show, Reserve Best Puppy in Show, Best Veteran in Show, Best Special Beginner

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<http://www.pomeranianclubofsouthwales.webs.com/>

# CLASSIFICATION

**JUDGE: Mr John Purnell (Yikasown)**

*Kennel Club Challenge Certificate – Dog*

1. Veteran Dog
2. Minor Puppy Dog
3. Puppy Dog
4. Junior Dog
5. Yearling Dog
6. Post Graduate Dog
7. Limit Dog
8. Open Dog
9. Special Beginners Dog
10. Special Open Stud Dog

*Kennel Club Challenge Certificate – Bitch*

11. Veteran Bitch
12. Minor Puppy Bitch
13. Puppy Bitch
14. Junior Bitch
15. Yearling Bitch
16. Post Graduate Bitch
17. Limit Bitch
18. Open Bitch
19. Special Beginners Bitch
20. Special Open Brood Bitch
21. The Jean Stone Memorial Stakes

**Dog CC, Reserve Dog CC & Best Puppy Dog will be judged after Class 10**

**Bitch CC, Reserve Bitch CC & Best Puppy Bitch – Best in Show – Reserve Best in Show – Best Puppy in Show – Reserve Best Puppy in Show – Best Veteran – Best Special Beginners will be judged after Class 20**

<b>BEST VETERAN will be selected from all unbeaten Veterans</b>
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## RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. The Show will open at **9:30am**.
2. Dogs will be received at any time, but it is the exhibitor's responsibility to ensure that exhibits are available for judging when required.
3. Judging will commence following completion of the SWKA breed judging.
4. The show will close half an hour after judging has been completed by which time dogs must be removed.

Exhibits may be removed from the show after their judging has been completed.

5. Entry fees are: MEMBERS First Entry £11.00 per dog, subsequent entries with the same dog £3.00. NON-MEMBERS First Entry £15.00 per dog, subsequent entry with the same dog £4.00. Not for Competition £4.00 per dog. Catalogues £4.00 prepaid with entries only (none available on the day). Membership: Single £5.00, Joint £7.00, Lifelong Single £25.00, Lifelong Joint £35.00.
6. Prize money on offer at this show is £50 for Best in Show and £25 for Best Puppy in Show.
7. The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries.
8. Puppies under six calendar months of age on the first day of the show are not eligible for exhibition.
9. The mating of bitches within the precincts of the show is forbidden.

10. 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 may, at the discretion of the judge, be awarded Best Puppy in Show. Where the Reserve Best in Show is a puppy which has only been beaten by an adult dog it may, at the discretion of the judge, be Best Puppy in Show. Consequently, selection of Best Puppy in Show must follow the selection of Best in Show.

11. 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 Reserve Best of Sex to the exhibit declared Best in Show.

12. 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 completed on time, and then only with the special permission of the Show Management.
13. 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.
14. All exhibitors must be familiar with Kennel Club regulation F (Annex B) - Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition.

15. 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.

#### 16. DOGS IN VEHICLES ON HOT DAYS

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 Kennel Club 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.

**WARNING: IF YOUR DOG IS FOUND TO BE AT RISK FORCIBLE ENTRY TO YOUR VEHICLE MAY BE NECESSARY WITHOUT LIABILITY FOR ANY DAMAGE CAUSED.**

17. Anyone whose dog is entered at a Kennel Club licensed event should take all reasonable steps to ensure the needs of their dog(s) are met, and should not put a dog's health and welfare at risk by any action, default, omission or otherwise. Breach of Kennel Club regulations in this respect may be referred to the Board for disciplinary action under The Kennel Club rules and regulations. The use of pinch collars, electronic shock collars, or prong collars, is not permitted at any show licensed by The Kennel Club. This shall apply at the venue or within the precincts of the show.
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 or.
19. No modifications will be made to the schedule except by permission of the Board of The Kennel Club, which will be followed by advertisement in the canine press wherever possible.
20. The Show will be held under Kennel Club Rules and Show Regulations. Every exhibitor making an entry or entries at this show shall be deemed to have agreed to abide by these Rules and Regulations and it is on this understanding only that entries are received.
21. The Committee of this Show cannot be held responsible for products advertised or sold by stand holders at the show, and remind exhibitors that such products may not meet the requirements of the Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition.
22. Exhibitors/handlers are responsible for clearing up and removing any loose hair or fouling from dogs in their charge, or any other litter, whether from the car park, the exercise area or from any other part of the venue.

23. Parents/Guardians please note, well behaved children are welcome but those in charge of children will be held fully responsible for their actions and any damage caused within the environs of the Show.
24. Owners, handlers, exhibitors or any other person in charge of a dog at a Kennel Club licensed event must ensure at all times that the dog is kept under proper Control whilst at the licensed venue, including its environs, car parks and approaches.
25. A dog may be disqualified by the General Committee from any award, whether an objection has been lodged or not, if proved amongst other things to have been registered or recorded as having been bred by the scheduled Judge. This shall not apply to a Judge appointed in an emergency.
26. Each exhibitor is responsible for providing their own crate or cage identification and should note that the original exhibit/bench number card, as provided by the show Society, must not be used for this purpose.
27. **PHOTOGRAPHY & VIDEO RIGHTS** The Organisers would like to bring the regulation of photography and filming to the attention of exhibitors, trade stands, press and visitors. It is a condition of all those attending the event that no filming or other form of recording may be taken or made at the venue without the express written permission of the organisers. The taking of photographs in the venue for sale or reward is strictly prohibited except with the written permission of the Organisers. Press accredited photographers are provided with permission to take photographs ONLY for use in newspapers, magazines and internet sites – this is for news purposes only. There is no objection to the general public taking photographs or video film of general views of the show, provided that these are for private use only. Specific dogs may be photographed only with the approval of the exhibitor. No photography or filming is permitted in breed judging rings whilst judging is actually taking place. However, judges may allow it to happen at the end of classes or after the Best in Show is awarded. Filming and flash photography is allowed from outside the rings at all times unless the operation of the camera is actually affecting exhibits. However, if a powerful flash unit is used or it is clear that exhibits are being affected, a ring steward or the Judge is empowered to stop the person concerned. Cinematograph or television Equipment may only be used at the show if a permit has been issued by the Organiser.
28. The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries

## DEFINITIONS OF CLASSES

In the following definitions, a Challenge Certificate includes any show award that counts towards the title of 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 date of closing of postal entries shall be counted when entering for any class i.e. **5<sup>th</sup> September 2021**

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. First prizes awarded in any classes defined as Special do not count towards eligibility.

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 Regulation F(1)19.

(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 and, 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 24 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.

MINOR PUPPY	For dogs of six and not exceeding nine calendar months of age on the first day of the Show..
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.
YEARLING	For dogs of twelve and not exceeding twenty four calendar months of age on the first day of the Show.
SPECIAL BEGINNERS	no dog , handler or owner to have won CC or RCC.



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 all dogs of the breed for which the class is provided and eligible for entry at the Show.
VETERAN	For dogs of not less than seven years of age on the first day of the Show.
SPECIAL STUD DOG	For stud dogs and at least two progeny of which only the progeny must be entered and exhibited in a breed class at the Show
SPECIAL BROOD BITCH	For Brood Bitches and at least two progeny of which only the progeny must be entered and exhibited in a breed class at the Show.
The Jean Stone Memorial class	For all Dogs or Bitches
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.

## **A date for your dairy**

**Sunday, 26th of February 2023**

**at**

**The Drill Hall Chepstow**

**Single Breed Open Show**

**Judge: Mrs Karen Coombs (Jessiebeths)**

**Membership: Single £5; Joint £7**



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