

CARDIFF CANINE SOCIETY

Founded 1920

PRESIDENT: Lady L. Billinghamurst

VICE PRESIDENT: Mr B. Pocock

PATRON: Mr Peter Evans

SCHEDULE OF 200 CLASS (Unbenched) OPEN SHOW

(Held under Kennel Club Ltd. Rules & Show Regulations) (Judged on the Group System)

to be held on

SUNDAY 29th JANUARY 2023

held at

**MERTHYR LEISURE CENTRE (RHYDYCAR)
MERTHYR TYDFIL. CF48 1UT**

Breed supported classes for:

***** PEMBROKE CORGI, CARDIGAN CORGI, WHIPPETS,
BULLDOGS, NEWFOUNDLANDS *****

Show opens: 8.30 a.m.

Judging commences at 9.00 a.m.

Show Manager & Chief Steward: Mr L. Portlock

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 Judges at this show agree to abide by the following statement:

"In assessing dogs, judges must penalize any features or exaggerations which they consider would be detrimental to the soundness, health and well being of the dog."

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

Postal Entries Close: Monday 2nd January 2023 (Postmark)

Online Entries Close: Monday 16th January 2023 (Midnight)

(There will be no extension to these dates)

Enter online at: www.onlineshowentry.com

ALL POSTAL ENTRIES & FEES TO:

Secretary: Mr Martin Sanders,

9 Maes-y-Draenog, Tongwynlais, Nr. Cardiff, CF15 7JL.

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Hon. Veterinary Surgeon on call:

Vet Emergency Treatment Services, Oakfield street, Ystrad Mynach. CF82 7AF

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CARDIFF CANINE SOCIETY

Officers & Committee:

PRESIDENT: Lady L. Billinghamurst
Chairman: Mr Peter Evans
Secretary: Mr Martin Sanders
Committee: Mrs Val Evans, Mrs Carol Sanders, Mrs Christine Llewellyn,
Mrs Vanessa Turnbull, Mr Peter Evans, Mr Martin Sanders,
Mr N. Sorensen, Mrs L. Sorensen, Mr D. Richards, Mr N. Richards

Vice President: Mr. B. Pocock
Vice Chairman: Mrs C. Llewellyn
Treasurer: Mrs Carol Sanders

Show Manager & Chief Steward:

Mr Les Portlock

Officers & Committee do not show or handle at this show.

PLEASE NOTE

The judging at this Show will be held on the GROUP SYSTEM.
Please ensure you have entered the correct class to be eligible for the Group.

**** SHOW INFORMATION ****

ENTRY FEES

£6.00 First entry with each dog

All subsequent entries with same dog £1.00 per class

Not for Competition: £2.00 per dog

Prepaid Catalogues £3.00 per day (**None Available** on Day)

NO ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED WITHOUT THE CORRECT FEES

Please make all cheques/P.O's payable to "CARDIFF CANINE SOCIETY"

ROSETTES

Best in Show, Reserve Best in Show

Best Puppy in Show, Reserve Best Puppy in Show

Best Veteran in Show, Reserve Best Veteran in Show

All Best of Breed winners, **R.B.O.B. & Best Puppy in Breed winners**

only where 3 or more classes are scheduled for the Breed.

PLUS

Rosettes for all Group winners & Puppy Group winners

All Rosette donations will be gratefully received and acknowledged in the Show Catalogue.

CELEBRATION ROSETTES

HAVE KINDLY DONATED BOX ROSETTES

FOR

BEST IN SHOW, BEST PUPPY IN SHOW AND BEST VETERAN IN SHOW

Notice to all Exhibitors

Please note that dogs are NOT ALLOWED under any circumstances into the passage way leading to the toilets or the canteen area.

We ask you all to be mindful of our request to you all not to leave a mess in the car park or surrounding areas. **BAG IT AND BIN IT!!** We also wish to remind you all to be responsible within the Leisure Centre with your rubbish, dog hair, paper cups, general rubbish etc. Again please do not leave it on the floor, **BIN IT!**

As a Society we are recognised for providing a professional and well organised event and our efforts reflect on both you the Exhibitor and the general public at large. We have to show the management of the Venue and the general public that such events are friendly and fun for all. As some of you are aware suitable venues are becoming less and less available for such events. So exhibitors, Cardiff Canine Society has done their utmost to provide you all with a good venue enabling you to continue your hobby, the rest is up to you!

Martin Sanders
Secretary

PROPOSED ORDER OF JUDGING

The Committee reserve the right to alter the order of judging to facilitate the smooth running of the Show.

RING 1 (9.00 a.m.)

Pembroke Corgi, Cardigan Corgi, Golden Retriever, Labrador Retriever
Followed by Newfoundland, Followed by Rem. Working & Group

RING 2 (9.00 a.m.)

Bichon Frise, Italian Greyhound
Followed by Rem Pastoral & Group,
Followed By Rem. Gundogs & Group

RING 3

(9.00 a.m.) Rem. Toys & Group,
Followed by Bulldogs, Followed by Rem. Utility & Group

RING 4

(9.00 a.m.) Beagles, Followed by Rem. Hounds & Group
Followed by Welsh Terrier, Australian Terrier,
Followed by Rem Terrier & Group

JUDGES

Mr W. Browne-Cole (Travella)

Mr T. Ball (Kaitak)

Mr H. Bishop (Brynlluan)

Mr J. Essenhigh (Brynlluan)

Mr P. Fricker (Calavey)

Mr C. Briggs (Bellpins)

Mr G. Parrish (Dangavlyns)

Mr R. Mielczarek (Margobull)

Mrs C. Vines (Parvodene)

Miss L. Bailey (Salenko)

Mrs K. Kingsley (Dainoak)

Mrs E. Breeze (Parkbreeaway)

PREPAID CATALOGUES ONLY.
NONE AVAILABLE FOR SALE ON THE DAY

CLASSIFICATION

(All Classes are for both Dogs and Bitches unless otherwise stated)

CLASSES 1 - 4: PEMBROKE WELSH CORGI

JUDGE: Mr H. BISHOP

*The Pembroke Welsh Corgi Classes are supported by ** THE CORGI CLUB ***

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| 1. Pembroke Corgi – Puppy | 3. Pembroke Corgi – Post Graduate |
| 2. Pembroke Corgi – Junior | 4. Pembroke Corgi – Open |

CLASSES 5 - 8: CARDIGAN WELSH CORGI

JUDGE: Mr G. PARRISH

*The Cardigan Welsh Corgi Classes are supported by ** THE C.W.C.A ***

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| 5. Cardigan Corgi – Puppy | 7. Cardigan Corgi – Post Graduate |
| 6. Cardigan Corgi – Junior | 8. Cardigan Corgi – Open |

CLASSES 9 - 27: REM. PASTORAL BREEDS, N.S.C., IMPORT & GROUP

JUDGE: Mr W. BROWNE-COLE

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| 9. Shetland Sheepdog – Junior | 19. Bearded Collie – Junior |
| 10. Shetland Sheepdog – Post Graduate | 20. Bearded Collie – Open |
| 11. Shetland Sheepdog – Open | 21. Collie (Smooth) – Post Graduate |
| 12. Border Collie – Junior | 22. Collie (Smooth) – Open |
| 13. Border Collie – Post Graduate | 23. A.V Import Register Pastoral – Open |
| 14. Border Collie – Open | 24. A.V.N.S.C. Pastoral – Puppy |
| 15. Old English Sheepdog – Post Graduate | 25. A.V.N.S.C. Pastoral – Open |
| 16. Old English Sheepdog – Open | 26. A.V Pastoral – Puppy |
| 17. Norwegian Buhund – Post Graduate | 27. A.V Pastoral – Veteran |
| 18. Norwegian Buhund – Open | |

Best Pastoral in Group will now be judged by Mr W. Browne-Cole followed by Best Pastoral Puppy in Group

CLASSES 28 -31: NEWFOUNDLAND

JUDGE: Mrs K. KINGSLEY

*The Newfoundland Classes are supported by ** THE SOUTHERN NEWFOUNDLAND CLUB ***

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| 28. Newfoundland – Puppy | 30. Newfoundland – Post Graduate |
| 29. Newfoundland – Junior | 31. Newfoundland – Open |

CLASSES 32 - 47: REM. WORKING BREEDS, N.S.C., IMPORT & GROUP

JUDGE: Mr H. BISHOP

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| 32. Boxer – Open | 40. Rottweiler – Open |
| 33. Alaskan Malamute – Junior | 41. Siberian Husky – Junior |
| 34. Alaskan Malamute – Post Graduate | 42. Siberian Husky – Open |
| 35. Alaskan Malamute – Open | 43. A.V Import Register Working – Open |
| 36. Bullmastiff – Open | 44. A.V.N.S.C. Working – Puppy |
| 37. Bernese Mountain Dog – Open | 45. A.V.N.S.C. Working – Open |
| 38. Great Dane – Open | 46. A.V Working – Puppy |
| 39. Dobermann – Open | 47. A.V Working – Veteran |

** Best Working in Group will now be judged by Mr H. Bishop followed by Best Working Puppy in Group **

CLASSES 48 - 52: BULLDOG

JUDGE: Mr R. MIELCZAREK

*The Bulldog Classes are supported by ** THE JUNIOR BULLDOG CLUB ***

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| 48. Bulldog – Puppy | 51. Bulldog – Limit |
| 49. Bulldog – Junior | 52. Bulldog – Open |
| 50. Bulldog – Post Graduate | |

CLASSES 53 - 75: REM. UTILITY BREEDS, N.S.C., IMPORT & GROUP

JUDGE: Mrs C. VINES

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| 53. Dalmatian – Junior | 65. Keeshond – Open |
| 54. Dalmatian – Post Graduate | 66. Lhasa Apso – Open |
| 55. Dalmatian – Open | 67. Japanese Shiba Inu – Open |
| 56. French Bulldog – Post Graduate | 68. Toy Poodle – Open |
| 57. French Bulldog – Open | 69. Tibetan Terrier – Post Graduate |
| 58. Miniature Schnauzer – Post Graduate | 70. Tibetan Terrier – Open |
| 59. Miniature Schnauzer – Open | 71. A.V Import Register Utility – Open |
| 60. Tibetan Spaniel – Post Graduate | 72. A.V.N.S.C. Utility – Puppy |
| 61. Tibetan Spaniel – Open | 73. A.V.N.S.C. Utility – Open |
| 62. Boston Terrier – Post Graduate | 74. A.V Utility – Puppy |
| 63. Boston Terrier – Open | 75. A.V Utility – Veteran |
| 64. Shih Tzu – Open | |

** Best Utility in Group will now be judged by Mrs C. Vines followed by Best Utility Puppy in Group **

CLASSES 76 - 81: WELSH TERRIER, AUSTRALIAN TERRIER**JUDGE: Mr T. BALL**

76. Welsh Terrier – Junior

79. Australian Terrier – Junior

77. Welsh Terrier – Post Graduate

80. Australian Terrier – Post Graduate

78. Welsh Terrier – Open

81. Australian Terrier – Open

CLASSES 82 - 100: REM. TERRIER BREEDS**JUDGE: Mr P. FRICKER**

82. Staffordshire Bull Terrier – Puppy

92. Jack Russell Terrier – Post Graduate

83. Staffordshire Bull Terrier – Junior

93. Jack Russell Terrier – Open

84. Staffordshire Bull Terrier – Post Graduate

94. Smooth Fox Terrier – Post Graduate

85. Staffordshire Bull Terrier – Open

95. Smooth Fox Terrier – Open

86. Manchester Terrier – Post Graduate

96. Wire Fox Terrier – Post Graduate

87. Manchester Terrier – Open

97. Wire Fox Terrier – Open

88. Border Terrier – Junior

98. Cairn Terrier – Open

89. Border Terrier – Post Graduate

99. W.H.W.T. – Post Graduate

90. Border Terrier – Open

100. W.H.W.T. – Open

91. Parson Russell Terrier – Open

CLASSES 101 - 105: TERRIER N.S.C., IMPORT & GROUP**JUDGE: Mr W. BROWNE-COLE**

101. A.V Import Register Terrier – Open

104. A.V Terrier – Puppy

102. A.V.N.S.C. Terrier – Puppy

105. A.V Terrier – Veteran

103. A.V.N.S.C. Terrier – Open

** Best Terrier in Group will now be judged by Mr W. Browne-Cole followed by Best Terrier Puppy in Group ****CLASSES 106 - 109: BEAGLE****JUDGE: Mrs E. BREEZE**

106. Beagle – Puppy

108. Beagle – Post Graduate

107. Beagle – Junior

109. Beagle – Open

CLASSES 110 -137: REM. HOUNDS BREEDS, N.S.C., IMPORT & GROUP**JUDGE: Miss L. BAILEY***The Whippet Classes are supported by ** THE WHIPPET CLUB OF WALES ***

110. Whippet – Puppy

125. Std. Long Haired Dachshund – Junior

111. Whippet – Junior

126. Std. Long Haired Dachshund – Open

112. Whippet – Post Graduate

127. Std. Wire Haired Dachshund – Junior

113. Whippet – Limit

128. Std. Wire Haired Dachshund – Open

114. Whippet – Open Dog

129. Saluki – Open

115. Whippet – Open Bitch

130. Borzoi – Open

116. Min. Smooth Haired Dachshund – Puppy

131. Rhodesian Ridgeback – Junior

117. Min. Smooth Haired Dachshund – Junior

132. Rhodesian Ridgeback – Open

118. Min. Smooth Haired Dachshund – Open

133. A.V Import Register Hound – Open

119. Min. Long Haired Dachshund – Junior

134. A.V.N.S.C. Hound – Puppy

120. Min. Long Haired Dachshund – Open

135. A.V.N.S.C. Hound – Open

121. Min. Wire Haired Dachshund – Junior

136. A.V Hound – Puppy

122. Min. Wire Haired Dachshund – Open

137. A.V Hound – Veteran

123. Std. Smooth Haired Dachshund – Junior

124. Std. Smooth Haired Dachshund – Open

** Best Hound in Group will now be judged by Miss L. Bailey followed by Best Hound Puppy in Group ****CLASSES 138 - 141: BICHON FRISE, ITALIAN GREYHOUND****JUDGE: Mr W. BROWNE-COLE**

138. Bichon Frise – Post Graduate

140. Italian Greyhound – Post Graduate

139. Bichon Frise – Open

141. Italian Greyhound – Open

CLASSES 142 - 166: REM. TOYS, N.S.C., IMPORT & GROUP**JUDGE: Mr C. BRIGGS**

142. C.K.C.S – Puppy

156. Pug – Junior

143. C.K.C.S – Junior

157. Pug – Open

144. C.K.C.S – Post Graduate

158. Affenpinscher – Post Graduate

145. C.K.C.S – Open

159. Affenpinscher – Open

146. L/C Chihuahua – Junior

160. Chinese Crested – Junior

147. L/C Chihuahua – Post Graduate

161. Chinese Crested – Open

148. L/C Chihuahua – Open

162. A.V Import Register Toy – Open

149. S/C Chihuahua – Junior

163. A.V.N.S.C. Toy - Puppy

150. S/C Chihuahua – Post Graduate

164. A.V.N.S.C. Toy - Open

151. S/C Chihuahua – Open

165. A.V Toy – Puppy

152. Pomeranian – Junior

166. A.V Toy – Veteran

153. Pomeranian – Open

154. Japanese Chin – Post Graduate

155. Japanese Chin – Open

** Best Toy in Group will now be judged by Mr C. Briggs followed by Best Toy Puppy in Group **

CLASSES 167- 170: GOLDEN RETRIEVER

- 167. Golden Retriever – Puppy
- 168. Golden Retriever – Junior

- 169. Golden Retriever – Post Graduate
- 170. Golden Retriever – Open

JUDGE: Mr H. BISHOP

CLASSES 171 - 174: LABRADOR

- 171. Labrador Retriever – Puppy
- 172. Labrador Retriever – Junior

- 173. Labrador Retriever – Post Graduate
- 174. Labrador Retriever – Open

JUDGE: Mr J. ESSENHIGH

CLASSES 175 - 200: REM. GUNDOG BREEDS, N.S.C., IMPORT & GROUP

- 175. Irish Setter – Junior
- 176. Irish Setter – Open
- 177. Irish Red and White Setter – Post Graduate
- 178. Irish Red and White Setter – Open
- 179. Flat Coated Retriever – Post Graduate
- 180. Flat Coated Retriever – Open
- 181. English Springer Spaniel – Junior
- 182. English Springer Spaniel – Open
- 183. Pointer – Post Graduate
- 184. Pointer – Open
- 185. N.S.D.T.R – Post Graduate
- 186. N.S.D.T.R – Open
- 187. German Short Haired Pointer – Open

- 188. German Wire-Haired Pointer – Open
- 189. Welsh Springer Spaniel – Open
- 190. Weimaraner – Post Graduate
- 191. Weimaraner – Open
- 192. American Cocker Spaniel – Post Graduate
- 193. American Cocker Spaniel – Open
- 194. Field Spaniel – Post Graduate
- 195. Field Spaniel – Open
- 196. A.V Import Register Gundog – Open
- 197. A.V.N.S.C. Gundog – Puppy
- 198. A.V.N.S.C. Gundog – Open
- 199. A.V Gundog – Puppy
- 200. A.V Gundog – Veteran

JUDGE: Mr W. BROWNE-COLE

Best Gundog in Group will now be judged by Mr W. Browne-Cole followed by Best Gundog Puppy in Group

BEST IN SHOW & RESERVE BEST IN SHOW
BEST PUPPY IN SHOW & RESERVE BEST PUPPY IN SHOW
BEST VETERAN IN SHOW & RESERVE BEST VETERAN IN SHOW
(To be selected from winners of Classes 27, 47, 75, 105, 137, 166, 200)

WILL NOW BE JUDGED BY
Mr W. BROWNE-COLE

DEFINITIONS OF CLASSES

N.B. In these definitions the word "dog" includes both sexes.

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. **26th DECEMBER 2022**

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 breed, colour, sex, weight or height the Show Secretary shall transfer it to the equivalent class or classes for the correct breed, 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 breed, colour, sex, weight or height. For an exhibit entered incorrectly in a Minor Puppy class or Puppy class, which is over age but under twelve calendar months of age or eighteen calendar months of age respectively, the Show Secretary shall transfer the exhibit to the Puppy class or the Junior class respectively for the correct breed, colour, sex, weight or height, and in the event of there being no Puppy or Junior class to the Open class for the correct breed, 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 breed, 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 breed, 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 breed, 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 day of the Show.

JUNIOR: For dogs of six and not exceeding eighteen calendar months of age on the day of the Show.

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 breeds for which the class is provided and eligible for entry at the Show.

IMPORTED BREED REGISTER: For breeds confined to the Imported Breeds Register and only when an Interim Breed Standard has been published by The Kennel Club. Such breeds may be exhibited in this class Best Imported Register / Best Imported Register Puppy being eligible for Best in Group / Best Puppy in Group or Best in Show / Best Puppy in Show as relevant. Such breeds may be entered into Imported Breed Register classes and/or Any Variety or Stakes classes, with the exception of AVNSC classes, for which they are not eligible.

A.V.N.S.C.: For breeds of dog for which no separate breed classes are scheduled. These classes are not open to breeds which are listed on the Imported Breed Register.

ANY VARIETY: A Variety Class is one in which more than one breed or variety of a breed with a breed standard can compete.

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.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. **OPENING OF SHOW:** The Show will open at 8.30 a.m. (NO Entry to the Hall before this time)
2. **ARRIVAL OF DOGS:** Dogs will be received at any time, but it is the exhibitors responsibility to ensure that exhibits are available for judging when required.
3. **JUDGING COMMENCES:** 9.00 a.m prompt in all rings.
4. **REMOVAL OF DOGS:** Exhibits may be removed from the Show after all their judging has been completed. The Show will close half an hour after all judging has been completed.
5. **ENTRY FEES:** First entry per dog - £6.00.
All subsequent Entries with same dog - £1.00 per class.
Catalogues - £3.00 Pre-paid Only (None for sale on day)
Not for Competition: £2.00
All donations will be gratefully received and acknowledged in the show catalogue.
You May Enter online at www.onlineshowentry.com
6. **PRIZE MONEY AT THIS SHOW:** There is no Prize Money on offer at this Show.
7. **REFUSAL OF ENTRIES:** The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries.
8. **PUPPIES:** Puppies under six calendar months of age on the day of the Show are not eligible for exhibition.
9. **MATING OF BITCHES:** 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 has been declared Best Puppy in Breed, Best Any Variety Not Separately Classified Puppy or Best Any Variety Imported Breed Register Puppy. 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 of Breed, Best in Group or Best in Show is a puppy it may, at the discretion of the judge, be awarded Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show respectively. Where the Reserve Best of Breed, Reserve Best of Group or 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 Breed, Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show respectively. Consequently, selection of Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show must follow the selection of Best of Breed, Best in Group and Best in Show respectively.
Best Puppy in Group and subsequent Group placings must be selected from:
 - a) Those puppies declared Best Puppy in Breed.
 - b) The puppy declared Best Puppy from the Any Variety Not Separately Classified classes in each group.
 - c) The puppy declared Best Puppy from the Any Variety Imported Breed Register classes in each group.Best Puppy in Show must be selected from the Best Puppy in Group winners.
11. **BEST IN SHOW:**
The dog declared Best in Show is a dog which has competed and has been declared Best of Breed, Best Any Variety Not Separately Classified or Best Any Variety Imported Breed Register.
Shows Judged on the Group System: (Definition: Shows judged on the Group System includes classes for breeds within more than one group, as defined in Kennel Club Regulation B(A); and require a judge to declare a best of each group after which the exhibits so declared will compete for the award of Best in Show and Reserve Best in Show.)
 - 1) *Best of Breed:* Where a breed is separately classified a Best of Breed may be declared from those exhibits which have received a first prize in a breed class at the show. Where separate classes are provided for each sex of a breed a Best of each Sex must be declared.
 - 2) *Best of Group:* Best of group and subsequent placings must be selected from:-
 - a) The Best of Breed winners in each group.
 - b) The best dog from the Any Variety Not Separately Classified classes in each group or on each day.
 - c) The Best dog from Any Variety Imported Breed Register classes in each Group or on each day.
 - 3) *Best in Show:* Best in Show must be selected from the Best of Group winners. Reserve Best in Show must be selected from the remaining Group winners following the selection for 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 being 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 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:** 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.

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.

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 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
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. Information from Entry Forms will be stored on computer and the name, address and details of entries may be published in the catalogue, unless otherwise advised: information results may also be published and/or provided to the press for publication. Information about exhibitors may also be passed to any regulatory authority or trading standards. The making of an entry is irrevocable consent for the storage and disclosure of information in this way.

Use of Electrical Equipment at Shows

The Kennel Club is becoming increasingly concerned at the amount of electrical equipment being used by exhibitors at shows, including hair dryers and hair straighteners and other grooming devices.

Electrical equipment should not be brought to shows unless absolutely necessary. In rare instances where it might be required, it should be PAT tested and permission sought from the secretary of the show before it is used.

The Kennel Club has also been informed of recent instances of exhibitors commandeering certain areas of a venue in order to have access to power-points so as to use electrical grooming equipment. This is totally unacceptable and particularly unfair on the breeds whose allocated areas have been cramped because of this selfish behaviour.

Security at Shows

In light of recent events the Kennel Club would like to issue a reminder to all Societies of the importance of security at dog shows.

The Kennel Club understands that due to the nature of dog shows and the quantity of paraphernalia exhibitors bring it would be extremely difficult for show organisers to take on the issue of security alone, therefore we would reiterate the advice being given by the Police and security services, that everyone in the UK should remain vigilant and this applies to those organising and taking part in dog shows.

The importance of exhibitors feeling that they and their dogs are safe when attending a show cannot be underestimated. We would therefore remind you of the importance of the need for show organisers and exhibitors to remain mindful of potential dangers and that all visitors generally need to be vigilant and alert.

Furthermore the society should provide robust notification informing exhibitors of where to report to should they see anything suspicious or of concern, and of the evacuation procedures in place.

Soft Crates

The Kennel Club has drawn attention to the potential health and safety implications concerning the use of soft crates at shows as in its view, they do not offer sufficient protection to dogs. Soft crates left unattended at the ringside are a potential hazard particularly when occupied by large breeds, and it has been known for dogs to become distressed and move soft crates along the floor and also escape. Soft crates should only be used when there is sufficient room available and when they can be safely secured.

Note for Exhibitors

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.

N.B. Exhibitors of Puppies

Puppies are not eligible to enter AVNSC classes if their breed is scheduled – if there is no puppy class in your scheduled breed you can enter in any breed class, the puppies will then be eligible to compete for Best Puppy in Breed if they are unbeaten by another puppy in their breed. Puppies of breeds not scheduled at this show can enter any of the AVNSC classes in their Group and, if unbeaten by another puppy, can compete for AVNSC Puppy in their Group.

Exhibitors are reminded that it is their responsibility to display their Exhibit / Bench number on Crates / Cages at all times. This is a Kennel Club requirement. The original exhibit / bench number card, as provided by the Show Society, must not be used for this purpose.

Kennel Club Regulations F12 – Dog Fouling & Grooming Waste

- A. Any owner, Exhibitor or handler or other person in charge of a dog is required to remove immediately any fouling caused by their dog(s) and/or any grooming waste at any Kennel Club licensed venue and within the environs of that event including car and caravan parks and approaches.
- B. Any organisation holding a Kennel Club licensed event is required to provide an adequate number of receptacles for the disposal of such fouling waste.
- C. The Chalking, Powdering or spraying (with exception of water) of exhibits within the precincts of the show is forbidden.

REGULATIONS FOR THE PREPARATION OF DOGS FOR EXHIBITION F (Annex B)

1. These Regulations must be observed when a dog is prepared for exhibition and/or exhibited at any Kennel Club Licensed event. Objections may be referred to the General Committee for disciplinary action under these Show Regulations and/or disciplinary action under Kennel Club Rule A42.
 - a) A dog found to have been exhibited in breach of these Regulations will automatically be disqualified from exhibition at the Show and from any award gained thereat.
 - b) Unless the exhibitor provides a satisfactory explanation for the dog being exhibited in breach of these Regulations then he/she may be subject to further penalties of either a fine or as listed under Rule A42.
2. (a) No substance which alters the natural colour, texture, or body of the coat may be present in the dog's coat for any purpose at any time during the Show. No substance which alters the natural colour of any external part of the dog may be present on the dog for any purpose at any time during the show.
(b) Any other substance (other than water) which may be used in the preparation of a dog for exhibition must not be allowed to remain in the coat or on any other part of the dog at the time of exhibition.
3. No act or operation which alters the natural conformation of a dog or any part thereof may be performed except:-
 - (a) Operations certified to the satisfaction of the General Committee.
 - (b) The removal of dewclaws of any breed.
 - (c) Operations to prevent breeding, provided that such operations are notified to the Kennel Club before neutered dogs are shown.Nor must anything be done calculated in the opinion of the General Committee to deceive.
4. The General Committee without previous notice may order an examination of any dog or dogs at any show. Any examination thus ordered will be made by a person having executive authority who shall have a written directive from the Kennel Club in their possession. Samples may be taken for further examination and analysis.
5. An individual has the right to lodge an objection to a dog only if he/she is the owner or handler of a dog competing in the same breed or class. An objection may, however, be lodged by an official of the show or by anyone so deputed by the Kennel Club. It will be the responsibility of the individual who lodges the objection or the official (as appropriate) to substantiate the grounds for the objection. The Kennel Club will substantiate the grounds for an objection made on its behalf.
6. Any objection by the individual related to an infringement of these Regulations must be made in writing to the Show Secretary at his/her office before the close of the Show and the individual must produce evidence of identity at the time of lodging the complaint.

The Officers & Committee of Cardiff Canine Society do not accept responsibility for any products advertised or sold by Stall Holders and/or Trade Stands at this Show. Exhibitors are reminded that products on sale by Stall Holders or Trade Stands for the preparation and grooming of dogs may not meet the requirements of the above regulations.



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