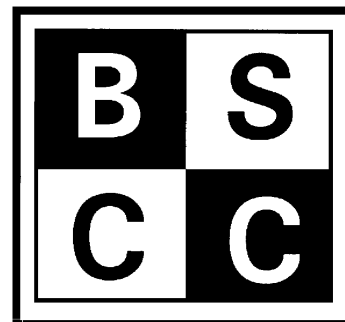


# ***Billingham Synthonia Canine Club***

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## **Schedule of 349 Class Unbenched OPEN SHOW**

Held under Kennel Club Rules & Regulations  
Judged on the Group System

**at TEMPLE PARK LEISURE CENTRE,  
John Reid Road, South Shields. NE34 8QN**

**on SUNDAY 25th FEBRUARY, 2024**

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

Show Opens : 8.30 a.m.

**JUDGING COMMENCES : 9.30. a.m.**

**Show Manager : Mr. S. Pearson Chief Steward: Miss L. Marley**

**Veterinary Surgeon : Williams & Cummings, 47 Otto Terrace, Sunderland.  
Tel: (0191) 5673722**

### **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 5).

**Pre-Paid Catalogues Only - To be collected by 11.00 a.m.**

**STAKES CLASSES PRIZE MONEY 1st £20.00 : 2nd £15.00 : 3rd £10.00 : 4th £5.00**

**Group & Puppy Group Winners £10.00**

**B.I.S. £35.00**

**B.P.I.S. £25.00**

**ENTRY FEES: First Entry £6.00 per dog - Subsequent Entries for SAME DOG £1.00**

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".

**ONLINE ENTRIES ONLY - NO POSTAL ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED**

**On-line entries close: SATURDAY 10th FEBRUARY, 2024 (Midnight)**

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# BILLINGHAM SYNTHONIA CANINE CLUB

## ROSETTES

BEST OF BREED, BEST PUPPY IN BREED, BEST N.S.C., BEST N.S.C. PUPPY  
 BEST IMPORT REGISTER AND ALL GROUP WINNERS  
 BEST IN SHOW, RES. BEST IN SHOW, BEST PUPPY IN SHOW, RES. BEST PUPPY IN SHOW  
 BEST VETERAN IN SHOW, RES. BEST VETERAN IN SHOW  
 BEST VETERAN IN SHOW WILL BE TAKEN FROM THE AV VETERAN CLASS WINNERS

## GUNDOG GROUP

### RING 1 - 9.30 a.m.

|                                      |    |   |    |   |  |                                       |    |    |    |   |
|--------------------------------------|----|---|----|---|--|---------------------------------------|----|----|----|---|
| IRISH SETTER                         | 1  | P |    |   |  | JUDGE:- MASON THORNE (MABANIKA)       | 2  | PG | 3  | O |
| POINTER                              | 4  | P |    |   |  |                                       | 5  | PG | 6  | O |
| <b>RING 1 (following Pointers))</b>  |    |   |    |   |  | <b>JUDGE:- FLO BARKER (FLINTHILL)</b> |    |    |    |   |
| A.V. GUNDOG IMPORTED BREEDS REGISTER |    |   | 7  | J |  |                                       | 8  | PG | 9  | O |
| WEIMARANER                           | 10 | P |    |   |  |                                       | 11 | PG | 12 | O |
| AMERICAN COCKER SPANIEL              | 13 | P |    |   |  |                                       | 14 | PG | 15 | O |
| BRACCO ITALIANO                      |    |   |    |   |  |                                       |    |    | 16 | O |
| HUNGARIAN VISZLA                     | 17 | P |    |   |  |                                       | 18 | PG | 19 | O |
| COCKER SPANIEL                       | 20 | P | 21 | J |  |                                       | 22 | PG | 23 | O |
| CLUMBER SPANIEL                      |    |   |    |   |  |                                       |    |    | 24 | O |
| WELSH SPRINGER SPANIEL               | 25 | P |    |   |  |                                       | 26 | PG | 27 | O |
| LABRADOR RETRIEVER                   | 28 | P |    |   |  |                                       | 29 | PG | 30 | O |
| CURLY COATED RETRIEVER               |    |   |    |   |  |                                       |    |    | 31 | O |
| ENGLISH SETTER                       | 32 | P |    |   |  |                                       | 33 | PG | 34 | O |
| NSDT RETRIEVER                       | 35 | P |    |   |  |                                       | 36 | PG | 37 | O |
| GERMAN SHORTHAIRED POINTER           | 38 | P | 39 | J |  |                                       | 40 | PG | 41 | O |
| ITALIAN SPINONE                      | 42 | P |    |   |  |                                       | 43 | PG | 44 | O |
| GERMAN WIREHAired POINTER            | 45 | P |    |   |  |                                       | 46 | PG | 47 | O |
| ENGLISH SPRINGER SPANIEL             | 48 | P | 49 | J |  |                                       | 50 | PG | 51 | O |
| GOLDEN RETRIEVER                     | 52 | P |    |   |  |                                       | 53 | PG | 54 | L |
| A.V.N.S.C. GUNDOG                    | 56 | P |    |   |  |                                       | 57 | PG | 58 | O |

BEST IN GROUP & BEST PUPPY IN GROUP WILL NOW BE JUDGED

JUDGE:- FLO BARKER

|             |    |   |    |   |    |    |    |   |    |   |
|-------------|----|---|----|---|----|----|----|---|----|---|
| A.V. GUNDOG | 59 | P | 60 | J | 61 | PG | 62 | O | 63 | V |
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## HOUND GROUP

### RING 2 9.30 a.m.

|                                     |     |   |    |    |   |     |    |     |   |
|-------------------------------------|-----|---|----|----|---|-----|----|-----|---|
| A.V. HOUND IMPORTED BREEDS REGISTER |     |   |    | 64 | J | 65  | PG | 66  | O |
| DACHSHUND SH                        | 67  | P |    |    |   | 68  | PG | 69  | O |
| DACHSHUND WH                        | 70  | P |    |    |   |     |    | 71  | O |
| DACHSHUND MSH                       | 72  | P |    |    |   | 73  | PG | 74  | O |
| DACHSHUND MLH                       | 75  | P |    |    |   | 76  | PG | 77  | O |
| DACHSHUND MWH                       | 78  | P |    |    |   |     |    | 79  | O |
| WHIPPET                             | 80  | P | 81 | J  |   | 82  | PG | 83  | O |
| RHODESIAN RIDGEBACK                 | 84  | P | 85 | J  |   | 86  | PG | 87  | O |
| BEAGLE                              | 88  | P | 89 | J  |   | 90  | PG | 91  | O |
| AFGHAN HOUND                        |     |   |    |    |   |     |    | 92  | O |
| BASENJI                             | 93  | P |    |    |   | 94  | PG | 95  | O |
| SALUKI                              | 96  | P |    |    |   | 97  | PG | 98  | O |
| IRISH WOLFHOUND                     | 99  | P |    |    |   |     |    | 100 | O |
| DEERHOUND                           | 101 | P |    |    |   | 102 | PG | 103 | O |
| BORZOI                              | 104 | P |    |    |   | 105 | PG | 106 | O |
| A.V.N.S.C. HOUND                    | 107 | P |    |    |   | 108 | PG | 109 | O |

BEST IN GROUP AND BEST PUPPY IN GROUP WILL NOW BE JUDGED

JUDGE:- LIZ CUDLIP

|            |     |   |     |   |     |    |     |   |     |   |
|------------|-----|---|-----|---|-----|----|-----|---|-----|---|
| A.V. HOUND | 110 | P | 111 | J | 112 | PG | 113 | O | 114 | V |
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## UTILITY GROUP

### **RING 3 (following Hungarian Puli)**

|                                       |       |
|---------------------------------------|-------|
| A.V. UTILITY IMPORTED BREEDS REGISTER |       |
| TIBETAN SPANIEL                       | 118 P |
| TIBETAN TERRIER                       | 121 P |
| LHASA APSO                            | 125 P |
| SHIH TZU                              | 128 P |
| BULLDOG                               | 131 P |
| DALMATIAN                             | 135 P |
| BOSTON TERRIER                        | 138 P |
| SHAR PEI                              | 140 P |
| FRENCH BULLDOG                        | 142 P |
| MINIATURE SCHNAUZER                   | 146 P |
| CHOW CHOW                             | 149 P |
| POODLE (TOY)                          | 151 P |
| POODLE (MINIATURE)                    | 154 P |
| POODLE (STANDARD)                     | 157 P |
| SHIBA INU                             | 160 P |
| A.V.N.S.C. UTILITY                    | 162 P |

### **JUDGE:- RUSSELL MOSEDALE (KNIGHTSBAY)**

|       |        |       |
|-------|--------|-------|
| 115 J | 116 PG | 117 O |
|       | 119 PG | 120 O |
| 122 J | 123 PG | 124 O |
|       | 126 PG | 127 O |
|       | 129 PG | 130 O |
| 132 J | 133 PG | 134 O |
|       | 136 PG | 137 O |
|       |        | 139 O |
|       |        | 141 O |
| 143 J | 144 PG | 145 O |
|       | 147 PG | 148 O |
|       |        | 150 O |
|       | 152 PG | 153 O |
|       | 155 PG | 156 O |
|       | 158 PG | 159 O |
|       |        | 161 O |
|       | 163 PG | 164 O |

BEST IN GROUP AND BEST PUPPY IN GROUP WILL NOW BE JUDGED  
JUDGE:- RUSSELL MOSEDALE

|              |       |       |        |       |       |
|--------------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|
| A.V. UTILITY | 165 P | 166 J | 167 PG | 168 O | 169 V |
|--------------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|

## TERRIER GROUP

### **RING 6 9.30 a.m.**

|                            |       |
|----------------------------|-------|
| STAFFORDSHIRE BULL TERRIER | 170 P |
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### **JUDGE:- DAVE LAMBERT (SEITTOR)**

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| 171 O |
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### **RING 4 9.30 a.m.**

|                                       |  |
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| A.V. TERRIER IMPORTED BREEDS REGISTER |  |
|---------------------------------------|--|

### **JUDGE:- GILLIAN GRIFFITHS (STARLAND)**

|                             |       |
|-----------------------------|-------|
| BORDER TERRIER              | 173 P |
| WEST HIGHLAND WHITE TERRIER | 177 P |
| WELSH TERRIER               | 179 P |
| SCOTTISH TERRIER            | 181 P |
| FOX TERRIER (SMOOTH)        | 183 P |
| CAIRN TERRIER               | 185 P |
| NORWICH TERRIER             | 187 P |
| SKYE TERRIER                | 189 P |
| KERRY BLUE TERRIER          |       |
| BEDLINGTON TERRIER          | 193 P |
| JACK RUSSELL TERRIER        | 195 P |
| A.V.N.S.C. TERRIER          | 197 P |

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|--------|-------|--------|-------|
| 172 O  | 174 J | 175 PG | 176 O |
| 178 O  |       |        | 180 O |
| 182 O  |       |        | 184 O |
| 186 O  |       |        | 188 O |
| 190 O  |       |        | 192 O |
| 194 O  |       | 191 PG | 196 O |
| 198 PG |       |        | 199 O |

BEST IN GROUP AND BEST PUPPY IN GROUP WILL NOW BE JUDGED  
JUDGE:- GILLIAN GRIFFITHS

|              |       |       |        |       |       |
|--------------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|
| A.V. TERRIER | 200 P | 201 J | 202 PG | 203 O | 204 V |
|--------------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|

## TOY GROUP

### **RING 3 9.30 a.m.**

|                               |       |
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| CAVALIER KING CHARLES SPANIEL | 205 P |
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### **JUDGE:- RUSSELL MOSEDALE (KNIGHTSBAY)**

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| 206 J | 207 PG | 208 O |
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### **RING 5 (following Rottweiler)**

|                      |       |
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| KING CHARLES SPANIEL | 209 P |
| PAPILLON             | 212 P |

### **JUDGE:- LORAIN RATTER (SEAFAR)**

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| 210 PG | 211 O |
| 213 PG | 214 O |

### **RING 7 9.30 a.m.**

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| A.V. TOY IMPORTED BREEDS REGISTER |  |
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### **JUDGE:- WENDY WATERS (SWEETBRIAR)**

|                    |       |
|--------------------|-------|
| JAPANESE CHIN      | 218 P |
| CHIHUAHUA S/C      | 222 P |
| CHIHUAHUA L/C      | 226 P |
| LOWCHEN            | 230 P |
| BICHON FRISE       | 232 P |
| HAVANESE           | 235 P |
| PUG                | 237 P |
| MINIATURE PINSCHER | 241 P |
| ITALIAN GREYHOUND  | 244 P |
| COTON DE TULEAR    | 247 P |
| A.V.N.S.C. TOY     | 250 P |

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|-------|--------|-------|
| 215 J | 216 PG | 217 O |
| 219 J | 220 PG | 221 O |
| 223 J | 224 PG | 225 O |
| 227 J | 228 PG | 229 O |
|       | 233 PG | 234 O |
|       |        | 236 O |
| 238 J | 239 PG | 240 O |
|       | 242 PG | 243 O |
|       | 245 PG | 246 O |
|       | 248 PG | 249 O |
|       | 251 PG | 252 O |

BEST IN GROUP AND BEST PUPPY IN GROUP WILL NOW BE JUDGED  
JUDGE:- WENDY WATERS

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| A.V. TOY | 253 P | 254 J | 255 PG | 256 O | 257 V |
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## **PASTORAL GROUP**

### **RING 3 (following CKCS)**

**JUDGE:- RUSSELL MOSEDALE (KNIGHTSBAY)**

|                   |       |       |        |       |
|-------------------|-------|-------|--------|-------|
| SHETLAND SHEEPDOG | 258 P | 259 J | 260 PG | 261 O |
| HUNGARIAN PULI    |       |       | 262 L  | 263 O |

### **RING 5 (following Papillon)**

**JUDGE:- LORAIN RATTER (SEAFAR)**

|                                        |       |        |        |
|----------------------------------------|-------|--------|--------|
| A.V. PASTORAL IMPORTED BREEDS REGISTER | 264 J | 265 PG | 266 O  |
| SAMOYED                                | 267 P |        | 268 O  |
| OLD ENGLISH SHEEPDOG                   |       | 269 PG | 270 O  |
| BORDER COLLIE                          | 271 P | 272 J  | 273 PG |
| ROUGH COLLIE                           | 275 P |        | 274 O  |
| BEARDED COLLIE                         |       | 276 PG | 277 O  |
| AUSTRALIAN SHEPHERD                    | 281 P | 278 J  | 279 PG |
| BSD (TERVUEREN)                        | 283 P |        | 280 O  |
| BSD (GROENENDALE)                      | 286 P |        | 282 O  |
| WELSH CORGI (PEMBROKE)                 | 289 P |        | 284 L  |
| PYRENEAN MOUNTAIN DOG                  | 291 P |        | 287 L  |
| A.V.N.S.C. PASTORAL                    | 294 P | 292 PG | 288 O  |
|                                        |       | 295 PG | 290 O  |
|                                        |       |        | 293 O  |
|                                        |       |        | 296 O  |

**BEST IN GROUP AND BEST PUPPY IN GROUP WILL NOW BE JUDGED**

**JUDGE:- LORAIN RATTER**

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|---------------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|
| A.V. PASTORAL | 297 P | 298 J | 299 PG | 300 O | 301 V |
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## **WORKING GROUP**

### **RING 5 9.30 a.m.**

**JUDGE:- LORAIN RATTER (SEAFAR)**

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|------------|-------|--------|-------|
| ROTTWEILER | 302 P | 303 PG | 304 O |
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### **RING 6 (following SBT's)**

**JUDGE:- DAVE LAMBERT (SEITOR)**

|                                       |       |        |        |
|---------------------------------------|-------|--------|--------|
| A.V. WORKING IMPORTED BREEDS REGISTER | 305 J | 306 PG | 307 O  |
| DOGUE DE BORDEAUX                     | 308 P | 309 PG | 310 O  |
| BOXER                                 | 311 P |        | 312 O  |
| NEWFOUNDLAND                          | 313 P | 314 PG | 315 O  |
| LEONBERGER                            | 316 P | 317 PG | 318 O  |
| BERNESE MOUNTAIN DOG                  | 319 P | 320 PG | 321 O  |
| ALASKAN MALAMUTE                      | 322 P | 323 J  | 324 PG |
| SIBERIAN HUSKY                        | 326 P |        | 325 O  |
| DOBERMANN                             | 329 P | 327 PG | 328 O  |
| GREAT DANE                            | 332 P | 330 PG | 331 O  |
| BULLMASTIFF                           | 335 P | 333 PG | 334 O  |
| A.V.N.S.C. WORKING                    | 338 P | 336 PG | 337 O  |
|                                       |       | 339 PG | 340 O  |

**BEST IN GROUP AND BEST PUPPY IN GROUP WILL NOW BE JUDGED**

**JUDGE:- DAVE LAMBERT**

|              |       |       |        |       |       |
|--------------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|
| A.V. WORKING | 341 P | 342 J | 343 PG | 344 O | 345 V |
|--------------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|

**BEST IN SHOW, BEST PUPPY IN SHOW (combined Ring 1 & 2)**

**WILL NOW BE JUDGED BY RUSSELL MOSEDALE**

**FOLLOWED BY BEST VETERAN IN SHOW**

**(taken from the 7 winners of AV Veteran Classes)**

**STAKES CLASSES - JUDGE GILLIAN GRIFFITHS (Ring 4 following Terrier Group)**

### **PRIZE MONEY IN THE STAKES CLASSES**

**1st £20.00; 2nd £15.00; 3rd £10.00; Reserve £5.00**

- 346 ANY VARIETY PUPPY STAKES
- 347 ANY VARIETY JUNIOR STAKES
- 348 ANY VARIETY POST GRADUATE STAKES
- 349 ANY VARIETY OPEN STAKES

**JUNIOR HANDLING CLASSES - JUDGE:- MASON THORNE (MABANIKA)  
(FIRST AVAILABLE RING )**

- CLASS A 6 - 11 YEARS
- CLASS B 12 - 16 YEARS

## **DEFINITIONS OF CLASSES**

(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 first closing date shall be counted when entering for any class i.e.: **3rd February, 2024.**

Wins in Variety classes do not count for entry in Breed classes but when entering for 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 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 and, 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.

b) If an exhibit is entered incorrectly in a Minor Puppy Class, Puppy Class or Junior Class, which is over age but under 12 calendar months of age, 18 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 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.

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| <b>PUPPY</b>                   | For dogs of 6 and not exceeding 12 calendar months of age on the first day of the Show.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| <b>JUNIOR</b>                  | For dogs of 6 and not exceeding 18 calendar months of age on the first day of the Show.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| <b>POST GRADUATE</b>           | 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.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| <b>LIMIT</b>                   | For dogs which have not become show Champions under 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 seven 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.                                                                                                                       |
| <b>OPEN</b>                    | For all dogs of the breeds for which the class is provided and eligible for entry at the Show.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| <b>VETERAN</b>                 | For all dogs of not less than 7 years of age on the day of the Show.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| <b>A.V.N.S.C.</b>              | For breeds of dog for which no separate breed classes are scheduled.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| <b>IMPORTED BREED REGISTER</b> | 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 with the 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. |
| <b>NOT FOR COMPETITION</b>     | 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. Dogs must be over 4 months old on date of show.                                                                                                                                                                                                       |

## RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. The Show will open at 8.30 a.m.
2. 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 will commence at 9.30 a.m.
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. **ENTRY FEES:** £6.00 First Entry per Dog, £1.00 subsequent entries for SAME DOG.  
Not for competition £1.00 per dog.
6. The amount of prize money on offer at this show is: Stakes Classes only 1<sup>st</sup> £20.00; 2<sup>nd</sup> £15.00; 3<sup>rd</sup> £10.00; Res. £5.00; Group & Puppy Group Winners £10.00, B.I.S. £35.00. B.P.I.S. £25.00.
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 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 awarded Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group or Best Puppy in Show respectively. Consequently selection of Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group & Best Puppy in Show must follow the selection of Best of Breed, Best in Group & 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 or on each day.
  - c) The puppy declared Best Puppy from the Any Variety Imported Breed Register classes in each group.
11. **BEST IN SHOW:** The dog declared Best in Show is a dog which has competed and has been declared Best on Breed, Best Any Variety Not Separately Classified or Best Any Variety Imported Breed Register.
  - a) Shows Judged on the Group System (Definition; Shows judged on the Group System included classes for breeds within more than one Group, as defined in the Kennel Club Regulations 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 must be declared. Where separate classes are provided for each sex of a breed a Best of each Sex must be declared.
    2. 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.
      - c) The Best dog from Any Variety Imported Breed Register classes in each Group.
    - 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.
- 11a. Best Veteran in Show will be taken from the winners of AV Veteran Classes.
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 been 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 practices 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 KC licenced 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. Puppies from 4-6 months old may be entered **NOT FOR COMPETITION** at this show.
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.

### **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 understand 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 re-iterated 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 to shows generally need to be vigilant and alert. Furthermore the society provide robust notification informing exhibitors of where to report to should they see anything suspicious or of concern, and the evacuation procedures in place.

In view of the above, should you see anything suspicious or of concern, please alert the Show Manager, and/or the Show Secretary immediately. If it is a package or bag you are concerned about, please do NOT attempt to move it or examine it yourself.

Should it be necessary for the hall to be evacuated, please remember that evacuation should be carried out as speedily but as safely carried out as possible, as in the case of a fire. It is important that you do not block the exit routes with cages or bags. Please follow any instructions given to you by the Show Management regarding evacuation procedures.

### **PRIVACY & DATA PROTECTION**

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## Directions to the Venue:-

From the A19 North or South - exit on to the A194 sign posted for South Shields.

At the first roundabout turn right and follow the brown sports signs.



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