DIRECTIONS TO THE VENUE The Swan Centre for Leisure,

Northumberland Road, Tweedmouth, Berwick-upon-Tweed. TD15 2AS

From the A1 take A1167 to Berwick, follow road to Mini Roundabout, Leisure Centre is on the left. From North DO NOT leave A1 at Morrisons Roundabout, Stay on the Bypass until Scremerston/Tweedmouth Roundabout.

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Cheviot & Berwick Canine Society

SCHEDULE OF 109 CLASS UNBENCHED

OPEN SHOW

Held under Kennel Club Rules & Regulations
JUDGED ON THE GROUP SYSTEM

THE SWAN CENTRE FOR LEISURE,

Northumberland Road, Berwick-upon-Tweed. TD15 2AS

on SATURDAY 21st JULY, 2018

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

Show Opens: 9.00 a.m. JUDGING: 9.45 a.m. prompt

Guarantors to the Kennel Club

(Chairman) Mr. G. Nesbitt, Battlement View Cottage, Alnwick Moor, Alnwick, Northumberland NE66 2AE (Hon. Secretary) Mrs. L. Nesbitt, Battlement View Cottage, Alnwick Moor, Alnwick, Northumberland NE66 2AE Tel. No. (01665) 602961

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Show Manager : Mr. G. Nesbitt

Veterinary Surgeon (On Call)

Alnorthumbria Veterinary Group, 29 Ryecroft Way, Wooler, Northumberland. NE71 6DY Tel: (01668) 281323

ROSETTES: For 1st Places, Groups, Puppy Groups
Best in Show, Reserve Best in Show, Best Puppy in Show,
Reserve Best Puppy in Show, Best Veteran in Show.
Best Veteran in Show will come from Class 1.

ENTRY FEES: £4.50 PER DOG First Class, £1.00 Subsequent Classes NFC. £1.00

CATALOGUES: £2.00 Pre-paid with Entries (None on Day)

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".

Limited Catering Available - Strictly No Parking on Farmfoods Car Park

ENTRIES CLOSE: MONDAY 25th JUNE, 2018 (Postmark)

HON. SECRETARY: MRS. L. NESBITT,

Battlement View Cottage, Alnwick Moor,

Alnwick,

Northumberland. NE66 2AE *Tel. No. (01665) 602961*

CLASSIFICATIONAll classes are for DOGS and BITCHES unless otherwise stated.

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TER	RIER GROUP - RING 1 (not be	fore 10.15 a.m.	.)	JUDGE: CRAIG RICHARDSON (HIGHDENE)					
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	BEST IN GROUP & BPIG WILL NOW BE JUDGED BY MISS KRISTEN THEOBALD								
26	A.V. HOUND	PUPPY	27	A.V. HOUND	OPEN				
PASTORAL GROUP - RING 2 (not before 10.15 a.m.) JUDGE: LAUREN SPENCE (CABHARAN)									
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88 A.V. TOY	PUPPY	89	A.V. TOY	OPEN				
GUNDOG GROUP - RING 4 (not before 10.15 a.m.) JUDGE: MRS. JENNIFER MURRAY (PRIESTBECK)								
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BEST IN GROUP & BPIG WILL NOW BE JUDGED BY MRS. JENNIFER MURRAY								

MAIN RING BEST IN SHOW & BEST PUPPY IN SHOW WILL NOW BE JUDGED BY CRAIG RICHARDSON

PUPPY 109 A.V. GUNDOG

OPEN

108 A.V. GUNDOG

SPECIAL NOTES TO EXHIBITORS:-EXHIBITORS ARE ADVISED TO BRING ALONG A CHAIR An exercise area will be provided, but exhibitors must clean up after their dogs, bags will be provided.

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 a 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.: **Monday 18th June, 2018.**

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) 20. WITHDRAWAL: The dog may be withdrawn from competition subject to the conditions of Regulations

20.
(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.

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 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.

GRADUATE For dogs which have not won four or more First Prizes at Championship

Shows in Graduate, Post Graduate, Minor Limit, Mid Limit, Limit and Open

classes, whether restricted or not.

POST GRADUATE For dogs which have not won five or more First Prizes at Championship

Shows in Post Graduate, Minor Limit, Mid Limit, Limit and Open Classes,

whether restricted or not.

OPEN For all dogs of the breeds for which the class is provided and eligible for entry

at the Show.

For all dogs of not less than seven years of age on the day of the Show. **VETERAN**

A.V.N.S.C. For breeds of dog for which no separate breed classes are scheduled.

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 only, with the winning dog been eligible for Best in Group/Best Puppy in Group or Best in Show/Best Puppy in Show as

relevant.

NOT FOR COMPETITION Societies may at their discretion, accept Not for Competition entries.

Societies may accept such entries from breeds of dogs 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

- The Show will open at 9.00 a.m.
- Dogs will be received at any time but it is the exhibitors responsibility to ensure that exhibits are available for judging when required.

Judging will commence at 9.45 a.m.

- 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. **ENTRY FEES:** £4.50 First Entry per Dog, £1.00p subsequent entries for SAME DOG. NFC £1.00 each dog. Membership Fees: Joint £3.00, Single £2.50. 5.

PRIZE MONEY: No Prize money will be paid. The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries.

Puppies under six calendar months of age on the first day of the Show are not eligible for exhibition.

Puppies under six calendar months of age on the first day of the Show are not eligible for exhibition. The mating of bitches within the precincts of the Show is forbidden. **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 Import 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 should automatically be awarded Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show respectively. Where the Best of Breed, Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group Group and Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group Group and Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group Group and Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group Group and Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group Group and Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group Group and Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group Group and Best Puppy in Breed, Bes Group and 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 of Group & Best in Show respectively. Best Puppy in Group and subsequent Puppy 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 Registered Classes in each group or on each day.

Best Puppy in Show must be selected from the Best Puppy in Group Winners.

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.

a) 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 the Kennel Club Regulations B(A); and require a single to declare a best of page and the sward of t 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) <u>Best of Breed</u>: Where a breed is separately classified a Best of Breed may be declared but only from those dogs 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:-

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 the Any Variety Imported Breed Registered 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.

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 a special permission of the Show Management.

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 Kennel Club Show Regulation F11.

All exhibitors must be familiar with Kennel Club Regulation F (Annex B) Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition.

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

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 General Committee for disciplinary action under 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 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.

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.

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.

REGULATIONS FOR THE PREPARATION OF DOGS FOR EXHIBITION F (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 for disciplinary action under Kennel Club Rule A11.
 - 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 there at.
 - 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 A11.
- 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 by 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 dew claws 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 to 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 an 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 & the individual must produce evidence of identity at the time of lodging the complaint.

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 organizers 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 organizing 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 organizers and exhibitors to remain mindful of potential dangers and that all visitors generally need to be vigilant and alert.

Should you see anything suspicious or of concern, please alert the Show Secretary, or any of the Leisure Centre Staff 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 as possible, as in the case of a fire. It is important that you do not block the exit routes with cages or bags and follow any instructions given to you by the Show Management regarding evacuation procedures.