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CANINE
SOCIETY

SCHEDULE OF 189 CLASS
OPEN SHOW

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

Held in
TEMPLE PARK CENTRE,
John Reid Road, South Shields. NE34 8QN
on SUNDAY 17th MARCH, 2024

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

Doors Open : 8.30 a.m.

Judging Commences : 9.30 a.m.

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).

Veterinary Surgeon

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**Entry Fees:- £6.00 First Entry each dog
£1.00 Subsequent Entries same dog,
Prepaid Catalogue £3.00 (£3.50 on Show 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".*

**Postal entries close: MONDAY 19th FEBRUARY, 2024 (Postmark)
On-line entries close: SATURDAY 2nd MARCH, 2024 (Midnight)
To enter online go to - www.cavalierimpressions.co.uk**

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CLASSIFICATION

All classes are for DOGS and BITCHES unless otherwise stated.

HOUND GROUP

RING 1

JUDGE:-MRS. J. CUMBERLAND

PLEASE NOTE: DACHSHUNDS WILL NOT BE WEIGHED AT THIS SHOW

1	DACHSHUND MIN. S/H	OPEN	4	DACHSHUND MIN. W/H	OPEN
2	DACHSHUND MIN. L/H	OPEN	5	DACHSHUND W/H	OPEN
3	DACHSHUND S/H	OPEN			

6	BASENJI	OPEN	14	SALUKI	OPEN
7	BEAGLE	OPEN	15	WHIPPET	JUNIOR
8	BASSET FAUVE DE BRETAGNE	OPEN	16	WHIPPET	GRADUATE
9	BORZOI	OPEN	17	WHIPPET	OPEN
10	DEERHOUND	POST GRADUATE	18	A.V.N.S.C. HOUND	PUPPY
11	DEERHOUND	OPEN	19	A.V.N.S.C. HOUND	POST GRADUATE
12	RHODESIAN RIDGEBACK P. GRADUATE		20	A.V.N.S.C. HOUND	OPEN
13	RHODESIAN RIDGEBACK	OPEN	21	AV IMPORTED BREEDS REG.	OPEN

JUDGE:-MR. M. ODDIE

BEST IN GROUP & BPIG WILL NOW BE JUDGED BY MR. M. ODDIE

22	A.V. HOUND	VETERAN	25	A.V. HOUND	POST GRADUATE
23	A.V. HOUND	PUPPY	26	A.V. HOUND	OPEN
24	A.V. HOUND	JUNIOR			

TERRIER GROUP

RING 2

JUDGE:- MRS. M. HOOLEY (HOOLMARK)

27	BEDLINGTON TERRIER	OPEN	35	NORFOLK TERRIER	OPEN
28	BORDER TERRIER	JUNIOR	36	SCOTTISH TERRIER	OPEN
29	BORDER TERRIER	GRADUATE	37	S.B.T.	POST GRADUATE
30	BORDER TERRIER	OPEN	38	S.B.T.	OPEN
31	FOX TERRIER (WIRE)	OPEN	39	A.V.N.S.C. TERRIER	PUPPY
32	JACK RUSSELL TERRIER P. GRADUATE		40	A.V.N.S.C. TERRIER	POST GRADUATE
33	JACK RUSSELL TERRIER	OPEN	41	A.V.N.S.C. TERRIER	OPEN
34	NORWICH TERRIER	OPEN	42	AV IMPORTED BREEDS REG.	OPEN

BEST IN GROUP & BPIG WILL NOW BE JUDGED BY MRS. M. HOOLEY

43	A.V. TERRIER	VETERAN	46	A.V. TERRIER	POST GRADUATE
44	A.V. TERRIER	PUPPY	47	A.V. TERRIER	OPEN
45	A.V. TERRIER	JUNIOR			

UTILITY GROUP

RING 3

JUDGE:- MRS. C. ALLEN (PENPARC)

48	BOSTON TERRIER	OPEN	58	POODLE (STANDARD)	OPEN
49	BULLDOG	OPEN	59	SCHNAUZER (MINIATURE)	OPEN
50	DALMATIAN	JUNIOR	60	SHIH TZU	JUNIOR
51	DALMATIAN	POST GRADUATE	61	SHIH TZU	POST GRADUATE
52	DALMATIAN	OPEN	62	SHIH TZU	OPEN
53	FRENCH BULLDOG	POST GRADUATE	63	TIBETAN SPANIEL	POST GRADUATE
54	FRENCH BULLDOG	OPEN	64	TIBETAN SPANIEL	OPEN
55	LHASA APSO	JUNIOR	65	TIBETAN TERRIER	POST GRADUATE
56	LHASA APSO	POST GRADUATE	66	TIBETAN TERRIER	OPEN
57	LHASA APSO	OPEN			

JUDGE:- MR. E. ALLEN (PENPARC)

67	A.V.N.S.C. UTILITY	PUPPY	69	A.V.N.S.C. UTILITY	OPEN
68	A.V.N.S.C. UTILITY	POST GRADUATE	70	AV IMPORTED BREEDS REG.	OPEN

BEST IN GROUP & BPIG WILL NOW BE JUDGED BY MR. E. ALLEN

71	A.V. UTILITY	VETERAN	74	A.V. UTILITY	POST GRADUATE
72	A.V. UTILITY	PUPPY	75	A.V. UTILITY	OPEN
73	A.V. UTILITY	JUNIOR			

PASTORAL GROUP

RING 5

JUDGE:- MISS F. WHITEHEAD (BURNHEAD)

76	AUSTRALIAN SHEPHERD	POST GRAD.	86	OLD ENGLISH SHEEPDOG	OPEN
77	AUSTRALIAN SHEPHERD	OPEN	87	PYRENEAN MOUNTAIN DOG	POST GRAD.
78	BEARDED COLLIE	OPEN	88	PYRENEAN MOUNTAIN DOG	OPEN
79	BRIARD	OPEN	89	PEMBROKE CORGI	OPEN
80	BSD GROENENDAEL	LIMIT	90	SHETLAND SHEEPDOG	POST GRADUATE
81	BSD GROENENDAEL	OPEN	91	SHETLAND SHEEPDOG	OPEN
82	BSD TERVUEREN	OPEN	92	A.V.N.S.C. PASTORAL	PUPPY
83	BORDER COLLIE	POST GRADUATE	93	A.V.N.S.C. PASTORAL	POST GRADUATE
84	BORDER COLLIE	OPEN	94	A.V.N.S.C. PASTORAL	OPEN
85	ROUGH COLLIE	OPEN	95	AV IMPORTED BREEDS REG.	OPEN

BEST IN GROUP & BPIG WILL NOW BE JUDGED BY MISS F. WHITEHEAD

96	A.V. PASTORAL	VETERAN	99	A.V. PASTORAL	POST GRADUATE
97	A.V. PASTORAL	PUPPY	100	A.V. PASTORAL	OPEN
98	A.V. PASTORAL	JUNIOR			

WORKING GROUP

RING 6

JUDGE:- MR. E. ALLEN (PENPARC)

101	BERNESE MOUNTAIN DOG	POST GRAD.	109	ROTTWEILER	POST GRADUATE
102	BERNESE MOUNTAIN DOG	OPEN	110	ROTTWEILER	OPEN
103	BOXER	OPEN	111	SIBERIAN HUSKY	POST GRADUATE
104	DOGUE DE BORDEAUX	OPEN	112	SIBERIAN HUSKY	OPEN
105	GREAT DANE	OPEN	113	A.V.N.S.C. WORKING	PUPPY
106	LEONBERGER	OPEN	114	A.V.N.S.C. WORKING	POST GRADUATE
107	NEWFOUNDLAND	POST GRADUATE	115	A.V.N.S.C. WORKING	OPEN
108	NEWFOUNDLAND	OPEN	116	AV IMPORTED BREEDS REG.	OPEN

BEST IN GROUP & BPIG WILL NOW BE JUDGED BY MR. E. ALLEN

117	A.V. WORKING	VETERAN	120	A.V. WORKING	POST GRADUATE
118	A.V. WORKING	PUPPY	121	A.V. WORKING	OPEN
119	A.V. WORKING	JUNIOR			

GUNDOG GROUP

RING 4

JUDGE:- MRS. F. BELL (HOAALOHA)

122	GOLDEN RETRIEVER	PUPPY	124	GOLDEN RETRIEVER	POST GRADUATE
123	GOLDEN RETRIEVER	JUNIOR	125	GOLDEN RETRIEVER	OPEN

JUDGE:- MRS. D. ROBBINS (BREKWOOD)

126	LABRADOR RETRIEVER	POST GRAD.	138	BRACCO ITALIANO	OPEN
127	LABRADOR RETRIEVER	OPEN	139	GERMAN S/H POINTER	POST GRAD.
128	FLAT COATED RETRIEVER	OPEN	140	GERMAN S/H POINTER	OPEN
129	COCKER SPANIEL	OPEN	141	WEIMARANER	POST GRADUATE
130	ENGLISH SPRINGER	POST GRAD.	142	WEIMARANER	OPEN
131	ENGLISH SPRINGER	OPEN	143	IRISH SETTER	OPEN
132	AMERICAN COCKER	POST GRAD.	144	POINTER	POST GRADUATE
133	AMERICAN COCKER	OPEN	145	POINTER	OPEN
134	SUSSEX SPANIEL	OPEN	146	A.V.N.S.C. GUNDOG	PUPPY
135	SPANISH WATER DOG	OPEN	147	A.V.N.S.C. GUNDOG	POST GRADUATE
136	WELSH SPRINGER SP.	POST GRAD.	148	A.V.N.S.C. GUNDOG	OPEN
137	WELSH SPRINGER SP.	OPEN	149	AV IMPORTED BREEDS REG.	OPEN

BEST IN GROUP & BPIG WILL NOW BE JUDGED BY MRS. D. ROBBINS

150	A.V. GUNDOG	VETERAN	153	A.V. GUNDOG	POST GRADUATE
151	A.V. GUNDOG	PUPPY	154	A.V. GUNDOG	OPEN
152	A.V. GUNDOG	JUNIOR			

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RING 7

JUDGE:- MRS. C. McFARLANE-TEMPLE (MANSU)

155	CHIHUAHUA L/C	POST GRADUATE	170	KING CHARLES SPANIEL	POST GRAD.
156	CHIHUAHUA L/C	OPEN	171	KING CHARLES SPANIEL	OPEN
157	CHIHUAHUA S/C	OPEN	172	MINIATURE PINSCHER	GRADUATE
158	C.K.C.S.	JUNIOR	173	MINIATURE PINSCHER	OPEN
159	C.K.C.S.	POST GRADUATE	174	PAPILLON	POST GRADUATE
160	C.K.C.S.	OPEN	175	PAPILLON	OPEN
161	COTON DE TULEAR	OPEN	176	PUG	JUNIOR
162	CHINESE CRESTED	OPEN	177	PUG	POST GRADUATE
163	GRIFFON BRUXELLOIS	POST GRAD.	178	PUG	OPEN
164	GRIFFON BRUXELLOIS	OPEN	179	YORKSHIRE TERRIER	OPEN
165	HAVANESE	POST GRADUATE	180	A.V.N.S.C. TOY	PUPPY
166	HAVANESE	OPEN	181	A.V.N.S.C. TOY	POST GRADUATE
167	ITALIAN GREYHOUND	OPEN	182	A.V.N.S.C. TOY	OPEN
168	JAPANESE CHIN	POST GRADUATE	183	AV IMPORTED BREEDS REG.	OPEN
169	JAPANESE CHIN	OPEN			

BEST IN GROUP & BPIG WILL NOW BE JUDGED BY MRS. C. McFARLANE-TEMPLE

184	A.V. TOY	VETERAN	187	A.V. TOY	POST GRADUATE
185	A.V. TOY	PUPPY	188	A.V. TOY	OPEN
186	A.V. TOY	JUNIOR	189	NOT FOR COMPETITION	

BEST IN SHOW, BEST PUPPY IN SHOW & BEST A.V. VETERAN IN SHOW

WILL BE JUDGED BY MRS. D. ROBBINS (BREKWOOD) RINGS 4/5

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.: **Monday 12th 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. 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 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) 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 or 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 their 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 first day of the Show.
JUNIOR	For dogs of six and not exceeding eighteen calendar months of age on four calendar months of age on the first day of the Show.
GRADUATE	For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate/CACIB/CAC/Green star or four or more First Prizes at Championship Shows in Graduate, Post Graduate, Minor Limit, Mid Limit, and Open classes, whether restricted or not at Shows where Challenge Certificates were offered for the breed.
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 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.
VETERAN	For all dogs of not less than seven years of age on the day of the Show.
IMPORTED BREED REGISTER	For breeds confined to the Imported Breeds Register and only when an Interim Breen 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 Show 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.
NOT FOR COMPETITION	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.

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 exhibitor's 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, £1.00p subsequent entries with the same dog, N.F.C. £1.00
6. There is no prize money.
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 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 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 or on each day.
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 but only 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 and subsequent placings must be selected from:-
 - a) The Best of Breed winners in each Group.
 - b) The best unbeaten winning 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.
- 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.
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.

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