

# Beckenham Canine Association



**SCHEDULE**  
of 198 Class Unbenched



**OPEN SHOW**  
(JUDGED ON THE GROUP SYSTEM)

(held under Kennel Club Limited Rules & Regulations)

at

**THE MARKET HALL**

Lockmeadow Market, Hart Street, Maidstone, Kent ME16 8LW

on

**SUNDAY, 6<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER 2019**

Show Opens: 9.00 am (no entry before this time)

Judging: 10.00 am

JHA classes to commence at 9.30 am

**Wet weather accommodation may not be provided for outside rings**

**Only pre-entered dogs will be admitted**

**Guarantors to the Kennel Club:**

Miss Sally Kimber (*Chairman/Show Manager*), 5 The Beeches, Sole Street, Gravesend DA13 9BT.

Miss Debbie Sims (*Hon. Secretary*), 136 Otford Road, Sevenoaks, Kent TN14 5DP.

Miss Anita Young (*Hon. Treasurer*), 35 Highfield Road, Dartford, Kent DA1 2JS.

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."

**Hon. Veterinary Surgeon (on call):** Companion Care Vet Surgery  
South Aylesford Retail Park, Aylesford, Maidstone, Kent ME20 7TP. Tel: 01622 711363

**Postal entries close: Monday, 9th September 2019 (Postmark)**

**On-line entries can be made up until midnight on Sunday, 15th September 2019  
at [www.fossedata.co.uk](http://www.fossedata.co.uk)**

*Postal entries and fees to be sent to the Hon. Secretary: Miss Debbie Sims  
136 Otford Road, Sevenoaks, Kent TN14 5DP  
Tel: 07900 244019*

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

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## **CUPS and TROPHIES**

On offer to members providing they are in the Society's possession at the time of the Show. A charge of £1.00 will be made towards the cost of insurance.

If returning a trophy by post, please send by REGISTERED post.

Cup Steward, Sandra Tye (020 8460 2049)

## **DOGS IN VEHICLES ON HOT DAYS**

Your dog is vulnerable and AT RISK if left in a vehicle in high temperatures and even on days considered as slightly warm. Please take care of your dog. If your dog is found to be at risk forcible entry to your vehicle may be necessary without liability for any damage caused.

## **PARENTS ARE REQUESTED TO KEEP CHILDREN UNDER THEIR PERSONAL SUPERVISION**

## **ADDITIONAL ENTRY FORMS**

Additional entry forms can be downloaded from [www.fossedata.co.uk](http://www.fossedata.co.uk)

## **ORDER OF JUDGING**

A proposed Order of Judging will be available shortly before the show on the Beckenham Canine Association Facebook page, after the judges have been informed

## **EXHIBITORS PLEASE NOTE**

In accordance with Kennel Club guidelines, exhibitors must display exhibit number/owner identification on their crate, cage or container at all times

**The Kennel Club requests that all dogs in soft cages are NOT left unattended at any time, for safety reasons**

### **• SPECIAL NOTICE •**

In order for us to retain the use of this excellent venue, please remember to clear up any fouling caused by your dogs and place in the special waste receptacles provided. Please take into account this also includes grooming waste.

**REMEMBER - BAG IT AND BIN IT**

### **NO PLAY/EXERCISE PENS ALLOWED INSIDE THE HALL**

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**Please note that portable electrical appliances are NOT to be plugged into the power outlets in the hall — this is a health and safety requirement.**

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**Please note that the 4 AV Puppy/Minor Puppy classes (Classes 188 to 191) will not be judged until after all the Groups have been judged**

### **Please Note:**

The winner of Best AVNSC Dachshund must compete against the Best AVNSC Hound winner to establish an overall winner to go forward to the Group competition

# Beckenham Canine Association

## OFFICERS and COMMITTEE

**President:** Mrs I. Terry

**Vice Presidents:** Mr N. Dunn, Mrs H. Tye

**Hon. Life Members:** Miss S. Kimber, Mrs J. Minns

**Chairman:** Miss S. Kimber

**Vice Chairman:** Mrs H. Tye

**Hon. Secretary:** Miss D. Sims

**Hon. Treasurer:** Miss A. Young

**Show Manager:** Miss S. Kimber

**Bankers:** Barclays Bank PLC

### Committee:

Mrs E. Ashton, Mr S. Bulpin, Mrs W. Green, Mrs D. Higgins, Miss S. Kimber, Miss L. Manners,  
Mr D. O'Rourke, Miss D. Sims, Miss L. Rhodes, Mr W. Towler, Mrs H. Tye, Miss S. Tye

**COMMITTEE MEMBERS DO NOT HANDLE THEIR DOGS AT OUR SHOW**

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### • FEES •

**Entry Fees:** £6.00 First entry per dog; £1.00 each subsequent entry with the same dog

**Mason Minns Memorial Charity Stakes (Class 192):** £1.00 minimum entry per dog  
*All monies collected will be donated, without any deductions, to Kent, Surrey & Sussex Air Ambulance. Please support this worthy charity*

**Junior Handling Association:** £1.00 per class

**Not for Competition (over 4 mths):** £1.00 per dog (*Please provide details on entry form*)

**Reserve BOB Competition:** Free entry on day

**Catalogues:** £3.00 pre-paid with entries (£3.50 on the day). Pre-paid catalogues not collected by 11 am will be offered for re-sale

**Adverts:** £10.00 Full Page; £5.00 Half Page (no photographs)

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### • ROSETTES •



Best in Show • Reserve Best in Show  
Best Puppy in Show • Reserve Best Puppy in Show  
1st to 4th in each Group • 1st to 4th in each Puppy Group  
Best of Breed • Reserve Best of Breed • Best Puppy in Breed  
Best AVNSC • Reserve Best AVNSC • Best Puppy AVNSC  
Best Veteran • Best JHA Handler  
1st - 3rd in breed classes • 1st - VHC in Variety/Stakes classes



### • PRIZE MONEY ON OFFER •

**Stakes Classes:** 1st £6.00 — 2nd £5.00 — 3rd £4.00 — 4th £3.00 — 5th £2.00

**Best Reserve BOB in Show:** Winner £10.00 — Runner-up £5.00

• REFRESHMENTS • FREE ADMISSION • FREE CAR PARK •

### EXHIBITOR PASSES

Exhibitor Passes will NOT be sent. Ring Numbers will be handed out at the Show  
*For acknowledgement of entries please include a stamped addressed envelope*

## • CLASSIFICATION •

(All classes are for Dog or Bitch unless otherwise stated)

### GUNDOG GROUP — Group Judge: Sue Mitchell (Brobruick)

<b>GORDON SETTER</b>	1. Puppy	3. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Eileen Hughes</i> (Sonnenberg)	2. Junior	4. Open
<b>POINTER</b>	5. Puppy	7. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Sue Mitchell</i> (Brobruick)	6. Junior	8. Open
<b>RETRIEVER (FLAT COATED)</b>	9. Puppy	11. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Sue Mitchell</i> (Brobruick)	10. Junior	12. Open
<b>RETRIEVER (GOLDEN)</b>	13. Puppy	16. Open Dog
<i>Judge: Marc Wheeldon</i> (Catnells)	14. Junior	17. Open Bitch
	15. Post Graduate	
<b>RETRIEVER (LABRADOR)</b>	18. Puppy	20. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Eileen Hughes</i> (Sonnenberg)	19. Junior	21. Open
<b>RETRIEVER (NOVA SCOTIA DUCK TOLLING)</b>	22. Puppy	24. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Rachel Hambling</i> (Chaseover)	23. Junior	25. Open
<b>SPANIEL (ENGLISH SPRINGER)</b>	26. Puppy	28. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Linda Thorogood</i> (Harrifield)	27. Junior	29. Open
<b>A.V.N.S.C. GUNDOG</b>	30. Puppy	32. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Eileen Hughes</i> (Sonnenberg)	31. Junior	33. Open
<b>A.V. GUNDOG</b>	34. Puppy	36. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Eileen Hughes</i> (Sonnenberg)	35. Junior	37. Open

#### **RESERVE BEST OF BREED GUNDOG**

*Judge: Eileen Hughes* (Sonnenberg)

Open to all Reserve Best of Breed Gundog winners on the day. Free Entry. Winner will go forward to compete for Overall Best Reserve Best of Breed in Show.

### HOUND GROUP — Group Judge: Carlyne Scott (Wolferlow)

<b>AFGHAN HOUND</b>	38. Puppy	40. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Carlyne Scott</i> (Wolferlow)	39. Junior	41. Open
<b>A.V.N.S.C. DACHSHUND</b>	42. Puppy	44. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Suzanne Crow</i> (Martinks)	43. Junior	45. Open
<i>Miniature Dachshunds will be weighed at this Show</i>		
<b>BEAGLE</b>	46. Puppy	48. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Eileen Hughes</i> (Sonnenberg)	47. Junior	49. Open
<b>RHODESIAN RIDGEBACK</b>	50. Puppy	52. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Carlyne Scott</i> (Wolferlow)	51. Junior	53. Open
<b>WHIPPET</b>	54. Puppy	56. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Rachel Hambling</i> (Chaseover)	55. Junior	57. Open
<b>A.V.N.S.C. HOUND</b>	58. Puppy	60. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Carlyne Scott</i> (Wolferlow)	59. Junior	61. Open
<b>A.V. HOUND</b>	62. Junior	63. Open
<i>Judge: Carlyne Scott</i> (Wolferlow)		

#### **RESERVE BEST OF BREED HOUND**

*Judge: Carlyne Scott* (Wolferlow)

Open to all Reserve Best of Breed Hound winners on the day. Free Entry. Winner will go forward to compete for Overall Best Reserve Best of Breed in Show.

**PASTORAL GROUP — Group Judge: Leila Bull (Valleydell)**

<b>BORDER COLLIE</b>	64. Puppy	66. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Julie Mead-Peacock</i>	65. Junior	67. Open
<b>COLLIE (ROUGH)</b>	68. Puppy	70. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Suzanne Keree-Bartolo (Shirkeira)</i>	69. Junior	71. Open
<b>OLD ENGLISH SHEEPDOG</b>	72. Puppy	74. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Sandy Robertson (Hickorystix)</i>	73. Junior	75. Open
<b>SHETLAND SHEEPDOG</b>	76. Puppy	78. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Suzanne Keree-Bartolo (Shirkeira)</i>	77. Junior	79. Open
<b>A.V.N.S.C. PASTORAL</b>	80. Puppy	82. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Leila Bull (Valleydell)</i>	81. Junior	83. Open
<b>A.V. PASTORAL</b>	84. Junior	85. Open
<i>Judge: Leila Bull (Valleydell)</i>		

**RESERVE BEST OF BREED PASTORAL**

*Judge: Leila Bull (Valleydell)*

Open to all Reserve Best of Breed Pastoral winners on the day. Free Entry. Winner will go forward to compete for Overall Best Reserve Best of Breed in Show.

**TERRIER GROUP — Group Judge: Cara Davani (Kebulak)**

<b>BORDER TERRIER</b>	86. Puppy	88. Open
<i>Judge: Cara Davani (Kebulak)</i>	87. Post Graduate	
<b>CESKY TERRIER</b>	89. Puppy	91. Open
<i>Judge: Cara Davani (Kebulak)</i>	90. Post Graduate	
<b>DANDIE DINMONT TERRIER</b>	92. Puppy	94. Open
<i>Judge: Cara Davani (Kebulak)</i>	93. Post Graduate	
<b>STAFFORDSHIRE BULL TERRIER</b>	95. Puppy	97. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Julie Joyce (Janjujuns)</i>	96. Junior	98. Open
<i>Sponsored by the East Anglian Staffordshire Bull Terrier Club</i>		
<b>A.V.N.S.C. TERRIER</b>	99. Puppy	101. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Cara Davani (Kebulak)</i>	100. Junior	102. Open
<b>A.V. TERRIER</b>	103. Junior	104. Open
<i>Judge: Cara Davani (Kebulak)</i>		

**RESERVE BEST OF BREED TERRIER**

*Judge: Cara Davani (Kebulak)*

Open to all Reserve Best of Breed Terrier winners on the day. Free Entry. Winner will go forward to compete for Overall Best Reserve Best of Breed in Show.

**TOY GROUP — Group Judge: Gerri Forsyth (Syram)**

<b>CAVALIER KING CHARLES SPANIEL</b>	105. Puppy	107. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Cassy Stanton (Cassandy)</i>	106. Junior	108. Open
<b>CHIHUAHUA (LONG COAT)</b>	109. Puppy	111. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Chloe Holmes (Tecló)</i>	110. Junior	112. Open
<b>CHIHUAHUA (SMOOTH COAT)</b>	113. Puppy	115. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Chloe Holmes (Tecló)</i>	114. Junior	116. Open
<b>CHINESE CRESTED</b>	117. Puppy	119. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Chloe Holmes (Tecló)</i>	118. Junior	120. Open
<b>JAPANESE CHIN</b>	121. Puppy	123. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Chloe Holmes (Tecló)</i>	122. Junior	124. Open

<b>PUG</b>	125. Puppy	127. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Gerri Forsyth (Syram)</i>	126. Junior	128. Open
<b>A.V.N.S.C. TOY</b>	129. Puppy	131. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Gerri Forsyth (Syram)</i>	130. Junior	132. Open
<b>A.V. TOY</b>	133. Junior	134. Open
<i>Judge: Gerri Forsyth (Syram)</i>		

#### RESERVE BEST OF BREED TOY

*Judge: Gerri Forsyth (Syram)*

Open to all Reserve Best of Breed Toy winners on the day. Free Entry. Winner will go forward to compete for Overall Best Reserve Best of Breed in Show.

### UTILITY GROUP — *Group Judge: Paul Reynolds (Biddle)*

<b>BULLDOG</b>	135. Puppy	137. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Leah Connolly (Ladymere)</i>	136. Junior	138. Open
<b>FRENCH BULLDOG</b>	139. Puppy	141. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Paul Reynolds (Biddle)</i>	140. Junior	142. Open
<b>MINIATURE SCHNAUZER</b>	143. Puppy	145. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Gerri Staples (Ruffhaus)</i>	144. Junior	146. Open
<i>Sponsored by the Schnauzer Club of Great Britain</i>		
<b>SHIH TZU</b>	147. Puppy	149. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Paul Reynolds (Biddle)</i>	148. Junior	150. Open
<b>TIBETAN TERRIER</b>	151. Puppy	153. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Paul Reynolds (Biddle)</i>	152. Junior	154. Open
<b>A.V.N.S.C. UTILITY</b>	155. Puppy	157. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Paul Reynolds (Biddle)</i>	156. Junior	158. Open
<b>A.V. UTILITY</b>	159. Junior	160. Open
<i>Judge: Paul Reynolds (Biddle)</i>		

#### RESERVE BEST OF BREED UTILITY

*Judge: Paul Reynolds (Biddle)*

Open to all Reserve Best of Breed Utility winners on the day. Free Entry. Winner will go forward to compete for Overall Best Reserve Best of Breed in Show.

### WORKING GROUP — *Group Judge: Jackie Ingram (Jojavik)*

<b>BOXER</b>	161. Puppy	163. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Sharon Spencer (Ashronsha)</i>	162. Junior	164. Open
<b>GIANT SCHNAUZER</b>	165. Puppy	167. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Gerri Staples (Ruffhaus)</i>	166. Junior	168. Open
<i>Sponsored by the Schnauzer Club of Great Britain</i>		
<b>LEONBERGER</b>	169. Puppy	171. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Jackie Ingram (Jojavik)</i>	170. Junior	172. Open
<b>SIBERIAN HUSKY</b>	173. Puppy	175. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Melanie Reeves (Korsvic)</i>	174. Junior	176. Open
<b>A.V.N.S.C. WORKING</b>	177. Puppy	179. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Jackie Ingram (Jojavik)</i>	178. Junior	180. Open
<b>A.V. WORKING</b>	181. Junior	182. Open
<i>Judge: Jackie Ingram (Jojavik)</i>		

#### RESERVE BEST OF BREED WORKING

*Judge: Jackie Ingram (Jojavik)*

Open to all Reserve Best of Breed Working winners on the day. Free Entry. Winner will go forward to compete for Overall Best Reserve Best of Breed in Show.

**ANY VARIETY IMPORTED BREED REGISTER (not before 11.30 am)**

**A.V. IMPORTED BREED REGISTER** 183. Puppy 185. Open  
**Judge: Barrie M. Croft (Malcro)** 184. Post Graduate

**VARIETIES (not before 11.30 am - to follow AV Imported Breed Register)**

**A.V. SPECIAL VETERAN STAKES** 186. A.V. Special Veteran (7 - 9 years)  
**Judge: Barrie M. Croft (Malcro)** 187. A.V. Special Veteran (10 years and over)  
**Prize Money: 1st £6.00; 2nd £5.00; 3rd £4.00; 4th £3.00; 5th £2.00**  
**Class 186 kindly sponsored by Miss S.J. Tye and Class 187 kindly sponsored by Mrs H.J. Tye**  
**Best Veteran in Show will be selected from the winners of the two Special Veteran classes**

**A.V. MINOR PUPPY/A.V. PUPPY** 188. A.V. Minor Puppy Dog  
**Judge: Barrie M. Croft (Malcro)** 189. A.V. Puppy Dog  
 190. A.V. Minor Puppy Bitch  
 191. A.V. Puppy Bitch

**A.V. MASON MINNS MEMORIAL CHARITY STAKES**

**Judge: Barrie M. Croft (Malcro)** 192. A.V. Open  
**Prize Money: 1st £6.00; 2nd £5.00; 3rd £4.00; 4th £3.00; 5th £2.00**

All entry fees will be donated to Kent, Surrey & Sussex Air Ambulance. Please put in an entry for this class, not only to help Kent, Surrey & Sussex Air Ambulance but also to give us an extra entry to help increase our average. Entry fee for this class is a minimum of £1.00 per dog.

**JUNIOR HANDLING ASSOCIATION**

193. 6 - 11 Years 194. 12 - 16 Years

**Judge: Allison Shoosmith (Alisiane)**

Handlers who are placed first, second or third in these classes will qualify to compete at the JHA semi-finals to be held at the six national group championship shows. For more details visit [www.jha-dog.co.uk](http://www.jha-dog.co.uk).

**PLEASE NOTE:** Dogs must have been entered and exhibited in at least one other class at this Show other than Junior Handling. Entries **MUST** be made on the Entry Form, by putting class number next to dog, and **CANNOT BE ACCEPTED ON THE DAY**. Please remember to give name and age of handler on Entry Form. **Judging will take place at 9.30 am.**

**A.V. GOOD CITIZEN DOG SCHEME STAKES**

195. A.V. Good Citizen Dog Scheme  
 (see definition for eligibility)

**Judge: Sue Mitchell (Brobruick)**  
**Prize Money: 1st £6.00; 2nd £5.00; 3rd £4.00; 4th £3.00; 5th £2.00**

**A.V. SPECIAL BEGINNERS STAKES**

196. A.V. Special Beginners  
 (see definition for eligibility)

**Judge: Paul Reynolds (Biddle)**  
**Prize Money: 1st £6.00; 2nd £5.00; 3rd £4.00; 4th £3.00; 5th £2.00**

**A.V. BRED BY EXHIBITOR STAKES**

197. A.V. Bred by Exhibitor

**Judge: Cara Davani (Kebulak)**  
**Prize Money: 1st £6.00; 2nd £5.00; 3rd £4.00; 4th £3.00; 5th £2.00**

**A.V. NOT BRED BY EXHIBITOR STAKES**

198. A.V. Not Bred by Exhibitor

**Judge: Cara Davani (Kebulak)**  
**Prize Money: 1st £6.00; 2nd £5.00; 3rd £4.00; 4th £3.00; 5th £2.00**

**OVERALL RESERVE BEST OF BREED IN SHOW**

**will now be judged by Carolyn Scott (Wolferlow)**

Open to all Best Reserve Best of Breed winners in Group

**Prize Money: Winner £10.00; Runner-up £5.00**

**BEST IN SHOW, BEST PUPPY IN SHOW & BEST VETERAN IN SHOW\***

**will now be judged by Barrie M. Croft (Malcro)**

*\*Best Veteran in Show will be selected from the winners of the two Special Veteran classes*



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## • RULES and REGULATIONS •

1. The Show will open at 9.00 am (no entry before this time).
2. Dogs will be received until 12.00 noon and after which no dogs may be received except under exceptional and unforeseen circumstances and by any special permission of the Show Management. It is the exhibitors responsibility to ensure that exhibits are available for judging when required.
3. Judging will commence at 10.00 am; JHA will commence at 9.30 am.
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 each subsequent entry with the same dog. Mason Minns Memorial Charity Stakes: £1.00 minimum entry. JHA Handling: £1.00 per class. Not For Competition: £1.00 per dog. Reserve BOB Competition: Free entry on the day. Catalogues: £3.00 pre-paid with entries (£3.50 on the day). Pre-paid catalogues not collected by 11 am will be offered for re-sale. Advertisements (no photographs): Full Page £10.00; Half Page £5.00.
6. Prize Money: A.V. Special Veteran Stakes, A.V. Good Citizen Dog Scheme Stakes, A.V. Special Beginners Stakes, A.V. Bred by Exhibitor Stakes, A.V. Not Bred by Exhibitor Stakes and Mason Minns Memorial Charity Stakes: 1st £6.00; 2nd £5.00; 3rd £4.00; 4th £3.00; 5th £2.00. Best Reserve BOB in Show: Winner £10.00; Runner-up £5.00.
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 should automatically 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 should also automatically 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 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.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.
  - 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 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 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:-
      - 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 Group or 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 to touch the ground when on the move. This is not acceptable. Exhibitors should

note that such practice would constitute harsh handling and reports of such practice will be referred to the Committee under Kennel Club Show Regulation F11.

14. All exhibitors must be familiar with Kennel Club Regulation F (Annex B) Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition.
15. All dogs resident outside of 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 licensed events.
  - When travelling to a show please take a moment to consider whether the route to the show is on a busy holiday route, and leave earlier to avoid increased time in traffic jams.
  - If your vehicle is not air-conditioned seriously consider whether travelling to the show is a good idea at all.
  - The vehicle should be as fully ventilated as possible, and plenty of stops should be taken, with lots of water available to drink.
  - Ensure your dog is not sitting in full sunlight. There should be plenty of free flowing air around the dog.
  - When at the show, never leave your dog in the vehicle.
  - Keep the dog in the shade - take your own shade for example a large umbrella and always have plenty of water available to drink so your dog stays well hydrated.
  - Avoid your dog taking part in unnecessary exertion, or from standing in exposed sunlight for extended lengths of time.

Remember, if you feel hot your dog is very likely to feel much hotter and dehydrated, and this could lead to dire results. Please look after your dog's welfare. **WARNING: IF YOUR DOG IS FOUND TO BE AT RISK FORCIBLE ENTRY TO YOUR VEHICLE MAY BE NECESSARY WITHOUT LIABILITY FOR ANY DAMAGE CAUSED.**

17. Anyone whose dog is entered at a Kennel Club licensed event should take all reasonable steps to ensure the needs of their dog(s) are met, and should not put a dog's health and welfare at risk by any action, default, omission or otherwise. Breach of Kennel Club Regulations in this respect may be referred to the Board for disciplinary action under the Kennel Club Rules and Regulations. The use of pinch collars, electronic shock collars, or prong collars, is not permitted at any show licensed by the Kennel Club. This shall apply at the venue or within the precincts of the show.
18. Not for Competition entries will be accepted. Details of each dog so entered must be recorded on the entry form and must be Kennel Club registered.
19. No modifications will be made to this Schedule except by permission of the Board of the Kennel Club, which will be followed by advertisement in the Canine Press wherever possible.
20. Any owner, competitor, handler or other person in charge of a dog is required to remove as soon as possible any fouling caused by their dog(s) at any Kennel Club licensed show within the licensed venue and within the environs of that event including car and caravan parks and approaches.
21. The owner, exhibitor, handler or other person in charge of a dog at Kennel Club licensed events must at all times ensure that the dog is kept under proper control whilst at the licensed venue, including its environs, car and caravan parks and approaches. This Regulation applies before (at any time during the set up period at the venue), during the event and afterwards (at any time during the breakdown of the event).
22. Exhibitor Passes will NOT be sent. Please enclose a stamped addressed envelope or postcard of an acknowledgement of receipt of postal entries is required.
23. Any costs incurred through incorrectly completed or dishonored cheques will be passed on to the exhibitor concerned. Any exhibitor failing to pay entry fees and/or costs incurred will be dealt with by the Committee of the Kennel Club.

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## • DEFINITIONS OF CLASSES •

In the following definitions, a Challenge Certificate includes any Show award that counts towards the title of Champion under the Rules of any governing body recognised by the Kennel Club. Wins at Championship Shows in breed classes where Challenge Certificates are not on offer shall be counted as wins at Open Shows. In the case of a dog owned in partnership and entered in Members' classes or competing for Members' Specials each partner must at the time of entry be a member of the Society. In estimating the number of awards won, all wins up to and including the seventh day before the date of closing of postal entries shall be counted when entering for any class i.e. **Monday, 2nd September 2019**. 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 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 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.

**MINOR PUPPY** For dogs of six and not exceeding nine calendar months of age on the first day of the Show.

**PUPPY** For dogs of six and not exceeding twelve calendar months of age on the first day of the Show.

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

**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.

**OPEN** For all dogs of the breeds for which the class is provided and eligible for entry at the Show.

**SPECIAL VETERAN STAKES (7 - 9 years)** For dogs of between 7 and 9 years of age on the first day of the Show.

**SPECIAL VETERAN STAKES (10 years and over)** For dogs of not less than ten years of age on the first day of the Show.

**GOOD CITIZEN DOG SCHEME STAKES** For dogs that have achieved their GCDS Bronze Award Certificate or above.

**SPECIAL BEGINNERS STAKES** For owner, handler or exhibit never having won a First Prize at a Championship Show.

**MASON MINNS MEMORIAL CHARITY STAKES** For all dogs of the breeds for which the class is provided and eligible for entry at the Show.

**BRED BY EXHIBITOR STAKES** For dogs bred by the exhibitor.

**NOT BRED BY EXHIBITOR STAKES** For dogs not bred by the exhibitor.

**ANY VARIETY NOT SEPARATELY CLASSIFIED** 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 being eligible for Best in Group / Best Puppy in Group or Best in Show / Best Puppy in Show as relevant.

#### **ADVISORY NOTICE**

**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.

## **DIRECTIONS TO THE VENUE FROM THE M20**

Leave M20 at Junction 5 (much easier than J6 or J7). Follow A20 towards Maidstone. When in one-way system, keep to right-hand side to cross the northern river bridge. Return on southern river bridge towards Tonbridge (A26). Treat both bridges as a large roundabout, with three sets of traffic lights. Immediately over southern bridge turn left at traffic lights into Barker Road. Follow road round to Agricultural Hall (Market Hall).

## **The Kennel Club's DISCOVER DOGS**

**12th & 13th October 2019**

**ExCeL, London**

London's biggest doggy day out includes world-class displays and competitions, plenty of shops to treat your canine pal and most importantly the chance to play with puppies in cuddle corner!

Free passes will be available to the seven Puppy Group winner, Best Junior Handlers and the winner of AV Special Beginners

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