



Darwen Canine Society

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OPEN SHOW



(Judged on the Group System) (held under Kennel Club Limited Rules & Regulations)

at

**NEW
VENUE**

LEIGH LEISURE CENTRE

**NEW
VENUE**

Sale Way, Leigh Sports Village, Leigh, Lancashire WN7 4JY

on

SATURDAY, 21st DECEMBER 2019

Show Opens: 9.30 am

Judging: 10.30 am

FREE PARKING — NO ADMISSION CHARGE

Best in Show £50.00 • Reserve Best in Show £25.00
Best Puppy in Show £50.00 • Reserve Best Puppy in Show £25.00
Best Veteran in Show £25.00 • Reserve Best Veteran in Show £10.00
Bottle of Wine for all BOB, all BPIB,
Best AVNSC & Best AV Imported Breed Register

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."

Guarantors to the Kennel Club:

Miss M. Harwood (*Chairman*), Factory House, off Showley Road, Ramsgreave, Blackburn, Lancs.
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 Unit D1, Moss Industrial Estate, Walter Leigh Way, Leigh WN7 3PT. Tel: 01942 417800

Postal entries close: Monday, 18th November 2019 (Postmark)

On-line entries can be made up until midnight on Monday, 25th November 2019
at www.fossedata.co.uk

Postal entries and fees to be sent to: **Fosse Data Systems Ltd.,**
4 Mitchell Court, Castle Mound Way, Rugby, Warwickshire CV23 0UY
Tel: 01788 860960 • E-mail: info@fossedata.co.uk

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

INFORMATION PAGE

Chairman: Miss M. Harwood

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• FEES •

First Entry: £5.00 per dog

Subsequent Entries: £1.00 per class with the same dog

Not for Competition: 50p per dog (*please provide details on entry form*)

Catalogues: £3.00 pre-paid with entries
(*limited number available on the day at £4.00*)

Rosette Sponsorship: £1.50 per rosette (*will be acknowledged in the catalogue*)

Membership Subscriptions: £3.00 Single; £4.00 Joint (2 people)
(*Membership subscriptions are now due!*)

Please make cheques/postal orders payable to: DARWEN CANINE SOCIETY

NO ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED WITHOUT FEES



• ROSETTES, PRIZE MONEY and SPECIALS •

ROSETTES

Best in Show • Reserve Best in Show • Best Puppy Puppy in Show
Reserve Best Puppy in Show • Best Veteran in Show • Reserve Best Veteran in Show
1st - 4th in each Group • 1st - 4th in each Puppy Group
Best of Breed • Best Puppy in Breed • Best AVNSC • Best AVNSC Puppy
Best AV Imported Breed Register • Best AV Imported Breed Register Puppy
Best AV Veteran in each Group

PRIZE MONEY

Best in Show £50.00 • Reserve Best in Show £25.00
Best Puppy in Show £50.00 • Reserve Best Puppy in Show £25.00
Best Veteran in Show £25.00 • Reserve Best Veteran in Show £10.00

BOTTLE OF WINE

Best of Breed • Best Puppy in Breed • Best AVNSC • Best AV Imported Breed Register

We wish to thank



for their sponsorship of this show

Vouchers for BIS, RBIS, BPIS, BVIS and for Group and Puppy Group winners

It is the exhibitors own responsibility to arrive in time so you don't miss your class

• CLASSIFICATION •

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

RING 1 — starting at 10.30 am

SCHIPPERKE	1. Puppy	3. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Liz Dunhill (Fantasa/Vormund)</i>	2. Junior	4. Open
DALMATIAN	5. Puppy	7. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Liz Dunhill (Fantasa/Vormund)</i>	6. Junior	8. Open

RING 1 — not before 10.45 am

BOSTON TERRIER	9. Puppy	11. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Michael Hitt (Miracey)</i>	10. Junior	12. Open
FRENCH BULLDOG	13. Puppy	15. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Michael Hitt (Miracey)</i>	14. Junior	16. Open

RING 1 — not before 11.15 am

JAPANESE SHIBA INU	17. Puppy	19. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Michaella Dunhill-Hall (Fantasa/Vormund)</i>	18. Junior	20. Open
AKITA	21. Puppy	23. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Michaella Dunhill-Hall (Fantasa/Vormund)</i>	22. Junior	24. Open

RING 1 — not before 11.45 am

SHIH TZU	25. Puppy	27. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Joanne Briggs (Warathwaite)</i>	26. Junior	28. Open
LHASA APSO	29. Puppy	31. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Joanne Briggs (Warathwaite)</i>	30. Junior	32. Open
TIBETAN TERRIER	33. Puppy	35. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Joanne Briggs (Warathwaite)</i>	34. Junior	36. Open

RING 1 — not before 12.15 pm

Toy Poodle classes are sponsored by the Northern Toy Poodle Club

Miniature & Standard Poodle classes are sponsored by the North Western Poodle Club

Please Note: Poodle (Miniature) and Poodle (Toy) will be measured

POODLE (TOY)	37. Puppy	39. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Emma Hunter (Silvora)</i>	38. Junior	40. Open
POODLE (MINIATURE)	41. Puppy	43. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Emma Hunter (Silvora)</i>	42. Junior	44. Open
POODLE (STANDARD)	45. Puppy	47. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Emma Hunter (Silvora)</i>	46. Junior	48. Open

RING 1 — not before 12.45 pm

AVNSC UTILITY	49. Puppy	51. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Julie Glynn (Coppergold)</i>	50. Junior	52. Open
AV IMPORTED BREED REGISTER UTILITY	53. Puppy	54. Open
<i>Judge: Julie Glynn (Coppergold)</i>		

The Utility Group followed by the Utility Puppy Group will now be judged by Julie Glynn

AV UTILITY	55. Veteran*	57. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Julie Glynn (Coppergold)</i>	56. Puppy	58. Open

**Winner of this class goes forward to compete for Best Veteran in Show*

RING 2 — starting at 10.30 am

CHINESE CRESTED	59. Puppy	61. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Mr Ian Blackshaw (Souska)</i>	60. Junior	62. Open
PUG	63. Puppy	65. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Mr Ian Blackshaw (Souska)</i>	64. Junior	66. Open
AFFENPINSCHER	67. Puppy	69. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Mr Ian Blackshaw (Souska)</i>	68. Junior	70. Open
CAVALIER KING CHARLES SPANIEL	71. Puppy	73. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Mr Ian Blackshaw (Souska)</i>	72. Junior	74. Open
BICHON FRISE	75. Puppy	77. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Mr Ian Blackshaw (Souska)</i>	76. Junior	78. Open
JAPANESE CHIN	79. Puppy	81. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Mr Ian Blackshaw (Souska)</i>	80. Junior	82. Open
LOWCHEN (LITTLE LION DOG)	83. Puppy	85. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Mr Ian Blackshaw (Souska)</i>	84. Junior	86. Open
PAPILLON	87. Puppy	89. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Mr Ian Blackshaw (Souska)</i>	88. Junior	90. Open
POMERANIAN	91. Puppy	93. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Mr Ian Blackshaw (Souska)</i>	92. Junior	94. Open
CHIHUAHUA (LONG COAT)	95. Puppy	97. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Mr Ian Blackshaw (Souska)</i>	96. Junior	98. Open
CHIHUAHUA (SMOOTH COAT)	99. Puppy	101. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Mr Ian Blackshaw (Souska)</i>	100. Junior	102. Open
BOLOGNESE	103. Puppy	105. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Mr Ian Blackshaw (Souska)</i>	104. Junior	106. Open
AVNSC TOY	107. Puppy	109. Open
<i>Judge: Mr Ian Blackshaw (Souska)</i>	108. Post Graduate	
AV IMPORTED BREED REGISTER TOY	110. Puppy	111. Open
<i>Judge: Mr Ian Blackshaw (Souska)</i>		

The Toy Group followed by the Toy Puppy Group will now be judged by Mr Ian Blackshaw

AV TOY	112. Veteran*	114. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Mr Ian Blackshaw (Souska)</i>	113. Puppy	115. Open

**Winner of this class goes forward to compete for Best Veteran in Show*

RING 3 — starting at 10.30 am

ALASKAN MALAMUTE	116. Puppy	118. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Michaela Dunhill-Hall (Fantasa/Vormund)</i>	117. Junior	119. Open
ROTTWEILER	120. Puppy	122. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Michaela Dunhill-Hall (Fantasa/Vormund)</i>	121. Junior	123. Open

RING 3 — not before 10.45 am

BORDER TERRIER	124. Puppy	126. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Liz Dunhill (Fantasa/Vormund)</i>	125. Junior	127. Open
DANDIE DINMONT TERRIER	128. Puppy	130. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Liz Dunhill (Fantasa/Vormund)</i>	129. Junior	131. Open
JACK RUSSELL TERRIER	132. Puppy	134. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Liz Dunhill (Fantasa/Vormund)</i>	133. Junior	135. Open
PARSON RUSSELL TERRIER	136. Puppy	138. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Liz Dunhill (Fantasa/Vormund)</i>	137. Junior	139. Open

AVNSC TERRIER	140. Puppy	142. Open
<i>Judge: Liz Dunhill (Fantasa/Vormund)</i>	141. Post Graduate	
AV IMPORTED BREED REGISTER TERRIER	143. Puppy	144. Open
<i>Judge: Liz Dunhill (Fantasa/Vormund)</i>		

The Terrier Group followed by the Terrier Puppy Group will now be judged by Liz Dunhill

AV TERRIER	145. Veteran*	147. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Liz Dunhill (Fantasa/Vormund)</i>	146. Puppy	148. Open
<i>*Winner of this class goes forward to compete for Best Veteran in Show</i>		

WELSH CORGI (PEMBROKE)	149. Puppy	151. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Liz Dunhill (Fantasa/Vormund)</i>	150. Junior	152. Open

WELSH CORGI (CARDIGAN)	153. Puppy	155. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Liz Dunhill (Fantasa/Vormund)</i>	154. Junior	156. Open

BORDER COLLIE	157. Puppy	159. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Liz Dunhill (Fantasa/Vormund)</i>	158. Junior	160. Open

BEARDED COLLIE	161. Puppy	163. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Liz Dunhill (Fantasa/Vormund)</i>	162. Junior	164. Open

SHETLAND SHEEPDOG	165. Puppy	167. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Liz Dunhill (Fantasa/Vormund)</i>	166. Junior	168. Open

COLLIE (ROUGH)	169. Puppy	171. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Liz Dunhill (Fantasa/Vormund)</i>	170. Junior	172. Open

AVNSC PASTORAL	173. Puppy	175. Open
<i>Judge: Liz Dunhill (Fantasa/Vormund)</i>	174. Post Graduate	

AV IMPORTED BREED REGISTER PASTORAL	176. Junior	177. Open
<i>Judge: Liz Dunhill (Fantasa/Vormund)</i>		

The Pastoral Group followed by the Pastoral Puppy Group will now be judged by Liz Dunhill

AV PASTORAL	178. Veteran*	180. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Liz Dunhill (Fantasa/Vormund)</i>	179. Puppy	181. Open

****Winner of this class goes forward to compete for Best Veteran in Show***

NEWFOUNDLAND	182. Puppy	184. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Liz Dunhill (Fantasa/Vormund)</i>	183. Junior	185. Open

DOBERMANN	186. Puppy	188. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Liz Dunhill (Fantasa/Vormund)</i>	187. Junior	189. Open

AVNSC WORKING	190. Puppy	192. Open
<i>Judge: Liz Dunhill (Fantasa/Vormund)</i>	191. Post Graduate	

AV IMPORTED BREED REGISTER WORKING	193. Junior	194. Open
<i>Judge: Liz Dunhill (Fantasa/Vormund)</i>		

The Working Group followed by the Working Puppy Group will now be judged by Liz Dunhill

AV WORKING	195. Veteran*	197. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Liz Dunhill (Fantasa/Vormund)</i>	196. Puppy	198. Open

****Winner of this class goes forward to compete for Best Veteran in Show***

RING 4 — starting at 10.30 am

RETRIEVER (LABRADOR)	199. Puppy	201. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Charlotte Rowe (Rochevale)</i>	200. Junior	202. Open

RING 4 — not before 11.00 am

DACHSHUND (MINIATURE LONG-HAIRED)	203. Puppy	205. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Mr Mark Fryer (Stonefox)</i>	204. Junior	206. Open

AFGHAN HOUND	207. Puppy	209. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Mr Mark Fryer (Stonefox)</i>	208. Junior	210. Open

WHIPPET	211. Puppy	213. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Mr Mark Fryer (Stonefox)</i>	212. Junior	214. Open

RING 4 — not before 11.30 am

BEAGLE	215. Puppy	217. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Mr Ken Andrew</i>	216. Junior	218. Open
DACHSHUND (MINIATURE SMOOTH-HAIRED)	219. Puppy	221. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Mr Ken Andrew</i>	220. Junior	222. Open
DACHSHUND (LONG-HAIRED)	223. Puppy	225. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Mr Ken Andrew</i>	224. Junior	226. Open
RHODESIAN RIDGEBACK	227. Puppy	229. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Mr Ken Andrew</i>	228. Junior	230. Open
AVNSC HOUND	231. Puppy	233. Open
<i>Judge: Mr Ken Andrew</i>	232. Post Graduate	
AV IMPORTED BREED REGISTER HOUND	234. Junior	235. Open
<i>Judge: Mr Ken Andrew</i>		

The Hound Group followed by the Hound Puppy Group will now be judged by Ken Andrew

AV HOUND	236. Veteran*	238. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Mr Ken Andrew</i>	237. Puppy	239. Open

**Winner of this class goes forward to compete for Best Veteran in Show*

RING 5 — starting at 10.30 am

GERMAN WIREHAIED POINTER	240. Puppy	242. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Emma Archibald (Abinvale)</i>	241. Junior	243. Open
POINTER	244. Puppy	246. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Emma Archibald (Abinvale)</i>	245. Junior	247. Open
WEIMARANER	248. Puppy	250. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Emma Archibald (Abinvale)</i>	249. Junior	251. Open
ITALIAN SPINONE	252. Puppy	254. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Emma Archibald (Abinvale)</i>	253. Junior	255. Open
GORDON SETTER	256. Puppy	258. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Emma Archibald (Abinvale)</i>	257. Junior	259. Open

RING 5 — not before 11.30 am

SPANIEL (AMERICAN COCKER)	260. Puppy	262. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Ed Casey (Moyglass)</i>	261. Junior	263. Open
SPANIEL (COCKER)	264. Puppy	266. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Ed Casey (Moyglass)</i>	265. Junior	267. Open
SPANIEL (ENGLISH SPRINGER)	268. Puppy	270. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Ed Casey (Moyglass)</i>	269. Junior	271. Open
SPANIEL (WELSH SPRINGER)	272. Puppy	274. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Ed Casey (Moyglass)</i>	273. Junior	275. Open
SPANIEL (FIELD)	276. Puppy	278. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Ed Casey (Moyglass)</i>	277. Junior	279. Open
GERMAN SHORTHAIRED POINTER	280. Puppy	282. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Ed Casey (Moyglass)</i>	281. Junior	283. Open
RETRIEVER (FLAT COATED)	284. Puppy	286. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Ed Casey (Moyglass)</i>	285. Junior	287. Open
RETRIEVER (GOLDEN)	288. Puppy	290. Post Graduate
<i>Judge: Ed Casey (Moyglass)</i>	289. Junior	291. Open

AVNSC GUNDOG <i>Judge: Ed Casey (Moyglass)</i>	292. Puppy 293. Post Graduate	294. Open
AV IMPORTED BREED REGISTER GUNDOG <i>Judge: Ed Casey (Moyglass)</i>	295. Junior	296. Open
<i>The Gundog Group followed by the Gundog Puppy Group will now be judged by Ed Casey</i>		
AV GUNDOG <i>Judge: Ed Casey (Moyglass)</i>	297. Veteran* 298. Puppy	299. Post Graduate 300. Open

**Winner of this class goes forward to compete for Best Veteran in Show*

COMBINED RINGS

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

Judge: LIZ DUNHILL (FANTASA/VORMUND)

**The winners of the AV Veteran class in each Group will compete for Best Veteran in Show*

Exhibitors are responsible for providing their own crate identification

BANK CHARGES: Exhibitors are asked to make sure that cheques sent to cover entry fees are in order for immediate payment. Those which are not, for any reason, will be returned and a charge of £10 will be made, failure to pay entry fees or any charge incurred will be referred to the Kennel Club.

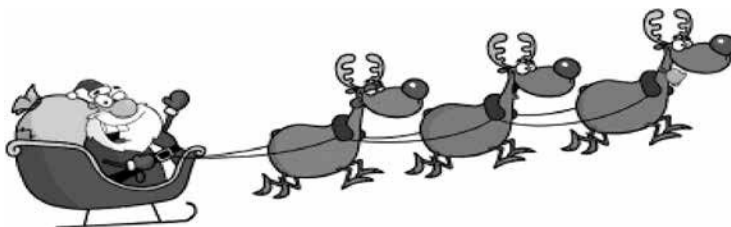
DISCLAIMER: The Officers and Committee of the Show can accept no responsibility for products advertised or sold by stand holders at the Show and remind exhibitors that grooming products on sale may not meet the requirements of the Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition.

CHILDREN: Parents/guardians are responsible for their actions and any damage caused by them during the show.

DISCLAIMER: The Officers and Committee of the Show and the venue will not be held responsible for any loss or damage to vehicles or property within the precincts of the show, including parking areas.

DOG FOULING and GROOMING WASTE: Attention is drawn to the following Kennel Club Regulation: F.10(a) Any owner, exhibitor, handler or other person in charge of a dog is required to remove immediately any fouling caused by their dog(s) and/or any grooming waste at any Kennel Club Licensed Show within the licensed venue and within the environs of that event including the car park and approaches.

Please note you cannot enter the venue before 9.30 am





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• RULES and REGULATIONS •

1. The Show will open at 9.30 am.
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 10.30 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: First Entry: £5.00 per dog. Subsequent Entries: £1.00 per class with the same dog. Not for Competition: 50p per dog (*please provide details on entry form*). Catalogues: £3.00 pre-paid with entries (limited number available on the day at £4.00). Rosette sponsorship: £1.50 per rosette. Membership Subscriptions: £3.00 Single; Joint (2 people) £4.00.
6. Prize Money: Best in Show £50.00; Reserve Best in Show £25.00; Best Puppy in Show £50.00; Reserve Best Puppy in Show £25.00; Best Veteran in Show £25.00; Reserve Best Veteran in Show £10.00.
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 the schedule except by permission of the Board of the Kennel Club, which will be followed by advertisement in the Canine press wherever possible.
20. The Officers and Committee of the Show can accept no responsibility for products advertised or sold by stand holders at the show and remind exhibitors that grooming products on sale may not meet the requirements of the Regulation for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition.
21. 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. Adequate receptacles for the disposal of such fouling will be provided.
22. 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).

• 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, 11th November 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.

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.

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

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

LEIGH LEISURE CENTRE

Sale Way, Leigh Sports Village, Leigh, Lancashire WN7 4JY

From M6 Junction 23, travel east by taking A580 (East Lancashire Road) towards Manchester. Follow A580 for approx. 2½ miles then turn left onto Atherleigh Way A579, continue on A579 for approx. 1¼ miles then at roundabout (sign posted Leigh Sports Village) take 2nd exit onto Sale Way and follow the road to the Leisure Centre.

If travelling from Manchester area, travel west by taking A580 (East Lancashire Road) towards Liverpool. Follow A580 for approx. 5 miles then turn right onto Atherleigh Way A579, continue on A579 for approx. 1¼ miles then at roundabout (sign posted Leigh Sports Village) take 2nd exit onto Sale Way and follow the road to the Leisure Centre.

Parking is behind the Leisure Centre however there is an agreement in place which allows overflow parking in any spaces anywhere within the Sports Village.

WELFARE OF DOGS

An exhibitor (or competitor) 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 their dog's health and welfare at risk by any action, default, omission or otherwise. A breach of this Regulation may be referred to the Kennel Club Board for disciplinary action under Kennel Club Rules and Regulations.

**PLEASE KEEP THIS VENUE CLEAN
AND DISPOSE OF YOUR WASTE IN THE SACKS PROVIDED**

