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Schedule of Benched 33rd GROUP CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW

(held under Kennel Club Limited Rules and Regulations on Group System of Judging)

at **THREE COUNTIES SHOWGROUND**
Malvern, Worcs WR13 6NW

on

WEDNESDAY, 11th OCTOBER 2017

Show Opens: 8.30 am

Judging: 9.30 am in all rings

Guarantors to the Kennel Club:

Mr A. Fall (*Chairman*), 3 Curlew Close, Rest Bay, Porthcawl.
Mr R. Stafford (*Secretary*), 193 Peniel Green Road, Llansamlet, Swansea SA7 9BA. Tel: 01792 797404
Mrs C.A. Worth (*Treasurer*), 4 Clos Sant Teilo, Llangyfelach, Swansea.
Mr S. Rose, 6 Iris Close, Port Talbot.
Mrs A. Fall, 3 Curlew Close, Rest Bay, Porthcawl.
Mr N. Worth, 4 Clos Sant Teilo, Llangyfelach, Swansea.

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: Saturday, 26th August 2017 (Postmark)

**On-line entries can be made up until midnight on Sunday, 10th September 2017
at www.fossedata.co.uk**

Veterinary Surgeon (in attendance): Bush House Veterinary Surgery. Tel: 01269 592113

Postal entries to be sent to Hon. Secretary: Mr R. Stafford
193 Peniel Green Road, Llansamlet, Swansea SA7 9BA
Tel: 01792 797404

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



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GUNDOG SOCIETY OF WALES

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OFFICIALS:

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Vice Chairman: Mr John Prosser, Glannant, Cantref, Cwmtaff, Merthyr Tydfil.

Hon. Secretary: Mr Richard Stafford, 193 Peniel Green Road, Llansamlet.

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Show Manager: Mr Alan Fall, 3 Curlew Close, Rest Bay, Porthcawl.

Assistant Show Manager: Mr John Prosser

Chief Steward: Mrs Angela Fall, 3 Curlew Close, Rest Bay, Porthcawl.

COMMITTEE:

Mrs Eileen Allan-Rossiter, Mr Daniel Clayton, Mr Alan Fall, Mrs Angela Fall, Mr Bill Molton,
Mr John Prosser, Mr Steve Rose, Mr Richard Stafford, Miss Becky Williams,
Miss Bethan Williams, Mrs Julie Williams, Mr Nigel Worth, Mrs Anne Worth

ENTRY FEES

Breeds with CCs on offer	First Entry £26.00; Subsequent entries with same dog £3.00
Breeds without CCs on offer	First Entry £13.00; Subsequent entries with same dog £3.00
Stakes classes	£13.00 if first entry, irrespective of breed £3.00 if subsequent entry, irrespective of breed
Handling classes	£3.00 per class
Not for Competition	£10.00 per dog (<i>over 4 calendar months of age</i>)
Admission	Free
Car Park	Free
Catalogue	£4.00 Pre-paid with entries (<i>£5.00 on the day</i>)
Member's Subscriptions	£2.00 Single
Trade Stand	£10.00 per foot Front

***Any cheques re-presented to the Bank will be charged at £10.00 per transaction
Any wrong entries will be charged at £2.00 per correction.***

Judging in ALL rings to start at 9.30 am

• PRIZE MONEY •

No Prize Money in Breed Classes or Any Variety Not Separately Classified

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

STAKES CLASSES

YKC Members' Stakes	1st £5.00; 2nd £3.00; 3rd £2.00
Gundog Society of Wales Adult Handling	1st £5.00; 2nd £4.00; 3rd £3.00; 4th £2.00; 5th £1.00
Meadowgreen Field Trial Stakes	1st £5.00; 2nd £3.00; 3rd £2.00
Alrhan Veteran Stakes	1st £20.00; 2nd £15.00; 3rd £10.00; 4th £5.00; 5th £3.00
Gundog Society of Wales Good Citizen Dog Scheme Stakes	1st £50.00; 2nd £25.00; 3rd £15.00; 4th £10.00; 5th £5.00
Sundeala Brace Stakes	1st £5.00; 2nd £3.00; 3rd £2.00
Kelmel Junior Dog Stakes	1st £5.00; 2nd £3.00; 3rd £2.00
Vice President Junior Bitch Stakes	1st £5.00; 2nd £3.00; 3rd £2.00
Arthur Jones Memorial Open Stakes	1st £10.00; 2nd £8.00; 3rd £6.00; 4th £4.00; 5th £2.00
Sarabande Champion Stakes	1st £25.00; 2nd £15.00; 3rd £10.00

ROSETTES

Best in Show • Reserve Best in Show
Best Puppy in Show • Best Veteran in Show
Best of Breed • Best Opposite Sex in Breed • Best Puppy in Breed
Stakes Class Winners

CUPS & TROPHIES

A full list of Cups and Trophies will appear in the Catalogue

N.B. Cups and Trophies will NOT be given out

EXHIBITOR PASSES - FOR ON-LINE ENTRIES ONLY

You will not receive your Exhibitors Pass through the post because they will be delivered to you through your on-line account. You will be informed by an e-mail when your passes are ready, which will be approximately two weeks before the show.

The e-mail will include details on how to print your Exhibitors Pass and any other Show Information. You must print your Exhibitors Pass and take it to the show.

Exhibitors making postal entries will receive their Exhibitors Passes by Post in the usual way.

If you have not received your e-mail ten days before the start of the show please contact the printers.

CLASSIFICATION

GERMAN SHORTHAIRED POINTER

Judge:

MRS V GRANT

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch

1 MPD	2 PD	3 JD	4 ND	5 GD	6 PGD	7 LD	8 OD	9 VD
10 MPB	11 PB	12 JB	13 NB	14 GB	15 PGB	16 LB	17 OB	18 VB

POINTER

Judge:

MR F WHYTE

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch

19 MPD	20 PD	21 JD	22 YD	23 ND	24 PGD	25 LD	26 OD	27 VD
28 MPB	29 PB	30 JB	31 YB	32 NB	33 PGB	34 LB	35 OB	36 VB

RETRIEVER (FLAT COATED)

Judge:

MR K YOUNG

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch

37 MPD	38 PD	39 JD	40 YD	41 ND	42 GD	43 PGD	44 LD	45 OD	46 VD
47 MPB	48 PB	49 JB	50 YB	51 NB	52 GB	53 PGB	54 LB	55 OB	56 VB

RETRIEVER (GOLDEN)

Judges:

Dogs - MR R LANE

Referee - MRS P HOLLINGS

Bitches - MRS L KEEN

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch

57 MPD	58 PD	59 JD	60 YD	61 MD	62 ND	63 UGD	64 GD	65 PGD
66 MLD	67 LD	68 OD	69 VD	70 MPB	71 PB	72 JB	73 YB	74 MB
75 NB	76 UGB	77 GB	78 PGB	79 MLB	80 LB	81 OB	82 VB	

RETRIEVER (LABRADOR)

Judge:

MR B HAYWARD

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch

83 MPD	84 PD	85 JD	86 YD	87 MD	88 ND	89 GD	90 PGD	91 MLD
92 LD	93 OD	94 VD	95 MPB	96 PB	97 JB	98 YB	99 MB	100 NB
101 GB	102 PGB	103 MLB	104 LB	105 OB	106 VB			

ENGLISH SETTER

Judge:

MR R McMASTER

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch

107 MPD	108 PD	109 JD	110 YD	111 ND	112 GD	113 PGD	114 MLD	115 LD	116 OD	117 VD
118 MPB	119 PB	120 JB	121 YB	122 NB	123 GB	124 PGB	125 MLB	126 LB	127 OB	128 VB

GORDON SETTER

Judge:

MR S HOLLINGS

129 PD	130 JD	131 PGD	132 LD	133 OD
134 PB	135 JB	136 PGB	137 LB	138 OB

WEIMARANER

Judge:

MRS D HOLMAN

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch

139 MPD	140 PD	141 JD	142 ND	143 GD	144 PGD	145 LD	146 OD	147 VD
148 MPB	149 PB	150 JB	151 NB	152 GB	153 PGB	154 LB	155 OB	156 VB

IRISH SETTER

Judge:

MRS A MOSS

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch

157 MPD	158 PD	159 JD	160 YD	161 ND	162 UGD	163 GD	164 PGD	165 MLD
166 LD	167 OD	168 VD	169 MPB	170 PB	171 JB	172 YB	173 NB	174 UGB
175 GB	176 PGB	177 MLB	178 LB	179 OB	180 VB			

IRISH RED AND WHITE SETTER

Judge:

MS R CEMIS

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch

181 MPD	182 PD	183 JD	184 ND	185 PGD	186 LD	187 OD	188 VD
189 MPB	190 PB	191 JB	192 NB	193 PGB	194 LB	195 OB	196 VB

SPANIEL (AMERICAN COCKER)

Judge:

MR A SCOURFIELD

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch

197 MPD	198 PD	199 JD	200 ND	201 PGD	202 LD	203 OD	204 VD
205 MPB	206 PB	207 JB	208 NB	209 PGB	210 LB	211 OB	212 VB

SPANIEL (ENGLISH SPRINGER)

Judge:

MR D MITCHELL

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch

213 MPD	214 PD	215 JD	216 ND	217 GD	218 PGD	219 LD	220 OD	221 VD
222 MPB	223 PB	224 JB	225 NB	226 GB	227 PGB	228 LB	229 OB	230 VB

SPANIEL (COCKER)	<i>Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog</i>	Judge:	<i>Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch</i>
231 MPD 232 PD 233 JD 234 ND 235 UGD 236 GD 237 PGD 238 LD 239 OD 240 VD	241 MPB 242 PB 243 JB 244 NB 245 UGB 246 GB 247 PGB 248 LB 249 OB 250 VB		MRS P WILLIAMS
SPANIEL (CLUMBER)	<i>Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog</i>	Judge:	<i>Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch</i>
251 PD 252 JD 253 ND 254 PGD 255 LD 256 OD 257 VD	258 PB 259 JB 260 NB 261 PGB 262 LB 263 OB 264 VB		MR J NEWSHAM
HUNGARIAN VIZSLA	<i>Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog</i>	Judge:	<i>Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch</i>
265 PD 266 JD 267 ND 268 PGD 269 LD 270 OD 271 VD	272 PB 273 JB 274 NB 275 PGB 276 LB 277 OB 278 VB		MR S HOLLINGS
GERMAN WIREHAired POINTER	<i>Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog</i>	Judge:	<i>Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch</i>
279 PD 280 JD 281 ND 282 PGD 283 LD 284 OD 285 VD	286 PB 287 JB 288 NB 289 PGB 290 LB 291 OB 292 VB		MRS J WARD
SPANIEL (IRISH WATER)		Judge:	MRS J WARD
293 PD 294 JD 295 ND 296 PGD 297 LD 298 OD 299 VD/B	300 PB 301 JB 302 NB 303 PGB 304 LB 305 OB		
ITALIAN SPINONE	<i>Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog</i>	Judge:	<i>Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch</i>
306 PD 307 JD 308 ND 309 PGD 310 LD 311 OD 312 VD	313 PB 314 JB 315 NB 316 PGB 317 LB 318 OB 319 VB		MRS K GORMAN
SPANIEL (WELSH SPRINGER)	<i>Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog</i>	Judge:	<i>Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch</i>
320 PD 321 JD 322 ND 323 PGD 324 LD 325 OD 326 VD	327 PB 328 JB 329 NB 330 PGB 331 LB 332 OB 333 VB		MRS S RIESE [USA]
SPANIEL (FIELD)		Judge:	MRS D STEWART-RITCHIE
334 PD 335 JD 336 ND 337 PGD 338 LD 339 OD 340 VD/B	341 PB 342 JB 343 NB 344 PGB 345 LB 346 OB		
SPANIEL (SUSSEX)		Judge:	MR F WHYTE
347 PD 348 JD 349 PGD 350 LD 351 OD 352 VD/B	353 PB 354 JB 355 PGB 356 LB 357 OB		
RETRIEVER (CURLY COATED)		Judge:	MRS D STEWART-RITCHIE
358 PD/B 359 JD/B 360 ND/B 361 PGD/B 362 LD/B 363 OD 364 OB 365 VD/B			
LARGE MUNSTERLANDER		Judge:	MR S HOLLINGS
366 PD/B 367 JD/B 368 ND/B 369 PGD/B 370 LD/B 371 OD 372 OB 373 VD/B			
RETRIEVER (CHESAPEAKE BAY)		Judge:	MR H OGDEN
374 JD/B 375 OD 376 OB			
HUNGARIAN WIREHAired VIZSLA		Judge:	MRS D STEWART-RITCHIE
377 PD/B 378 JD/B 379 ND/B 380 PGD/B 381 LD/B 382 OD 383 OB 384 VD/B			
BRITTANY		Judge:	MR H OGDEN
385 PD 386 JD 387 PGD 388 OD 389 VD/B 390 PB 391 JB 392 PGB 393 OB			
RETRIEVER (NOVA SCOTIA DUCK TOLLING)		Judge:	MRS D STEWART-RITCHIE
394 JD 395 PGD 396 OD 397 VD/B 398 JB 399 PGB 400 OB			
GERMAN LONGHAired POINTER		Judge:	MRS D STEWART-RITCHIE
401 JD/B 402 OD 403 OB			
BRACCO ITALIANO		Judge:	MRS E TOWNS
404 JD/B 405 PGD/B 406 OD/B			
SPANISH WATER DOG		Judge:	MR F WHYTE
407 JD/B 408 PGD/B 409 OD/B			
LAGOTTO ROMAGNOLO		Judge:	MRS D HOLMAN
410 JD/B 411 OD 412 OB			

A.V.N.S.C. GUNDOG 413 OD/B	<i>Judge:</i>	MR B LIMPUS
A.V. IMPORTED REGISTER GUNDOG 414 JD/B 415 OD/B	<i>Judge:</i>	MR B LIMPUS

STAKES and HANDLING CLASSES

YKC MEMBERS' STAKES 416 YKC MEMBERS' STAKES D/B <i>Prize Money: 1st £5.00; 2nd £3.00; 3rd £2.00</i>	<i>Judge:</i>	MR B LIMPUS
YKC MEMBERS' HANDLING CLASSES 417 YKC MEMBERS' HANDLING (6 - 11 YEARS) 419 YKC MEMBERS' HANDLING (17 - 24 YEARS)	<i>Judge:</i> 418 YKC MEMBERS' HANDLING (12 - 16 YEARS)	MR B LIMPUS
GUNDOG SOCIETY OF WALES ADULT HANDLING CLASS 420 ADULT HANDLING (17 YEARS & OVER) <i>Prize Money: 1st £5.00; 2nd £4.00; 3rd £3.00; 4th £2.00; 5th £1.00</i>	<i>Judge:</i>	MR B LIMPUS
MEADOWGREEN FIELD TRIAL STAKES 421 A.V. FIELD TRIAL D/B <i>Prize Money: 1st £5.00; 2nd £3.00; 3rd £2.00</i>	<i>Judge:</i>	MR B LIMPUS
ALRHAN VETERAN STAKES 422 A.V. VETERAN D/B <i>Prize Money: 1st £20.00; 2nd £15.00; 3rd £10.00; 4th £5.00; 5th £3.00</i>	<i>Judge:</i>	MR B LIMPUS
GUNDOG SOCIETY OF WALES GOOD CITIZEN DOG SCHEME STAKES 423 A.V. GOOD CITIZEN DOG SCHEME D/B <i>Prize Money: 1st £50.00; 2nd £25.00; 3rd £15.00; 4th £10.00; 5th £5.00</i>	<i>Judge:</i>	MR B LIMPUS
SUNDEALA BRACE STAKES 424 A.V. BRACE D/B <i>Prize Money: 1st £5.00; 2nd £3.00; 3rd £2.00</i>	<i>Judge:</i>	MR B LIMPUS
ROYAL CANIN/BURGESS ROSETTES PUPPY STAKES 425 A.V. MINOR PUPPY DOG 426 A.V. PUPPY DOG 427 A.V. MINOR PUPPY BITCH 428 A.V. PUPPY BITCH <i>£10.00 Royal Canin Product Voucher and a rosette for all entrants who place at qualifier plus an additional £30.00 Royal Canin Product Voucher for Class winners</i>	<i>Judge:</i>	MR B LIMPUS
KELMEL JUNIOR DOG STAKES 429 A.V. JUNIOR DOG <i>Prize Money: 1st £5.00; 2nd £3.00; 3rd £2.00</i>	<i>Judge:</i>	MR B LIMPUS
VICE PRESIDENT JUNIOR BITCH STAKES 430 A.V. JUNIOR BITCH <i>Prize Money: 1st £5.00; 2nd £3.00; 3rd £2.00</i>	<i>Judge:</i>	MR B LIMPUS
ARTHUR JONES MEMORIAL OPEN STAKES 431 A.V. OPEN D/B <i>Prize Money: 1st £10.00; 2nd £8.00; 3rd £6.00; 4th £4.00; 5th £2.00</i>	<i>Judge:</i>	MR B LIMPUS
SARABANDE CHAMPION STAKES 432 A.V. CHAMPION D/B <i>Prize Money: 1st £25.00; 2nd £15.00; 3rd £10.00</i>	<i>Judge:</i>	MR B LIMPUS

BEST IN SHOW and BEST PUPPY IN SHOW

will be judged by Mrs P Hollings

BEST VETERAN IN SHOW

will be judged by Mr B Limpus

• 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. **Saturday, 19th August 2017**. 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. A dog is not eligible for entry in Variety classes (excluding AVNSC Classes) unless also entered and subsequently exhibited in a Breed class where such a class is provided for which it is eligible. Exemptions from this Regulation are:

From 1st January 2017, and for a period of one year the Kennel Club Show Regulations which stipulate that dogs must be entered and exhibited in a breed class before exhibiting in an Any Variety Class/Stakes Class have been suspended.

- (1) A puppy, unless a class for dogs under twelve months of age for which it is eligible is provided for the breed.
- (2) A dog in Any Variety Field Trial or Working Trial Class.
- (3) A dog in Any Variety Veteran Class.
- (4) A dog in Any Variety Champion Class.
- (5) A dog which is withdrawn from exhibition in breed classes as a result of the appointment of an emergency judge.
- (6) A dog in YKC Stakes Classes.
- (7) A dog in Good Citizen Scheme Classes.
- (8) Exhibits bred by the scheduled breed Judge.

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 Regulations 9(j) and 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.

YEARLING For dogs of twelve and not exceeding twenty four months of age on the first day of the Show.

MAIDEN For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate or a First Prize at an Open or Championship Show (Minor Puppy, Special Minor Puppy, Puppy and Special Puppy classes excepted, whether restricted or not)

NOVICE For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate or three or more First Prizes at Open and Championship Shows (Minor Puppy, Special Minor Puppy, Puppy and Special Puppy classes excepted, whether restricted or not).

UNDERGRADUATE For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate or 3 or more First Prizes at Championship Shows where Challenge Certificates were offered for the breed (Minor Puppy, Special Minor Puppy, Puppy and Special Puppy Classes excepted, whether restricted or not).

GRADUATE For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate or 4 or more First Prizes at Championship Shows in Graduate, Post Graduate, Minor Limit, Mid Limit, Limit and Open Classes whether restricted or not where Challenge Certificates were offered for the breed.

POST GRADUATE For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate or 5 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.

MID LIMIT For dogs which have not become show Champions under Kennel Club Regulations or under the rules of any governing body recognised by the Kennel Club or won 5 or more First Prizes in all at Championship Shows in Mid Limit, Limit or Open classes, confined to the breed, whether restricted or not, at Shows where Challenge Certificates were offered for the breed.

LIMIT For dogs which have not become show Champions under Kennel Club Regulations or under the rules of any governing body recognised by the Kennel Club or won 7 or more First Prizes in all at Championship Shows in Limit or Open classes, confined to the breed, whether restricted or not, at Shows where Challenge Certificates were offered for the breed.

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.

SARABANDE CHAMPION STAKES For dogs which have been confirmed a Champion or a Show Champion.

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

GUNDOG SOCIETY OF WALES GOOD CITIZEN DOG SCHEME STAKES For dogs that have achieved their GCDS Bronze Award Certificate or above.

MEADOWGREEN FIELD TRIAL OPEN STAKES For dogs which have won prizes, Diplomas of Merit or Certificates of Merit in actual competition at a Field Trial held under Kennel Club or Irish Kennel Club Field Trial Regulations.

SUNDEALA BRACE STAKES For two exhibits (either sex or mixed) of one breed belonging to the same exhibitor, each exhibit having been entered in some class other than Brace or Team.

IMPORTED REGISTER When an Interim Breed Standard has been approved by the Kennel Club, breeds whose registration is confined to the Imported Register may be exhibited in this class only and are ineligible for any other competition whatsoever.

ANY VARIETY NOT SEPARATELY CLASSIFIED For breeds of dog for which no separate breed classes are scheduled.

YKC MEMBERS' STAKES Only dogs of six (6) calendar months of age and over on the day of competition are eligible for entry into a YKC qualifying stakes class. Dogs must be on the Kennel Club Breed register to compete in a YKC stakes competition. The first placed member only in each dog group at the qualifying show will qualify for Crufts. A rosette will be awarded. If the first placed member has already qualified at a previous show, the Crufts qualification will NOT roll down. If a member is disqualified, the qualification does not roll down to the next placing. All pedigree dogs are eligible to take part provided the dog is registered on the Kennel Club Breed Register. The dog must be registered; a. Solely or jointly in the member's name or b. In the name of a close member of the family and under these circumstances the dog must be resident at the YKC member's address. No substitute handlers are permitted – the dog must be handled by the registered YKC member. Members are not permitted to allow another individual to show their dog at the qualifier on their behalf if they are not able to attend the class, unless agreed by the YKC Office prior to the show. In certain cases members may be permitted, through permission from the YKC Office, to show a dog that is not registered in their name, the family name or registered at their address and must write into the YKC office for permission to show which will then go forward to a Management Meeting for approval. This must be approved by the Management Meeting before entering ANY qualifier and not after the member has qualified at a show. Members must be aged 6 -24 years (members 6 years and up to, but not including 25th birthday). Please note that membership of the YKC terminates on a members 25th birthday. Therefore if a member is aged 25 years or over by the first day of Crufts they will be unable to compete in any YKC class. Please keep this in mind when entering qualifiers throughout the competing year. In order to enter any YKC competition, you must be a fully paid up member at the time of entry and competition. If you enter a Crufts qualifier and you have not previously paid your membership fee then any award will be forfeited. Therefore it is important to renew and maintain YKC membership as current if you wish to participate in YKC competitions.

YKC MEMBERS' HANDLING CLASSES Only dogs of six (6) calendar months of age and over on the day of competition are eligible for entry into an YKC qualifying class. Dogs DO NOT NEED to be entered into a breed class to participate in an YKC Handling class at a championship or open show. Any dog entered in handling only classes is not eligible to be shown in a breed/AVNSC/Variety/Stakes class at the show or compete for the Group, Best in Show or Best Puppy in Show. The FIRST placed handler only in each age group at the qualifying show will qualify for Crufts. A rosette is awarded to the first place winner. This is not a roll down competition. Handling qualifiers run from the 1st January to the 31st December for the following year's Crufts. If a member is disqualified, the qualification does not roll down to the next placing. Classes for handling are decided by the handler's age. The classes are divided into three age groups: 6-11 years (6 years and up to, but not including 12th birthday); 12-16 years (12 years and up to, but not including 17th birthday); 17-24 years (17 years and up to, but not including 25th birthday). In order to enter any YKC competition, you must be a fully paid up member at the time of entry and competition. If you enter a Crufts qualifier and you have not previously paid your membership fee then any award will be forfeited. Therefore it is important to renew and maintain YKC membership as current if you wish to participate in YKC competitions.

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.

• RULES AND REGULATIONS •

1. The Show will open at 8.30 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 9.30 am.
4. Exhibits may be removed from the Show after their judging has been completed. Exhibits may not be removed any earlier unless by written order of the Veterinary Surgeon, Veterinary Practitioner or of the Show Management and then only in very exceptional and unforeseen circumstances which must be reported to the Kennel Club. The Show will close half an hour after all judging has been completed by which time dogs must be removed.
5. The use of cooking stoves in the proximity of tenting and benching areas is forbidden except as authorised by the Show Management.
6. Entry Fees: Breeds with CCs on offer - 1st Entry £26.00, subsequent entries with same dog £3.00; Breeds without CCs on offer - 1st Entry £13.00, subsequent entries with same dog £3.00. Stakes Classes: £13.00 if 1st entry irrespective of breed, £3.00 if subsequent entry irrespective of breed. Handling classes: £3.00 per class. Not for Competition £10.00 per dog (*over 4 months*). Catalogues £4.00 pre-paid with entries (*£5.00 on the day*). Members subscriptions: £2.00 Single. Trade Stands: £10.00 per foot frontage.
7. Prize Money on offer in Stakes classes as detailed in classification.
8. The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries.
9. Puppies under six calendar months of age on the first day of the Show are not eligible for exhibition.
10. The mating of bitches within the precincts of the Show is forbidden.
11. **Best Puppy in Show: From 1st January 2017, and for a period of one year the Kennel Club Show Regulations which stipulate that dogs must be entered and exhibited in a breed class before exhibiting in an Any Variety Class/Stakes Class and that only unbeaten dogs are eligible to compete in the group or best in show competitions are suspended.**

Where a Best Puppy in Show competition is scheduled the Best Puppy in Show is a puppy which has competed and is unbeaten by any other puppy exhibited at the same show. 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 of 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. Similarly, if the Reserve Best of Breed, Reserve Best in 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 or Best Puppy in Show respectively. Consequently, selection of Best Puppy in Breed and Best Puppy in Show must follow the selection of Best of Breed and Best in Show respectively.

a. *Championship Shows Judged on the Group System:*

(Definition; Shows judged on Group System - Refer to Regulation 27.b.)

1) *Best Puppy in Breed:* A Best Puppy must be declared in each breed from puppies entered in the Breed Classes.

2) *Best Puppy in Group:* From 1st January 2017, and for a period of one year the Kennel Club Show Regulations which stipulate

that dogs must be entered and exhibited in a breed class before exhibiting in an Any Variety Class/Stakes Class and that only unbeaten dogs are eligible to compete in the group or best in show competitions are suspended.

Best Puppy in Group and subsequent Puppy Group placings must be selected from:-

- a) Those puppies declared Best Puppy in Breed provided that they are unbeaten by any other puppy.
- b) The puppy declared Best Puppy from the Any Variety Not Separately Classified classes in each group or on each day provided it is unbeaten by any other puppy.

- b. **Withdrawal from Competition:** Puppies which become eligible for Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show may be withdrawn from all other competition, other than breed classes and Best Puppy in Breed, prior to the competition for Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show as appropriate, in order to remain unbeaten. A puppy beaten in competition for Best Puppy in Group or Best Puppy in Show may subsequently be exhibited in all competition for which it was previously eligible. The dog declared Best Puppy in Show, however, must not compete in any subsequent competition. Puppies may be withdrawn from Any Variety Classes when judged before Breed Classes.

- c. **Proviso:** For the purpose of this Regulation, dogs beaten in competition for Stud Dog, Brood Bitch, Progeny, Brace and Team or a Special Award confined to one breed will not be considered to be a beaten dog.

12. **Best in Show: From 1st January 2017, and for a period of one year the Kennel Club Show Regulations which stipulate that dogs must be entered and exhibited in a breed class before exhibiting in an Any Variety Class/Stakes Class and that only unbeaten dogs are eligible to compete in the group or best in show competitions are suspended.**

The dog declared Best in Show is a dog which has competed and is unbeaten by any other dog exhibited at the same Show. Definition of a Category 3 Breed. A breed from time to time designated by the General Committee as requiring particular monitoring by reason of visible condition(s) which may cause health or welfare concerns. The list of designated Category 3 Breeds is kept under regular review.

- a. **Shows Judged on the Group System:** (Definition; Shows judged on the Group System as defined in Kennel Club Regulation B(A); and requires 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.

NOTE: The Best of Breed/Best Any Variety Not Separately Classified award relevant to a Category 3 Breed will not be confirmed until the dog has passed an examination by the General and Group Championship Show Veterinary Surgeon.

- 2) **Best of Group:** From 1st January 2017, and for a period of one year the Kennel Club Show Regulations which stipulate that dogs must be entered and exhibited in a breed class before exhibiting in an Any Variety Class/Stakes Class and that only unbeaten dogs are eligible to compete in the group or best in show competitions are suspended.

Best of Group and subsequent Group placings must be selected from:-

- a) The Best of Breed winners in each group provided that they are unbeaten winning dogs.
- b) The best unbeaten winning dog from the Any Variety Not Separately Classified classes in each group or on each day.

NOTE: The dog declared Best of Breed/Best Any Variety Not Separately Classified from a breed designated by the Kennel Club as a Category 3 Breed is not eligible to compete in the Group competition unless it has passed an examination by the Show's Veterinary Surgeon. If the dog fails to pass the examination it is ineligible to compete in the relevant Group.

- 3) **Best in Show:** From 1st January 2017, and for a period of one year the Kennel Club Show Regulations which stipulate that dogs must be entered and exhibited in a breed class before exhibiting in an Any Variety Class/Stakes Class and that only unbeaten dogs are eligible to compete in the group or best in show competitions are suspended.

Best in Show must be selected from the Best of Group winners provided they are unbeaten. Reserve Best in Show must be selected from the remaining Group winners following the selection of Best in Show.

- b. **Withdrawal from other Competition:** Dogs which become eligible for Best of Group and Best in Show maybe withdrawn from all other competition other than breed classes and Best of Breed prior to the competition for Best of Group or Best in Show as appropriate in order to remain unbeaten. A dog beaten in competition for Best of Group or Best in Show may subsequently be exhibited in all competition for which it was previously eligible. The dogs declared Best in Show and Reserve Best in Show however, must not compete in any subsequent competition. Dogs may be withdrawn from Any Variety Classes when judged before Breed Classes.

- c. **Proviso:** For the purposes of this Regulation, dogs beaten in competition for Stud Dog, Brood Bitch, Progeny, Brace and Team or a Special Award confined to a single breed, will not be considered to be beaten dogs.

13. 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 delayed by previous judging not being completed on time, and then only with the special permission of the Show Management.

14. Exhibitors must not pick up dogs by their tails and leads when lifting them. 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.

15. It is not acceptable to handle a dog in a manner which causes its feet not to touch the ground when on the move. Exhibitors should note that such practices could constitute harsh handling and reports of such practice will be referred to the Committee under Kennel Club Show Regulation F11.

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

17. 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.

18. **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.** 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. Exhibitors/Competitors are reminded that show societies have the right under Kennel Club Regulation to refuse any entry.
19. 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.
 20. No modifications will be made to this Schedule except by permission of the General Committee of the Kennel Club, which will be followed by advertisement in the Canine Press wherever possible.
 21. Best Veteran in Breed will be declared from all unbeaten veterans.
 22. The Show will be held under Kennel Club Rules and Regulations. Every exhibitor making an entry or entries at this Show shall be deemed to have agreed to abide by the Kennel Club Rules and Regulations and by these Regulations and it is on this understanding only that entries are received. All dogs must be registered or transferred at the Kennel Club before the Show.
 23. **All postal entries must be made by Saturday, 26th August 2017 (Postmark). On-line entries can be made up until midnight on Sunday, 10th September 2017 at www.fossedata.co.uk**
 24. The Committee is empowered to exclude or to remove any dog which is not in a fit state for exhibition, from disease, vice, natural or other causes. If such exclusion takes place either before or after the dog is judged, the entrance fee will be forfeited.
 25. The Committee will be most anxious for the care and safety of the dogs entered at the Show and any property entrusted to it, but it must be distinctly understood by exhibitors and owners of dogs and all other persons that the Committee will not be responsible for the entire or partial loss or detention of or damage to dogs of any other property whether arising from accident or any other cause whatever or from any act of omission of themselves, their officers, servants, agents or others and it is on this understanding only that entries are received.
 26. Should any Judge be prevented from fulfilling his/her engagement, the Committee reserve the right to appoint a substitute, in which case exhibitors are at liberty to withdraw from competition, but no entry fees can be returned.
 27. Each Judge will be instructed and empowered to withhold any Prize in any class if, in his/her opinion, the dog does not possess sufficient merit. Judges are not empowered to give Prizes beyond those offered in the Schedule. A Judge's decision shall be final except in the case of fraud or misrepresentation or where a mistake has been made bona fide by the Judge.
 28. No animal other than exhibits will be allowed within the precincts of the Show during its continuance.
 29. All Rules and Regulations or Definitions and Instructions of the nature of Rules and Regulations printed for convenience in other parts of the Schedule shall be deemed to be Regulations of the Committee and shall have the same effect as if they formed part of the Regulations.
 30. Should any question arise not provided for in these Regulations, the decision of the Committee shall be final, subject to appeal to the Kennel Club.
 31. 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. Anyone failing to clear up will be reported to the Committee who may enforce the right to refuse entries from the exhibitor for future shows.
 32. The Committee of the Gundog Society of Wales can accept no responsibility for products advertised or sold by stand holders at the Show, and wish to remind exhibitors that grooming products on sale may not meet the requirements of the Regulations for Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition.
 33. 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).
 34. A dog may be disqualified by the General Committee from any award, whether an objection has been lodged or not, if proved amongst other things to have been: a) registered or recorded as having been bred by the scheduled Judge, this shall not apply to a Judge appointed in an emergency; b) exhibited without payment of appropriate entry fees.
 35. Every exhibitor shall ensure that whilst the dog is being exhibited, its handler shall display the correct ring number.
 36. The security of dogs at the Show is the sole responsibility of the owner/handler.

CLASSIFICATION CODING

MPD	Minor Puppy Dog	MPB	Minor Puppy Bitch	PD/B	Puppy Dog or Bitch
PD	Puppy Dog	PB	Puppy Bitch	JD/B	Junior Dog or Bitch
JD	Junior Dog	JB	Junior Bitch	ND/B	Novice Dog or Bitch
YD	Yearling Dog	YB	Yearling Bitch	PGD/B	Post Graduate Dog or Bitch
MD	Maiden Dog	MB	Maiden Bitch	LD/B	Limit Dog or Bitch
ND	Novice Dog	NB	Novice Bitch	OD/B	Open Dog or Bitch
UGD	Undergraduate Dog	UGB	Undergraduate Bitch	VD/B	Veteran Dog or Bitch
GD	Graduate Dog	GB	Graduate Bitch		
PGD	Post Graduate Dog	PGB	Post Graduate Bitch		
MLD	Mid Limit Dog	MLB	Mid Limit Bitch		
LD	Limit Dog	LB	Limit Bitch		
OD	Open Dog	OB	Open Bitch		
VD	Veteran Dog	VB	Veteran Bitch		

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