



**SCHEDULE of UNBENCHED
THIRTY FOURTH
GROUP CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW**

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

at the

**LOWLAND HALL, ROYAL HIGHLAND CENTRE
Ingliston, Edinburgh EH28 8NB**

on

SATURDAY, 13th APRIL 2019

Show Opens: 8.00 am

Judging: 9.00 am

Guarantors to the Kennel Club:

Mrs E.A. Macdonald (*Chairperson*), 31 Woodvale Avenue, Bearsden, Glasgow G61 2NS.

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Mr I. Lees, 2 Barryhill Road, Cumnock, Ayrshire KA18 1PG.

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: Wednesday, 13th March 2019 (Postmark)

On-line entries can be made up until midnight on Wednesday, 20th March 2019

at www.fossedata.co.uk

Postal entries to be sent to the Secretary: **Mr Tom Johnston**

North Lodge, Mossknowe, Kirkpatrick Fleming, Lockerbie, Dumfriesshire DG11 3BE

Tel: 01461 800372

THIS SHOW IS A CRUFTS QUALIFIER

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

PLEASE NOTE: THERE WILL BE NO BENCHING AT THIS SHOW

YEARLING STAKES 2019

DOG AND BITCH QUALIFIERS

Both winners from each group will secure a place at the **GRAND FINAL**, where you will be in with a chance of winning **£500 plus a portrait commission of your dog.**



Each class offering prize money & rosettes
1st - £25, 2nd - £15, 3rd - £10, Res - £5, VHC - £5

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120 Halbeath Road, Dunfermline. Tel: 01383 722818

FEEES

Breeds with CCs on offer:

Non-Members Rates: £26.00 1st entry per dog; £4.00 each subsequent entry with same dog

Members Rates: £24.00 1st entry per dog; £4.00 each subsequent entry with same dog

Breeds without CCs on offer/AVNSC/AV Imported Breed Register:

Non-Members Rates: £11.00 1st entry per dog; £4.00 each subsequent entry with same dog

Members Rates: £10.00 1st entry per dog; £4.00 each subsequent entry with same dog

Stakes as 1st Entry/Not for Competition:

Non-Members Rates: £11.00 per dog

Members Rates: £10.00 per dog

Stakes as subsequent entry: £4.00 per class

KC Breeders' Competition: £15.00 per team

YKC Members'/JHA Handling: £4.00 per class

Catalogues: £5.00 pre-paid with entries *ONLY* (*none available on the day*)

N.B. All pre-paid Catalogues must be collected before 11.30 am

Membership: £6.00 Single; £8.00 Joint; £2.00 Junior

Car Parking: £5.00 payable to the Royal Highland Centre on the day of the Show

BANK CHARGES

Exhibitors are asked to note that cheques sent to cover Entry Fees must be in order for immediate payment. Those which are not so, for any reason whatsoever, including technical irregularities, will not be accepted and the Entries therewith will be returned.

Many Societies are now incurring substantial bank charges as a result of incorrectly completed or dishonoured cheques forwarded as payment for Show entry fees; therefore we will levy a surcharge of £10.00 per transaction on top of the amount outstanding to any exhibitor whose cheque is returned to us by the bank and any exhibitor failing to pay entry fees and/or Bank Charges so incurred will be referred to the Kennel Club.

PLEASE NOTE: THERE WILL BE NO BENCHING AT THIS SHOW

• ROSETTES •

BEST IN SHOW • RESERVE BEST IN SHOW
GROUP 3 • GROUP 4

BEST PUPPY IN SHOW • RESERVE BEST PUPPY IN SHOW
PUPPY GROUP 3 • PUPPY GROUP 4

BEST VETERAN IN SHOW • RESERVE BEST VETERAN IN SHOW
VETERAN GROUP 3 • VETERAN GROUP 4

BEST JUNIOR IN SHOW • RESERVE BEST JUNIOR IN SHOW
JUNIOR GROUP 3 • JUNIOR GROUP 4

BEST OF BREED • BEST OPPOSITE SEX • BEST PUPPY IN BREED
BEST AVNSC • BEST AV IMPORTED BREED REGISTER



• TROPHIES •

OPEN TO ALL

(Not to be won outright - to be held from Championship Show to Championship Show)

HALIFAX BUILDING SOCIETY TROPHY
presented by the Halifax Building Society

Best in Show

THE PRESIDENT'S CUP
presented by Mrs E.S. Montgomerie

Reserve Best in Show

THE MABROOKA TROPHY
presented by Mr & Mrs A. Macdonald

Best Puppy in Show



The Committee of the Hound Association of Scotland wish to thank all those who have offered sponsorship, given specials, or helped in any way to make our Championship Show a success.

CLASSIFICATION CODING

MPD	Minor Puppy Dog	GD	Graduate Dog	LD	Limit Dog
MPB	Minor Puppy Bitch	GB	Graduate Bitch	LB	Limit Bitch
PD	Puppy Dog	PGD	Post Graduate Dog	LD/B	Limit Dog or Bitch
PB	Puppy Bitch	PGB	Post Graduate Bitch	OD	Open Dog
PD/B	Puppy Dog or Bitch	PGD/B	Post Graduate Dog or Bitch	OB	Open Bitch
JD	Junior Dog	SBD	Special Beginners Dog	OD/B	Open Dog or Bitch
JB	Junior Bitch	SBB	Special Beginners Bitch	VD	Veteran Dog
JD/B	Junior Dog or Bitch	SBD/B	Special Beginners Dog or Bitch	VB	Veteran Bitch
YD	Yearling Dog	MLD	Mid Limit Dog		
YB	Yearling Bitch	MLB	Mid Limit Bitch		

ACCOMMODATION: For information and recommendations to help you plan your trip to Scotland: Call 0845 859 1006 (or +44 (0)131 524 2121), or email info@visitscotland.com or write to Visit Scotland, Ocean Point One, 94 Ocean Drive, Edinburgh EH6 6JH.

PLEASE KEEP THIS VENUE CLEAN: by making use of the refuse bags provided. PLEASE do not allow your dog to foul the Car Park and surroundings. Handlers are required to clean up any fouling by dogs in their charge and/or any grooming waste.

RING STEWARDS: The Secretary would be pleased to hear from anyone willing to assist as a Ring Steward. If you are willing to help in this way, please contact the Secretary, Mr T.H. Johnston, North Lodge, Mossknowe, Kirkpatrick Fleming, Lockerbie, Dumfriesshire DG11 3BE. Tel: 01461 800372.

ORDER OF JUDGING: A provisional order of judging will be published in the Canine Press in advance, but this is subject to alteration by the Show Management.

SHOW VENUE: The venue for this year's Show is the **Lowland Hall, Royal Highland Centre, Ingliston, Edinburgh EH28 8NB.**

Directions to the venue: The site is on the main Edinburgh Road (A8), following signs for Edinburgh Airport. *If using Sat Nav system please use Edinburgh Airport postcode EH12 9DN.*

IDENTIFICATION OF DOGS: It is a Kennel Club requirement that exhibitors display the exhibit/bench number on their crate, cage or container at all times. This is particularly important when cages etc. are not on benches, and at unbenched shows. Each exhibitor is responsible for providing their own crate or cage identification and should note that the original exhibit/bench number card, as provided by the show society, must not be used for this purpose. It is important to be able to contact exhibitors and identify dogs where a dog may be in distress or where the crate might be blocking a gangway. This has been introduced with the safety of all in mind, but most importantly that of the dog, and to minimise potential incidents and injuries.

DOGS IN VEHICLES: 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.

CARAVANS: It is regretted that there will be no caravans permitted at this Show.

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.

BEST JUNIOR IN SHOW: Best Junior will be declared in every breed. Eligible exhibits are dogs of six and not exceeding eighteen calendar months of age on the first day of the Show. Best Junior in Breed winners will be eligible to compete for Best Junior in Show.

BEST VETERAN IN SHOW: Best Veteran will be declared in every breed. Eligible exhibits are dogs of not less than seven years of age on the first day of the Show. Best Veteran in Breed winners will be eligible to compete for Best Veteran in Show.

BEST SPECIAL BEGINNERS IN SHOW: Best Special Beginners will be declared in every breed. Eligible exhibits must be entered in the Special Beginners class. Best Special Beginners in Breed winners will be eligible to compete for Best Special Beginners in Show. **Class definition:** For owner, handler or exhibit not having won a Challenge Certificate or Reserve Challenge Certificate, or for those breeds not allocated Championship status, Best of Sex or Reserve Best of Sex at a Championship Show.

The Kennel Club is providing rosettes 1st to 4th for the Special Beginners Group and prize money as follows: Group 1 £40.00; Group 2 £30.00; Group 3 £20.00; Group 4 £10.00.



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on behalf of Hounds for Heroes
would sincerely like to thank**



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Hounds For Heroes Open Stakes

The Hound Association of Scotland
is once again proud to be scheduling this
Open Stakes Class

Hounds for Heroes is a charity whose aim is to provide
assistance dogs for men and women from the armed forces
and the civilian emergency services

Your **entire entry fee** from this class
will be donated to this very worthy charity

To make it as easy as possible to participate, we will run heats
throughout the day to allow you, the exhibitor, to participate as and
when suits your breed judging

There will be prizes on offer for those placed in each of the heats

The finalists from each heat will then go forward to
the Grand Final which offers generous prizes as well as
CASH PRIZES as follows:

1st: £100 • 2nd: £75 • 3rd: £50 • 4th: £25 • 5th: £10

***Now that the beaten dog rule has been suspended
why not enter this class and let your Hound Help the Heroes?***

If you prefer not to compete but wish to make a donation
please do so by using the section on the entry form

Thank you so very much

Find out more at www.houndsforheroes.com



• CLASSIFICATION •

(All classes for dog or bitch unless otherwise stated)

AFGHAN HOUND

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog

1. MPD 2. PD 3. JD 4. YD 5. GD 6. PGD 7. MLD 8. LD 9. OD 10. VD 11. SBD
12. MPB 13. PB 14. JB 15. YB 16. GB 17. PGB 18. MLB 19. LB 20. OB 21. VB 22. SBB

Judge:

Miss Clair Parker (Khatira)

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch

BASENJI

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog

23. PD 24. JD 25. PGD 26. LD 27. OD 28. VD 29. SBD
30. PB 31. JB 32. PGB 33. LB 34. OB 35. VB 36. SBB

Judge:

Mr A.R.R. Doedijns [Netherlands]

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch

BASSET FAUVE DE BRETAGNE

37. PD/B 38. PGD/B 39. OD/B 40. SBD/B

Judge:

Mrs S. Metcalfe-Bilgin (Metadale)

BASSET GRIFFON VENDEEN (GRAND)

41. PD/B 42. PGD/B 43. OD/B 44. SBD/B

Judge:

Mrs S. Metcalfe-Bilgin (Metadale)

BASSET GRIFFON VENDEEN (PETIT)

45. PD/B 46. JD/B 47. LD/B 48. OD 49. OB 50. SBD/B

Judge:

Mrs S. Metcalfe-Bilgin (Metadale)

BASSET HOUND

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog

A ramp will be made available for exhibitors to use if they wish

51. PD 52. JD 53. YD 54. PGD 55. LD 56. OD 57. VD 58. SBD
59. PB 60. JB 61. YB 62. PGB 63. LB 64. OB 65. VB 66. SBB

Judge:

Miss Emily Mitchell (Bronia)

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch

BEAGLE

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog

67. MPD 68. PD 69. JD 70. GD 71. PGD 72. LD 73. OD 74. VD 75. SBD
76. MPB 77. PB 78. JB 79. GB 80. PGB 81. LB 82. OB 83. VB 84. SBB

Judge:

Mrs Carole Wood (Marada)

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch

BORZOI

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog

85. PD 86. JD 87. PGD 88. LD 89. OD 90. VD 91. SBD
92. PB 93. JB 94. PGB 95. LB 96. OB 97. VB 98. SBB

Judge:

Mrs A.N. Randall [subject to KC approval]

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch

CIRNECO DELL'ETNA

99. PD/B 100. PGD/B 101. OD/B 102. SBD/B

Judge:

Miss Emily Mitchell (Bronia)

DACHSHUND (LONG-HAIRED)

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog

103. PD 104. JD 105. PGD 106. LD 107. OD 108. VD 109. SBD
110. PB 111. JB 112. PGB 113. LB 114. OB 115. VB 116. SBB

Judge:

Miss Amy Callow (Garthorne)

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch

DACHSHUND (MIN. LONG-HAIRED)

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog

This breed will be weighed at this Show

117. PD 118. JD 119. PGD 120. LD 121. OD 122. VD 123. SBD
124. PB 125. JB 126. PGB 127. LB 128. OB 129. VB 130. SBB

Judge:

Mrs Suzanne Burke (Bonavoire)

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch

DACHSHUND (SMOOTH-HAIRED)

131. PD/B 132. JD/B 133. PGD/B 134. OD 135. OB 136. SBD/B

Judge: Mrs C.M. (Tina) Watkins (Blackvein)

DACHSHUND (MIN. SMOOTH-HAIRED)

137. PD/B 138. JD/B 139. PGD/B 140. OD 141. OB 142. SBD/B

Judge: Mrs C.M. (Tina) Watkins (Blackvein)

This breed will be weighed at this Show

DACHSHUND (WIRE-HAIRED)				Judge: Mrs C.M. (Tina) Watkins (Blackvein)		
143. PD/B	144. JD/B	145. PGD/B	146. OD	147. OB	148. SBD/B	
DACHSHUND (MIN. WIRE-HAIRED)				Judge: Mrs Andrea Callow (Garthorne) <i>[subj. to KC approval]</i>		
Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog				Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch		
This breed will be weighed at this Show						
149. PD	150. JD	151. PGD	152. LD	153. OD	154. VD	155. SBD
156. PB	157. JB	158. PGB	159. LB	160. OB	161. VB	162. SBB
DEERHOUND				Judge: Miss Natalie Heathcote (Hyndsight)		
Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog				Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch		
163. PD	164. JD	165. PGD	166. LD	167. OD	168. VD	169. SBD
170. PB	171. JB	172. PGB	173. LB	174. OB	175. VB	176. SBB
FINNISH SPITZ				Judge: Mrs S. Metcalfe-Bilgin (Metadale)		
177. PD/B	178. PGD/B	179. OD/B	180. SBD/B			
GREYHOUND				Judge: Mrs S. Metcalfe-Bilgin (Metadale)		
181. PD/B	182. PGD/B	183. OD/B	184. SBD/B			
HAMILTONSTOVARE				Judge: Miss Emily Mitchell (Bronia)		
185. PD/B	186. PGD/B	187. OD/B	188. SBD/B			
IRISH WOLFHOUND				Judge: Mr A.R.R. Doedijns [Netherlands]		
Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog				Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch		
189. PD	190. JD	191. PGD	192. LD	193. OD	194. VD	195. SBD
196. PB	197. JB	198. PGB	199. LB	200. OB	201. VB	202. SBB
NORWEGIAN ELKHOUND				Judge: Mr A.R.R. Doedijns [Netherlands]		
Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog				Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch		
203. PD	204. JD	205. PGD	206. LD	207. OD	208. VD	209. SBD
210. PB	211. JB	212. PGB	213. LB	214. OB	215. VB	216. SBB
PHARAOH HOUND				Judge: Mrs S. Metcalfe-Bilgin (Metadale)		
217. PD/B	218. PGD/B	219. OD/B	220. SBD/B			
PORTUGUESE PODENGO (WARREN HOUND)				Judge: Miss Emily Mitchell (Bronia)		
221. PD/B	222. PGD/B	223. OD/B	224. SBD/B			
RHODESIAN RIDGEBACK				Judge: Mr Nick Boyd (Sescheke)		
Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog				Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch		
225. PD	226. JD	227. YD	228. PGD	229. LD	230. OD	231. VD
233. PB	234. JB	235. YB	236. PGB	237. LB	238. OB	239. VB
SALUKI				Judge: Mr Colin D. Ashmore (Buttermere)		
Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog				Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch		
241. PD	242. JD	243. PGD	244. LD	245. OD	246. VD	247. SBD
248. PB	249. JB	250. PGB	251. LB	252. OB	253. VB	254. SBB
WHIPPET				Judge: Mr Michael Paterson (Wheelspin)		
Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog				Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch		
255. MPD	256. PD	257. JD	258. YD	259. PGD	260. MLD	261. LD
265. MPB	266. PB	267. JB	268. YB	269. PGB	270. MLB	271. LB
262. OD	263. VD	264. SBD	272. OB	273. VB	274. SBB	
A.V.N.S.C. HOUND				Judge: Mr A.R.R. Doedijns [Netherlands]		
275. PD/B	276. PGD/B	277. OD/B	278. SBD/B			
A.V. HOUND IMPORTED BREED REGISTER				Judge: Mr A.R.R. Doedijns [Netherlands]		
279. PD/B	280. PGD/B	281. OD/B	282. SBD/B			

YKC MEMBERS' HANDLING CLASSES

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Judge: Mrs Maggie Holder (Mascotts)

283. 6 - 11 years 284. 12 - 17 years 285. 18 - 24 years

JUNIOR HANDLING ASSOCIATION CLASSES

JUNIOR HANDLING ASSOCIATION

Judge: Mrs S. Metcalfe-Bilgin (Metadale)

286. 6 - 11 years 287. 12 - 16 years

ANY VARIETY HOUND STAKES CLASSES

Please Note: Dogs beaten in Stakes/Variety classes will still remain eligible to compete in the group competitions provided they have been declared Best of Breed, Best Puppy in Breed or Best Special Beginners in Breed. Dogs may be entered only in stakes classes if this is the exhibitor's wish.

288. **YKC MEMBERS' STAKES** **Judge:** Mr Colin D. Ashmore (Buttermere)

Prize Money: 1st £4.00; 2nd £3.00; 3rd £2.00; 4th £1.00

289. **ROYAL CANIN PUPPY DOG STAKES** **Judge:** Mr John Ritchie (Dykebar/Hollibell)

Royal Canin Product Vouchers: 1st £30.00; 2nd £10.00; 3rd £10.00; 4th £10.00; 5th £10.00

290. **ROYAL CANIN PUPPY BITCH STAKES** **Judge:** Mr John Ritchie (Dykebar/Hollibell)

Royal Canin Product Vouchers: 1st £30.00; 2nd £10.00; 3rd £10.00; 4th £10.00; 5th £10.00

291. **ROYAL HIGHLAND JUNIOR STAKES** **Judge:** Mr Colin D. Ashmore (Buttermere)

Prize Money: 1st £25.00; 2nd £10.00; 3rd £5.00; 4th £5.00; 5th £5.00

292. **BUDDIES YEARLING DOG STAKES** **Judge:** Mr Jim Richardson (Darrochonna)

Prize Money: 1st £25.00; 2nd £15.00; 3rd £10.00; 4th £5.00; 5th £5.00

Class winner will qualify for the 'Buddies Yearling of the Year' Grand Final

293. **BUDDIES YEARLING BITCH STAKES** **Judge:** Mr Jim Richardson (Darrochonna)

Prize Money: 1st £25.00; 2nd £15.00; 3rd £10.00; 4th £5.00; 5th £5.00

Class winner will qualify for the 'Buddies Yearling of the Year' Grand Final

294. **BITCON VETERAN STAKES** **Judge:** Mr John Ritchie (Dykebar/Hollibell)

Prize Money: 1st £10.00; 2nd £5.00; 3rd £4.00; 4th £3.00; 5th £3.00

295. **FOSSE DATA SYSTEMS CHAMPION STAKES** **Judge:** Mr John Ritchie (Dykebar/Hollibell)

Prize Money: 1st £10.00; 2nd £5.00; 3rd £3.00; 4th £2.00; 5th £1.00

296. **COMPASS EDUCATION & TRAINING
SPECIAL OPEN SCOTTISH STAKES** **Judge:** Mr Colin D. Ashmore (Buttermere)

Prize Money: 1st £10.00; 2nd £5.00; 3rd £3.00; 4th £2.00; 5th £1.00

(Please ensure you are eligible, refer to Definition of Classes before entering)

297. **KENNEL CLUB
GOOD CITIZEN DOG SCHEME CLASS** **Judge:** Mr Jim Richardson (Darrochonna)

Prize Money: 1st £50.00; 2nd £25.00; 3rd £15.00; 4th £10.00; 5th £5.00

298. **KENNEL CLUB BREEDERS' COMPETITION** **Judge:** Mr Kevin Young (Sunkap)

Please see Definitions of Classes for further details

299. **HOUNDS FOR HEROES OPEN STAKES** **Judge:** Mr E.A. Webster (Benjcroft)

Prize Money: 1st £100.00; 2nd £75.00; 3rd £50.00; 4th £25.00; 5th £10.00. Further Prizes for intermediate heats to be held during the day.

Best in Show / Best Puppy in Show **Judge:** Mrs Maggie Holder (Mascotts)

Best Veteran in Show **Judge:** Mr Albert Wight (Sharval)

Best Junior in Show **Judge:** Mr Kevin Young (Sunkap)

Best Special Beginners in Show **Judge:** Mr Jim Richardson (Darrochonna)

• RULES and REGULATIONS •

1. The Show will open at 8.00 am.
2. Dogs will be received until 11.00 am and after which no dogs may be received except under exceptional and unforeseen circumstances and by special permission of the Show Management.
3. Judging will commence at 9.00 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. Fees: Breeds with CCs on offer: Non-Members Rates: £26.00 1st entry per dog; £4.00 each subsequent entry with same dog; Members Rates: £24.00 1st entry per dog; £4.00 each subsequent entry with same dog. Breeds without CCs on offer/AVNSC/AV Imported Breed Register: Non-Members Rates: £11.00 1st entry per dog; £4.00 each subsequent entry with same dog; Members Rates: £10.00 1st entry per dog; £4.00 each subsequent entry with same dog. Stakes as 1st Entry/Not for Competition: Non-Members Rates: £11.00 per dog; Members Rates: £10.00 per dog. Stakes as subsequent entry: £4.00 per class. KC Breeders' Competition: £15.00 per team. YKC Members/JHA Handling: £4.00 per class. Catalogues: £5.00 pre-paid with entries ONLY (none available on the day). N.B. All pre-paid Catalogues must be collected before 11.30 am. Membership: £6.00 Single; £8.00 Joint; £2.00 Junior. Car Parking: £5.00 payable to the Royal Highland Centre on the day of the Show.
6. Prize Money on offer as detailed in the classification.
7. The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries.
8. Puppies under six calendar months of age on the 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 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. Where 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. A Best AVNSC Puppy must be declared from the Any Variety Not Separately Classified classes. A Best Puppy must be declared from the Any Variety Imported Breed Register classes.
 - 2) *Best Puppy in Group:* Best Puppy in Group and subsequent Puppy Group placings must be selected from:
 - a) Those puppies declared Best Puppy in Breed.
 - b) The puppy declared Best Puppy from the Any Variety Not Separately Classified classes on each day.
 - c) The puppy declared Best Puppy from the Any Variety Imported Breed Register classes on each day.
11. **Best in Show:** The dog declared Best in Show is a dog which has competed and has been declared Best in Breed, Best Any Variety Not Separately Classified or Best Any Variety Imported Breed Register. Definition of a Category 3 Breed. A breed from time to time designated by the Board 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.
 - 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/Best Any Variety Imported Breed Register award relevant to a Category 3 will not be confirmed until the dog has passed an examination by the General and Group Championship Show Veterinary Surgeon. If the dog fails to pass the examination it is ineligible to compete in the relevant Group.
 - 2) *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 of Best in Show.
12. Exhibits will not be admitted to Best in Show competition after a period of ten minutes has elapsed since the announcement that exhibits are required for judging, unless they have been unavoidably 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. All postal entries must be made on the forms provided on or before **Wednesday, 13th March 2019** (Postmark). Postal entries may be made in the first instance by telephone or Express Delivery Letter and immediate confirmation upon written entry form will be accepted. Evidence must be given of despatch by the 13th March 2019. **NO ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED WITHOUT CORRECT ENTRY FEES. On-line entries can be made up until midnight on Wednesday, 20th March 2019 at www.fossedata.co.uk.**
21. If acknowledgement of entries is required, a self addressed, stamped card with "receipt" written on the reverse side should be enclosed with entries for the Secretary's signature. **ENTRY FEES WILL NOT BE RETURNED ONCE AN ENTRY HAS BEEN MADE. FEES MUST BE PAID IN STERLING.**
22. The entry fee for a dog entered and not exhibited will be forfeited.
23. Exhibitors will receive one free pass for each dog entered, but in the case of a dog exhibited by a partnership two free passes will be provided. Admission to visitors will be: Adults £3.00, Children and O.A.P. £2.00.
24. The Committee will be most anxious for the care and safety of the dogs brought for exhibition but it must be clearly understood by exhibitors and purchasers that the responsibility is their own. The Committee will not be responsible in any way for the loss or detention of and damage done to dogs, boxes or any property whatsoever, arising from whatever cause, nor from any act or omission of themselves, their officers or agents and it is on this understanding that entries are received.
25. Should any Judge be unable to keep his/her engagement the Committee reserve the right to appoint another in his/her place.
26. No animal other than a dog duly entered for the Show will be allowed within the precincts of the Show during its continuance.
27. All rules, regulations, definitions or instructions printed for convenience in other parts of this Schedule shall be deemed to be Regulations of this Show. Should any question arise not provided for by these regulations, the decision of the Committee shall be final, subject to appeal to the Kennel Club.
28. The Committee of the Hound Association of Scotland can accept no responsibility for products advertised or sold by standholders 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.
29. The Show will provide adequate exercise areas for exhibitors to exercise their dogs. Exhibitors and handlers are required to clear up any fouling by dogs in their charge and/or grooming waste. Special Stewards will be appointed to enforce the arrangements.
30. Gangways must be kept clear and any obstruction or dog boxes left in gangways will be removed by authorised officials.
31. 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).
32. A dog may be disqualified by the Board 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.
33. Every exhibitor shall ensure that whilst the dog is being exhibited, its handler shall display the correct ring number.

• 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. **Wednesday, 6th March 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.

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

GRADUATE For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate/CACIB/CAC/Green Star or four or more First Prizes at Championship Shows in Graduate, Post Graduate, Minor Limit, Mid Limit, 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/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.

MIDLIMIT 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 3 or more CC/CACIB/CAC/Green Stars or won five 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 the Kennel Club Regulations or under the rules of any governing body recognised by the Kennel Club, or won 3 or more CC/CACIB/CAC/Green Stars 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.

CHAMPION For dogs, which have been confirmed, a Champion or Show Champion under Kennel Club Regulations or under the rules of any governing body recognised by the Kennel Club.

KENNEL CLUB GOOD CITIZEN DOG SCHEME CLASS For dogs that have achieved their GCDS Bronze Award Certificate or above.

ANY VARIETY NOT SEPARATELY CLASSIFIED For breeds of dog (within the Hound Group) 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.

KENNEL CLUB BREEDERS' COMPETITION Each team will consist of a minimum of three and maximum of four dogs of one breed, all bred by the same breeder or breeding partnership. The breeder enters the class and then arranges which dogs are exhibited on the day of the show (from those dogs duly entered for exhibition in another class at this show). Please clearly state the name and affix of the registered breeder(s). Entries will not be taken on the day of the show. Teams will be awarded points/prize money in the KC Breeders' Competition as follows: Points 1st; 30; 2nd 15; 3rd 10; 4th 5. Prize Money 1st Non ABS Prize Fund £20; ABS Prize Fund £25. Please note that Assured Breeders will be credited with a higher prize value. These points will be recorded in the Kennel Club Breeders Competition record book through the year. The minimum qualification for the Crufts final will be 50 points, with a maximum of 40 finalists including the winning teams from the European and World Dog Shows' breeders competition. Our Dogs will collate the points and publish a leader board through the year. **Please Note: Dogs which take part in the Breeders' Competition, but are not entered in the show, are required to have a completed entry form. Owners of these dogs must attend the Secretary's office to complete the entry form.**

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 YKC method for Crufts qualification is a points based system as follows: 1st Place = 30 points; 2nd Place = 15 points; 3rd Place = 10 points. If a member and dog combination accumulate 30 points or more, they will qualify for Crufts. Points will be allocated for the Dog and Handler pairing. All points are reset to 0 on 1st February each year. 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 (i.e a group of people related by blood or marriage) 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. 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. Before competing, please view a full list of the YKC competition rules at: www.ykc.org.uk/ and follow the compete tab.

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. 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); 12-17 years (12 years and up to, but not including 18th birthday); 18-24 years (18 years and up to, but not including 25th birthday). Please enter the class age category you will be on the day of the qualifier. If you should move into the next age range after you have already qualified, the YKC will invite you into the correct age group at Crufts. The method for Crufts qualification is a points based system as follows: 1st Place = 30 points; 2nd Place = 15 points; 3rd Place = 10 points. Members will receive points per group (i.e. if they handle a Bloodhound, they will get points towards the Hound group). If a member gets 30 points in any one group, they will qualify to enter a dog from that group at Crufts 2020. If a member gains 30 or more points in multiple groups, they may only compete with one dog at Crufts, but they will have the option to choose from any of the groups they have 30 or more points in. All points are reset to 0 on 1st January each 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. Before competing, please view a full list of the YKC competition rules at: www.ykc.org.uk/ and follow the compete tab.

SPECIAL BEGINNERS For owner, handler or exhibit not having won a Challenge Certificate or Reserve Challenge Certificate, or for those breeds not allocated Championship Status, Best of Sex or Reserve Best of Sex at a Championship Show.

SPECIAL OPEN SCOTTISH STAKES Open to exhibitors resident in Scotland at the closing date of entries.

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.



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