



**SCHEDULE**  
of Unbenched 18 Class  
**SINGLE BREED**  
**OPEN SHOW**

*(held under Kennel Club Limited Rules & Regulations)*

at

**STEVENTON VILLAGE HALL**  
**The Green, Steventon, Oxon OX13 6RR**

on

**SUNDAY, 5<sup>th</sup> MARCH 2017**

*Show opens: 10.00 am*

*Judging commences: 11.00 am*

**Judge: Miss Val Jarvis**

**Guarantors to the Kennel Club:**

Mrs Shelagh Walton (*Chairman*), Chimes, Bannister Green, Felsted, Essex CM6 3NL.  
Mrs Alison Bloxham (*Secretary*), 7 Woodhaven, Woodseaves, Staffs ST20 0LL. Tel: 01785 284018  
Mr Jim Cuddy (*Treasurer*), Greenacre, Manor Road, Tatsfield, Surrey TN16 2ND.

**Hon. Veterinary Surgeon (on call):** The Brook Veterinary Surgery  
Station Approach, High Street, Steventon, Abingdon, Oxfordshire OX13 6RU. Tel: 01235 831800

All Judges at this show agree to abide by the following statement:

"In assessing dogs, judges must penalise any features or exaggerations which they consider would be detrimental to the soundness, health and well being of the dog."

**Postal entries close: Monday, 6th February 2017 (Postmark)**

***On-line entries can be made up until midnight on Monday, 13th February 2017***

***at [www.fossedata.co.uk](http://www.fossedata.co.uk)***

***[Wins up to and including 30th January must be counted when entering for any class]***

*Postal entries, which MUST be pre-paid, to be sent to the Secretary:*

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

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# IRISH RED & WHITE SETTER CLUB OF GREAT BRITAIN

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## CLUB OFFICIALS AND COMMITTEE

**President:** Mrs Mary Sherratt

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Mr Rod Baron, Mrs Patricia Brigden, Mrs Mary Knox,  
Mrs Ann Millington, Mrs Joyce Webb

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Mrs Ann Gormley, Mr Bob Knapton

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**Secretary:** Mrs Alison Bloxham

**Treasurer:** Mr Jim Cuddy

**Show Manager:** Mrs Gaye O'Connor

**Cup Steward:** Mr Ian Lamb, 87 Chaytor Road, Polesworth, Tamworth, Staffs B78 1JS.

**Committee:**

Mr Alan Bamford, Mr Graham Bayne, Mr Graham Hart, Miss Val Jarvis, Mrs Diane Jones,  
Mr Ian Lamb, Mr Ray McDonald, Mrs Maureen Newman (co-opted), Mrs Gaye O'Connor,  
Mr Brian Pilmer, Mrs Val Wade, Mrs Diana Walpole

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## SHOW INFORMATION

**Entry Fees:** £5.00 first entry per dog  
£1.00 each subsequent entry with the same dog

**Not for Competition:** £1.00 per dog (*N.B. NFC entries will be accepted for IR&WS aged 4 months of age and over*)

**Catalogues:** £2.00 pre-paid with entries (*limited number available on the day*)

**Advertisements:** Why not advertise in the catalogue?  
£10.00 Full Page — £5.00 Half Page  
(*Please add a further £7.50 to include a photograph*)

**Membership:** £12.50 Joint — £10.50 Single — 50p Junior (Sterling)  
*Please request application form from Secretary*  
(*Membership due 1st January each year*)

## DIRECTIONS TO STEVENTON VILLAGE HALL

**FROM M40 NORTH & SOUTH:**

Exit J9, take 3rd exit on roundabout (A34)  
After 20.80 miles take A4130 exit towards A417 Chilton/Milton/Didcot/Wantage  
After 0.1 miles at roundabout take 4th exit (A4130)  
After 0.6 miles turn right onto High Street (B4017)  
After 0.6 miles turn left onto The Green

**FROM M4 EAST & WEST:**

Exit J13, take A34 exit to Oxford/Newbury  
After 0.4 miles at roundabout take 3rd exit to Chieveley/Oxford/Hermitage (A34)  
After 0.5 miles keep right at the fork, follow sign for Oxford/A34, merge onto A34  
After 11.9 miles take A4130 exit to Steventon/Dayton/Milton/Didcot  
After 0.2 miles at the roundabout take the 1st exit (A4130)  
After 0.5 miles turn right onto High Street (B4017)  
After 0.6 miles turn left onto The Green

## CUPS and TROPHIES

### AWARD

Best in Show  
Reserve Best in Show  
Best Puppy in Show  
Best Veteran

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**Cup Steward:** Ian Lamb

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## ● ROSETTES ●

**BEST IN SHOW and RESERVE BEST IN SHOW**

*kindly donated by Mrs Jenny Lowe*

**BEST PUPPY IN SHOW and RESERVE BEST PUPPY IN SHOW**

*kindly donated by Mrs Shelagh Walton*



**BEST DOG and BEST BITCH**

*kindly donated by Mr Jim Cuddy*



**RESERVE BEST DOG and RESERVE BEST BITCH**

*kindly donated by Mrs Judi Whiting*

**BEST VETERAN** *kindly donated by Mr Bob Knapton*

**FIRST to VHC** in all classes

***The Irish Red & White Setter Club of Great Britain & members' donations***

## ● REFRESHMENTS ●

**TEA, COFFEE, BISCUITS AVAILABLE ALL DAY**

**BACON ROLLS FIRST THING**

**SOUP & ROLL FOR LUNCH**

## **ABOUT YOUR JUDGE**

### **Val Jarvis**

I started showing Irish Setters in 1977. I saw my first Irish Red and White Setter in 1979, became interested in the breed and, after badgering my parents, became the proud owner of Cody, 'Coolfin Cheyenne', from Mary Knox's first litter. With Cody I travelled up and down the country, as did others, to establish and support the breed. He won well before tickets were on offer and became the breed's first PAT dog. He was followed by 'Coolfin Ciara' who I showed for a while in partnership with D & J Nash (Exedon).

I then owned 'Exedon Arrow at Lowdon' who introduced me to working. Following him were two working bred sisters by Winnowing Bronze Wing of Bishopmill x Ir Ft Ch Bawnrhu Smart Fella. I concentrated on working my dogs for a number of years, which included attending Game Fairs across the country to promote the working side of the breed.

I have served the breed as Working Secretary twice, on the general committee, as a member of the rescue committee and I run the puppy register. I have bred the occasional litter and produced both working and show dogs in the same litter – a fact of which I am quite proud.

I currently own one Red and White Setter from the last Shannonlee litter sired by Sh Ch Lowdon Quest for Fame and four reds. I judge English, Irish and Irish Red and White Setters only occasionally due to other commitments, so look forward to judging at the Spring Open Show.

## **~ DATES FOR YOUR DIARY ~**

### **ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING — Sunday, 23rd April 2017**

at Newton Regis Village Hall, Austrey Lane, Newton Regis,  
Tamworth, Staffs B79 0NL

### **CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW — Sunday, 16th July 2017**

at The Kennel Club Building (West Hall), Stoneleigh Park,  
near Coventry, Warwickshire CV8 2LZ (for SAT NAV use CV8 2LG)

**Judge: Mrs Val Wade**

Show Opens 10.00 am : Judging 11.00 am

### **AUTUMN OPEN SHOW — Sunday, 15th October 2017**

at Hasland Village Hall, Eastwood Park, Hasland Road, Chesterfield S41 0AY

**Judge: Mr Andy Robins**

Show Opens 10.00 am : Judging 11.00 am

● **CLASSIFICATION** ●

**Judge: Val Jarvis**

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|----------------------|-------------------------|
| 1. Veteran Dog       | 9. Veteran Bitch        |
| 2. Puppy Dog         | 10. Puppy Bitch         |
| 3. Junior Dog        | 11. Junior Bitch        |
| 4. Yearling Dog      | 12. Yearling Bitch      |
| 5. Graduate Dog      | 13. Graduate Bitch      |
| 6. Post Graduate Dog | 14. Post Graduate Bitch |
| 7. Limit Dog         | 15. Limit Bitch         |
| 8. Open Dog          | 16. Open Bitch          |
| 17. Brace            | 18. Team                |

**BEST IN SHOW, BEST PUPPY IN SHOW  
and BEST VETERAN will now be judged**

**[N.B. Best Veteran will be selected from the winners of Classes 1 & 9 ONLY]**

**EXHIBITORS PLEASE NOTE**

**REMOVAL OF DOG FOULING**

The onus is on you to clear up any fouling done by dog(s) in your charge. Adequate receptacles for the disposal of such fouling will be provided.

**VIDEO RECORDING**

It is acceptable to video a general overview of the show and to video the performance of your own dogs. It is also acceptable to video other exhibitors and their dogs provided that consent is given. However, it cannot be considered to be good practice to seek to video where consent has not been given and/or where such recording is clearly unwelcome and unwanted. This would also apply equally whether the person is an exhibitor or otherwise. Should the use of a video become invasive and unwelcome then the user must abide by any request or direction to cease.

**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.**

## RULES & REGULATIONS

1. The Show will open at 10.00 am.
2. Dogs will be received at any time but it is the exhibitor's responsibility to ensure that dogs are available for judging when required.
3. Judging will commence at 11.00 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. The use of cooking stoves in the proximity of the tenting and benching areas is forbidden except as authorised by the Show Management.
6. Entry Fees: £5.00 first entry per dog; £1.00 each subsequent entry with the same dog. Not for Competition: £1.00 per dog. Catalogues: £2.00 pre-paid with entries (limited number available on the day). Advertisements: full page £10.00, half page £5.00 (please add a further £7.50 to include a photograph). Membership: Joint £12.50, Single £10.50, Junior 50p (Sterling). N.B. Please request an application form from the Secretary
7. There is no prize money on offer at this Show.
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.
11. **Best Puppy in Show**
  - a. 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 in Show is a puppy it should automatically be awarded Best Puppy in Show respectively. Similarly, if the Reserve Best in Show is a puppy which has only been beaten by an adult dog it should also automatically be Best Puppy in Show respectively. Consequently, selection of Best Puppy in Show must follow the selection of Best in Show respectively.  
Best Puppy in Show must be selected from puppies which have been judged and which are unbeaten by any other puppy.
  - b. *Withdrawal from other Competition:* Puppies which become eligible for Best Puppy in Show may be withdrawn from all other competition, other than Breed Classes, prior to the competition for Best Puppy in Show in order to remain unbeaten. A puppy beaten in competition for 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.
  - 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**
  - a. The dog declared Best in Show is a dog which has competed and is unbeaten by any other dog exhibited at the same Show.  
Best in Show must be selected from the exhibits declared Best of Sex providing they are unbeaten winning dogs. Reserve Best in Show must be selected from the Best Opposite Sex and the Reserve Best of Sex to the exhibit declared Best in Show. The dogs declared Best in Show and Reserve Best in Show must not compete in any subsequent competition.
  - b. *Withdrawal from other Competition:* Dogs which become eligible for Best in Show may be withdrawn from all other competition other than breed classes prior to the competition for Best in Show as appropriate in order to remain unbeaten. A dog beaten in competition for 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.
  - 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. **Best Veteran in Show**

The Best Veteran will be selected from the winners of Classes 1 and 9 ONLY.
14. 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.
15. 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.

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. 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 that exhibitor for future shows.
  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).
  23. The Committee will be most anxious for the care and safety of all dogs entered for exhibition and for any property entrusted to them, but it must be clearly understood by exhibitors and other persons that the Committee will not be responsible for the entire or partial loss, or detention of or damage to any dog or person from any cause whatsoever, nor for any act or omission of themselves, their officers, Servants, agents or others, and it is on this understanding only that entries are received.
  24. The Officers & Committee of the Irish Red & White Setter Club of Great Britain cannot accept responsibility for any products advertised or sold by stall holders and/or trade stands at this Show. Exhibitors are reminded that products on sale for the preparation and grooming of dogs may not meet the requirements of the Regulation for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition F(B).
  25. 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.
  26. Every exhibitor shall ensure that whilst the dog is being exhibited, its handler shall display the correct ring number.

## DEFINITIONS OF CLASSES

(The word "dog" includes both sexes)

In the following definitions, a Challenge Certificate includes any Show award that counts towards the title of Champion under the Rules of any governing body recognised by the Kennel Club. Wins at Championship Shows in breed classes where Challenge Certificates are not on offer shall be counted as wins at Open Shows. In the case of a dog owned in partnership and entered in Members' classes or competing for Members' Specials each partner must at the time of entry be a member of the Society. In estimating the number of awards won, all wins up to and including the seventh day before the date of closing of postal entries shall be counted when entering for any class i.e. **Monday, 30th January 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. 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 colour, sex, weight or height the Show Secretary shall transfer it to the equivalent class or classes for the correct 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 colour, sex, weight or height.
- b) For an exhibit entered incorrectly in a Minor Puppy Class, Puppy Class or Junior Class, which is over age but under twelve calendar months of age, eighteen calendar months of age or 24 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 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 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 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.

**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 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.

**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 and 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.

**BRACE** 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.

**TEAM** For three or more exhibits (either sex or mixed) of one breed belonging to the same exhibitor, each exhibitor having been entered in some class other than Brace or Team.

### **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. N.B. Not for Competition entries will be accepted for dogs aged four months and over.



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