

# LANCASHIRE HEELER ASSOCIATION

## SCHEDULE of 25 Class Unbenched SINGLE BREED OPEN SHOW

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

at

**THREE COUNTIES SHOWGROUND**  
Malvern, Worcestershire WR13 6NW

*in conjunction with National Working & Pastoral Breeds Association Championship Show*

on

**SATURDAY, 13<sup>th</sup> JULY 2019**

Show opens: 7.30 am

Judging: 1.00 pm (approx)

**Judge: Cath Moffat (Kyleca)**

**Guarantors to the Kennel Club:**

Mr D. Syrett (*Chairman*), 43 Turner Road, Colchester CO4 5JY.

Mrs T. Bellinger (*Hon. Secretary*), Cobb Cottage, 5 Mill Lane, Adderbury, Oxon OX17 3LW.  
Tel: 07979 998849

Mrs D. Felstead (*Hon. Treasurer*), Broomfields Farm, Stalkers Lane, Chiddingly BN8 6QS.

**Hon. Veterinary Surgeon (in attendance):** Mr Martin Leith BVetMed MRCVS  
Leadon Vale Veterinary Centre, Lower Trading Estate, Ledbury HR8 2DJ. Tel: 01531 632276  
*(all costs incurred to be paid by exhibitor/owner at time of treatment)*

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, 8th June 2019 (Postmark)**

**On-line entries can be made up until midnight on Sunday, 16th June 2019  
at [www.fossedata.co.uk](http://www.fossedata.co.uk)**

*Postal entries and fees to be sent to the Hon. Secretary:*

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## COMMITTEE

**President:** Miss Dorothy Malins BSc. (Agric)

**Chairperson:** Mr David Syrett

**Secretary:** Mrs Trisha Bellinger

**Treasurer:** Mrs Debbie Felstead

**Show Manager:** Miss Jacky Cutler

**Health & Safety Officer:** Mr Bill Simpson

### Committee

Mrs Joy Fairbairn-Carter, Mrs Jenny Grant-Parkes, Mr Douglas Gray,  
Mrs Chris Norman, Mrs Helen North, Mrs Elaine Syrett, Mr Wayne Travis

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***Our grateful thanks to the National Working & Pastoral Breed Association  
for allowing us to use their facilities***

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### • FEES •

**Members:** £5.00 First entry per dog  
£1.00 each subsequent entry with the same dog

**Non-Members:** £6.00 First entry per dog  
£1.50 each subsequent entry with the same dog

**Not For Competition:** £1.00 per dog

**Junior Handling:** £1.00 (*entries taken on the day*)

**Catalogues:** £2.00 pre-paid with entries; £3.00 on the day of the show  
(*please order with entry as limited number available on the day*)

### • ROSETTES •

**Best in Show • Reserve Best in Show • Best Opposite Sex**

**Best Puppy in Show • Reserve Best Puppy in Show**

**Best Veteran in Show • Reserve Best Veteran in Show**

**Best Dog • Reserve Best Dog**

**Best Bitch • Reserve Best Bitch**

**Best Junior Handler • 1st - VHC in all classes**

### • PRIZE CARDS •

**1st - VHC in all classes**



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*Donations towards rosettes gratefully received and will be acknowledged in the catalogue*

**REFRESHMENTS WILL BE AVAILABLE ALL DAY**

**OUR NEXT OPEN SHOW - SUNDAY, 20<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER 2019**  
**at Cottesmore Village Hall, Cottesmore, Rutland, Leics LE15 7DH**  
**Judge: Richard Morris**

## • CLASSIFICATION •

**Judge: Cath Moffat (Kyleca)**

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

**Best in Show & Best Puppy in Show will now be judged**

**Best Veteran in Show will be selected from Classes 8 & 16 only**

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### **Special Classes (*do not count for entry into Best in Show*)**

17. Special Open Liver/Tan Dog or Bitch
18. Special Open Neutered Dog or Bitch
19. Special Beginners Dog or Bitch
20. Good Citizen Dog Scheme Dog or Bitch
21. Special Bred by Exhibitor Dog or Bitch
22. Special Not Bred by Exhibitor Dog or Bitch
23. Brace
24. Team
25. Special Open Dog or Bitch  
*(all proceeds to Lancashire Heeler Community Welfare Fund)*

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### **JUNIOR HANDLING**

*Entries taken on the day*

Class A. 6 - 11 years

Class B. 12 - 16 years

**Trophies to be won outright for all first prize winners**

**Perpetual Trophies are on offer for Members only  
and will be listed in Catalogue**

### **• AGM •**

AGM to follow the judging of Lancashire Heelers at NWPB Championship Show  
prior to judging of the Lancashire Heeler Association Open Show

## • 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, 1st June 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 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.

**NOVICE** For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate/CACIB/CAC/Green Star 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).

**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.

**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 breed 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.

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

**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.

**SPECIAL OPEN LIVER/TAN** As for the Open class but restricted to Liver and Tan.

**SPECIAL OPEN NEUTERED** Open to dogs or bitches which have been neutered, providing such operations have been notified to the Kennel Club before being shown.

**SPECIAL BEGINNERS** For dog, owner or handler who have not won a Challenge Certificate.

**SPECIAL BRED BY EXHIBITOR** For dogs bred by the exhibitor/partnership.

**SPECIAL NOT BRED BY EXHIBITOR** For dogs not bred by the exhibitor/partnership.

**SPECIAL OPEN** For all dogs of the breeds for which the class is provided and eligible for entry at the Show.  
All fees from this class to be donated to the Lancashire Heeler Community Welfare Fund.

### **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. Full details of all dogs entered NFC must be included on the entry form.

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## **• RULES and REGULATIONS •**

1. The Show will open at 7.30 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 2.00 pm approx.
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 by which time dogs must be removed.
5. Entry Fees: **Members:** £5.00 first entry per dog; £1.00 each subsequent entry with the same dog. **Non-Members:** £6.00 first entry per dog; £1.50 each subsequent entry with the same dog. **Junior Handling:** £1.00 per dog (*entries on the day*). **Not for Competition:** £1.00 per dog. **Catalogues:** £2.00 pre-paid with entries (*£3.00 on the day*).
6. There is no prize money on offer at this show.
7. The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries.
8. Puppies under six calendar months of age on the first day of the Show are not eligible for exhibition.
9. The mating of bitches within the precincts of the Show is forbidden.
10. **Best Puppy in Show:** Where a Best Puppy in Show competition is scheduled the Best Puppy in Show is a puppy which has competed and 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. Where 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.
11. **Best in Show:** Best in Show must be selected from the exhibits declared Best of Sex. If a Reserve Best in Show is to be selected, the eligible dogs are those declared Best Opposite Sex and the Reserve Best of Sex to the exhibit declared 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 the schedule except by permission of the Board of the Kennel Club, which will be followed by advertisement in the Canine press wherever possible.
20. Right to refuse Entries. Exhibitors/Competitors are reminded that show societies have the right under Kennel Club Regulations to refuse any entry.
21. The Show will be held under Kennel Club Rules and Show Regulations. Every exhibitor making an entry or entries at this Show shall be deemed to have agreed by these Rules and Regulations and it is on this understanding only that entries are received.
22. 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.
23. 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).
24. Every exhibitor shall ensure that whilst the dog is being exhibited, its handler shall display the correct ring number.

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

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



## GETTING TO THE SHOWGROUND



Follow brown signs from all main routes

*The roads around the showground can be busy and suffer from occasional congestion.  
Please allow plenty of time for your journey*

**There is free parking at the Showground**

4 Mitchell Court  
Castle Mound Way  
Rugby, Warwickshire CV23 0UY



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