

MANCHESTER & COUNTIES BULLDOG CLUB

(Founded 1897)



SCHEDULE of 15 Class Unbenched SINGLE BREED LIMITED SHOW with Puppy Walk & Junior Handling

*(held under Kennel Club Limited Rules & Regulations)
(Challenge Certificate winners are not eligible for entry)*

at **WHISTON TOWN HALL**
Old Colliery Road, Whiston L35 3QX

on **SATURDAY, 15th JUNE 2019**

Show Opens: 10.30 am

Judging: after Puppy Competition

Judge: Miss Roni Wells-Stutter (Linmist)

Guarantors to the Kennel Club:

Mrs S. Saxon (*Chairman*), 4 Hood Lane, Armitage, Rugeley, Staffordshire WS15 4BW.
Mrs E. Simpson (*Secretary*), Springfield, Ledsham Lane, Ledsham, Cheshire CH66 0ND Tel: 07903 129315
Mrs C. Freshney (*Treasurer*), 327 Leigh Road, Westoughton, Bolton BL5 2JQ.

Hon. Veterinary Surgeon (on call): Alder Vets
Tel: 0151 220 4668

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, 20th May 2019 (Postmark)

N.B. All wins up to and including 13th May 2019 must be counted when entering any class

***On-line entries can be made up until midnight on Monday, 27th May 2019
at www.fossedata.co.uk***

Postal entries and fees to be sent to the Secretary:

**Mrs E. Simpson
Springfield, Ledsham Lane,
Ledsham, Cheshire CH66 0DN
Tel: 07903 129315**

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



MANCHESTER & COUNTIES BULLDOG CLUB

OFFICERS and COMMITTEE 2019

President: Mr Neil Tunnah

Chairman: Mrs S. Saxon

Secretary: Mrs E. Simpson

Treasurer: Mrs C. Freshney

Vice Presidents: Mr D. Jones, Mr B. Johnson

Committee:

E. Aldridge, R. Crangle, D. Foy, M. Freshney, A. Neiman, G. Parry, P. Simpson,
J. Smith, C. Spicer, S. Stephenson, L. Stevenson, G. Stockley, A. Ware

**Should you require any assistance during the Show please ask one of the committee
recognisable by their identification badges**

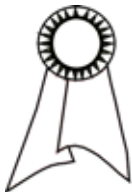
◆ FEES ◆

Entry Fees:	Members: First Entry per dog £4.50 Each subsequent entry with same dog £2.00
	Non-Members: First entry per dog £5.00 Each subsequent entry with same dog £2.50
Puppy Walk:	£2.00 per dog (<i>4 - 6 calendar months of age</i>)
Not for Competition:	£2.00 per dog (<i>over 4 calendar months of age</i>)
Catalogues:	£3.00 pre-paid with entries (<i>£3.50 on the day - limited number</i>)
Class Sponsorship:	£10.00 per class (<i>sponsor name on Class in catalogue</i>)
Rosette Donations:	will be acknowledged in the Catalogue
Membership 2019:	£4.00 Single; £5.00 Joint

Cheques/Postal Orders payable to: Manchester & Counties Bulldog Club

NO POST DATED CHEQUES WILL BE ACCEPTED

◆ ROSETTES ◆



First to VHC in all classes
Best in Show + Reserve Best in Show
Best Opposite Sex
Best Puppy in Show
Best Puppy Dog + Best Puppy Bitch



2019 MEMBERSHIP NOW DUE

£4.00 Single — £5.00 Joint

◆ CLASSIFICATION ◆

(Judging to follow puppy competition)

Judge: Miss Roni Wells-Stutter (Linmist)

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

Best in Show and Best Puppy in Show will be judged after Class 15

Please check the class definitions carefully before filling in your entry form



◆ PUPPY WALK ◆

A Puppy Walk for puppies aged 4 - 6 calendar months of age will take place at the beginning of the Show



Puppies must be entered Not for Competition with all details provided on the entry form

◆ ABOUT OUR JUDGE ◆

Miss Roni Wells-Stutter (Linmist)

I am the third generation of Linmist Bulldogs. Over the years I have had the bonus of learning from the experience of my Mum who is a CC judge, and from my Nan who has bred some quality dogs including Linmist Factor who I grew up with.

This is my first club show; I am honoured to have the opportunity of going over your dogs and will give my honest opinion. Thank you for this kind invitation, I am so looking forward to the day!

Let's give Roni a wonderful Manchester & Counties entry!

DEFINITIONS OF CLASSES

In the following definitions, a Challenge Certificate includes any Show award that counts towards the title of Champion under the rules of any governing body recognised by the Kennel Club. Wins at Championship Shows in breed classes where Challenge Certificates are not on offer shall be counted as wins at Open Shows. In the case of a dog owned in partnership and entered in Members' classes or competing for Members' Specials each partner must at the time of entry be a member of the Society. In estimating the number of awards won, all wins up to and including the seventh day before the date of closing of postal entries shall be counted when entering for any class i.e. **Monday, 13th May 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.

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.

NOVICE For dogs which have not won three or more First Prizes at any Show (Minor Puppy, Special Minor Puppy, Puppy and Special Puppy classes excepted, whether restricted or not).

POST GRADUATE For dogs which have not won five or more First Prizes at Championship and Open Shows in Post Graduate, Minor Limit, Mid Limit, Limit and Open classes, whether restricted or not

LIMIT For dogs which have not won seven or more First Prizes in all, at Open and Championship Shows in Limit and Open classes, confined to the breed, whether restricted or not.

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.

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 10.30 am.
2. Dogs will be received at any time after the opening of the show but it is the exhibitor's responsibility to ensure that dogs are available for judging when required.
3. Judging will commence following the Puppy Walk.
4. Exhibits may be removed from the Show after their judging has been completed. The show will close half an hour after all judging has been completed.
5. **Entry Fees:** Members: First Entry per dog £4.50; Each subsequent entry with same dog £2.00. Non-Members: First entry per dog £5.00; Each subsequent entry with same dog £2.50. Puppy Walk: £2.00 per dog (*4 - 6 calendar months of age*). Not for Competition: £2.00 per dog (*over 4 calendar months of age*). Catalogues: £3.00 pre-paid with entries (*£3.50 on the day - limited number*). Class sponsorship: £10.00 per class. Membership 2019: £4.00 Single; £5.00 Joint.
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. 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. Consequently, selection of Best Puppy in Show must follow the selection of Best in Show.
11. **Best in Show** Best in Show must be selected from 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 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 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. Only dogs entered in the Show will be allowed to attend.
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.
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. 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 the appropriate fees.
24. Every exhibitor shall ensure that whilst the dog is being exhibited, its handler shall display the correct ring number.

DIRECTIONS TO WHISTON TOWN HALL

From M62: take Junction 6 exit M57 Southport/Prescott Docks. At roundabout exit onto A5080 Windy Arbor Road, heading to Whiston. Follow Windy Arbor Road, turn right at Greenes Road. Continue onto Dragon Lane. Drive over bridge and turn left onto Old Colliery Road. Bear left at end of road and the venue is in front of you.

