



SCHEDULE
of Unbenched 22 Class
SINGLE BREED CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW

(held under Kennel Club Limited Rules & Regulations)

**NEW
VENUE**

at **WEDNESBURY LEISURE CENTRE**
High Bullen, Wednesbury,
West Midlands WS10 7HP

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on **SUNDAY, 29th SEPTEMBER 2019**

Show opens: 9.00 am

Judging: 10.00 am

Judge: Mrs C.E. Cartledge (Ryslip) [*subject to KC approval*]

Guarantors to the Kennel Club:

Mr D. Cund (*Chairman*), 12 Kettlewell Way, Chelmsley, Birmingham B37 5JD.
Miss A.J. Pike (*Hon. Secretary*), 98 Main Road, Morton, Alfreton, Derbyshire DE55 6HH.
Mrs C. Burton (*Hon. Treasurer*), 59 Smithurst Road, Giltbrook, Nottingham NG16 2UD.
Miss A. Cund (*Show Secretary*), 12 Kettlewell Way, Chelmsley Wood B37 5JD.
Mr G. Drummond, 17 Station Road, Castle Donington, Derby DE74 2NJ.
Mr P. Kendrick, Autumn Cottage, Baughton Hill, Earls Croome, Worcs WR8 9DG.

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."

Hon. Veterinary Surgeon (on call): Orchard Veterinary Centre
210 Holyhead Road, Wednesbury WS10 7DQ

Postal entries close: Monday, 9th September 2019 (Postmark)
On-line entries can be made up until midnight on Sunday, 15th September 2019
at www.fossedata.co.uk

Postal entries, which MUST be pre-paid, to be sent to the Show Secretary: Miss A. Cund
12 Kettlewell Way, Chelmsley Wood B37 5JD
Tel: 0121 788 1232 (no calls after 9.00 pm please)
E-mail: showsecmncfbc@gmail.com

NO PASSES WILL BE SENT

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

MIDLAND & NORTHERN COUNTIES FRENCH BULLDOG CLUB

OFFICERS and COMMITTEE

Patrons: Mrs E. Price, Mr P. Kendrick, Mrs W. Henderson, Mrs M. Bootle, Dr C. Towner

President: Mr P. Kendrick

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Vice Chairman: Mr G. Drummond

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Hon. Treasurer: Mrs C. Burton

Assistant Secretary: Miss A. Cund

Committee:

Mr N. Birks, Mrs C. Burton, Mrs R. Cassidy, Miss A. Cund, Mr D. Cund, Mr G. Drummond, Ms D. Hopewell, Mr P. Kendrick, Mr R. Mavro-Michaelis, Mr D. Spencer, Mr A. Woolley

OFFICIALS AT THE SHOW

Show Manager: Mr G. Drummond

Hon. Secretary: Miss A.J. Pike

Chief Steward: Mr G. Drummond

Assistant Secretary: Miss A. Cund

Fire/First Aid Officer: Mr R. Mavro-Michaelis

Members of the committee are entitled to exhibit at this Show

FEES

Members: £10.00 first entry per dog
£2.00 each subsequent entry with the same dog

Non-Members: £15.00 first entry per dog
£4.00 each subsequent entry with the same dog

Veteran Classes: Free entry (please include full details on entry form)

Not for Competition: £2.00 per dog (**over 4 calendar months of age**)
(*please provide details on entry form*)

Catalogues: £3.00 pre-paid with entries; £4.00 on the day of the Show

Advertisements: £15.00 Full Page — £8.00 Half Page
(*Copy & remittance with entries please*)

Membership Renewal: Single £10.00; Joint £12.00; Overseas £15.00

Please make cheques payable to: Midland & Northern Counties French Bulldog Club

DONATIONS and SPONSORSHIP

**Donations and Rosette sponsorship are most appreciated
and will be acknowledged in the Catalogue**

Class sponsorship is available - please contact Abbie Cund for more information

Prizes for our Raffle would also be appreciated

NOT FOR COMPETITION: Under Kennel Club Rules and Regulations unless a dog is entered at a show officially it is not permitted on the show venue. To enable you to bring your 'other' companions on the day you must enter them 'NOT FOR COMPETITION'. NFC dogs should be registered with the Kennel Club, this includes those 'Obedience' registered and MUST be over 4 calendar months of age. Full details including breed MUST be given on the entry form.

CLASSIFICATION

Judge: Mrs C.E. Cartledge (Ryslip) [*subject to KC approval*]

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog

1. Minor Puppy Dog
2. Puppy Dog
3. Junior Dog
4. Yearling Dog
5. Novice Dog
6. Graduate Dog
7. Post Graduate Dog
8. Mid Limit Dog
9. Limit Dog
10. Open Dog
11. Veteran Dog

Dog CC will now be judged

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch

12. Minor Puppy Bitch
13. Puppy Bitch
14. Junior Bitch
15. Yearling Bitch
16. Novice Bitch
17. Graduate Bitch
18. Post Graduate Bitch
19. Mid Limit Bitch
20. Limit Bitch
21. Open Bitch
22. Veteran Bitch

Bitch CC will now be judged

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

***N.B. Best Veteran in Show will be selected
from the winners of the two veteran classes only***

FREE ENTRY FOR VETERAN CLASSES

In recent years the entries in the Veteran classes (for dogs of not less than seven years of age on the first day of the show) have been very low compared to other classes which have attracted increasing numbers. The Club would like to encourage exhibitors to enter these classes and have made the Veteran Dog and Bitch classes free to enter. Please note that all other conditions remain and entries should be made on the entry form as normal.

~ ROSETTES ~

Best in Show • Reserve Best in Show

Best Puppy in Show • Best Veteran in Show

Dog CC • Reserve Dog CC • Best Puppy Dog • Best Veteran Dog

Bitch CC • Reserve Bitch CC • Best Puppy Bitch • Best Veteran Bitch

1st - VHC in ALL Classes

CRUFTS QUALIFICATION

Please note that only First, Second or Third Prize Winners in the following classes qualify for Crufts 2020: Minor Puppy, Puppy, Junior, Yearling, Post Graduate, Limit, Open and Veteran.



**DON'T FORGET
OUR NEXT OPEN SHOW
SUNDAY, 29th DECEMBER 2019
Judge: Ms A. Ellis (Eastonite)**

SUBSCRIPTIONS

Club membership subscriptions are due on the 1st January each year. To renew your membership, your subscription can be included with your entry form.

MEMBERSHIP

If you are not already a member of the Midland & Northern Counties French Bulldog Club, then why not join us?

Application forms for membership can be downloaded from our website www.mncfrenchbulldogclub.co.uk or by E-mail from honsecmncfbc@gmail.com or contact us via our Facebook page: Midland and Northern Counties French Bulldog Club

DOGS LEFT IN HOT VEHICLES POLICY

1. The MNCFBC will operate a zero tolerance policy for dogs left in hot vehicles.
2. Exhibitors are strongly advised to arrive at the Show with a method of getting dogs into the Show straightaway, and not leave them in vehicles whilst setting up.
3. If a dog is left in a vehicle, a tannoy announcement of the vehicle registration will be made. If the owner does not go to their vehicle within 5 minutes, then judging will be stopped until the owner has removed the dog from the vehicle.
4. The incident will be reported to the Kennel Club for them to take appropriate action.

RULES & REGULATIONS

1. The Show will open at 9.00 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 10.00 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. Entry Fees: **Members** £10.00 first entry per dog; £2.00 each subsequent entry with the same dog. **Non-Members** £15.00 first entry per dog; £4.00 each subsequent entry with the same dog. Veteran Classes: Free entry (please include full details on entry form). Not for Competition: £2.00 per dog (please provide details on entry form). Catalogues: £3.00 pre-paid with entries; £4.00 on the day of the Show. Advertisements in Catalogue: full page £15.00, half page £8.00. Membership Renewal: Single £10.00; Joint £12.00; Overseas £15.00
6. Prize Money on offer in Special Award classes only.
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. Not for Competition entries for French Bulldog puppies over four calendar months of age will be accepted.
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 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 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. 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 to abide by these Rules and Regulations and it is on this understanding only that entries are received.
 21. **DISCLAIMER:** The Committee of the Show can accept no responsibility for products advertised or sold by stand holders at the Show and remind exhibitors that grooming products on sale may not meet the requirements of the Regulation for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition F(B).
 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.
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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, 2nd September 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.

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).

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.

MID LIMIT For dogs which have not become show Champions under Kennel Club Regulations or under the rules of any governing body recognised by the Kennel Club, or won 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.

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.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING IDENTIFICATION OF DOGS

It is a Kennel Club requirement that exhibitors display the exhibit 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.

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.

DOG FOULING and GROOMING WASTE

Any owner, competitor, handler or other person in charge of a dog is required to remove immediately any fouling caused by their dog(s) and/or any grooming waste at any Kennel Club licensed show within the licensed venue and within the environs of that event including car and caravan parks and approaches.

DIRECTIONS TO THE VENUE

The Wednesbury Leisure Centre is just a few minutes drive off of the Junction 9 exit of the M6.

At Junction 9, take the A461 exit to Wednesbury, at the roundabout, take the exit onto Wood Green Rd/A461, follow this road until the roundabout, take the 1st exit onto High Bullen/A461, continue to follow A461, at the roundabout, take the 4th exit onto Dudley St/A461, the Leisure Centre will be on your left.

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