

The Northern Bullmastiff Club



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

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

*(Established 1988)*

at

**THE POPPLETON CENTRE**

**Main Street, Nether Poppleton, York YO26 6JT**

on

**SUNDAY, 17th FEBRUARY 2019**

*Show Opens: 9.30 am*

*Judging: 10.00 am*

**Judge: Nadine Furber (Carminway)**

**Guarantors to the Kennel Club:**

Mr G. Shirt (*Chairman*), The Bungalow, 45 Finchwell Road, Handsworth, Sheffield S13 9AS.

Mr I. Garthwaite (*Vice Chairman*), 22 Harby Road, Sutton in Ashfield, Notts NG17 5JT.

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Mr P. Lovatt (*Hon. Treasurer*), Bramble Cottage, Weaverthorpe, Malton, North Yorkshire YO17 8EQ.

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."

**Veterinary Surgeon on call: Vets4Pets** (located in Pets at Home)

Clifton Moor Centre, 4 Stirling Road, Clifton Moor Centre, York YO30 4XZ. Tel: 01904 690202

**Postal entries close: Monday, 28th January 2019 (Postmark)**

**On-line entries can be made up until midnight on Sunday, 3rd February 2019**

**Postal entries & fees to be sent to the Hon. Secretary: Mrs D. Lovatt  
Bramble Cottage, Weaverthorpe, Malton, North Yorkshire YO17 8EQ**

**Tel: 07885 681096 — E-mail: mowcher@sky.com**

**Enter on-line at [www.fossedata.co.uk](http://www.fossedata.co.uk)**

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



# THE NORTHERN BULLMASTIFF CLUB

**President:** Mr A. Walker

**Chairman:** Mr G. Shirt

**Vice Chairman:** Mr I. Garthwaite

**Hon. Secretary:** Mrs D. Lovatt

**Hon. Treasurer:** Mr P. Lovatt

**Cup Steward:** Mrs J. Brewer

## **Committee:**

Mr D. Brewer, Mrs V. Garforth, Mrs S. Garthwaite, Mr S. Humphries, Mr P. Latter,  
Mrs C. Latter, Mrs C. Lewis, Mr A. Lowton, Miss D. Morgan, Mr R. Martin, Mr P. Myers

## • FEES •

**First Entry:** £6.00 per dog

**Subsequent Entries:** £2.00 per class with the same dog

**Veteran Classes:** Free of charge

**Not for Competition:** £1.00 per dog (*for dogs 4 calendar months and over*)

**Catalogues:** Members - Free of Charge  
Non-Members - £3.00 pre-paid with entries  
£3.50 on the day (*limited availability*)

**Advertisement:** £5.00 Full Page

**Membership:** Household £12.00 (*due 1st January*)

## • SPONSORSHIP •

*If you wish to sponsor classes or make donations, please contact our Hon. Secretary, Mrs Debbie Lovatt. Acknowledgement will be given in the Catalogue*

## • ROSETTES •



**BEST IN SHOW • RESERVE BEST IN SHOW**

**BEST OPPOSITE SEX**

**BEST PUPPY IN SHOW • RESERVE BEST PUPPY IN SHOW**

**BEST OPPOSITE SEX PUPPY**

**BEST VETERAN IN SHOW • BEST BRINDLE IN SHOW**

**1st - VHC in all Classes**

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## • TROPHIES •

**FOR ALL CLASSES  
CONFINED TO MEMBERS**



**OFFICERS DO NOT EXHIBIT AT OUR CLUB SHOWS  
EXCEPT IN VETERAN CLASSES**

## CLASSIFICATION

### **Judge: Nadine Furber (Carminway)**

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

### **BEST IN SHOW ~ BEST PUPPY IN SHOW ~ BEST VETERAN IN SHOW**

***will now be judged***

***Best Veteran in Show will be selected from the winners of veteran classes 8 and 17 only***

#### **• JUDGE'S PROFILE •**

##### **Nadine Furber (Carminway)**

I have had a love for dogs for many years, mainly due my grandparents and relatives having working dogs. At 20 I bought my own dog when I bought my first house, a beautiful brindle Stafford Bitch who gave me 14 amazing years! My background was in the Equestrian world for over 25 years, having had the pleasure of working with some amazing Event Horses and Competing with my own, this is where my passion for construction and movement led me to the show side of dogs.

I have held my affix of Carminway since 2006 and purchased my first Bullmastiff in 2005. I had a "go" at some shows with him, however it wasn't for him but I had the "bug". I then got the opportunity to pick a beautiful fawn bitch called Tullah, my first Show Girl! Although sadly a short but nonetheless wonderful and successful partnership she was the "one", that special dog that sparked the fire and passion I now have for the Bullmastiff. I have since shown and bred dogs under this affix at Open and Championship shows, including Bullmastiffs, French Bulldogs and many years ago Bulldogs. Over the years I have made up a Champion, shown and bred CC and RCC winning dogs along with gaining JW awards also.

I have a real passion for the Working and Utility Breeds and I am currently owned by 2 Bullmastiffs, 2 Grouchy Elderly Bulldogs and 3 French Bulldogs.

I am very much looking forward to having the opportunity and most importantly the privilege to judge your dogs.

***Nadine***



## **ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

will follow the completion of judging, but not before 1.00 pm

# RULES & REGULATIONS

1. The Show will open at 9.30 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 judging has been completed by which time dogs must be removed.
5. Entry Fees: £6.00 first entry per dog; £2.00 per class with the same dog. Veteran Class: Free of charge; Not for Competition (for dogs aged over 4 calendar months of age): £1.00 per dog. Catalogues: Members - Free of Charge; Non-Members - £3.00 pre-paid with entries (limited number available on the day at £3.50). Adverts: Full Page £5.00 Membership: Household £12.00 (due 1st January).
6. No prize money is on offer.
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 but only if they have received a first prize in a class at the same show. 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 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.** 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 Kennel Club Rules and Regulations. 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.**

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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. 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. Please clean up after your dogs. Please use only the exercise areas provided and bin bags on site.
21. 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).
22. 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. **Monday, 21st January 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 a Challenge Certificate or three or more First Prizes at Open or 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 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 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.

**SPECIAL BRINDLE OPEN** As Open but restricted to dogs/bitches of brindle colour.

#### **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.

## **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.



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