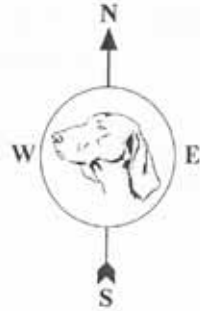


The North of England Weimaraner Society

SCHEDULE of 30 Class Unbenched **SINGLE BREED** **CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW**

(held under Kennel Club Limited Rules & Regulations)



at **ELSECAR HERITAGE CENTRE**
Wath Road, Elsecar, Barnsley S74 8HJ

on **SATURDAY, 14th APRIL 2018**

Show Opens: 9.00 am

Judging: 10.00 am

Judge: Mr D. Bell (Ballintyne)

Special Award Judge: Miss A. Burns (Pothouse)

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.”

Guarantors to the Kennel Club:

Mrs S. Marshall (*Chairman*), 50 Sun Way, Southowram, Halifax HX3 9PF.

Mrs C. Rodgers (*Secretary*), 78 Towthorpe Road, Haxby, York YO32 3NA. Tel: 07919 401958

Mrs A. Smith (*Treasurer*), 48 St Winifreds Road, Harrogate HG2 8LR.

Mrs J. Byrne, 17 Longfield Road, Shaw, Oldham OL2 7HD.

Mr S. Hollings, Carlton Hall Farm, Carlton Lane, East Carlton, Yeadon, Leeds LS19 7BG.

Mrs J. Ward, Prospect Cottage, 98a Bank Street, Morley, Leeds LS27 9HY.

Hon. Veterinary Surgeon (on call): Abbey Veterinary Group. Tel: 01226 242217
(any expenses incurred are the responsibility of the exhibitor)

Postal entries close: Saturday, 17th March 2018 (Postmark)

On-line entries can be made up until midnight on Sunday, 25th March 2018

at www.fossedata.co.uk

(The North of England Weimaraner Society reserves the right to refuse an entry without stating a reason)

Postal entries and fees to be sent to the Secretary: Mrs C. Rodgers

78 Towthorpe Road, Haxby, York YO32 3NA.

Tel: 07919 401958 — E-mail: clairerodgers78@gmail.com

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

The North of England Weimaraner Society

President: Mr S. Hollings

Chairman: Mrs S. Marshall

Secretary: Mrs C. Rodgers

Show Manager: Mrs S. Marshall

Treasurer: Mrs A. Smith

Trophy Steward: Miss J. Elders

Hon Life Members:

Mrs J. Byrne, Mr T. Longbottom, Mrs, D. Mosey, Mr N. Newton, Mrs J. Ward

Committee:

Mesdames J. Byrne, P. Hollings, J. Ward, K. Whitehead
Miss A. Burns, J. Elders Messrs M. Egan, S. Hollings, P. Milby

• ENTRY FEES •

Members: £16.00 First entry per dog

Non-Members: £19.00 First entry per dog

Subsequent Entries: £3.00 each, with the same dog

Not for Competition: £3.00 per dog (4 months and over ~ details must be given on entry form)

Spectator Dogs: £3.00 per dog (on the day)

Special Award Classes: £3.00 per dog

Catalogues: £3.00 pre-paid with entries only

Advertising: £5.00 Full Page; £3.00 Half Page (subject to space available)

Rosette Donations: Gratefully received and acknowledged in the catalogue

*Cheques/Postal Orders payable to: **The North of England Weimaraner Society***

To cover bank charges, exhibitors whose cheques are represented will be charged the sum of £25.00.

*In addition, there will also be an **Administration Charge** of £2.00 in respect of any entry received which is incorrect and necessitates correspondence.*

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• DONATIONS/SPONSORSHIP •

Any donations will be gratefully received and will be acknowledged in the Catalogue

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.



• REFRESHMENTS WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THE SHOW •

• CLASSIFICATION •

Judge: Mr D. Bell (Ballintyne)

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate — Dog

1. Minor Puppy Dog
2. Puppy Dog
3. Junior Dog
4. Yearling Dog
5. Maiden Dog
6. Novice Dog
7. Graduate Dog
8. Post Graduate Dog
9. Limit Dog
10. Open Dog
11. Veteran Dog
12. Special Field Trial Dog
13. Special Long Haired Dog
14. Special Working Dog
15. Champion Dog

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate — Bitch

16. Minor Puppy Bitch
17. Puppy Bitch
18. Junior Bitch
19. Yearling Bitch
20. Maiden Bitch
21. Novice Bitch
22. Graduate Bitch
23. Post Graduate Bitch
24. Limit Bitch
25. Open Bitch
26. Veteran Bitch
27. Special Field Trial Bitch
28. Special Long Haired Bitch
29. Special Working Bitch
30. Champion Bitch

BEST IN SHOW followed by **BEST PUPPY IN SHOW**
will be judged after Class 30

• SPECIAL AWARDS •

(to be judged during the lunch break)

Judge: Miss A. Burns (Pothouse)

Class A: **R.M.W. Finch Special Award Junior Dog or Bitch**

Class B: **W. Holman Special Award Open Dog or Bitch**

• PRIZE MONEY •

1st £30.00; 2nd £25.00; 3rd £20.00; Reserve £15.00; VHC £10.00

Please note: Exhibits in the Special Award classes **MUST** be entered in at least one other class. The unbeaten dog rule does not apply to the Special Award Classes.

NEWS is keen to assist judges to progress up the Judges Lists. After liaising with the Kennel Club it was decided to introduce 'Special Awards' at our Championship Show, where hopefully there is a captive audience who will enter dogs for the invited judge to go over and include in their judges CV.

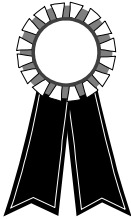
The Special Awards will be judged during the lunch break and are separate awards from the main show. Therefore, if your dog is beaten in the Special Awards, it is not classed as a beaten dog and is not disqualified from the challenge in the main show.

We are grateful to

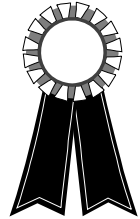


for its continued support of NEWS
and donating a bag of food for each class winner, BIS, RBIS, BPIS & BVIS

• ROSETTES •



BEST IN SHOW ~ RESERVE BEST IN SHOW
BEST OPPOSITE SEX
BEST DOG ~ RESERVE BEST DOG
BEST BITCH ~ RESERVE BEST BITCH
BEST PUPPY IN SHOW
BEST PUPPY DOG ~ BEST PUPPY BITCH
BEST VETERAN ~ BEST LONGHAIRD
1st to V.H.C. in all classes



• PRIZE MONEY •

FOR SPECIAL AWARD CLASSES

1st £30.00 ~ 2nd £25.00 ~ 3rd £20.00 ~ 4th 15.00 ~ 5th £10.00

• TROPHIES •

Trophies are confined to Members only

NOTE: Will the current holders of trophies from our April 2017 show,
please ensure they are returned to the Cup Steward,
Jane Elders, either at or before the show.



Thank you



• JUDGES PROFILES •

Mr D. Bell (Ballintyne)

It was a great thrill to receive the invitation to judge your show, the first Breed Club Championship Show outside my own breed, Irish Setters. I am currently approved to judge eight Gundog Breeds and the Gundog Group.

I started in dogs in 1973 with my first Irish Setter and made up my first home bred Champion in 1982. There have been four Champions in the household, all home bred and another six or so winning CCs and RCCs. We have along the way had Labradors and I am currently showing a Pointer together with the Irish Setters.

I first awarded CCs to Irish Setters in 1988, and my first appointment for Weimaraners came in 2013, 20 years after I started judging the breed at Open Shows.

I have been lucky enough to have judged in many countries, including, USA, Australia, New Zealand and around Europe, which broadens ones experience in many breeds.

I guess I have taken an interest in Weimaraners since I started judging, seeing the unmistakable "Grey Ghost" made me want to learn more about the breed. One is often asked which is the best of any breed that you have judged, well I am afraid I will have to disappoint on that one, as apart from my own breed I remain oblivious to the names of dogs or the backgrounds, preferring just to look at what is in front of you when faced with judging them. I am of the school that believes a non-breed person sees a snapshot on the day and makes decisions based on those exhibiting good breed type and dogs performance. The intricacies of the breed should be left to the breed experts. I have had an interest in the organisation of societies, both breed and general, being a past Chairman of The Irish Setter Association, England. Secretary of The Setter & Pointer Club, and past Chairman of a general open show society. I am currently Secretary of The City of Birmingham Championship Dog Show, having served the committee for 15 years.

I am looking forward to judging at NEWS.

Miss Anne Burns (Pothouse)

I co-own the Pothouse affix with my partner Robert and have been actively involved with this wonderful breed for over 30 years. My involvement with Weimaraners over the years has been in the show ring, all aspects of the working field and judging at open shows. I am a former Treasurer of NEWS, a position I held for a number of years. I am really looking forward to my judging appointment.

DEFINITIONS OF CLASSES

(N.B. 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. **Saturday, 10th March 2018.**

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.

MAIDEN For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate or First Prizes at an Open or Championship show (Minor Puppy, Special Minor Puppy, Puppy and Special Puppy classes excepted, whether restricted or not).

NOVICE For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate 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 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 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 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.

CHAMPION For dogs which have been confirmed a Champion, Show Champion or Field Trial Champion.

SPECIAL LONG HAIRED As Open, but confined to Long Haired Weimaraners.

SPECIAL FIELD TRIAL For dogs who have won an award, Diploma of Merit, or Certificate of Merit in actual competition at a Field Trial held under Kennel Club or Irish Kennel Club Field Trial Regulations. (Does not include a Show Gundog Working Certificate).

SPECIAL WORKING The exhibit to have been awarded a place at a Kennel Club licensed Obedience, Agility or Rally class or have obtained a Certificate of Merit/qualification at an Open/Championship Working Trail, been awarded a place at a Gundog Working Test for HPRs or graded at a Pointing Test, or have gained a Working Gundog Certificate or Show Gundog Working Certificate.

SPECIAL AWARD JUNIOR For dogs of six and not exceeding eighteen calendar months of age on the first day of the Show.

SPECIAL AWARD OPEN For all dogs of the breeds for which the class is provided and eligible for entry at 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 9.00 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 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:** First Entry per dog £16.00. **Non-Members:** First entry per dog £19.00. **Subsequent Entries** with same dog £3.00. **Special Award Classes:** £3.00 per class. **Not for Competition:** £3.00 per dog (see Rule 17). **Spectator Dogs:** £3.00 per dog (on the day). **Catalogues:** £3.00 pre-paid with entries only. **Catalogue Adverts:** £5.00 full page; £3.00 half page.
6. **Prize Money** is on offer for: Special Awards Classes: 1st £30.00, 2nd £25.00, 3rd £20.00, Reserve £15.00, VHC £10.00.
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 of Best in Show.
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 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 the 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.**

17. 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.
18. 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.
19. Any owner, exhibitor, handler or other person in charge of a dog is required to remove immediately any fouling caused by their dog(s) and also any grooming waste at any Kennel Club licenced Show, within the licenced venue and within the environs of that event, including car and caravan parks and approaches. Adequate receptacles for the disposal of such fouling will be provided.
20. The Officers and Committee will not be responsible for the loss, detention of, or damage to any other dog, or other property, whether arising from accident or other cause whatsoever, or from any act of omission of itself, its officers, agents or other, or damage done by the exhibits to any person or property.
21. The Officers and Committee of the North of England Weimaraner Society do not accept responsibility for any products or services advertised or sold at this show.
22. If any judge is unable to fulfil an engagement, the Committee reserve the right to appoint a replacement. In these circumstances, exhibitors may withdraw from competition but no entry fee will be returned.
23. If any exhibitor presents an incorrectly completed or dishonoured cheque in respect of show entries, the incurred bank charges and any handling fees will be passed in to the exhibitor concerned.

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On arrival at the Heritage Centre follow signs for
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