



# RUGBY & DISTRICT CANINE SOCIETY

## SCHEDULE

of Unbenched 184 Class

# OPEN SHOW

*(Judged on the Group System)*

*(held under Kennel Club Limited Rules and Show Regulations)*

at **THE CONNEXION**

**Ryton on Dunsmore, Coventry CV8 3FL**

on **SATURDAY, 4th FEBRUARY 2017**

*Show Opens: 9.00 am*

*Judging commences: 9.30 am prompt*

### **Guarantors to the Kennel Club:**

Mrs L.V. Elliott (*Chairman*), 51 Daventry Road, Barby, nr Rugby CV23 8TP.

Mrs C.M. Cheesman (*Secretary*), 44 Whittle Close, Bilton, Rugby CV22 6JR. Tel/Fax: 01788 336113

Mrs J. Steele (*Acting Treasurer*), 49 School Street, Lower Hillmorton, Rugby CV21 4BW.

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, 31st December 2016 (Postmark)**

***On-line entries can be made up until midnight on Saturday, 7th January 2017  
at [www.fossedata.co.uk](http://www.fossedata.co.uk)***

*Postal entries to be sent to the Secretary: Mrs C.M. Cheesman*

**44 Whittle Close, Bilton, Rugby CV22 6JR**

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### **• PRIZE MONEY •**

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**CHARITY STAKES CLASS IN SUPPORT OF RUGBY MYTON HOSPICE**

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



## • CUPS AND TROPHIES •

*On offer for one year*

A £2.00, non-refundable, charge will be made on each Cup or Trophy

*Cup Steward: Mrs L.V. Elliott*

51 Daventry Road, Barby, nr Rugby CV23 8TP. Tel: 01788 890247



**Rugby and District Canine Society Cup** for Best in Show

**Rugby and District Canine Society Cup** for Reserve Best in Show

**Rugby Radius Cup** for Best Puppy in Show

**John Ford Memorial Trophy** for Reserve Best Puppy in Show

Trophy	Award	Presented by
<b>Gundog Figure</b>	Gundog Group	<i>Rugby &amp; D.C.S.</i>
<b>Dalpoint Cup</b>	BOB Pointer	<i>Mr &amp; Mrs D. Blunt</i>
<b>Dalpoint Plate</b>	Best Puppy Pointer	<i>Mr &amp; Mrs D. Blunt</i>
<b>Bill McClenaghan Trophy</b>	BOB Retriever (Labrador)	
<b>Leeson Cup</b>	BOB Irish Setter	
<b>Silver Bowl</b>	Toy Group	<i>Rugby &amp; D.C.S.</i>
<b>Salguero Cup</b>	BOB Cavalier King Charles Spaniel	<i>Mrs H. Salguero</i>
<b>Malin Cup</b>	Best Puppy Cavalier King Charles Spaniel	<i>Mr A. Malin</i>
<b>Hazlewood Cup</b>	BOB Papillon	
<b>Barnaby Trophy</b>	BOB King Charles Spaniel	<i>Mrs H. Salguero</i>
<b>Carthill Salver</b>	Hound Group	<i>Mrs L. Elliott</i>
<b>Jorchants Tankard</b>	BOB Afghan Hound	<i>Mrs V. Jordan</i>
<b>Zaram Trophy</b>	Best Puppy Afghan Hound	<i>Mr &amp; Mrs A. Cheesman</i>
<b>Sunnylain Shield</b>	BOB Whippet	<i>Rugby &amp; D.C.S.</i>
<b>Trophy</b>	BOB Dachshund (Min. Wire-Haired)	
<b>Kabardin Trophy</b>	BOB Dachshund (Min. Smooth-Haired)	
<b>Porter Memorial Cup</b>	Best Puppy Beagle	<i>Jo Taylor</i>
<b>Salver</b>	Pastoral Group	<i>Rugby &amp; D.C.S.</i>
<b>Arthrug Trophy</b>	BOB Old English Sheepdog	<i>Mr &amp; Mrs A. Steele</i>
<b>Trondra Trophy</b>	BOB Shetland Sheepdog	<i>Mrs J. Chater</i>
<b>Shelruss Salver</b>	Working Group	<i>Mrs B. Russell</i>
<b>Spitzdene Salver</b>	Utility Group	<i>Mrs C. McCormick</i>
<b>Dalkereve Cup</b>	BOB Dalmatian	<i>Mr &amp; Mrs Harrison-Stratford</i>
<b>Salver</b>	Terrier Group	<i>Rugby &amp; D.C.S.</i>
<b>Uffculme Shield</b>	Best Veteran	<i>Mr &amp; Mrs Lines</i>
<b>Salver</b>	Oldest Exhibit in Veteran Classes	<i>Bizley Family</i>

# RUGBY & DISTRICT CANINE SOCIETY

**Patron:** Mr R.M. Furber, MA, Vet MB, MRCVS

**Hon. Life Members:**

Mr M. Furber, Mrs J.M. Chater, Mr I. Copus, Mrs J. Earles, Mrs R. Smith, Mr K. Perkins,  
Mrs L. Townsend, Mrs K. Willoughby, Mr B. Southern, Miss M. Stowe, Mr & Mrs C. Walters

**Chairman:** Mrs L.V. Elliott

**Secretary:** Mrs C.M. Cheesman

**Acting Treasurer:** Mrs J. Steele

**Committee:**

Mrs S. Blunt, Miss J. Dolman, Mr R. Jukes, Mr I. Moye, Mr T. Steele, Mrs A. Steele

**Vet on Call:** Bilton Veterinary Centre, 259 Bilton Road, Rugby. Tel: 01788 812650.

**Committee Members of R.D.C.S do not show their dogs at the Society's Shows**

<b>Entry Fees:</b>	£5.50 first entry per dog; £1.75 each subsequent entry per dog
<b>Catalogues:</b>	Pre-paid with entry £3.00 (£3.50 on the day) <i>[Catalogues not collected by 12.00 noon will be offered for re-sale]</i>
<b>Adverts:</b>	Full Page: £8.00; Half Page: £4.00
<b>Rosette Donations:</b>	BIS/RBIS/BPIS/BVIS £3.00 each; BOB/BPIB £1.50; Per class (1st - VHC) £2.25
<b>Membership:</b>	<i>(January - December)</i> Single: £3.00; Joint: £4.00 <b>[2017 Membership subscriptions are due on 1st January 2017]</b>

**RETURNED CHEQUES:** In the event of cheques being returned for any reason,  
by a bank, a charge of £15.00 will be levied against the exhibitor.

## • EXHIBITORS PLEASE NOTE •

An area will be set aside for cages and grooming tables; at no time will the obstruction of gangways be allowed. This rule will be strictly adhered to for the safety of exhibitors. You are respectfully asked to take good care of this Hall so that we may continue to use it.

- Please do not deposit litter or dog combs on the floor.
- Please take your dog outside to give it drinks.
- Please exercise your dogs before entering the Hall so that the place is not fouled in any way.

**Owners are also reminded that the grounds outside the Venue are used by the public, and that it is an offence to allow dogs to foul the pavements.**

Exhibitors bringing children with them are asked to ensure that they do not get into any mischief or cause any damage.

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**• CLASSIFICATION •**

*(All classes are for Dog or Bitch unless otherwise stated)*

**GUNDOG GROUP - Group Judge: Tim Harrison (Glenbrows)**

<b>GERMAN SHORTHAIRED POINTER</b> Judge: <b>Mrs Jinty Gill-Davis</b> (Rosecourt) <i>B List Central &amp; Southern German Shorthaired Pointer Society</i>	1. Junior 2. Post Graduate	3. Open
<b>HUNGARIAN VIZSLA</b> Judge: <b>Mrs Jinty Gill-Davis</b> (Rosecourt) <i>B List Hungarian Vizsla Society</i>	4. Junior 5. Post Graduate	6. Open
<b>IRISH SETTER</b> Judge: <b>Diane Bridgwater</b> (Bridgella) <i>B List Irish Setter Association, England</i>	7. Junior 8. Post Graduate	9. Open
<b>POINTER</b> Judge: <b>Mr Mark H. Boswell</b> (Marquell) <i>C List Pointer Club</i>	10. Junior 11. Post Graduate	12. Open
<b>RETRIEVER (FLAT COATED)</b> Judge: <b>Jenny Coddington</b> <i>B List Flat Coated Retriever Society</i>	13. Junior 14. Post Graduate	15. Open
<b>RETRIEVER (GOLDEN)</b> Judge: <b>John Millward</b> (Eldersfield) <i>B List Golden Retriever Club</i>	16. Junior 17. Post Graduate	18. Open
<b>RETRIEVER (LABRADOR)</b> Judge: <b>Mr Phil Goodall</b> (Beaverbrook) <i>B List Labrador Retriever Breed Council</i>	19. Junior 20. Post Graduate	21. Open
<b>SPANIEL (CLUMBER)</b> Judge: <b>Mrs Jinty Gill-Davis</b> (Rosecourt) <i>A3 List Clumber Spaniel Club</i>	22. Junior 23. Post Graduate	24. Open
<b>SPANIEL (COCKER)</b> Judge: <b>Tim Harrison</b> (Glenbrows) <i>B List Cocker Spaniel Breed Council</i>	25. Junior 26. Post Graduate	27. Open
<b>WEIMARANER</b> Judge: <b>Mrs Jinty Gill-Davis</b> (Rosecourt) <i>B List Weimarer Association</i>	28. Junior 29. Post Graduate	30. Open
<b>A.V. GUNDOG VETERAN</b> Judge: <b>Mrs H. Fitzgibbon</b> (Smiliesam)	31. Veteran	
<b>A.V.N.S.C. GUNDOG</b> Judge: <b>Tim Harrison</b> (Glenbrows)	32. Puppy 33. Junior	34. Post Graduate 35. Open

**TOY GROUP - Group Judge: John Blewett (Othmese)**

<b>CAVALIER KING CHARLES SPANIEL</b> Judge: <b>John Blewett</b> (Othmese) <i>B List Southern Cavalier King Charles Spaniel Club</i>	36. Junior 37. Post Graduate	38. Open
<b>CHINESE CRESTED</b> Judge: <b>Mr Stephen R. Goodwin</b> (Lanola) <i>B List Chinese Crested Club of Great Britain</i>	39. Junior 40. Post Graduate	41. Open
<b>KING CHARLES SPANIEL</b> Judge: <b>John T. Pritchards</b> (Lillijay) <i>C List King Charles Spaniel Club</i>	42. Junior 43. Post Graduate	44. Open

<b>MALTESE</b> Judge: <b>Mr Stephen R. Goodwin</b> (Lanola) <i>B List Maltese Club</i>	45. Junior 46. Post Graduate	47. Open
<b>PAPILLON</b> Judge: <b>Mrs Gill Taylor</b> (Royella) <i>C List</i>	48. Junior 49. Post Graduate	50. Open
<b>PUG</b> Judge: <b>Tony Greenwood</b> (Puglova) <i>C List Pug Breed Council</i>	51. Junior 52. Post Graduate	53. Open
<b>A.V. TOY VETERAN</b> Judge: <b>Mrs H. Fitzgibbon</b> (Smiliesam)	54. Veteran	
<b>A.V.N.S.C. TOY</b> Judge: <b>John Blewett</b> (Othmese)	55. Puppy 56. Junior	57. Post Graduate 58. Open

### TERRIER GROUP - Group Judge: Mr Stephen R. Goodwin (Lanola)

<b>BEDLINGTON TERRIER</b> Judge: <b>Mr Stephen R. Goodwin</b> (Lanola) <i>C List Midland Bedlington Terrier Club</i>	59. Junior 60. Post Graduate	61. Open
<b>BORDER TERRIER</b> Judge: <b>Mr Stephen R. Goodwin</b> (Lanola) <i>B List East Anglia Border Terrier Club</i>	62. Junior 63. Post Graduate	64. Open
<b>CAIRN TERRIER</b> Judge: <b>Mr Stephen R. Goodwin</b> (Lanola)	65. Junior 66. Post Graduate	67. Open
<b>FOX TERRIER (SMOOTH)</b> Judge: <b>Mr Stephen R. Goodwin</b> (Lanola)	68. Junior 69. Post Graduate	70. Open
<b>STAFFORDSHIRE BULL TERRIER</b> Judge: <b>Mr Stephen R. Goodwin</b> (Lanola) <i>C List Cumbria Staffordshire Bull Terrier Club</i>	71. Junior 72. Post Graduate	73. Open
<b>A.V. TERRIER VETERAN</b> Judge: <b>Mrs H. Fitzgibbon</b> (Smiliesam)	74. Veteran	
<b>A.V.N.S.C. TERRIER</b> Judge: <b>Mr Stephen R. Goodwin</b> (Lanola)	75. Puppy 76. Junior	77. Post Graduate 78. Open

### UTILITY GROUP - Group Judge: Ms Carolyne M. Scott (Wolverlow)

<b>AKITA</b> Judge: <b>Barry Blunden</b> (Licassa) <i>C List</i>	79. Junior 80. Post Graduate	81. Open
<b>BOSTON TERRIER</b> Judge: <b>Miss Vanessa Cox</b> (Petitpaws) <i>C List Boston Terrier Club</i>	82. Junior 83. Post Graduate	84. Open
<b>DALMATIAN</b> Judge: <b>Ms Carolyne M. Scott</b> (Wolverlow)	85. Junior 86. Post Graduate	87. Open
<b>FRENCH BULLDOG</b> Judge: <b>Barry Blunden</b> (Licassa) <i>C List</i>	88. Junior 89. Post Graduate	90. Open
<b>JAPANESE SHIBA INU</b> Judge: <b>Miss Vanessa Cox</b> (Petitpaws) <i>B List Association of Japanese Shiba Inu</i>	91. Junior 92. Post Graduate	93. Open
<b>LHASA APSO</b> Judge: <b>Ms Carolyne M. Scott</b> (Wolverlow) <i>B List</i>	94. Junior 95. Post Graduate	96. Open

<b>SHAR PEI</b> Judge: <b>Barry Blunden</b> (Licassa)	97. Junior 98. Post Graduate	99. Open
<b>TIBETAN SPANIEL</b> Judge: <b>Penny Roberts</b> (Archaeus) <i>B List South East &amp; East Anglian Tibetan Spaniel Society</i>	100. Junior 101. Post Graduate	102. Open
<b>TIBETAN TERRIER</b> Judge: <b>Barry Blunden</b> (Licassa) <i>C List</i>	103. Junior 104. Post Graduate	105. Open
<b>A.V. UTILITY VETERAN</b> Judge: <b>Mrs H. Fitzgibbon</b> (Smiliesam)	106. Veteran	
<b>A.V.N.S.C. UTILITY</b> Judge: <b>Ms Carolyne M. Scott</b> (Wolferlow)	107. Puppy 108. Junior	109. Post Graduate 110. Open

### HOUND GROUP - Group Judge: Ian Sexton

<b>AFGHAN HOUND</b> Judge: <b>Mrs Tineke Gorman</b> (Keldehan) <i>C List Birmingham Afghan Hound Club</i>	111. Junior 112. Post Graduate	113. Open
<b>BEAGLE</b> Judge: <b>Miss Sally Precey</b> (Detrick) <i>B List Beagle Club</i>	114. Junior 115. Post Graduate	116. Open
<b>DACHSHUND (MIN. SMOOTH-HAIRED)</b> Judge: <b>Mrs Jennifer Earles</b> (Earlesdac) <i>B List Dachshund Breed Council</i>	117. Junior 118. Post Graduate	119. Open
<b>DACHSHUND (MIN. WIRE-HAIRED)</b> Judge: <b>Mrs Jennifer Earles</b> (Earlesdac) <i>B List Dachshund Breed Council</i>	120. Junior 121. Post Graduate	122. Open
<b>HAMILTONSTOVARE</b> Judge: <b>Ian Sexton</b>	123. Junior 124. Post Graduate	125. Open
<b>NORWEGIAN ELKHOUND</b> Judge: <b>Robert Gilbert</b> (Balsemasi)	126. Junior 127. Post Graduate	128. Open
<b>RHODESIAN RIDGEBACK</b> Judge: <b>Ian Sexton</b> <i>B List Midland Rhodesian Ridgeback Club</i>	129. Junior 130. Post Graduate	131. Open
<b>WHIPPET</b> Judge: <b>Jo Amsel</b> (Artemis) <i>B List Midland Whippet Club</i>	132. Junior 133. Post Graduate	134. Open
<b>A.V. HOUND VETERAN</b> Judge: <b>Mrs H. Fitzgibbon</b> (Smiliesam)	135. Veteran	
<b>A.V.N.S.C. HOUND</b> Judge: <b>Ian Sexton</b>	136. Puppy 137. Junior	138. Post Graduate 139. Open

### PASTORAL GROUP - Group Judge: Irene Crane-Duplock (Mirene)

<b>COLLIE (ROUGH)</b> Judge: <b>Mr Russell F. Jones</b> (Quemerford) <i>B List</i>	140. Junior 141. Post Graduate	142. Open
<b>ESTRELA MOUNTAIN DOG</b> Judge: <b>Allyson King</b> (Allyking)	143. Junior 144. Post Graduate	145. Open
<b>GERMAN SHEPHERD DOG</b> Judge: <b>Sue Thorn</b> (Grafmax)	146. Junior 147. Post Graduate	148. Open
<b>OLD ENGLISH SHEEPDOG</b> Judge: <b>Mrs J. Richardson</b> (Storinblu)	149. Junior 150. Post Graduate	151. Open

<b>PYRENEAN MOUNTAIN DOG</b> Judge: <b>Mr Russell F. Jones</b> (Quemerford)	152. Junior 153. Post Graduate	154. Open
<b>SHETLAND SHEEPDOG</b> Judge: <b>Mr Russell F. Jones</b> (Quemerford) B List	155. Junior 156. Post Graduate	157. Open
<b>A.V. PASTORAL VETERAN</b> Judge: <b>Mrs H. Fitzgibbon</b> (Smiliesam)	158. Veteran	
<b>A.V.N.S.C. PASTORAL</b> Judge: <b>Irene Crane-Duplock</b> (Mirene)	159. Puppy 160. Junior	161. Post Graduate 162. Open

### WORKING GROUP - Group Judge: Irene Crane-Duplock (Mirene)

<b>ALASKAN MALAMUTE</b> Judge: <b>Mr Russell F. Jones</b> (Quemerford) C List	163. Junior 164. Post Graduate	165. Open
<b>DOBERMANN</b> Judge: <b>Jane Paradise</b> (Shardlow)	166. Junior 167. Post Graduate	168. Open
<b>ROTTWEILER</b> Judge: <b>Allyson King</b> (Allyking)	169. Junior 170. Post Graduate	171. Open
<b>SIBERIAN HUSKY</b> Judge: <b>Jane Paradise</b> (Shardlow) C List	172. Junior 173. Post Graduate	174. Open
<b>A.V. WORKING VETERAN</b> Judge: <b>Mrs H. Fitzgibbon</b> (Smiliesam)	175. Veteran	
<b>A.V.N.S.C. WORKING</b> Judge: <b>Irene Crane-Duplock</b> (Mirene)	176. Puppy 177. Junior	178. Post Graduate 179. Open

### VARIETIES

<b>A.V. CHARITY OPEN STAKES</b> Judge: <b>Mrs H. Fitzgibbon</b> (Smiliesam)	180. Open
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*Prize Money for Class 180: 1st £10.00*

<b>A.V. STAKES CLASSES</b> Judge: <b>Mrs H. Fitzgibbon</b> (Smiliesam)	181. Puppy 182. Junior	183. Post Graduate 184. Open
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#### R.D.C.S. BEST VETERAN IN SHOW

#### R.D.C.S. RESERVE BEST VETERAN IN SHOW

*N.B. Best Veteran in Show will be selected from the winners of the A.V. Veteran Classes in each Group*

#### BEST IN SHOW and BEST PUPPY IN SHOW

**will be judged by Mrs H. Fitzgibbon (Smiliesam)**

## • PROPOSED ORDER OF JUDGING •

Please note that Breeds may be moved as rings become available. It is the responsibility of all exhibitors to ensure that their dogs are available for judging when required. Group judging will take place as soon as the relevant Breed judging has been completed and as a ring is available.

*Judging commences at 9.30 am in ALL RINGS*

- Ring 1** Norwegian Elkhound - Hamiltonstovare - Rhodesian Ridgeback - A.V.N.S. Hound - A.V. Veteran Gundog - A.V. Veteran Toy - A.V. Veteran Terrier - A.V. Veteran Utility - A.V. Veteran Hound - A.V. Veteran Pastoral - A.V. Veteran Working — **not before 12.00 noon:** A.V. Charity Open Stakes - A.V. Puppy Stakes - A.V. Junior Stakes - A.V. Post Graduate Stakes - A.V. Open Stakes.
- Ring 2** Irish Setter - Afghan Hound - Beagle - Dachshund (Min. Smooth-Haired) - Dachshund (Min. Wire-Haired) - Whippet.
- Ring 3** Chinese Crested - Maltese - Bedlington Terrier - Border Terrier - Cairn Terrier - Fox Terrier (Smooth) - A.V.N.S.C. Terrier.
- Ring 4** Cavalier King Charles Spaniel - A.V.N.S.C. Toy - King Charles Spaniel - Papillon - Pug.
- Ring 5** German Shorthaired Pointer - Hungarian Vizsla - Spaniel (Clumber) - Weimaraner - Pointer - Retriever (Flat Coated) - Retriever (Golden) - Retriever (Labrador) - Spaniel (Cocker) - A.V.N.S.C. Gundog.
- Ring 6** Akita - French Bulldog - Shar Pei - Tibetan Terrier - Tibetan Spaniel - Dalmatian - Lhasa Apso - A.V.N.S.C. Utility.
- Ring 7** Collie (Rough) - Pyrenean Mountain Dog - Shetland Sheepdog - Alaskan Malamute - German Shepherd Dog - Old English Sheepdog - A.V.N.S.C. Pastoral - A.V.N.S.C. Working.
- Ring 8** Estrela Mountain Dog - Rottweiler - Dobermann - Siberian Husky - Boston Terrier - Japanese Shib Inu.

### IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING BENCHING & IDENTIFICATION OF DOGS

It is a Kennel Club requirement that exhibitors display the exhibit/bench number on their crate, cage or container at all times. This is particularly important when cages etc. are not on benches, and at unbenced 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.



## • RULES AND 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 exhibits are available for judging when required.
3. Judging will commence at 9.30 am.
4. Exhibits may be removed from the Show after their judging has been completed. The Show will close half an hour after all their judging has been completed.
5. The use of cooking stoves in the proximity of the tenting and benching areas is forbidden except as authorised by the Show Management.
6. Entry fees: £5.50 first entry per dog, £1.75 each subsequent entry with the same dog. Membership: Single £3.00, Joint: £4.00. Catalogues: Pre-paid with entry: £3.00; £3.50 on the day. Adverts: full page £8.00; half page £4.00.
7. The following Prize Money is on offer as this Show: BIS £25.00; Reserve BIS £10.00; Best Puppy in Show £20.00; Reserve Best Puppy in Show £10.00; Best Veteran in Show £20.00; Reserve Best Veteran in Show £10.00; Charity Open Stakes Class (Class 180): 1st £10.00; Stakes Classes (Classes 181 - 184): 1st £5.00; 2nd £4.00; 3rd £3.00; 4th £2.00; 5th £1.00.
8. The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries.
9. Puppies under six calendar months of age on the first day of the Show are not eligible for exhibition.
10. The mating of bitches within the precincts of the Show is forbidden.

**11. Best Puppy in Show: From 1st January 2015, and for a period of two years the Kennel Club Show Regulations which stipulate that dogs must be entered and exhibited in a breed class before exhibiting in an Any Variety Class/Stakes Class and that only unbeaten dogs are eligible to compete in the group or best in show competitions are suspended.**

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 of Breed, Best in Group or Best in Show is a puppy it should automatically be awarded Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show respectively. Similarly, if the Reserve Best of Breed, Reserve Best of Group or Reserve Best in Show is a puppy which has only been beaten by an adult dog it should also automatically be Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show respectively. Consequently, selection of Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show must follow the selection of Best of Breed, Best in Group and Best in Show respectively.

**a. Show Judged on the Group System:**

- 1) Best Puppy in Group and subsequent Group placings must be selected from puppies which have been judged and which are unbeaten by any other puppy.
- 2) Best Puppy in Show must be selected from the Best Puppy in Group winners provided they are unbeaten by any other puppy.

**b. Withdrawal from other Competition:** Puppies which become eligible for Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show may be withdrawn from all other competition, other than Breed Classes and Best Puppy in Breed, prior to the competition for Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show in order to remain unbeaten. A puppy beaten in competition for Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show may subsequently be exhibited in all competition for which it was previously eligible. The dog declared Best Puppy in Show, however, must not compete in any subsequent competition. Puppies may be withdrawn from Any Variety (AV) Classes when judged before Breed Classes.

**c. Proviso:** For the purpose of this Regulation, dogs beaten in competition for Stud Dog, Brood Bitch, Progeny, Brace and Team or a Special Award confined to one breed will not be considered to be a beaten dog.

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The dog declared Best in Show is a dog which has competed and is unbeaten by any other dog exhibited at the same Show.

**a. Shows Judged on the Group System:** (Definition: Shows judged on the Group System includes classes for breeds within more than one group, as defined in Kennel Club Regulation B(A); and require a judge to declare a best of each group after which the exhibits so declared will compete for the award of Best in Show and Reserve Best in Show.)

- 1) **Best of Breed:** Where a breed is separately classified a Best of Breed may be declared from those dogs which have received a first prize in a breed class at the show. Where separate classes are provided for each sex of a breed a Best of each Sex must be declared.
- 2) **Best of Group:** From 1st January 2015, and for a period of two years the Kennel Club Show Regulations which stipulate that dogs must be entered and exhibited in a breed class before exhibiting in an Any Variety Class/Stakes Class and that only unbeaten dogs are eligible to compete in the group or best in show competitions are suspended. Best of group and subsequent placings must be selected from:-
  - a) The Best of Breed winners in each group provided that they are unbeaten winning dogs.
  - b) The best unbeaten winning dog from the Any Variety Not Separately Classified classes in each group or on each day.

3) **Best in Show:** From 1st January 2015, and for a period of two years the Kennel Club Show Regulations which stipulate that dogs must be entered and exhibited in a breed class before exhibiting in an Any Variety Class/Stakes Class and that only unbeaten dogs are eligible to compete in the group or best in show competitions are suspended. Best in Show must be selected from the Best of Group winners provided they are unbeaten. Reserve Best in Show must be selected from the remaining Group winners following the selection for Best in Show.

**b. Withdrawal from other Competition:** Dogs which become eligible for Best of Group and Best in Show may be withdrawn from all other competition other than breed classes and Best of Breed prior to the competition for Best of Group or

Best in Show as appropriate in order to remain unbeaten. A dog beaten in competition for Best in Group or Best in Show may subsequently be exhibited in all competition for which it was previously eligible. The dogs declared Best in Show and Reserve Best in Show however, must not compete in any subsequent competition. Dogs may be withdrawn from AV Classes when judged before Breed Classes.

- c. *Proviso:* For the purposes of this Regulation, dogs beaten in competition for Stud Dog, Brood Bitch, Progeny, Brace and Team or a Special Award confined to a single breed, will not be considered to be beaten dogs.
13. Exhibitors 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.
14. Exhibitors must not pick up dogs by their tails and leads when lifting them. 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 F I I.
15. It is not acceptable to handle a dog in a manner which causes its feet not to touch the ground when on the move. Exhibitors should note that such practices could constitute harsh handling and reports of such practice will be referred to the Committee under Kennel Club Show Regulation F I I.
16. All exhibitors must be familiar with Kennel Club Regulation F (Annex B) Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition.
17. 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.
18. **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.** 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 General Committee for disciplinary action under Kennel Club Rules and Regulations. Exhibitors/Competitors are reminded that show societies have the right under Kennel Club Regulation to refuse any entry.
19. Not for Competition entries not accepted.
20. No modifications will be made to this Schedule except by permission of the General Committee of the Kennel Club, which will be followed by advertisement in the Canine Press wherever possible.
21. The Committee reserve the right to appoint a substitute should any Judge be prevented from fulfilling their engagement.
22. Every exhibitor making an entry for this Show shall be deemed to have agreed to abide by Kennel Club Rules and Regulations and it is on this understanding only that entries are received. The Kennel Club shall be the final court of appeal in the case of a dispute.
23. All dogs must be registered or transferred at the Kennel Club before the Show.
24. No animal other than a dog duly entered for the Show will be allowed within the precincts of the Show. This must be strictly adhered to.
25. The Committee of Rugby & District Canine Society can accept no responsibility for products advertised or sold by stand holders at this Show and exhibitors are reminded that grooming products on sale may not meet the requirements of the Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for exhibition.
26. 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. Anyone failing to clear up will be reported to the Committee who may enforce the right to refuse entries from that exhibitor for future Shows.
27. 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).
28. A dog may be disqualified by the General Committee 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 appropriate entry fees.
29. 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. **Saturday, 24th December 2016**. 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.

A dog is not eligible for entry in Variety Classes (excluding AVNSC Classes) unless also entered and subsequently exhibited in a Breed class where such a class is provided for which it is eligible. Exemptions from this Regulation are:

From 1st January 2015, and for a period of two years the Kennel Club Show Regulations which stipulate that dogs must be entered and exhibited in a breed class before exhibiting in an Any Variety Class/Stakes Class have been suspended.

- (1) A puppy, unless a class for dogs under twelve months of age for which it is eligible is provided for the breed.
- (2) A dog in Any Variety Field Trial or Working Trial Class.
- (3) A dog in Any Variety Veteran Class.
- (4) A dog in Any Variety Champion Class.
- (5) As provided in Kennel Club Definitions of Classes.
- (6) A dog which is withdrawn from exhibition in breed classes as a result of the appointment of an emergency judge.
- (7) A dog in Good Citizen Scheme Classes.
- (8) Exhibits bred by the scheduled breed Judge.

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 Regulations 9(j) and 20.
- (2) **Transfer**
  - a) If a dog is ineligible for a class or classes as regards its breed, colour, sex, weight or height the Show Secretary shall transfer it to the equivalent class or classes for the correct breed, 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 breed, colour, sex, weight or height.
  - b) If an exhibit is 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 twenty four 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 breed, 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 breed, 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 breed, 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.

**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.

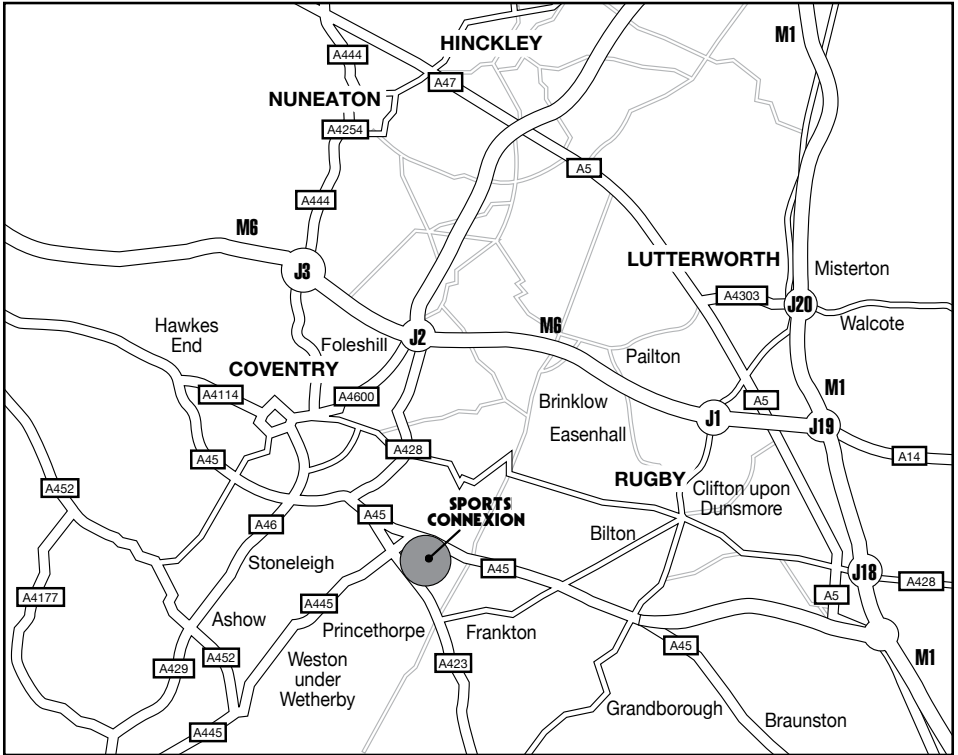
**OPEN** For all dogs of the breeds for which the class is provided and eligible for entry at the Show.

**VETERAN** For dogs of not less than seven years of age on the first day of the Show.

**CHARITY OPEN STAKES** For all dogs of the breeds for which the class is provided and eligible for entry at the Show.

**ANY VARIETY NOT SEPARATELY CLASSIFIED** For breeds of dog for which no separate breed classes are scheduled.

# MAP TO THE VENUE



## STEWARDS REQUIRED

If you would kindly be able to steward for us at our Show, please fill in this form and send it to the Secretary, AT LEAST two weeks before the Show

Name .....

Address .....

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Tel. No. ....



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