

SOUTH EASTERN WELSH SPRINGER SPANIEL CLUB



Schedule of 27 Class Unbenched OPEN SINGLE BREED SHOW

(held under Kennel Club Limited Rules & Regulations)

to be held at

BLETCHINGLEY VILLAGE HALL

Bletchingley, Surrey RH1 4PA

on

SUNDAY, 31st JANUARY 2021

Show opens: 9.30 am

Judging: 10.30 am

Judge: Peter Barnaby (Ruskinite)

Special Awards Judge: Stacie Nicoll

Jurisdiction and responsibilities: The Officers and Committee members of the society holding the licence are deemed responsible for organising and conducting the show safely and in accordance with the Rules and Regulations of the Kennel Club and agree to abide by and adopt any decision of the Board or any authority to whom the Board may delegate its powers subject to the conditions of Regulation F17. In so doing those appointed as officers and committee members accept that they are jointly and severally responsible for the organisation of the show and that this is a binding undertaking (vide Kennel Club General Show Regulations F4 and F5).

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): Vets Now

c/o The Village Animal Hospital, Guards Avenue, Coulsdon Road, Caterham, Surrey CR3 5ZD. Tel: 01883 348109

***On-line entries can be made up until midnight on Monday, 11th January 2021
at www.fossedata.co.uk***

**PLEASE NOTE:
POSTAL ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED FOR THIS SHOW**

Hon. Secretary: Mrs J. Revill
20 Acacia Drive, Maldon, Essex CM9 6AP
Tel: 07764 157381

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

SOME GUIDANCE FOR PROSPECTIVE EXHIBITORS

The Officers and Committee have worked exceptionally hard in an attempt to ensure that this show meets all current COVID restrictions, allowing our exhibitors to have a safe and enjoyable day. The restrictions placed on us mean that the show will be different from our usual show and you need to be aware of these differences when making a decision on whether to enter.

1. The show will be an INDOOR/OUTDOOR event. The ring will be outside, but judging will take place under our two large event gazebos. The Hall will be used for shelter and dog crates on a first come, first served basis (max. 15 people seated). No chairs will be available so bring your own. The toilets will of course be open.
2. The kitchen will not be available so please bring your own food and drink.
3. There will be no club trade stand or raffle.
4. No trophies or cups will be awarded but you can of course return any won at a previous show.
5. As there will be limited accommodation; we suggest that those attending are limited to exhibitors and perhaps one helper/partner.
6. SHOW ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED ON-LINE AT FOSSE DATA ONLY.
7. Without sales from the kitchen, club stand and the raffle, this show could be loss making. Our only income will come from entries so PLEASE ENTER AS MANY DOGS AND CLASSES AS YOU CAN.
8. All the familiar rules around HANDS-FACE-SPACE must be adhered to and committee members will be monitoring these and the specific requirements of our Risk Assessment throughout the day; please co-operate with any requests they make in the interest of the safety of us all.

AND FINALLY.....we really hope you will enter the show and be assured you will receive a warm welcome.

STEPHEN PICK

(Chairman SEWSSC, on behalf of the Committee)

• DIRECTIONS TO THE VENUE •

From M25 exit at Junction 6 into Godstone, then A25 to Redhill. The hall is set back on the right (past the Post Office and Bakers), turn by Lawrences Antique Showrooms.

OFFICERS and COMMITTEE

Patron: Mr R. Hood

President: Mrs D. Bowen

Vice Presidents: Mrs M. Bunce, Mr G. Coleman, Mrs R. Kidd, Miss R. Waller

Chairman: Mr S. Pick

Vice Chairman: Mrs J. Lansley

Secretary: Mrs J. Revill

Treasurer: Mrs W. Buckwell

Show Secretary: Miss Tori Ellis

Covid Safety Officer: Mr S. Pick

Committee:

Mr G. Batey, Mrs T. Bennett, Mrs J. Charles, Mrs B. Ferguson, Miss E. Green, Mrs S. Jones,
Mrs J. Lansley, Ms J. Naunton, Mrs S. Nowak, Mrs P. Wren, Mr R. Wright

• FEES •

Entry Fees:	Members	£4.50 First entry per dog
	Non-Members	£5.00 First entry per dog
		Each subsequent entry with the same dog: £1.00 (<i>including Special Awards</i>)
Brace:		£1.00 per brace (<i>exhibits to have been entered in a previous class</i>)
Not for Competition:		£1.00 per dog (<i>over 4 calendar months of age</i>)
Catalogues:		£2.50 pre-paid with entries ONLY (<i>none available on the day</i>)
Membership:		Single: £5.00; Joint: £6.00; Junior: £1.00 (renewals only). New Members: Please download application form from our website www.sewssc.org.uk

• ROSETTES •

1st to VHC in ALL Classes

• SPECIAL ROSETTES •

Best in Show • Reserve Best in Show • Best Opposite Sex in Show

Best Puppy in Show • Best Veteran in Show

Best Dog • Reserve Best Dog • Best Puppy Dog

Best Bitch • Reserve Best Bitch • Best Puppy Bitch

plus Special Veteran Rosettes



REMINDERS!!

- Entries can be made on-line up until midnight on Monday, 11th January 2021 at www.fossedata.co.uk.
- **Club Annual Subscriptions are due from 1st January: Single £5.00 / Joint £6.00 / Junior £1.00 (Renewals only). Please pay your 2021 subscription with your show entry.**
New Members: Please download application form from our website www.sewssc.org.uk
- Please do not use flash photography during judging.
- Please Note: Space in this hall is limited and therefore we would be grateful if you would bear this in mind when you decide what size cages to bring with you.
- Your support for the Club by making a donation towards the cost of rosettes will be much appreciated (*all donations will be acknowledged in the catalogue*)
- Due to the current situation there will be no trophies on offer at this show.

If a competitor, or anyone in their household, has Covid-19 related symptoms or has tested positive for Covid-19 they must not attend the event and should self-isolate in line with Government advice.

• CLASSIFICATION •

Judge: Peter Barnaby (Ruskinite)

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| 1. Veteran <i>Dog</i> | 13. Veteran <i>Bitch</i> |
| 2. Minor Puppy <i>Dog</i> | 14. Minor Puppy <i>Bitch</i> |
| 3. Puppy <i>Dog</i> | 15. Puppy <i>Bitch</i> |
| 4. Junior <i>Dog</i> | 16. Junior <i>Bitch</i> |
| 5. Special Yearling <i>Dog</i> | 17. Special Yearling <i>Bitch</i> |
| 6. Novice <i>Dog</i> | 18. Novice <i>Bitch</i> |
| 7. Graduate <i>Dog</i> | 19. Graduate <i>Bitch</i> |
| 8. Post Graduate <i>Dog</i> | 20. Post Graduate <i>Bitch</i> |
| 9. Limit <i>Dog</i> | 21. Limit <i>Bitch</i> |
| 10. Open <i>Dog</i> | 22. Open <i>Bitch</i> |
| 11. Special Beginners <i>Dog</i> | 23. Special Beginners <i>Bitch</i> |
| 12. Good Citizen Dog Scheme <i>Dog</i> | 24. Good Citizen Dog Scheme <i>Bitch</i> |
| | 25. Special Working <i>Dog or Bitch</i> |
| | 26. Special New Members <i>Dog or Bitch</i> |
| | 27. Brace |

• SPECIAL AWARDS •

(to be judged during the lunch break)

Judge: Stacie Nicoll

- A. Special Junior *Dog or Bitch*
- B. Special Post Graduate *Dog or Bitch*
- C. Special Open *Dog or Bitch*

N.B. The special awards are judged as an entirely separate entity from the show proper. **IF YOUR DOG IS BEATEN IN THE SPECIAL AWARD CLASS IT IS NOT CLASSED AS A BEATEN DOG AND IS NOT DISQUALIFIED FROM CHALLENGING IN THE MAIN SHOW.** The special awards are entirely arranged as a method of promoting C List judges. Dogs entered in the special awards must also be entered in the main show. Entry Fee: £1.00 per Special Award.

Electrical equipment should not be brought to shows unless absolutely necessary. In rare instances where it might be required, it should be PAT tested and permission sought from the Secretary of the show before it is used.

**PLEASE NOTE:
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• RULES and 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 exhibits are available for judging when required.
 3. Judging will commence at 10.30 am.
 4. The Show will close half an hour after all judging has been completed by which time dogs must be removed. Exhibits may be removed from the Show after their judging has been completed.
 5. Entry Fees: Members - First entry with each dog £4.50; Non-Members - First entry with each dog: £5.00; each subsequent entry with the same dog: £1.00 (including Special Awards). Brace: £1.00 per brace. Not for Competition: £1.00 per dog. Catalogues: £2.50 pre-paid with entries ONLY (none available on the day). Membership: Single £5.00; Joint £6.00; Junior £1.00 (Renewals only)
 6. There is no Prize Money on offer at this Show.
 7. The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries.
 8. Puppies under six calendar months of age on the first day of the Show are not eligible for exhibition.
 9. The mating of bitches within the precincts of the Show is forbidden.
 10. **Best Puppy in Show** Where a Best Puppy in Show competition is scheduled the Best Puppy in Show is a puppy which has competed and is unbeaten by any other puppy exhibited at the same show. A puppy is a dog of six and not exceeding twelve calendar months of age on the first day of the Show. Where the Best in Show is a puppy it should automatically be awarded Best Puppy in Show 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. 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 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 in force at the time of publication of the schedule. All dogs must be registered or transferred at the Kennel Club before the Show.
 21. All entries must be made on-line by midnight on Monday, 11th January 2021 at www.fossedata.co.uk.
 22. The Committee is empowered to exclude any dog which is not in a fit state for exhibition from disease, vice, natural or other causes, and if such exclusion takes place, either before or after the dog is judged, the entry fee will be forfeited.
 23. Should any judge be prevented from fulfilling his/her engagement, the Committee reserve the right to appoint another judge in his/her place. Exhibitors are at liberty to withdraw from competition in this case but no entry fees can be returned.
 24. **SAFETY OF DOGS.** The Committee will be most anxious for the care and safety of dogs brought for exhibition but it must be distinctly understood by exhibitors and any other persons that the Committee will not be responsible for the entire or partial loss, detention of, or damage to any dog or person whether arising from accident or any other cause whatsoever, nor for any act of omission of themselves,

- their officers, servants, or others, or the damage done by exhibits to any person or property and it is on this understanding only that entries are received.
25. Every exhibitor making an entry at this Show shall be deemed to have agreed to abide by Kennel Club Rules & Regulations and it is on this understanding only that entries are received.
 26. No dogs, other than those entered for exhibition will be allowed within the precincts of the Show during its continuance.
 27. Any owner, competitor, handler or other person in charge of a dog is required to remove as soon as possible any loose hair, any fouling caused by their dog(s) or any other litter, at any Kennel Club licensed show within the licensed venue and within the environs of that event including car and caravan parks and approaches.
 28. Parents are reminded that they are responsible for the actions of and any damage caused by their children within the environs of the Show.
 29. 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).
 30. A dog may be disqualified by the Board from any award, whether an objection has been lodged or not, if proved amongst other things to have been: a) registered or recorded as having been bred by the scheduled Judge, this shall not apply to a Judge appointed in an emergency; b) exhibited without payment of appropriate entry fees.
 31. 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 •

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 entries shall be counted when entering for any class i.e. **Monday, 4th January 2021**.

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 F.(1).19.

(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/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.

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.

GOOD CITIZEN DOG SCHEME For dogs that have achieved their Good Citizen Dog Scheme Bronze Award Certificate or above.

BRACE For two exhibits (either sex or mixed) of one breed belonging to the same exhibitor, each exhibit having been entered in some class other than Brace or Team.

SPECIAL BEGINNERS Dogs to be handled by the owner. Neither the dog or owner to have won a Challenge Certificate in the breed.

SPECIAL NEW MEMBERS For dogs handled and owned by exhibitor. Confined to new members of the S.E.W.S.S.C. as from 1st January 2020.

SPECIAL WORKING For dogs which have been awarded a 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th in any OPEN Working or Assessment test, Field Trial (where a CofM will also qualify), or gained the Kennel Club Working Gundog Certificate, or qualified in the field, or who have been awarded a 1st or 2nd in a Novice assessment or test. Qualification for Special Working must be gained during the previous calendar year or the same year as the Show (apart from the Show Gundog Working Certificate, the Kennel Club Working Gundog Certificate and Field Trial awards, all of which shall qualify entry permanently to the class).

SPECIAL YEARLING For dogs of six and not exceeding twenty-four months of age on the first day of the Show.

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

SPECIAL AWARD 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.

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.

• DATES FOR YOUR DIARY •

Monday, 31st May 2021 — 25th Anniversary Championship Show

NEW VENUE

at The Wurlitzer Hall, Woking Leisure Centre

NEW VENUE

Judges:

Dogs: Kay Bryant (Thurbry) *Bitches:* Barbara Attwood (Kylowen)

Referee: Keith Masson (Manmoel)

Sunday, 6th June 2021 — Open Show

held in conjunction with Southern Counties General Championship Show

Judge: Anya Wetsteyn (Our Loyal Welsh)

Special Awards Judge: Ray McDonald (Roanjora)

Sunday, 17th October 2021 — Championship Show

NEW VENUE

at The Wurlitzer Hall, Woking Leisure Centre

NEW VENUE

Judges:

Dogs: Tom Graham (Nyliram) *Bitches:* Ruth Waller (Fireglow)

Referee: Tim Harrison (Glenbrows)

**For updates and full details of events,
please visit our website www.sewssc.org.uk**

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.

REGULATIONS FOR THE PREPARATION OF DOGS FOR EXHIBITION F (Annex B)

1. These Regulations must be observed when a dog is prepared for exhibition and/or exhibited at any Kennel Club Licensed event. Objections may be referred to the Board for disciplinary action under these Show Regulations and/or for disciplinary action under Kennel Club Rule A11.
 - a) A dog found to have been exhibited in breach of these Regulations will automatically be disqualified from exhibition at the show and from any award gained thereat.
 - b) Unless the exhibitor provides a satisfactory explanation for the dog being exhibited in breach of these Regulations then he/she may be subject to further penalties of either a fine or as listed under Rule A11.
2.
 - a) No substance which alters the natural colour, texture or body of the coat may be present in the dog's coat for any purpose at any time during the Show. No substance which alters the natural colour of any external part of the dog may be present on the dog for any purpose at any time during the Show.
 - b) Any other substance (other than water) which may be used in the preparation of a dog for exhibition must not be allowed to remain in the coat or on any other part of the dog at the time of exhibition.
3. No act or operation which alters the natural conformation of a dog or any part thereof may be performed except:
 - (a) Operations certified to the satisfaction of the Board.
 - (b) The removal of dew claws of any breed.
 - (c) Operations to prevent breeding provided that such operations are notified to the Kennel Club before neutered dogs are shown.

Nor must anything be done calculated in the opinion of the Board to deceive.
4. The Board without previous notice may order an examination of any dog or dogs at any Show. Any examination thus ordered will be made by a person having executive authority who shall have a written directive from the Kennel Club in their possession. Samples may be taken for further examination and analysis.
5. An individual has the right to lodge an objection to a dog only if he/she is the owner or handler of a dog competing in the same breed or class. An objection may, however, be lodged by an official of the Show or by anyone so deputed by the Kennel Club. It will be the responsibility of the individual who lodges the objection or the official (as appropriate) to substantiate the grounds for the objection. The Kennel Club will substantiate the grounds for an objection made on its behalf.
6. Any objection by an individual related to an infringement of these Regulations must be made in writing to the Show Secretary at his/her office before the close of the Show and the individual must produce evidence of identity at the time of lodging the complaint.

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.