

WEST COUNTRY CHIHUAHUA CLUB



SCHEDULE of 36 Class Unbenched SUB-GROUP CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW

(held under Kennel Club Limited Rules and Regulations)

at **HUTTON MOOR LEISURE CENTRE**
Hutton Moor Road, Weston-super-Mare BS22 8LY
on

SATURDAY, 30th NOVEMBER 2019

Show Opens: 9.00 am

Judging: 10.00 am

Judges:

Longcoat: Mr Steve Rooney (Yorone)
Smoothcoat: Mrs Alison Price (Marquant)
Best in Show: Mrs Joy Jolley (Dekobras)



Acting Secretary: Mrs Sylvia Fresson

Old Pear Tree Barn, Bushbury Lane, Blackboys, Uckfield, East Sussex TN22 5JE. Tel: 01825 890597

Acting Show Manager/Safety Officer: Miss Julia Milton

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 5).

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: Monday, 4th November 2019 (Postmark)

**On-line entries can be made up until midnight on Sunday, 10th November 2019
at www.fossedata.co.uk**

Kindly forward all postal entries and fees to the Acting Show Manager:

Miss Julia Milton

83 Tredegar Road, Ebbw Vale, Blaenau, Gwent NP23 6PU

Tel: 01495 427497 / 07909 628377

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

OFFICERS and COMMITTEE

Acting Chairman: Mr David Milton

Acting Secretary: Mrs Sylvia Fresson

Acting Treasurer: Mrs Janet Rose

Acting Show Manager/Safety Officer: Miss Julia Milton

Acting Committee:

Mrs S. Bannister (*co-opted*), Mrs J. Bristow, Ms A. Fathers, Mrs M. Foley, Ms M. Foley (*co-opted*), Miss J. Milton, Mrs P. Milton, Mr K. Rose, Mr N. Wallace

Veterinary Surgeon (on call): Green Pastures Veterinary Centre

Hutton Moor Lane, Weston-super-Mare BS24 7LA. Tel: 01934 622022

Exhibitors will be responsible for any costs incurred

• FEES •

Members: First entry £10.00 per dog
Each subsequent entry with same dog £1.00

Non-Members: First entry £14.00 per dog
Each subsequent entry with same dog £2.00

Not for Competition: £2.50 per dog (*Full details of the dog(s) MUST be given on the entry form and dog(s) MUST be at least 4 months of age of the day of the show.*)

Catalogues: £4.00 pre-paid with entries ONLY (*Limited number available on the day so you are strongly advised to pre-order with entry.*)

Rosette Donation: £1.50 (*will be acknowledged in the catalogue*)

Membership: Single: £5.00; Joint: £7.00

Annual Subscriptions are due 1st January each year

Cheques/Postal Orders payable to: **West Country Chihuahua Club**

New members are always welcome

(application form available from our Acting Secretary, Mrs Sylvia Fresson).

Please note that entries may not be made at Membership rate, until the Committee have accepted and approved the application

• Fancy Dress Parade •

The theme for the Fancy Dress Parade this year is

SUPERHEROES:



Prize for Best Dressed Adult Handler & Dog, and Best Dressed Junior Handler under 12 & Dog

Go on, get out the dressing up box, join in and have some fun!

• **CLASSIFICATION** •

CHIHUAHUA (LONGCOAT)

Judge: Mr Steve Rooney (Yorone)

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog

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

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate -Bitch

10. Minor Puppy Bitch
11. Puppy Bitch
12. Junior Bitch
13. Novice Bitch
14. Graduate Bitch
15. Post Graduate Bitch
16. Limit Bitch
17. Open Bitch
18. Veteran Bitch

CHIHUAHUA (SMOOTHCOAT)

Judge: Mrs Alison Price (Marquant)

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog

19. Minor Puppy Dog
20. Puppy Dog
21. Junior Dog
22. Novice Dog
23. Graduate Dog
24. Post Graduate Dog
25. Limit Dog
26. Open Dog
27. Veteran Dog

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch

28. Minor Puppy Bitch
29. Puppy Bitch
30. Junior Bitch
31. Novice Bitch
32. Graduate Bitch
33. Post Graduate Bitch
34. Limit Bitch
35. Open Bitch
36. Veteran Bitch

**Best in Show ~ Reserve Best in Show
Best Puppy in Show ~ Reserve Best Puppy in Show
and Best Veteran in Show***

will now be judged by

Mrs Joy Jolley (Dekobras)

**Please note: Best Veteran in Show will be selected from the winners of the Veteran Classes ONLY*

• ROSETTES •



BEST IN SHOW • RESERVE BEST IN SHOW
BEST PUPPY IN SHOW • RESERVE BEST PUPPY IN SHOW
BEST VETERAN IN SHOW • RESERVE BEST VETERAN IN SHOW

BEST OF BREED LONG COAT

BEST PUPPY DOG IN BREED LONG COAT • BEST PUPPY BITCH IN BREED LONG COAT

BEST OF BREED SMOOTH COAT

BEST PUPPY DOG IN BREED SMOOTH COAT • BEST PUPPY BITCH IN BREED SMOOTH COAT

1st - 3rd in ALL classes

• ROSETTE SPONSORSHIP •

The Officers and Committee would be most grateful to receive rosette sponsorship for this show, which will be fully acknowledged in the show catalogue

~ Refreshments available from Cafe Vita ~



Christmas Buffet & Secret Santa



Angela Aylett is once again organising the very popular Christmas Buffet.



Everyone is welcome to join in, simply bring a plate of something tasty and festive to add to the table and buy a gift (unisex) to the value of £5.00.



When we stop for lunch a Secret Santa gift will be waiting for you.



• 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, 28th October 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 F.(1).19.

(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.

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.

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 but it is the exhibitors responsibility to ensure that exhibits 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. Fees: Members £10.00 first entry per dog, £1.00 each subsequent entry with same dog; Non-Members £14.00 First entry per dog, £2.00 each subsequent entry with same dog; Not For Competition: £2.50 per dog. Catalogues: £4.00 pre-paid with entry ONLY (none available on the day). Membership: Single £5.00, Joint £7.00 per annum, payable 1st January. Rosette donation: £1.50.
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 has been declared Best Puppy in Breed, (Best Any Variety Not Separately Classified Puppy). 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 or Best in Show is a puppy it should automatically be awarded Best Puppy in Breed and Best Puppy in Show respectively. Where the Reserve Best of Breed 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 and Best Puppy in Show respectively. Consequently, selection of Best Puppy in Breed and Best Puppy in Show must follow the selection of Best of Breed and Best in Show respectively.
11. **Best in Show:** The dog declared Best in Show must be selected from those dogs which have been declared Best of Breed (or Best Any Variety Not Separately Classified). Reserve Best in Show must be selected from the remaining Best of Breed(s) and the dog/bitch declared by the breed judge to be Reserve Best of Breed to the dog 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 Regulations. Every exhibitor making an entry or entries at this Show shall be deemed to have agreed to abide by these Rules and Regulations and it is on this understanding that entries are received.
21. Should a judge be prevented from fulfilling the engagement the Committee reserve the right to appoint another to fulfil the duties.
22. EXERCISE AREA. An exercise area will be provided. Any owner, competitor, handler or other person in charge of a dog is required to remove as soon as possible any fouling caused by their dog(s) at any Kennel Club licensed show within the licensed venue and within the environs of that event including car and caravan parks and approaches.
23. The owner, exhibitor, handler or other person in charge of a dog at Kennel Club licensed events must at all times ensure that the dog is kept under proper control whilst at the licensed venue, including its environs, car and caravan parks and approaches.
24. 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.
25. Every exhibitor shall ensure that whilst the dog is being exhibited, its handler shall display the correct ring number.

**The committee reserves the right to request exhibitors
to remove their pen(s), if space is at a premium
and could contravene Health & Safety.**

Thank you

***The Officers and Committee of the West Country Chihuahua Club
would like to thank the Show sponsors***



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