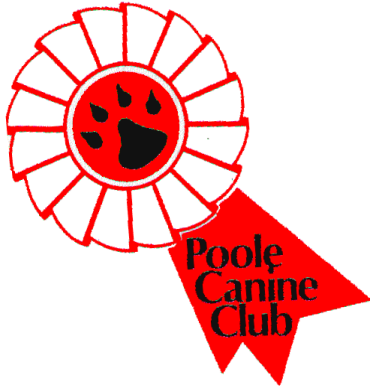


POOLE CANINE CLUB

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SCHEDULE OF 328 CLASS UNBENCHED



OPEN SHOW

*Judged on the Group System - Held under
Kennel Club Limited Rules & Regulations*

at SPARSHOLT COLLEGE EQUINE CENTRE

Westley Lane, Sparsholt, Hants. SO21 2NF

* NEW VENUE *

* NEW VENUE *

on SUNDAY, 18th MAY, 2025

Show Opens: 8.30 am

Judging: 9.30 am

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.

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 (as per Kennel Club General Show Regulations F4 and F5).

Hon. Veterinary Surgeon (on call): Midnight Vets,
Midmay Veterinary Hospital, Easton Lane, Winchester, Hants SO23 7RU Tel: 01962 858414

POSTAL ENTRIES CLOSE: SATURDAY 26th APRIL 2025
ONLINE ENTRIES CLOSE MIDNIGHT SATURDAY, 3rd MAY 2025
Qualifying date for entries: Saturday, 19th April, 2025

POSTAL ENTRIES TO BE MADE TO SHOW SECRETARY, Mrs. P. Harris,
The Lodge, High Hall, Wimborne, Dorset. BH21 4HY Tel: 01202 885303
ONLINE ENTRIES TO – www.onlineshowentry.com

**ONLY UNDOCKED DOGS AND LEGALLY DOCKED DOGS
MAY BE ENTERED FOR EXHIBITION AT THIS SHOW**

OFFICERS AND COMMITTEE

President: Mr. S. Donald

Vice Presidents:

Mrs. J. Holland; Mrs. S. Ergis; Mrs. V. Christopher, Mrs. P. Davies.

Chairman: Mr. B. Bull

Vice Chairman: Mr. S. Donald

Hon. Secretary: J. Rorke

11 Upper Road, Parkstone, Poole, Dorset. BH12 3AL

Tel: 07780 676673

Hon. Treasurer: Mr. B. Bull

Show Manager: Mr. S. Donald

Chief Steward: Mr. B. Bull

Committee:

Mrs. C. Baulch, Mr. S. Donald, Mr. D. Evans, Mrs. C. Evans,
Mrs. P. Harris (Show Secretary), Mr. M. Veal

Hon. Life Members:

Mrs. J. Munson, Mrs. J. Rochell, Mrs. N. Smith, Mrs. M. McWilliams, Mrs. J. Farrant

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**ENTRY FEES**

**Non-Members** First Entry @ £7.50;    **Members** First Entry @ £6.50

All subsequent entries with same dog - £2.50

**Membership Fees:** Joint £6 / Single £5.

**N.F.C.** - £1 per dog

**Junior/Adult Handling** - £2.00 per class

**Catalogues** - £3.50 with entry

**Trade Stands** - £20

**Advertisements** - £9 Full Page / £5 Half Page.

**HANDLING CLASSES**

Held every Monday evening (except Match nights)

at Hamworthy Club, Magna Road,

7.30 pm - 9.30 pm

**Matches are held on the third Monday of every month**

***NEW MEMBERS ALWAYS WELCOME***

**STATEMENT**

Poole Canine Club will adhere to the latest advice from the government, Kennel Club and the venue, in all arrangements for the Show.

Further guidelines on procedures in place to ensure that the show runs safely will be available in advance of the Show on the Web Site and Facebook page.

# PLEASE NOTE

**EXHIBITORS ARE REQUESTED TO KEEP THE VENUE CLEAN  
AND TO CLEAR UP ANY DOG FOULING THAT OCCURS,  
IN ACCORDANCE WITH KENNEL CLUB REGULATIONS.  
WE DO NOT WANT TO LOSE THIS VENUE!**

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**Exhibitors who have children with them at the show will be held  
responsible for any damage caused by them whilst on the showground.  
Children must remain with them at all times and must not  
wander unaccompanied on the showground premises.**

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**In accordance with Kennel Club regulations, no puppies under four calendar  
months of age are permitted within the show venue.**

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**The Committee will be empowered to exclude or remove any dog  
which in their opinion, is not in a fit state for exhibition either from disease,  
vice or any other cause.**

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**ALL CRATES AND CAGES MUST CLEARLY DISPLAY ALL DETAILS OF OWNERS**

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**THE CLUB WILL NOT BE HELD RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY LOSS OR DAMAGE TO  
VEHICLES OR PROPERTY WITHIN THE PRECINCTS OF THE SHOW**

**DOGS IN VEHICLES  
REMEDIAL ACTION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH KENNEL CLUB GUIDELINES, WILL BE  
TAKEN IN THE EVENT OF ANY DOG FOUND TO BE IN DISTRESS**

**REFRESHMENTS AVAILABLE ON THE DAY**

**If you are willing to help with some stewarding at the show please  
contact the secretary Mrs. J. Rorke**

**POOLE CANINE CLUB OPEN SHOW**

**ROSETTES for:**

**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**  
**ALL GROUP WINNERS \* ALL BEST OF BREED WINNERS**  
**ALL BEST PUPPY IN BREED WINNERS**  
**1<sup>st</sup> IN ALL CLASSES**  
**PRIZE CARDS 1<sup>st</sup> – VHC in all Classes**

**\*\*\* PRIZE MONEY \*\*\***

*Viz Vizard Memorial Puppy Stakes*

*Kindly sponsored by Mr. & Mrs. Bull*

**1<sup>st</sup> - £5; 2<sup>nd</sup> - £4; 3<sup>rd</sup> - £3; Res. - £2; VHC - £1**

*Junior Stakes*

*kindly sponsored by Mr. M. Veal*

**1<sup>st</sup> - £5; 2<sup>nd</sup> - £4; 3<sup>rd</sup> - £3; Res. - £2; VHC - £1**

*Poole Huntick Stakes*

**1<sup>st</sup> - £15; 2<sup>nd</sup> - £10; 3<sup>rd</sup> - £5; Res. - £3; VHC - £2**

*Ann Donald Memorial Open Stakes*

**1<sup>st</sup> - £10; 2<sup>nd</sup> - £8; 3<sup>rd</sup> - £6; Res. - £4; VHC - £2**

**\* \* DORSET TOP DOG COMPETITION \* \***

**This event will be held on Saturday, November 8<sup>th</sup> 2025**

**All Group and Puppy Group 1<sup>st</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup> today  
will qualify**

**☆ ☆ ☆ GRAND RAFFLE ☆ ☆ ☆**

**YOUR SUPPORT WILL BE GREATLY APPRECIATED**



**BEARDED COLLIE**

54. Post Graduate 55. Open

**ROUGH COLLIE**

56. Post Graduate 57. Open

**SWEDISH VALLHUND**

58. Graduate 59. Open

**GERMAN SHEPHERD DOG**

60. Post Graduate 61. Open

**ANY VARIETY PASTORAL IMPORT REGISTER**

62. Puppy 63. Open

**A.V.N.S.C. PASTORAL**

64. Puppy 65. Special Yearling 66. Post Graduate 67. Open

**ANY VARIETY PASTORAL**

68. Puppy 69. Special Yearling 70. Post Graduate 71. Open 72. Veteran

*N.B. The winners of the Veteran Class in each Group will compete for Best Veteran in Show to be held after Best in Show and Best Puppy In Show.***Judge: SANDIE TADD****UTILITY GROUP – JACKIE SULLIVAN****DALMATIAN**

73. Puppy 74. Graduate 75. Post Graduate 76. Open

**Judge: PETA REED****AKITA**

77. Open

**Judge: LIZ McMULLAN****TIBETAN TERRIER**

78. Puppy 79. Special Yearling 80. Post Graduate 81. Open

**Judge: NATALIE DE LA COUR****TIBETAN SPANIEL**

82. Puppy 83. Post Graduate 84. Open

**LHASA APSO**

85. Special Yearling 86. Graduate 87. Open

**BOSTON TERRIER**

88. Special Yearling 89. Open

**KEESHOND**

90. Post Graduate 91. Limit 92. Open

**Judge: J. WILLIS****TOY POODLE**

93. Special Yearling 94. Open

**MINIATURE POODLE**

95. Special Yearling 96. Open

**STANDARD POODLE**

97. Graduate 98. Open

**BULLDOG**

99. Post Graduate 100. Open

**Judge: RHONDA COMBEN****FRENCH BULLDOG**

101. Post Graduate 102. Open

**GERMAN SPITZ (MITTEL)**

103. Open

**Judge: LOIS HISCOCK****GERMAN SPITZ (KLEIN)**

104. Open

**SHIH TZU**

105. Puppy 106. Post Graduate 107. Open

**SHAR PEI**

108. Limit 109. Open

**Judge: JACKIE SULLIVAN**

**ANY VARIETY UTILITY IMPORT REGISTER****Judge: JACKIE SULLIVAN**

110. Puppy 111. Open

**A.V.N.S.C. UTILITY**

112. Puppy 113. Special Yearling 114. Post Graduate 115. Open

**ANY VARIETY UTILITY**

116. Puppy 117. Special Yearling 118. Post Graduate 119. Open 120. Veteran

*N.B. The winners of the Veteran Class in each Group will compete for Best Veteran in Show to be held after Best in Show and Best Puppy In Show.***TERRIER GROUP – JO KING****BORDER TERRIER****Judge: J. WILLIS**

121. Post Graduate 122. Open

**PARSON RUSSELL TERRIER**

123. Graduate 124. Open

**CESKY TERRIER**

125. Graduate 126. Open

**JACK RUSSELL TERRIER****Judge: PETA REED**

127. Graduate 128. Open

**SEALYHAM TERRIER**

129. Graduate 130. Open

**SMOOTH FOX TERRIER**

131. Graduate 132. Open

**WIRE FOX TERRIER**

133. Graduate 134. Open

**SOFT COATED WHEATEN TERRIER****Judge: JO KING**

135. Graduate 136. Open

**WEST HIGHLAND WHITE TERRIER**

137. Graduate 138. Open

**STAFFORDSHIRE BULL TERRIER**

139. Post Graduate 140. Open

**ANY VARIETY TERRIER IMPORT REGISTER**

141. Puppy 142. Open

**A.V.N.S.C. TERRIER**

143. Puppy 144. Special Yearling 145. Post Graduate 146. Open

**ANY VARIETY TERRIER**

147. Puppy 148. Special Yearling 149. Post Graduate 150. Open 151. Veteran

*N.B. The winners of the Veteran Class in each Group will compete for Best Veteran in Show to be held after Best in Show and Best Puppy In Show.***TOY GROUP – RICHARD FORSYTHE****ENGLISH TOY TERRIER****Judge: PETA REED**

152. Post Graduate 153. Open

**CAVALIER KING CHARLES SPANIEL****Judge: IAN KING**

154. Puppy 155. Yearling 156. Graduate 157. Open

**HAVANESE****Judge: RICHARD FORSYTHE**

158. Puppy 159. Post Graduate 160. Open

**COTON DE TULEAR**

161. Puppy 162. Post Graduate 163. Open

**PAPILLON**

164. Graduate 165. Open

**AFFENPINSCHER**

166. Graduate 167. Open

**CHINESE CRESTED**

168. Open

**CHIHUAHUA (SMOOTH COAT)**

169. Graduate 170. Open

**CHIHUAHUA (LONG COAT)**

171. Graduate 172. Open

**PUG**

173. Special Yearling 174. Post Graduate 175. Open

**ANY VARIETY TOY IMPORT REGISTER**

176. Puppy 177. Open

**A.V.N.S.C. TOY**

178. Puppy 179. Special Yearling 180. Post Graduate 181. Open

**ANY VARIETY TOY**

182. Puppy 183. Special Yearling 184. Post Graduate 185. Open 186. Veteran

*N.B. The winners of the Veteran Class in each Group will compete for Best Veteran in Show to be held after Best in Show and Best Puppy In Show.***Judge: RICHARD FORSYTHE****GUNDOG GROUP – LINDA BEST****IRISH RED & WHITE SETTER**

187. Graduate 188. Open

**Judge: MIKE MASTERS****IRISH SETTER**

189. Puppy 190. Junior 191. Novice 192. Graduate

193. Post Graduate 194. Open, DOG 195. Open, BITCH

**ENGLISH SETTER**

196. Post Graduate 197. Open

**GORDON SETTER**

198. Graduate 199. Open

**GERMAN SHORTHAIRED POINTER**

200. Special Yearling 201. Graduate 202. Open

**ITALIAN SPINONE**

203. Post Graduate 204. Open

**HUNGARIAN VIZSLA**

205. Puppy 206. Graduate 207. Open

**WEIMARANER**

208. Graduate 209. Open

**RETRIEVER (CURLY COATED)**

210. Puppy 211. Graduate 212. Open

**SPANIEL (AMERICAN COCKER)**

213. Graduate 214. Open

**Judge: PETA REED****BRACCO ITALIANO**

215. Junior 216. Post Graduate 217. Open

**Judge: HEFIN JONES****RETRIEVER (GOLDEN)**

218. Puppy 219. Junior 220. Special Yearling 221. Post Graduate

222. Limit 223. Open, DOG 224. Open, BITCH

**RETRIEVER (LABRADOR)**

225. Puppy 226. Junior 227. Special Yearling 228. Post Graduate

229. Open, DOG 230. Open, BITCH

**FIELD SPANIEL**

231. Graduate 232. Open

**Judge: J. CLARKE****IRISH WATER SPANIEL**

233. Graduate 234. Open



**RETRIEVER (NOVA SCOTIA DUCK TOLLING)**

235. Puppy 236. Graduate

**Judge: J. CLARKE**

237. Open

**RETRIEVER (FLATCOAT)**

238. Special Yearling 239. Open

**LARGE MUNSTERLANDER**

240. Graduate 241. Open

**ENGLISH SPRINGER SPANIEL**

242. Graduate 243. Open

**Judge: LINDA BEST****WELSH SPRINGER SPANIEL**

244. Post Graduate 245. Open

**SPANIEL (COCKER)**

246. Puppy 247. Yearling 248. Graduate 249. Open

**GERMAN WIREHAIED POINTER**

250. Graduate 251. Open

**LAGOTTO ROMAGNOLO**

252. Graduate 253. Open

**POINTER**

254. Puppy 255. Yearling 256. Post Graduate 257. Open

**HUNGARIAN WIRE-HAIRED VIZSLA**

258. Graduate 259. Open

**ANY VARIETY GUNDOG IMPORT REGISTER**

260. Puppy 261. Open

**A.V.N.S.C. GUNDOG**

262. Puppy 263. Special Yearling 264. Post Graduate 265. Open

**ANY VARIETY GUNDOG**

266. Puppy 267. Special Yearling 268. Post Graduate 269. Open 270. Veteran

*N.B. The winners of the Veteran Class in each Group will compete for Best Veteran in Show to be held after Best in Show and Best Puppy In Show.***HOUND GROUP – MIKE MASTERS****WHIPPET**

271. Puppy 272. Yearling

**Judge: LIZ McMULLAN**

275. Post Graduate

276. Limit

273. Novice

274. Graduate

277. Open, DOG

278. Open, BITCH

**IBIZAN HOUND**

279. Open

**Judge: SANDIE TADD****DEERHOUND**

280. Graduate 281. Open

**FINNISH SPITZ**

282. Post Graduate 283. Open

**AFGHAN HOUND**

284. Graduate 285. Open

**IRISH WOLFHOUND**

286. Graduate 287. Open

**RHODESIAN RIDGEBACK**

288. Graduate 289. Open

**SALUKI**

290. Open

**BASSET GRIFFON VENDEEN (PETIT)**

291. Graduate 292. Open

**MINIATURE LONG HAIED DACHSHUND**

293. Graduate 294. Open

**Judge: HEFIN JONES****MINIATURE SMOOTH HAIED DACHSHUND**

295. Graduate 296. Open

**MINIATURE WIRE HAISED DACHSHUND**

297. Graduate 298. Open

**STANDARD LONG HAISED DACHSHUND**

299. Graduate 300. Open

**STANDARD SMOOTH HAISED DACHSHUND**

301. Graduate 302. Open

**STANDARD WIRE HAISED DACHSHUND**

303. Graduate 304. Open

**BEAGLE**

305. Post Graduate 306. Open

Judge: HEFIN JONES

**ANY VARIETY HOUND IMPORT REGISTER**

307. Puppy 308. Open

Judge: MIKE MASTERS

**A.V.N.S.C. HOUND**

309. Puppy 310. Special Yearling 311. Post Graduate 312. Open

**ANY VARIETY HOUND**

313. Puppy 314. Special Yearling 315. Post Graduate 316. Open 317. Veteran

*N.B. The winners of the Veteran Class in each Group will compete for Best Veteran in Show to be held after Best in Show and Best Puppy In Show.***VARIETY CLASSES****CLASS 318: ANY VARIETY RARE BREEDS**

Judge: MIKE MASTERS

**CLASS 319: ANY VARIETY VULNERABLE BREEDS**

Judge: MIKE MASTERS

**CLASS 320. A.V. CHAMPIONS CLASS**

Judge: MIKE MASTERS

**STAKES CLASSES****CLASS 321. VIZ VIZARD MEMORIAL PUPPY STAKES**Prize Money: 1<sup>st</sup> - £5; 2<sup>nd</sup> - £4; 3<sup>rd</sup> - £3; Res. - £2; VHC - £1Judge: RICHARD FORSYTHE  
*Rosettes to VHC.***CLASS 322. ANY VARIETY JUNIOR STAKES**Prize Money: 1<sup>st</sup> - £5; 2<sup>nd</sup> - £4; 3<sup>rd</sup> - £3; Res. - £2; VHC - £1Judge: CINDY COMBEN  
*Rosettes to VHC***CLASS 323. SPECIAL YEARLING STAKES***In support of the Air Ambulance*

Judge: JACKIE SULLIVAN

**CLASS 324. FRED & MARY COOPER MEMORIAL GRADUATE STAKES***Bottle of Wine to the winner. Rosettes to VHC.*

Judge: JO KING

**CLASS 325. CLIVE LIST MEMORIAL POST GRADUATE STAKES**

Judge: MIKE MASTERS

**CLASS 326. ANN DONALD MEMORIAL OPEN STAKES**Prize Money: 1<sup>st</sup> - £10; 2<sup>nd</sup> - £8; 3<sup>rd</sup> - £6; Res. - £4; VHC - £2Judge: MIKE MASTERS  
*Rosettes to VHC.***CLASS 327. POOLE HUNTICK SPECIAL BEGINNERS STAKES**Prize Money: 1<sup>st</sup> - £15; 2<sup>nd</sup> - £10; 3<sup>rd</sup> - £5; Res. - £3; VHC - £2Judge: RICHARD FORSYTHE  
*Rosettes to VHC.***CLASS 328. KENNEL CLUB GOOD CITIZENS STAKES***For winners of Bronze, Silver or Gold awards*Judge: RICHARD FORSYTHE  
*Rosettes to VHC*

## HANDLING CLASSES

### JUNIOR HANDLING

CLASS A. 6 – 11 Years

CLASS B. 12 – 16 Years

Judge: NATALIE DE LA COUR

*Rosettes to VHC in both classes and for Best Junior Handler*

These classes qualify the first three in each class to compete in the Junior Handlers Association Semi-Finals. Dogs must be entered and exhibited in another class. Entries will not be taken on the day. Put class letter next to other class number(s) for the dog entered and enter details of handler in box provided on entry form

### ADULT HANDLING

CLASS C. 17 – 35 Years

CLASS D. 36 – 59 Years

CLASS E. 60 Years and over

Judge: NATALIE DE LA COUR

*Rosettes to 5<sup>th</sup> place in each class and for Best Adult Handler*

Dogs must be entered and exhibited in another class. Entries will not be taken on the day. Put class letter next to other class number(s) for the dog entered and enter details of handler in box provided on entry form

***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***

**Will now be judged by MIKE MASTERS**

### **AN ORDER OF JUDGING**

**WILL BE ON THE POOLE CANINE CLUB WEBSITE**

**APPROXIMATELY 1 WEEK BEFORE THE SHOW**

## **RULES AND REGULATIONS**

1. The Show will open at 8.30 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. The Committee cannot be held responsible for exhibitors missing their classes.
3. Judging will commence at 9.30 am.
4. The Show will close half an hour after all judging has been completed by which time dogs must be removed.
5. **Entry Fees:** ~Non-Members First Entry @ £7.50; Members First Entry @ £6.50. All subsequent entries with same dog - £2.50. **Membership Fees:** Joint £6 / Single £5.  
**N.F.C.** - £1 per dog; **Junior/Adult Handling** - £2.00 per class  
**Catalogues** - £3.50 with entry. **Trade Stands** - £20  
**Advertisements** - £9 Full Page / £5 Half Page.
6. Prize Money for Stakes Classes (see Classification for details).
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 or Best Any Variety Imported Register Puppy. A puppy is a dog of six and not exceeding twelve calendar months of age on the first day of the Show. The selection of Best in Show may follow the selection Best Puppy in Show and Best Veteran in Show. (if scheduled) respectively. Where the Best of Breed, Best of Group or Best in Show is a puppy it may at the discretion of the judge be awarded Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show respectively. Where 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 may at the discretion of the judge should be Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show respectively.
- Best Puppy in Group and subsequent Group placings must be selected from:**
- a) Those puppies declared Best Puppy in Breed
  - b) The puppy declared Best Puppy from the Any Variety Not Separately Classified classes in each group or on each day
  - c) The puppy declared Best Puppy from the Any Variety Imported Breed Register classes in each group or on each day.
- Best Puppy in Show must be selected from the Best Puppy in Group winners.
11. **Best in Show** – The dog declared Best in Show is a dog which has competed and has been declared Best of Breed, Best Any Variety Not Separately Classified or Best Any Variety Imported Breed Register.
- 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 but only 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**  
Best of Group and subsequent placings must be selected from:-
    - a) The Best of Breed winners in each group
    - b) The Best Dog from the Any Variety Not Separately Classified classes in each group or on each day
    - c) The Best dog from the Any Variety Imported Breed Register classes in each Group or on each day.
  - 3) **Best in Show**  
Best in Show must be selected from the Best of Group winners, Reserve Best in Show must be selected from the remaining Group winners following the selection of 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 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 to 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 the U.K. must be issued with a Kennel Club Authority To Compete number before entry to the show can be made. All overseas entries without an Authority To Compete number will be returned to the exhibitor.
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 K.C. 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 dogs 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. Any owner, exhibitor, 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 this Kennel Club Licensed Show within the Licensed Venue and within the environs of the event including car and caravan parks and approaches.
21. The Committee will be empowered to exclude or remove any dog which in their opinion, is not in a fit state for exhibition either from disease, vice or any other cause.
22. The Committee will be most anxious for the care and safety of dogs brought for exhibition and, any property entrusted to them, but it must be distinctly understood that the Committee will NOT be responsible for the entire or partial loss or detention of or damage to a dog or any other property whether arising from accident or any other cause whatsoever, or from any act or omission of themselves, their officers, servants, agents or others and it is on this understanding only that entries are received.
23. No animal, other than an exhibit duly entered at the Show, will be allowed within the precincts of the Show during its continuance.
24. The Show Committee can accept no responsibility for products advertised or sold by stand holders at the Show and remind exhibitors that grooming products on sale may not meet the requirements of the Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition. (K.C. Reg,F[B]).
25. Entry fees for a dog entered but not exhibited will be forfeited. **NO ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED WITHOUT FEES AND INCORRECT FEES/ENTRIES WILL BE RETURNED.**
26. Any Bank charges incurred as a result of incorrectly completed or dishonoured cheques will be passed on to the exhibitor concerned. Any exhibitors failing to pay entry fees and/or Bank Charges will be dealt with by the Committee of the Kennel Club.
27. In case cancellation is inevitable, 10% of entry fees will be retained.
28. Should any Judge be prevented from fulfilling his or her engagement, the Committee reserve the right to appoint another Judge or Judges in their place. Exhibitors may withdraw from competition, but no entry fees can be returned.

29. The owner, exhibitor, handler or any 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.

## 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 entered for any class, i.e. Saturday, 19<sup>th</sup> April 2025. 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 Variety Class is one in which more than one Breed or a Variety of a Breed can compete. 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:

**Withdrawal:** The dog may be withdrawn from competition subject to the conditions of Regulations 9 (j) and 20. **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 or, 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)** For an exhibit entered incorrectly in a Minor Puppy class or Puppy class, which is over age but under twelve calendar months of age or eighteen calendar months of age respectively, the Show Secretary shall transfer the exhibit to the Puppy class or Junior class respectively for the correct breed, colour, sex, weight or height or in the event of there being no Puppy or Junior class respectively 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 6 and not exceeding 12 calendar months of age on the first day of the Show.

**JUNIOR:** For dogs of 6 and not exceeding 18 calendar months of age on the first day of the Show.

**YEARLING:** For dogs of 12 and not exceeding 24 calendar months of age on the first day of the Show.

**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, at Shows 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, at Shows where Challenge Certificates were offered for the breed.

**LIMIT:** For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate / CACIB / CAC / Green Star or seven or more First Prizes in all at Championship shows in Limit or Open classes, 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.

**SPECIAL YEARLING:** For dogs of 6 and not exceeding 24 calendar months of age on the first day of the Show.

**SPECIAL BEGINNERS:** For owner, handler or exhibit not having won a first prize at any show.

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

**CHAMPION CLASS:** For dogs which have been confirmed a Champion, Show Champion or Field Trial Champion. Champion classes may not be scheduled for individual breeds or varieties of breeds.

**IMPORTED BREED REGISTER:** For breeds confined to the Imported Breeds Register and only when an Interim Breed Standard has been published by the Kennel Club. Such breeds may be exhibited in this class with the Best Imported Register Best Imported Register Puppy being eligible for Best in Group, Best Puppy in Group or Best in Show, Best Puppy in Show as relevant. Such breeds may be entered into Imported Breed Register classes and / or Any Variety or Stakes classes, with the exception of AVNSC classes, for which they are not eligible.

**ANY VARIETY NOT SEPARATELY CLASSIFIED:** For breeds of dog for which no separate breed classes are scheduled. These classes are not open to breeds which are listed on the Imported Breed Register.

**ANY VARIETY.** A Variety Class is one in which more than one breed or variety of a breed with a breed standard can compete.

**GOOD CITIZEN DOG SCHEME CLASS:** For dogs that have achieved their GCDS Bronze Award Certificate or above.

**ANY VARIETY RARE BREEDS:** Confined to those breeds not granted Challenge Certificates in the current year, with the exception of those breeds whose registration is confined to the Imported Breed Register.

**ANY VARIETY VULNERABLE BREEDS:** Open to dogs from breeds on the Kennel Club list of Vulnerable Native Breeds.

**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. **Puppies under four months of age are not eligible for entry NOT FOR COMPETITION. ALL DOGS ENTERED N.F.C. MUST BE K.C. REGISTERED.**

### **HEALTH & SAFETY**

A nominated Safety Officer will be in attendance throughout the Show. Exhibitors and spectators are reminded that just as the Poole Canine Club has a responsibility to ensure health and safety of all those attending their event, all those present have a duty and responsibility for their own safety. They are therefore expected to take the greatest care to avoid guy ropes, uneven surfaces and other hazards which are inevitable and integral elements of a dog show. Those bringing and using portable items of equipment such as folding chairs, trolleys, cages and grooming tables also have a responsibility to ensure that their tools, equipment and furniture is used and erected safely and does not constitute a hazard to others. Exhibitors are also reminded that they should wear appropriate clothing and footwear for the prevailing conditions on the site. Exhibitors show at their own risk and if they consider conditions are not ideal or unsafe they may withdraw their dogs/s from classes.

## **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 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.

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