

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. The Show will open at 5.30pm.
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 6.30pm.
4. Exhibits may be removed from the Show after their judging has been completed. The Show will close half an hour after all judging has been completed.
5. **ENTRY FEES:** £3.00 First Entry Per Dog all subsequent entries with same dog £1.00 **MEMBERSHIP FEES:** £2.00 Single; £2.50 Joint. **CATALOGUES:** £2.50 Prepaid (£3.00 on Show Day).
6. **PRIZE MONEY:** Best in Show £10.00; Reserve Best in Show £5.00; Sp Best Puppy £5.00.
7. The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries.
8. Puppies under six calendar months of age on the first day of the Show are not eligible for exhibition.
9. The mating of bitches within the precincts of the Show is forbidden.
10. **BEST PUPPY IN SHOW:** There is no award for Best Puppy in Show, Special Best Puppy will be awarded from the 7 AV Puppy classes.
11. **BEST IN SHOW**
The dog declared Best in Show is a dog which has competed and has been declared Best of Breed, Best from Any Variety Not Separately Classified and Best Any Variety Imported Breed Register..
Best in Show and subsequent placings must be selected from:
 - a. Those dogs declared Best of Breed
 - b. The dog declared Best from the Any Variety Not Separately Classified classes in each Group or on each day and
 - c. The dog declared Best from the Any Variety Imported Breed Register class or classes in each Group or on each day.
12. Exhibits will not be admitted to Best in Show competition after a period of ten minutes has elapsed since the announcement that exhibits are required for judging, unless they have been unavoidably delayed by previous judging not being completed on time, and then only with the special permission of the Show Management.
13. Exhibitors must not pick up dogs by their tails and leads when lifting them nor handle a dog in a manner which causes its feet not touch the ground when on the move. This is not acceptable. Exhibitors should note that such practice would constitute harsh handling and reports of such practice will be referred to the Committee under Kennel Club Show Regulation F11.
14. All exhibitors must be familiar with Kennel Club Regulation F (Annex B) Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition.
15. All dogs resident outside 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. **A DOGS IN VEHICLES ON HOT DAYS** Anyone whose dog is entered at a Kennel Club licensed event should take all reasonable steps to ensure the needs of their dog(s) are met, and should not put a dog's health and welfare at risk by any action, default, omission or otherwise. Breach of Kennel Club Regulations in this respect may be referred to the Board for disciplinary action under the Kennel Club Rules and Regulations. Your dog is vulnerable and at risk during hot weather and the Kennel Club offers the following guidance to help guide you through the do's and don'ts travelling to and whilst at KC licensed events. When travelling to a show please take a moment to consider whether the route to the show is on a busy holiday route, and leave earlier to avoid increased time in traffic jams. If your vehicle is not air-conditioned seriously consider whether travelling to the show is a good idea at all. The vehicle should be as fully ventilated as possible, and plenty of stops should be taken, with lots of water available to drink. Ensure your dog is not sitting in full sunlight. There should be plenty of free flowing air around the dog. When at the show, never leave your dog in the vehicle. Keep the dog in the shade – take your own shade for example a large umbrella and always have plenty of water available to drink so your dog stays well hydrated. Avoid your dog taking part in unnecessary exertion, or from standing in exposed sunlight for extended lengths of time. Remember, if you feel hot your dog is very likely to feel much hotter and dehydrated, and this could lead to dire results. Please look after your dog's welfare.
WARNING: IF YOUR DOG IS FOUND TO BE AT RISK FORCIBLE ENTRY TO YOUR VEHICLE MAY BE NECESSARY WITHOUT LIABILITY FOR ANY DAMAGE CAUSED.
17. Not for Competition entries will be accepted. Details of each dog so entered must be recorded on the entry form and must be Kennel Club registered.
18. No modifications will be made to the schedule except by permission of the Board of the Kennel Club, which will be followed by advertisement in the Canine press wherever possible.

Children under the age of 11 are the responsibility of and must be accompanied at all times by a Parent or Guardian

BANK CHARGES: All bank charges incurred by the Club through incorrect or dishonoured cheques in respect of their entries will be passed on to the exhibitor concerned. Failure to pay Entry Fees and/or Bank Charges will result in the exhibitor being dealt with by the Scottish Kennel Club.

KC REGULATIONS: F9(a) No person shall carry out punitive correction or harsh handling of a dog at any time whilst at the licensed venue, including its environs, car and caravan parks and approaches b) 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.

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HAMILTON CANINE CLUB

SCHEDULE OF 25 CLASS UNBENCHED

MEMBERS LIMITED SHOW

(Held under Kennel Limited Club Rules and Regulations)

THIS SHOW IS NOT JUDGED ON THE GROUP SYSTEM
CHALLENGE CERTIFICATE WINNERS ARE NOT ELIGIBLE FOR ENTRY AT THIS SHOW

To be held in

**In Sports Barn, Donaldson Street,
Larkhall, ML9 2SS**
on

Wednesday, 9th May, 2018

Show Opens 5.30 p.m.

Judging commences 6.30 p.m

Guarantors to the Kennel Club

President: Mr J McGhie, 32 Castle Wynd, Hamilton

Secretary: Pamela Martin, Riverside Lodge, Hawkhead Road, Paisley PA2 7BQ

Treasurer: Mrs E Kane, Brigadoon, 155 Townhill Road, Hamilton, ML3 9RL

Hon. Veterinary Surgeon: Avondale Veterinary Group, Avondale House, Strathaven Rural Centre, Strathaven ML10 6SY, Tel: 01357 5520251 Mob: 07501491914

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"

**BEST IN SHOW - £10.00 :: RESERVE BEST IN SHOW - £5.00
BEST PUPPY £5.00**

ENTRY FEES: £3.00 per Dog first class £1.00 subsequent classes
CATALOGUES: £2.50 Prepaid (£3.00 on the night)
MEMBERSHIP: £2.00 Single; £2.50 Joint

PLEASE SUPPORT US BY ENTERING AS MANY DOGS AS YOU CAN

ENTRIES CLOSE: WEDNESDAY, 25th APRIL, 2018 (Postmark)

ALL ENTRIES TO BE SENT TO **SECRETARY:** PAMELA MARTIN

RIVERSIDE LODGE, HAWKHEAD ROAD, PAISLEY, PA2 7BQ

EMAIL pam1989@sky.com Telephone 0781149936.

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

CLASSIFICATION

All classes for Dog and Bitch unless otherwise stated

Trophies will not be awarded at this show

JUDGE :: Mr Johnny Morgan (Coherstone)

1.	A.V. Working	Puppy
2.	A.V. Great Dane	Open
3.	Newfoundland	Open
4.	A.V. NSC Working	Open
5.	A.V. Pastoral	Puppy
6.	Shetland Sheepdog	Open
7.	A.V. NSC Pastoral	Open
8.	A.V. Utility	Puppy
9.	Lhasa Apso	Open
10.	French Bulldog	Open
11.	A.V. NSC Utility	Open
12.	A.V. Gundog	Puppy
13.	A.V. NSC Gundog	Open
14.	A.V. Terrier	Puppy
15.	Soft Coated Wheaten Terrier	Open
16.	A.V. NSC Terrier	Open
17.	A.V. Hound	Puppy
18.	A.V. NSC Hound	Open
19.	A.V. Toy	Puppy
20.	Japanese Chin	Open
21.	Chihuahua (Smooth Coat)	Open
22.	Chihuahua (Long Coat)	Open
23.	English Toy Terrier	Open
24.	Bichon Frise	Open
25.	A.V. NSC Toy	Open

BEST IN SHOW WILL NOW BE JUDGED

Best Special Puppy from winners of classes 1,5,8,12,14,17,19

SPECIAL ROSETTES FOR THIS SHOW

**BEST IN SHOW :: RESERVE BEST IN SHOW :: SPECIAL BEST PUPPY
FIRST IN EACH CLASS**

SUPER RAFFLE :: ALL DONATIONS GRATEFULLY RECEIVED

EXHIBITORS PLEASE NOTE:

EMERGENCY EXITS: Exhibitors are reminded that emergency exits and the passageways leading to them must be kept clear at all times. Exhibitors should familiarise themselves with the whereabouts of these exits. Should any incident occur which required the building to be evacuated, exhibits must obey instructions.

FOULING: It is a Kennel Club requirement that exhibitors and handlers clear up any fouling by the dog(s) in their charge. Please use the exercise area provided.

CHILDREN AT SHOW: Parents and those in charge of children will be held responsible to the action of the children and adults will be responsible for any child they have brought to the Show.

DEFINITIONS OF CLASSES

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 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. **Wednesday 18th APRIL 2018.**

Wins in Variety classes do not count for entry in Breed classes but when entering for Variety classes, wins in both Breed and Variety classes must be counted. A first prize does not include a Special Prize of whatever value.

If an exhibitor reports before the judging of a class or classes that a dog has been entered which is ineligible, the exhibitor may choose one of the following options:-

- (1) WITHDRAWAL: The dog may be withdrawn from competition subject to the conditions of 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 12 calendar months of age, 18 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 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.

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.

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

A.V.N.S.C.: For breeds of dog for which no separate breed classes are provided.

NOTE: CHALLENGE CERTIFICATE WINNERS ARE NOT ELIGIBLE

REGULATIONS FOR THE PREPARATION OF DOGS FOR EXHIBITION F(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 General Committee for disciplinary action under these Show Regulations and/or for disciplinary action under Kennel Club Rule A 42.
 - (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 there at.
 - (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 A42.
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 at any time during the Show.
 - (a) No 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 General Committee.
 - (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 General Committee to deceive.
4. The General Committee 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 K.C. 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.