

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.
 - 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 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.



HIGHLAND CANINE ASSOCIATION

SCHEDULE OF 150 CLASS UNBENCHED

OPEN SHOW

(Held under Kennel Club Limited Rules and Regulations)

JUDGED ON THE GROUP SYSTEM

TO BE HELD IN THE

**THE BLACK ISLE SHOWGROUND,
MUIR OF ORD, ROSS-SHIRE. IV6 7RS
ON**

SATURDAY, 29th JUNE, 2019

Show Opens 8.30 a.m.

Judging commences: 9.30 a.m.

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".

Guarantors to the Kennel Club

President: Mrs Audrey Sinclair, 14 Allarburn Park, Kiltarlity.

Secretary: Miss Nicky Cuthbert, 6 Dornie Place, Inverness.

Treasurer: Mrs Alex Gilchrist, 5 Ardgowan, Croy, Nairn.

Hon Vet. Surgeons: Conanvet, Ardlair, Conon Bridge, Ross-shire



Show kindly sponsored by **ROYAL CANIN**

PRIZE MONEY:	Group Winners - £10 Highland Stakes 1st £10; 2nd £8; 3rd £6; Reserve £4
ROSETTES:	Best in Show, Reserve Best in Show, Special Best Puppy, Reserve Special Best Puppy, Special Best Veteran, Res Special Best Veteran
TARTAN ROSETTES	For First to Fourth in all Groups, Special Best Puppy in Group, Special Best Veteran in Group, Best of Breed and First to Reserve in all Classes

Postal Entries Close: Thursday 30th May 2019

Online Entries Close: Thursday 6th June 2019

Postal Entries to: *The Honorary Secretary* Miss Nicky Cuthbert,
6 Dornie Place, Inverness IV2 4BX.

Tel: 01463 729416. Email: cuthbertnicky@gmail.com

K9 Printing, Marymill Farmhouse, Marykirk, Laurencekirk, AB30 1UT
Tel: 07553 771786. Email canine@printmatters.info
Schedules and online entries available from www.printmatters.info

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

**HIGHLAND CANINE ASSOCIATION
Office Bearers and Committee 2019**

President: Mrs. Audrey Sinclair

Secretary: Miss Nicky Cuthbert

Vice President: Miss Sharon Main

Treasurer: Mrs. Alex Gilchrist

**Committee: Mrs. K. Main; Ms A. MacLeod; Mr G. MacKenzie; Mr P Moir ;
Mrs A. Bain; Mr. R. Nicolson; Miss R. Paterson; Mrs J Fraser; Mrs L Simpson.**

Judges

Working Group, Pastoral Group,

B.I.S & Varieties

Gundog Group

Hounds

Labradors & Terrier Group

Tibetan Spaniels

Utility Group & Toy Group

Mr W. Preston

Miss N. Farquharson (Fhinnonlach)

Mr P. Broadbent

Mrs S. Latto

Mrs R. Campbell (Rosanley)

Mr I. Prentice (Sanville/Tamrae)

DIRECTIONS TO THE VENUE

From the South and East : Drive North on the A9 and cross the Kessock Bridge. At the Tore roundabout take the first exit which is the A832 to Muir Of Ord. Follow this road for about 5 miles and then turn left on to the B9169. The Black Isle Showground is about ½ mile on your Right.

From the North: Go through Dingwall and at the first roundabout take the second exit and proceed through Maryburgh and then Conon Bridge on the A862. Go through Muir of Ord and then turn left on to the B9169. The Black Isle Showground is about ½ mile on your Left.

PROPOSED ORDER OF JUDGING

(This may be changed at the discretion of the committee.)

Ring 1 – Working, Pastoral and BIS

Ring 2 – Gundogs

Ring 3 – Labradors and Terriers

Ring 4 – Hounds

Ring 5 – Tibetan Spaniels, Utility and Toys

Limited seating will be available but it is advisable that exhibitors bring their own chairs.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. The Show will open at 8.30 a.m.
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 9.30 a.m.
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:** £4.00 First Entry Per Dog; £1.00 subsequent entries with same dog. Not for Competition £1.00; **MEMBERSHIP:** £3.00 Single; £5.00 Joint. **CATALOGUES:** £3.00 Prepaid with entries (£3.50. at the Show).
6. **PRIZE MONEY:** Group Winners - £10.00, Highland Stakes Class: 1st £10.00; 2nd £8.00; 3rd £6.00; Res £4.00.
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 Best Puppy in Show competition. Special Best Puppy in Show will come from the Special Puppy classes in each group.
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. 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.) 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. 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 Any Variety Imported Breed Register classes in each group or on each day.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 for 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 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. **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 the schedule except by permission of the Board of the Kennel Club, which will be followed by advertisement in the Canine press wherever possible.
20. Kennel Club Rule F(1) 17f: The attraction of attention of exhibits by any method from outside the ring is prohibited. It is the duty of the Judge, Steward or Show Management noticing such attraction to ask that it cease.
21. The Committee will not be responsible for any loss or damage to any dog or property or for any act or omission of themselves, officers, agents or others.
22. The Committee reserve the right to appoint another judge should any judge be prevented from fulfilling his/her appointment. Exhibitors are at liberty to withdraw from competition but no entry fees will be returned.
23. All monies due to the Association which remain unpaid, either entry fees or bank charges accrued through dishonoured cheques will be reported to the Scottish Kennel Club.
24. All cup and trophy winners on receipt of their award must sign for it and undertake to return the same in time for the next show and to be responsible for any damage or loss whilst it is in their possession.
25. Parents and those in charge of children are reminded of their responsibility for the care and safety of children at this Show. The Officers and Committee of the Association will accept no responsibility for damage caused by, or injury to children at this Show.