

LOUGH FOYLE CANINE ASSOCIATION

9TH JUNE 2018 :: OPEN SHOW

Dear Exhibitor

The Committee of Lough Foyle Canine Association invites you to our Open Show on Saturday 9th June 2018, and we are delighted to be returning to the Foyle Arena this year (2 Limavady Road, Derry, Londonderry BT47 6JY)

We are delighted to have the opportunity to make use of this great facility and we trust you will enjoy exhibiting your dog in this venue. Please take care of the great venue and ensure you clean up after yourself and your dog.

There are excellent car parking facilities, with a row of disabled parking bays located close to the hall where we will be holding the Show. We can't reserve these bays but at that time of the morning, they should be available.

There is a café serving tea/coffee, scones, sandwiches/paninis/soups etc located inside the Arena.

We would ask exhibitors to be mindful of their footwear when showing indoors.

As in previous years, the Club is sponsoring a cash prize of £25 for Best in Show winner, and £10 for the Reserve Best in Show winner. We also have cash prizes for winners and reserves in Puppy, Veteran and Champion Stakes competitions.

Please Join with us in welcoming and supporting our judges:

Working Group:	Mr Ralph Dunne (Richley)
Pastoral Group:	Dr Marleen Collins (Drummanor)
Hound Group:	Mr Colin Johnston (Rohantia)
Terrier Group:	Mr Ralph Dunne (Richley)
Toy Group:	Mr Colin Johnston (Rohantia)
Utility Group:	Mr Colin Johnston (Rohantia)
Gundog Group:	Mr Ralph Dunne (Richley)

We are grateful for your support and look forward to welcoming you on 9th June

Best Wishes

The Committee of Lough Foyle Canine Association

INTRODUCTION TO JUDGES

DR. MARLEEN COLLINS (DRUMMANOR)

Dr. Collins has exhibited and bred Champions in the following breeds: Pembroke Corgis, Australian Shepherds, Bearded Collies, Hungarian Pulis and Griffon Bruxellois.

She began judging under KC rules in the early 1990s and since then has judged extensively across all seven groups as well as BIS and Junior Handling. She awards CCs in both Bearded Collies and Australian Shepherds.

Marleen is also approved by the Irish KC and FCI to judge Groups 1,2,5,6, and 9 as well as BIS and Junior Handling.

RALPH DUNNE (RICHLEY)

Ralph started showing in the mid eighties with Golden Retrievers gaining Champion title with his first dog. Since then he has had Beagles, GSPs, Clumber Spaniels, and Jack Russell Terriers, and has had a number of Champions in both Clumbers and JRTs. He has been awarded BIS on a number of occasions in both the UK and Ireland, the highlight being a BIS Crufts 1991, and in recent years, Clumbers bred by Ralph have claimed four CCs at Crufts over the past three years.

Ralph awards CCs in Clumbers and has judged BIS at Open Show level.

Under IKC/FCI, Ralph has judged BIS and is passed for Groups 6,7,8,10 and breeds in Group 5.

Ralph has judged in many EU Countries and also in the USA.

COLIN JOHNSTON (ROHANTIA)

Colin has been showing Miniature Pinschers since 2001, with homebred Champions, CC winners and European Winner, and he still continues to handle Toy breeds. Colin has had Working breeds since 2002 with Dobermanns and laterally, with Russian Black Terriers. He has bred the UK Annual Champion for three consecutive years and currently owns the Irish Annual Champion in Russian Black Terriers.

Colin judged his first Green Stars in 2011, and is now passed to judge all of Group 2 (IKC/FCI).

DAVID SMITH (REMEDEE)

David has been showing dogs for 14 years and recently made up his first Champion, Sh Ch Winterwell Fowl Play, in his first breed 'German Shorthaired Pointer', and is currently working towards his field trial title.

David comes from a horse showing background, with good success, and has been a member of many show societies, and judged at top level.

In the dog world, David has been judging for six and a half years across the gundog and hound group, having judged in excess of 350 dogs. He takes pride in educating myself in relation to the judging of dogs and has been privileged to have been mentored by some of the top judges and exhibitors.

David has handled different breeds to both CC and RCC wins, including Whippets, Beagles, Braccos, Vizslas, Pointers and Setters.

CLASSIFICATION

ALL CLASSES ARE FOR DOG AND BITCH UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED

WORKING BREEDS

Judge: Mr Ralphe Dunne (Richley)

1. Bernese Mountain Dog Open
2. Boxer Open
3. Bullmastiff Open Dog
4. Bullmastiff Open Bitch
5. Dobermann Open
6. Giant Schnauzer Junior
7. Giant Schnauzer Open Dog
8. Giant Schnauzer Open Bitch
9. Newfoundland Junior
10. Newfoundland Open
11. Rottweiler Open
12. Siberian Husky Open
13. A.V. Working NSC Open

PASTORAL BREEDS

Judge: Dr Marleen Collins (Drummanor)

14. Australian Shepherd Special Yearling
15. Australian Shepherd Limit
16. Australian Shepherd Open
17. Border Collie Open
18. Briard Open
19. Collie (Rough) Junior
20. Collie (Rough) Open
21. Collie (Smooth) Junior
22. Collie (Smooth) Open
23. Samoyed Junior
24. Samoyed Open
25. Welsh Corgi (Pembroke) Open Dog
26. Welsh Corgi (Pembroke) Open Bitch
27. Komondor Open
28. A.V. Pastoral NSC Open

Judge: Mr Colin Johnston (Rohantia)

29. Shetland Sheepdog Open Dog
30. Shetland Sheepdog Open Bitch
31. German Shepherd Dog Junior
32. German Shepherd Dog Open

HOUND BREEDS

Judge: Mr David Smith (Remedee)

Group Judge: Mr Colin Johnston (Rohantia)

33. Dachshund (Mini Wire) Open
34. Dachshund (Mini Long) Open
35. Dachshund (Mini Smooth) Open
36. Dachshund (Smooth Haired) Open
37. Dachshund (Wire Haired) Open
38. Dachshund (Long Haired) Open Dog
39. Dachshund (Long Haired) Open Bitch
40. Afghan Hound Open
41. Basset Hound Junior
42. Basset Hound Open
43. Basset Fauve De Bretagne Junior
44. Basset Fauve De Bretagne Open
45. Beagle Junior
46. Beagle Open Dog
47. Beagle Open Bitch
48. Borzoi Open
49. Deerhound Junior
50. Deerhound Open
51. Irish Wolfhound Junior
52. Irish Wolfhound Open
53. Saluki Junior
54. Saluki Open
55. Whippet Puppy
56. Whippet Junior
57. Whippet Open

Judge: Mr Colin Johnston (Rohantia)

58. A.V. Hound NSC Open

TERRIER BREEDS

Judge: Mr Ralphe Dunne (Richley)

59. Border Terrier Junior
60. Border Terrier Open
61. Bull Terrier Open
62. Cairn Terrier Open
63. Cesky Terrier Open
64. Fox Terrier (Smooth) Open
65. Fox Terrier (Wire) Junior
66. Fox Terrier (Wire) Open Dog

- 67. Fox Terrier (Wire) Open Bitch
- 68. Irish Terrier Junior
- 69. Irish Terrier Open
- 70. Kerry Blue Terrier Junior
- 71. Kerry Blue Terrier Open Dog
- 72. Kerry Blue Terrier Open Bitch
- 73. Sealyham Terrier Open
- 74. Scottish Terrier Open
- 75. Staffordshire Bull Terrier Junior
- 76. Staffordshire Bull Terrier Open
- 77. Welsh Terrier..... Open
- 78. West Highland White Terrier Junior
- 79. West Highland White Terrier Open Dog
- 80. West Highland White Terrier..... Open Bitch
- 81. A.V. Terrier NSC Open

TOY BREEDS

**Judge: Mr Colin Johnston
(Rohantia)**

- 82. Bichon Frise..... Junior
- 83. Bichon Frise Open Dog
- 84. Bichon Frise..... Open Bitch
- 85. Cavalier King Charles SpanielPuppy
- 86. Cavalier King Charles Spaniel..... Junior
- 87. Cavalier King Charles Spaniel Open
- 88. Chihuahua (Long Coat) Open
- 89. Chihuahua (Smooth Coat) Junior
- 90. Chihuahua (Smooth Coat) Open
- 91. Coton De Tulear Open
- 92. King Charles Spaniel Open
- 93. MaltesePuppy
- 94. Maltese Open
- 95. Miniature Pinscher Open Dog
- 96. Miniature Pinscher Open Bitch
- 97. Papillon..... Junior
- 98. Papillon Open Dog
- 99. Papillon Open Bitch
- 100. Pekingese Junior
- 101. Pekingese Open Dog
- 102. Pekingese Open Bitch
- 103. Pomeranian Open
- 104. Pug..... Junior
- 105. Pug Open Dog
- 106. Pug Open Bitch
- 107. Australian Silky Terrier Open
- 108. A.V. Toy NSC Open

UTILITY BREEDS

**Judge: Mr Colin Johnston
(Rohantia)**

- 109. AkitaPuppy
- 110. Akita Open Dog
- 111. Akita Open Bitch
- 112. Boston Terrier Junior
- 113. Boston TerrierOpen
- 114. Bulldog Junior
- 115. Bulldog Open Dog
- 116. Bulldog Open Bitch
- 117. Chow Chow Junior
- 118. Chow ChowOpen
- 119. Dalmatian Puppy
- 120. Dalmatian Junior
- 121. Dalmatian Open Dog
- 122. Dalmatian Open Bitch
- 123. EurasierOpen
- 124. French BulldogJunior
- 125. French Bulldog Open Dog
- 126. French Bulldog Open Bitch
- 127. German Spitz (Klein)..... Open
- 128. Lhasa ApsoOpen
- 129. Miniature SchnauzerJunior
- 130. Miniature Schnauzer Open Dog
- 131. Miniature Schnauzer Open Bitch
- 132. Shih Tzu..... Junior
- 133. Shih TzuOpen
- 134. Poodle (Standard)Open
- 135. Poodle (Toy)Open
- 136. A.V. Utility NSCOpen

**Judge: Mr Colin Johnston
(Rohantia)**

- 137. A.V. Import Register..... Open

GUNDOG BREEDS

Judge: Mr David Smith (Remedee)

**Group Judge: Mr Ralph Dunne
(Richley)**

- 138. Lagotto RomagnoloOpen
- 139. PointerJunior
- 140. PointerOpen
- 141. German Shorthaired Pointer..... Puppy
- 142. German Shorthaired Pointer..... Junior
- 143. German Shorthaired Poainter Open
- 144. Retriever (Golden)..... Junior

145. Retriever (Golden)..... Open Dog
 146. Retriever (Golden)Open Bitch
 147. Retriever (Labrador) Puppy
 148. Retriever (Labrador)Junior
 149. Retriever (Labrador)..... Open
 150. English Setter Open
 151. Gordon SetterJunior
 152. Gordon Setter..... Open
 153. Irish Setter Junior
 154. Irish Setter Open
 155. Irish Red & White Setter Junior
 156. Irish Red & White Setter Open
 157. Spaniel (American Cocker) Open
 158. Spaniel (Cocker) Puppy
 159. Spaniel (Cocker)Junior
 160. Spaniel (Cocker) Open
 161. Spaniel (Welsh Springer) Open
 162. Spaniel (Irish Water)..... Open
 163. Spanish Water Dog Open
 164. Weimaraner Open
Judge: Mr Ralph Dunne (Richley)
 165. A.V. Gundog NSC..... Open

Judge: Mr Colin Johnston

166. Puppy DogStakes

Judge: Mr Ralph Dunne

167. Puppy Bitch Stakes

Judge: Mr Ralph Dunne

168. Veteran Dog.....Stakes

Judge: Mr Colin Johnston

169. Veteran BitchStakes

Judge: Mr Colin Johnston

170. Champion DogStakes

Judge: Mr Ralph Dunne

171. Champion Bitch Stakes

Judge: Mr Colin Johnston

172. A.V. Brace Open

Junior Handling (first available Ring)

Judge: Dr Marleen Collins

- Class 'A' Juniors 6 – 11 years

- Class 'B' Junior 12 – 16 years

Judge: Dr Marleen Collins (Drummanor)

Best in Show :: Reserve Best in Show

Best Puppy from Stakes

Best Veteran from Stakes

Best Champion from Stakes

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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 postal entries shall be counted when entering for any class i.e. **WEDNESDAY 2ND MAY 2018**. Wins in Variety classes do not count for entry in Breed classes but when entering in 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 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 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, 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.

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.

GRADUATE: For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate 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 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 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 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 seven years and over on the day of the Show.

IMPORTED REGISTER: For breeds whose registration is confined to the Imported Register, and which consequently may only be entered in this class.

CHAMPION: For dogs which have been confirmed a Champion, Show Champion or Field Trial Champion

NOT SEPARATELY CLASSIFIED: For breeds of dog for which no separate breed classes are scheduled.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. The Show will open at 8.45a.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:

3 or more dogs in any class except Stakes ...	£12.00
First entry includes catalogue	£8.00
Subsequent entries, except Stakes classes	£2.00
Stakes Classes	£2.00
Junior Handling	£1.00

6. PRIZE MONEY:

Puppy Stakes :: Best Puppy in Stakes £10.00, Reserve Best Puppy in Stakes £5.00
Veteran Stakes :: Best Veteran in Stakes £10.00, Reserve Best Veteran in Stakes £5.00
Champion Stakes :: Best Champion in Stakes £10.00, Reserve Best Champion in Stakes £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:** Special Best Puppy will be awarded from Best Puppy in Stakes.

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** 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 NOT be accepted.

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.

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.

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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