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**PLEASE NOTE THAT THE OFFICERS & COMMITTEE OF
STOURBRIDGE AND DISTRICT CANINE SOCIETY DO NOT EXHIBIT AT THIS SHOW**

SHOW DETAILS AND NOTES FOR EXHIBITORS

Your entries are accepted subject to the following conditions and any exhibitor found to be in contravention of these conditions will be requested to leave the Show immediately.

1. No chalk or talcum powder to be used anywhere on the premises
2. All grooming to be carried out in the area provided for the purpose
3. Tables, cages etc to be in the area provided, NOT at the ringside
4. Dogs to be exercised in the area provided
5. All litter and combings to be placed in waste bins or taken home
6. It is a condition of entry that all children are accompanied at all times, and that adults will be held responsible for the actions of the children in their charge. You will be legally bound to reimburse the cost of any damage caused.

This is a strict condition of entry, therefore if you do not wish to be held liable, please DO NOT enter.

ENTRY FEES: Non Members £5.00 First Entry per Dog; Members £4.00 First Entry per Dog
All subsequent entries with same dog £1.00 per Class
Dogs "Not for Competition": £1.50 per dog

MEMBERSHIP FEES: Single £1.00; Joint £1.50; Junior 50p

CATALOGUES: £2.00 when ordered with entry, only a limited number will be available on the day at £2.50.

All catalogues MUST be collected by 12 noon after which time they will be offered for resale

PLEASE NOTE: Dogs "Not For Competition" will NOT be admitted to the Show unless entered and entry fee paid £1.50

TRADE STANDS: A limited amount of space available for Trade Stands. Please contact the Hon. Secretary for Details

REFRESHMENTS: Hot and Cold refreshments will be available throughout the day

OUR DOGS will again feature the show. Photos for this will be £20 per dog, payable on the day.

CUPS and TROPHIES: A FULL LIST OF TROPHIES WILL BE IN THE CATALOGUE

**Diplomas will be awarded.
£10.00 for exhibitor making most entries.**

STEWARDS: Are you interested in stewarding? If so please contact Mike Harris on 01384 261796

ROSETTES: Best in Show, Reserve Best in Show, Best Puppy in Show, Reserve Best Puppy in Show. Every Best of Breed, Best Puppy in Breed, First in Each Class, First to VHC in Veteran, All Stakes Classes, Junior Handling and as specified in supported entry classes.

Donations for Rosettes would be appreciated and acknowledged in the Catalogue

JUNIOR HANDLING CLASSES: Entry Fee £1.00, dogs MUST be entered in some other Class. JHA Diplomas will be awarded 1st to 3rd in Each Class. Qualifier for JHA Semi-Final at Richmond Championship Show. Please state name and age of handler in appropriate place on Entry Form.

NO ENTRIES ACCEPTED ON THE DAY.

Specials for Junior Handling: £5.00 for Winners of Classes 199 & 200

DEFINITION 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. Show awards issued by the Irish Kennel Club which count towards the title of Champion, shall be five point Green Stars or more. 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 entering for any class i.e. **TUESDAY 11th NOVEMBER 2008**. 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. A dog is not eligible for entry in Variety classes unless also entered and subsequently exhibited in a Breed class where such a class is provided for which it is eligible. Exemptions from this Regulation are:

- (1) A puppy, unless a class for dogs under twelve months of age for which it is eligible is provided for the breed
 - (2) A dog in Any Variety Veteran Class.
 - (3) A dog in Any Variety Champion Class.
 - (4) As provided in Kennel Club Definitions of Classes.
 - (5) A dog which is withdrawn from exhibition in breed classes as a result of the appointment of an emergency judge.
- 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.

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.

SPECIAL YEARLING: For dogs of six and not exceeding twenty-four calendar months of age on the first day of the Show.

NOVICE: For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate 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 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.

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.

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 7 or more First Prizes in all at Championship Shows in Limit and 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 not of not less than seven years of age on the first day of the Show.

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

SPECIAL BEGINNERS: For owner, handler & exhibit not having won a Challenge Certificate.

PROPOSED ORDER OF JUDGING

The Society guarantees that the breeds shown will not be judged before the times stated

Breed	Not Before	Australian Terrier	9.30am	AVNSC Utility	14.00
Afghans	11.00am	Welsh	9.45am	Cavalier KCS	10.00 am
Beagle (Dogs)	11.45am	WHWT	10.00 am	Chihuahua L/C S/E	13.00
Beagle (Bitches)	12.00	AVNSC Terrier	10.15 am	Chihuahua S/C S/E	13.15
Norwegian Elkhounds (D)	11.15am	Great Danes	9.45 am	Chinese Crested	14.15
Norwegian Elkhounds (B)	11.30am	Boxers	12.00	English Toy Terriers	11.00 am
Rhodesian Ridgebacks	12.30	Bull Mastiffs	12.15	Griffon Bruxellois	14.15
Whippets	10.15am	Dobermanns	9.30 am	Italian Greyhounds	14.15
A.V. N.S.C. Hounds.	12.45	Rottweilers	12.30	Jap Chins	12.30
Cockers	9.30 am	Mastiffs	12.30	Papillons	14.15
English Setter	10.15 am	AVNSC Working	12.45	Pekingese	12.45
English Springer	9.30 am	Australian Shepherds	11.30 am	Pomeranians	14.30
Golden Retriever	10.30am	Bearded Collies	11.45 am	Pugs	14.45
Irish Setter	10.45am	Norwegian Buhunds	12.00	AVNSC Toys	14.45
Labradors	10.30 am	Rough Collies	12.30	Puppy Sweeps	14.30
Large Munsterlanders	11.15am	Shetland Sheepdogs	12.45	Veteran	14.30
Pointer	10.00 am	AVNSC Pastoral	13.00	Special Beginners	15.00
Weimaraners	10.00 am	Bulldogs	9.30 am	Joe Braddon Memorial	15.00
AVNSC Gundog	10.15am	Lhasa Apsos	11.30 am	Junior Handling	12.00
Bull Terriers	10.45 am	Shih Tzus	11.45 am		
Miniature Bull Terriers	11.00 am	Tibetan Spaniels	13.45		
Staffordshire BT	10.30 am	Tibetan Terrier	12.00		

CLASSIFICATION

ALL CLASSES ARE FOR DOG AND BITCH UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED

Afghan Hound

1. Puppy 2. Junior 3. Open

Judge: Mr A Greenfield (Phelezzi)

This is a supported entry by the West Mercia Beagle Club which offers as follows:

£5.00 Best of Breed, £5.00 Reserve Best of Breed and £5.00 Best Puppy

Beagle Dog

4. Puppy Dog 5. Junior Dog 6. Open Dog

Judge: Miss C Chapman(Balderstone)

Beagle Bitch

7. Puppy Bitch 8. Junior Bitch 9. Open Bitch

Judge: Mr M Perry (Perijewel)

REFEREE : Mrs A Cawthera-Purdy

Mr R Greaves kindly offers a commemorative teaspoon (to be won outright) to each class winner.

Norwegian Elkhound Dog

10. Junior Dog 11. Post Graduate Dog 12. Open Dog

Judge: Mr D Poole(Grantaevet)

Norwegian Elkhound Bitch

13. Junior Bitch 14. Post Graduate Bitch 15. Open Bitch

Judge: Miss S Middleton (Nelson, Lancs)

REFEREE : Mrs A Cawthera-Purdy

Rhodesian Ridgeback

16. Junior 17. Post Graduate 18. Open

Judge: Mr R Price(Harecroft)

Whippet

19. Puppy 20. Junior 21. Special Yearling

23. Open

Judge: Dr R Phillips-Griffiths(Astri)

22. Post Graduate

A. V. N.S.C. Hound

24. Junior 25. Post Graduate 26. Open

Judge: Mr R Price(Harecroft)

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Spaniel (Cocker)

27. Puppy 28. Junior 29. Novice

Judge: Mrs Brookes (Kyrenia)

30. Post Graduate 31. Open

English Setter

32. Junior 33. Post Graduate 34. Open

Judge: Miss R Burton(Redhara)

Spaniel (English Springer)

35. Junior 36. Post Graduate 37. Open

Judge: Mrs A Digby(Alsziv)

Retriever (Golden)

38. Puppy 39. Junior 40. Special Yearling

42. Open

Judge: Miss L Fisher(Palizolla)

41. Post Graduate

Irish Setter

43. Puppy 44. Junior 45. Special Yearling

47. Open

Judge: Miss R Burton(Redhara)

46. Post Graduate

Retriever (Labrador)

48. Puppy 49. Post Graduate 50. Open

Judge: Mrs L Hill(Daleabbey)

Large Munsterlander

51. Junior 52. Post Graduate 53. Open

Judge: Miss P Graham(Bridgwater)

Pointer

54. Junior 55. Post Graduate 56. Open

Judge: Mrs A Digby(Alsziv)

Weimaraner

57. Junior 58. Post Graduate 59. Open

Judge: Mrs S Taylor(Wassermusik)

A. V. N.S.C. Gundog

60. Junior 61. Post Graduate 62. Open

Judge: Mrs A Digby(Alsziv)

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Australian Terrier

Judge: Mr A Small(Bethane)

03. Puppy	04. Post Graduate	05. Open	
Bull Terrier			<i>Judge: Mr S Paterson(Golitha)</i>
66. Junior	67. Post Graduate	68. Open	
Bull Terrier (Miniature)			<i>Judge: Mr S Paterson(Golitha)</i>
69. Junior	70. Open		
Staffordshire Bull Terrier			<i>Judge: Mrs D Dallas(Baysend)</i>
71. Puppy	72. Junior	73. Special Yearling	74. Post Graduate
75. Open			
Welsh Terrier			<i>Judge: Mr A Small(Bethane)</i>
76. Junior	77. Post Graduate	78. Open	
West Highland White Terrier			<i>Judge: Mr A Small(Bethane)</i>
79. Junior	80. Post Graduate	81. Open	
A. V. N.S.C. Terrier			<i>Judge: Mr A Small(Bethane)</i>
82. Junior	83. Post Graduate	84. Open	

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Boxer			<i>Judge: Mr A Easdon(Yakee)</i>
85. Puppy	86. Junior	87. Novice	88. Post Graduate 89. Open
Bullmastiff			<i>Judge: Miss A White(Allwatcha)</i>
90. Junior	91. Post Graduate	92. Open	
Dobermann			<i>Judge: Mrs A Crawford(Jorazan)</i>
93. Puppy	94. Junior	95. Novice	96. Post Graduate 97. Open
Great Dane			<i>Judge: Mrs A Tomlin(Stagbatch)</i>
98. Junior	99. Post Graduate	100. Open	
Mastiff			<i>Judge: Mrs P Baker(Merrywyck)</i>
101. Junior	102. Post Graduate	103. Open	
Rottweiler			<i>Judge: Mr A Easden(Yakee)</i>
104. Puppy	105. Junior	106. Novice	107. Post Graduate 108. Open
A. V. N.S.C. Working			<i>Judge: Mr A Easden(Yakee)</i>
109. Junior	110. Post Graduate	111. Open	

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Australian Shepherd Dog			<i>Judge: Mrs A Cawthra-Purdy(Lireva)</i>
112. Junior	113. Post Graduate	114. Open	
Bearded Collie			<i>Judge: Mrs A Cawthra-Purdy(Lireva)</i>
115. Puppy	116. Junior	117. Novice	118. Post Graduate 119. Open
Norwegian Buhund			<i>Judge: Mrs A Cawthra-Purdy(Lireva)</i>
120. Junior	121. Post Graduate	122. Open	
Collie (Rough)			<i>Judge: Mr S Corrigan(Catdanse)</i>
123. Junior	124. Post Graduate	125. Open	
Shetland Sheepdog			<i>Judge: Mr S Corrigan(Catdanse)</i>
126. Post Graduate	127. Junior	128. Novice	129. Post Graduate 130. Open
A. V. N.S.C. Pastoral			<i>Judge: Mr A Easden(Yakee)</i>
131. Junior	132. Post Graduate	133. Open	

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Bulldog			<i>Judge: Miss A Gwillim(Mylobull)</i>
134. Junior	135. Post Graduate	136. Open	
Lhasa Apso			<i>Judge: Mr D Roberts(Kybo)</i>
137. Junior	138. Post Graduate	139. Open	
Shih Tzu			<i>Judge: Mr D Roberts(Kybo)</i>
140. Junior	141. Post Graduate	142. Open	

Tibetan Spaniel
143. Junior 144. Post Graduate 145. Open

Judge: Mr A Easden(Yakee)

Tibetan Terrier
146. Junior 147. Post Graduate 148. Open

Judge: Mr D Roberts(Kybo)

A.V. N.S.C. Utility
149. Junior 150. Post Graduate 151. Open

Judge: Mr A Easden(Yakee)

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Chihuahua (Long Coat)
152. Junior 153. Post Graduate 154. Open

Judge: Mr S Corrigan(Catdanse)

Chihuahua (Smooth Coat)
155. Junior 156. Post Graduate 157. Open

Judge: Mr S Corrigan(Catdanse)

Chinese Crested
158. Junior 159. Post Graduate 160. Open

Judge: Mr A Easden(Yakee)

Cavalier King Charles Spaniel
161. Puppy 162. Junior 163. Graduate

Judge: Miss L Tarabad(Khatibi)
164. Open Dog 165. Open Bitch

English Toy Terrier
166. Junior 167. Post Graduate 168. Open

Judge: Dr R Phillips-Griffiths(Astri)

Griffon Bruxellois
169. Puppy 170. Post Graduate 171. Open

Judge: Mr S Corrigan(Catdanse)

Italian Greyhound
172. Junior 173. Post Graduate 174. Open

Judge: Mr S Corrigan(Catdanse)

Japanese Chin
175. Junior 176. Post Graduate 177. Open

Judge: Mrs A Cawthra-Purdy(Lireva)

Papillon
178. Junior 179. Post Graduate 180. Open

Judge: Mr A Easden(Yakee)

Pekingese
181. Junior 182. Post Graduate 183. Open

Judge: Mrs A Cawthra-Purdy(Lireva)

Pomeranian
184. Junior 185. Post Graduate 186. Open

Judge: Mr S Corrigan(Catdanse)

Pug
187. Puppy 188. Junior 189. Novice

Judge: Mr A Easden(Yakee)
190. Post Graduate 191. Open

A.V. N.S.C. Toy
192. Puppy 193. Post Graduate 194. Open

Judge: Mr A Easden(Yakee)

Best in Group will now be Judged by Mrs A Cawthra-Purdy

Sweepstakes

*The Total 2nd entry money attracted by these classes will be awarded to 1st to 5th place and divided as follows:
1st 40%, 2nd 30%, 3rd 15%, 4th 10%, 5th 5%*

A.V. Puppy Sweeps Stakes
195. Minor Puppy Dog 196. Minor Puppy Bitch

Judge: Mr R Price(Harecroft)
197. Puppy Dog 198. Puppy Bitch

A.V. Veteran Sweeps Stakes
199. Veteran Dog 200. Veteran Bitch

Mrs A Cawthra-Purdy(Lireva)

A.V. Special Beginners Stakes
201. Puppy 202. Post Graduate 203. Open

Judge: Mr R Price(Harecroft)

A.V. Joe Braddon Memorial Open Stakes
204. Puppy 205. Post Graduate 206. Open

Judge: Mr A Easden(Yakee)

A.V. Junior Handling
207. 6 - 11 years 208. 12 - 16 years

Judge: Mr S Corrigan(Catdanse)

BEST IN SHOW :: RESERVE BEST IN SHOW ::

BEST PUPPY IN SHOW & RESERVE BEST PUPPY IN SHOW

will now be judged by Mrs A Cawthra-Purdy(Lireva)

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. **OPENING OF SHOW:** The Show will open at 8.30 a.m.
2. **RECEIPT OF DOGS:** 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 TIME:** Judging will commence at 9.30 a.m. **CLOSE OF SHOW:** The Show will close half an hour after all judging has been completed at which time dogs must be removed.
4. **REMOVAL OF EXHIBITS:** Exhibits may be removed from the Show after their judging has been completed. Exhibits may not be removed any earlier unless by written order of the Veterinary Surgeon or of the Show Management and then only in very exceptional and unforeseen circumstances which must be reported to the Kennel Club.
5. **COOKING STOVES:** The use of cooking stoves in the proximity of the tenting and benching areas is forbidden except as authorised by the Show Management.
6. **FEES: Entry Fees: Non-Members:** First Entry £5.00 per dog; **Members:** First Entry £4.00 Per Dog; All subsequent entries with the same dog £1.00 per class. **Membership:** £1.00 Single; £1.50 Joint; Junior 50p.
7. **PRIZE MONEY:** In all classes. To be collected at the Show from Committee table
8. **REFUSAL OF ENTRIES:** The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries.
9. **PUPPIES:** Puppies under six calendar months of age on the first day of the Show are not eligible for exhibition.
10. **MATING OF BITCHES:** The mating of bitches within the precincts of the Show is forbidden.
11. **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 is unbeaten by any other puppy exhibited at the same Show. 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, Best of Group or Best in Show is a puppy it will also automatically be Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show respectively. Similarly, if 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 will also automatically be Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show respectively. Consequently, selection of Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show must follow the selection of Best of Breed, Best of Group and Best in Show respectively.
BEST PUPPY IN GROUP: Best Puppy in Group and subsequent Group placings must be selected from those puppies which have been judged and which are unbeaten by any other puppy.
BEST PUPPY IN SHOW: Best Puppy in Show must be selected from the Best Puppy in Group Winners provided they are unbeaten by any other puppy.
- WITHDRAWAL FROM COMPETITION:** Puppies which become eligible for Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show may be withdrawn from all other competition prior to the competition for Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show as appropriate in order to remain unbeaten. A puppy beaten in competition for Best Puppy in Group or Best Puppy in Show may subsequently be exhibited in all competition for which it was previously eligible. The dog declared Best Puppy in Show, however, must not compete in any subsequent competition. **PROVISO:** For the purpose of this Regulation, dogs beaten in competition for Stud Dog, Brood Bitch, Progeny, Brace and Team or a Special Award confined to one breed will not be considered to be a beaten dog.
12. **BEST IN SHOW:** The dog declared Best in Show is a dog which has competed and is unbeaten by any other dog exhibited at the same Show.
- BEST OF BREED:** Where a breed is separately classified a Best of Breed must be declared. Where separate classes are provided for each sex of a breed a Best of each Sex must be selected from which the Best of Breed must be declared.
- 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 the Kennel Club Rules Regulation B(A); and requires 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 GROUP: Best of Group and subsequent Group placings must be selected from:- (a) The Best of Breed winners in each Group provided they are unbeaten winning dogs. (b) The best unbeaten winning dog from Any Variety Not Separately Classified.
BEST IN SHOW: Best in Show must be selected from the Best of Group winners provided they are unbeaten. Reserve Best in Show must be selected from the remaining Group winners following the selection for Best in Show.
- WITHDRAWAL FROM OTHER COMPETITION:** Dogs which become eligible for Best of Group and Best in Show may be withdrawn from all other competition other than breed classes and Best of Breed prior to the competition for Best of Group and Best in Show in order to remain unbeaten. A dog beaten in competition for Best of Group or Best in Show may subsequently be exhibited in all competition for which it was previously eligible. The dogs declared Best in Show and Reserve Best in Show however, must not compete in any subsequent competition. **PROVISO:** For the purposes of this Regulation, dogs beaten in competition for Stud Dog, Brood Bitch, Progeny, Brace and Team or a Special Award confined to a single breed, will not be considered to be beaten dogs.

13. **ADMISSION TO GROUPS:** Exhibits will not be admitted to Group or 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.

14. **SCHEDULE AMENDMENTS:** No modifications will be made to this Schedule except by permission of the General Committee of the Kennel Club, which will be followed by advertisement in the Canine Press wherever possible.

15. **PREPARATION OF DOGS FOR EXHIBITION:** All exhibitors must be familiar with Kennel Club Regulation F (Annex B) Regulations for the preparation of Dogs for Exhibition.

16. All dogs resident outside the U.K. 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.

17. **DOGS IN CARS 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.

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 General Committee for disciplinary action under Kennel Club Rules and Regulations. Right to Refuse Entries. Exhibitors/Competitors are reminded that show societies have the right under Kennel Club Regulation to refuse any entry.

18. **CHANGE OF JUDGE:** Should any judge be prevented from fulfilling their engagement, the Committee reserve to themselves the right of appointing other judges to fulfill their duties. Exhibitors are at liberty to withdraw from competition but no entry fees can be refunded.

19. **DOG FOULING:** Any owner, exhibitor, handler or other person in charge of a dog is requested to remove as soon as possible any fouling caused by their dogs at any Kennel Club Licensed Show within the licensed venue and within the environs of that event including car and caravan parks and approaches. Adequate receptacles for the disposal of such fouling will be provided.

20. **RESPONSIBILITY:** The Committee will do its utmost to ensure the safety of the dogs brought for exhibition but it must be clearly understood by exhibitors and all other persons at the Show that the Committee will not be responsible for the loss or damage to any dogs or property, or personal injury, whether arising from accident or any other cause whatsoever.

21. **ALTERATIONS:** An announcement prior to the date of closing of entries in "Our Dogs" and/or "Dog World" of any alteration or addition made by the Committee to the Schedule or in these Regulations shall be sufficient notice thereof.

22. **ALL CHILDREN:** All children must be kept under control, and parents will be held responsible for any damage caused and charges incurred.

23. **GANGWAYS:** Please do not obstruct the gangways with Trolleys. Storage space will be made available for Trolleys/Cages.

24. **POWER TO REMOVE DOGS:** The Committee will be empowered to exclude or remove any dog which is not in a fit state for exhibition, either from illness, disease, vice, natural or other causes, and if such exclusion takes place, either before or after judging, the entry fee will be forfeited.

25. **EXHIBITS ONLY:** No animal other than an exhibit duly entered at the Show will be allowed within the precincts of the Show during its continuance.

PLEASE NOTE:

The Officers and Committee of Stourbridge & District Canine Society do not accept responsibility for any products advertised or sold by Stall Holders and/or Trade Stands at this Show. Exhibitors are reminded that products on sale by Trade Stands for the preparation and grooming of dogs may not meet the requirements for the regulations for the preparation of dogs for exhibition.

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.

PLEASE NOTE

All cheques must be ready for presentation. Any returned cheques will attract an administration fee & Kennel Club will be informed

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