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BIRMINGHAM DOG SHOW SOCIETY EST. 1859



NATIONAL DOG SHOW

SCHEDULE OF UNBENCHED

167th

General Championship Show

*(held under Royal Kennel Club Limited Rules and Regulations
on Group System of Judging)*

STAFFORDSHIRE COUNTY SHOWGROUND
WESTON ROAD, STAFFORD ST18 0BD

Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday
7th, 8th, 9th & 10th May 2026

Show Opens: 7.00 am Breed judging to start at 9.00 am onwards
JHA classes will commence at 8.30 am

BEST PUPPY
IN SHOW
& BEST
VETERAN
IN SHOW

BEST
SPECIAL
BEGINNER
IN SHOW

8 TOP
QUALITY
ROSETTES
FOR ALL
CC BREEDS

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QUALITY
ROSETTES
FOR NON
CC BREEDS

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ALL RINGS
WILL BE
CARPETED

Thursday — Utility & Toy Friday — Hound & Terrier
Saturday — Gundog Sunday — Working & Pastoral

STAKES CLASSES - GENEROUS PRIZE MONEY!

Entries and Fees, which MUST be pre-paid, to be sent to
Higham Press Ltd.

New Street, Higham,
Alfreton, Derbyshire DE55 6BP

Tel: 01773 832390

Email: admin@highampress.co.uk

www.thenationaldogshow.org.uk

Showground telephone: 01785 246403 (6th - 10th May only) or mobile 07920 133399

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NATIVE BREEDS
STAKES
ROSETTES
& PRIZE MONEY

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LARGE
CLASSIFICATION
FOR EVERY
BREED

• PUPPIES FROM 4 MONTHS OF AGE CAN BE ENTERED NFC OR AS SPECTATOR DOGS •

4 OR MORE DOGS IN THE SAME OWNERSHIP CAN BE ENTERED FOR £125

Only undocked dogs and legally docked dogs may be entered for exhibition at this show

Postal Entries Close: Thursday 26th March 2026

Online Entries may be made up to 12 noon on Wednesday 8th April 2026 at www.highampress.co.uk

LOCATION

Positioned in the heart of England, the Showground is easily accessible by road.

By Road

From the South

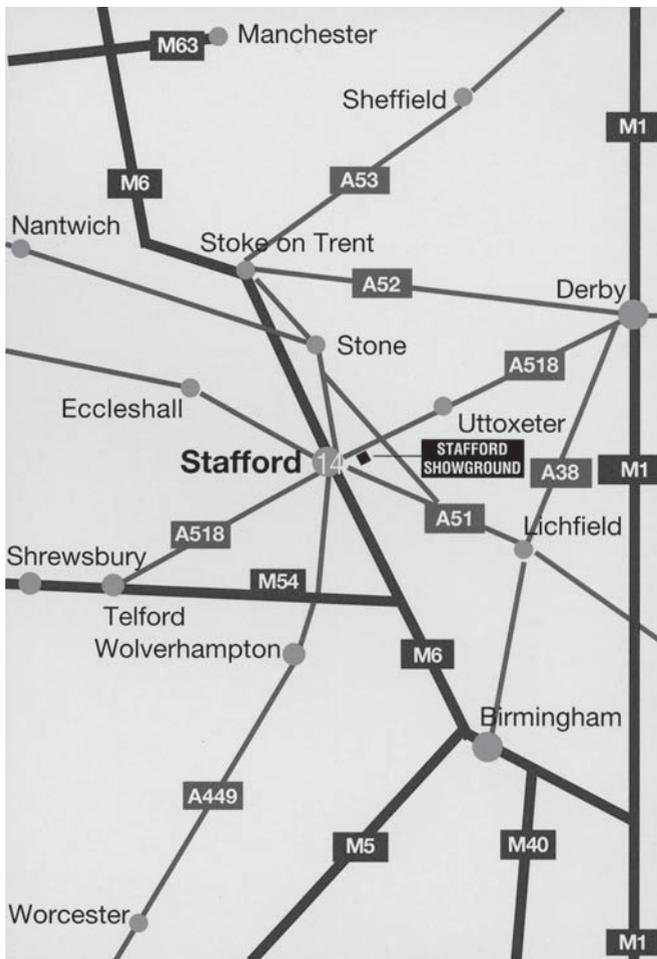
- M5, M6. Exit M6 motorway at junction 14. Follow A518 and signposts for Stafford Showground.
- M1, M6. Exit at junction 14 and follow signs for Stafford Showground and A518.

From the North

- The M6 is a major route for those travelling from the north. Exit at junction 14, as above.
- M1, via Derby A38, A50, A518. (The Showground is located on the A518).

By Air

- Airports - Birmingham International Airport is about 45 minutes from the Showground and both Manchester and East Midlands Airports can be reached in little more than an hour.



Accommodation

- A wide selection of accommodation is available within easy reach of the Showground. Stafford town centre is just 3 miles away offering a range from simple B&B to four star hotels. For a detailed list please contact Stafford Tourist Information Centre (Tel. 01785 619619). It is recommended that exhibitors ensure that their chosen establishment will accommodate dogs prior to booking.

ATTRACTING OF EXHIBITS: The attracting of the attention of exhibits by any method from the ringside is prohibited. It is the duty of the Judge, Steward or show management noticing such attraction to ask that it cease.

The Birmingham Dog Show Society Ltd. (Estd. 1859)

President: Mr Keith Young

Vice-President: Dr Margaret Milne

Management Committee:

Miss Rebecca Barber

Mr Nick Gourley (Chairman)

Mrs Jennie Griffiths (Secretary)

Mr Alan Hards

Mr Gary Hinsley

Miss Helen Howard

Mrs Pamela Jeans-Brown

Miss Paige Jepson

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Mrs Hilary Norbury

Mr Harry Russell

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Mrs Jenny Shorer-Wheeler

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Show Manager: Mr Gary Hinsley

Chief Steward: Mrs Jennifer Millard

Medical Officer: Medical Solutions (GB) Ltd.

Health & Safety Officer: Mrs Hilary Norbury

Veterinary Surgeon: Erik D'Arcy-Donnelly BSc BVSC MRCVS
and Dr A G Schemel MRCVS

Solicitors: Manby & Steward, 1 St Leonards Close, Bridgnorth, Shropshire WV16 4EL

Auditors: Heywoods Chartered Accountants

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 Royal 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 (vide Royal Kennel Club General Show Regulations F4 and F5).

Secretary: Jennie Griffiths

Tel: 07920 133399

Email: secretary@thenationaldogshow.org.uk

www.thenationaldogshow.org.uk

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".

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at www.highampress.co.uk**

Dogs in the ownership or joint ownership of Officers and Committee, or dogs in the ownership of anyone residing at an Officer or Committee Member's address will not be exhibited at this show.

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Email: admin@highampress.co.uk Show results and online entry: www.highampress.co.uk*

ENTRY FEES

Breeds with CCs on offer	1st entry with each dog	* £34.00
Breeds without CCs on offer, AV Imported Register	and Stakes - 1st entry with each dog	* £20.00
Not For Competition (please provide details on entry form)		* £10.00
Each subsequent entry with the same dog		£6.00
JHA/YKC Members Handling/Adult Handling Classes per class		£6.00
RKC Breeders' Competition		£15.00
Pre-paid catalogue (£8 on the day)		£7.00

Must be collected before 12.00 noon. Catalogue vouchers will be scanned

Caravan/Motorhomes (*see page 6*) **All caravans must carry a fire extinguisher** £60.00
One night may be booked on site with Caravan Warden

**Breed catalogue download £4.00

****Only available to exhibitors entering online via www.highampress.co.uk. This year we are giving exhibitors who enter online the opportunity to download a breed catalogue to their smartphone or tablet. Available from 7am on the day of the show. ONLY £4.00 PER DOWNLOAD - includes one breed only.**

You may enter four or more dogs in the same ownership for £125 - This applies to first entries only. Subsequent entries with the same dog as above. You may take advantage of this offer online or by post. If entering a mix of CC breeds and non-CC breeds then please consider if you will benefit by taking advantage of this offer. It must be the same ownership for all dogs.

On no account will entries be accepted unless accompanied by the appropriate fee.

ENTRY FEES ARE NOT RETURNABLE AND NON-REFUNDABLE.

The society is unable to accept Eurocheques or cheques drawn on overseas banks. Entry fees must be paid in **£ Sterling** and any cheques must be drawn on a UK bank or paid by **£ Sterling Bankers Draft** or by Giro International Money order drawn in **£ Sterling** (GBP).

*** NB For entries made online during the extended period (27th March onwards) there will be an additional charge of £2 for each first entry.**

PLEASE NOTE THAT PAYMENT BY CREDIT/DEBIT CARD MAY ONLY BE MADE IF YOU ENTER ONLINE at www.highampress.co.uk

N.B. Higham Press Ltd. will make a charge of £5.00 for all incorrect/incomplete/underpaid entries made on-line, to be paid to and collected by Higham Press Ltd.

All fees are inclusive of VAT where this tax is applicable.

If you require a VAT receipt please enclose a SAE with your entry clearly marked VAT RECEIPT REQUIRED.

Spectator dogs from 4 months of age will be allowed - see page 6.

RETURNED CHEQUES & UNPAID CARD PAYMENTS

Please note that in the event of a cheque being returned for any reason by the exhibitor's bank or that of his/her agent a surcharge of £20, to cover administration and Bank charges, will be levied against the exhibitor. Any exhibitor failing to pay entry fees and/or surcharges so incurred will be referred to The Royal Kennel Club.

PLEASE MAKE SURE YOUR DOG IS ELIGIBLE FOR ENTRY

EXHIBITORS PASS(ES)

It is most important to put your correct postal address on the entry forms.

Failure to do so may result in your passes being delayed or not received by you at all.

Address should include, where applicable:

House number (not just house name), postal town, correct postcode

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING IDENTIFICATION OF DOGS

It is a Royal Kennel Club requirement that exhibitors display the exhibit number on their crate, cage or container at all times. This is particularly important when cages etc. are not on benches, and at unbenched shows.

Each exhibitor is responsible for providing their own crate or cage identification and should note that the original exhibit number card, as provided by the show society, must not be used for this purpose.

It is important to be able to contact exhibitors and identify dogs where a dog may be in distress or where the crate might be blocking a gangway.

Both of these points were introduced with the safety of all in mind, but most importantly that of the dog, and to minimise potential incidents and injuries.

Opportunities for Good Citizen Bronze Testing at the National Dog Show

The National Dog Show is offering Good Citizen Bronze Testing at the show each day.

The test incorporates simple exercises like walking on a lead with distractions, grooming, stay on a lead, recall and basic control exercises.

Participants must ensure:-

- Their dog is wearing a collar with the name and the address of the owner either inscribed on the collar or on a disc attached to it.
- Their dog is microchipped.
- Handler must show they have means to clean up after their dog.

Testing sessions will be held from 10 am until 2 pm each day. Ring location to be confirmed.

Entries are taken on the day at a cost of £5 per dog. **(cash payments only)**.

PRIZE MONEY STAKES CLASSES

HIGHAM PRESS POST GRADUATE STAKES

Judge Mr David Shields

Prize Money: 1st £25; 2nd £15; 3rd £10; 4th £5

YOUNG KENNEL CLUB MEMBERS' STAKES

Judge Miss Sharon R Pinkerton

Prize Money: 1st £10; 2nd £5; 3rd £3; 4th £2

YOUNG KENNEL CLUB MEMBERS' HANDLING CLASSES

Judge Miss Sharon R Pinkerton

Prize Money: 1st £10; 2nd £5; 3rd £3; 4th £2

MERIEL HATHAWAY MEMORIAL OPEN STAKES

Judge: Miss Sharon R Pinkerton

Prize Money: 1st £25; 2nd £15; 3rd £10; 4th £5

VULNERABLE NATIVE BREEDS STAKES

Judge Mr Kevin Young

Prize Money: 1st £25; 2nd £15; 3rd £10; 4th £5

ANY VARIETY GOOD CITIZEN DOG SCHEME CLASS

Judge Miss Sharon R Pinkerton

Prize Money: 1st £50; 2nd £25; 3rd £10; Reserve £5

SPECIALS / ROSETTES / PRIZE CARDS

SPECIALS

Champagne for Best in Show
Champagne for Reserve Best in Show
Champagne for Best Puppy in Show
Champagne for Reserve Best Puppy in Show
Champagne for Best Veteran in Show
Champagne for Reserve Best Veteran in Show
Champagne for Best Special Beginner in Show
Champagne for Reserve Best Special Beginner in Show

ROSETTES

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
Best Special Beginner in Show • Reserve Best Special Beginner in Show
Group Winners to Fourth Place • Puppy Group Winners to Fourth Place
Veteran Group Winners to Fourth Place
Special Beginners Group Winners to Fourth Place
Challenge Certificate Winners • Reserve Challenge Certificate Winners
Best Dog and Best Bitch in Non CC Breeds & AV Imported Register
Best of Breed • Best Puppy in Breed • Best Veteran in Breed
Best AV Imported Register each day
Special Rosettes 1st - VHC for the Merial Hathaway Memorial Open Stakes
Special Rosettes 1st - VHC for the Vulnerable Native Breeds Stakes
Special Rosettes 1st - VHC Post Graduate Stakes

PRIZE CARDS

Colourful prize cards, based on those originally designed in the 1890s, for 1st - VHC in every class and all Group and Puppy Group and Veteran Group placings.

**Birmingham National Dog Show would like to thank the following SPONSORS:-
Royal Canin are sponsoring rosettes at the show.**

Royal Canin are offering the following money off product vouchers:-

Best in Show	Tier 1 Certificate
Reserve Best in Show	Tier 1 Certificate
Group Winners	Tier 1 Certificate
Groups 2-4	Tier 2 Certificate

Best Dog & Best Bitch in ALL Breeds including AV Imported Register Breeds: Tier 2 Certificate

Prize money for Post Graduate Stakes is sponsored by Higham Press

**Awardboard Rosettes are providing Special Box Framed Rosettes for Best in Show,
Best Puppy in Show and Best Veteran in Show and Rosettes for Reserve Best Puppy in Show and
Reserve Best Veteran in Show**

Dalsetter are offering 1st - 5th Rosettes for JHA classes

Our Dogs are sponsoring Champagne 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
Best Special Beginner in Show, Reserve Best Special Beginner in Show

HAVE A GO SHOW - Sunday 10th May

**Come and learn about showing and take part in a "Have a Go Dog Show" at 2.30pm
There will be generous goody bags for those taking part.**

**For further details contact Christina Chapman
Tel: 01507 363736 or email: christinachapman.bukris@gmail.com**

CHANCES TO LEARN - DAILY SEMINARS

Thursday 7th May Points Of A Dog - all day by appointment. Plus Stewarding at 1.30pm

Friday 8th May Points Of A Dog - all day by appointment. Plus Stewarding at 1.30pm

Saturday 9th May Points Of A Dog - all day by appointment.

Sunday 10th May Conformation and Movement at 9.30am

For further details please contact Christina Chapman on 01507 363736
or email christinachapman.bukris@gmail.com

PHONE SIGNAL / WIFI BINGLEY HALL

**The WiFi connection has been enhanced within Bingley Hall but some visitors
still have problems with the phone signal. Visitors should have "wifi enabled"
activated on the phone as this enhances the signal.**

IMPORTANT NOTICES

ALTERATION TO SCHEDULE

In addition to being advertised in the weekly dog press, wherever possible, any alteration to this schedule (including any change of judge) will be included on the Society's website: www.thenationaldogshow.org.uk and Higham Press website: www.highampress.co.uk. Please make regular checks.

PARKING FACILITIES FOR DISABLED EXHIBITORS AND VISITORS

A forward parking area will be allocated in each car park for the use of disabled exhibitors and visitors. Vehicles displaying the official parking disc will be directed by the car parking staff on the day.

CARAVANS/MOTORHOMES

£60 pre-booked (for the duration of the show), **£70 if booked on site**. Space on the caravan site is limited and early booking is advised. Overnight booking cannot be pre-booked but (if space is available) can be booked on site at a cost of £15 per night. Caravans will be parked in a separate eight-acre field adjacent to the showground and linked by a tarmac footpath. Facilities include a toilet block (including disabled), shower block (in main building and accessible 24 hours), chemical disposal point and a fire point. A woodland site is available for exercising dogs on the strict understanding that dogs are kept on a lead at all times and any fouling is removed immediately, as this is a picnic area. **Caravans will only be allowed on the site from 10.00 am on Tuesday 5th May and must be removed by 12 noon on Monday 11th May 2026.**

Please note that each caravan will be allocated a space of 10 metres in width. All equipment, including awning, windbreaks etc. must be contained within the allocated space and individual units must not be linked. **Although there is no extra charge for Caravans/Motorhomes over 10 metres in length it is essential to specify a larger pitch is required as spaces for these vehicles are limited.** All arrivals should report to the Society's appointed warden(s) who are in control of the site and anyone not complying with his/her instructions will be asked to leave the site. **NB. This is a temporary caravan site more suited to self-contained units. MOTORHOMES/CARAVANS MUST NOT BE PARKED OVERNIGHT IN THE CAR PARK. All caravans must carry a fire extinguisher.**

NO UNENTERED DOG TENT

An unentered dog tent will NOT be provided at the 2026 Show.

SPECTATOR DOGS

Spectator Dogs from 4 months of age may be brought into the show. On arrival please report to the Catalogue table in the morning or Secretary's Office in the afternoon. A brief form must be completed and a fee of £5.00 paid.

To ensure your dogs' safety at our show passes will be issued for all Spectator Dogs and a fee of £5.00 per dog will be payable. Passes for all will be checked on leaving the show ground. No dog will be checked out of the showground without an appropriate pass.

PHOTOGRAPHY & VIDEO RIGHTS

The Organisers would like to bring the regulation on photography and filming to the attention of exhibitors, trade stands, press and visitors. It is a condition of all those attending the event that no filming or other form of recording may be taken or made at the venue without express written permission of the Organisers. The taking of photographs in the show venue for sale or reward is strictly prohibited except with the written permission of the Organisers. Press accredited photographers are provided with permission to take photographs ONLY for use in newspapers, magazines and internet

sites – this is for news purposes only. There is no objection to the general public taking photographs of general views of the show, provided that these are for private use. Specific dogs may be photographed only with the approval of the exhibitor. No photography or filming is permitted in breed judging rings whilst judging is actually taking place. However, judges may allow it to happen at the end of classes or after the Challenge Certificate is awarded. Filming and flash photography is allowed from outside the ring at all times unless the operation of the camera is actually affecting exhibits. However, if a powerful flash unit is used or it is clear that exhibits are being affected, a ring steward or the judge is empowered to stop the person concerned.

FOULING

Any owner, exhibitor, handler or other person in charge of a dog is required to remove immediately any fouling caused by their dog(s), and/or any grooming waste, at any Royal Kennel Club 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/grooming waste will be provided by the Society. It is not acceptable to “pick up” after your dog and then leave the bag underneath your vehicle for others to collect at the end of the day.

EYE TESTING SESSIONS

Lorna Newman BVMS CertVOphthal MRCVS will be holding eye testing sessions under the BVA/KC/ISDS Scheme from 10.00am until 3pm each day. The cost of the test will be £55. No appointment is necessary. Please remember to bring along the dog’s Royal Kennel Club registration form. Gonioscopy testing may be available depending on demand on the day. The cost for both Gonioscopy and Eye Testing will be £90.

UNACCEPTABLE BEHAVIOUR

Regrettably the Society has been receiving an increasing number of reports of verbal/physical assaults on security staff, particularly when collecting Removal Orders at the main gate. Exhibitors are advised that this behaviour is not acceptable and that it is the intention of the Society to refuse further entries where it is possible to positively identify the perpetrators of such anti-social behaviour. Please remember that any official personnel on the showground are carrying out their duties as per instructions issued by the Management Committee of Birmingham Dog Show Society Ltd.

You are reminded that Removal Orders MUST be produced when leaving the showground for ALL dogs in your vehicle. Passes will be issued for Spectator Dogs entered at the show.

GANGWAYS

Gangways must be kept clear at all times. Any obstructions including dog boxes left in gangways will be removed by the Show Management.

USE OF ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT AT SHOWS

Electrical equipment should not be brought to shows unless absolutely necessary. In rare instances where it might be required, it should be PAT tested and permission sought from the Show Secretary before it is used.

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at www.highampress.co.uk

BREED CLUB SHOWS

at the National Dog Show 2026

THURSDAY 7th MAY - UTILITY & TOY

The Cavalier King Charles Spaniel Club Championship Show

Judges:

Dogs: Mrs R Rowley (Choya)

Bitches: Mrs P Ayres (Brookhaven – USA)

Judging to start with bitches in an adjacent ring

Entries via Fosse Data

Secretary: Mrs Kelly Hampton Lee

Email: secretary@thecavalierclub.co.uk

The Chinese Crested Club of Great Britain Spring Championship Show

Judge: Breed Specialist Mrs Janet Knowles (Jhanchi)

Contact details: Hon Secretary Miss Karen Wilson. TEL: 07796543530

Schedules to be available from www.highampress.co.uk

Northern Griffon Bruxellois Club Championship Show

Judge: Julie Sparrow.

For details please contact

Mrs D Hopewell (Hon Secretary)

Tel: 07403 572116.

Email: denpower@hotmail.co.uk

West Pennine Pug Dog Club Championship Show

Judge: Mr Bjørn Erling Løken

Schedules will be available on Fosse Data in due course.

Birmingham and Midland Counties Bulldog Club Championship Show

Judge: Mr Jeff Lane (Anjefan)

Entries will be on Fosse Data nearer the time.

Secretary : Claire Parker Tel : 07432 709973.

Midland & Northern Counties French Bulldog Club 26 Class Single Breed Championship

Show Judge: Mr S Parsons

Schedules and online entry will be available on www.fossedata.co.uk

Show Secretary Abbie Cund Tel: 01217 881232 Email: showsecmncfbc@gmail.com

Schipperke Club Championship Show

Judge: Mr Paul Lawless (Ireland)

Schedules available to download from the

Schipperke Club website or Have A Dog Day

Secretary: Karen Bugg. Email: secretary@schipperkeclub.co.uk

Northern Tibetan Spaniel Club Breed Championship Show

Judge: Miss E Scoates (clydum)

Online entries via Fosse Data

All enquiries to Secretary Mr Richard Lemon Tel 0170 9522815

or email richard.lemon@hotmail.com

FRIDAY 8th MAY - HOUND & TERRIER

Bedlington Terrier Association Open Show

Judge: Angela Porter-Manning (Wallaroo)

Postal entries will not be accepted for this show, entry will be online with Fosse Data

Enquiries: Mrs Lisa Williams 07841427360

ystwythbay@gmail.com

or Annie Offer 01760 441209

aboffer@hotmail.com

The Midland Border Terrier Club Championship Show

will be held in the Margaret Everton Pavilion

Judge: Tracy Butler (Ycart)

Judging commences at 9am starting with bitches followed by dogs

For more information please contact the Show Secretary Mrs Sharon Pickering on 07738 813202

Cesky Terrier Club Championship Show

Join us in the continuation of our 30th year Anniversary Celebrations after Breed judging.

Edward Allen (Penparc) will be awarding his first set of CC's in the Breed as our judge elect.

We, as a club, have gone entirely paper free so all show details can be found on the Cesky Terrier Club

Facebook page The schedule can be found and entries made via our printer direct at

www.haveadogday.co.uk.

We look forward to sharing the day with you all

Kerry Blue Terrier Association Championship Show

To follow breed judging at the National Dog Show

Judge: Mr. Mike Vickers

Show Secretary : Mrs. L. Salmon, 14 Whiterock Ave, Graigwen, Pontypridd CF37 2EL

Tel: 01443 493278 Email: windygap.kerries@btinternet.com

Also on line via www.onlineshowentry.com

The West Highland White Terrier Club of Wales Open Show

Judge: Michael Western (Havasu)

On line and postal entries are via www.fossedata.co.uk

Any enquiries please contact the Secretary, Samantha Bradbury

01543 685490 or 07368 426280 Email - samanthabradbury71@gmail.com

Northern Afghan Hound Society Championship Show

Judges:

Dogs - Mr John Minchin : Bitches - Miss Naomi Cowley

Enter by post or online with [www. Haveadogday.co.uk](http://www.Haveadogday.co.uk)

Honorary Secretary : Ms Judith S Ayrton

6 Bayley Street, Clayton-le-moors

Accrington Lancashire BB5 5PR

Tel 01254 351316/07818 406868

Email judithnpasky@gmail.com

The Borzoi Club Championship Show

Judge: Paul Lawless (Subject to RKC approval)

Schedules available online from Fosse Data

or from Secretary Malinda Thomas

Email: theborzoiclub@ymail.com

SATURDAY 9th MAY - GUNDOG

Irish Water Spaniel Open Show

Judge: Mrs. Lindsay Belcher (Sosteli)
Judging to follow on in the same ring as IWS judging
Show Secretary - Ms Kirsty Biggs
Contact email - biggskirsty15@gmail.com

Import Register Gundog Breeds Match

A Match will be held between five Gundog Import Registered Breeds by kind permission of the Royal Kennel Club. The Match will be between the following clubs: The Portuguese Pointer Club UK (Provisional), Korthal's Griffon Club of Great Britain (Provisional), Slovakian Rough Haired Pointer Club (Provisional), the Braque d'Auvergne (Provisional) and The Barbet Club of GB (Provisional). It is anticipated that the Match will start at 1:00pm in the ring used by the Import Register Classes earlier in the day. Judge will be announced on the day. Entry to the Match will be £2 per dog via entry forms from your respective breed contacts, also entries taken on the day. Champions are not eligible for entry into the Match. They can participate in the Parade of Champions (nominal fee £1). For further information please contact the Club Secretaries:

Portuguese Pointers: portuguese pointers@btinternet.com
Slovakian Rough Haired Pointers: Rhiannon.chevalier93@outlook.com
Braque d'Auvergne: bdaa.secretary@yahoo.com
Korthal's Griffon: secretary@korthalsgriffonclub.co.uk
Barbet: barbetclubsec@gmail.com

English Springer Spaniel Club Championship Show

Judge: Jane Eyeington (Meadowdale)
Enquiries to Kath Holt (Hon. Secretary) at holtkath@gmail.com

SUNDAY 10th MAY - WORKING & PASTORAL

The Alaskan Malamute Club of the United Kingdom

Open Show
Judges: Dogs - Huw Morris (Cwnhapus), Bitches - Lesley Semple (Iceonfyr)
Entries will be available on Fosse Data
Contact: Julia Strudwick secretary@alaskanmalamute.org.uk

Birmingham & District Dobermann Club

40th Anniversary Open Show
Judging in breed ring following the National judging
Judge : Sharon Wilkins
Schedules & online entries (when available) at
www.onlineshowentry.com
or visit our web site www.birminghamdobe.com Secretary: Yvonne Cox
E Mail : von@awningace.com or Tel: 01922 701877 (after 7pm)

Midlands Border Collie Club

24 Class Single Breed Championship Show
Judges:
Dogs: Josie Large (Wizaland)
Bitches: Melanie Lewis (Shemella)
Best In Show: Allyson King (subject to Royal Kennel Club confirmation)
Schedules will be available on Higham Press.
Contact Club Secretary Laura Wiltshire – midlandsbordercollielclub@hotmail.com
Tel : 07423 402525

RULES & REGULATIONS

**Vicious dogs are not eligible and must not be brought to the Show
Exhibitors are held responsible for any damage done by their dog during the exhibition.**

- 1 The show will open at 7.00 a.m. daily.
- 2 Dogs will be received at any time but it is the exhibitor's responsibility to ensure that exhibits are available for judging when required.
- 3 Breed Judging will commence at 9.00 a.m. prompt unless otherwise advised. JHA classes will commence at 8.30 a.m.
- 4
 - a. Exhibits may be removed from the show after their judging has been completed.
 - b. Exhibits may not be removed any earlier unless by written order of the Veterinary Surgeon, Veterinary Practitioner, or of the Show Management and then only in very exceptional and unforeseen circumstances which must be reported to The Royal Kennel Club.
 - c. The show will close half an hour after all judging has been completed by which time dogs must be removed.
- 5 Entry fees: Breeds with CCs on offer — 1st entry £34. Breeds without CCs on offer, AV Imported Register, Stakes Classes — 1st entry £20. Not For Competition — £10.00. Four or more dogs in the same ownership — £125. JHA/The Young Kennel Club Members' Handling/Adult Handling — £6 per class. All subsequent entries with the same dog — £6. RKC Breeders' Competition — £15.00. Catalogues — £7 (£8 on the day). All entry fees and other charges quoted in this schedule are inclusive of VAT where this tax is applicable. Entries can be made online at www.highampress.co.uk. **FIRST ENTRY FEES INCREASE BY £2 DURING THE EXTENDED ONLINE PERIOD FROM 27th MARCH. ENTRY FEES WILL NOT BE REFUNDED ONCE AN ENTRY IS MADE. ANY REFUND FOR DUPLICATE ENTRIES OR UNDERAGE PUPPIES WILL INCUR A £5 ADMIN FEE.**
- 6 Prize money, where paid, is detailed under the relevant Stakes Classes.
- 7 The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries.
- 8 Puppies under six calendar months of age after the first day of the show are not eligible for exhibition. **i.e. born on or after 8th November 2025.**
- 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 Breed 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 of Best Puppy in Show and Best Veteran in Show (if scheduled) respectively. Where the Best of Breed, Best in Group or Best in Show is a puppy it may, at the discretion of the judge, be awarded Best Puppy in Breed, Best 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 may, at the discretion of the judge, be Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show respectively.
 - a. **Shows Judged on the Group System** - (Definition; Shows judged on Group System - Refer to Regulation F(1)27.b)
 - (1) **Best Puppy in Breed**
A Best Puppy may be declared in each breed from puppies entered and unbeaten by another puppy in the breed classes.
A Best Puppy may be declared from the Any Variety Not Separately classified class(es).
A Best Puppy may be declared from the Any Variety Imported Breed Register class(es).
 - (2) **Best Puppy in Group**
Best Puppy in Group and subsequent Puppy 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
 - (c) The puppy declared Best Puppy from the Any Variety Imported Breed Register classes in each group
 - (3) **Best Puppy in Show**
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**
 - (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.
NOTE: The Best of Breed/Best Any Variety Not Separately Classified/ Best Any Variety Imported Breed Register award relevant to a Category 3 Breed will not be confirmed until the dog has passed an examination by the General and Group Championship Show Veterinary Surgeon.
 - (2) **Best of Group**
Best of Group and subsequent group placings must be selected from:-
 - (a) The Best of Breed winners in each group
 - (b) The dog declared Best from Any Variety Not Separately Classified classes in each group.
 - (c) The dog declared Best from Any Variety Imported Breed Register class or classes in each group.
NOTE: The dog declared Best of Breed/Best Any Variety Not Separately Classified/ Best Any Variety Imported Breed Register from a breed designated by The Royal Kennel Club as a Category 3 Breed is not eligible to compete in the Group competition unless it has passed an examination by the Show's Veterinary Surgeon. If the dog fails to pass the examination it is ineligible to compete in the relevant Group.
 - (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 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 to 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 Royal Kennel Club Show Regulation F11.
- 14 All exhibitors must be familiar with Royal 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 Royal 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 Royal Kennel Club offers the following guidance to help guide you through the do's and don'ts travelling to and whilst at Royal Kennel Club 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 Royal 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 The Royal Kennel Club Regulations in this respect may be referred to the Board for disciplinary action under Royal 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 Royal 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 Royal Kennel Club registered. Regulation F.1.c: Only dogs of six calendar months of age and over on the first day of the show are eligible for exhibition at Royal Kennel Club licensed shows. However societies may accept Not for Competition entries at their discretion and dogs aged four calendar months and over are eligible to enter Not for Competition at all Royal Kennel Club licensed Shows. Furthermore, dogs aged four calendar months and over are eligible to enter Match Competitions.
- 19 No modifications will be made to this schedule except by permission of the Board of The Royal Kennel Club, which will be followed by advertisement in the Canine Press wherever possible.
- 20 An exhibitor or competitor should ensure that contact details for any handler are available and must be provided upon request in any investigation of a breach of this regulation by such handler.
- 21 **CANCELLATION OR ABANDONMENT.** Entry fees will not be refunded in any circumstances where any Act of God or any other unforeseen reason causes the cancellation or abandonment of the show.
- 22 **BEST VETERAN IN SHOW.** On 1 January 2015 The Royal Kennel Club suspended The Royal Kennel Club Show Regulations which stipulated that dogs must be entered and exhibited in a breed class before exhibiting in an Any Variety Class/Stakes Class and that only unbeaten dogs were eligible to compete in the group or best in show competitions. **From 1 January 2018 this suspension will be made permanent and included in the F Regulations.** Please note that for the purposes of Royal Kennel Club Show Regulations the term "Variety Class" also applies to "Stakes Classes". A Variety Class is one in which more than one breed or variety of a breed can compete. Best Veteran in Show is a Veteran which has competed and is unbeaten by any other Veteran exhibited at the same show.
- Best Veteran in Breed will be selected from all unbeaten veterans from any breed classes provided they are not beaten by any other veteran.
 - Best Veteran In Group will be selected from all Best Veteran in Breed provided they are unbeaten by any other veteran.
 - Best Veteran In Show will be selected from Best Veteran in Group Winners provided they are unbeaten by any other veteran.
- 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.
NB: Veterans entered in the Veteran Stakes ONLY are not eligible to compete for Best Veteran in Show. To be eligible to compete for Best Veteran in Show, a veteran must be entered and exhibited in a breed class and win Best Veteran in Breed and Best Veteran in Group.
- 23 Exhibitors will receive one free pass (not transferable) for each dog entered.
- 24 **EXHIBITS ONLY ALLOWED.** No animal other than a dog duly entered at the show will be allowed within the precincts of the show during its continuance, except by prior permission of The Royal Kennel Club, unless they pay £5 for a Spectator Dog Pass.

- 25 Should any judge be prevented from fulfilling his/her engagement, the Committee reserves to itself the right to appoint a substitute. Exhibitors are at liberty to withdraw from competition, **but no entry fees can be returned.**
- 26 Should any question arise, not provided for by these Regulations or by The Royal Kennel Club Rules, the decision of the Committee shall be final, subject only to appeal to The Royal Kennel Club.
- 27 Every exhibitor shall ensure that whilst the dog is being exhibited, its handler shall display the correct ring number.
- 28 The owner, exhibitor, handler or other person in charge of a dog at Royal 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. This Regulation applies before (at any time during the set up period at the venue), during the event and afterwards (at any time during the breakdown of the event). No dogs should be left unattended at any shows for very long periods. The Royal Kennel Club advice to dog owners and breed societies should be studied carefully concerning dogs at shows.

DEFINITIONS OF CLASSES

N.B.—The word “dog” includes both sexes

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 Royal 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 first closing date shall be counted when entering for any class i.e. Thursday 19th March 2026.

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. First prizes awarded in any classes defined as special do not count towards eligibility.

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 F.(1).19.
- 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 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.
 - (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.

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.

YEARLING—For dogs of twelve and not exceeding twenty four calendar months of age on the first day of the show.

MAIDEN—For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate/CACIB/CAC/Green Star or a First Prize at an Open or Championship show (Minor Puppy, Special Minor Puppy, Puppy and Special Puppy classes excepted, whether restricted or not).

NOVICE—For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate/CACIB/CAC/Green Star or three or more First Prizes at Open or 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/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, 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, where Challenge Certificates were offered for the Breed.

MID LIMIT—For dogs which have not become Show Champions under Royal Kennel Club Regulations or under the rules of any governing body recognised by The Royal Kennel Club, or won 3 or more CC/CACIB/CAC/Green Stars or won five or more First Prizes in all at Championship Shows in Mid Limit, Limit or Open Classes, confined to the breed, whether restricted or not, at shows where Challenge Certificates were offered for the Breed.

LIMIT—For dogs which have not become Show Champions under Royal Kennel Club Regulations or under the rules of any governing body recognised by The Royal Kennel Club, or won 3 or more CC/CACIB/CAC/Green Stars or won seven 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 not less than seven years of age on the first day of the show.
- CHAMPION**—For dogs which have been confirmed a Champion or Show Champion under Royal Kennel Club Regulations or under the rules of any governing body recognised by The Royal Kennel Club.
- SPECIAL BEGINNERS**—For owner, handler or exhibit not having won a Challenge Certificate or Reserve Challenge Certificate, or for those breeds not allocated Championship Status, Best of Sex or Reserve Best of Sex at a Championship Show.
- IMPORTED BREED REGISTER**—For breeds confined to the Imported Breeds Register and only when an Interim Breed Standard has been published by The Royal 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.
- 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.
- YKC STAKES**—i. This schedule information **MUST** be read in conjunction with the full set of YKC Stakes rules available on the Young Kennel Club website.
- a. By entering this class, you confirm that you have read and understood the accompanying full set of YKC rules.
 - ii. Members must be a YKC member before entering the competition.
 - iii. YKC Stakes Classes have one age category for you to enter a. 06-24 years.
 - iv. First place in each subcategory will guarantee qualification to Crufts 2027.
 - a. Further qualification methods can be viewed by reading the full rules.
 - b. You may enter this class even if you have previously qualified in this class.
 - v. YKC Class may be the first and only entry at this show.
- YKC HANDLING CLASSES**—i. This schedule information **MUST** be read in conjunction with the full set of YKC Handling rules available on the Young Kennel Club website.
- a. By entering this class, you confirm that you have read and understood the accompanying full set of YKC rules.
 - ii. Members must be a YKC member before entering this competition.
 - iii. YKC Handling Classes have 3 different age categories for you to enter
 - a. 06-11 years
 - b. 12-17 years
 - c. 18-24 years
 - iv. May enter a dog from one of the 8 different groups:
 - a. Utility
 - b. Toy
 - c. Terrier
 - d. Hound
 - e. Working
 - f. Pastoral
 - g. Gundog
 - h. Crossbreed
 - v. Bitches in season are not allowed to compete in YKC Handling Classes.
 - vi. A record of the dog's Royal Kennel Club registered name along with the handler's name will be kept, this will determine which class they enter at Crufts (and by extension which day).
 - a. After entries have closed, competitors may only switch dogs if both:
 - (1) The dog is in the same group
 - (2) The dog is already entered at the show
 - vii. Members should enter the age category they would be on the first day of this show.
 - viii. First place in each subcategory will guarantee qualification to Crufts 2027
 - a. Further qualification methods can be viewed by reading the full rules
 - b. You may enter this class even if you have previously qualified in this class
- JUNIOR HANDLING ASSOCIATION CLASSES**—Junior Handling Association Classes are 6-11 years and 12-16 years. You are not required to be a member of the Junior Handling Association to enter these classes. 1st, 2nd and 3rd qualify for the semi-final. If you qualify you must be a member of the JHA before taking part in the semi-final.
- ADULT HANDLING**—For handlers of the ages stated in each class.
- ROYAL KENNEL CLUB GOOD CITIZEN DOG SCHEME CLASS**—For dogs which have obtained their GCDS Bronze award Certificate or above.
- VULNERABLE NATIVE BREEDS STAKES**—Open to dogs from breeds on The Royal Kennel Club list of Vulnerable Native Breeds.
- ROYAL KENNEL CLUB BREEDERS' COMPETITION**—Each team will consist of a minimum of three and maximum of four dogs of one breed, all bred by the same breeder or breeding partnership. The breeder enters the class and then arranges which dogs are exhibited on the day of the show. Please clearly state the name and affix of the registered breeder(s). Entries will not be taken on the day of the show. Teams will be awarded points/prize money in the RKC Breeders' Competition as follows: Points 1st; 30; 2nd 15; 3rd 10; 4th 5. Prize Money sponsored by Agria £25 for the winner of each group. These points will be recorded in The Royal Kennel Club Breeders Competition record book through the year. The top 40 teams will qualify including the winning teams from the European and World Dog Shows' breeders competition. Our Dogs will collate the points and publish a leader board through the year.

THE KENNEL CLUB SPECIAL BEGINNERS COMPETITION

The Royal Kennel Club is delighted to announce its sponsorship of a Special Beginners Competition in 2026 at General and Group Championship Shows, to encourage more exhibitors to experience a Group competition.

The Class definition is: For owner, handler or exhibit not having won a Challenge Certificate or Reserve Challenge Certificate, or for those breeds not allocated Championship Status, Best of Sex or Reserve Best of Sex at a Championship Show.

The Royal Kennel Club will provide sponsorship in the form of Rosettes 1st - 4th for each group together with prize money of £100 for each group to be awarded as follows: 1st prize £40; 2nd prize £30; 3rd prize £20; 4th prize £10.

The Society are delighted to announce that the Royal Kennel Club have agreed that the Society can schedule Best Special Beginner in Show and Reserve Best Special Beginner in Show. All Group winners will be given £20 to defray expenses returning on the final day of the Show. The Society are providing a bottle of champagne and Special Box Framed Rosettes for Best Special Beginner in Show and Reserve Best Special Beginner in Show.

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 Royal Kennel Club licensed event. Objections may be referred to the Board for disciplinary action under these Show Regulations and/or for disciplinary action under Royal 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 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 Board.
 - (b) The removal of dew claws of any breed.
 - (c) Operations to prevent breeding provided that such operations are notified to The Royal Kennel Club before neutered dogs are shown.Nor must anything be done calculated to 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 Royal 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 Royal 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 Royal 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.

The attention of exhibitors is drawn to the fact that any advertisement for a coat preparation or shampoo or similar in either schedule or catalogue does not imply that the use of such preparation may not contravene Royal Kennel Club Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs For Exhibition-F(B). This also applies to any coat preparation or shampoo or similar on sale at The National Dog Show. The attention of exhibitors is directed to the declaration they are required to sign on the entry form.

WELFARE OF DOGS — An exhibitor (or competitor) whose dog is entered at a Royal Kennel Club licensed event should take all reasonable steps to ensure the needs of their dog(s) are met, and should not put their dogs health and welfare at risk by any action, default, omission or otherwise. A breach of this Regulation may be referred to the Board for disciplinary action under Royal Kennel Club Limited Rules and Regulations.

EXHIBITORS PLEASE NOTE — In accordance with Royal Kennel Club guidelines, Exhibitors must display exhibit number/owner identification on their crate, cage or container at all times.

CLASSIFICATION CODING

MPD — Minor Puppy Dog	MPB — Minor Puppy Bitch
PD — Puppy Dog	PB — Puppy Bitch
JD — Junior Dog	JB — Junior Bitch
YD — Yearling Dog	YB — Yearling Bitch
MD — Maiden Dog	MB — Maiden Bitch
ND — Novice Dog	NB — Novice Bitch
SBD — Special Beginners Dog	SBB — Special Beginners Bitch
GD — Graduate Dog	GB — Graduate Bitch
PGD — Post Graduate Dog	PGB — Post Graduate Bitch
MdLD — Mid Limit Dog	MdLB — Mid Limit Bitch
LD — Limit Dog	LB — Limit Bitch
OD — Open Dog	OB — Open Bitch
VD — Veteran Dog	VB — Veteran Bitch

GROUPS & BEST IN SHOW JUDGES

Utility Group — Mr Jeff Horswell	Puppy Group — Mr Veli-Pekka Kumpumaki (Finland)	Veteran Group — Mr Jussi Liimatainen (Finland)
Toy Group — Mr Robert Hitchcock	Puppy Group — Mr Peter Burema (Netherlands)	Veteran Group — Mr Rune Lysgaard (Norway)
Hound Group — Mr Richard Bott	Puppy Group — Mrs Sandra Johnston	Veteran Group — Miss Nicola Spenser
Terrier Group — Mr Brian Aubrey	Puppy Group — Mr Mick Oxley	Veteran Group — Mr Jussi Liimatainen (Finland)
Gundog Group — Mr Ed Casey	Puppy Group — Mr Mike Lewin	Veteran Group — Miss Tania Gardner
Working Group — Mr John Ritchie	Puppy Group — Mr Jussi Liimatainen (Finland)	Veteran Group — Mr Moray Armstrong
Pastoral Group — Mr Tan Nagrecha	Puppy Group — Mrs Caroline Friend-Rees	Veteran Group — Dr Ronald James

BEST IN SHOW — Margaret Wildman

BEST PUPPY IN SHOW — Margaret Wildman

BEST VETERAN IN SHOW — Margaret Wildman

BEST SPECIAL BEGINNER IN SHOW — Miss Sharon R Pinkerton

BREEDERS GROUP JUDGE: Mr David Shields

SPECIAL BEGINNERS GROUP JUDGE: Miss Sharon R Pinkerton

The winner of each Group, Puppy Group, Veteran Group and Best Special Beginners Group on the first three days are required to compete for Best in Show, Best Puppy in Show, Best Veteran in Show and Best Special Beginner in Show on the final day and £20 cash will be paid to defray expenses if they are brought back. Exhibitors must apply to the Treasurer's Office for this payment before 4.00 pm on the final day.

EXHIBITORS PASSES - ONLINE ENTRIES ONLY

You will receive your Exhibitors Passes at the appropriate time through your personal online account - **Not through the post**

Approximately one week before the show your Exhibitors Passes will be in your account.

Take these steps: Login to your account on www.highampress.co.uk and choose the option 'Show Entries'. Click on your Show Entry Summary. You will see two tabs, one for Exhibitor passes and one for ring numbers if appropriate.

Be aware that the Exhibitors Passes are not sent to you by email but will be in your account ready to be printed off by you and used at the show in the normal way.

Exhibitors making postal entries will receive their Exhibitors Passes by post in the usual way.

If they are not received or there is an error with your passes please contact Higham Press - Telephone 01773 832390.

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GROUP JUDGE: Mr Jeff Horswell PUPPY GROUP JUDGE: Mr Veli-Pekka Kumpumaki (Finland)
VETERAN GROUP: Mr Jussi Liimatainen (Finland) BREEDERS GROUP: Mr David Shields
SPECIAL BEGINNERS GROUP JUDGE: Miss Sharon R Pinkerton

AKITA

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog

1 SBD 2 MPD 3 PD 4 JD 5 PGD 6 LD 7 OD 8 VD
9 SBB 10 MPB 11 PB 12 JB 13 PGB 14 LB 15 OB 16 VB

Judge Mr Steve Hall

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch

BOSTON TERRIER

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog

17 SBD 18 MPD 19 PD 20 JD 21 PGD 22 LD 23 OD 24 VD
25 SBB 26 MPB 27 PB 28 JB 29 PGB 30 LB 31 OB 32 VB

Judge Mr Peter Burema (Netherlands)

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch

BULLDOG

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog

A ramp will be available for this breed

33 SBD 34 MPD 35 PD 36 JD 37 YD 38 ND 39 GD 40 PGD 41 LD 42 OD 43 VD
44 SBB 45 MPB 46 PB 47 JB 48 YB 49 NB 50 GB 51 PGB 52 LB 53 OB 54 VB

Judge Mrs Sara MacDonald

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch

The Birmingham & Midland Counties Bulldog Club Championship Show to be held here. See page 8 for details.

CANAAN DOG

55 SBD 56 PD 57 JD 58 PGD 59 LD 60 OD 61 VD
62 SBB 63 PB 64 JB 65 PGB 66 LB 67 OB 68 VB

Judge Mr Steve Hall

CHOW CHOW

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog

69 SBD 70 MPD 71 PD 72 JD 73 PGD 74 LD 75 OD 76 VD
77 SBB 78 MPB 79 PB 80 JB 81 PGB 82 LB 83 OB 84 VB

Judge Mrs Vickie Ellis

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch

DALMATIAN

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog

85 SBD 86 MPD 87 PD 88 JD 89 YD 90 ND 91 GD 92 PGD 93 LD 94 OD 95 VD
96 SBB 97 MPB 98 PB 99 JB 100 YB 101 NB 102 GB 103 PGB 104 LB 105 OB 106 VB

Judge Mr Tom H Johnston MPhil

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch

EURASIER

107 SBD 108 PD 109 JD 110 PGD 111 LD 112 OD 113 VD
114 SBB 115 PB 116 JB 117 PGB 118 LB 119 OB 120 VB

Judge Mrs Janice Bannister

FRENCH BULLDOG

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog

121 SBD 122 MPD 123 PD 124 JD 125 YD 126 ND 127 GD 128 PGD 129 LD 130 OD 131 VD
132 SBB 133 MPB 134 PB 135 JB 136 YB 137 NB 138 GB 139 PGB 140 LB 141 OB 142 VB

Judge Mr Steven Minogue

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch

The Midland & Northern Counties French Bulldog Championship Show to be held here. See page 8 for details.

GERMAN SPITZ (KLEIN)

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog

THIS BREED WILL BE MEASURED

143 SBD 144 MPD 145 PD 146 JD 147 PGD 148 LD 149 OD 150 VD
151 SBB 152 MPB 153 PB 154 JB 155 PGB 156 LB 157 OB 158 VB

Judge Mr Dale Francis

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch

GERMAN SPITZ (MITTEL)

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog

THIS BREED WILL BE MEASURED

159 SBD 160 MPD 161 PD 162 JD 163 PGD 164 LD 165 OD 166 VD
167 SBB 168 MPB 169 PB 170 JB 171 PGB 172 LB 173 OB 174 VB

Judge Mr Dale Francis

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch

JAPANESE AKITA INU

175 SBD 176 PD 177 JD 178 PGD 179 LD 180 OD 181 VD
182 SBB 183 PB 184 JB 185 PGB 186 LB 187 OB 188 VB

Judge Mrs Nicola Duffield

JAPANESE SHIBA INU

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog

189 SBD 190 MPD 191 PD 192 JD 193 PGD 194 LD 195 OD 196 VD
197 SBB 198 MPB 199 PB 200 JB 201 PGB 202 LB 203 OB 204 VB

Judge Mr John Ritchie

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch

JAPANESE SPITZ*Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*205 SBD 206 MPD 207 PD 208 JD 209 PGD 210 LD
213 SBB 214 MPB 215 PB 216 JB 217 PGB 218 LB**Judge Mrs Tracey Pittock***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*211 OD 212 VD
219 OB 220 VB

KEESHOND*Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*

A ramp will be available for this breed

221 SBD 222 MPD 223 PD 224 JD 225 PGD
229 SBB 230 MPB 231 PB 232 JB 233 PGB**Judge Mrs Janice Bannister***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*226 LD 227 OD 228 VD
234 LB 235 OB 236 VB

KOOIKERHONDJE*Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*237 SBD 238 PD 239 JD 240 PGD 241 LD 242 OD
244 SBB 245 PB 246 JB 247 PGB 248 LB 249 OB**Judge Roxanne McDonald***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*243 VD
250 VB

LHASA APISO*Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*251 SBD 252 MPD 253 PD 254 JD 255 PGD 256 LD
259 SBB 260 MPB 261 PB 262 JB 263 PGB 264 LB**Judge Mr Antonio Skaboullos***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*257 OD 258 VD
265 OB 266 VB

MINIATURE SCHNAUZER*Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*267 SBD 268 MPD 269 PD 270 JD 271 PGD 272 LD
275 SBB 276 MPB 277 PB 278 JB 279 PGB 280 LB**Judge Mr Moray Armstrong***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*273 OD 274 VD
281 OB 282 VB

POODLE (MINIATURE)*Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*

THIS BREED WILL BE MEASURED

283 SBD 284 MPD 285 PD 286 JD 287 PGD 288 LD
291 SBB 292 MPB 293 PB 294 JB 295 PGB 296 LB**Judge Mr Peter Burema (Netherlands)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*289 OD 290 VD
297 OB 298 VB

POODLE (STANDARD)*Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*299 SBD 300 MPD 301 PD 302 JD 303 PGD 304 LD
307 SBB 308 MPB 309 PB 310 JB 311 PGB 312 LB**Judge Mrs Sarah Hattrell***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*305 OD 306 VD
313 OB 314 VB

POODLE (TOY)*Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*

THIS BREED WILL BE MEASURED

315 SBD 316 MPD 317 PD 318 JD 319 PGD 320 LD
323 SBB 324 MPB 325 PB 326 JB 327 PGB 328 LB**Judge Mr Steve Hall***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*321 OD 322 VD
329 OB 330 VB

SCHIPPERKE*Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*331 SBD 332 MPD 333 PD 334 JD 335 PGD 336 LD
339 SBB 340 MPB 341 PB 342 JB 343 PGB 344 LB**Judge Mr Andrew Holland***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*337 OD 338 VD
345 OB 346 VB**The Schipperke Club Championship Show to be held here. See page 8 for details.**

SCHNAUZER*Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*347 SBD 348 MPD 349 PD 350 JD 351 PGD 352 LD
355 SBB 356 MPB 357 PB 358 JB 359 PGB 360 LB**Judge Mr Moray Armstrong***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*353 OD 354 VD
361 OB 362 VB

SHAR PEI*Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*363 SBD 364 MPD 365 PD 366 JD 367 PGD 368 LD
371 SBB 372 MPB 373 PB 374 JB 375 PGB 376 LB**Judge Mr Paul Reynolds***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*369 OD 370 VD
377 OB 378 VB

SHIH TZU*Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*379 SBD 380 MPD 381 PD 382 JD 383 ND 384 GD
389 SBB 390 MPB 391 PB 392 JB 393 NB 394 GB**Judge Mrs Jan Meyer***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*385 PGD 386 LD 387 OD 388 VD
395 PGB 396 LB 397 OB 398 VB

TIBETAN SPANIEL*Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*399 SBD 400 MPD 401 PD 402 JD 403 YD 404 ND
410 SBB 411 MPB 412 PB 413 JB 414 YB 415 NB**Judge Mr John Ritchie***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*405 GD 406 PGD 407 LD 408 OD 409 VD
416 GB 417 PGB 418 LB 419 OB 420 VB**The Northern Tibetan Spaniel Club Championship Show to be held here. See page 8 for details.**

TIBETAN TERRIER*Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*421 SBD 422 MPD 423 PD 424 JD 425 YD 426 ND
432 SBB 433 MPB 434 PB 435 JB 436 YB 437 NB**Judge Mr Rune Lysgaard (Norway)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*427 GD 428 PGD 429 LD 430 OD 431 VD
438 GB 439 PGB 440 LB 441 OB 442 VB

AV IMPORTED REGISTER BREEDS (Utility)443 SBD 444 PD 445 JD 446 PGD 447 LD 448 OD
450 SBB 451 PB 452 JB 453 PGB 454 LB 455 OB**Judge Mr Kevin Young**449 VD
456 VB

TOY GROUP

GROUP JUDGE: Mr Robert Hitchcock **PUPPY GROUP JUDGE: Mr Peter Burema (Netherlands)**
VETERAN GROUP: Mr Rune Lysgaard (Norway) **BREEDERS GROUP: Mr David Shields**
SPECIAL BEGINNERS GROUP JUDGE: Miss Sharon R Pinkerton

AFFENPINSCHER

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog

457 SBD 458 MPD 459 PD 460 JD 461 PGD 462 LD 463 OD 464 VD
465 SBB 466 MPB 467 PB 468 JB 469 PGB 470 LB 471 OB 472 VB

Judge Mr Chris Hill

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch

AUSTRALIAN SILKY TERRIER

473 SBD 474 PD 475 JD 476 PGD 477 LD 478 OD 479 VD
480 SBB 481 PB 482 JB 483 PGB 484 LB 485 OB 486 VB

Judge Mr Jeff Horswell

BICHON FRISÉ

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog

487 SBD 488 MPD 489 PD 490 JD 491 PGD 492 LD 493 OD 494 VD
495 SBB 496 MPB 497 PB 498 JB 499 PGB 500 LB 501 OB 502 VB

Judge Mr Veli-Pekka Kumpumaki (Finland)

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch

BOLOGNESE

503 SBD 504 PD 505 JD 506 PGD 507 LD 508 OD 509 VD
510 SBB 511 PB 512 JB 513 PGB 514 LB 515 OB 516 VB

Judge Mr Jussi Liimatainen (Finland)

CAVALIER KING CHARLES SPANIEL

Referee Mr Robert Hitchcock

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog

517 SBD 518 MPD 519 PD 520 JD 521 YD 522 MD 523 ND 524 GD 525 PGD 526 MdLD 527 LD 528 OD
529 VD
530 SBB 531 MPB 532 PB 533 JB 534 YB 535 MB 536 NB 537 GB 538 PGB 539 MdLB 540 LB 541 OB
542 VB

Dogs - Judge Mr Cesar Cortes (USA)

Bitches - Judge Mrs Marilyn Madigan (Australia)

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch

The Cavalier King Charles Spaniel Club Championship Show to be held here. See page 8 for details.

CHIHUAHUA (LONG COAT)

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog

543 SBD 544 MPD 545 PD 546 JD 547 YD 548 ND 549 GD 550 PGD 551 LD 552 OD 553 VD
554 SBB 555 MPB 556 PB 557 JB 558 YB 559 NB 560 GB 561 PGB 562 LB 563 OB 564 VB

Judge Mrs Beverley Sutton (STRKCA)

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch

CHIHUAHUA (SMOOTH COAT)

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog

565 SBD 566 MPD 567 PD 568 JD 569 YD 570 ND 571 GD 572 PGD 573 LD 574 OD 575 VD
576 SBB 577 MPB 578 PB 579 JB 580 YB 581 NB 582 GB 583 PGB 584 LB 585 OB 586 VB

Judge Miss Leila Tarabad

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch

CHINESE CRESTED

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog

587 SBD 588 MPD 589 PD 590 JD 591 PGD 592 LD 593 OD 594 VD
595 SBB 596 MPB 597 PB 598 JB 599 PGB 600 LB 601 OB 602 VB

Judge Mr Veli-Pekka Kumpumaki (Finland)

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch

The Chinese Crested Club of Great Britain Championship Show to be held here. See page 8 for details.

COTON DE TULÉAR

603 SBD 604 PD 605 JD 606 PGD 607 LD 608 OD 609 VD
610 SBB 611 PB 612 JB 613 PGB 614 LB 615 OB 616 VB

Judge Mr Roger Ward

ENGLISH TOY TERRIER (BLACK & TAN)

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog

617 SBD 618 MPD 619 PD 620 JD 621 PGD 622 LD 623 OD 624 VD
625 SBB 626 MPB 627 PB 628 JB 629 PGB 630 LB 631 OB 632 VB

Judge Mrs Linda Brown

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch

GRIFFON BRUXELLOIS

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog

633 SBD 634 MPD 635 PD 636 JD 637 PGD 638 LD 639 OD 640 VD
641 SBB 642 MPB 643 PB 644 JB 645 PGB 646 LB 647 OB 648 VB

Judge Mr Tony Moran

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch

The Northern Griffon Bruxellois Club Championship Show to be held here. See page 8 for details.

HAVANESE

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog

649 SBD 650 MPD 651 PD 652 JD 653 PGD 654 LD 655 OD 656 VD
657 SBB 658 MPB 659 PB 660 JB 661 PGB 662 LB 663 OB 664 VB

Judge Mrs Lynn Crane

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch

ITALIAN GREYHOUND

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog

665 SBD 666 MPD 667 PD 668 JD 669 PGD 670 LD 671 OD 672 VD
673 SBB 674 MPB 675 PB 676 JB 677 PGB 678 LB 679 OB 680 VB

Judge Mrs Lynn Crane

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch

JAPANESE CHIN*Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*681 SBD 682 MPD 683 PD 684 JD 685 PGD 686 LD
689 SBB 690 MPB 691 PB 692 JB 693 PGB 694 LB**Judge Mr Jeff Horswell***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*687 OD 688 VD
695 OB 696 VB**KING CHARLES SPANIEL***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*697 SBD 698 MPD 699 PD 700 JD 701 PGD 702 LD
705 SBB 706 MPB 707 PB 708 JB 709 PGB 710 LB**Judge Mrs Maxine Fox-Shone***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*703 OD 704 VD
711 OB 712 VB**LÖWCHEN (LITTLE LION DOG)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*713 SBD 714 MPD 715 PD 716 JD 717 PGD 718 LD
721 SBB 722 MPB 723 PB 724 JB 725 PGB 726 LB**Judge Mr Roger Ward***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*719 OD 720 VD
727 OB 728 VB**MALTESE***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*729 SBD 730 MPD 731 PD 732 JD 733 PGD 734 LD
737 SBB 738 MPB 739 PB 740 JB 741 PGB 742 LB**Judge Mrs Vanessa Williams-Wegmann***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*735 OD 736 VD
743 OB 744 VB**MINIATURE PINSCHER***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*745 SBD 746 MPD 747 PD 748 JD 749 PGD 750 LD
753 SBB 754 MPB 755 PB 756 JB 757 PGB*Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*751 OD 752 VD
758 LB 759 OB 760 VB**PAPILLON***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*761 SBD 762 MPD 763 PD 764 JD 765 PGD 766 LD
769 SBB 770 MPB 771 PB 772 JB 773 PGB 774 LB**Judge Miss Elizabeth Morley***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*767 OD 768 VD
775 OB 776 VB**PEKINGESE***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*777 SBD 778 MPD 779 PD 780 JD 781 PGD 782 LD
785 SBB 786 MPB 787 PB 788 JB 789 PGB 790 LB**Judge Ray O'Neill***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*783 OD 784 VD
791 OB 792 VB**POMERANIAN***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*793 SBD 794 MPD 795 PD 796 JD 797 YD 798 ND
804 SBB 805 MPB 806 PB 807 JB 808 YB 809 NB**Judge Mrs Irene Robb***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*799 GD 800 PGD 801 LD 802 OD 803 VD
810 GB 811 PGB 812 LB 813 OB 814 VB**PUG***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*815 SBD 816 MPD 817 PD 818 JD 819 YD 820 ND
826 SBB 827 MPB 828 PB 829 JB 830 YB 831 NB**Judge Mr Jussi Liimatainen (Finland)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*821 GD 822 PGD 823 LD 824 OD 825 VD
832 GB 833 PGB 834 LB 835 OB 836 VB**The West Pennine Pug Dog Championship Show to be held here. See page 8 for details.****RUSSIAN TOY**837 SBD 838 PD 839 JD 840 PGD 841 LD 842 OD
844 SBB 845 PB 846 JB 847 PGB 848 LB 849 OB**Judge Mrs Vanessa Williams-Wegmann**843 VD
850 VB**YORKSHIRE TERRIER***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*851 SBD 852 MPD 853 PD 854 JD 855 PGD 856 LD
859 SBB 860 MPB 861 PB 862 JB 863 PGB 864 LB**Judge Mrs Vanessa Williams-Wegmann***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*857 OD 858 VD
865 OB 866 VB**AV IMPORTED REGISTER BREEDS (Toy)**867 SBD 868 PD 869 JD 870 PGD 871 LD 872 OD
874 SBB 875 PB 876 JB 877 PGB 878 LB 879 OB**Judge Mrs Vanessa Williams-Wegmann**873 VD
880 VB

STAKES CLASSES

JUNIOR HANDLING ASSOCIATION CLASSES - 1st DAY

Judge Harry Russell

**** To be judged at 8.30am****881 Junior Handling 6-11 years****882 Junior Handling 12-16 years**

To be judged at 8.30am. Those handlers placed first, second and third will be eligible to compete in the semi-finals to be held in 2026. Rosettes 1st - 5th place kindly donated by Dalsetter Rosettes.

You are not required to be a member of the JHA to enter these classes. However to take part in the semi-final you must be a member of the JHA.

THE YOUNG KENNEL CLUB MEMBERS STAKES - 1st DAY

Judge Miss Sharon R Pinkerton

Prize Money: 1st £10.00; 2nd £5.00; 3rd £3.00; 4th £2.00**** To be judged at approximately 9.00 a.m. ****

883 AV Utility Open Dog or Bitch**884 AV Toy Open Dog or Bitch**

All pedigree dogs are eligible to take part provided the dog is registered on The Royal Kennel Club Breed Register. The dog must be registered either: (a) Solely or jointly in the member's name or (b) In the name of a close member of the family (i.e. a group of people related by blood or by marriage) and under these circumstances the dog must be resident at the YKC member's address. Please see Definitions of Classes on page 14 for additional information.

THE YOUNG KENNEL CLUB MEMBERS' HANDLING CLASSES - 1st DAY

Judge Miss Sharon R Pinkerton

Prize Money: 1st £10.00; 2nd £5.00; 3rd £3.00; 4th £2.00

**** To be judged after the YKC Members Stakes ****

885 6-11 years (for members 6 years and up to, but not including 12th birthday)

886 12-17 years (for members 12 years and up to, but not including 18th birthday)

887 18-24 years (for members 18 years and up to, but not including 25th birthday)

For fully paid-up members of the YKC only. Please see Definitions of Classes on page 14 for additional information.

ADULT HANDLING ASSOCIATION CLASSES -1st DAY

Judge Miss Sharon R Pinkerton

**** To be judged after the YKC Handling Classes ****

888 Adult Handling 17-30 years

890 Adult Handling 46-60 years

889 Adult Handling 31-45 years

891 Adult Handling 60+ years

1st to 3rd in these classes qualify for the AHA Final, held at Bath Championship Show, May 2027.

HIGHAM PRESS POST GRADUATE STAKES - 1st DAY

Judge Mr David Shields

Prize Money: 1st £25.00; 2nd £15.00; 3rd £10.00; 4th £5.00

**** To be judged at approximately 10.30 a.m. ****

892 AV Utility or Toy Post Graduate Dog or Bitch

THE MERIEL HATHAWAY MEMORIAL OPEN STAKES - 1st DAY

Judge Miss Sharon R Pinkerton

Prize money: 1st £25.00; 2nd £15.00; 3rd £10.00 4th £5.00

**** To be judged at approximately 11.30 a.m. ****

893 AV Utility or Toy Open Dog or Bitch

EUKANUBA PUPPY STAKES - 1st DAY

Judge Mr David Shields

1st & 2nd get a Voucher for free Eukanuba Breeder Bag worth: 1st £40.00; 2nd £30.50

3rd & 4th get a Voucher for a free Eukanuba bag worth £12.50; VHC -voucher for 2 treats worth £6

**** To be judged at approximately 12.30 p.m. ****

894 AV Utility or Toy Puppy Dog or Bitch

Any puppy that wins a heat of the Pup of the Year Stakes cannot qualify for the Champion Stakes final during the same year.

EUKANUBA CHAMPION STAKES - 1st DAY

[This is a heat of the EUKANUBA Champion Stakes Competition]

Judge Mr David Shields

1st & 2nd get a Voucher for free Eukanuba Breeder Bag worth: 1st £40.00; 2nd £30.50

3rd & 4th get a Voucher for a free Eukanuba bag worth £12.50; VHC -voucher for 2 treats worth £6

**** To be judged at approximately 1.30 p.m. ****

895 AV Utility or Toy Champion Dog or Bitch

Confined to Champions or Show Champions at the time of entries closing. A Champion or Show Champion need only be entered in the Champion Stakes if so desired but your attention is drawn to Rule 11 on page 11 which confirms which dogs are eligible to compete for Best of Group and Best in Show. The entry fee for this class is £6.00 if the dog is entered in a breed class first or £20.00 if it is the only class that the dog is entered in.

VULNERABLE NATIVE BREED STAKES - 1st DAY

Judge Mr Kevin Young

Prize Money: 1st £25.00; 2nd £15.00; 3rd £10.00; 4th £5.00

**** To be judged at approximately 1.00 p.m. ****

896 AV Utility or Toy Vulnerable Native Breed Dog or Bitch

ANY VARIETY GOOD CITIZEN DOG SCHEME CLASS - 1st DAY

Judge Miss Sharon R Pinkerton

Sponsored by The Royal Kennel Club

Prize Money: 1st £50.00; 2nd £25.00; 3rd £10.00; Reserve £5.00

**** To be judged at approximately 2.00 p.m. ****

897 AV Utility or Toy Good Citizen Dog Scheme Dog or Bitch

For dogs that have achieved their GCDS Bronze Award Certificate or above.

ROYAL KENNEL CLUB BREEDERS' COMPETITION - 1st Day

Judge Mr David Shields

Prize Money (Sponsored by Agria): 1st £25.00

**** To be judged at approximately 3.00 p.m. ****

898 AV Utility Breeders Competition

899 AV Toy Breeders Competition

Please see Definitions of Classes on page 14 for additional information.

SECOND DAY — FRIDAY 8th MAY 2026

HOUND GROUP

GROUP JUDGE: Mr Richard Bott

PUPPY GROUP JUDGE: Mrs Sandra Johnston

VETERAN GROUP JUDGE: Miss Nicola Spencer

BREEDERS GROUP JUDGE: Mr David Shields

SPECIAL BEGINNERS GROUP JUDGE: Miss Sharon R Pinkerton

AFGHAN HOUND

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog

900 SBD 901 MPD 902 PD 903 JD 904 PGD 905 LD 906 OD 907 VD

908 SBB 909 MPB 910 PB 911 JB 912 PGB 913 LB 914 OB 915 VB

The Northern Afghan Hound Society Championship Show to be held here. See page 9 for details.

Judge Mr Nigel Phillips

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch

BASENJI

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog

916 SBD 917 MPD 918 PD 919 JD 920 PGD 921 LD

924 SBB 925 MPB 926 PB 927 JB 928 PGB 929 LB 930 OB 931 VB

Judge Mr Kevin Young

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch

922 OD 923 VD

BASSET FAUVE DE BRETAGNE

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog

932 SBD 933 MPD 934 PD 935 JD 936 PGD 937 LD

940 SBB 941 MPB 942 PB 943 JB 944 PGB 945 LB 946 OB 947 VB

Judge Mrs Marion Hunt

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch

938 OD 939 VD

BASSET GRIFFON VENDEEN (GRAND)

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog

948 SBD 949 MPD 950 PD 951 JD 952 PGD 953 LD

956 SBB 957 MPB 958 PB 959 JB 960 PGB 961 LB 962 OB 963 VB

Judge Mr Michael Lewis

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch

954 OD 955 VD

BASSET GRIFFON VENDEEN (PETIT)

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog

964 SBD 965 MPD 966 PD 967 JD 968 PGD 969 LD

972 SBB 973 MPB 974 PB 975 JB 976 PGB 977 LB 978 OB 979 VB

Judge Mr Moray Armstrong

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch

970 OD 971 VD

BASSET HOUND

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog

A ramp will be available for this breed

980 SBD 981 MPD 982 PD 983 JD 984 PGD 985 LD 986 OD 987 VD

988 SBB 989 MPB 990 PB 991 JB 992 PGB 993 LB 994 OB 995 VB

Judge Mr Moray Armstrong

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch

BAVARIAN MOUNTAIN HOUND

996 SBD 997 PD 998 JD 999 PGD 1000 LD 1001 OD 1002 VD

1003 SBB 1004 PB 1005 JB 1006 PGB 1007 LB 1008 OB 1009 VB

Judge Mr Moray Armstrong

BEAGLE

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog

1010 SBD 1011 MPD 1012 PD 1013 JD 1014 YD 1015 ND 1016 GD 1017 PGD 1018 LD 1019 OD 1020 VD

1021 SBB 1022 MPB 1023 PB 1024 JB 1025 YB 1026 NB 1027 GB 1028 PGB 1029 LB 1030 OB 1031 VB

Judge Mr Jussi Liimatainen (Finland)

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch

BLOODHOUND

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog

1032 SBD 1033 MPD 1034 PD 1035 JD 1036 PGD 1037 LD 1038 OD 1039 VD

1040 SBB 1041 MPB 1042 PB 1043 JB 1044 PGB 1045 LB 1046 OB 1047 VB

Judge Mr Jeff Horswell

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch

BORZOI

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog

1048 SBD 1049 MPD 1050 PD 1051 JD 1052 PGD 1053 LD 1054 OD 1055 VD

1056 SBB 1057 MPB 1058 PB 1059 JB 1060 PGB 1061 LB 1062 OB 1063 VB

The Borzoi Club Championship Show to be held here. See page 9 for details.

Judge Mrs Rachel Barney

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch

CIRNECO DELL' ETNA

1064 SBD 1065 PD 1066 JD 1067 PGD 1068 LD 1069 OD 1070 VD

1071 SBB 1072 PB 1073 JB 1074 PGB 1075 LB 1076 OB 1077 VB

Judge Mr Moray Armstrong

DACHSHUND (LONG-HAIRED)*Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1078 SBD 1079 MPD 1080 PD 1081 JD 1082 PGD 1083 LD 1084 OD 1085 VD
1086 SBB 1087 MPB 1088 PB 1089 JB 1090 PGB 1091 LB 1092 OB 1093 VB**Judge Mr Gary McAlpine***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***DACHSHUND (MINIATURE LONG-HAIRED)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1094 SBD 1095 MPD 1096 PD 1097 JD 1098 PGD 1099 LD 1100 OD 1101 VD
1102 SBB 1103 MPB 1104 PB 1105 JB 1106 PGB 1107 LB 1108 OB 1109 VB**Judge Miss Elizabeth Millward***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***DACHSHUND (SMOOTH-HAIRED)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1110 SBD 1111 MPD 1112 PD 1113 JD 1114 PGD 1115 LD 1116 OD 1117 VD
1118 SBB 1119 MPB 1120 PB 1121 JB 1122 PGB 1123 LB 1124 OB 1125 VB**Judge Mr Michael Lewis***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***DACHSHUND (MINIATURE SMOOTH-HAIRED)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1126 SBD 1127 MPD 1128 PD 1129 JD 1130 YD 1131 ND 1132 GD 1133 PGD 1134 LD 1135 OD 1136 VD
1137 SBB 1138 MPB 1139 PB 1140 JB 1141 YB 1142 NB 1143 GB 1144 PGB 1145 LB 1146 OB 1147 VB**Judge Mrs Ruth Lockett-Walters***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***DACHSHUND (WIRE-HAIRED)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1148 SBD 1149 MPD 1150 PD 1151 JD 1152 PGD 1153 LD 1154 OD 1155 VD
1156 SBB 1157 MPB 1158 PB 1159 JB 1160 PGB 1161 LB 1162 OB 1163 VB**Judge Mrs Anne Defaye***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***DACHSHUND (MINIATURE WIRE-HAIRED)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1164 SBD 1165 MPD 1166 PD 1167 JD 1168 PGD 1169 LD 1170 OD 1171 VD
1172 SBB 1173 MPB 1174 PB 1175 JB 1176 PGB 1177 LB 1178 OB 1179 VB**Judge Mr Gary McAlpine***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***DEERHOUND***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1180 SBD 1181 MPD 1182 PD 1183 JD 1184 PGD 1185 LD 1186 OD 1187 VD
1188 SBB 1189 MPB 1190 PB 1191 JB 1192 PGB 1193 LB 1194 OB 1195 VB**Judge Mr Luke Johnston (STRKCA)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***FINNISH SPITZ***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1196 SBD 1197 MPD 1198 PD 1199 JD 1200 PGD 1201 LD 1202 OD 1203 VD
1204 SBB 1205 MPB 1206 PB 1207 JB 1208 PGB 1209 LB 1210 OB 1211 VB**Judge Mr Jussi Liimatainen (Finland)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***FOXHOUND***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1212 SBD 1213 PD 1214 JD 1215 PGD 1216 LD 1217 OD 1218 VD
1219 SBB 1220 PB 1221 JB 1222 PGB 1223 LB 1224 OB 1225 VB**Judge Mr Gavin Robertson****GREYHOUND***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1226 SBD 1227 MPD 1228 PD 1229 JD 1230 PGD 1231 LD 1232 OD 1233 VD
1234 SBB 1235 MPB 1236 PB 1237 JB 1238 PGB 1239 LB 1240 OB 1241 VB**Judge Miss Helen Wayman***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***HAMILTONSTOVARE***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1242 SBD 1243 PD 1244 JD 1245 PGD 1246 LD 1247 OD 1248 VD
1249 SBB 1250 PB 1251 JB 1252 PGB 1253 LB 1254 OB 1255 VB**Judge Mr Jeff Horswell****HARRIER***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1256 SBD 1257 PD 1258 JD 1259 PGD 1260 LD 1261 OD 1262 VD
1263 SBB 1264 PB 1265 JB 1266 PGB 1267 LB 1268 OB 1269 VB**Judge Mr Gavin Robertson****IBIZAN HOUND***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1270 SBD 1271 MPD 1272 PD 1273 JD 1274 PGD 1275 LD 1276 OD 1277 VD
1278 SBB 1279 MPB 1280 PB 1281 JB 1282 PGB 1283 LB 1284 OB 1285 VB**Judge Miss Helen Wayman***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***IRISH WOLFHOUND***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1286 SBD 1287 MPD 1288 PD 1289 JD 1290 PGD 1291 LD 1292 OD 1293 VD
1294 SBB 1295 MPB 1296 PB 1297 JB 1298 PGB 1299 LB 1300 OB 1301 VB**Judge Mr Gavin Robertson***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***NORWEGIAN ELKHOUND***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1302 SBD 1303 MPD 1304 PD 1305 JD 1306 PGD 1307 LD 1308 OD 1309 VD
1310 SBB 1311 MPB 1312 PB 1313 JB 1314 PGB 1315 LB 1316 OB 1317 VB**Judge Mr Martin Sanders***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***OTTERHOUND***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1318 SBD 1319 MPD 1320 PD 1321 JD 1322 PGD 1323 LD 1324 OD 1325 VD
1326 SBB 1327 MPB 1328 PB 1329 JB 1330 PGB 1331 LB 1332 OB 1333 VB**Judge Mr Julien Barney***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*

PHARAOH HOUND*Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1334 SBD 1335 MPD 1336 PD 1337 JD 1338 PGD
1342 SBB 1343 MPB 1344 PB 1345 JB 1346 PGB**Judge Mr Jeff Horswell***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*1339 LD 1340 OD 1341 VD
1347 LB 1348 OB 1349 VB**PORTUGUESE PODENGO**1350 SBD 1351 MPD 1352 PD 1353 JD 1354 PGD
1358 SBB 1359 MPB 1360 PB 1361 JB 1362 PGB**Judge Mr Kevin Young**1355 LD 1356 OD 1357 VD
1363 LB 1364 OB 1365 VB**RHODESIAN RIDGEBACK***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1366 SBD 1367 MPD 1368 PD 1369 JD 1370 YD
1377 SBB 1378 MPB 1379 PB 1380 JB 1381 YB**Judge Mr David Simpson***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*1371 ND 1372 GD 1373 PGD 1374 LD 1375 OD 1376 VD
1382 NB 1383 GB 1384 PGB 1385 LB 1386 OB 1387 VB**SALUKI***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1388 SBD 1389 MPD 1390 PD 1391 JD 1392 PGD
1396 SBB 1397 MPB 1398 PB 1399 JB 1400 PGB**Judge Mr Martin Green***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*1393 LD 1394 OD 1395 VD
1401 LB 1402 OB 1403 VB**SLOUGHI**1404 SBD 1405 PD 1406 JD 1407 PGD 1408 LD
1411 SBB 1412 PB 1413 JB 1414 PGB 1415 LB**Judge Mrs Rachel Barney**1409 OD 1410 VD
1416 OB 1417 VB**WHIPPET****Referee Mr Richard Bott***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1418 SBD 1419 MPD 1420 PD 1421 JD 1422 YD
1428 LD 1429 OD 1430 VD
1431 SBB 1432 MPB 1433 PB 1434 JB 1435 YB
1441 LB 1442 OB 1443 VB**Dogs - Judge Miss Serena Parker****Bitches - Judge Miss Zara Boyle***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*1423 MD 1424 ND 1425 GD 1426 PGD 1427 MdLD
1436 MB 1437 NB 1438 GB 1439 PGB 1440 MdLB**AV IMPORTED REGISTER BREEDS (Hound)**1444 SBD 1445 PD 1446 JD 1447 PGD 1448 LD 1449 OD 1450 VD
1451 SBB 1452 PB 1453 JB 1454 PGB 1455 LB 1456 OB 1457 VB**Judge Mrs Marion Hunt****TERRIER GROUP**

GROUP JUDGE: Mr Brian Aubrey **PUPPY GROUP JUDGE: Mr Mick Oxley**
VETERAN GROUP: Mr Jussi Liimatainen (Finland) **BREEDERS GROUP: Mr David Shields**
SPECIAL BEGINNERS GROUP JUDGE: Miss Sharon R Pinkerton

AIREDALE TERRIER*Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1458 SBD 1459 MPD 1460 PD 1461 JD 1462 PGD
1466 SBB 1467 MPB 1468 PB 1469 JB 1470 PGB**Judge Ms Deborah Hampton***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*1463 LD 1464 OD 1465 VD
1471 LB 1472 OB 1473 VB**AUSTRALIAN TERRIER***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1474 SBD 1475 MPD 1476 PD 1477 JD 1478 PGD
1482 SBB 1483 MPB 1484 PB 1485 JB 1486 PGB**Judge Mr Andy Scourfield***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*1479 LD 1480 OD 1481 VD
1487 LB 1488 OB 1489 VB**BEDLINGTON TERRIER***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1490 SBD 1491 MPD 1492 PD 1493 JD 1494 PGD
1498 SBB 1499 MPB 1500 PB 1501 JB 1502 PGB**Judge Miss Vanessa Cox***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*

1503 LB 1504 OB 1505 VB

The Bedlington Terrier Association Open Show to be held here. See page 9 for details.**BORDER TERRIER***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1506 SBD 1507 MPD 1508 PD 1509 JD 1510 YD
1517 SBB 1518 MPB 1519 PB 1520 JB 1521 YB**Judge Mrs Diane Bullen***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*1511 ND 1512 GD 1513 PGD 1514 LD 1515 OD 1516 VD
1522 NB 1523 GB 1524 PGB 1525 LB 1526 OB 1527 VB**The Midland Border Terrier Club Championship Show to be held here. See page 9 for details.****BULL TERRIER***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1528 SBD 1529 MPD 1530 PD 1531 JD 1532 PGD
1536 SBB 1537 MPB 1538 PB 1539 JB 1540 PGB**Judge Mrs Audrey Taylor***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*1533 LD 1534 OD 1535 VD
1541 LB 1542 OB 1543 VB**BULL TERRIER (MINIATURE)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1544 SBD 1545 MPD 1546 PD 1547 JD 1548 PGD
1552 SBB 1553 MPB 1554 PB 1555 JB 1556 PGB**Judge Mr John Young***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*1549 LD 1550 OD 1551 VD
1557 LB 1558 OB 1559 VB

CAIRN TERRIER*Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1560 SBD 1561 MPD 1562 PD 1563 JD 1564 PGD
1568 SBB 1569 MPB 1570 PB 1571 JB 1572 PGB**Judge Mr Veli-Pekka Kumpumaki (Finland)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*1565 LD 1566 OD 1567 VD
1573 LB 1574 OB 1575 VB**CESKY TERRIER***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1576 SBD 1577 MPD 1578 PD 1579 JD 1580 PGD
1584 SBB 1585 MPB 1586 PB 1587 JB 1588 PGB**Judge Mr Julien Barney***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*1581 LD 1582 OD 1583 VD
1589 LB 1590 OB 1591 VB**The Cesky Terrier Club Championship Show to be held here. See page 9 for details.****DANDIE DINMONT TERRIER***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1592 SBD 1593 MPD 1594 PD 1595 JD 1596 PGD
1600 SBB 1601 MPB 1602 PB 1603 JB 1604 PGB**Judge Mr Julien Barney***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*1597 LD 1598 OD 1599 VD
1605 LB 1606 OB 1607 VB**FOX TERRIER (SMOOTH)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1608 SBD 1609 MPD 1610 PD 1611 JD 1612 PGD
1616 SBB 1617 MPB 1618 PB 1619 JB 1620 PGB**Judge Mr Robert (Bob) Blackley***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*1613 LD 1614 OD 1615 VD
1621 LB 1622 OB 1623 VB**FOX TERRIER (WIRE)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1624 SBD 1625 MPD 1626 PD 1627 JD 1628 PGD
1632 SBB 1633 MPB 1634 PB 1635 JB 1636 PGB**Judge Miss Carmel Clarke-O'Neill***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*1629 LD 1630 OD 1631 VD
1637 LB 1638 OB 1639 VB**GLEN OF IMAAL TERRIER***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1640 SBD 1641 MPD 1642 PD 1643 JD 1644 PGD
1648 SBB 1649 MPB 1650 PB 1651 JB 1652 PGB**Judge Mr Tim Ball***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*1645 LD 1646 OD 1647 VD
1653 LB 1654 OB 1655 VB**IRISH TERRIER***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1656 SBD 1657 MPD 1658 PD 1659 JD 1660 PGD
1664 SBB 1665 MPB 1666 PB 1667 JB 1668 PGB**Judge Siobhan Anderson***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*1661 LD 1662 OD 1663 VD
1669 LB 1670 OB 1671 VB**JACK RUSSELL TERRIER***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1672 SBD 1673 MPD 1674 PD 1675 JD 1676 PGD
1680 SBB 1681 MPB 1682 PB 1683 JB 1684 PGB**Judge Mr John Scanlan***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*1677 LD 1678 OD 1679 VD
1685 LB 1686 OB 1687 VB**KERRY BLUE TERRIER***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1688 SBD 1689 MPD 1690 PD 1691 JD 1692 PGD
1696 SBB 1697 MPB 1698 PB 1699 JB 1700 PGB**Judge Mr John Scanlan***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*1693 LD 1694 OD 1695 VD
1701 LB 1702 OB 1703 VB**The Kerry Blue Terrier Association Championship Show to be held here. See page 9 for details.****LAKELAND TERRIER***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1704 SBD 1705 MPD 1706 PD 1707 JD 1708 PGD
1712 SBB 1713 MPB 1714 PB 1715 JB 1716 PGB**Judge Mr Colin Powell***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*1709 LD 1710 OD 1711 VD
1717 LB 1718 OB 1719 VB**MANCHESTER TERRIER***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1720 SBD 1721 MPD 1722 PD 1723 JD 1724 PGD
1728 SBB 1729 MPB 1730 PB 1731 JB 1732 PGB**Judge Miss Vanessa Cox***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*1725 LD 1726 OD 1727 VD
1733 LB 1734 OB 1735 VB**NORFOLK TERRIER***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1736 SBD 1737 MPD 1738 PD 1739 JD 1740 PGD
1744 SBB 1745 MPB 1746 PB 1747 JB 1748 PGB**Judge Mr Keith Jones***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*1741 LD 1742 OD 1743 VD
1749 LB 1750 OB 1751 VB**NORWICH TERRIER***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1752 SBD 1753 MPD 1754 PD 1755 JD 1756 PGD
1760 SBB 1761 MPB 1762 PB 1763 JB 1764 PGB**Judge Mr Tim Ball***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*1757 LD 1758 OD 1759 VD
1765 LB 1766 OB 1767 VB**PARSON RUSSELL TERRIER***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1768 SBD 1769 MPD 1770 PD 1771 JD 1772 PGD
1776 SBB 1777 MPB 1778 PB 1779 JB 1780 PGB**Judge Miss Nicola Spencer***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*1773 LD 1774 OD 1775 VD
1781 LB 1782 OB 1783 VB**SCOTTISH TERRIER***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1784 SBD 1785 MPD 1786 PD 1787 JD 1788 PGD
1792 SBB 1793 MPB 1794 PB 1795 JB 1796 PGB**Judge Mr John Scanlan***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*1789 LD 1790 OD 1791 VD
1797 LB 1798 OB 1799 VB

SEALYHAM TERRIER*Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1800 SBD 1801 MPD 1802 PD 1803 JD 1804 PGD 1805 LD 1806 OD 1807 VD
1808 SBB 1809 MPB 1810 PB 1811 JB 1812 PGB 1813 LB 1814 OB 1815 VB**Judge Mr Veli-Pekka Kumpumaki (Finland)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***SKYE TERRIER***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1816 SBD 1817 MPD 1818 PD 1819 JD 1820 PGD 1821 LD 1822 OD 1823 VD
1824 SBB 1825 MPB 1826 PB 1827 JB 1828 PGB 1829 LB 1830 OB 1831 VB**Judge Mr Julien Barney***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***SOFT-COATED WHEATEN TERRIER***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1832 SBD 1833 MPD 1834 PD 1835 JD 1836 PGD 1837 LD 1838 OD 1839 VD
1840 SBB 1841 MPB 1842 PB 1843 JB 1844 PGB 1845 LB 1846 OB 1847 VB**Judge Miss Carmel Clarke-O'Neill***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***STAFFORDSHIRE BULL TERRIER***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1848 SBD 1849 MPD 1850 PD 1851 JD 1852 YD 1853 ND 1854 GD 1855 PGD 1856 LD 1857 OD 1858 VD
1859 SBB 1860 MPB 1861 PB 1862 JB 1863 YB 1864 NB 1865 GB 1866 PGB 1867 LB 1868 OB 1869 VB**Judge Mrs Bianca Janssen (Netherlands)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***WELSH TERRIER***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1870 SBD 1871 MPD 1872 PD 1873 JD 1874 PGD 1875 LD 1876 OD 1877 VD
1878 SBB 1879 MPB 1880 PB 1881 JB 1882 PGB 1883 LB 1884 OB 1885 VB**Judge Mr Colin Powell***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***WEST HIGHLAND WHITE TERRIER***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1886 SBD 1887 MPD 1888 PD 1889 JD 1890 PGD 1891 LD 1892 OD 1893 VD
1894 SBB 1895 MPB 1896 PB 1897 JB 1898 PGB 1899 LB 1900 OB 1901 VB**Judge Mr Veli-Pekka Kumpumaki (Finland)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***The West Highland White Terrier Club of Wales Open Show to be held here. See page 9 for details.****AV IMPORTED REGISTER BREEDS (Terrier)****Judge Mr Veli-Pekka Kumpumaki (Finland)**1902 SBD 1903 PD 1904 JD 1905 PGD 1906 LD 1907 OD 1908 VD
1909 SBB 1910 PB 1911 JB 1912 PGB 1913 LB 1914 OB 1915 VB

STAKES CLASSES

JUNIOR HANDLING ASSOCIATION CLASSES - 2nd DAY

Judge Harry Russell

**** To be judged at 8.30am**

1916 Junior Handling 6-11 years

1917 Junior Handling 12-16 years

To be judged at 8.30am. Those handlers placed first, second and third will be eligible to compete in the semi-finals to be held in 2026. Rosettes 1st - 5th place kindly donated by Dalsetter Rosettes.

You are not required to be a member of the JHA to enter these classes. However to take part in the semi-final you must be a member of the JHA.

THE YOUNG KENNEL CLUB MEMBERS STAKES - 2nd DAY

Judge Miss Sharon R Pinkerton

Prize Money: 1st £10.00; 2nd £5.00; 3rd £3.00; 4th £2.00**** To be judged at approximately 9.00 a.m. ****

1918 AV Hound Open Dog or Bitch

1919 AV Terrier Open Dog or Bitch

All pedigree dogs are eligible to take part provided the dog is registered on The Royal Kennel Club Breed Register. The dog must be registered either: (a) Solely or jointly in the member's name or (b) In the name of a close member of the family (i.e. a group of people related by blood or by marriage) and under these circumstances the dog must be resident at the YKC member's address. Please see Definitions of Classes on page 14 for additional information.

THE YOUNG KENNEL CLUB MEMBERS' HANDLING CLASSES - 2nd DAY

Judge Miss Sharon R Pinkerton

Prize Money: 1st £10.00; 2nd £5.00; 3rd £3.00; 4th £2.00**** To be judged after the YKC Members Stakes ****

1920 6-11 years (for members 6 years and up to, but not including 12th birthday)

1921 12-17 years (for members 12 years and up to, but not including 18th birthday)

1922 18-24 years (for members 18 years and up to, but not including 25th birthday)

For fully paid-up members of the YKC only. Please see Definitions of Classes on page 14 for additional information.

ADULT HANDLING ASSOCIATION CLASSES - 2nd DAY

Judge Miss Sharon R Pinkerton

**** To be judged after the YKC Handling Classes ****

1923 Adult Handling 17-30 years

1925 Adult Handling 46-60 years

1924 Adult Handling 31-45 years

1926 Adult Handling 60+ years

1st to 3rd in these classes qualify for the AHA Final, held at Bath Championship Show, May 2027.

HIGHAM PRESS POST GRADUATE STAKES - 2nd DAY

Judge Mr David Shields

Prize Money: 1st £25.00; 2nd £15.00; 3rd £10.00; 4th £5.00

**** To be judged at approximately 10.30 a.m. ****

1927 AV Hound or Terrier Post Graduate Dog or Bitch

THE MERIEL HATHAWAY MEMORIAL OPEN STAKES - 2nd DAY

Judge Miss Sharon R Pinkerton

Prize money: 1st £25.00; 2nd £15.00; 3rd £10.00 4th £5.00

**** To be judged at approximately 11.30 a.m. ****

1928 AV Hound or Terrier Open Dog or Bitch

EUKANUBA PUPPY STAKES - 2nd DAY

Judge Mr David Shields

1st & 2nd get a Voucher for free Eukanuba Breeder Bag worth: 1st £40.00; 2nd £30.50
3rd & 4th get a Voucher for a free Eukanuba bag worth £12.50; VHC -voucher for 2 treats worth £6

**** To be judged at approximately 12.30 p.m. ****

1929 AV Hound or Terrier Puppy Dog or Bitch

Any puppy that wins a heat of the Pup of the Year Stakes cannot qualify for the Champion Stakes final during the same year.

EUKANUBA CHAMPION STAKES - 2nd DAY

[This is a heat of the EUKANUBA Champion Stakes Competition]

Judge Mr David Shields

1st & 2nd get a Voucher for free Eukanuba Breeder Bag worth: 1st £40.00; 2nd £30.50
3rd & 4th get a Voucher for a free Eukanuba bag worth £12.50; VHC -voucher for 2 treats worth £6

**** To be judged at approximately 1.30 p.m. ****

1930 AV Hound or Terrier Champion Dog or Bitch

Confined to Champions or Show Champions at the time of entries closing. A Champion or Show Champion need only be entered in the Champion Stakes if so desired but your attention is drawn to Rule 11 on page 11 which confirms which dogs are eligible to compete for Best of Group and Best in Show. The entry fee for this class is £6.00 if the dog is entered in a breed class first or £20.00 if it is the only class that the dog is entered in.

VULNERABLE NATIVE BREED STAKES - 2nd DAY

Judge Mr Kevin Young

Prize Money: 1st £25.00; 2nd £15.00; 3rd £10.00; 4th £5.00

**** To be judged at approximately 1.00 p.m. ****

1931 AV Hound or Terrier Vulnerable Native Breed Dog or Bitch

ANY VARIETY GOOD CITIZEN DOG SCHEME CLASS - 2nd DAY

Judge Miss Sharon R Pinkerton

Sponsored by The Royal Kennel Club

Prize Money: 1st £50.00; 2nd £25.00; 3rd £10.00; Reserve £5.00

**** To be judged at approximately 2.00 p.m. ****

1932 AV Hound or Terrier Good Citizen Dog Scheme Dog or Bitch

For dogs that have achieved their GCDS Bronze Award Certificate or above.

ROYAL KENNEL CLUB BREEDERS' COMPETITION - 2nd Day

Judge Mr David Shields

Prize Money (Sponsored by Agria): 1st £25.00

**** To be judged at approximately 3.00 p.m. ****

1933 AV Hound Breeders Competition

1934 AV Terrier Breeders Competition

Please see Definitions of Classes on page 14 for additional information.

THIRD DAY — SATURDAY 9th MAY 2026

GUNDOG GROUP

GROUP JUDGE: Mr Ed Casey

PUPPY GROUP JUDGE: Mr Mike Lewin

VETERAN GROUP JUDGE: Miss Tania Gardner

BREEDERS GROUP JUDGE: Mr David Shields

SPECIAL BEGINNERS GROUP JUDGE: Miss Sharon R Pinkerton

BRACCO ITALIANO

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog

1935 SBD 1936 MPD 1937 PD 1938 JD 1939 PGD 1940 LD 1941 OD 1942 VD
1943 SBB 1944 MPB 1945 PB 1946 JB 1947 PGB 1948 LB 1949 OB 1950 VB

Judge Mr Robert McMaster

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch

BRITTANY*Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1951 SBD 1952 MPD 1953 PD 1954 JD 1955 PGD
1959 SBB 1960 MPB 1961 PB 1962 JB 1963 PGB**Judge Mr Richard Bott***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*1956 LD 1957 OD 1958 VD
1964 LB 1965 OB 1966 VB**ENGLISH SETTER***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1967 SBD 1968 MPD 1969 PD 1970 JD 1971 PGD
1975 SBB 1976 MPB 1977 PB 1978 JB 1979 PGB**Judge Mr Gavin Robertson***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*1972 LD 1973 OD 1974 VD
1980 LB 1981 OB 1982 VB**GERMAN LONGHAIRD POINTER**1983 SBD 1984 PD 1985 JD 1986 PGD 1987 LD 1988 OD 1989 VD
1990 SBB 1991 PB 1992 JB 1993 PGB 1994 LB 1995 OB 1996 VB**Judge Mr David R Alcorn****GERMAN SHORTHAIRED POINTER***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*1997 SBD 1998 MPD 1999 PD 2000 JD 2001 PGD
2005 SBB 2006 MPB 2007 PB 2008 JB 2009 PGB**Judge Mrs Christine Schofield***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*2002 LD 2003 OD 2004 VD
2010 LB 2011 OB 2012 VB**GERMAN WIREHAIRD POINTER***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*2013 SBD 2014 MPD 2015 PD 2016 JD 2017 PGD
2021 SBB 2022 MPB 2023 PB 2024 JB 2025 PGB**Judge Mr Richard Bott***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*2018 LD 2019 OD 2020 VD
2026 LB 2027 OB 2028 VB**GORDON SETTER***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*2029 SBD 2030 MPD 2031 PD 2032 JD 2033 PGD
2037 SBB 2038 MPB 2039 PB 2040 JB 2041 PGB**Judge Mr Angus Macara***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*2034 LD 2035 OD 2036 VD
2042 LB 2043 OB 2044 VB**HUNGARIAN VIZSLA***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*2045 SBD 2046 MPD 2047 PD 2048 JD 2049 YD
2055 SBB 2056 MPB 2057 PB 2058 JB 2059 YB**Judge Mr Anthony Allen***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*2050 ND 2051 PGD 2052 LD 2053 OD 2054 VD
2060 NB 2061 PGB 2062 LB 2063 OB 2064 VB**HUNGARIAN WIREHAIRD VIZSLA***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*2065 SBD 2066 MPD 2067 PD 2068 JD 2069 PGD
2073 SBB 2074 MPB 2075 PB 2076 JB 2077 PGB**Judge Mr Gavin Robertson***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*2070 LD 2071 OD 2072 VD
2078 LB 2079 OB 2080 VB**IRISH RED & WHITE SETTER***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*2081 SBD 2082 MPD 2083 PD 2084 JD 2085 PGD
2089 SBB 2090 MPB 2091 PB 2092 JB 2093 PGB**Judge Mr Moray Armstrong***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*2086 LD 2087 OD 2088 VD
2094 LB 2095 OB 2096 VB**IRISH SETTER***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*2097 SBD 2098 MPD 2099 PD 2100 JD 2101 YD
2107 LD 2108 OD 2109 VD
2110 SBB 2111 MPB 2112 PB 2113 JB 2114 YB 2115 MB 2116 NB 2117 GB 2118 PGB 2119 MdLB
2120 LB 2121 OB 2122 VB**Judge Mrs Penny Williams***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*

2102 MD 2103 ND 2104 GD 2105 PGD 2106 MdLD

ITALIAN SPINONE*Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*2123 SBD 2124 MPD 2125 PD 2126 JD 2127 PGD
2131 SBB 2132 MPB 2133 PB 2134 JB 2135 PGB**Judge Mr Moray Armstrong***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*2128 LD 2129 OD 2130 VD
2136 LB 2137 OB 2138 VB**LAGOTTO ROMAGNOLO***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*2139 SBD 2140 PD 2141 JD 2142 PGD 2143 LD 2144 OD 2145 VD
2146 SBB 2147 PB 2148 JB 2149 PGB 2150 LB 2151 OB 2152 VB**Judge Mrs Jean Collins-Pitman***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***LARGE MUNSTERLANDER***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*2153 SBD 2154 MPD 2155 PD 2156 JD 2157 PGD
2161 SBB 2162 MPB 2163 PB 2164 JB 2165 PGB**Judge Ms Annette Mappin***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*2158 LD 2159 OD 2160 VD
2166 LB 2167 OB 2168 VB**POINTER***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*2169 SBD 2170 MPD 2171 PD 2172 JD 2173 PGD
2177 SBB 2178 MPB 2179 PB 2180 JB 2181 PGB**Judge Mrs Hilary Male***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*2174 LD 2175 OD 2176 VD
2182 LB 2183 OB 2184 VB**RETRIEVER (CHESAPEAKE BAY)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*2185 SBD 2186 MPD 2187 PD 2188 JD 2189 PGD
2193 SBB 2194 MPB 2195 PB 2196 JB 2197 PGB**Judge Mr David Bell***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*2190 LD 2191 OD 2192 VD
2198 LB 2199 OB 2200 VB

RETRIEVER (CURLY COATED)*Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*2201 SBD 2202 MPD 2203 PD 2204 JD 2205 PGD 2206 LD 2207 OD 2208 VD
2209 SBB 2210 MPB 2211 PB 2212 JB 2213 PGB 2214 LB 2215 OB 2216 VB**Judge Mrs Jane Eyeington***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***RETRIEVER (FLAT COATED)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*2217 SBD 2218 MPD 2219 PD 2220 JD 2221 YD 2222 ND 2223 GD 2224 PGD 2225 LD 2226 OD 2227 VD
2228 SBB 2229 MPB 2230 PB 2231 JB 2232 YB 2233 NB 2234 GB 2235 PGB 2236 LB 2237 OB 2238 VB**Judge Mr Mike Gadsby***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***RETRIEVER (GOLDEN)****Referee Mr Ed Casey***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*2239 SBD 2240 MPD 2241 PD 2242 JD 2243 YD 2244 MD 2245 ND 2246 GD 2247 PGD 2248 MdLD
2249 LD 2250 OD 2251 VD
2252 SBB 2253 MPB 2254 PB 2255 JB 2256 YB 2257 MB 2258 NB 2259 GB 2260 PGB 2261 MdLB
2262 LB 2263 OB 2264 VB**Dogs - Judge Mrs Patricia Rowark****Bitches - Judge Mr Marc Wheeldon***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***RETRIEVER (LABRADOR)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*2265 SBD 2266 MPD 2267 PD 2268 JD 2269 YD 2270 MD 2271 ND 2272 GD 2273 PGD 2274 MdLD
2275 LD 2276 OD 2277 VD
2278 SBB 2279 MPB 2280 PB 2281 JB 2282 YB 2283 MB 2284 NB 2285 GB 2286 PGB 2287 MdLB
2288 LB 2289 OB 2290 VB**Judge Mr Jussi Liimatainen (Finland)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***RETRIEVER (NOVA SCOTIA DUCK TOLLING)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*2291 SBD 2292 MPD 2293 PD 2294 JD 2295 YD 2296 ND 2297 GD 2298 PGD 2299 LD 2300 OD 2301 VD
2302 SBB 2303 MPB 2304 PB 2305 JB 2306 YB 2307 NB 2308 GB 2309 PGB 2310 LB 2311 OB 2312 VB**Judge Mr Anthony Allen***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***SPANIEL (AMERICAN COCKER)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*2313 SBD 2314 MPD 2315 PD 2316 JD 2317 PGD 2318 LD 2319 OD 2320 VD
2321 SBB 2322 MPB 2323 PB 2324 JB 2325 PGB 2326 LB 2327 OB 2328 VB**Judge Mr Angus Macara***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***SPANIEL (CLUMBER)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*

A ramp will be available for this breed

2329 SBD 2330 MPD 2331 PD 2332 JD 2333 PGD 2334 LD 2335 OD 2336 VD
2337 SBB 2338 MPB 2339 PB 2340 JB 2341 PGB 2342 LB 2343 OB 2344 VB**Judge Mrs Christine Schofield***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***SPANIEL (COCKER)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*2345 SBD 2346 MPD 2347 PD 2348 JD 2349 YD 2350 MD 2351 ND 2352 GD 2353 PGD 2354 MdLD
2355 LD 2356 OD 2357 VD
2358 SBB 2359 MPB 2360 PB 2361 JB 2362 YB 2363 MB 2364 NB 2365 GB 2366 PGB 2367 MdLB
2368 LB 2369 OB 2370 VB**Judge Miss Tori Ellis***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***SPANIEL (ENGLISH SPRINGER)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*2371 SBD 2372 MPD 2373 PD 2374 JD 2375 PGD 2376 LD 2377 OD 2378 VD
2379 SBB 2380 MPB 2381 PB 2382 JB 2383 PGB 2384 LB 2385 OB 2386 VB**Judge Mr Michael Lewis***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***The English Springer Spaniel Club Championship Show to be held here, see page 10 for details.****SPANIEL (FIELD)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*2387 SBD 2388 MPD 2389 PD 2390 JD 2391 PGD 2392 LD 2393 OD 2394 VD
2395 SBB 2396 MPB 2397 PB 2398 JB 2399 PGB 2400 LB 2401 OB 2402 VB**Judge Mrs Ann Moon***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***SPANIEL (IRISH WATER)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*2403 SBD 2404 MPD 2405 PD 2406 JD 2407 PGD 2408 LD 2409 OD 2410 VD
2411 SBB 2412 MPB 2413 PB 2414 JB 2415 PGB 2416 LB 2417 OB 2418 VB**Judge Mrs Angie Biggs***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***The Irish Water Spaniel Club Open Show to be held here, see page 10 for details.****SPANIEL (SUSSEX)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*2419 SBD 2420 MPD 2421 PD 2422 JD 2423 PGD 2424 LD 2425 OD 2426 VD
2427 SBB 2428 MPB 2429 PB 2430 JB 2431 PGB 2432 LB 2433 OB 2434 VB**Judge Mrs Jane Eyeington***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***SPANIEL (WELSH SPRINGER)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*2435 SBD 2436 MPD 2437 PD 2438 JD 2439 PGD 2440 LD 2441 OD 2442 VD
2443 SBB 2444 MPB 2445 PB 2446 JB 2447 PGB 2448 LB 2449 OB 2450 VB**Judge Mrs Kay Douglas***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*

SPANISH WATER DOG*Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*2451 SBD 2452 MPD 2453 PD 2454 JD 2455 PGD 2456 LD 2457 OD 2458 VD
2459 SBB 2460 MPB 2461 PB 2462 JB 2463 PGB 2464 LB 2465 OB 2466 VB**Judge Mrs Christine Morgan***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***WEIMARANER***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*2467 SBD 2468 MPD 2469 PD 2470 JD 2471 YD 2472 ND 2473 GD 2474 PGD 2475 LD 2476 OD 2477 VD
2478 SBB 2479 MPB 2480 PB 2481 JB 2482 YB 2483 NB 2484 GB 2485 PGB 2486 LB 2487 OB 2488 VB**Judge Mrs Christina Chapman***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***AV IMPORTED REGISTER BREEDS (Gundog) Judge Ms Annette Mappin**2489 SBD 2490 PD 2491 JD 2492 PGD 2493 LD 2494 OD 2495 VD
2496 SBB 2497 PB 2498 JB 2499 PGB 2500 LB 2501 OB 2502 VB**Import Register Gundogs Breeds Match to be held here, see page 10 for details.**

STAKES CLASSES

JUNIOR HANDLING ASSOCIATION CLASSES - 3rd DAY

Judge Harry Russell

**** To be judged at 8.30am**

2503 Junior Handling 6-11 years

2504 Junior Handling 12-16 years

To be judged at 8.30am. Those handlers placed first, second and third will be eligible to compete in the semi-finals to be held in 2026. Rosettes 1st - 5th place kindly donated by Daisetter Rosettes.

You are not required to be a member of the JHA to enter these classes. However to take part in the semi-final you must be a member of the JHA.

THE YOUNG KENNEL CLUB MEMBERS STAKES - 3rd DAY

Judge Miss Sharon R Pinkerton

Prize Money: 1st £10.00; 2nd £5.00; 3rd £3.00; 4th £2.00

**** To be judged at approximately 9.00 a.m. ****

2505 AV Gundog Open Dog or Bitch

All pedigree dogs are eligible to take part provided the dog is registered on The Royal Kennel Club Breed Register. The dog must be registered either: (a) Solely or jointly in the member's name or (b) In the name of a close member of the family (i.e. a group of people related by blood or by marriage) and under these circumstances the dog must be resident at the YKC member's address. Please see Definitions of Classes on page 14 for additional information.

THE YOUNG KENNEL CLUB MEMBERS' HANDLING CLASSES - 3rd DAY

Judge Miss Sharon R Pinkerton

Prize Money: 1st £10.00; 2nd £5.00; 3rd £3.00; 4th £2.00

**** To be judged after the YKC Members Stakes ****

2506 6-11 years (for members 6 years and up to, but not including 12th birthday)

2507 12-17 years (for members 12 years and up to, but not including 18th birthday)

2508 18-24 years (for members 18 years and up to, but not including 25th birthday)

For fully paid-up members of the YKC only. Please see Definitions of Classes on page 14 for additional information.

ADULT HANDLING ASSOCIATION CLASSES - 3rd DAY

Judge Miss Sharon R Pinkerton

**** To be judged after the YKC Handling Classes ****

2509 Adult Handling 17-30 years

2511 Adult Handling 46-60 years

2510 Adult Handling 31-45 years

2512 Adult Handling 60+ years

1st to 3rd in these classes qualify for the AHA Final, held at Bath Championship Show, May 2027.

HIGHAM PRESS POST GRADUATE STAKES - 3rd DAY

Judge Mr David Shields

Prize Money: 1st £25.00; 2nd £15.00; 3rd £10.00; 4th £5.00

**** To be judged at approximately 10.30 a.m. ****

2513 AV Gundog Post Graduate Dog or Bitch

THE MERIEL HATHAWAY MEMORIAL OPEN STAKES - 3rd DAY

Judge Miss Sharon R Pinkerton

Prize money: 1st £25.00; 2nd £15.00; 3rd £10.00 4th £5.00

**** To be judged at approximately 11.30 a.m. ****

2514 AV Gundog Open Dog or Bitch

EUKANUBA PUPPY STAKES - 3rd DAY

Judge Mr David Shields

1st & 2nd get a Voucher for free Eukanuba Breeder Bag worth: 1st £40.00; 2nd £30.50

3rd & 4th get a Voucher for a free Eukanuba bag worth £12.50; VHC -voucher for 2 treats worth £6

**** To be judged at approximately 12.30 p.m. ****

2515 AV Gundog Puppy Dog or Bitch

Any puppy that wins a heat of the Pup of the Year Stakes cannot qualify for the Champion Stakes final during the same year.

EUKANUBA CHAMPION STAKES - 3rd DAY

[This is a heat of the EUKANUBA Champion Stakes Competition]

Judge Mr David Shields

1st & 2nd get a Voucher for free Eukanuba Breeder Bag worth: 1st £40.00; 2nd £30.50
3rd & 4th get a Voucher for a free Eukanuba bag worth £12.50; VHC -voucher for 2 treats worth £6

**** To be judged at approximately 1.30 p.m. ****

2516 AV Gundog Champion Dog or Bitch

Confined to Champions or Show Champions at the time of entries closing. A Champion or Show Champion need only be entered in the Champion Stakes if so desired but your attention is drawn to Rule 11 on page 11 which confirms which dogs are eligible to compete for Best of Group and Best in Show. The entry fee for this class is £6.00 if the dog is entered in a breed class first or £20.00 if it is the only class that the dog is entered in.

VULNERABLE NATIVE BREED STAKES - 3rd DAY

Judge Mr Kevin Young

Prize Money: 1st £25.00; 2nd £15.00; 3rd £10.00; 4th £5.00

**** To be judged at approximately 1.00 p.m. ****

2517 AV Gundog Vulnerable Native Breed Dog or Bitch

ANY VARIETY GOOD CITIZEN DOG SCHEME CLASS - 3rd DAY

Judge Miss Sharon R Pinkerton

Sponsored by The Royal Kennel Club

Prize Money: 1st £50.00; 2nd £25.00; 3rd £10.00; Reserve £5.00

**** To be judged at approximately 2.00 p.m. ****

2518 AV Gundog Good Citizen Dog Scheme Dog or Bitch

For dogs that have achieved their GCDS Bronze Award Certificate or above.

ROYAL KENNEL CLUB BREEDERS' COMPETITION - 3rd Day

Judge Mr David Shields

Prize Money (Sponsored by Agria): 1st £25.00

**** To be judged at approximately 3.00 p.m. ****

2519 AV Gundog Breeders Competition

Please see Definitions of Classes on page 14 for additional information.

FOURTH DAY – SUNDAY 10th MAY 2026

WORKING GROUP

GROUP JUDGE: Mr John Ritchie PUPPY GROUP JUDGE: Mr Jussi Liimatainen (Finland)
VETERAN GROUP JUDGE: Mr Moray Armstrong BREEDERS GROUP JUDGE: Mr David Shields
SPECIAL BEGINNERS GROUP JUDGE: Miss Sharon R Pinkerton

ALASKAN MALAMUTE

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog

2520 SBD 2521 MPD 2522 PD 2523 JD 2524 PGD 2525 LD 2526 OD 2527 VD
2528 SBB 2529 MPB 2530 PB 2531 JB 2532 PGB 2533 LB 2534 OB 2535 VB

The Alaskan Malamute Club of the United Kingdom Open Show to be held here, see page 10 for details.

Judge Miss Charlotte John

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch

BERNESE MOUNTAIN DOG

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog

2536 SBD 2537 MPD 2538 PD 2539 JD 2540 PGD 2541 LD 2542 OD 2543 VD
2544 SBB 2545 MPB 2546 PB 2547 JB 2548 PGB 2549 LB 2550 OB 2551 VB

Judge Mr Steve Atkinson

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch

BOUVIER DES FLANDRES

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog

2552 SBD 2553 MPD 2554 PD 2555 JD 2556 PGD 2557 LD 2558 OD 2559 VD
2560 SBB 2561 MPB 2562 PB 2563 JB 2564 PGB 2565 LB 2566 OB 2567 VB

Judge Mr Kevin Young

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch

BOXER

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog

2568 SBD 2569 MPD 2570 PD 2571 JD 2572 YD 2573 MD 2574 ND 2575 GD 2576 PGD 2577 MdLD
2578 LD 2579 OD 2580 VD
2581 SBB 2582 MPB 2583 PB 2584 JB 2585 YB 2586 MB 2587 NB 2588 GB 2589 PGB 2590 MdLB
2591 LB 2592 OB 2593 VB

Judge Mrs Wendy Brooks

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch

BULLMASTIFF

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog

2594 SBD 2595 MPD 2596 PD 2597 JD 2598 PGD 2599 LD 2600 OD 2601 VD
2602 SBB 2603 MPB 2604 PB 2605 JB 2606 PGB 2607 LB 2608 OB 2609 VB

Judge Miss Tracy Tousest

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch

CANADIAN ESKIMO DOG**Judge Mr Jeff Horswell**2610 SBD 2611 PD 2612 JD 2613 PGD 2614 LD 2615 OD 2616 VD
2617 SBB 2618 PB 2619 JB 2620 PGB 2621 LB 2622 OB 2623 VB**DOBERMANN****Judge Mr Peter Simmons***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog**Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*2624 SBD 2625 MPD 2626 PD 2627 JD 2628 ND 2629 GD 2630 PGD 2631 LD 2632 OD 2633 VD
2634 SBB 2635 MPB 2636 PB 2637 JB 2638 NB 2639 GB 2640 PGB 2641 LB 2642 OB 2643 VB**The Birmingham & District Dobermann Club Open Show to be held here, see page 10 for details.****DOGUE DE BORDEAUX****Judge Miss Kirstie Forster***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog**Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*2644 SBD 2645 MPD 2646 PD 2647 JD 2648 PGD 2649 LD 2650 OD 2651 VD
2652 SBB 2653 MPB 2654 PB 2655 JB 2656 PGB 2657 LB 2658 OB 2659 VB**GERMAN PINSCHER****Judge Mr Jeff Horswell**2660 SBD 2661 PD 2662 JD 2663 PGD 2664 LD 2665 OD 2666 VD
2667 SBB 2668 PB 2669 JB 2670 PGB 2671 LB 2672 OB 2673 VB**GIANT SCHNAUZER****Judge Mr Kevin Young***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog**Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*2674 SBD 2675 MPD 2676 PD 2677 JD 2678 PGD 2679 LD 2680 OD 2681 VD
2682 SBB 2683 MPB 2684 PB 2685 JB 2686 PGB 2687 LB 2688 OB 2689 VB**GREAT DANE****Judge Mr David Simpson***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog**Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*2690 SBD 2691 MPD 2692 PD 2693 JD 2694 PGD 2695 LD 2696 OD 2697 VD
2698 SBB 2699 MPB 2700 PB 2701 JB 2702 PGB 2703 LB 2704 OB 2705 VB**GREAT SWISS MOUNTAIN DOG****Judge Mr Steve Atkinson**2706 SBD 2707 PD 2708 JD 2709 PGD 2710 LD 2711 OD 2712 VD
2713 SBB 2714 PB 2715 JB 2716 PGB 2717 LB 2718 OB 2719 VB**GREENLAND DOG****Judge Mr Jeff Horswell**2720 SBD 2721 PD 2722 JD 2723 PGD 2724 LD 2725 OD 2726 VD
2727 SBB 2728 PB 2729 JB 2730 PGB 2731 LB 2732 OB 2733 VB**HOVAWART****Judge Mrs Caroline Friend-Rees**2734 SBD 2735 PD 2736 JD 2737 PGD 2738 LD 2739 OD 2740 VD
2741 SBB 2742 PB 2743 JB 2744 PGB 2745 LB 2746 OB 2747 VB**LEONBERGER****Judge Miss Marion Hodgson***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog**Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*2748 SBD 2749 MPD 2750 PD 2751 JD 2752 PGD 2753 LD 2754 OD 2755 VD
2756 SBB 2757 MPB 2758 PB 2759 JB 2760 PGB 2761 LB 2762 OB 2763 VB**MASTIFF****Judge Dr Ronald James***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog**Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*2764 SBD 2765 MPD 2766 PD 2767 JD 2768 PGD 2769 LD 2770 OD 2771 VD
2772 SBB 2773 MPB 2774 PB 2775 JB 2776 PGB 2777 LB 2778 OB 2779 VB**NEAPOLITAN MASTIFF****Judge Dr Ronald James**2780 SBD 2781 PD 2782 JD 2783 PGD 2784 LD 2785 OD 2786 VD
2787 SBB 2788 PB 2789 JB 2790 PGB 2791 LB 2792 OB 2793 VB**NEWFOUNDLAND****Judge Mr Steve Atkinson***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog**Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*2794 SBD 2795 MPD 2796 PD 2797 JD 2798 PGD 2799 LD 2800 OD 2801 VD
2802 SBB 2803 MPB 2804 PB 2805 JB 2806 PGB 2807 LB 2808 OB 2809 VB**PORTUGUESE WATER DOG****Judge Dr Margaret Buckley***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog**Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*2810 SBD 2811 MPD 2812 PD 2813 JD 2814 PGD 2815 LD 2816 OD 2817 VD
2818 SBB 2819 MPB 2820 PB 2821 JB 2822 PGB 2823 LB 2824 OB 2825 VB**ROTTWEILER****Judge Miss Marion Hodgson***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog**Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*2826 SBD 2827 MPD 2828 PD 2829 JD 2830 ND 2831 GD 2832 PGD 2833 LD 2834 OD 2835 VD
2836 SBB 2837 MPB 2838 PB 2839 JB 2840 NB 2841 GB 2842 PGB 2843 LB 2844 OB 2845 VB**RUSSIAN BLACK TERRIER****Judge Mr Jeff Horswell**2846 SBD 2847 PD 2848 JD 2849 PGD 2850 LD 2851 OD 2852 VD
2853 SBB 2854 PB 2855 JB 2856 PGB 2857 LB 2858 OB 2859 VB**ST. BERNARD****Judge Mr Kevin Young***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog**Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*2860 SBD 2861 MPD 2862 PD 2863 JD 2864 PGD 2865 LD 2866 OD 2867 VD
2868 SBB 2869 MPB 2870 PB 2871 JB 2872 PGB 2873 LB 2874 OB 2875 VB

SIBERIAN HUSKY*Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*2876 SBD 2877 MPD 2878 PD 2879 JD 2880 PGD
2884 SBB 2885 MPB 2886 PB 2887 JB 2888 PGB**Judge Mrs Helen Taylor-Morris***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*2881 LD 2882 OD 2883 VD
2889 LB 2890 OB 2891 VB**TIBETAN MASTIFF***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*2892 SBD 2893 MPD 2894 PD 2895 JD 2896 PGD
2900 SBB 2901 MPB 2902 PB 2903 JB 2904 PGB**Judge Dr Ronald James***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*2897 LD 2898 OD 2899 VD
2905 LB 2906 OB 2907 VB**AV IMPORTED REGISTER BREEDS (Working) Judge Mrs Caroline Friend-Rees**2908 SBD 2909 PD 2910 JD 2911 PGD 2912 LD 2913 OD 2914 VD
2915 SBB 2916 PB 2917 JB 2918 PGB 2919 LB 2920 OB 2921 VB**PASTORAL GROUP****GROUP JUDGE: Mr Tan Nagrecha****PUPPY GROUP JUDGE: Mrs Caroline Friend-Rees****VETERAN GROUP JUDGE: Dr Ronald James****BREEDERS GROUP JUDGE: Mr David Shields****SPECIAL BEGINNERS GROUP JUDGE: Miss Sharon R Pinkerton****ANATOLIAN SHEPHERD DOG**2922 SBD 2923 PD 2924 JD 2925 PGD 2926 LD 2927 OD 2928 VD
2929 SBB 2930 PB 2931 JB 2932 PGB 2933 LB 2934 OB 2935 VB**Judge Mr Jeff Horswell****AUSTRALIAN CATTLE DOG***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*2936 SBD 2937 MPD 2938 PD 2939 JD 2940 PGD
2944 SBB 2945 MPB 2946 PB 2947 JB 2948 PGB**Judge Mrs Iona Bailey***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*2941 LD 2942 OD 2943 VD
2949 LB 2950 OB 2951 VB**AUSTRALIAN SHEPHERD***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*2952 SBD 2953 MPD 2954 PD 2955 JD 2956 PGD
2960 SBB 2961 MPB 2962 PB 2963 JB 2964 PGB**Judge Mrs Angela Challenger***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*2957 LD 2958 OD 2959 VD
2965 LB 2966 OB 2967 VB**BEARDED COLLIE***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*2968 SBD 2969 MPD 2970 PD 2971 JD 2972 YD
2979 SBB 2980 MPB 2981 PB 2982 JB 2983 YB**Judge Dr Margaret Buckley***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*2973 ND 2974 GD 2975 PGD 2976 LD 2977 OD 2978 VD
2984 NB 2985 GB 2986 PGB 2987 LB 2988 OB 2989 VB**BEAUCERON**2990 SBD 2991 PD 2992 JD 2993 PGD 2994 LD 2995 OD 2996 VD
2997 SBB 2998 PB 2999 JB 3000 PGB 3001 LB 3002 OB 3003 VB**Judge Mr Gary Gray****BELGIAN SHEPHERD DOG (GROENENDAEL)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*3004 SBD 3005 MPD 3006 PD 3007 JD 3008 PGD
3012 SBB 3013 MPB 3014 PB 3015 JB 3016 PGB**Judge Ms Cath Moffat***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*3009 LD 3010 OD 3011 VD
3017 LB 3018 OB 3019 VB**BELGIAN SHEPHERD DOG (LAEKENOIS)**3020 SBD 3021 PD 3022 JD 3023 PGD 3024 LD 3025 OD 3026 VD
3027 SBB 3028 PB 3029 JB 3030 PGB 3031 LB 3032 OB 3033 VB**Judge Mr Darren Clarke****BELGIAN SHEPHERD DOG (MALINOIS)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*3034 SBD 3035 MPD 3036 PD 3037 JD 3038 PGD
3042 SBB 3043 MPB 3044 PB 3045 JB 3046 PGB**Judge Ms Cath Moffat***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*3039 LD 3040 OD 3041 VD
3047 LB 3048 OB 3049 VB**BELGIAN SHEPHERD DOG (TERVUEREN)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*3050 SBD 3051 MPD 3052 PD 3053 JD 3054 PGD
3058 SBB 3059 MPB 3060 PB 3061 JB 3062 PGB**Judge Mr Darren Clarke***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*3055 LD 3056 OD 3057 VD
3063 LB 3064 OB 3065 VB**BORDER COLLIE***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*3066 SBD 3067 MPD 3068 PD 3069 JD 3070 YD 3071 ND 3072 GD 3073 PGD 3074 LD 3075 OD 3076 VD
3077 SBB 3078 MPB 3079 PB 3080 JB 3081 YB 3082 NB 3083 GB 3084 PGB 3085 LB 3086 OB 3087 VB**Judge Mr Steve Beaumont***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***The Midlands Border Collie Club Championship Show to be held here, see page 10 for details.****BRIARD***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*3088 SBD 3089 MPD 3090 PD 3091 JD 3092 PGD
3096 SBB 3097 MPB 3098 PB 3099 JB 3100 PGB**Judge Mrs Cheryl Biddcombe***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch*3093 LD 3094 OD 3095 VD
3101 LB 3102 OB 3103 VB

CATALAN SHEEPDOG (GOS D'ATURA)										Judge Ms Cath Moffat	
3104 SBD	3105 PD	3106 JD	3107 PGD	3108 LD	3109 OD	3110 VD					
3111 SBB	3112 PB	3113 JB	3114 PGB	3115 LB	3116 OB	3117 VB					
COLLIE (ROUGH)										Judge Mrs Christine Biggs	
<i>Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog</i>										<i>Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch</i>	
3118 SBD	3119 MPD	3120 PD	3121 JD	3122 YD	3123 ND	3124 GD	3125 PGD	3126 LD	3127 OD	3128 VD	
3129 SBB	3130 MPB	3131 PB	3132 JB	3133 YB	3134 NB	3135 GB	3136 PGB	3137 LB	3138 OB	3139 VB	
COLLIE (SMOOTH)										Judge Mrs Birgit Hayward	
<i>Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog</i>										<i>Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch</i>	
3140 SBD	3141 MPD	3142 PD	3143 JD	3144 PGD	3145 LD	3146 OD	3147 VD				
3148 SBB	3149 MPB	3150 PB	3151 JB	3152 PGB	3153 LB	3154 OB	3155 VB				
ESTRELA MOUNTAIN DOG										Judge Mr Gary Gray	
3156 SBD	3157 PD	3158 JD	3159 PGD	3160 LD	3161 OD	3162 VD					
3163 SBB	3164 PB	3165 JB	3166 PGB	3167 LB	3168 OB	3169 VB					
FINNISH LAPPHUND										Judge Mr Jussi Liimatainen (Finland)	
<i>Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog</i>										<i>Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch</i>	
3170 SBD	3171 MPD	3172 PD	3173 JD	3174 PGD	3175 LD	3176 OD	3177 VD				
3178 SBB	3179 MPB	3180 PB	3181 JB	3182 PGB	3183 LB	3184 OB	3185 VB				
GERMAN SHEPHERD DOG										Judge Mr Gary Gray	
<i>Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog</i>										<i>Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch</i>	
3186 SBD	3187 MPD	3188 PD	3189 JD	3190 PGD	3191 LD	3192 OD	3193 VD				
3194 SBB	3195 MPB	3196 PB	3197 JB	3198 PGB	3199 LB	3200 OB	3201 VB				
HUNGARIAN PULI										Judge Mr Steve Hall	
<i>Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog</i>										<i>Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch</i>	
3202 SBD	3203 MPD	3204 PD	3205 JD	3206 PGD	3207 LD	3208 OD	3209 VD				
3210 SBB	3211 MPB	3212 PB	3213 JB	3214 PGB	3215 LB	3216 OB	3217 VB				
HUNGARIAN PUMI										Judge Mr John Ritchie	
3218 SBD	3219 PD	3220 JD	3221 PGD	3222 LD	3223 OD	3224 VD					
3225 SBB	3226 PB	3227 JB	3228 PGB	3229 LB	3230 OB	3231 VB					
KOMONDOR										Judge Mr Jeff Horswell	
3232 SBD	3233 PD	3234 JD	3235 PGD	3236 LD	3237 OD	3238 VD					
3239 SBB	3240 PB	3241 JB	3242 PGB	3243 LB	3244 OB	3245 VB					
LANCASHIRE HEELER										Judge Mr Darren Clarke	
<i>Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog</i>										<i>Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch</i>	
3246 SBD	3247 MPD	3248 PD	3249 JD	3250 PGD	3251 LD	3252 OD	3253 VD				
3254 SBB	3255 MPB	3256 PB	3257 JB	3258 PGB	3259 LB	3260 OB	3261 VB				
MAREMMA SHEEPDOG										Judge Ms Cath Moffat	
3262 SBD	3263 PD	3264 JD	3265 PGD	3266 LD	3267 OD	3268 VD					
3269 SBB	3270 PB	3271 JB	3272 PGB	3273 LB	3274 OB	3275 VB					
NORWEGIAN BUHUND										Judge Mrs Caroline Friend-Rees	
<i>Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog</i>										<i>Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch</i>	
3276 SBD	3277 MPD	3278 PD	3279 JD	3280 PGD	3281 LD	3282 OD	3283 VD				
3284 SBB	3285 MPB	3286 PB	3287 JB	3288 PGB	3289 LB	3290 OB	3291 VB				
OLD ENGLISH SHEEPDOG										Judge Mr Steve Hall	
<i>Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog</i>										<i>Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch</i>	
3292 SBD	3293 MPD	3294 PD	3295 JD	3296 PGD	3297 LD	3298 OD	3299 VD				
3300 SBB	3301 MPB	3302 PB	3303 JB	3304 PGB	3305 LB	3306 OB	3307 VB				
POLISH LOWLAND SHEEPDOG										Judge Mr John Ritchie	
<i>Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog</i>										<i>Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch</i>	
3308 SBD	3309 MPD	3310 PD	3311 JD	3312 PGD	3313 LD	3314 OD	3315 VD				
3316 SBB	3317 MPB	3318 PB	3319 JB	3320 PGB	3321 LB	3322 OB	3323 VB				
PYRENEAN MOUNTAIN DOG										Judge Mr Jeff Horswell	
<i>Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog</i>										<i>Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch</i>	
3324 SBD	3325 MPD	3326 PD	3327 JD	3328 PGD	3329 LD	3330 OD	3331 VD				
3332 SBB	3333 MPB	3334 PB	3335 JB	3336 PGB	3337 LB	3338 OB	3339 VB				
PYRENEAN SHEEPDOG (LONG HAired)										Judge Mr John Ritchie	
3340 SBD	3341 PD	3342 JD	3343 PGD	3344 LD	3345 OD	3346 VD					
3347 SBB	3348 PB	3349 JB	3350 PGB	3351 LB	3352 OB	3353 VB					

SAMOYED*Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*3354 SBD 3355 MPD 3356 PD 3357 JD 3358 PGD 3359 LD 3360 OD 3361 VD
3362 SBB 3363 MPB 3364 PB 3365 JB 3366 PGB 3367 LB 3368 OB 3369 VB**Judge Mrs Elizabeth Ballantine (STRKCA)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***SHETLAND SHEEPDOG***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*3370 SBD 3371 MPD 3372 PD 3373 JD 3374 YD 3375 ND 3376 GD 3377 PGD 3378 LD 3379 OD 3380 VD
3381 SBB 3382 MPB 3383 PB 3384 JB 3385 YB 3386 NB 3387 GB 3388 PGB 3389 LB 3390 OB 3391 VB**Judge Mr Jussi Liimatainen (Finland)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***SWEDISH VALLHUND***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*3392 SBD 3393 MPD 3394 PD 3395 JD 3396 PGD 3397 LD 3398 OD 3399 VD
3400 SBB 3401 MPB 3402 PB 3403 JB 3404 PGB 3405 LB 3406 OB 3407 VB**Judge Mrs Jackie Tune***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***TURKISH KANGAL DOG**3408 SBD 3409 PD 3410 JD 3411 PGD 3412 LD 3413 OD 3414 VD
3415 SBB 3416 PB 3417 JB 3418 PGB 3419 LB 3420 OB 3421 VB**Judge Mr Jeff Horswell****WELSH CORGI (CARDIGAN)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*3422 SBD 3423 MPD 3424 PD 3425 JD 3426 PGD 3427 LD 3428 OD 3429 VD
3430 SBB 3431 MPB 3432 PB 3433 JB 3434 PGB 3435 LB 3436 OB 3437 VB**Judge Ms Sarah Taylor***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***WELSH CORGI (PEMBROKE)***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Dog*3438 SBD 3439 MPD 3440 PD 3441 JD 3442 PGD 3443 LD 3444 OD 3445 VD
3446 SBB 3447 MPB 3448 PB 3449 JB 3450 PGB 3451 LB 3452 OB 3453 VB**Judge Mr Gary Clarke***Kennel Club Challenge Certificate—Bitch***AV IMPORTED REGISTER BREEDS (Pastoral) Judge Mr Darren Clarke**3454 SBD 3455 PD 3456 JD 3457 PGD 3458 LD 3459 OD 3460 VD
3461 SBB 3462 PB 3463 JB 3464 PGB 3465 LB 3466 OB 3467 VB

STAKES CLASSES

JUNIOR HANDLING ASSOCIATION CLASSES - 4th DAY

Judge Harry Russell

**** To be judged at 8.30am**

3468 Junior Handling 6-11 years

3469 Junior Handling 12-16 years

To be judged at 8.30am. Those handlers placed first, second and third will be eligible to compete in the semi-finals to be held in 2026. Rosettes 1st - 5th place kindly donated by Dalsetter Rosettes.

You are not required to be a member of the JHA to enter these classes. However to take part in the semi-final you must be a member of the JHA.

THE YOUNG KENNEL CLUB MEMBERS STAKES - 4th DAY

Judge Miss Sharon R Pinkerton

Prize Money: 1st £10.00; 2nd £5.00; 3rd £3.00; 4th £2.00**** To be judged at approximately 9.00 a.m. ****

3470 AV Working Open Dog or Bitch

3471 AV Pastoral Open Dog or Bitch

All pedigree dogs are eligible to take part provided the dog is registered on The Royal Kennel Club Breed Register. The dog must be registered either: (a) Solely or jointly in the member's name or (b) In the name of a close member of the family (i.e. a group of people related by blood or by marriage) and under these circumstances the dog must be resident at the YKC member's address. Please see Definitions of Classes on page 14 for additional information.

THE YOUNG KENNEL CLUB MEMBERS' HANDLING CLASSES - 4th DAY

Judge Miss Sharon R Pinkerton

Prize Money: 1st £10.00; 2nd £5.00; 3rd £3.00; 4th £2.00**** To be judged after the YKC Members Stakes ****

3472 6-11 years (for members 6 years and up to, but not including 12th birthday)

3473 12-17 years (for members 12 years and up to, but not including 18th birthday)

3474 18-24 years (for members 18 years and up to, but not including 25th birthday)

For fully paid-up members of the YKC only. Please see Definitions of Classes on page 14 for additional information.

ADULT HANDLING ASSOCIATION CLASSES - 4th DAY

Judge Miss Sharon R Pinkerton

**** To be judged after the YKC Handling Classes ****

3475 Adult Handling 17-30 years

3477 Adult Handling 46-60 years

3476 Adult Handling 31-45 years

3478 Adult Handling 60+ years

1st to 3rd in these classes qualify for the AHA Final, held at Bath Championship Show, May 2027.

HIGHAM PRESS POST GRADUATE STAKES - 4th DAY

Judge Mr David Shields

Prize Money: 1st £25.00; 2nd £15.00; 3rd £10.00; 4th £5.00

**** To be judged at approximately 10.30 a.m. ****

3479 AV Working or Pastoral Post Graduate Dog or Bitch

THE MERIEL HATHAWAY MEMORIAL OPEN STAKES - 4th DAY

Judge Miss Sharon R Pinkerton

Prize money: 1st £25.00; 2nd £15.00; 3rd £10.00 4th £5.00

**** To be judged at approximately 11.30 a.m. ****

3480 AV Working or Pastoral Open Dog or Bitch

EUKANUBA PUPPY STAKES - 4th DAY

Judge Mr David Shields

1st & 2nd get a Voucher for free Eukanuba Breeder Bag worth: 1st £40.00; 2nd £30.50
3rd & 4th get a Voucher for a free Eukanuba bag worth £12.50; VHC -voucher for 2 treats worth £6

**** To be judged at approximately 12.30 p.m. ****

3481 AV Working or Pastoral Puppy Dog or Bitch

Any puppy that wins a heat of the Pup of the Year Stakes cannot qualify for the Champion Stakes final during the same year.

EUKANUBA CHAMPION STAKES - 4th DAY

[This is a heat of the EUKANUBA Champion Stakes Competition]

Judge Mr David Shields

1st & 2nd get a Voucher for free Eukanuba Breeder Bag worth: 1st £40.00; 2nd £30.50
3rd & 4th get a Voucher for a free Eukanuba bag worth £12.50; VHC -voucher for 2 treats worth £6

**** To be judged at approximately 1.30 p.m. ****

3482 AV Working or Pastoral Champion Dog or Bitch

Confined to Champions or Show Champions at the time of entries closing. A Champion or Show Champion need only be entered in the Champion Stakes if so desired but your attention is drawn to Rule 11 on page 11 which confirms which dogs are eligible to compete for Best of Group and Best in Show. The entry fee for this class is £6.00 if the dog is entered in a breed class first or £20.00 if it is the only class that the dog is entered in.

VULNERABLE NATIVE BREED STAKES - 4th DAY

Judge Mr Kevin Young

Prize Money: 1st £25.00; 2nd £15.00; 3rd £10.00; 4th £5.00

**** To be judged at approximately 1.00 p.m. ****

3483 AV Working or Pastoral Vulnerable Native Breed Dog or Bitch

ANY VARIETY GOOD CITIZEN DOG SCHEME CLASS - 4th DAY

Judge Miss Sharon R Pinkerton

Sponsored by The Royal Kennel Club

Prize Money: 1st £50.00; 2nd £25.00; 3rd £10.00; Reserve £5.00

**** To be judged at approximately 2.00 p.m. ****

3484 AV Working or Pastoral Good Citizen Dog Scheme Dog or Bitch

For dogs that have achieved their GCDS Bronze Award Certificate or above.

ROYAL KENNEL CLUB BREEDERS' COMPETITION - 4th Day

Judge Mr David Shields

Prize Money (Sponsored by Agria): 1st £25.00

**** To be judged at approximately 3.00 p.m. ****

3485 AV Working Breeders Competition

3486 AV Pastoral Breeders Competition

Please see Definitions of Classes on page 14 for additional information.

BEST IN SHOW – Margaret Wildman

BEST PUPPY IN SHOW – Margaret Wildman

BEST VETERAN IN SHOW – Margaret Wildman

BEST SPECIAL BEGINNER IN SHOW – Miss Sharon R Pinkerton

Postal Entries Close: Thursday 26th March 2026

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