# The Border Collie Club of



# **Great Britain**

# **SCHEDULE**

of Unbenched

# **OPEN BREED SHOW**

(held under Kennel Club Limited Rules & Regulations)

on



# SATURDAY, 25th OCTOBER 2014

at THE EAST HALL, THE KENNEL CLUB BUILDING
Stoneleigh Park, Warks CV8 2LZ

Show opens: 8.00 am

Judging commences 9.00 am

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."

#### Judges:

Dogs: Mr Steve Barrett (Brooklynson) – Bitches: Ms Natalie Holtappel (Bryning)

Referee: Ms Tracey Wilkinson (Altricia)

#### Guarantors to the Kennel Club:

Mr P Simmons (Chairman), 6 Paddocks Estate, Horbling, Sleaford, Lincs NG34 0PQ.
Miss A.G. Gowing (Secretary), 165 Oak Tree Lane, Bournville, Birmingham B30 1UH. Tel: 0121 471 4445
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Veterinary Surgeon on Call: Feldon Veterinary Centre 1 Guy Street, Leamington Spa CV32 4RX. Tel: 01926 423161

Postal entries close: Monday, 29th SEPTEMBER 2014 (Postmark)
On-line entries can be made up until midnight on Friday, 3rd October 2014

All postal entries and Fees to be sent to: Fosse Data Systems Ltd.

Tripontium Business Centre, Newton Lane, Newton, Rugby, Warwickshire CV23 0TB
Tel: 01788 860960

#### Enter on-line at www.fossedata.co.uk

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

PUPPY AND VETERAN OF THE YEAR WILL COMMENCE
AFTER COMPLETION OF OPEN SHOW JUDGING

PUPPY OF THE YEAR INVITES WILL BE SENT OUT TO ALL QUALIFIERS VETERANS - ALL VETERANS ARE WELCOME, NO INVITE NEEDED

ENTRIES FOR PUPPY & VETERAN COMPETITIONS TO TRACEY WILKINSON, 14 BROWNING ROAD, SWADLINCOTE, DERBYS DE11 0DU.

TEL: 07577 939353

# The Border Collie Club of Great Britain

President: Mrs M. Hopkinson

Chairman: Mr P. Simmons

Vice Chairman: Mrs P. Ward

Secretary: Miss A.G. Gowing

Treasurer: Mr D. Collier

Show Secretary: Mr P. Simmons Show Manager: Mr D. Collier

#### Committee:

Mr P. Bloomfield, Mrs L. Collier, Ms N. Holtappel, Mrs K. Huckvale, Mr P. Surridge, Ms A. Walters, Ms T. Wilkinson

#### Life Members:

Prof. P. Bedford, Mr D. Collier, Mr R. Henry, Mrs M. Hopkinson, Mrs A. Jordan, Mr E. Keeton, Mr G. Ravenscroft, Mrs M. Ravenscroft, Mrs V. Paesler, Mrs S. Saxby, Mrs C. Ward, Mrs P. Wilkinson

## **FEES**

**Members:** £4.50 first entry per dog

£2.00 each subsequent entry with same dog

**Non-Members:** £5.50 first entry per dog

£2.00 each subsequent entry with same dog

**Not for Competition:** FREE (please give details on entry form)

**Catalogues:** £2.00 pre-paid with entries ONLY.

Club Membership: £7.50 single — £9.00 joint — £10.00 overseas

PLEASE CHECK DETAILS ON YOUR ENTRY FORM BEFORE POSTING.

NO ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED WITHOUT THE CORRECT FEES.

PLEASE MAKE CHEOUES PAYABLE TO:

#### THE BORDER COLLIE CLUB OF GREAT BRITAIN

DO NOT FORGET TO ORDER YOUR CATALOGUE

#### Donations for Rosettes will be gratefully accepted

and will be acknowledged in the Catalogue

#### BANK CHARGES

Many Societies are now incurring substantial Bank Charges as a result of incorrectly completed or dishonoured cheques forwarded as payment for show entry fees. Exhibitors are advised that such charges may be passed on and any exhibitor failing to pay entry fees and/or Bank Charges so incurred will be referred to the Kennel Club. Exhibitors are asked to make sure that cheques sent to cover entry fees must be in order for immediate payment. Those which are not, for any reason whatsoever (including technical irregularities) will NOT be accepted and the entry will be returned. The bank is now charging for uncleared cheques, therefore we will make a surcharge of £10.00 on top of the amount outstanding to any exhibitor whose cheque is returned to us by the Bank.

Border Collie Club of Great Britain offer a warm welcome to all our competitors.

There will be Food and Drink available all day from our Caterers,
as well as our usual Hospitality table.

# $\odot$ CLASSIFICATION $\backsim$

#### Judges:

Dogs - Mr Steve Barrett (Brooklynson) Bitches - Ms Natalie Holtappel (Bryning)

Referee: Ms Tracey Wilkinson (Altricia)

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2. PUPPY Dog 14. PU	UPPY Bitch
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7. LIMIT Dog	19. LIMIT Bitch
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9. SPECIAL OPEN (Any Other	21. SPECIAL OPEN (Any Other
Colour than Black & White or	Colour than Black & White or
Tri-colour) Dog	Tri-colour) Bitch

10. SPECIAL WORKING Dog 22. SPECIAL WORKING Bitch

12. GOOD CITIZEN DOG	24. GOOD CITIZEN DOG
SCHEME Dog	SCHEME Bitch

### N.B. Best in Show will be judged after Class 24

## PRIZES & ROSETTES

1st – 5th in all classes

Best in Show - Reserve Best in Show

Best Dog - Best Bitch

Reserve Best Dog - Reserve Best Bitch

Best Puppy in Show - Reserve Best Puppy in Show

Best Puppy Dog – Best Puppy Bitch

Best Veteran in Show

#### **RULES and REGULATIONS**

- 1. The Show will open at 8.00 am.
- Dogs will be received until 11.00 am, after which time no dogs may be received except under exceptional and unforeseen circumstances and by special permission of the Show Management.
- 3. Judging will commence at 9.00 am.
- 4. Exhibits may be removed from the Show after their judging has been completed. The Show will close half an hour after all judging has been completed by which time dogs must be removed.
- The use of cooking stoves in the proximity of the tenting and benching areas is forbidden except as authorised by the Show Management.
- 6. Entry fees: Members: £4.50 first entry per dog, £2.00 each subsequent entry with same dog; Non-Members: £5.50 first entry per dog, £2.00 each subsequent entry with same dog. Catalogues: £2.00 pre-paid ONLY. Not for Competition: £2.00 per dog, Membership: £7.50 Single; £9.00 Joint; £10.00 Overseas.
- 7. Prize Money: There is no prize money at this show.
- 8. The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries.
- 9. Puppies under six calendar months of age on the first day of the Show are not eligible for exhibition.
- 10. The mating of bitches within the precincts of the Show is forbidden.

#### 11. Best Puppy in Show

- a. Where a Best Puppy in Show competition is scheduled the Best Puppy in Show is a puppy which has competed and is unbeaten by any other puppy exhibited at the same show. A puppy is a dog of six and not exceeding twelve calendar months of age on the first day of the Show. Where the Best in Show is a puppy it will automatically be Best Puppy in Show respectively. Similarly, if the Reserve Best in Show is a puppy which has only been beaten by an adult dog it will also automatically be Best Puppy in Show respectively. Consequently, selection of Best Puppy in Show must follow the selection of Best in Show respectively.
  - Best Puppy in Show must be selected from puppies which have been judged and which are unbeaten by any other puppy.
- b. Withdrawal from Other Competition Puppies which become eligible for Best Puppy in Show may be withdrawn from all other competition, other than Breed Classes, prior to the competition for Best Puppy in Show in order to remain unbeaten. A puppy beaten in competition for Best Puppy in Show may subsequently be exhibited in all competition for which it was previously eligible. The dog declared Best Puppy in Show, however, must not compete in any subsequent competition.
- c. Proviso For the purpose of this Regulation, dogs beaten in competition for Stud Dog, Brood Bitch, Progeny, Brace and Team or a Special Award confined to one breed will not be considered to be a beaten dog.

#### 12. Best in Show

- a. The dog declared Best in Show is a dog which has competed and is unbeaten by any other dog exhibited at the same Show.
  - Best in Show must be selected from the exhibits declared Best of Sex providing they are unbeaten winning dogs. Reserve Best in Show must be selected from the Best Opposite Sex and the Reserve Best of Sex to the exhibit declared Best in Show. The dogs declared Best in Show and Reserve Best in Show must not compete in any subsequent competition.
- b. Withdrawal from other competition Dogs which become eligible for Best in Show may be withdrawn from all other competition other than breed classes prior to the competition for Best in Show as appropriate in order to remain unbeaten. A dog beaten in competition for Best in Show may subsequently be exhibited in all competition for which it was previously eligible. The dogs declared Best in Show and Reserve Best in Show however, must not compete in any subsequent competition.
- c. Proviso For the purposes of this Regulation, dogs beaten in competition for Stud Dog, Brood Bitch, Progeny, Brace and Team or a Special Award confined to a single breed, will not be considered to be beaten dogs.
- 13. 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.
- 14. No modifications will be made to this Schedule except by permission of the General Committee of the Kennel Club, which will be followed by advertisement in the Canine Press wherever possible.
- All exhibitors must be familiar with Kennel Club Regulation F (Annex B) Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition.

- 16. All dogs resident outside of the UK must be issued with a Kennel Club Authority to Compete number before entry to the show/event can be made. All overseas entries without an Authority to Compete number will be returned to the exhibitor/competitor.
- 17. Dogs in Cars on Hot Days. Your dog is vulnerable and at risk during hot weather and the Kennel Club offers the following guidance to help guide you through the do's and don'ts travelling to and whilst at KC licensed events.
  - When travelling to a show please take a moment to consider whether the route to the show is on a busy
    holiday route, and leave earlier to avoid increased time in traffic jams.
  - If your vehicle is not air-conditioned seriously consider whether travelling to the show is a good idea at all.
  - The vehicle should be as fully ventilated as possible, and plenty of stops should be taken, with lots of
    water available to drink.
  - Ensure your dog is not sitting in full sunlight. There should be plenty of free flowing air around the dog.
  - When at the show, never leave your dog in the vehicle.
  - Keep the dog in the shade take your own shade for example a large umbrella and always have plenty of
    water available to drink so your dog stays well hydrated.
  - Avoid your dog taking part in unnecessary exertion, or from standing in exposed sunlight for extended lengths of time.

Remember, if you feel hot your dog is very likely to feel much hotter and dehydrated, and this could lead to dire results. Please look after your dog's welfare. WARNING: IF YOUR DOG IS FOUND TO BE AT RISK FORCIBLE ENTRY TO YOUR VEHICLE MAY BE NECESSARY WITHOUT LIABILITY FOR ANY DAMAGE CAUSED. Anyone whose dog is entered at a Kennel Club licensed event should take all reasonable steps to ensure the needs of their dog(s) are met, and should not put a dog's health and welfare at risk by any action, default, omission or otherwise. Breach of Kennel Club Regulations in this respect may be referred to the General Committee for disciplinary action under Kennel Club Rules and Regulations. Exhibitors/Competitors are reminded that show societies have the right under Kennel Club Regulation to refuse any entry.

- 18. Not for Competition entries will be accepted. Details of each dog so entered must be recorded on the entry form and must be Kennel Club registered.
- 19. No animal other than a dog duly entered for the Show will be allowed within the Show during its continuance.
- 20. Should any Judge be prevented from fulfilling his/her engagement, the Committee reserve to themselves the right to appoint another in his/her place. Exhibitors are at liberty to withdraw from competition but no entry fee will be refunded.
- 21. The Committee will be most anxious for the care and safety of all dogs brought for exhibition, but it must be clearly understood by exhibitors and all other persons that the Committee will not be responsible for the loss, detention of or damage to any dogs or property whether arising from accident or any other cause whatsoever, or from any act or omission of themselves, their officers, agents, servants or others, and it is on this understanding only that entries can be accepted.
- 22. Any owner, competitor, handler or other person in charge of a dog is required to remove as soon as possible any fouling caused by their dog(s) at any Kennel Club licensed show within the licensed venue and within the environs of that event including car and caravan parks and approaches.
- 23. The owner, exhibitor, handler or other person in charge of a dog at Kennel Club licensed events must at all times ensure that the dog is kept under proper control whilst at the licensed venue, including its environs, car and caravan parks and approaches. 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).
- 24. A dog may be disqualified by the General Committee from any award, whether an objection has been lodged or not, if proved amongst other things to have been: a) registered or recorded as having been bred by the scheduled Judge, this shall not apply to a Judge appointed in an emergency; b) exhibited without payment of appropriate entry fees.
- 25. Every exhibitor shall ensure that whilst the dog is being exhibited, its handler shall display the correct ring number.

## **DEFINITIONS OF CLASSES**

In the following definitions, a Challenge Certificate includes any Show award that counts towards the title of Champion under the rules of any governing body recognised by the Kennel Club. Wins at Championship Shows in breed classes where Challenge Certificates are not on offer shall be counted as wins at Open Shows.

In the case of a dog owned in partnership and entered in Members' classes or competing for Members' Specials each partner must at the time of entry be a member of the Society. In estimating the number of awards won, all wins up to and including the seventh day before the date of closing of entries shall be counted when entering for any class i.e. **Monday, 22nd September 2014.** Wins in Variety classes do not count for entry in breed classes but when entering for Variety classes, wins in both Breed and Variety classes must be counted. A First Prize does not include a Special Prize of whatever value.

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

- (1) Withdrawal
  - The dog may be withdrawn from competition subject to the conditions of Regulations 9(j) and 20.
- (2) Transfer
  - a) If a dog is ineligible for a class or classes as regards its colour, sex, weight or height the Show Secretary shall transfer it to the equivalent class or classes for the correct colour, sex, weight or height and, in the event of there being no equivalent class, Minor Puppy and Puppy excepted, to the Open class for the correct colour, sex, weight or height.
  - b) If an exhibit is entered incorrectly in a Minor Puppy class, Puppy class or Junior class, which is over age but under twelve calendar months of age, eighteen calendar months of age or twenty four calendar months of age respectively, the Show Secretary shall transfer the exhibit to the Puppy class, Junior class or Yearling class respectively for the correct breed, colour, sex, weight or height and in the event of there being no Puppy, Junior or Yearling class to the Open class for the correct breed, colour, sex, weight or height.
  - c) For any reason other than the above, the Show Secretary shall transfer it to the Open class for the correct 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. **GRADUATE** For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate or 4 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 or 5 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.
- LIMIT For dogs which have not become show Champions under Kennel Club Regulations or under the rules of any governing body recognised by the Kennel Club or won 7 or more First Prizes in all at Championship Shows in Limit 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.

**GOOD CITIZEN DOG SCHEME** For dogs that have achieved their GCDS Bronze Award Certificate or above.

SPECIAL OPEN AOC THAN BLACK & WHITE OR TRI COLOUR Similar to an Open class except that it is restricted as to colour.

SPECIAL WORKING Confined to exhibits who have gained the following placings at KC Licenced Open/Limited or Championship Shows:- 1st, 2nd or 3rd in an Obedience class, Agility class or Jumping class, or who have qualified CD, UD, WD, TD, PD at a Working Trial, or who have gained a 1st, 2nd or 3rd at a Sheepdog Trial, or who have passed the Show Border Collie Herding Test.

#### **ADVISORY NOTICE**

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. Dogs aged four calendar months and over are eligible to enter Not for Competition at Single Breed and Sub-Group Shows.

## • FORTHCOMING EVENTS •

Breed Championship Show The Kennel Club Building, Stoneleigh Sunday, 15th March 2015

Judges:

Dogs: Claire Coxall; Bitches: Richard Lucas
Referee: Annette Walters

Open Breed Show/Puppy of the Year/Veteran of the Year

The Kennel Club Building, Stoneleigh

Sunday, 15th November 2015

Open Breed Show Judges:

Dogs: Marion Sargent; Bitches: Kate Duncan Referee: Christina Dalby

#### DIRECTIONS TO STONELEIGH

The entrance to Stoneleigh Park is on the B4113, Stoneleigh Road between Coventry and Learnington Spa. It can be accessed from the A46 following the signs for 'Stoneleigh Park', 'National Agricultural Centre' or 'NAC' or from the A45 following the signs for 'Stoneleigh'.

As you drive into the MAIN ENTRANCE of Stoneleigh Park the Kennel Club (KC) building is on the left hand side. Free car parking is behind the KC building.







