

# Isle of Man Canine Society



President: Mr. David Williamson  
**SCHEDULE OF UNBENCHED**

## **40 CLASS OPEN SHOW**

To be held under Kennel Club Limited Rules & Regulations  
Not judged on the Group System

**At BALLAVARTYN EQUESTRIAN CENTRE, MAIN ROAD  
SANTON IM4 1HT**

**on SUNDAY 6<sup>th</sup> MAY 2018**

**Show Opens 9.45 a.m.**

**Judging 10.30 a.m.**

**Show closes half an hour after completion of Judging**

## **Judge: Mr. Stephen Atkinson**

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

All Judges at this show agree to abide by the following statement:

*"In assessing dogs, judges must penalise any features or exaggerations which they consider would be detrimental to the soundness, health and well being of the dog".*

### **GUARANTORS TO THE KENNEL CLUB**

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**ENTRIES CLOSE: Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> March 2018 (Postmark)**

## AWARDS

### Class

1 / 2	Best Veteran Braddan Wagtail Memorial Trophy
6	Junior Handler Cup 6 – 11 years
7	Junior Handler Cup 12 – 16 years
9/10	G.S.D. Cup
11	Ch. Penpriory Prussian Blue Working Cup
12/13/14	Honey Boy Cup for Best Labrador
15	Lyndys Beauty of Scard Golden Retriever Scroll
15	Doolish Memorial Shield for Best English Springer in Class
16	Hound Cup
16	Whippet Cup
17	Ballig Cup for Best Terrier in Class
18/19	Ballabeg Cup for Best Chihuahua
18/19	Yorkshire Terrier Cup
20	Ann Jacques Trophy for Best Utility in Class
26/27	Shield for Best Novice
34/35	G.E. Lace Memorial Cup for Best Sporting
37	D.W. Kerruish Memorial Cup for Best Bred on Island

### Presented by

Mrs. S. Crellin
IOMCS
Island Automatics Ltd
Mrs. V. Lilley
Mrs. D.A.B. Simpson
Mr. R. Young
Mr. & Mrs. J.L. Watterson
The late Mrs. A. Redford-Horrox
Mr. & Mrs. B. Freeman
Mr. E. Livesey
the late Mr Bateson
The Late Mrs. M. Buttimore
Mrs. E. Kennaugh
The late Mrs Ann Jacques
Posh Dog
Cleland, Skillicorn & Corteen
The late D.W. Kerruish

Best in Show Trophy

Reserve Best in Show Trophy

Best Puppy in Show Cup

Reserve Best Puppy in Show Shield

Willow Trophy for Best Sheltie in Show

Nell Pastoral Shield for Best Pastoral in Show

Best Spaniel in Show Shield

Hicks Memorial Trophy for Best CKCS in Show

Points Cup

Best Cocker Spaniel in Show Cup

Best Toydog in Show Cup

Best Boxer in Show Shield

Rosettes

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The late D W Kerruish

Mrs S Crellin

Mr and Mrs Quayle

The late Mrs Ann Jacques

The late J M Connell

Mr and Mrs Green

Miss K M Farrell

The late Mrs A Kniveton

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Miss Carol Higgins

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Any further awards will be listed in the catalogue

**Awards (except Rosettes) are to be held for one year only and should be returned on request prior to the following year's show. They must not be taken from the Isle of Man. Recipients will be held responsible for the trophies whilst in their possession and will be liable for any damage to trophies.**

**REFRESHMENTS WILL NOT BE ON SALE AT THIS SHOW**

**PLEASE USE THE ON SITE CAFE**

## CLASSIFICATION

(All classes are for dogs and bitches unless otherwise stated)

**\*Exhibitors should carefully check that they are eligible for the classes entered\***

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| 1. A.V. Veteran Dog                   | 21. A.V. Junior Dog                    |
| 2. A.V. Veteran Bitch                 | 22. A.V. Junior Bitch                  |
| 3. A.V. Minor Puppy                   | 23. A.V. Yearling Dog                  |
| 4. A.V. Puppy Dog                     | 24. A.V. Yearling Bitch                |
| 5. A.V. Puppy Bitch                   | 25. A.V. Maiden                        |
| 6. Junior Handling 6 – 11 years       | 26. A.V. Novice Dog                    |
| 7. Junior Handling 12 – 16 years      | 27. A.V. Novice Bitch                  |
| 8. Shetland Sheepdog Open             | 28. A.V. Post Graduate Dog             |
| 9. A.V. Pastoral N.S.C. Post Graduate | 29. A.V. Post Graduate Bitch           |
| 10. A.V. Pastoral N.S.C. Open         | 30. A.V. Limit Dog                     |
| 11. A.V. Working Open                 | 31. A.V. Limit Bitch                   |
| 12. Labrador Retriever Post Graduate  | 32. A.V. Open Dog                      |
| 13. Labrador Retriever Open DOG       | 33. A.V. Open Bitch                    |
| 14. Labrador Retriever Open BITCH     | 34. A.V. Sporting Open Dog             |
| 15. A.V. Gundog NSC Open              | 35. A.V. Sporting Open Bitch           |
| 16. A.V. Hound Open                   | 36. A.V. Non-Sporting Open             |
| 17. A.V. Terrier Open                 | 37. A.V. Bred on the Island            |
| 18. A.V. Toy Post Graduate            | 38. A.V. Imported Breed Register Open  |
| 19. A.V. Toy Open                     | 39. A.V. Brace                         |
| 20. A.V. Utility Open                 | 40. Not for Competition (entry fee £1) |

**Dogs handled in classes 6 & 7 must also be entered in another class between 1 & 38**

**ELIGIBILITY:** All wins up to and including Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> March 2018 are to be included when entering for a class

**ENTRY FEES:** £5.00 First class per dog, subsequent entries 50p per class, Junior Handlers 50p per handler Not for Competition £1.00 per dog. Prepaid Catalogues £1.00.

**SPONSORSHIP:** £1.50 per class will be most welcome and will be acknowledged in the catalogue

**ADVERTISING:** £10.00 per page, £5.00 per half page Photographs £3.00 per advert. Copy with entries please.

## DEFINITIONS OF CLASSES

In the following definitions, a Challenge Certificate includes any Show award that counts towards the title of Champion under the Rules of any governing body recognised by the Kennel Club.

Wins at Championship shows in breed classes where Challenge Certificates are not on offer shall be counted as wins at Open Shows. In the case of a dog owned in partnership and entered in Members' classes or competing for Members' Specials each partner must at the time of entry be a member of the Society. In estimating the number of awards won, all wins up to and including the seventh day before the date of closing of postal entries shall be counted when entering for any class i.e. **18<sup>th</sup> March 2018**. Wins in Variety classes do not count for entry in Breed classes but when entering in Variety classes, wins in both Breed and Variety classes must be counted. First prize does not include a Special Prize of whatever value. If an exhibitor reports before the judging of a class or classes that a dog has been entered which is ineligible, the exhibitor may choose one of the following options:-

(1) Withdrawal The dog may be withdrawn from competition subject to the conditions of Regulation 20. (2) Transfer (a) If a dog is ineligible for a class or classes as regards its breed colour, sex, weight or height the Show Secretary shall transfer it to the equivalent class or classes for the correct breed, colour, sex, weight or height and, in the event of their being no equivalent class, Minor Puppy and Puppy excepted to the Open class for the correct breed, colour, sex, weight or height. (b) For an exhibit entered incorrectly in a Minor Puppy Class, Puppy Class or Junior Class, which is over age but under twelve calendar months of age, eighteen calendar months of age or twenty-four calendar months of age respectively, the Show Secretary shall transfer the exhibit to the Puppy Class, Junior Class or Yearling Class respectively for the correct breed, colour, sex, weight or height and in the event of their 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 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 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 or three or more First Prizes at Open and Championship Shows (Minor Puppy, Special Minor Puppy, Puppy and Special Puppy classes excepted whether restricted or not)

**POST GRADUATE** For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate or Five or more First prizes at Championship Shows in Post Graduate, Minor Limit, Mid Limit, Limit and Open Classes whether restricted or not where Challenge Certificates were offered for the breed

**LIMIT** For dogs which have not become show Champions under the Kennel Club Regulations or under the rules of any governing body recognised by the Kennel Club, or won 3 or more CACIB/CAC/Green Stars, or won 7 or more First Prizes in all at Championship Shows in Limit or Open Classes confined to the Breed, whether restricted or not at Shows where Challenge Certificates were offered for the breed.

**OPEN** For all dogs of the breeds for which the class is provided and eligible for entry at the show.

**VETERAN** for dogs of not less than seven years of age on the first day of the show

**BRACE** For two exhibits (either sex or mixed) of one breed belonging to the same owner, each exhibit having been entered in some class other than brace or team

**BREEDERS** for dogs bred by the exhibitor

**NOT SEPARATELY CLASSIFIED** for breeds of dog for which no separate breed classes are scheduled

**SPORTING BREEDS** Gundogs, Hounds, Terriers

**NON SPORTING BREEDS** Utility, Toys, Working & Pastoral

**PASTORAL BREEDS** A.V. Collie, A.V. Corgi, A.V. Belgian Shepherd Dog, Briard, G.S.D., Maremma, Norwegian Buhund, O.E.S., P.M.D. Samoyed, Shetland Sheepdog

**AV.IMPORTED BREED REGISTER** For breeds confined to the Imported Breeds Register and only when an Interim Breed Standard has been published by the Kennel Club. Such breeds may be exhibited in this class only with the winning dog being eligible for Best in Group / Best Puppy in Group or Best in Show / Best Puppy in Show as relevant.

## RULES & REGULATIONS

1. The Show will open at 9.45 a.m.
2. Dogs will be received at any time but it is the exhibitors responsibility to ensure that exhibits are available for judging when required.
3. Judging will commence at 10.30 a.m.
4. Exhibits may be removed from the Show after their judging has been completed. The Show will close half an hour after all judging has been completed.
5. Entry Fees: First Entry £5.00 per dog, subsequent entries with the same dog 50p. Junior Handlers 50p per entry. Not for Competition entries £1.00 per dog. Prepaid catalogues £1.00.
6. There is no prize money on offer at this show.
7. The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries.
8. Puppies under six calendar months of age on the first day of the show are not eligible for exhibition.
9. The mating of bitches within the precincts of the show is forbidden.
10. **Best Puppy in Show** 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. Where the Best of Breed or Best in Show is a puppy it should automatically be awarded Best Puppy in Breed and Best Puppy in Show respectively. Where the Reserve Best of Breed or Reserve Best in Show is a puppy which has only been beaten by an adult dog it should also automatically be Best Puppy in Breed and Best Puppy in Show respectively. Consequently, selection of Best Puppy in Breed and Best Puppy in Show must follow the selection of Best of Breed and Best in Show respectively.
11. **Best in Show** Best in Show and subsequent placings must be selected from those dogs declared Best of Breed, Best from Any Variety Not Separately Classified and Best Any Variety Imported Breed Register.
12. Exhibits will not be admitted to Best in Show competition after a period of ten minutes has elapsed since the announcement that exhibits are required for judging, unless they have been unavoidably delayed by previous judging not being completed on time, and then only with the special permission of the Show Management.
13. Exhibitors must not pick up dogs by their tails and leads when lifting them nor handle a dog in a manner which causes its feet not touch the ground when on the move. This is not acceptable. Exhibitors should note that such practice would constitute harsh handling and reports of such practice will be referred to the Committee under Kennel Club Show Regulation F11.
14. All exhibitors must be familiar with Kennel Club Regulation F (Annex B) Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition.
15. All dogs resident outside the UK must be issued with a Kennel Club Authority to Compete number before entry to the show/event can be made. All overseas entries without an Authority to Compete number will be returned to the exhibitor/competitor.
16. Dogs in vehicles on Hot Days Anyone whose dog is entered at a Kennel Club licensed event should take all reasonable steps to ensure the needs of their dog(s) are met, and should not put a dog's health and welfare at risk by any action, default, omission or otherwise. Breach of Kennel Club Regulations in this respect may be referred to the Board for disciplinary action under the Kennel Club Rules and Regulations.  
Your dog is vulnerable and at risk during hot weather and the Kennel Club offers the following guidance to help guide you through the do's and don'ts travelling to and whilst at KC licensed events.
  - When travelling to a show please take a moment to consider whether the route to the show is on a busy holiday route, and leave earlier to avoid increased time in traffic jams.
  - If your vehicle is not air-conditioned seriously consider whether travelling to the show is a good idea at all.
  - The vehicle should be as fully ventilated as possible, and plenty of stops should be taken, with

lots of water available to drink.

- Ensure your dog is not sitting in full sunlight. There should be plenty of free flowing air around the dog.
- When at the show, never leave your dog in the vehicle.
- Keep the dog in the shade – take your own shade for example a large umbrella and always have plenty of water available to drink so your dog stays well hydrated.
- Avoid your dog taking part in unnecessary exertion, or from standing in exposed sunlight for extended lengths of time. Remember, if you feel hot your dog is very likely to feel much hotter and dehydrated, and this could lead to dire results. Please look after your dog's welfare. **WARNING: IF YOUR DOG IS FOUND TO BE AT RISK FORCIBLE ENTRY TO YOUR VEHICLE MAY BE NECESSARY WITHOUT LIABILITY FOR ANY DAMAGE CAUSED.**

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17. 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
18. No modifications will be made to this schedule except by permission of the Board of the Kennel Club, which will be followed by advertisement in the Canine Press wherever possible.
19. Should any judge be prevented from fulfilling their engagement, the Committee reserves to themselves the right of appointing other judges to fulfil their duties. Exhibitors are at liberty to withdraw from competition but no entry fees can be refunded.
20. Any owner, competitor 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 venue and within the environs of that event including car and caravan parks and approaches. Adequate receptacles for the disposal of such fouling will be provided.
21. The Committee will do its utmost to ensure the safety of the dogs brought for exhibition but it must be clearly understood by exhibitors and all other persons at the Show that the Committee will not be responsible for the loss or damage to any dogs or property, or personal injury whether arising from accident or any other cause whatsoever.
22. An announcement prior to the date of closing of entries in Our Dogs of any alteration of addition made by the Committee to the schedule or in these Regulation shall be sufficient notice thereof.
23. All children must be kept under control and parents will be held responsible for any damage caused and charges incurred.
24. Please do not obstruct gangways with trolleys. Storage space will be made available for trolleys/cages.
25. If in the opinion of the Show Secretary, Show Manager or Judge any dog is considered not in a fit state for exhibition owing to a disease, savage disposition, or any other cause, the dog may be excluded or removed from the show the dog must not be brought into the Show at any time under any circumstances.
26. No animal other than an exhibit duly entered at the show will be allowed within the precincts of the show during its continuance.
27. The owner, exhibitor, handler or other person in charge of a dog at a Kennel Club licensed event 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)
28. A dog may be disqualified by the Board 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 the appropriate entry fees.
29. Every exhibitor shall ensure that whilst the dog is being exhibited, its handler shall display the correct ring number.
30. The attraction of exhibits by any method from outside the ring is prohibited. It is the duty of the judge, steward or Show Manager noticing such attraction to ask that it cease.
31. Each exhibitor is responsible for providing their own crate or cage identification and should note that the original exhibit/bench number card, as provided by the show society, must not be used for this purpose.

### **Use of Electrical Equipment at Shows**

The Kennel Club is becoming increasingly concerned at the amount of electrical equipment being used by exhibitors at shows, including hair dryers and hair straighteners and other grooming devices. 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 secretary of the show before it is used.

The Kennel Club has also been informed of recent instances of exhibitors commandeering certain areas of a venue in order to have access to power points so as to use electrical grooming equipment. This is totally unacceptable and particularly unfair on the breeds whose allocated areas have been cramped because of this selfish behaviour.

### **Security at shows**

In light of recent events the Kennel Club would like to issue a reminder to all Societies of the importance of security at dog shows.

The Kennel Club understands that due to the nature of dog shows and the quantity of paraphernalia exhibitors bring it would be extremely difficult for show organisers to take on the issue of security alone, therefore we would reiterate the advice being given by the Police and security services, that everyone in the UK should remain vigilant and this applies to those organising and taking part in dog shows.

The importance of exhibitors feeling that they and their dogs are safe when attending a show cannot be underestimated. We would therefore remind you of the importance of the need for show organisers and exhibitors to remain mindful of potential dangers and that all visitors generally need to be vigilant and alert.

Furthermore the society should provide robust notification informing exhibitors of where to report to should they see anything suspicious or of concern, and of the evacuation procedures in place.

## **REGULATIONS FOR THE PREPARATION OF DOGS FOR EXHIBITION F (B)**

1. These regulations must be observed when a dog is prepared for exhibition and/or exhibited at any Kennel Club licensed event. Objections may be referred to the General Committee for disciplinary action under these show regulations and/or for disciplinary action under Kennel Club Rule A11a
  - a) a dog found to have been exhibited in breach of these regulations will automatically be disqualified from exhibition at the show and from any award gained there at.
  - b) Unless the exhibitor provides a satisfactory explanation for the dog being exhibited in breach of these regulations then he/she may be subject to further penalties of either a fine or as listed under Rule A11a
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 General Committee.
  - (b) the removal of dew claws of any breed
  - (c) Operations to prevent breeding provided that such operations are notified to the Kennel Club before neutered dogs are shownNor must anything be done calculated to in the opinion of the General Committee to deceive.
4. The General Committee without previous notice may order an examination of any dog or dogs at any show. Any examination thus ordered will be made by a person having executive authority who shall have a written directive from the Kennel Club in their possession. Samples may be taken for further examination and analysis.
5. An individual has the right to lodge an objection to a dog only if he/she is the owner or handler of a dog competing in the same breed or class. An objection may however, be lodged by an official of the show or by anyone so deputed by the 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 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.



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