

SHOW REGULATIONS Cont/

- 20 The Committee will be most anxious for the care and safety of dogs entered for competition and for any property entrusted to it, but it must be clearly understood by exhibitors and any other person that the Committee will not be responsible for the entire or partial loss, or detention of, or damage to any dog or person for any cause whatsoever, nor for any act or omission of themselves, their officers, servants, agents and others, and it is on this understanding only entries are received.
- 21 The Committee will not be in any way responsible for any claim for injury or compensation by or arising out of the holding of this Show or by reasons of the act or default of any person in attendance there at. Parents will be held responsible for the action of their children and adults will be responsible for any child they have brought to the show.
- 22 Any owner, exhibitor or handler or other persons in charge of a dog is requested to remove immediately any fouling caused by their dog/dogs and also any grooming waste at any Kennel Club Licensed Show within the venue & within the environs of that event including car and caravan parks and approaches. Adequate receptacles for the disposal of such will be provided. RegF12
- 23 Should a Judge be unable to fulfil the appointment to judge, the committee reserves the right to appoint another Judge, subject to the terms of the Kennel Club Show Regulations.
- 24 Should any cheque, money order, etc., not be honoured immediately upon presenting to the Bank, the entries will either be returned or the cheques, etc., re-presented for discharge and any such costs or fees incurred, the exhibitor shall be held liable for the full amount of these fees.
- 25 Exhibitors passes will not be sent.
- 26 Only undocked dogs and legally docked dogs may be entered for exhibition at this show.
- 27 The Committee will be empowered to exclude or remove any dog which is not in a fit state for exhibition, either from illness, disease, vice, natural or other causes, and if such exclusion takes place, either before or after judging, the entry fee will be forfeited.

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 dogs 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 likely to feel much hotter and dehydrated, and this could lead to dire results. Please look after your dogs welfare.

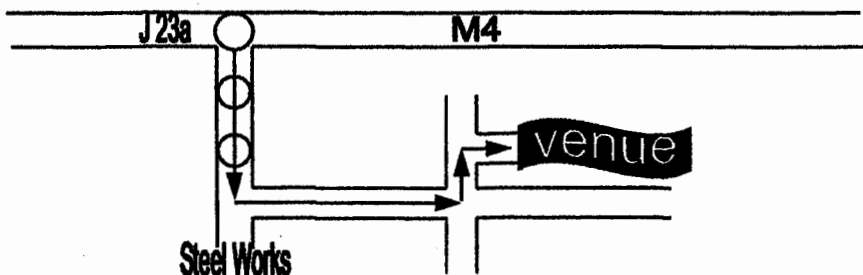
WARNING: IF YOUR DOG IS FOUND TO BE AT RISK FORCIBLE ENTRY TO YOUR VEHICLE MAY BE NECESSARY WITHOUT LIABILITY FOR ANY DAMAGE CAUSED.

Anyone whose dog is entered at a Kennel Club licensed event should take all reasonable steps to ensure the needs of their dog(s) are met, and should not put a dog's health and welfare at risk by any action, default, omission or otherwise.

Breach of Kennel Club Regulations in this respect may be referred to the General Committee for disciplinary action under Kennel Club Rules and Regulations. Right to Refuse Entries. Exhibitors/Competitors are reminded that show societies have the right under Kennel Club Regulations to refuse any entry.

DIRECTIONS TO THE VENUE

M4 junction 23a. The venue will then be signposted from the roundabout, approx 1 mile.



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HEADS OF THE VALLEY G.S.D. CLUB

SCHEDULE OF 19 CLASS UNBENCHED SINGLE BREED CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW

(Held under Kennel Club Limited Rules and Regulations)

ONLY UNDOCKED DOGS AND LEGALLY DOCKED DOGS MAY BE ENTERED FOR EXHIBITION AT THIS SHO

SUNDAY 22nd JULY 2018

at - **TONEW TRAINING CENTRE, TONEW KENNELS,
REDWICK, NR MAGOR, GWENT.NP26 3DF**

Show Opens: 09.30 am

Judging: 10.30

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**ENTRIES & FEES TO MARGARET DAVIES. LABURNAM COTTAGE,
THE PANDY, TRELEWIS, TRESHARRIS CF466BU**

**LARGE OUTDOOR RINGS
HOT & COLD REFRESHMENTS THROUGHOUT THE DAY**

ENTRIES CLOSE: MONDAY 2ND JULY 2018 (Postmark)
THERE IS NO WET WEATHER ACCOMODATION AT THIS SHOW

All Judges at this show agree to abide by the following statement " In assessing dogs, judges must penalise any features or exaggeration which they consider to be detrimental to the soundness, health and well being of the dog.

PRIZES & AWARDS

Outright Trophies 1st in all Classes

Rosettes 1st- 4th in all Classes

**SPECIAL ROSETTES AND TROPHIES FOR CC WINNERS,
BEST PUPPY DOG, BEST PUPPY BITCH, BEST OF BREED AND B.P.I.S.**

All SPONSORSHIP for this show will be gratefully received and acknowledged in our catalogue.

10.30 JUDGING

CLASSIFICATION

DOGS MR STEVE COX

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate-Dog

1. **Minor Puppy Dog**
2. **Puppy Dog**
3. **Special Long Coat Puppy Dog**
4. **Junior Dog**
5. **Yearling Dog**
6. **Post Graduate Dog**
7. **Limit Dog**
8. **Open Dog**
9. **Special Long Coat Open Dog**

Best dog and Best Puppy Dog

10. Veteran Dog or Bitch TO BE JUDGED BY BOTH JUDGES BEFORE LUNCH

BITCHES MR JOHN ROBINSON

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate-Bitches

11. **Minor Puppy Bitch**
12. **Puppy Bitch**
13. **Special Long Coat Puppy Bitch**
14. **Junior Bitch**
15. **Yearling Bitch**
16. **Post Graduate Bitch**
17. **Limit Bitch**
18. **Open Bitch**
19. **Special Long Coat Open Bitch**

Best Bitch and Best Puppy Bitch

BEST IN SHOW followed by BEST PUPPY will now be judged.

Veterinary Surgeon on call: Budget Vets. Blackwood. 01495 223297

SHOW RULES AND REGULATIONS.

1. The show will open at 09.30 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 am.
4. Exhibits may be removed from the Show after their judging has been completed. The show will close half an hour after judging has been completed.
5. The use of cooking stoves in the proximity of the tenting and benching areas is forbidden except as authorized by Show Management.
6. Entry Fees: £15.00 per dog. Three or more dogs with same owner £40.00. Not for Competition £0.50 per dog. (Details must be given on entry form). Catalogues £4.50 pre-paid with entries. Membership; Single £10.00. Joint £15.00. Junior/Senior Citizen £6.00. Adverts £15.00 Full Page; £8.00 Half Page.
7. Prize Money. No prize money on offer.
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—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 should automatically be Best Puppy in Show. 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. Consequently, selection of Best Puppy in Show, must follow the selection of Best in Show. Best Puppy in Show must be selected from puppies which have been judged and which are unbeaten by any other puppy. 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. Proviso—For the purposes of this regulation, dogs beaten in competition for Stud Dog, Brood Bitch, Progeny, Brace & Team or a Special Award confined to one breed will not be considered to be a beaten dog.
12. Best in Show—The dog declared Best in Show is a dog which has competed and is unbeaten by any other dog exhibited at the same show. Best in Show must be selected from the exhibits declared Best of Sex providing that 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. 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 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 consequent competition. Proviso—For the purpose of this regulation, dogs beaten in competition for Stud Dog, Brood Bitch, Progeny, Brace and Team or a Special Award confined to 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 the exhibits are required for judging, unless they have been unavoidably delayed by previous judging not being completed on time, and then only with 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 an advertisement in the Canine Press wherever possible.
15. All exhibitors must be familiar with Kennel Club Regulation F (Annex B). Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition.
16. All dogs resident outside the 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 Authority to compete number will be returned to the exhibitor/competitor.
17. DOGS IN CARS ON HOT DAYS. All exhibitors must be familiar with Kennel Club Regulations Your dog is vulnerable and AT RISK if left in a vehicle in high temperatures and even on days considered as slightly warm. Please take care of your dog. If your dog is found to be at risk forcible entry to your vehicle may be necessary without liability for any damage caused.
18. Not for Competition: Not for competition entries will be accepted. Kennel Club requirement: No animal other than an exhibit shall be brought into the precincts of the show, unless entered NFC. Puppies aged 4 months and below 6 months may be brought to the show, but must be entered NFC. Details of each dog so entered must be recorded on the entry form and it must be Kennel Club registered.
19. Please make all cheques payable to HEADS OF THE VALLEYS GSD CLUB.

Your dog is vulnerable and **AT RISK** if left in a vehicle in high temperatures and even on days considered as slightly warm . Please take care of your dog.

If your dog is found to be at risk forcible entry to your vehicle may be necessary without liability for any damage caused.

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 win's 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 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 25th June 2018.

Wins in variety classes do not count for entry in Breed Classes but when entering for Variety Classes 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 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) If an exhibit entered incorrectly in a Minor Puppy, Puppy or Junior class, which is over age but under 12 calendar months of age, 18calendar 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 6 and not exceeding 9 calendar months of age on the first day of the Show.

PUPPY. For dogs of 6 and not exceeding 12 calendar months of age on the first day of the Show.

SPECIAL LONG COAT PUPPY. For all long coated dogs of 6 and not exceeding 12 calendar months of age on the first day of the Show.

JUNIOR. For dogs of 6 and not exceeding 18 calendar months on the first day of the Show.

YEARLING. For dogs of 6 and not exceeding 24 calendar months of age on the first day of the Show.

POST GRADUATE. For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate or five or more First Prizes at Championship Shows, in Post Graduate, Minor Limit, Mid Limit, Limit and Open Classes, whether restricted or not.

LIMIT. For dogs which have not won three Challenge Certificates under three different judges or seven or more First Prizes in all, at Championship Shows in Limit and Open Classes, confined to the breed whether restricted or not , at Shows where Challenge Certificates were offered for the breed.

OPEN. For all dogs of the Breeds for which the class is provided and eligible for entry at the Show.

SPECIAL LONG COAT OPEN. For all long coated dogs of the breed 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.

NOT FOR COMPETITION. Societies may at their discretion, accept Not for Competition entries. Societies may accept such entries from breeds of dogs 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.

"Any GSD registered with the KC may enter any class for which it is eligible. In classes where the entry contains both long and ordinary coats the judge should place the exhibits according to their merits and not be influenced by coat. It should be noted that the winners of any of the above classes including the classes for Long Coated GSD can be considered for the Challenge Certificate providing the exhibit has not been beaten in any other class."

ATTRACTION OF EXHIBITS

The practice of attracting the attention of a dog from OUT SIDE of the ring is PROHIBITED .

REGULATION F(1)17h

The attraction of the attention of exhibits by any method from outside the ring is prohibited. It is the duty of the Judge, Steward & Show Management noticing such action to ask that it ceases.

OUTSIDE ATTRACTION (Also known as Double Handling) REMINDER TO ALL EXHIBITORS

The Kennel Club is adopting a strict approach to double handling and all exhibitors are reminded of the provisions of the regulations in respect of this. Please note that under Kennel Club Regulations the Show Management may order that judging be suspended and/or the class may be abandoned.

The abandonment of a class is clearly an outcome that benefits no-one but it is nonetheless a necessary final step to ensure the practice of double handling is prevented and to allow all exhibitors to compete in a fair environment.

The committee of this show reserves the right to ask you to leave the perimeter of show ground if you fail to adhere to the above regulations.

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

1. These regulations must be observed when a dog is prepared for exhibition for any Kennel Club Licensed event. Objections may be referred to the General Committee and may include reference for disciplinary action under 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 A 11.
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) The shortening of tails of customarily docked breeds but only up to an acceptable age limit which shall be prescribed from time to time.
(d) Operations to prevent breeding provided that such operations are notified to the Kennel Club before neutered dogs are shown.
4. The General Committee without previous notice may order an examination of any dog or dogs at the Show. Any examination thus ordered will be made by a person having executive authority who shall have 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 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.