



SCHEDULE of 20 Class Unbenched OPEN SHOW

(Held under Kennel Club Limited Rules and Regulations)

Held in conjunction with Windsor Championship Dog Show

at

HOME PARK, WINDSOR SL4 6HX

SATURDAY, 29th JUNE 2024

Show opens: 11.00 am

Judging: Not before 12 noon (Dogs, followed by Bitches)

Judge: Graham Hills (Hillsaphire)

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 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 Kennel Club General Show Regulations F4 and F5).

Veterinary Surgeon (on attendance): Mr E D'Arcy-Donnelly, BSc, BVSc, MRCVS and Dr A G Schemel MRCVS.
THE VETERINARY TENT & MEDICAL CENTRE IS LOCATED IN THE ADMIN AREA BY RING I

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."

Postal entries close: Saturday, 8th June 2024 (Postmark)

**On-line Entries can be made-up until midnight on Monday, 17th June 2024
at www.fossedata.co.uk**

*Postal entries to be sent to the Hon. Secretary: Mrs. Lesley Busby
Uplands, Alkham Road, Temple Ewell, Nr. Dover CT16 3EE*

Tel: 01304 827765 ~ Mobile: 07818 015910

Email: secretary@southernafghanclub.org.uk

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



www.southernafghanclub.org.uk



IMPORTANT NOTICE

When entering the show you are consenting your dog(s) being videoed and/or photographed by the show photographers, any images taken may be used to publicise the show and the Club. This also applies to children taking part in the show as Junior Handlers!

**IF YOU DO NOT GIVE PERMISSION, YOU MUST INFORM THE SHOW SECRETARY
WITH YOUR ENTRY.**

The Southern Afghan Club

OFFICERS & COMMITTEE

President: Mr J. Cox

Chair: Mr A. Ledger

Hon. Secretary: Mrs L. Busby

Vice President: Mrs V. Cook

Vice Chair: Ms P. Mullins

Hon. Treasurer: Ms Y. Odell

Committee:

Mesdames A. Collier, M. Hitch, A. Ledger, A. Thomas, C. Wilson, H. Woodgate

Mr K. Wright

COMMITTEE MEMBERS WILL NOT EXHIBIT OR HANDLE AT THIS SHOW

• ENTRY FEES •

Members: £6.00 first entry per dog
£1.50 each subsequent entry with the same dog

Non-Members: £7.00 first entry per dog
£2.00 each subsequent entry with the same dog

Catalogues: £3.00 pre-paid with entries (£3.50 on the day)

Membership: £7.00 Single; £7.50 Joint (1st January - 31st December)

Catalogue Advert: £10.00 Full page; £5.00 Half page

Rosette Donation: £2.50 per class *Gratefully received and acknowledged in the catalogue*

*Please make cheques payable to: **The Southern Afghan Club***

• CAR PARK & EXHIBITOR PASSES •

PLEASE NOTE:

You only need to purchase a £5.00 car park ticket if NOT entered at Windsor Championship Show. If you arrive without a ticket you will be charged £10.00.

Please order car parking tickets via Windsor show at www.fossedata.co.uk

Please request an exhibitor's pass, with SAE, to be sent to you if entering the SAC show only.

Not for Competition entries must also be made through Windsor Championship Dog Show.

CLUB BADGES & CAR STICKERS are available from the Club Secretary
THE SOUTHERN AFGHAN CLUB SHOP will be open throughout the day

MEMBERSHIP REMINDER

SUBSCRIPTIONS FOR 2024 MEMBERSHIP WERE DUE ON 1st JANUARY 2024

• **CLASSIFICATION** •

Judge: Graham Hills (Hillsaphire)

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| 1. Baby Puppy <i>Dog</i> | 11. Baby Puppy <i>Bitch</i> |
| 2. Minor Puppy <i>Dog</i> | 12. Minor Puppy <i>Bitch</i> |
| 3. Puppy <i>Dog</i> | 13. Puppy <i>Bitch</i> |
| 4. Veteran <i>Dog</i> | 14. Veteran <i>Bitch</i> |
| 5. Junior <i>Dog</i> | 15. Junior <i>Bitch</i> |
| 6. Yearling <i>Dog</i> | 16. Yearling <i>Bitch</i> |
| 7. Graduate <i>Dog</i> | 17. Graduate <i>Bitch</i> |
| 8. Post Graduate <i>Dog</i> | 18. Post Graduate <i>Bitch</i> |
| 9. Limit <i>Dog</i> | 19. Limit <i>Bitch</i> |
| 10. Open <i>Dog</i> | 20. Open <i>Bitch</i> |

BEST IN SHOW ~ BEST PUPPY IN SHOW

will be judged after class 20

• **JUNIOR HANDLING** •

Will take place on completion of Class 10. Entries to be taken on the day.

• **ROSETTES** •

Best in Show ~ Reserve Best in Show

Best Opposite Sex in Show

Best Puppy in Show ~ Best Opposite Sex Puppy in Show

Best Baby Puppy

Best Dog ~ Reserve Best Dog

Best Bitch ~ Reserve Best Bitch

1st to 5th Place in all classes



• **SPECIAL** •

Ria Wagner (Meadow Valley) offers an **Afghan Cookie Cutter**
to the winner of each class

• **TROPHIES** •

Please return all Trophies to the Trophy Steward before the show or inform her if you intend to return them to the show. Please do not disappoint the next winners by not returning Trophies.

TROPHY STEWARD: Yvonne Odell : y.odell@btinternet.com

• **REFRESHMENTS WILL BE AVAILABLE ON THE SHOWGROUND** •

RULES and REGULATIONS

1. The Show will open at 11.00 am.
 2. Dogs will be received until 12.00 noon and after which no dogs may be received except under exceptional and unforeseen circumstances and by special permission of the Show Management.
 3. Judging (Dogs, followed by Bitches) not before 12 noon.
 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: Member's First entry £6.00, each subsequent entry with same dog £1.50; Non-Member's First entry £7.00, each subsequent entry with same dog £2.00. Catalogue: £3.00 pre-paid (£3.50 on the day). Membership: Single £7.00; Joint £7.50. Catalogue Adverts: Full page £10.00; Half Page £5.00. Rosette Donation: £2.50 per class (Gratefully received and acknowledged in the catalogue).
 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 four 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 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 may, at the discretion of the judge, be awarded Best Puppy in Show respectively. Where the 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 Show respectively. Consequently, selection of Best Puppy in Show must follow the selection of Best in Show respectively. A Baby Puppy is a dog of four and less than six calendar months of age on the first day of the show. Baby Puppy classes may be scheduled at any breed club show. Any Variety Baby Puppy classes may be scheduled at any breed club show. Best Baby Puppy in Breed may be declared in each breed from the dogs entered in the Baby Puppy breed classes. There must be no progression to further competition.
 11. **Best in Show:** Best in Show must be selected from the exhibits declared Best of Sex. If a Reserve Best in Show is to be selected, the eligible dogs are those declared Best Opposite Sex and the Reserve Best of Sex to the exhibit declared 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 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 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.
 16. **Dogs in Vehicles 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.
17. 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. The use of pinch collars, electronic shock collars, or prong collars, is not permitted at any show licensed by the Kennel Club. This shall apply at the venue or within the precincts of the show.

18. Not for Competition entries not accepted.
19. 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.
20. The Committee will be empowered to exclude or remove any dog which in their opinion is not in a fit state for exhibition, either from disease, vice, natural or any other reason, and if such an exclusion takes place either before or after the dog is judged, entrance fees will be forfeited.
21. The Committee will be most anxious for the care and safety of all dogs entered and for property entrusted to them but it must be distinctly understood by exhibitors and all other persons that the Committee will not be responsible for the entire or partial loss or detention of or damage to a dog or dogs, or any other property, whether arising from accident or any other cause whatsoever or from any act of omission of themselves, their officers, servants or others and it is on this understanding only that entries will be received.
22. 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.
23. An announcement prior to the date of closing of entries in Our Dogs of any alteration or addition made by the Committee to the schedule or in these Rules shall be sufficient notice thereof.
24. All children must be kept under control and parents will be held responsible for any damage caused and charges incurred.
25. Please do not obstruct gangways with trolleys. Storage space will be made available for trolleys/cages.
26. 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. 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

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 first date of closing of entries shall be counted when entering for any class i.e. **Saturday, 1st June 2024**. 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. 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 Regulation F.(1).19.
- (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.

BABY PUPPY A baby puppy is a dog of four and less than six calendar months of age on the first day of the show.

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 months of age on the first day of the Show.

NOVICE For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate/CACIB/CAC/Green Star or three or more First Prizes at Open and Championship Shows (Minor Puppy, Special Minor Puppy, Puppy and Special Puppy classes excepted, whether restricted or not).

GRADUATE For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate/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.

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 CC/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 (7) years of age on the first day of the Show.

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.

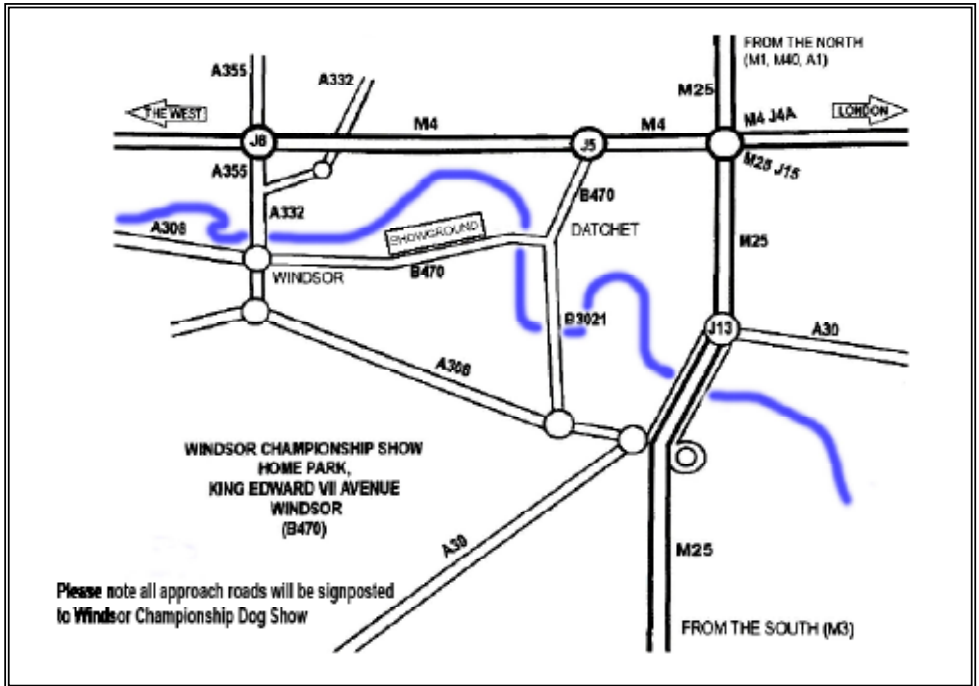
The Kennel Club understands that due to the nature of dog shows and the quantity of paraphernalia exhibitors bring it would be extremely difficult for show organisers to take on the issue of security alone, therefore we would reiterate the advice being given by the Police and security services, that 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.

MOST IMPORTANT: USE THE EXERCISE AREA PROVIDED AND CLEAN UP AFTER YOUR DOG - PLEASE HELP US TO KEEP THIS VENUE CLEAN

Please do NOT exercise your hounds OFF THE LEAD around the precincts of the show.

• DIRECTIONS TO THE VENUE •



DOGS IN VEHICLES ON HOT DAYS

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.



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