



SCHEDULE OF UNBENCHED 22 CLASS SINGLE BREED CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW

Held under Royal Kennel Club Limited Rules & Regulations (Confined to Irish Setters)

HOSTED BY SOUTHERN COUNTIES CANINE ASSOCIATION
at the NEWBURY SHOWGROUND, PRIORS COURT, HERMITAGE,
THATCHAM, BERKS RG18 9QZ

THURSDAY, 30th MAY, 2024

*Show Opens: 7.00 am. Judging: 10.00 am **Bitches** – Followed by **Dogs***
Show closes half an hour after completion of judging

Judge: MRS. L. FAUVRELLE (Fionnluigh)

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 5).

*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, 11th MAY, 2024 (Postmark)
On-line entries can be made up until midnight on Saturday, 18th MAY, 2024

*Postal entries and fees to be sent to: **Hon. Secretary: Mrs. P. Harris**
The Lodge, High Hall, Wimborne, Dorset. BH21 4HY*
ONLINE ENTRIES TO: www.onlineshowentry.com

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**Only undocked dogs and legally docked dogs may be entered for exhibition at this show**  
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HON. VETERINARY SURGEON (in attendance):
Mr. Erik D'Arcy-Donnelly BSc BVSc MRCVS

ENTRY FEES

Non-Members First Entry per dog:	£21.00
Each subsequent entry with the same dog:	£ 2.00
Members First Entry per dog:	£18.00
Each subsequent entry with the same dog:	£ 2.00
Not For Competition:	£ 5.00
Catalogue:	£3.00 prepaid with entries (There will be none for sale on the day)
Car Park:	£5.00 with entry; £10.00 on the day (PAYABLE IF YOU ARE ONLY ENTERING SEISC - A CAR PARK PASS WITH BE POSTED OUT TO YOU).

*If you have an official disabled badge you will automatically be directed to the special Car Park; **Please note disabled Car Parking is not FREE OF CHARGE***

Dogs entered Not For Competition – Puppies under 4 months of age are not eligible to enter the showground.

(Kennel Club declaration on the entry form in respect of infectious or contagious diseases also applies to dogs entered 'Not For Competition' and Spectator dogs)

Dogs will require removal passes. If you have only entered SEISC Show and require a removal pass for any of your dogs please see SEISC Show Secretary before departure

TO ADVERTISE IN THE CATALOGUE PLEASE CONTACT:
MRS. P. HARRIS 01202 885303 Email – canford.print@live.co.uk
ADVERTISEMENT - £10 FULL PAGE; £7.00 HALF PAGE

ROSETTES

ROSETTES FOR BEST IN SHOW, RESERVE BEST IN SHOW,
BEST OPPOSITE SEX, BEST DOG, BEST BITCH, RESERVE BEST DOG,
RESERVE BEST BITCH, BEST PUPPY IN SHOW, BEST VETERAN IN SHOW,
BEST DOG PUPPY, BEST BITCH PUPPY, 1st – VHC IN ALL CLASSES,

PRIZE CARDS 1st – VHC IN ALL CLASSES

**IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO MAKE A DONATION TOWARDS ROSETTES
PLEASE DO SO WITH YOUR ENTRY**

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS WILL BE PRINTED IN THE CATALOGUE

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT THE SHOW

Every exhibitor shall ensure that whilst a dog is being exhibited, its handler shall display the correct ring number. Due to the nature of a partnership show, particularly when the breed is being judged in adjoining rings, this is absolutely essential to avoid confusion.

The onus will be on the exhibitor.

NB: Any further information regarding this event will be shown at www.seisc.co.uk

EXHIBITORS' ATTENTION IS DRAWN TO KENNEL CLUB RULE 510a WHICH REQUIRES ANYONE IN CHARGE OF A DOG TO REMOVE IMMEDIATELY ANY FOULING CAUSED BY THE DOG – WITHIN THE VENUE AND ENVIRONS OF THE EVENT – INCLUDING CAR & CARAVAN PARKS AND APPROACHES

THE COMMITTEE IS OBLIGED TO REPORT ANY INFRINGEMENT OF K.C. RULES

ABUSIVE BEHAVIOUR

South Of England Irish Setter Club tries hard to be a friendly, encouraging and supportive Club. The Club will not tolerate any kind of abusive behaviour to its Officers, Committee, Officials, exhibitors or staff at its venues.

Anyone found to be behaving in this manner will be asked to leave and a report will be sent to the Kennel Club, in addition the Committee may refuse to accept further entries from perpetrators

ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT SHOULD NOT BE BROUGHT TO THE SHOW UNLESS ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY. IN RARE INSTANCES WHERE IT MIGHT BE REQUIRED IT SHOULD BE P.A.T. TESTED AND PERMISSION SOUGHT FROM THE SECRETARY OF THE SHOW BEFORE IT IS USED.

FURTHER COPIES OF THIS SCHEDULE AND ENTRY FORM CAN BE DOWNLOADED FROM www.onlineshowentry.com & seisc.co.uk

CUPS & TROPHIES ARE NOT ON OFFER THIS YEAR

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CLASSIFICATION

Judge: MRS. L. FAUVRELLE (Fionnluigh)

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate – BITCH

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| 1. Minor Puppy, | BITCH |
| 2. Puppy, | BITCH |
| 3. Junior, | BITCH |
| 4. Yearling, | BITCH |
| 5. Novice, | BITCH |
| 6. Graduate, | BITCH |
| 7. Post Graduate, | BITCH |
| 8. Limit, | BITCH |
| 9. Open, | BITCH |
| 10. Veteran, | BITCH |
| 11. Special Beginners, | BITCH |

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate – DOG

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| 12. Minor Puppy, | DOG |
| 13. Puppy, | DOG |
| 14. Junior, | DOG |
| 15. Yearling, | DOG |
| 16. Novice, | DOG |
| 17. Graduate, | DOG |
| 18. Post Graduate, | DOG |
| 19. Limit, | DOG |
| 20. Open, | DOG |
| 21. Veteran, | DOG |
| 22. Special Beginners, | DOG |

BEST IN SHOW will be judged when all Class Judging is completed

BEST PUPPY IN SHOW will be judged after Best in Show

BEST VETERAN IN SHOW will be judged after Best Puppy in Show

(Best Veteran in Show will be selected from the winners of Classes 10 & 21)

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## DEFINITIONS OF CLASSES

*(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 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. Saturday, 4<sup>th</sup> May, 2024. 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.

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 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) 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 colour, sex, weight or height or in the event of there being no Puppy, Junior or Yearling class to the Open Class for the correct 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.

**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.

**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.

**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 3 or more CCs / 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.

**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.



## RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. The Show will open at 7.00 a.m.
2. Dogs will be received until 1 pm after which no dogs may be received except under exceptional and unforeseen circumstances and by special permission of the Show Management.
3. Judging will commence with Bitches at 10.00 a.m, followed by Dogs
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:** Non-Member £21 per Class; Members £18 per Class; All subsequent entries £2 per class. Not For Competition @ £5 per Dog. Catalogues - £3.00 prepaid with entries **ONLY**. **Car Parking** - £5 prepaid with entries; £10 on the day (see details on page2). Advertisements in the Catalogue: Full Page £10.00 / £7.00 Half Page.
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 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. 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. Consequently selection of Best Puppy in Show must follow the selection of Best in Show respectively.

11. **Best in Show** - Best in Show must be selected from the exhibits declared Best of Sex. If a Reserve Best on Show is selected, the eligible dogs are those declared Best Opposite Sex and 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 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 the U.K. 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 dogs 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 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 K.C. 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 dogs welfare.

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

17. Not For Competition entries are 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 General Committee of The Kennel Club, which will be followed by advertisement in the Canine Press wherever possible.
19. Spectator dogs may be admitted at the discretion of the Society.

20. All postal entries must be posted on or before Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> May, 2024 (1<sup>st</sup> class postmark). N.B. if acknowledgement of entries is required a stamped addressed postcard must be enclosed. Online Entries will close at midnight on Saturday, 18<sup>th</sup> May, 2024. Exhibitors making entries must abide by the Rules & Regulations of the Kennel Club.
21. 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 take place, either before or after judging, the entry fee will be forfeited.
22. Should any Judge be prevented from fulfilling his or her engagement, the Committee reserve the right to appoint another Judge or Judges in their place. Exhibitors may withdraw from competition, but no entry fees can be returned.
23. Each Judge will be instructed and empowered to withhold any prize in any class if of the opinion that the dog does not possess sufficient merit. Judges are not empowered to give prizes beyond those offered in this schedule. A Judge's decision shall be final except in a case of fraud, or misrepresentation or where a mistake has been made, bona fide by the Judge. No alterations of the award must be made after the date of the show without specific permission of the Kennel Club (Vide K.C. Rules 21K & L).
24. All Rules & Regulations and Definitions and instructions of the nature of rules and regulations printed for convenience in other parts of this schedule shall be deemed to be regulations of the Committee and shall have the same effect as if they formed part of these Regulations.
25. Should any question arise not provided for in these Regulations, the decision of the Committee shall be final, subject to appeal to the Kennel Club.
26. If you are paying by cheque, you are advised to ensure that there are sufficient funds in your account as the South of England Irish Setter Club will levy a charge of £10.00 on each cheque returned refer to drawer, to cover Bank and Administration charges. Please write your cheque card number on the back of the cheque. Failure to comply with the above will result in the matter being forwarded to the Kennel Club.
27. Proof of Posting. The only acceptable proof of posting of entries that have not been received is certified post, recorded delivery, registered, Post Office certificate of posting.
28. The Committee of the Show can accept no responsibility for products advertised or sold by stall holders and/or Trade Stands at their Show. Persons attending Club Shows are reminded that the products on sale by Trade Stands, for the preparation and grooming of dogs may not meet the requirements of the Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition. (K.C.S.R.(F)).
29. 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.
30. **DOGS MUST NOT BE LEFT IN VEHICLES.** Remedial action will be taken in the event of dogs left in cars found to be in a distressed condition.

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