



ULSTER CHIHUAHUA CLUB

SCHEDULE OF UNBENCHED

OPEN TOY BREED SHOW

Held under Kennel Club Rules and Regulations

Advisory Notes

- i. 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.
- ii. 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.
- iii. 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.
- iv. 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.
- v. All children must be kept under control and parents will be held responsible for any damage caused and charges incurred.
- vi. Please do not obstruct gangways with cages, pens, grooming tables, trolleys and dogs. Storage space will be made available for trolleys/ cages.
- vii. 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.
- viii. No animal other than an exhibit duly entered at the show will be allowed within the precincts of the show during its continuance.
- ix. 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)
- x. 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.
- xi. Every exhibitor shall ensure that whilst the dog is being exhibited, its handler shall display the correct ring number.

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.

ABCSDS, http://abcsds.co.uk/Dog_Shows.htm
Samuel Robinson, 15 Manse Road, Kircubbin,
Co. Down, NI, BT22 1DR, enquiries@abcsds.co.uk

Venue: OAKFIELD COMMUNITY CENTRE
OAKFIELD DRIVE
CARRICKFERGUS, BT38 7SP

Date of Show: 2nd November 2019

Only undocked dogs and legally docked dogs may be entered for exhibition at this show. A dog which had its tail docked on or after 1st January 2013 cannot be shown at events where the exhibitor pays a fee or members of the public pay an admittance fee.

GUARANTORS TO THE KENNEL CLUB:-

Chairperson: Ms S McKenna, 13 Foxes Glen, Belfast
Secretary: Mrs M Hamill, 97 Larkfield Meadows, Craigavon
Treasurer: Mrs H Murphy, 1 Lyne Dale Manor, Portadown

All judges at this show agree to abide by the following statement: "In assessing dogs, judges must penalize any features or exaggerations which they consider would be detrimental to the soundness, health and wellbeing of the dog".

ENTRIES CLOSE: 17th October 2019 (Postmark)

Entries to be made to: Mrs C Wood
Show Secretary 21 Carnhill Avenue
Carnmoney
Newtownabbey BT36 6LE
Tel. 02890 841484

Mobile on the day 078794 15714

Hon. Vet. Surgeon: Farmhill Veterinary Clinic,
62-64 Larne Road, Carrickfergus
Co Antrim, BT38 7EF, 02893 351455

Show Manager Mr I Thompson

The Ulster Chihuahua Club would like to thank Royal Canin our main sponsor & Cobbydog for our prize cards and ring numbers.

**All up to date information will be posted on:
Ulster Chihuahua Club FaceBook Group**

Donations for the Ballot will be most welcome

Please keep this venue clean – use the exercise area

CLEAN UP AFTER YOUR DOG

*** Puppies entered in NFC and aged between 4-6 months may take part in the Puppy Walk for socialisation – at £1.00**

*** (Will take place during Lunch Break)**

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

ULSTER CHIHUAHUA CLUB OFFERS THE FOLLOWING ROSETTES

LONG COATS

Best Dog
Best Bitch
Best of Breed
Best Puppy
Best Veteran

SMOOTH COATS

Best Dog
Best Bitch
Best Of Breed
Best Puppy
Best Veteran

Best Chihuahua in Show
Reserve Best Chihuahua in Show
Best Chihuahua Puppy
Best Chihuahua Veteran in Show

Best in Show
Reserve Best in Show
Group 3
Group 4

Best Puppy in Show
Best Baby Puppy in Show
All Best of Breed Winners
Best Veteran in Show: All unbeaten veterans will compete for best veteran in show

Donations of Raffle prizes, Specials, or Monies towards the cost of Rosettes will be gratefully received. Please advise of any such donations prior to the date of closing of entries so they may be acknowledged in the catalogue.

RETURNED CHEQUES :

The value of returned/dishonoured cheques, which are not paid, together with an Administration fee of £10.00 will be reported to the Kennel Club.

Rules and Regulations continued

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:** 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 Board for disciplinary action under 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.
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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 modifications will be made to the schedule except by permission of the Board of the Kennel Club, which will be followed by advertisement in the Canine press wherever possible.

Rules and Regulations

1. The show will open at 9.00 am.
 2. Dogs will be received at any time but it is the exhibitor's responsibility to ensure that exhibits are available for judging when required.
 3. Judging will commence at 10.00 am sharp.
 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 per exhibitor includes catalogue:	£8.00
Each subsequent entry:	£2.00
Children's handling classes:	£1.00
Membership - per person:	£3.00
Not for Competition:	£1.00
Puppy Walk:	£1.00
 6. PRIZE MONEY – 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. A special Best Puppy will be awarded from Best Puppy in Stakes.
 11. **Best in Show:** The dog declared Best in Show is a dog which has competed and has been declared Best of Breed, Best Any Variety Not Separately Classified or Best Any Variety Imported Breed Register.
 - a. **Shows Judged on the Group System**
(Definition; Shows judged on the Group System includes classes for breeds within more than one group, as defined in Kennel Club Regulation B(A); and require a judge to declare a best of each group after which the exhibits so declared will compete for the award of Best in Show and Reserve Best in Show.)
 - 1) **Best of Breed:** Where a breed is separately classified a Best of Breed may be declared but only from those dogs which have received a first prize in a breed class at the show. Where separate classes are provided for each sex of a breed a Best of each Sex must be declared.
 - 2) **Best of Group:** Best of group and subsequent placings must be selected from (a) The Best of Breed winners in each group; (b) The Best dog from the Any Variety Not Separately Classified classes in each group or on each day; (c) The Best dog from Any Variety Imported Breed Register classes in each Group or on each day.
 - 3) **Best in Show:** Best in Show must be selected from the Best of Group winners. Reserve Best in Show must be selected from the remaining Group winners following the selection for 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.

JUDGE: Saoirse McKenna (CHANTICO)

CHIHUAHUAS (LONG COAT)

- 1 Puppy Dog
- 2 Junior Dog
- 3 Graduate Dog
- 4 Open Dog
- 5 Puppy Bitch
- 6 Junior Bitch
- 7 Graduate Bitch
- 8 Open Bitch
- 9 Veteran Dog or Bitch

AUSTRALIAN SILKY TERRIERS

- 19 Junior Dog or Bitch
- 20 Open Dog or Bitch

CAVALIER KING CHARLES SPANIELS

- 24 Junior Dog or Bitch
- 25 Open Dog
- 26 Open Bitch

GRIFFON BRUXELLOIS

- 29 Open Dog or Bitch

JAPANESE CHINS

- 31 Junior Dog or Bitch
- 32 Open Dog
- 33 Open Bitch

MALTESE

- 37 Junior Dog or Bitch
- 38 Open Dog or Bitch

POMERANIANS

- 42 Junior Dog or Bitch
- 43 Open Dog or Bitch

Yorkshire Terriers

- 47 Junior Dog or Bitch
- 48 Open Dog or Bitch

CHIHUAHUAS (SMOOTH COAT)

- 10 Puppy Dog
- 11 Junior Dog
- 12 Graduate Dog
- 13 Open Dog
- 14 Puppy Bitch
- 15 Junior Bitch
- 16 Graduate Bitch
- 17 Open Bitch
- 18 Veteran Dog or Bitch

BICHON FRISE

- 21 Junior Dog or Bitch
- 22 Open Dog
- 23 Open Bitch

Coton de Tulear

- 27 Junior Dog or Bitch
- 28 Open Dog or Bitch

KING CHARLES SPANIELS

- 30 Open Dog or Bitch

MINIATURE PINSCHERS

- 34 Junior Dog or Bitch
- 35 Open Dog
- 36 Open Bitch

PAPILLONS

- 39 Junior Dog or Bitch
- 40 Open Dog
- 41 Open Bitch

PUGS

- 44 Junior Dog or Bitch
- 45 Open Dog
- 46 Open Bitch

PEKINGESE

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| 49 Puppy Dog | 52 Puppy Bitch |
| 50 Junior Dog | 53 Junior Bitch |
| 51 Open Dog | 54 Open Bitch |

JUDGE: Mrs Marie Magill (BELTRA)

AV TOY NOT SEP. CLASSIFIED

- 55 Junior Dog or Bitch
- 56 Open Dog
- 57 Open Bitch

ANY VARIETY VETERAN

- 58 Veteran Dog or Bitch

AV IMPORTED BREED REGISTER

- 59 Open Dog or Bitch

BEST IN SHOW / BEST PUPPY IN SHOW

Puppy Walk and Children's Handling (to be held at Lunchtime): Class 'A': 6-11 years Class 'B': 12-16 years

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. *10th October 2019*.

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 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 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) 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 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.

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.

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.

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 years of age on the first day of the Show.

ANY VARIETY NOT SEPARATELY CLASSIFIED For breeds of dog for which no separate breed classes are scheduled

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

NOT FOR COMPETITION Details of each dog must be recorded on the entry form as KC registered