



THE DOBERMANN CLUB

SCHEDULE
of Unbenched 20 Class

SINGLE BREED CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW

(held under Kennel Club Rules & Regulations)

at

THE DOBERMANN CLUB TRAINING & SHOWGROUND

Hertford Road, Digswell, Herts AL6 0BU

on

SATURDAY, 26th MAY 2012

Show opens: 9.00 am

Judging: Bitches 10.00 am; Dogs 10.30 am

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."

**PRIZE
MONEY**

Judges:

Dogs: Mr Joel van Lerberghe

Bitches: Mrs June Higgins

Referee: Mr Jimmy Richardson

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Guarantors to the Kennel Club:

Mr D. King (*Chairman*), Burghfield, 82 Thorney Lane North, Iver, Bucks SL0 9LR.
Mrs V. Lucas (*Secretary*), Malden Cottage, Green Lane, Fenhouses, Swineshead, Boston, Lincs PE20 3HN.

Mrs J. Walker (*Treasurer*), Brandywell, Bicester Road, Launton, Bicester, Oxon OX26 5DF.

Mrs L. Schneiders, 4 Maple Cottages, Shantock Lane, Bovington, Herts HP3 0NN.

Ms J. Caffel, Archway Boarding Kennels, 167 Oxford Road, Garsington, Oxford, Oxon OX44 9AU.

Mrs J. Ingram, Foxburrows, Beredens Lane, Great Warley, Brentwood, Essex CM13 3JB.

Hon. Veterinary Surgeon (on call):

Attimore Veterinary Hospital, Ridgeway, Welwyn Garden City, Herts AL7 2AD. Tel: 01707 331963

Postal entries close: Saturday, 28th April 2012 (Postmark)

On-line entries can be made up until midnight on Saturday, 5th May 2012

Entries and Fees which must be pre-paid to be sent to the Show Manager: **Mrs L. Schneiders**
4 Maple Cottages, Shantock Lane, Bovington, Herts HP3 0NN.

Tel: 01442 833070

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

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President: Mrs P. Dawson

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Chairman: Mr D. King

Treasurer: Mrs J. Walker

~ SHOW INFORMATION ~

• ENTRY FEES •

Members 1st Entry: £15.00 per dog

Non-Members 1st Entry: £18.00 per dog

All Subsequent Entries: £2.00 per class

Veteran: £5.00 per class

Not for Competition: FREE

Catalogues: £3.00 pre-paid with entries only

Puppies under 4 months of age are NOT ALLOWED within the precincts of the Show.

Puppies of 4 months of age and over may be brought to the Show but **MUST** be entered Not For Competition

• SHOW ENTRIES - BANK CHARGES •

Any bank charges incurred as a result of incorrectly completed or dishonoured cheques will be passed on to the exhibitor. Any exhibitor failing to pay entry fees/bank charges will be dealt with by the Committee of the Kennel Club.

DOGS WILL NOT BE ADMITTED TO THE SHOW BEFORE 9.00 A.M.

THE DOBERMANN CLUB COMMITTEE

would like to thank



for its generous support of this show

CLASSIFICATION

(Judging commences at 10.00 am)

Dog Judge: Mr Joel van Lerberghe

Bitch Judge: Mrs June Higgins

Referee: Mr J. Richardson

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch

Kennel Club Breeders' Competition — Best Breeder in Breed Award

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

The Kennel Club Breeders' competition will be judged after Best in Show
by the **Referee Mr J. Richardson**

All books have to be signed by the Secretary by 12.00 noon



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BREEDERS' COMPETITION

The Breeders' Competition offers the following Awards:

Best Breeder in Breed/AVNSC classes 1st, 2nd and 3rd

Best Breeder in Group 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th

Grand Final at Crufts 2013

The following requirements apply to entries for these awards:

1. Breeders wishing to enter the competition should first purchase a Breeders Competition Record Book from the Kennel Club or from the show secretary.
2. The Breeder enters for the award in his/her name and is responsible for arranging which exhibits form their breeder group, or team.
3. The Breeder must complete the Record Book accurately with all necessary details before presenting it to the show organisers.
4. The Breeder is responsible for obtaining the necessary authority to compete from the show organisers (or designated official such as the Ring Steward) to compete for the award.
5. The Breeder's team must consist of a minimum of three and a maximum of four dogs of the same breed, all of which must be entered in a class at the show.
6. A Breeder may enter more than one team per show.
7. All dogs must have the same registered breeder.
8. The 'beaten dog' rule will NOT apply.
9. Best Breeder in Breed and Best Breeder in AVNSC Classes goes through to a Best Breeder in Group award.
10. Breeders acquire points in competition over a calendar year as follows:

Best Breeder in Breed/AVNSC Classes	3 points
Second place Breeder in Breed/AVNSC Classes	2 points
Third place Breeder in Breed/AVNSC Classes	1 point
Best Breeder in Group	4 points
Second place Breeder in Group	3 points
Third place Breeder in Group	2 points
Fourth place Breeder in Group	1 point

The Breeders who have amassed a minimum of 25 points over a calendar year will qualify for the Final/Semi-Final in the following year. It is not a requirement to withdraw from the competition upon reaching 25 points. At the end of the competition year in question, Breeders should forward their record books to the Canine Activities Department at the Kennel Club which will advise whether they have qualified for the Crufts Final.

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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 Bitches; 10.30 am 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. The use of cooking stoves in the proximity of the tenting and benching areas is forbidden except as authorised by the Show Management.
6. Entry Fees: Members 1st Entry £15.00 per dog; Non-Members 1st Entry £18.00 per dog. All subsequent entries with the same dog: £2.00. Veteran £5.00. Not for Competition: FREE. Catalogues: £3.00 pre-paid with entries only.
7. Prize Money is on offer at this show. £50.00 Best in Show; £25.00 Best Puppy in Show; £25.00 Best Veteran in Show.
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 will also 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 as appropriate, 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 purpose of this Regulation, dogs beaten in competition for Stud Dog, Brood Bitch, Progeny, Brace and 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 had 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 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.

The dogs declared Best in Show and Reserve Best in Show must not compete in any subsequent competition.

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declared Best in Show and Reserve Best 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 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 exhibits are required for judging, unless they have been unavoidably delayed by previous judging not completed on time, and then only with the special permission of the Show Management.
14. No modifications will be made to the schedule except by permission of the General Committee of The Kennel Club, which will be followed by 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 an Authority to Compete number will be returned to the exhibitor/competitor.
17. **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 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.

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. 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.
20. The owner, exhibitor, handler or other person in charge of a dog at Kennel Club licensed events

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).

21. A dog may be disqualified by the General Committee 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 appropriate entry fees.
22. Every exhibitor shall ensure that whilst the dog is being exhibited, its handler shall display the correct ring number.
23. Committee members may enter their dogs at this show but will not be permitted to handle a dog in the show ring.
24. All dogs are welcome on the showground but owners are requested to fill in an entry form as Not for Competition.

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 entries shall be counted when entering for any class i.e. **Saturday, 21st April 2012**.

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 9(j) and 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 their 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 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 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 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 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).

UNDERGRADUATE For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate or 3 or more First Prizes at Championship Shows where Challenge Certificates were offered for the breed (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 5 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 Kennel Club Regulations or under the rules of any governing body recognised by the Kennel Club or won 7 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 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.

ADVISORY NOTICE

NOT FOR COMPETITION Societies may at their discretion, accept Not for Competition entries. Societies may accept such entries from breeds of dog 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. Dogs aged four calendar months and over are eligible to enter Not for Competition at Single Breed and Sub-Group Shows.

TRADE STANDS

The Committee can accept no responsibility for products advertised or sold by stand-holders at the Show and wish to remind exhibitors that grooming products on sale may not meet the requirements of the Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition.

EXERCISE AREA

An Exercise Area will be provided. Exhibitors/Handlers are required to clear up any fouling by the dogs in their charge. **FAILURE TO DO SO WILL BE REPORTED.**

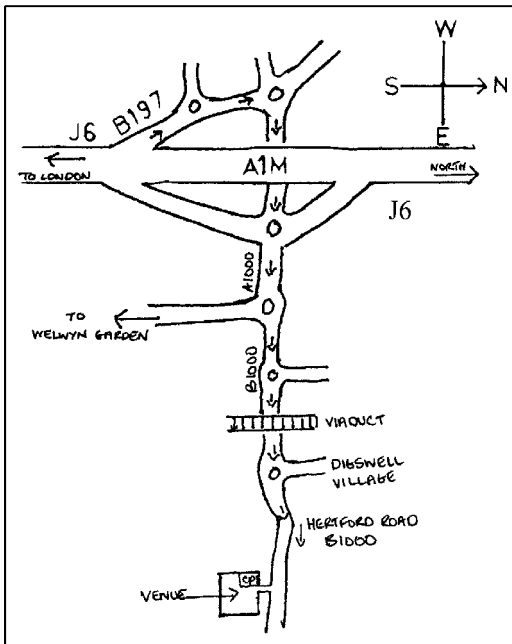
DIRECTIONS TO SHOW

FROM THE SOUTH

Leave the A1 Motorway at Junction 6 straight across first roundabout, turn right at next roundabout; straight across the next four roundabouts, the Showground is on the right just past the village, on the the B1000.

FROM THE NORTH

Leave the A1 Motorway at Junction 6. Turn left at first roundabout, straight across the next three roundabouts; the Showground is on the right just past the village, on the B1000.



NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS/DOG OWNERS

The KC General Committee has given detailed consideration to the problems arising when dogs are left in cars at shows.

It is considered that the act of causing suffering to a dog as a result of it being left in a car by an exhibitor or the owner of a registered dog on a hot day could be considered discreditable or prejudicial to the interests of the canine world and could form the basis of a case under Kennel Club Rule A42.

Remedial action will be taken in the event of dogs left in cars being found in a distressed condition.

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