THE FINNISH SPITZ CLUB

SCHEDULE
of 20 Class Unbenched
47th BREED
CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW
(held under Kennel Club Limited Rules & Regulations)
at
BAGINTON VILLAGE HALL
Frances Road, Baginton,
Warwickshire CV8 3AB
on
SATURDAY, 4th OCTOBER 2014
Show Opens: 10.00 am Judging: 11.15 am

Judge: Mr B.W. Reynolds-Frost

Guarantors to the Kennel Club:
Mrs C. Wedge (Chairman), 25 West Ley, Burnham-on-Crouch, Essex CM0 8LH.
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Mrs Y. Howlett, 19 Olivers Road, Clacton on Sea, Essex CO15 3QH.
Mr T. Howlett, 19 Olivers Road, Clacton on Sea, Essex CO15 3QH.

Hon. Veterinary Surgeon (on call): Bilton Veterinary Centre
259 Bilton Road, Rugby, Warwickshire CV22 7EQ

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: Wednesday, 3rd September 2014 (Postmark)
On-line entries can be made up until midnight on Wednesday, 10th September 2014
at www.fossedata.co.uk

Postal entries and fees to be sent to the Hon. Secretary: Brenda Williams
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Only undocked dogs and legally docked dogs may be entered for exhibition at this show
• CLASSIFICATION •

Judge: Mr B.W. Reynolds-Frost

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate — Dog

1. Puppy Dog
2. Junior Dog
3. Novice Dog
4. Graduate Dog
5. Post Graduate Dog
6. Limit Dog
7. Open Dog
8. Special Beginners Dog
9. Veteran Dog
A. Junior Handling 6 - 11 years*
B. Junior Handling 12 - 16 years*

Kennel Club Breeders’ Competition — Best Breeder in Breed Award

10. Veteran Bitch
11. Puppy Bitch
12. Junior Bitch
13. Novice Bitch
14. Graduate Bitch
15. Post Graduate Bitch
16. Limit Bitch
17. Open Bitch
18. Special Beginners Bitch

Best in Show • Best Opposite Sex • Best Puppy in Show

*1st, 2nd and 3rd in Classes A and B qualify for the JHA Semi-Finals to be held in 2015. Dogs handled must be entered and exhibited in another class other than Junior Handling at this Show. No entries will be accepted on the day. Please give the name and age of the handler in the space provided on the entry form.

ADVERTISING

If you would like to include a colour advertisement in the catalogue, the cost is £9.00 for Members and £14.00 for Non-Members. Adverts must be pre-paid by the time of close of postal entries and are limited to one photograph per page. Please note that only colour photographs are being used. Please email your wording together with a high resolution (i.e. 300 dpi) image file to Finnishspitz158@btinternet.com. Kindly note that the committee reserves the right to make minor amendments to layout and to refuse unsuitable material.

• FEES •

Entry Fees:  Members: First Entry per dog £9.00
Each subsequent entry with same dog £2.00
Non-Members: First entry per dog £11.00
Each subsequent entry with same dog £2.50

Junior Handling: £1.00 per class
Not for Competition: £1.00 per dog
Catalogues: £2.50 pre-paid with entries
Catalogue Adverts: £9.00 Members; £14.00 Non-Members

Cheques/Postal Orders payable to: THE FINNISH SPITZ CLUB

WOULD YOU PLEASE CLEAR UP ANY FOULING MADE BY YOUR DOGS
OTHER SHOW INFORMATION

The Show will be sponsored by ROYAL CANIN

RAFFLE
Jimmy Beekie will be running the Raffle — Prizes will be gratefully received

TOMBOLA

CLUB STALL

REFRESHMENTS

CAKE
There will be a Special Cake donated by Steve & Alison Piearce

There will be a CHAMPAGNE PARTY directly after the presentation of prizes arranged by Carol Wedge and Jimmy Beekie

A BOUTONNIERE FOR EACH LADY
presented by our President, Ann Arch,
in memory of Finnish Spitz no longer with us

A Bottle of Champagne, Box of Chocolates and Large Pack of Gravy Bones donated by Trevor & Yvonne Howlett and Family for Best Puppy in Show

Dolores & David Montgomery will present a China Plate for Best in Show

The Finnish Kennel Club will present a China Mug for Best Novice Dog and Best Novice Bitch

PRIZE MONEY ON OFFER IN ALL CLASSES
1st £3.00 — 2nd £2.00 — 3rd £1.00

ROSETTES
Best in Show • Best Opposite Sex • Best Dog • Best Bitch
Best Puppy • Best Novice • Best Junior • Best Graduate
Best Post Graduate • Best Limit • Best Open • Best Veteran
Best Special Beginners • Best Team • Best Brace • Reserve CC Winners
First to VHC in all classes • Best Junior Handler

A GIFT WILL BE PRESENTED FROM THE CLUB TO EACH EXHIBITOR

DONATIONS to the Show and SPECIAL PRIZES
would be appreciated and acknowledged in the 47th Championship Show catalogue. Please notify Brenda Williams by the time of closing of entries
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DEFINITIONS OF CLASSES
(N.B. 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 entries shall be counted when entering for any class i.e. Wednesday, 27th August 2014.

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. 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 21.

(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 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 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.

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.
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).
GRADUATE For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate 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 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 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.
BRACE For two exhibits (either sex or mixed) of one breed belonging to the same exhibitor, each exhibit having been entered in some class other than Brace or Team.
THE JEAN SEEL TEAM CLASS For three or more exhibits (either sex or mixed) of one breed belonging to the same exhibit, each exhibitor having been entered in some class other than Brace or Team.
SPECIAL BEGINNERS For dogs and owners not having won a Challenge Certificate in the breed.

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.
RULES and REGULATIONS

1. The Show will open at 10.00 am.
2. Dogs will be received at any time after the opening of the show but it is the exhibitor's responsibility to ensure that dogs are available for judging when required.
3. Judging will commence at 11.15 am.
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:** First Entry per dog £9.00; each subsequent entry with same dog £2.00.
   - **Non-Members:** First entry per dog £11.00; each subsequent entry with same dog £2.50.
   - **Junior Handling:** £1.00 per class.
   - **Not for Competition:** £1.00 per dog.
   - **Catalogues:** £2.50 pre-paid with entries.
   - **Catalogue Adverts:** £9.00 Members; £14.00 Non-Members.
7. **Prize Money:** 1st £3.00; 2nd £2.00; 3rd £1.00.
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 respectively. 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 respectively. Consequently, selection of Best Puppy in Show must follow the selection of Best in Show respectively.

**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.

**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 as appropriate 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 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 being completed on time, and then only with the 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 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 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.
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. The Show will be held on Saturday, 4th October 2014 under Kennel Club Limited Rules & Regulations.

20. Postal entries close on Wednesday, 3rd September 2014 (Postmark) and are to be sent to the Hon. Secretary on the entry form included within this schedule. All cheques etc. should be made payable to The Finnish Spitz Club. On-line entries can be made up until midnight on Wednesday, 10th September 2014 at www.fossedata.co.uk.

21. Should a Judge be prevented from fulfilling their engagement the committee reserve to themselves the right of appointing another judge to fulfill their duties. Exhibitors are at liberty to withdraw from competition but no entry fees can be refunded.

22. The entry fee of a dog entered but not brought for exhibition will be forfeited.

23. All dogs entered are at the owner's risk and the committee will not be responsible for the loss of or injury to or damage to dogs, persons or property while at the Show.

24. An exercise area and grooming area will be provided at the Show and exhibitors and handlers are requested to clear up any fouling made by the dog(s) in their charge. Bins/buckets will be provided.

25. Every exhibitor making an entry at this Show shall be deemed to have agreed to abide by Kennel Club Rules and Regulations. Should any question arise which is not provided for in these regulations, the decision of the committee shall be final, subject to appeal to the Kennel Club, and it is on these conditions that entries are accepted.

26. The Kennel Club has drawn attention to the potential health and safety implications concerning the use of soft crates at shows as in its view, they do not offer sufficient protection to dogs. Soft crates left unattended at the ringside are a potential hazard particularly when occupied by large breeds, and it has been known for dogs to become distressed and move soft crates along the floor and also escape. Soft crates should only be used when there is sufficient room available and when they can be safely secured.

27. 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.

28. 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).
DIRECTIONS TO BAGINTON VILLAGE HALL
Follow directions for Coventry Airport from the A46 Coventry bypass. Easy access from the A45, A46, M6 and M40.

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