

SUTTON COLDFIELD AND DISTRICT CANINE ASSOCIATION

SCHEDULE
of Unbenched 200 Class

OPEN SHOW

(Judged on the Group System) (held under Kennel Club Rules & Regulations)

at **SPORTS CONNEXION**
Ryton on Dunsmore, near Coventry CV8 3FL
on

SATURDAY, 25th FEBRUARY 2012

Show opens: 9.00 am

Judging: 9.30 am

Varieties and Best in Show:
Mr Mike Gadsby (Afterglow)

Guarantors to the Kennel Club:

Mrs B. Cherry (*Chairman*), Coton House, Haunch Lane, Lea Marston.

Mrs G. O'Connor (*Secretary*), Ilam, Main Road, Newton Regis, Tamworth,
Staffordshire B79 0NH. Tel: 01827 830652.

Mr W.E. Webster (*Treasurer*), 2 South Brook Park, Gloucester Road, Staverton, Cheltenham,
Gloucestershire GL51 0SS.

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: Monday, 16th JANUARY 2012 (Postmark)

On-line entries can be made up until midnight on Wednesday, 25th January 2012

Entries to be made to Hon. Secretary: Mrs G. O'Connor
Ilam, Main Road, Newton Regis,
Tamworth, Staffordshire B79 0NH
Tel: 01827 830652

Enter on-line at www.fossedata.co.uk

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

Sutton Coldfield & District Canine Association

OFFICERS and COMMITTEE

Chairman: Mrs B.J. Cherry
Secretary: Mrs G. O'Connor

Vice Chairman: Mr D. Cherry
Treasurer: Mr W.E. Webster

Vice Presidents:

Mesdames: G. Bettam, D. Martin, J. Rabin, W.J. Simmonds, H.M. Withers
Messrs: E.A. Martin, G.F. Davis FCA

Committee:

Mesdames: J. Collins, J. Drake, G. Fisher, J. Greenan, J. Price, J. Rabin, E. Rowe, A. Smith;
Messrs: D. Cherry, D. Collins, M. Neachell

Veterinary Surgeon (on call): Bilton Veterinary Centre
259 Bilton Road, Rugby CV22 7EQ. Tel: 01788 812650

Hon. Auditor: Mr G.F. Davis FCA

Chief Steward: Mr D. Cherry

FEES

Entry Fees: £5.00 first entry per dog
£2.00 each subsequent entry with the same dog

Not for Competition: £2.00 per dog (*please include details on entry form*)

Catalogues: £2.50 pre-paid with entries; £3.00 on the day

Membership: £2.00 Single; £2.50 Joint

Advertisements: £10.00 Full page; £6.00 Half page

Exhibitors will be responsible for paying any Bank Charges incurred on their cheques

ALL FEES MUST BE PRE-PAID

Cheques etc., payable to:

SUTTON COLDFIELD & DISTRICT CANINE ASSOCIATION

Please print name, address and breed on reverse of ALL cheques

ROSETTES

Best in Show • Reserve Best in Show

Best Puppy in Show • Reserve Best Puppy in Show • Best Veteran

1st - Reserve in Groups • 1st - Reserve Puppy in Groups

Best of Breed • Reserve Best of Breed • Best Puppy in Breed

Best Not Separately Classified in each Group

1st to Reserve in every Class • All entrants in Veteran Class

Miss Thorpe Memorial Open Stakes: £10.00 : £7.50 : £5.00 : £2.50 : £1.00

Many thanks to those who have already donated Rosettes. Further donations would be much appreciated. All donations will be acknowledged in the Catalogue.

Class Rosettes (1st to 4th) £3.00 per Class

Best of Breed and Best Puppy in Breed £2.50

SUPER VENUE
Refreshments available

FREE CAR PARKING
Please bring own chairs

PROBABLE JUDGING ORDER

Judging in all Rings commences at 9.30 am

- RING 1** Retriever (Golden), Retriever (Labrador), Weimaraner, Pointer, Retriever (Nova Scotia Duck Tolling), Spaniel (Cocker), Great Dane, Boxer, Retriever (Flat Coated), Irish Red & White Setter, A.V.N.S.C. Gundog, Gundog Group.
- RING 2** English Setter, Hungarian Vizsla, Irish Setter, Staffordshire Bull Terrier, West Highland White Terrier, Soft Coated Wheaten Terrier, Border Terrier, Cairn Terrier, Norfolk Terrier, A.V.N.S.C. Terrier, Terrier Group.
- RING 3** Border Collie, Dobermann, Rottweiler, Basset Hound, Whippet, Deerhound, Afghan Hound, Rhodesian Ridgeback, Irish Wolfhound, A.V.N.S.C. Hound, Hound Group.
- RING 4** Cavalier King Charles Spaniel, Chihuahua (Long Coat), Chihuahua (Smooth Coat), Japanese Chin, Pug, Papillon, A.V.N.S.C. Toy, Toy Group.
- RING 5** Keeshond, Dalmatian, Tibetan Spaniel, Shih Tzu, Tibetan Terrier, German Spitz (Klein), German Spitz (Mittel), Shar Pei, A.V.N.S.C. Utility, Utility Group.
- RING 6** Collie (Rough), Shetland Sheepdog, Samoyed, Collie (Smooth), A.V.N.S.C. Pastoral, Pastoral Group, Leonberger, Bernese Mountain Dog, Bullmastiff, Newfoundland, A.V.N.S.C. Working, Working Group.

Varieties [A.V. Veteran (7 - 9 years), A.V. Veteran (10+ years) & Miss Thorpe Memorial Open Stakes] to be judged in Rings 1 & 2 after Groups but before Best in Show.

The Judging Order may be changed as required in order that the show will not suffer any severe delays. Therefore, exhibitors should arrive in good time in order that they do not miss their class. As Rings become available later breeds may be brought forward.

THIS SHOW IS JUDGED ON THE GROUP SYSTEM
GROUPS WILL BE JUDGED AFTER COMPLETION OF THEIR BREEDS

GROUP and BEST IN SHOW JUDGES

- HOUND:** Mrs Wendy Spencer (Chelridge)
- TERRIER:** Mr T. Mather (Barklots)
- GUNDOG:** Mr D. Laidlaw (Glencarron)
- UTILITY:** Mrs J. Sharp-Bale (Neradmik)
- TOY:** Mr Mike Gadsby (Afterglow)
- WORKING:** Mrs M. Purnell-Carpenter (Overhill)
- PASTORAL:** Mrs Caroline Ward (Caristan)

VARIETIES & BEST IN SHOW will be judged by:
Mr Mike Gadsby (Afterglow)

RINGCRAFT CLASSES

are held every 1st and 3rd Tuesday evening in the month

8.00 pm - 10.00 pm

at Nether Whitacre Village Hall, Nether Whitacre

Details from Gaye O'Connor - Tel: 01827 830652

STEWARDS

**EXPERIENCED STEWARDS WANTED
FOR THIS SHOW**

**If you would kindly steward for us at this Show,
please complete and return the form below as soon as possible.**

I am willing to steward at Sutton Coldfield and District Canine Association
Open Show on 25th February 2012

(BLOCK CAPITALS *please*)

Name.....

Address

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Tel. No.

Please send this form to:

Mrs G. O'Connor

**Ilam, Main Road, Newton Regis,
Tamworth, Staffordshire B79 0NH**

• CLASSIFICATION •

All classes are for Dog or Bitch unless otherwise stated

HOUND GROUP — Judge: Mrs Wendy Spencer (Chelridge)

DEERHOUND <i>Judge: Mrs Wendy Spencer (Chelridge)</i>	1. Junior 2. Post Graduate	3. Open
AFGHAN HOUND <i>Judge: Mrs Wendy Spencer (Chelridge)</i>	4. Puppy 5. Junior	6. Post Graduate 7. Open
RHODESIAN RIDGEBACK <i>Judge: Mrs Wendy Spencer (Chelridge)</i>	8. Junior 9. Post Graduate	10. Open
BASSET HOUND <i>Judge: Miss P. Sirrell (Hushwing)</i>	11. Junior 12. Post Graduate	13. Open
WHIPPET <i>Judge: Maria Hills (Shimmerree)</i>	14. Puppy 15. Junior 16. Post Graduate	17. Limit 18. Open
IRISH WOLFHOUND <i>Judge: Mrs Wendy Spencer (Chelridge)</i>	19. Junior 20. Post Graduate	21. Open
A.V.N.S.C. HOUND <i>Judge: Mrs Wendy Spencer (Chelridge)</i>	22. Puppy 23. Junior	24. Post Graduate 25. Open

TERRIER GROUP — Judge: Mr T. Mather (Barklots)

STAFFORDSHIRE BULL TERRIER <i>Judge: Mrs C. Chapman (Bukris)</i>	26. Junior 27. Post Graduate	28. Open
WEST HIGHLAND WHITE TERRIER <i>Judge: Mr T. Mather (Barklots)</i>	29. Junior 30. Post Graduate	31. Open
SOFT COATED WHEATEN TERRIER <i>Judge: Mr T. Mather (Barklots)</i>	32. Junior 33. Post Graduate	34. Open
BORDER TERRIER <i>Judge: Mr T. Mather (Barklots)</i>	35. Junior 36. Post Graduate	37. Open
CAIRN TERRIER <i>Judge: Mr T. Mather (Barklots)</i>	38. Junior 39. Post Graduate	40. Open
NORFOLK TERRIER <i>Judge: Mr T. Mather (Barklots)</i>	41. Junior 42. Post Graduate	43. Open
A.V.N.S.C. TERRIER <i>Judge: Mr T. Mather (Barklots)</i>	44. Puppy 45. Junior	46. Post Graduate 47. Open

GUNDOG GROUP — Judge: Mr D. Laidlaw (Glencarron)

RETRIEVER (GOLDEN) <i>Judge: Mrs Loverock (Lovissa)</i>	48. Puppy 49. Junior 50. Post Graduate	51. Limit 52. Open
RETRIEVER (LABRADOR) <i>Judge: Mrs P. Ayres (Musubi)</i>	53. Puppy 54. Junior	55. Post Graduate 56. Open

RETRIEVER (FLAT COATED) <i>Judge: Mr D. Laidlaw</i> (Glencarron)	57. Junior 58. Post Graduate	59. Open
SPANIEL (COCKER) <i>Judge: Miss Hatton</i> (Royaldean)	60. Junior 61. Post Graduate	62. Open
ENGLISH SETTER <i>Judge: Mrs Tanya Lewis</i> (Penmartan)	63. Puppy 64. Junior	65. Post Graduate 66. Open
IRISH SETTER <i>Judge: Mrs Sue Edwards</i>	67. Puppy 68. Junior 69. Post Graduate	70. Limit 71. Open
WEIMARANER <i>Judge: Miss Dyer</i> (Sharnphilly)	72. Junior 73. Post Graduate	74. Open
POINTER <i>Judge: Miss Dyer</i> (Sharnphilly)	75. Junior 76. Post Graduate	77. Open
IRISH RED & WHITE SETTER <i>Judge: Mr D. Laidlaw</i> (Glencarron)	78. Puppy 79. Junior	80. Post Graduate 81. Open
HUNGARIAN VIZSLA <i>Judge: Mrs Tanya Lewis</i> (Penmartan)	82. Junior 83. Post Graduate	84. Open
RETRIEVER (NOVA SCOTIA DUCK TOLLING) <i>Judge: Mr Clark</i> (Flavnova)	85. Junior 86. Post Graduate	87. Open
A.V.N.S.C. GUNDOG <i>Judge: Mr D. Laidlaw</i> (Glencarron)	88. Puppy 89. Junior	90. Post Graduate 91. Open

UTILITY GROUP — <i>Judge: Mrs J. Sharp-Bale</i> (Neradmik)

TIBETAN SPANIEL <i>Judge: Mrs J. Sharp-Bale</i> (Neradmik)	92. Junior 93. Post Graduate	94. Open
SHIH TZU <i>Judge: Mrs J. Sharp-Bale</i> (Neradmik)	95. Junior 96. Post Graduate	97. Open
TIBETAN TERRIER <i>Judge: Mrs J. Sharp-Bale</i> (Neradmik)	98. Junior 99. Post Graduate	100. Open
DALMATIAN <i>Judge: Mrs Tingey</i> (Dallyador)	101. Junior 102. Post Graduate	103. Open
KEESHOND <i>Judge: Mrs Lyn Lythgoe</i> (Stratus)	104. Junior 105. Post Graduate	106. Open
GERMAN SPITZ (KLEIN) <i>Judge: Mrs J. Sharp-Bale</i> (Neradmik) <i>This breed will be measured</i>	107. Junior 108. Post Graduate	109. Open
GERMAN SPITZ (MITTEL) <i>Judge: Mrs J. Sharp-Bale</i> (Neradmik) <i>This breed will be measured</i>	110. Junior 111. Post Graduate	112. Open
SHAR PEI <i>Judge: Mrs J. Sharp-Bale</i> (Neradmik)	113. Junior 114. Post Graduate	115. Open
A.V.N.S.C. UTILITY <i>Judge: Mrs J. Sharp-Bale</i> (Neradmik)	116. Puppy 117. Junior	118. Post Graduate 119. Open

TOY GROUP — Judge: Mr Mike Gadsby (Afterglow)

CAVALIER KING CHARLES SPANIEL <i>Judge: Mrs L. Long (Arroline)</i>	120. Puppy 121. Junior 122. Post Graduate	123. Limit 124. Open
KING CHARLES SPANIEL <i>Judge: Mr Mike Gadsby (Afterglow)</i>	125. Junior 126. Post Graduate	127. Open
CHIHUAHUA (LONG COAT) <i>Judge: Mr Mike Gadsby (Afterglow)</i>	128. Junior 129. Post Graduate	130. Open
CHIHUAHUA (SMOOTH COAT) <i>Judge: Mr Mike Gadsby (Afterglow)</i>	131. Junior 132. Post Graduate	133. Open
JAPANESE CHIN <i>Judge: Mr Mike Gadsby (Afterglow)</i>	134. Junior 135. Post Graduate	136. Open
PUG <i>Judge: Mr Mike Gadsby (Afterglow)</i>	137. Junior 138. Post Graduate	139. Open
PAPILLON <i>Judge: Mr Mike Gadsby (Afterglow)</i>	140. Junior 141. Post Graduate	142. Open
A.V.N.S.C. TOY <i>Judge: Mr Mike Gadsby (Afterglow)</i>	143. Puppy 144. Junior	145. Post Graduate 146. Open

WORKING GROUP — Judge: Mrs M. Purnell-Carpenter (Overhill)

GREAT DANE <i>Judge: Mrs King (Allyking)</i>	147. Junior 148. Post Graduate	149. Open
DOBERMANN <i>Judge: Mr Andre (Arbrodin)</i>	150. Junior 151. Post Graduate	152. Open
LEONBERGER <i>Judge: Mrs M. Purnell-Carpenter (Overhill)</i>	153. Junior 154. Post Graduate	155. Open
BERNESE MOUNTAIN DOG <i>Judge: Mrs M. Purnell-Carpenter (Overhill)</i>	156. Junior 157. Post Graduate	158. Open
ROTTWEILER <i>Judge: Mr T. Rigby (Tomain)</i>	159. Puppy 160. Junior	161. Post Graduate 162. Open
BOXER <i>Judge: Mrs King (Allyking)</i>	163. Junior 164. Post Graduate	165. Open
BULLMASTIFF <i>Judge: Mrs M. Purnell-Carpenter (Overhill)</i>	166. Junior 167. Post Graduate	168. Open
NEWFOUNDLAND <i>Judge: Mrs M. Purnell-Carpenter (Overhill)</i>	169. Junior 170. Post Graduate	171. Open
A.V.N.S.C. WORKING <i>Judge: Mrs M. Purnell-Carpenter (Overhill)</i>	172. Puppy 173. Junior	174. Post Graduate 175. Open

PASTORAL GROUP — Judge: Mrs Caroline Ward (Caristan)

COLLIE (ROUGH) <i>Judge: Mrs Caroline Ward (Caristan)</i>	176. Puppy 177. Junior	178. Post Graduate 179. Open
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SHETLAND SHEEPDOG <i>Judge: Mrs Caroline Ward</i> (Caristan)	180. Puppy 181. Junior	182. Post Graduate 183. Open
SAMOYED <i>Judge: Mrs Caroline Ward</i> (Caristan)	184. Junior 185. Post Graduate	186. Open
BORDER COLLIE <i>Judge: Ms S. Langdon</i> (Skyvana)	187. Puppy 188. Junior	189. Post Graduate 190. Open
COLLIE (SMOOTH) <i>Judge: Mrs Caroline Ward</i> (Caristan)	191. Junior 192. Post Graduate	193. Open
A.V.N.S.C. PASTORAL <i>Judge: Mrs Caroline Ward</i> (Caristan)	194. Puppy 195. Junior	196. Post Graduate 197. Open

VARIETIES

(to be judged after Groups but before Best in Show)

ANY VARIETY <i>Judge: Mr Mike Gadsby</i> (Afterglow)	198. A.V. Special Veteran (7 - 9 years) 199. A.V. Special Veteran (10+ years) 200. Miss Thorpe Memorial Open Stakes
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BEST IN SHOW and BEST PUPPY IN SHOW

will now be judged by

MR MIKE GADSBY (AFTERGLOW)

• REMINDER •

Postal entries close: Monday, 16th January 2012 (*Postmark*)

***On-line entries can be made up until midnight on
Wednesday, 25th January 2012***

Enter on-line at www.fossedata.co.uk

RULES & 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 9.30 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: £5.00 first entry per dog; £2.00 each subsequent entry with same dog. Not for Competition: £2.00 per dog. Catalogues: £2.50 pre-paid with entries (£3.00 on the day). Membership: £2.00 Single; £2.50 Joint. Advertisements in Catalogue: £10.00 full page; £6.00 half page.
7. Prize Money: Miss Thorpe Memorial Open Stakes: £10.00, £7.50, £5.00, £2.50, £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 of Breed, Best in Group or Best in Show is a puppy it will automatically be Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show respectively. Similarly, if the Reserve Best of Breed, Reserve Best of Group or Reserve Best in Show is a puppy which has only been beaten by an adult dog it will also automatically be Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show respectively. Consequently, selection of Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show must follow the selection of Best of Breed, Best in Group and Best in Show respectively.
 - a. *Show Judged on the Group System:*
 - 1) Best Puppy in Group and subsequent Group placings must be selected from puppies which have been judged and which are unbeaten by any other puppy.
 - 2) Best Puppy in Show must be selected from the Best Puppy in Group winners provided they are unbeaten by any other puppy.
 - b. *Withdrawal from Competition:* Puppies which become eligible for Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show maybe withdrawn from all other competition, other than Breed Classes and Best Puppy in Breed, prior to the competition for Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show in order to remain unbeaten. A puppy beaten in competition for Best Puppy in Group and 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. Puppies may be withdrawn from Any Variety (AV) Classes when judged before Breed Classes.
 - c. *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 has competed and is unbeaten by any other dog exhibited at the same Show.
 - 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 must be declared 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 provided that they are unbeaten winning dogs.
 - b) The best unbeaten winning dog from the Any Variety Not Separately Classified classes in each group or on each day.
 - 3) *Best in Show:* Best in Show must be selected from the Best of Group winners provided they are unbeaten. Reserve Best in Show must be selected from the remaining Group winners following the selection for Best in Show.
 - b. *Withdrawal from other Competition:* Dogs which become eligible for Best of Group and Best in Show maybe withdrawn from all other competition other than breed classes and Best of Breed prior to the competition for Best of Group or Best in Show as appropriate in order to remain unbeaten. A dog beaten in competition for Best in Group or 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. Dogs may be withdrawn from AV Classes when judged before Breed Classes.
 - c. *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 Group or 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. All Rules and Regulations or 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 Rules and Regulations.
20. Every exhibitor making an entry or entries for this Show shall be deemed to have agreed to abide by the Kennel Club Rules and Regulations and it is on this understanding only that entries are received.
21. The Committee are empowered to exclude any dog which is not in a fit state for exhibition from disease, vice, natural or other causes, and if such exclusion takes place either before or after the dog is judged, the Entry Fee will be forfeited.
22. No animal other than a dog duly entered at the Show will be allowed within the precincts of the Show.
23. The Committee reserve the right to appoint a substitute Judge should the scheduled person be unable to fulfill his/her engagement.
24. Exhibitors will be held responsible for damage caused by their dog(s) at the venue.
25. The Committee will be most anxious for the care and safety of the dogs sent for exhibition and for any other property entrusted to them but it must be clearly 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, boxes, collars or any other property whatsoever, arising from accident or any other cause and it is on this understanding only that entries are received.
26. 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.
27. The Committee of Sutton Coldfield & District Canine Association can accept no responsibility for products advertised or sold by stand holders at the Show and exhibitors are reminded that grooming products on sale may not meet the requirements of the Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for exhibition.
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).
29. 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.

30. Every exhibitor shall ensure that whilst the dog is being exhibited, its handler shall display the correct ring number.
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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. **Monday, 9th January 2012.**

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.

A dog is not eligible for entry in Variety Classes (excluding AVNSC Classes) unless also entered and subsequently exhibited in a Breed class where such a class is provided for which it is eligible. Exemptions from this Regulation are:

- (1) A puppy, unless a class for dogs under twelve months of age for which it is eligible is provided for the breed.
- (2) A dog in Any Variety Field Trial or Working Trial Class.
- (3) A dog in Any Variety Veteran Class.
- (4) A dog in Any Variety Champion Class.
- (5) As provided in Kennel Club Definitions of Classes.
- (6) A dog which is withdrawn from exhibition in breed classes as a result of the appointment of an emergency judge.
- (7) A dog in Good Citizen Scheme Classes.

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 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 and, 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) 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 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.

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.

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

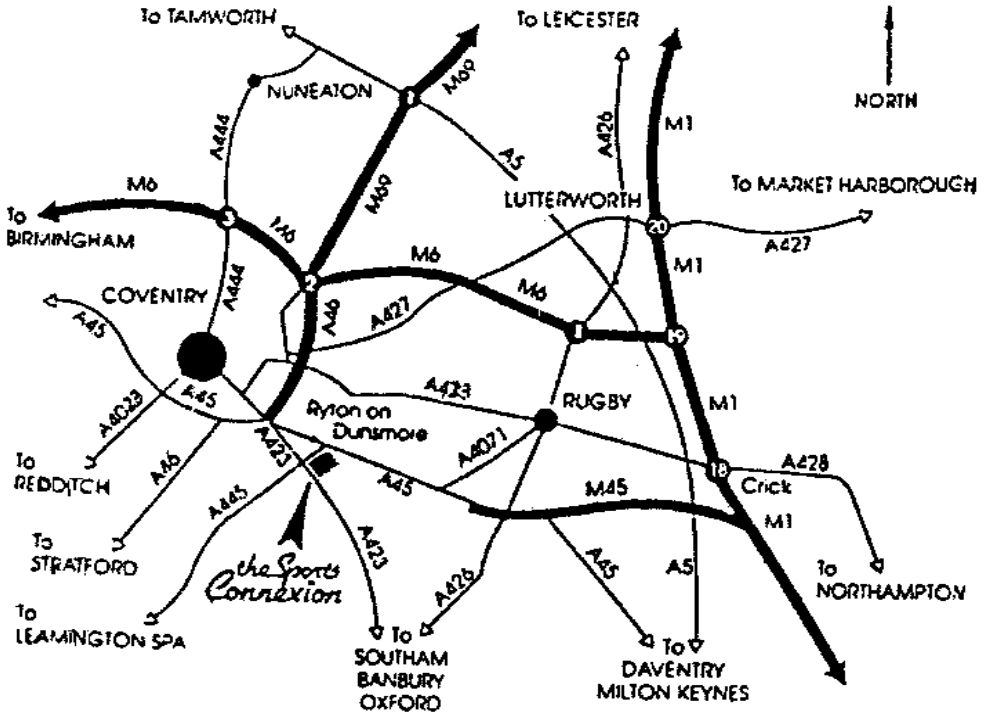
SPECIAL VETERAN (7 - 9 YEARS) For dogs of NOT LESS THAN SEVEN AND UNDER TEN YEARS of age on the first day of the Show.

SPECIAL VETERAN (10+ YEARS) For dogs of TEN YEARS OF AGE AND OVER 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.

• MAP TO THE VENUE •



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