

BRIDGWATER AND DISTRICT CANINE SOCIETY SPRING OPEN SHOW



Patron: Mrs Rosemary Lord

Sponsored by



SCHEDULE of 142 Class
PLUS 2 Junior & 2 Adult Handling Classes

(unbenched, judged on the Group System)
(held under Kennel Club Limited Rules & Regulations)

**at Junction 24 Ltd at Sedgemoor Auction Centre, Market Way,
North Petherton, Somerset TA6 6DF**

on SUNDAY 25th March 2018

Show opens: 8.15am

Judging starts: 9.00am for Junior & Adult Handling

Breed Judging starts: 9.30am

Guarantors to the Kennel Club

Mrs Tracey Hill (Chairman), 43 Chepstow Avenue, Bridgewater, Somerset TA6 6BS

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Somerset TA7 0AD. Tel: 01278 423406

**Hon. Veterinary Surgeons: Quantock Veterinary Hospital, Quantock Terrace,
The Drove, Bridgewater TA6 4BA. Tel: 01278 450080**

BEST IN SHOW WILL BE JUDGED BY MRS SALLY DUFFIN (LONGDORHAM)

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".

Rosette donations £4.50 per class. We ask for sponsors of the breed classes and not for specials.

**Entry Fee for this show: 1st Entry Members £4.00, Non-Members £6.00,
Subsequent entries £1.00 each, Stakes Class Entry £3.00**

GRAND RAFFLE - REFRESHMENTS - AMPLE FREE PARKING

Postal Entries Close MONDAY 26th FEBRUARY 2018 (Postmark)

Online entries can be made up to 12 noon on Saturday 10th March 2018 at www.dog.biz

All entries and Fees to: **Higham Press Ltd, New Street, Higham,
Alfreton, Derbyshire DE55 6BP**

Tel: 01773 832390 email: mail@highampress.co.uk

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

Bridgwater & District Canine Society

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Acting Secretary: Mr David Rolfe

Show Manager: Mr Philip Fricker

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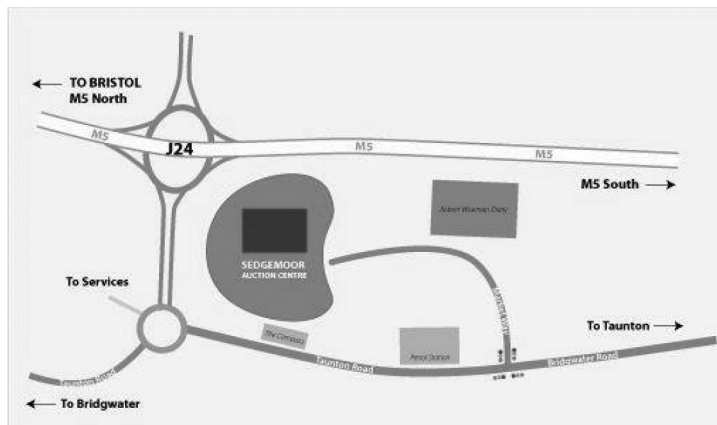
DIRECTIONS TO JUNCTION 24 FROM THE M5

Exit M5 J24 towards Bridgewater.

At the roundabout, take the first exit towards North Petherton

At the traffic lights, turn left.

Follow the road into our car park past the wooden bull.



There will be parking attendants to direct you where to park

PLEASE CO-OPERATE WITH THEM

EXHIBITORS PLEASE NOTE

In accordance with New Kennel Club Guidelines, exhibitors must display number/owner identification on their crate, cage or container at all times.



Cobby Dog is proud to be associated with, as well as sponsoring the Bridgwater & District Canine Society Open Show

SASHES/ROSETTES

**Best in Show, Reserve Best in Show, Best Puppy in Show, Res Best Puppy in Show
Best Veteran Dog, Best Veteran Bitch, Best Veteran in Show
1st - 4th in ALL Groups and Puppy Groups
Each Best of Breed Winner, Best Puppy in Breed Winner
1st - 4th in ALL Classes (Stakes Classes 1st - 6th)**

PRIZE MONEY

**Charlie Brooks Memorial Class: 1st £20, 2nd £15, 3rd £10
Dorwest Herbs sponsor the Minor Puppy and Puppy classes, Sam Mignano-Fricker and Phil Fricker (Calavey) sponsor the Graduate class and Pat Quant and Andy Tottle (Somerset Whippets and Lurchers) sponsor the Open class.
1st £10, 2nd £5, 3rd £4, Res £3, VHC £2, HC £1**

ENTRY FEES

**First Entry per dog: Members £4.00, Non-Members £6.00
Each subsequent entry with same dog £1.00
Not for Competition £2.00 Handling £3.00 per entry**

MEMBERSHIP FEES: £5.00 Joint, £3.00 Single, £25.00 Life

Those paying at this show will be covered for 2018

Catalogues: £3.50 to be ordered and paid for with entries

Some Catalogues will be available on the day of the show at £4.00

Rosette Donations: £4.50 per class, for breed classes and not for specials, will be acknowledged in the Catalogue

Advertisements in the Show Catalogue: Full Page £10.00; Half Page £6.00

Copy together with remittance to be received no later than close of entries

TRADE STANDS £25.00 PLEASE APPLY to Secretary on 01278 423406

**The committee warmly welcome all exhibitors to our Open Show
Exhibitors' passes will not be sent, for acknowledgement of entry please send stamped addressed postcard**

NO entries will be accepted without fees

**Cheques being under-value will incur an additional charge of £1.00
Cheques being dishonoured for any reason will incur an additional charge of £8.00**

*****Judges, Stewards and Committee Members Wanted Please*****

Contact David Rolfe (Acting Secretary) for further information

NO SMOKING IN THIS VENUE

PARENTS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR THEIR CHILDREN AT THIS SHOW

PLEASE NOTE:

Removals: Exhibitors may remove their dogs after completion of all classes entered. Please help to keep the venue clean and tidy and use the exercise area. Outside attraction of exhibits will not be tolerated at this Show. Cage and Grooming areas will be strictly enforced.

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

Any Variety Not Separately Classified:

Dogs (and Puppies) are not eligible for entry in Any Variety Not Separately Classified classes if there are **any** classes scheduled for their breed. However, if there are no Puppy classes in a breed a puppy may be entered in Any Variety Minor Puppy or Puppy, without entering breed classes.

Puppies eligible for Best Puppy in Group:

All Puppies which have competed and are unbeaten by any other Puppy exhibited at the same show are eligible to compete for Best Puppy in Group.

Dachshunds will not be weighed at this show

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

NEXT SHOWS: Sunday 24th March 2019 - OPEN SHOW

(Subject to KC approval)

Schedules will be sent to all exhibitors who have entered our last two shows

**ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
THURSDAY 17th May 2018**

St Francis of Assisi Church Hall, Saxon Green, Bridgewater TA6 4JA
Starting at 8.15pm

Nominations or items for the agenda to be received by the Acting Secretary at least 14 days before the meeting

CLASSIFICATION CODING

PD/B	Puppy Dog/Bitch	JD/B	Junior Dog/Bitch
ND/B	Novice Dog or Bitch	GD/B	Graduate Dog/Bitch
OD/B	Open Dog/Bitch	PGD/B	Post Graduate Dog/Bitch
VD/B	Veteran Dog or Bitch		

GUNDOG GROUP

WEIMARANER 1 OD/B	Judge Susanna Wiles (Richbourne)
IRISH SETTER 2 OD/B	Judge Susanna Wiles (Richbourne)
SPANIEL (COCKER) 3 PGD/B 4 OD/B	Judge Susanna Wiles (Richbourne)
SPANIEL (FIELD) 5 OD/B	Judge Susanna Wiles (Richbourne)
SPANIEL (IRISH WATER) 6 OD/B	Judge Susanna Wiles (Richbourne)
SPANIEL (ENGLISH SPRINGER) 7 OD/B	Judge Susanna Wiles (Richbourne)
ENGLISH SETTER 8 OD/B	Judge Susanna Wiles (Richbourne)
POINTER 9 OD/B	Judge Susanna Wiles (Richbourne)
RETRIEVER (CURLY COATED) 10 OD/B	Judge Susanna Wiles (Richbourne)
RETRIEVER (NOVA SCOTIA DUCK TOLLING) 11 OD/B	Judge Susanna Wiles (Richbourne)
RETRIEVER (GOLDEN) 12 JD/B 13 PGD/B 14 OD/B	Judge Susanna Wiles (Richbourne)
RETRIEVER (LABRADOR) 15 JD/B 16 PGD/B 17 OD/B	Judge Susanna Wiles (Richbourne)
AV GUNDOG NOT SEPARATELY CLASSIFIED 18 GD/B 19 OD/B	Judge Susanna Wiles (Richbourne)
ANY VARIETY GUNDOG 20 PD/B 21 VD/B	Judge Susanna Wiles (Richbourne)

Winner of the AV Veteran Class goes through to compete for Best Veteran in Show.

**The Gundog Group and Gundog Puppy Group
will now be judged by Susanna Wiles (Richbourne) in RING 1**

UTILITY GROUP

AKITA 22 OD/B	Judge Miss P Moore (Fillipers)
BOSTON TERRIER 23 OD/B	Judge Miss P Moore (Fillipers)
DALMATIAN 24 OD/B	Judge Miss P Moore (Fillipers)
FRENCH BULLDOG 25 JD/B 26 OD/B	Judge Miss P Moore (Fillipers)
JAPANESE SPITZ 27 PD/B 28 PGD/B 29 OD/B	Judge Miss P Moore (Fillipers)

KEESHOND 30 OD/B	Judge Miss P Moore (Fillipers)
POODLE (MINIATURE) 31 OD/B	Judge Miss P Moore (Fillipers)
POODLE (STANDARD) 32 OD/B	Judge Miss P Moore (Fillipers)
SHAR PEI 33 OD/B	Judge Miss P Moore (Fillipers)
TIBETAN SPANIEL 34 JD/B 35 PGD/B 36 OD/B	Judge Miss P Moore (Fillipers)
AV UTILITY NOT SEPARATELY CLASSIFIED 37 GD/B 38 OD/B	Judge Miss P Moore (Fillipers)
ANY VARIETY UTILITY 39 PD/B 40 VD/B	Judge Miss P Moore (Fillipers)

Winner of the AV Veteran Class goes through to compete for Best Veteran in Show.

The Utility Group and Utility Puppy Group
will now be judged by Miss P Moore (Fillipers) in **RING 2**

TOY GROUP

CAVALIER KING CHARLES SPANIEL 41 PD/B 42 JD/B 43 PGD/B 44 OD/B	Judge Colin Wells (Hugapug)
CHIHUAHUA (LONG COAT) 45 JD/B 46 PGD/B 47 OD/B	Judge Colin Wells (Hugapug)
CHIHUAHUA (SMOOTH COAT) 48 JD/B 49 PGD/B 50 OD/B	Judge Colin Wells (Hugapug)
CHINESE CRESTED 51 OD/B	Judge Colin Wells (Hugapug)
ENGLISH TOY TERRIER (Black & Tan) 52 OD/B	Judge Colin Wells (Hugapug)
HAVANESE 53 OD/B	Judge Colin Wells (Hugapug)
MINIATURE PINSCHER 54 PGD/B 55 OD/B	Judge Colin Wells (Hugapug)
PAPILLON 56 OD/B	Judge Colin Wells (Hugapug)
POMERANIAN 57 PGD/B 58 OD/B	Judge Colin Wells (Hugapug)
AV TOY NOT SEPARATELY CLASSIFIED 59 GD/B 60 OD/B	Judge Colin Wells (Hugapug)
ANY VARIETY TOY 61 PD/B 62 VD/B	Judge Colin Wells (Hugapug)

Winner of the AV Veteran Class goes through to compete for Best Veteran in Show.

The Toy Group and Toy Puppy Group
will now be judged by Colin Wells (Hugapug) in **RING 3**

PASTORAL GROUP

AUSTRALIAN SHEPHERD 63 OD/B	Judge Clare Burnett (Mon Cher)
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BELGIAN SHEPHERD DOG (TERVUEREN) 64 OD/B	Judge Clare Burnett (Mon Cher)
BEARDED COLLIE 65 OD/B	Judge Clare Burnett (Mon Cher)
BORDER COLLIE 66 OD/B	Judge Clare Burnett (Mon Cher)
COLLIE (ROUGH) 67 OD/B	Judge Clare Burnett (Mon Cher)
GERMAN SHEPHERD DOG 68 OD/B	Judge Clare Burnett (Mon Cher)
NORWEGIAN BUHUND 69 OD/B	Judge Clare Burnett (Mon Cher)
POLISH LOWLAND SHEEPDOG 70 OD/B	Judge Clare Burnett (Mon Cher)
SHETLAND SHEEPDOG 71 PGD/B 72 OD/B	Judge Clare Burnett (Mon Cher)
SWEDISH VALLHUND 73 OD/B	Judge Clare Burnett (Mon Cher)
WELSH CORGI (CARDIGAN) 74 OD/B	Judge Clare Burnett (Mon Cher)
AV PASTORAL NOT SEPARATELY CLASSIFIED 75 GD/B 76 OD/B	Judge Clare Burnett (Mon Cher)
ANY VARIETY PASTORAL 77 PD/B 78 VD/B	Judge Clare Burnett (Mon Cher)

Winner of the AV Veteran Class goes through to compete for Best Veteran in Show.

The Pastoral Group and Pastoral Puppy Group
will now be judged by Clare Burnett (Mon Cher) in **RING 3**

HOUND GROUP

BASSET HOUND 79 OD/B	Judge Les Mitchell (Huntshill)
BEAGLE 80 JD/B 81 PGD/B 82 OD/B	Judge Mr N Wright (Huntshill)
BORZOI 83 OD/B	Judge Les Mitchell (Huntshill)
DACHSHUND (MINIATURE SMOOTH-HAIRED) 84 OD/B	Judge Les Mitchell (Huntshill)
DACHSHUND (LONG-HAIRED) 85 OD/B	Judge Les Mitchell (Huntshill)
DACHSHUND (SMOOTH-HAIRED) 86 OD/B	Judge Les Mitchell (Huntshill)
IBIZAN HOUND 87 OD 88 OB	Judge Les Mitchell (Huntshill)
WHIPPET 89 PD/B 90 JD/B 91 ND/B 92 PGD/B 93 OD 94 OB	Judge Anne Prowse (Freehamlet)
AV HOUND NOT SEPARATELY CLASSIFIED 95 GD/B 96 OD/B	Judge Les Mitchell (Huntshill)
ANY VARIETY HOUND 97 PD/B 98 VD/B	Judge Les Mitchell (Huntshill)

The Hound Group and Hound Puppy Group
will now be judged by Les Mitchell (Huntshill) in **RING 3**

TERRIER GROUP

BORDER TERRIER 99 JD/B 100 PGD/B 101 OD/B	Judge William (Bill) Harris (Tamarwahy)
BULL TERRIER (MINIATURE) 102 OD/B	Judge William (Bill) Harris (Tamarwahy)
BULL TERRIER 103 OD/B	Judge William (Bill) Harris (Tamarwahy)
CESKY TERRIER 104 OD/B	Judge William (Bill) Harris (Tamarwahy)
DANDIE DINMONT TERRIER 105 OD/B	Judge William (Bill) Harris (Tamarwahy)
IRISH TERRIER 106 OD/B	Judge William (Bill) Harris (Tamarwahy)
LAKELAND TERRIER 107 PGD/B 108 OD/B	Judge William (Bill) Harris (Tamarwahy)
MANCHESTER TERRIER 109 OD/B	Judge William (Bill) Harris (Tamarwahy)
STAFFORDSHIRE BULL TERRIER 110 JD/B 111 PGD/B 112 OD/B	Judge Ian Biddlestone
FOX TERRIER (SMOOTH) 113 OD/B	Judge William (Bill) Harris (Tamarwahy)
SOFT-COATED WHEATEN TERRIER 114 OD/B	Judge William (Bill) Harris (Tamarwahy)
WELSH TERRIER 115 OD/B	Judge William (Bill) Harris (Tamarwahy)
WEST HIGHLAND WHITE TERRIER 116 PGD/B 117 OD/B	Judge William (Bill) Harris (Tamarwahy)
FOX TERRIER (WIRE) 118 OD/B	Judge William (Bill) Harris (Tamarwahy)
AV TERRIER NOT SEPARATELY CLASSIFIED 119 GD/B 120 OD/B	Judge William (Bill) Harris (Tamarwahy)
ANY VARIETY TERRIER 121 PD/B 122 VD/B	Judge William (Bill) Harris (Tamarwahy)

Winner of the AV Veteran Class goes through to compete for Best Veteran in Show.

The Terrier Group and Terrier Puppy Group
will now be judged by William (Bill) Harris (Tamarwahy) in **RING 3**

WORKING GROUP

ALASKAN MALAMUTE 123 PGD/B 124 OD/B	Judge Sally Duffin (Longdorham)
BOXER 125 JD/B 126 PGD/B 127 OD/B	Judge Sally Duffin (Longdorham)
DOBERMANN 128 OD/B	Judge Sally Duffin (Longdorham)

GREAT DANE 129 OD/B	Judge Sally Duffin (Longdorham)
NEWFOUNDLAND 130 OD/B	Judge Sally Duffin (Longdorham)
ROTTWEILER 131 OD/B	Judge Sally Duffin (Longdorham)
SIBERIAN HUSKY 132 OD/B	Judge Sally Duffin (Longdorham)
ST. BERNARD 133 OD/B	Judge Sally Duffin (Longdorham)
AV WORKING NOT SEPARATELY CLASSIFIED 134 GD/B 135 OD/B	Judge Sally Duffin (Longdorham)
ANY VARIETY WORKING 136 PD/B 137 VD/B	Judge Sally Duffin (Longdorham)

The Working Group and Working Puppy Group
will now be judged by Sally Duffin (Longdorham) in **RING 3**

ANY VARIETY CLASSES

AV IMPORTED REGISTER BREEDS 138 OD/B	Judge Rosemary Lord (Hecklehaze)
CHARLIE BROOKES MEMORIAL STAKES 139 Minor Puppy Dog or Bitch Stakes 140 Puppy Dog or Bitch Stakes 141 Graduate Dog or Bitch Stakes 142 Open Dog or Bitch Stakes	Judge Rosemary Lord (Hecklehaze)
JUNIOR HANDLING 143 Junior Handling 6-11 144 Junior Handling 12-16	Judge Susanna Wiles (Richbourne)
ADULT HANDLING 145 Adult Handling 17-45 years 146 Adult Handling 46+ years	Judge Susanna Wiles (Richbourne)

ALL GROUP JUDGING WILL COMMENCE FOLLOWING THE COMPLETION OF ALL RELEVANT BREED JUDGING AND A.V. JUDGING

SOME BREEDS WILL BE JUDGED AFTER 12 NOON AND MIGHT BE IN ANOTHER RING, SO PLEASE CHECK JUDGING LISTS. ANNOUNCEMENTS WILL BE MADE WARNING BEFORE ANY GROUP IS JUDGED

RING 1 - To be judged on completion of all Group judging
Best in Show - Reserve Best in Show
Best Puppy in Show - Reserve Best Puppy in Show
Best Veteran Dog - Best Veteran Bitch - Best Veteran in Show
Judge: Sally Duffin (Longdorham)

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. **Monday 20th February 2017**. 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 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.

MINOR PUPPY For dogs of six and not exceeding nine calendar months of age on the 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.

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 at shows where Challenge Certificates are on offer for the breed.

POST GRADUATE For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate or five 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.

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.

NOT FOR COMPETITION Dogs of six months of age and over may be entered 'not for competition', on payment of the correct fee, please enter all details on the entry form

HANDLING Classes to be judged on handling, open to all dogs, the entry being restricted by the age of the handler in each class. Dogs handled must be entered elsewhere at this Show.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

- 1 The Show will open at 8.15 a.m.
- 2 Dogs will be received until 1.00pm and 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 at 9.00am for Handling Classes and 9.30am for Breed Classes.
- 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 £4.00 per dog (Members); £6.00 per dog (Non-members). Subsequent entries with the same dog £1.00. Stakes Classes £3.00 per dog. Not For Competition £2.00 per dog. Handling Classes £1.00 per entry. Catalogues: Pre-paid £3.00 (Must be collected by 4.30 p.m.). You may enter online at www.dog.biz.
- 6 Prize Money: Charlie Brooks Memorial Stakes Class: 1st £20; 2nd £15; 3rd £10, Stakes Classes: 1st £10; 2nd £5; 3rd £4; 4th £3; 5th £2; 6th £1.
- 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 Where a Best Puppy in Show competition is scheduled the Best Puppy in Show is a puppy which has competed and has been declared Best Puppy in Breed, Best Any Variety Not Separately Classified Puppy or Best Any Variety Imported Breed Register Puppy. 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 of Group or Best in Show is a puppy it should automatically be awarded Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show respectively. Where the Reserve Best of Breed, Reserve Best in Group or Reserve Best in Show is a puppy which has only been beaten by an adult dog it should 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. Best Puppy in Group and subsequent Group placings must be selected from:
 - (a) Those Puppies declared Best Puppy in Breed.
 - (b) The Puppy declared Best Puppy from the Any Variety Not Separately Classified Classes in each Group or on each day.
 - (c) The Puppy declared Best Puppy from the Any Variety Imported Breed Register Classes in each Group or on each day.Best Puppy in Show must be selected from the Best Puppy in Group winners.
- 11 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 requires 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 exhibits 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** and subsequent group 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** 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.
- 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 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.
- 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 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 the Kennel Club Rules and Regulations.
- 17 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.
- 18 No modifications will be made to this Schedule except by permission of the Board of the Kennel Club, which will be followed by advertisement in the Canine Press wherever possible.
- 19 All matters and objections not provided for in these Rules shall be left to the discretion of the Committee, whose decision, through the Secretary, shall be final subject only to appeal to the Kennel Club.
- 20 All exhibits must be registered or transferred at the Kennel Club.
- 21 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.
- 22 The Committee of Bridgwater and District Canine Society can accept no responsibility for the 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 Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition.
- 23 **DOGS IN VEHICLES**. Remedial Action, under Kennel Club guidelines, will be taken in the event of dogs left in cars being found in a distressed condition. 11

REGULATIONS FOR THE PREPARATION OF DOGS FOR EXHIBITION F

(Annex B)

- 1 These Regulations must be observed when a dog is prepared for exhibition and/or exhibited at any Kennel Club licensed event. Objections may be referred to the General Committee for disciplinary action under these Show Regulations and/or for disciplinary action under Kennel Club Rule A 42.
 - a) A dog found to have been exhibited in breach of these Regulations will automatically be disqualified from exhibition at the show and from any award gained thereat.
 - b) the exhibitor provides a satisfactory explanation for the dog being exhibited in breach of these Regulations then he/she may be subject to further penalties of either a fine or as listed under Rule A 42.
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 - a) No substance which alters the natural colour, texture or body of the coat may be present in the dog's coat for any purpose at any time during the Show. No substance which alters the natural colour of any external part of the dog may be present on the dog for any purpose at any time during the Show.
 - b) Any other substance (other than water) which may be used in the preparation of a dog for exhibition must not be allowed to remain in the coat or on any other part of the dog at the time of exhibition.
- 3 No act or operation which alters the natural conformation of a dog or any part thereof may be performed except:
 - a) Operations certified to the satisfaction of the General Committee.
 - b) The removal of dew claws of any breed
 - c) The shortening of tails of customarily docked breeds but only up to an acceptable age limit which shall be prescribed from time to time.
 - d) Operations to prevent breeding provided that such operations are notified to the Kennel Club before neutered dogs are shown.Nor must anything be done calculated in the opinion of the General Committee to deceive.
- 4 The General Committee without previous notice may order an examination of any dog or dogs at any Show. Any examination thus ordered will be made by a person having executive authority who shall have a written directive from the Kennel Club in their possession. Samples may be taken for further examination and analysis.
- 5 An individual has the right to lodge an objection to a dog only if he/she is the owner or handler of a dog competing in the same breed or class. An objection may, however, be lodged by an official of the Show or by anyone so deputed by the Kennel Club. It will be the responsibility of the individual who lodges the objection or the official (as appropriate) to substantiate the grounds for the objection. The Kennel Club will substantiate the grounds for an objection made on its behalf.
- 6 Any objection by an individual related to an infringement of these Regulations must be made in writing to the Show Secretary at his/her office before the close of the Show and the individual must produce evidence of identity at the time of lodging the complaint.

Dog Fouling F8 (a)

Any owner, exhibitor, 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 the car and caravan parks and approaches. The Society will arrange for the dispersal of suitable receptacles to assist compliance with regulation F8(a).

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Record of Dogs Entered:

**Don't forget our Ringcraft Classes Every Thursday
At: St Francis Church Hall 8pm till 9:30pm
All Welcome**

Contact 01934 512355/07767 122309 Email: info@bridgewaterdcs.co.uk

Judges required for monthly Match nights held on the last Thursday of each month, if you are interested please contact the Match Secretary: Email: info@bridgewaterdcs.co.uk

SOFT CRATES

The Kennel Club has asked that we draw attention to the potential health and safety implications concerning the use of soft crates as in its view, they do not offer sufficient protection to dogs. They have asked that we point out that dogs should not be left unattended in soft crates. There have been instances where dogs have escaped from soft crates which have not been securely fastened to benches, or that have been left at ringside. We therefore ask that if you use soft crates, you do not leave your dogs unattended, either in the hall, or in an open car in the car park.

ORDER OF JUDGING

RING 1: WEIMARANER - IRISH SETTER - SPANIEL (COCKER) - SPANIEL (FIELD) - SPANIEL (IRISH WATER) - SPANIEL (SPRINGER) - ENGLISH SETTER - POINTER - RETRIEVER (CURLY COAT) - RETRIEVER (DUCK TOLLING) - RETRIEVER (GOLDEN) - RETRIEVER (LABRADOR) - A.V. GUNDOG N.S.C - A.V. GUNDOG - GUNDOG GROUP - BEST IN SHOW

RING 2: G.S.D - AKITA - BOSTON TERRIER - DALMATIAN - FRENCH BULLDOG - KEESHOND - POODLE MIN - POODLE STD - SHAR PEI - TIBETAN SPANIEL - A.V. UTILITY N.S.C - A.V. UTILITY - UTILITY GROUP - AV IMPORT REGISTER - STAKES

RING 3: CAV KING CHARLES SPANIEL - CHIHUAHUA LONGCOAT - CHIHUAHUA SMOOT COAT - CHINESE CRESTED - ENGLISH TOY TERRIER - HAVANESE - JAPANESE SPITZ - MINIATURE PINSCHER - PAPILLON - POMERANIAN - A.V. TOY N.S.C - A.V. TOY - TOY GROUP

RING 4: AUSTRALIAN SHEPHERD DOG - BELGIAN SHEPHERD (TERV) - BEARDED COLLIE - BORDER COLLIE - COLLIE ROUGH - NORWEGIAN BUHUND - POLISH LOWLAND - SHETLAND SHEEPDOG - SWEDISH VALLHUND - WELSH CORGI CARDIGAN - A.V. PASTORAL N.S.C - A.V. PASTORAL - PASTORAL GROUP

RING 5: BASSET - BEAGLE - BORZOI - DACHSHUND MIN SM.H - DACHSHUND STD L.H - DACHSHUND STD SM.H - IBIZAN HOUND - A.V. HOUND N.S.C - A.V. HOUND - HOUND GROUP

RING 6: 09:00am JUNIOR HANDLING - ADULT HANDLING - BORDER TERRIER - LAKELAND TERRIER - MANCHESTER - S.B.T - BULL TERRIER (MIN) - BULL TERRIER - CESKY TERRIER - DANDIE DINMONT - IRISH TERRIER - SMOOTH FOX TERRIER - SOFT COATED WHEATEN TERRIER - WELSH TERRIER - WEST HIGHLAND WHITE TERRIER - WIRE FOX TERRIER - A.V. TERRIER.N.S.C - A.V. TERRIER - TERRIER GROUP

RING 7: WHIPPETS - ALASKAN MALAMUTE - BOXERS - DOBERMANN - GREAT DANE - NEWFOUNDLAND - ROTTWEILER - SIBERIAN HUSKY - ST BERNARD - A.V. WORKING N.S.C - A.V. WORKING - WORKING GROUP

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on Sunday 25th March 2018

Entries and Fees which **MUST BE PREPAID** to be sent to:

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INSTRUCTIONS. This form must be used by one person only (or partnership). Writing **MUST BE IN INK OR INDELIBLE PENCIL.** Use one line only for each dog. The name of the dog and all details as recorded with the Kennel Club must be given on this entry form. If an error is made the dog may be disqualified by the Committee of the Kennel Club. All dogs must be **REGISTERED** at the Kennel Club in the name of the exhibitor. If the registration or transfer of ownership has not been confirmed it must be applied for before the closing date of entries. In case of dispute proof of postage of such applications may be required by The Kennel Club. Puppies under six months of age on the first day of the show cannot be entered for competition. On no account will entries be accepted without fees. If a dog is in the process of Registration or Transfer at the time the entry is made, add the letters NAF or TAF as appropriate after its name. Please put classes in numerical order and USE **BLOCK CAPITALS** throughout when completing this entry form. The Kennel Club Authority to Compete number (for dogs registered and resident outside the UK) must be stated or the entry will be returned. **PLEASE CHECK ALL DETAILS BEFORE POSTING.**

ENTRY FEES

Members 1st Entry each dog:	£4.00	£	.
Non-Members 1st Entry each dog:	£6.00	£	.
Each subsequent entry with the same dog:	£1.00	£	.
Stakes Classes per dog:	£3.00	£	.
Handling Classes per entry:	£3.00	£	.
Not For Competition	£2.00	£	.
Catalogues prepaid (£4.00 on the day of the Show)	£3.50	£	.
Membership	£5.00 Joint, £3.00 Single, £25 each LIFE	£	.
Advertisements	Full Page £10.00; Half Page £6.00	£	.
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TOTAL			£ .

Please make cheques / P.O. payable to: **"Bridgewater and District Canine Society"**
On no account will entries be accepted without fees. NB. £8 surcharge for returned cheques.

ENTRIES CLOSE: Monday 26th February 2018 (Postmark)

Entries may be made online up to 12 noon on Saturday 10th March 2018
at www.dog.biz

REGISTERED NAME OF DOG Add NAF if Name Applied For Add TAF if Transfer Applied For (BLOCK CAPITALS)	BREED	Sex D or B	Full Date of Birth	BREEDER (if owner put exh)	SIRE (BLOCK CAPITALS)	DAM (BLOCK CAPITALS)	To be entered in Classes numbered
*ATC No.							
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Only undocked dogs and legally docked dogs may be entered for exhibition at this show

DECLARATION I/we agree to submit to and be bound by Kennel Club Limited Rules and Regulations in their present form or as they may be amended from time to time in relation to all canine matters with which the Kennel Club is concerned and that this entry is made upon the basis that all current single or joint registered owners of this dog(s) have authorised/consented to this entry.
I/we also undertake to abide by the Regulations of this Show and not to bring to the Show any dog which has contracted or been knowingly exposed to any infectious or contagious disease during the 21 days prior to the Show, or which is suffering from a visible condition which adversely affects its health or welfare, or to bring any dog which has been prepared for exhibition contrary to Kennel Club Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition F Annex(B).
I/we agree without reservation that any Veterinary Surgeon operating on any of my/our dogs in such a way that the operation alters the natural conformation of the dog or part thereof may report such operations to the Kennel Club. I/we declare that where any alteration has been made to the natural conformation of the dog(s) the relevant permission to show has been granted by the Kennel Club.
I/we further declare that, I/we believe to the best of my/our knowledge that the dogs are not liable to disqualification under Kennel Club Show Regulations.
Usual signature of owner(s) Date

Note: Dogs entered in breach of Kennel Club Show Regulations are liable to disqualification whether or not the owner was aware of the breach. © Kennel Club

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NAME OF OWNER(S) In the case of joint registered ownership the name of every owner must be given here
(Mr/Mrs/Miss/Ms) _____

ADDRESS _____

POSTCODE _____ **(STD.)** _____

Email _____

EXHIBITORS PLEASE NOTE

It is most important to put your correct postal address on the entry forms.

Address should include:

House number (not just house name)

Postal Town

Correct Postcode.

ADDRESS WITHHELD FOR PUBLICATION.

Please note the points below:

1. Tick the box near your name and address on the front of the entry form if you do **NOT** want your **ADDRESS** to appear in the catalogue. Your name will still be printed above your dog records as normal.
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DOGS IN VEHICLES ON HOT DAYS

Your dog is vulnerable and AT RISK if left in a vehicle in high temperatures and even on days considered as slightly warm. Please take care of your dog.

If your dog is found to be at risk forcible entry to your vehicle may be necessary without liability for any damage caused.