

## **Covid Secure statement Open Show 2020**

The committee of the NBCUK are committed to running a Covid secure event.

If you, or anyone in your household has Covid 19 symptoms, you **MUST NOT** attend the event, and should self isolate for 14 days. The most common symptoms include a new, continuous cough, high temperature and loss of or change in sense of taste/smell.

On arrival at the venue, the building will be open in order to allow exhibitors to use the toilets and wash their hands. Please sign the track and trace document once you have washed your hands. Hand sanitiser will also be provided at the ring, but please bring your own supplies where possible.

We ask that exhibitors remain with their vehicles except when exhibiting/exercising their dogs. Vehicles will be spaced to allow room for equipment beside the vehicle and you are encouraged to bring your own chairs. The steward will 'call' classes using a whiteboard clearly marked with the upcoming class and it is the exhibitors responsibility to be ready when their class is called.

All Judging will be outside whatever the weather so please come dressed appropriately. All handlers will be required to wear a face covering.

Ring numbers and catalogues will be placed on a table for collection by exhibitors. It is the exhibitors responsibility to ensure they have the correct ring number for their class/classes.

After the class has been placed, awards can be collected by exhibitors upon leaving the ring.

Numbers of people at the venue will be limited so on this occasion please don't bring extra spectators and specify on your entry form how many people will be attending.

# **NORWEGIAN BUHUND CLUB of the UK**



## **SCHEDULE OF UNBENCHED OPEN SINGLE BREED SHOW**

(held under Kennel Club Limited Rules & Regulations)

**Stanton Village Hall, Woodland Rd, Stanton, DE15 9TJ**

**SATURDAY, 24<sup>th</sup> October 2020**

**Show Opens 10am**

**Judging 11.00 am**

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

### **GUARANTORS TO THE KENNEL CLUB**

Chairman Ms Anne Smith, The Ramblers, Wheatley Rd, Retford, DN22 9AL  
Secretary Mrs J Shorer-Wheeler, 8 Bluebell Rd, Darton, Barnsley, S75 5JG (01226) 385613  
Treasurer Mrs N Kent, 49 Russell Rd, Partington, M31 4DY

**Show Manager: Mrs C Maynard  
Covid Safety Officer: Ms J Shorer-Wheeler**

**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".**

**ENTRIES CLOSE: Friday, 9<sup>th</sup> October 2020 (postmark)**

**Entries to be made to:  
Mrs J Shorer-Wheeler  
8 Bluebell Rd, Darton, Barnsley, S75 5JG  
Tel: (01226) 385613/ 07800 969116**

## **DOG FOULING F12 (a)**

Any owner, exhibitor, handler or other person in charge of a dog is required to remove immediately any fouling caused by their dog(s) and/or any grooming waste at any Kennel Club licensed show and within the environs of that event including car and caravan parks and approaches.

### **HON. VETERINARY SURGEONS**

**Swadlincote Veterinary Centre, Unit 1, The Pipeworks Retail Park, Coppice Side, Swadlincote  
DE11 9FQ (01283) 213707**

**PLEASE DO NOT TAKE PHOTOGRAPHS WHILE DOGS ARE BEING JUDGED.**

### **REFRESHMENTS:**

**We will not be having our usual picnic on this occasion but people are welcome to bring their own refreshments and we hope that the weather will be sufficiently good to allow a socially distanced lunch hour in the open air.**

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*Please note:*

*Best in Show, Reserve Best in Show and Best Puppy in Show  
must not compete in any subsequent classes.*

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*Puppies of 4 months or over on the day of the show may be entered as 'Not for  
Competition'*

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**DIRECTIONS: From the South – Leave the M42 at Junction 11 and follow the A444 (same route as for Overseal Hall) continuing through Overseal, High Cross Bank, and Castle Gresley until you reach Stanton. Hall is on RHS just after Primary School, opposite Stanton Cars.**

**From the North – Take the A38 heading towards Burton on Trent, then follow the A5121, the A511 and the A444. Follow the A444 southeast until you reach Stanton. Village Hall is on the left.**

**Postcode is DE15 9TJ**

## Use of Electrical Equipment at Shows

The Kennel Club is becoming increasingly concerned at the amount of electrical equipment being used by exhibitors at shows, including hair dryers and hair straighteners and other grooming devices.

Electrical equipment should not be brought to shows unless absolutely necessary. In rare instances where it might be required, it should be PAT tested and permission sought from the secretary of the show before it is used.

The Kennel Club has also been informed of recent instances of exhibitors commandeering certain areas of a venue in order to have access to power points so as to use electrical grooming equipment. This is totally unacceptable and particularly unfair on the breeds whose allocated areas have been cramped because of this selfish behaviour.

## Security at shows

In light of recent events the Kennel Club would like to issue a reminder to all Societies of the importance of security at dog shows.

The Kennel Club understands that due to the nature of dog shows and the quantity of paraphernalia exhibitors bring it would be extremely difficult for show organisers to take on the issue of security alone, therefore we would reiterate the advice being given by the Police and security services, that everyone in the UK should remain vigilant and this applies to those organising and taking part in dog shows.

The importance of exhibitors feeling that they and their dogs are safe when attending a show cannot be underestimated. We would therefore remind you of the importance of the need for show organisers and exhibitors to remain mindful of potential dangers and that all visitors generally need to be vigilant and alert.

**The Norwegian Buhund Club of the UK, ask all exhibitors, spectators to be vigilant. Any objects, actions that could be construed as conspicuous, should be reported to any member of the Committee immediately.**

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).
POST GRADUATE	For dog which have not won a Challenge Certificates 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.
LIMIT	For dogs which have not become show Champions under the Kennel Club Regulations or under the rules of any governing body recognised by the Kennel Club or won 7 or more First Prizes in all at Championship Shows in Limit or Open Classes confined to the breed, whether restricted or not at Shows where Challenger 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.
SPECIAL VINTAGE	For dogs of not less than ten years of age on the first day of the Show.
SPECIAL WORKING	For dogs who have achieved any placing or qualifying result in a KC Recognised working discipline (ie. working trials, obedience, agility, flyball, rally, heelwork to music, good citizens)
PROGENY	For a dog or bitch, accompanied by at least three of its registered progeny. The dog or bitch not necessarily entered in another class however, all progeny having been entered and exhibited in another class. The dog or bitch and the progeny need not be registered in the same ownership.
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.
TEAM	For three or more 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.
BREEDERS	For dogs bred by the exhibitor.
SPECIAL NOT BRED BY EXHIBITOR	For dogs not bred by the exhibitor.
NOT FOR COMPETITION	Entries will be accepted Not for Competition from any KC Registered breed aged 4 months or over on the day of the show. Details of each dog so entered must be recorded on the entry form and must be Kennel Club registered. Please put <b>NFC</b> in the appropriate area on the Entry Form.
SPECTATOR DOGS	Will be accepted on the day. Those in charge of the dog must sign a declaration confirming the dog is free from disease and that the dog will be kept under control at all times.

## CLASSIFICATION

**JUDGE: MR NEIL HOOD (BUCAFREY)**

1. PUPPY DOG
2. JUNIOR DOG
3. YEARLING DOG
4. NOVICE DOG
5. POST GRADUATE DOG
6. LIMIT DOG
7. OPEN DOG
8. VETERAN DOG
9. SPECIAL VINTAGE DOG
10. SPECIAL WORKING DOG \* New class, please see classification\*

11. PUPPY BITCH
12. JUNIOR BITCH
13. YEARLING BITCH
14. NOVICE BITCH
15. POST GRADUATE BITCH
16. LIMIT BITCH
17. OPEN BITCH
18. VETERAN BITCH
19. SPECIAL VINTAGE BITCH
20. SPECIAL WORKING BITCH \* New class, please see classification\*

21. BRACE
22. TEAM
23. BREEDERS
24. SPECIAL NOT BRED BY EXHIBITOR
25. PROGENY

Best Dog will be judged after Class 10

Best Bitch will be judged after Class 20

Best in Show, Reserve Best in Show and Best Opposite Sex will be judged after Best Bitch Best Puppy in Show will be judged after Best in Show Best Veteran in Show will be judged after Best Puppy in Show

Classes 21 to 25 will be judged after Best Veteran in Show

*If you are a Club member and win your class, you may be required to challenge for a Club trophy. **This will take place after class 25 has been judged.** Trophies may only be taken by fully paid up members of the Club, all owners of the winning dog must be members to be eligible.*

## RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. The Show will open at 10am.
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 11.00am.
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 £6.00, non members £8.00 subsequent entries with the same dog £2.00, Not For Competition £1.
7. There is no prize money on offer at this 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:

- a. 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 should automatically be awarded 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.

Best Puppy in Show must be selected from puppies which have been judged and which are unbeaten by any other puppy.

- b. 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.
- 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:

- a. 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.

- b. Withdrawal from other competition: Dogs which become eligible for Best in Show maybe 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.
- 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 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 unavoidable delayed by previous judging not being completed on time, and then only with the special permission of the Show Management.
14. Exhibitors must not pick up dogs by their tails and leads when lifting them. 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.
15. It is not acceptable to handle a dog in a manner which causes its feet not to touch the ground when on the move. Exhibitors should note that such practices could constitute harsh handling and reports of such practice will be referred to the Committee under Kennel Club Show Regulation F11.
16. All exhibitors must be familiar with Kennel Club Regulation F (Annex B) – Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition.
17. 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.
18. **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.

Right to Refuse Entries: Exhibitors/Competitors are reminded that show societies have the right under Kennel Club Regulation to refuse any entry.

19. 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.
20. 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.
21. Should any judge be unable to fulfil their engagement the Committee reserve the right to appoint others in their place.
22. The Committee reserve the right to refuse entry of any dog which in their opinion is unfit for exhibition and will in no way be responsible for any claim for injury or compensation either occasioned by or arising out of the holding of the show, or any act or omission of any person in attendance or present thereat, and it is on this understanding only that entries will be accepted.
23. The organisers shall not be liable in respect of any loss or damage whatsoever arising from the abandonment, cancellation or postponement of the dog show or any such eventuality.
24. The use of mobile phones in the vicinity of the ring is prohibited.

#### DEFINITION 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. **2<sup>nd</sup> October 2020**.

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 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 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 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