NORWEGIAN BUHUND CLUB of the UK

Judges List Criteria

A1 List

For people who have previously been approved by the Kennel Club to award CCs in the breed, have completed their first appointment and have the support of the Norwegian Buhund Club of the UK (KC Policy).

A2 List

For people who fulfil all the requirements for the A3 list, who have been assessed in accordance with Kennel Club requirements and accepted by the Kennel Club for inclusion on an A2 list and have the support of the Norwegian Buhund Club of the UK (KC Policy).

A3 List (Breed Specialists)

Those whom the Norwegian Buhund Club would support to award Challenge Certificates in the breed but have not yet been approved by the Kennel Club for inclusion on the A1 or A2 List.

The Judges Sub-committee will decide by a majority vote on acceptance onto the list or otherwise.

- a. Minimum of seven years judging experience in the breed and have the support of the Norwegian Buhund Club of the UK **(KC Policy)**
- b. To have judged a minimum of 30 dogs. (KC Policy)
- c. To have attended a Requirements of a Dog Show Judge seminar given by a Kennel Club Accredited Trainer and passed the relevant examination on Kennel Club Regulations and Judging Procedures. (KC Policy as of 1.7.2001)
- d. To have attended a Points of the Dog Assessment conducted by a Kennel Club Accredited Trainer and passed the assessment. (KC Policy as of 1.7.2005)
- e. To have attended a seminar by a Kennel Club Accredited Trainer on Conformation and Movement. (KC Policy as of 1.7.2001)
- f. To have attended at least one Breed Specific Seminar run in accordance with the Kennel Club Code of Best Practice for the Running of a Breed Seminar & Judging Competence Assessment and passed an examination and/or assessment where applicable. (KC Policy as of 1.7.2001)
- g. To have bred and/or owned a minimum of three dogs when they obtained their first entry in the Kennel Club Stud Book (save in exceptional circumstances). (KC Policy)
- To have stewarded over a minimum of 12 days at shows (Open or Championship shows only).
 (KC Policy)

A3 List (Non-Breed Specialists)

Those whom the Norwegian Buhund Club of the UK would support to award Challenge Certificates in the breed but have not yet been approved by the Kennel Club for inclusion on the A2 List.

The Judges Sub-committee will decide by a majority vote on acceptance onto the list or otherwise.

- a. Minimum of five years judging experience in any one breed (to include five years in this breed) and have the support of the Norwegian Buhund Club of the UK. (**KC Policy**)
- b. To have judged 30 dogs in this breed. (KC Policy)
- c. To have awarded CCs in at least one other breed. (KC Policy)
- d. To have attended at least one Breed Specific Seminar run in accordance with the Kennel Club Code of Best Practice for the Running of a Breed Seminar & Judging Competence Assessment and passed an examination and/or assessment where applicable. (Optional by Club)

B List (Breed Specialists)

- a. To have five (5) years' experience owning and exhibiting in this breed and have the support of the Norwegian Buhund Club of the UK.
- b. To have judged eight (8) dogs of this breed.

B List (Non-Breed Specialists)

- a. Minimum of five (5) years judging experience in any one breed and have the support of the Norwegian Buhund Club of the UK.
- b. To have judged eight (8) dogs of this breed.

C List (Breed Specialists & Non-Breed Specialists)

For aspiring judges who have shown an interest in the breed and have the support of the Norwegian Buhund Club of the UK and have attained the requirements for **JEP Level 1** (see criteria below).

JEP Level 1 Requirements:

- 1. Minimum of five (5) years proven interest in pedigree dogs
- 2. Attend a Requirements of a Dog Show Judge seminar (but not mandatory to take and pass examination)
- 3. Attend a Conformation and Movement seminar
- 4. Complete a minimum of two (2) full day stewarding appointments.