



The JEAN DUFF MEMORIAL Championship Show (2017)

Under Irish Kennel Club Rules

Sunday 23rd April 2017

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Harland & Wolff Welders FC,
Tillisburn Park, Holywood Road, Belfast BT4

JUDGE:

Miss Sally Gunner, England
(Crossingate GSD's)

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Definitions of classes

(The Word 'Dog' Denotes Both Sexes)

In the following definitions any award which counts towards the title of champion under the rules of any Governing Body recognised by the Irish Kennel Club will be regarded as the equivalent of a Green Star. Similarly, the title of Champion is construed as if it were attained under the Rules of the Irish Kennel Club Ltd.

Minor Puppy Class is confined to dogs over 6 months and under 9 months of age on the day of the show computed from and inclusive of the date of it's birth.

Puppy Class is confined to dogs over 6 months and under 12 calendar months of age on the day of the show computed from and inclusive of the date of it's birth.

Junior Class is confined to dogs between 9 and 18 calendar months of age on the day of the show computed from and inclusive of the date of it's birth.

Intermediate Class is confined to dogs between 15 and 24 calendar months of age on the day of the show computed from and inclusive of the date of it's birth.

Open Class is for all dogs over 24 months of age on the day of the show computed from and inclusive of the date of it's birth.

Champions Class is for dogs who have gained the title of Champion under Irish Kennel Club Rules or under a recognized Kennel Authority **confirmed by the date of closing of entries.** **

Veteran Class is for dogs over 8 years of age on the day of the show computed from and inclusive of the date of it's birth. **Dogs entered in this class are not eligible to compete for the CACIB.**

** Please note: A Veteran Dog who is a Champion may enter in either Veteran or Champion Class but not both. **

Show Classification

1	MINOR PUPPY DOG	15	MINOR PUPPY BITCH
2	PUPPY DOG	16	PUPPY BITCH
3	JUNIOR DOG	17	JUNIOR BITCH
4	INTERMEDIATE DOG	18	INTERMEDIATE BITCH
5	OPEN DOG	19	OPEN BITCH
6	CHAMPION DOG	20	CHAMPION BITCH
7	VETERAN DOG	21	VETERAN BITCH
8	MINOR PUPPY DOG L/C	22	MINOR PUPPY BITCH L/C
9	PUPPY DOG L/C	23	PUPPY BITCH L/C
10	JUNIOR DOG L/C	24	JUNIOR BITCH L/C
11	INTERMEDIATE DOG L/C	25	INTERMEDIATE BITCH L/C
12	OPEN DOG L/C	26	OPEN BITCH L/C
13	CHAMPION DOG L/C	27	CHAMPION BITCH L/C
14	VETERAN DOG L/C	28	VETERAN BITCH L/C

L/C DENOTES LONG COAT

NB A dog or bitch may be entered in ONE BREED CLASS ONLY(no double entries)

The Show will be held under licence and rules of the Irish Kennel Club as in force on 9th October 2008.

All dogs must be registered or transferred at the Irish Kennel Club Ltd in the name of the exhibitor/partnership.

The show will be held at the H & W Welders FC Tillysburn Pk, Hollywood Rd, Belfast on Sunday 23rd April 2017 between 9.00am and 6.00pm.

Judging will commence at 10:00am. Junior handling will be held over lunch break.

Entry fee for 1st dog £20 or (€26) or unlimited £35 (€42)

ENTRIES THROUGH dogshowentry.ie or on the club website : ulstergsdclub.com.

NO EURO POSTAL ORDERS WILL BE ACCEPTED. NO ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED WITHOUT THE APPROPRIATE ENTRY FEE. EXHIBITORS WILL BE EXPECT TO PAY THE APPROPRIATE BANK FEE FOR ANY CHEQUE RETURNED **RD** BY THE BANK.

PLEASE NOTE THE CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES IS MIDNIGHT FRIDAY 14TH APRIL 2017 TO ALLOW FOR PRINTING OF THE SPECIAL CATALOGUE TO MARK THIS EVENT.

INELIGIBLE ENTRIES. A transfer of an incorrect entry as to sex or breed may be allowed by the Secretary prior to the commencement of judging, but in no other respects.

Each exhibitor will be responsible for keeping their exhibit under control at all times. All dogs must be kept on a lead at all times on the show grounds and all exhibitors are required to remove any fouling made by their dogs and any other litter on any part of the show grounds. They will be liable to a fine of £25 if they fail to do so.

Exhibitors will not be allowed to wear a badge or other decoration in the judging ring except for a ring number. No one will be allowed into the judging ring except for the judge, show official, handler and any other person invited by the committee.

JUDGING. In the event of the appointed judge failing to keep their appointment the promoting body shall have the right to appoint another judge in their place and the promoting body further reserves the right to change the judge in any breed when it is found necessary. The promoting body shall not be responsible for the exhibition of any dog in the ring. In the event of any exhibitor requesting a steward or other official to handle their exhibit in the ring any such action is on behalf of the owner and does not involve the promoting body in any responsibility whatever for loss or damage consequential or otherwise.

JUDGE'S DECISION. The decision of a judge at the termination of their judging a class shall be final, except in the case of an objection properly made and upheld under the rules of the IKC or where a judge states that a clerical error or other mistake was made in the award as officially returned, or on the grounds of fraud.

CATALOGUE. The promoting body shall not be responsible for any loss, direct or indirect occasioned by any mistake or omission in the catalogue in any such case the exhibitor should immediately inform the ring steward if the judging is in progress. Otherwise the exhibitor should immediately report the Catalogue inaccuracy at the Secretary's office.

NOTICE. All announcements appearing in the dog columns of the National Press newspaper prior to the closing of entries and in reference to any alterations made by the promoting body in the Schedule or in these regulations shall be deemed sufficient notice thereof.

INTERPRETATION. The Committee of the promoting club shall be the show committee within the meaning of the IKC rules and all disputes, if any, shall be dealt with by the Committee.

Parties to any dispute shall have the right to appeal to the Irish Kennel Club Ltd.

ACCIDENT OR DAMAGE. The promoting body will not be responsible for any loss or damage sustained by exhibits, exhibitors, or other persons attending the show through accident or otherwise.

REJECTING ENTRIES. The Committee reserves the right to reject any entry, advertisement or other insertion in the Catalogue.

PRIZES WITHELD. A judge shall be empowered to withhold any prize, prizes or Green Stars if in their opinion the exhibits are not of sufficient merit.

VETERINARY EXAMINATION. Any Veterinary Surgeon acting with the authority of the Show Committee may have any dog removed from the Show on any of the following grounds (i) suspect cause of infection or contagious disease (ii) totally blind or deaf (iii) castrated (iv) vicious or savage disposition. If requested by the Show Secretary, the Veterinary Surgeon shall give such an order in writing together with the reason for it.

EXHIBITS NOT SENT. The committee cannot accept any responsibility for the absence of any dog when the judging of a class is about to commence.

IRISH KENNEL CLUB SPORTSMEN

REMEMBER

- Sportsmen respect the history, traditions and integrity of the sport of purebred dogs.
- Sportsmen commit themselves to values of fair play, honesty, courtesy, and vigorous competition, as well as winning and losing with grace.
- Sportsmen refuse to compromise their commitment and obligation to the sport of purebred dogs by injecting personal advantage or consideration into their decisions or behaviour.
- The sportsman judge judges only on the merits of the dogs and considers no other factors.
- The sportsman judge or exhibitor accepts constructive criticism.
- The sportsman exhibitor declines to enter or exhibit under a judge where it might reasonably appear that the judge's placements could be based on something other than the merits of the dogs.
- The sportsman exhibitor refuses to compromise the impartiality of a judge.
- The sportsman respects the Irish Kennel Club bye-laws, rules, regulations and policies governing the sport of purebred dogs.
- Sportsmen find that vigorous competition and civility are not inconsistent and are able to appreciate the merit of competition and the effort of competitors.
- Sportsmen welcome, encourage and support newcomers to the sport.
- Sportsmen will deal fairly with all those who trade with them.
- Sportsmen are willing to share honest and open appraisals of both the strengths and weaknesses of their breeding stock.
- Sportsmen spurn any opportunity to take personal advantage of positions offered or bestowed upon them.
- Sportsmen always consider as paramount the welfare of their dog.
- Sportsmen refuse to embarrass the the sport, the Irish Kennel Club or themselves while taking part in the sport.

NOTE. THE TERM SPORTSMAN ANS SPORTSMEN IS IN THIS CONTEXT GENDER NEUTRAL

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Entries to: Karen Milliken 39 Tullynagee Rd, Comber, Co. Down, BT23 5SF

Email: k.milliken@btinternet.com Tel: 02897521238

Please Type or Write Plainly in Ink - IN BLOCK CAPITALS (Only for one ownership) GERMAN SHEPHERD DOG

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Name of Dog Reg. No.....

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1. I HEREBY DECLARE that the dog or dogs entered by me as above are REGISTERED in my name, with the Irish Kennel Club.
2. I HEREBY DECLARE that the dog or dogs entered by me as above are not vicious, and are bona-fide my property, and I enter them subject to the Rules of the Irish Kennel Club, and the Regulations of the Show which appear in the schedule and which I have read.
3. I HEREBY UNDERTAKE not to bring within the precincts of the show any dog or dogs, suffering from any infectious or contagious disease or which has been exposed to any such disease during a period of 6 weeks prior to the show.
4. IN CONSIDERATION of my entry being excepted, I hereby agree (1) to indemnify the I.K.C. and /or its Trustees or officials in respect of any damage or loss from whatsoever source arising, caused by or to any dogs exhibited by me while in the precincts of the show and (2) that any decision given concerning me by the I.K.C. or by any Committee thereof in connection with any matter whatsoever arising through or at this show shall be communicated by the Secretary of the I.K.C. to all whom, at the sole discretion of the IKC it may concern and that any such decision, together with a report of the proceedings in the matter may also be published together with my name, address and description.
5. I HEREBY UNDERTAKE to abide by the rules and regulations of the I.K.C. and the show.
6. I UNDERTAKE to indemnify the promoters against any claims arising out of my participation as a competitor in the show.

DECLARATION, UNDERTAKING AND AGREEMENT BY OWNER OR AGENT

Written Signature of Reg. Owner(s)

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(State whether Mr., Mrs, or Miss)

Full name In BLOCK LETTERS

Address.....

Date 2017 Tel:.....

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