

THE NORWICH TERRIER CLUB

Founded 1932



President: Mrs. Jill Stevenson

SCHEDULE OF UNBENCHED

BREED CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW

(Held under Kennel Club Limited Rules & Regulations)

ROADE VILLAGE HALL,
ROADE, NORTHANTS, NN7 2PT

SATURDAY 13th APRIL 2024

Judge: MR. MATTHEW ODDIE (RAGUS/RIOWOOD)

Show Opens 11:00 a.m.

Judging: Not before 12.00 noon.

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

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."

SHOW MANAGER: Mr. David Tinsley

Stewards: Miss Gail Simpson and Mrs Linda Cooper

Vet. Surgeon on call:

Towcester Veterinary Centre, Burcote Road, Towcester, NN12 6JW, 01327 350239

Jurisdiction and responsibilities: The Officers and Committee members of the society holding the licence are deemed responsible for organising and conducting the show safely and in accordance with the Rules and Regulations of the Kennel Club and agree to abide by and adopt any decision of the Board or any authority to whom the Board may delegate its powers subject to the conditions of Regulation F17. In so doing those appointed as officers and committee members accept that they are jointly and severally responsible for the organisation of the show and that this is a binding undertaking (vide Kennel Club General Show Regulations F4 and F5).

ENTRIES CLOSE: WEDNESDAY 27TH MARCH 2024 (1st class postmark)

Entries & Fees to Secretary:

Mrs. B. Watkins 59 Warren Drive, Elm Park, Hornchurch, Essex, RM12 4QZ
Tel: 01708 473897

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Entry Fees.

Members	£15.00 per dog (any number of classes),
Non-Members	£18.00 per dog (any number of classes).
Not For Competition	£1.00 per Dog.
Catalogue	£1.50 pre-paid, £2.00 on the day (limited number)
Junior Handling	FREE
Special Award Classes	FREE

CLUB MEMBERS may pay their entry fees by BACS direct into the club bank account. Please contact the secretary for details

The Norwich Terrier Club leaves closing of entries until as near to the date of the show as possible. This is to enable you to assess coats etc.

Please help us by posting your entry on time.

Entries postmarked after closing of entries will not be accepted and will be returned.

If you require confirmation of receipt of entry, you must supply a stamped self-addressed postcard, or an e-mail address.

MEMBERSHIP: New members are always welcome.

Membership application forms are available from the secretary or can be downloaded from the Norwich Terrier Club Website www.norwichterrierclub.co.uk

To qualify for the members entry fees new members must apply and be approved prior to the entries close date.

CLUB STALL: A stall covering items of interest to Norwich Terrier owners and enthusiasts will be at the show, which will include:

FRIDGE MAGNETS, NOTELETS, PENS and many other items.

REFRESHMENTS: These will be provided by Patsy Clayson and Sheila Wood who are members of the village hall management committee. Their profits will be donated to two charities: Motor Neurone and Great Ormond Street.

Children under the age of 11 are the responsibility of and must be accompanied at all times by a Parent or Guardian.

If a competitor, or anyone in their household, has Covid-19 related symptoms or has tested positive for Covid-19 they must follow Government advice and should consider whether it is appropriate that they attend the event.

UNDERAGE PUPPIES

If any person brings an underage puppy of any breed to the venue,
they will be reported to The Kennel Club.
Please see 'Definitions of Classes, Not for Competition'

The Norwich Terrier Club would like to invite you all to a complimentary cup of tea/coffee and a piece of cake during the course of the judging

RAFFLE

A raffle will be held during the show - please give this your support - prizes for this will be gratefully accepted

The Norwich Terrier Club offer the following rosettes:

1st to VHC in each class

Both CC and RCC winners

Best in Show, Reserve Best in Show, Best Opposite Sex in Show,
Best Puppy in Show, Best Opposite Sex Puppy In Show, Best Veteran .

Mrs Beverley Watkins kindly offers a special for every veteran entered.

If anyone would like to offer a prize for the main winners or any classes,
please contact the Secretary:

Mrs. B. Watkins

59 Warren Drive, Elm Park, Hornchurch, Essex, RM12 4QZ

Tel: 01708 473897

These prizes will be listed in the catalogue if notified prior to Entries Close

LUCKY CATALOGUE

On the day of the show each catalogue will be numbered.
There will be a short break during judging when the draw for the prize catalogue will take place - there is a small prize on offer.

FREE ENTRY TO
The Special Award Classes and Junior Handling
which will be judged before the start of the main show by Mr. Graham Taberer
All Entries MUST be made on the Entry Form.

SPECIAL AWARD CLASSES

In numerically small breeds such as ours, it is not easy for judges to gain the hands on experience they require to progress up the judging lists. For this reason, the Kennel Club have authorised the scheduling of two Special Award Classes at this show.

In essence, these are “mock” classes to allow a judge from the Club’s B or C Judges List the opportunity to gain more hands on experience of our breed.

These classes will be judged at the beginning of the Show along with the Junior Handling. They are totally separate from the main show, and do not affect any results in the main show. A dog beaten in these classes is NOT considered a beaten dog for the purpose of the challenge for best dog or bitch.

There is no entry fee for these classes. There is a £5.00 prize for First Place in each class. Rosettes will be on offer for 1st place to VHC.

Any dogs entered in these classes MUST be entered in a class in the main show.

It is important for the Club to support any initiatives which assist in the development of good judges, so PLEASE SUPPORT THESE CLASSES.

Your Judge: Mr Graham Taberer

I was born into showing dogs. My dad had show dogs from 1940, Norwich terriers. I had my first dog (not bred by my dad) in 1974, a 12mth old Norwich dog, Ragus Fisticuffs. He did me well around the shows. In 1977 I got married and was given a Great Dane as a wedding present from my mum and dad, he was from the Bringtonhill Kennel. I first got interested in Saint Bernards at Cruft’s the year one won Crufts BIS. I started judging at match meetings and limit shows and the first breed judge was the stakes class was for the Midland and Northern Rhodesian Ridgeback club in 1983. I have judged at open shows ever since when asked but I never really wanted to judge until I retired. I have been stewarding for many years usually at open show and club shows, then I was asked to do a championship show and I have never stopped since in 2022 I stewarded 49 days. I got our first Saint in 2015 from Pat Muggelton, in the first year we showed her at every championship show there was but owing to a family wedding we did not do Scotland show. We had our second saint, a male, from Bellfiers kennel and we had one litter with our bitch. I attended the English Saint Bernard club BAD day in 2015. I first judged St Bernards at the City Of Leicester open show in August 2016 and have now judged the breed 6 times. I also judge Great Danes, Dobermanns Rottweilers, Clumber Spaniels, Italian Spinone, GSP, GWP, Bassett Hounds, Irish Wolfhounds, Rhodesian Ridgebacks, Pugs Norfolk and Norwich Terriers. I am so pleased to be asked to judge the Special Award Classes at the club Championship show.

CLASSIFICATION

JUDGE: MR. MATTHEW ODDIE (RAGUS/RIOWOOD)

All the classes at this show qualify for Crufts 2025
with the exception of Special Beginners and Brace

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog

DOG Classes

- 1 Minor Puppy *Dog*
- 2 Puppy *Dog*
- 3 Junior *Dog*
- 4 Yearling *Dog*
- 5 Novice *Dog*
- 6 Post Graduate *Dog*
- 7 Limit *Dog*
- 8 Open *Dog*
- 9 Special Beginners *Dog*
- 10 Veteran *Dog*

Class 21

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch

BITCH Classes

- 11 Minor Puppy *Bitch*
- 12 Puppy *Bitch*
- 13 Junior *Bitch*
- 14 Yearling *Bitch*
- 15 Novice *Bitch*
- 16 Post Graduate *Bitch*
- 17 Limit *Bitch*
- 18 Open *Bitch*
- 19 Special Beginners *Bitch*
- 20 Veteran *Bitch*

Brace

BEST IN SHOW WILL BE JUDGED AFTER CLASS 21, FOLLOWED BY BEST PUPPY IN SHOW
BEST VETERAN IN SHOW WILL BE SELECTED FROM ALL VETERANS UNBEATEN BY ANOTHER VETERAN

Your Judge: Mr. Matthew Oddie (Ragus/Riowood)

I have had the privilege to own and show Norwich Terriers for a number of years with great success thanks to my mentor Lesley Crawley of Ragus fame. Although I've not recently been active in the breed due to mainly, family commitments, I hope to one day be back in the Norwich rings. I had always loved Norwich from a young age when seeing them at shows. I got in touch with Lesley and asked for her help in being able to handle them due to not being able to have many dogs at home at the time. The rest as they say is history and I was lucky enough to co-own many Champions, some being Championship show group winners. I feel very honoured to be asked to judge the Norwich Terrier Club Championship Show awarding CCs in the breed for the first time. I would like to thank the committee for the invitation. I have been looking forward to spending the day with my favourite Terrier breed for a long time.

JUDGE: MR. GRAHAM TABERER

SPECIAL AWARD CLASSES

Prize money is offered for the First Place in each Special Award class - £5.00

Class SAD Open Dog

Class SAB

Open Bitch

JUNIOR HANDLING CLASSES

JH1 Junior Handling, 6 - 11 years

JH2 Junior Handling, 12 - 16 years

Cup Secretary: Mrs Mary McLaughlin,
53 Knoll Drive, Styvechale, Coventry, CV3 5BY (tel: 0247 641 5025)

PERPETUAL TROPHIES

<u>Title of Trophy</u>	<u>Donor</u>	<u>Offered For</u>
Kildoon Cup	Mrs A Goss	Best in Show
Biffin Challenge Cup	Mrs E Mainwaring	Reserve Best in Show
Derek Findlay Memorial Trophy	Mrs T & Miss H Findlay	Best in Puppy in Show
The Dokham Cup	Mr G Newell	BestOppositeSexPuppyinShow
Golden Cross Perpetual Salver	Mrs C Green	Best Veteran in Show
John Bull of Kings Prevention Trophy	Mrs S Larrabee (USA)	Best Opposite Sex Veteran
Neachley Perpetual Challenge Cup	Col & Mrs P Gell	Best Brace
Russet Fern Cup	Mrs N Bellers	Minor Puppy Dog Class
Hoylebank Cup	Mrs P Cemlyn-Jones	Minor Puppy Bitch Class
Charing Cross Trophy II	Mr G Khan (USA)	Puppy Dog Class
Robert Sedgwick Cup	Mrs L Mills	Puppy Bitch Class
The Kitewood Salver	Mrs T Penny	Junior Dog Class
Thrumpton Cup	Mr W & Mrs P Ford	Junior Bitch Class
Rags Tankard	Miss E Johnson	Special Beginners Dog Class
Carat Cup	Mr D & Mrs P Scott	Special Beginners Bitch Class
Denis Scott Memorial Cup	Mrs P Scott	Novice Dog Class
Montelimar Cup	Mrs A Richardson	Novice Bitch Class
Colonel Up Cup	Mrs P Fagan	Post Graduate Dog Class
The Groves Cup	Miss P Groves	Post Graduate Bitch Class
E.P. Renshaw Cup	Mrs L Mills	Limit Dog Class
Daffran Trophy	Mrs D Thacker	Limit Bitch Class
Whinlatter Cup	Mrs M Fisher-May	Open Dog Class
Interfields Cup	Mrs C & Miss J Marshall	Open Bitch Class
Quattford Shield	Mrs V Furness	Junior Handler (6-11 years)
Bullpark Shield	Mrs R Middleton	Junior Handler (12-16 years)

PLEASE TAKE CARE OF YOUR DOG

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.

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. 20th March 2024.

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 their 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 24 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 their 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.

MINOR PUPPY	For dogs of six and not exceeding nine calendar months of age on the first 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.
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/CACIB/CAC/Green Star 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 dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate/CACIB/CAC/Green Star 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 3 or more CACIB/CAC/Green Stars 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 Challenge Certificates were offered for the breed

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- OPEN For all dogs of the breed for which the class is provided and eligible for entry at the Show.
- SPECIAL For owner, handler and exhibit not having won a Challenge Certificate or Reserve
BEGINNERS Challenge Certificate or any award which counts towards the title of Champion in any country in this breed.
- VETERAN For dogs of not less than seven years of age on the first day of the Show.
- 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.
- SPECIAL AWARD "Mock" classes scheduled for the purpose of allowing a B or C List judge the opportunity to gain more hands on experience. These classes are separate from the main show, and a dog beaten in these classes is NOT considered a beaten dog. Only dogs entered into the main show are eligible for entry in these classes.

NOT FOR COMPETITION

Dogs may be entered Not For Competition - they must be registered and their details must be entered in full on an entry form by the time of entries closing. Puppies aged 4 - 6 months may be entered NFC

Note no other dogs are permitted within the show venue and its confines. No dogs under the age of four months are allowed into the show venue or its confines.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. The Show will open at 11:00 a.m.
2. Dogs will be received at any time but it is the exhibitors responsibility to ensure that exhibits are available for judging when required.
3. Judging will commence not before 12.00 noon.
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: Members £15.00 per dog (any number of classes), Non-Members £18.00 per dog (any number of classes). Not For Competition £1:00 per Dog. Catalogue £1.50, £2.00 on day, Special Award classes Free, Junior Handling Free.
6. There is no Prize money on offer except for the Special Award Classes, and any specials as printed in the catalogue.
7. The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries.
8. Puppies under six calendar months of age on the day of the Show are not eligible for exhibition.
9. The mating of bitches within the precincts of the Show is forbidden.
10. 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 in Show is a puppy it should automatically be awarded Best Puppy in Show. Where the Reserve Best in Show is a puppy which has only been beaten by an adult dog it should also automatically be Best Puppy in Show. Consequently, selection of Best Puppy in Show must follow the selection of Best in Show.
11. BEST IN SHOW Best in Show must be selected from the exhibits declared Best of Sex. If a Reserve Best in Show is to be selected, the eligible dogs are those declared Best Opposite Sex and Reserve Best of Sex to the exhibit declared 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 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 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.** 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. No Exhibitors' Passes will be sent. Exhibitors wishing entries to be acknowledged must send a stamped self-addressed postcard, or supply an e-mail address.

- 17 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. The use of pinch collars, electronic shock collars, or prong collars, is not permitted at any show licensed by the Kennel Club. This shall apply at the venue or within the precincts of the show.
18. Not For Competition entries will be accepted at £1.00 per dog. Details of each dog so entered must be recorded on the entry form and must be Kennel Club registered.
19. No modifications will be made to the schedule except by permission of the Board of the Kennel Club, which will be followed by advertisement in the Canine Press wherever possible.
20. Should any judge be prevented from fulfilling their engagement, the Committee reserves to themselves the right of appointing other judges to fulfil their duties. Exhibitors are at liberty to withdraw from competition but no entry fees can be refunded.
- 21 Any owner, competitor 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 venue and within the environs of that event including car and caravan parks and approaches. Adequate receptacles for the disposal of such fouling will be provided.

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- 22 The Committee will do its utmost to ensure the safety of the dogs brought for exhibition but it must be clearly understood by exhibitors and all other persons at the Show that the Committee will not be responsible for the loss or damage to any dogs or property, or personal injury whether arising from accident or any other cause whatsoever.
- 23 If in the opinion of the Show Secretary, Show Manager or Judge any dog is considered not in a fit state for exhibition owing to a disease, savage disposition, or any other cause, the dog may be excluded or removed from the show the dog must not be brought into the Show at any time under any circumstances, and if such exclusion takes place, either before or after judging, the entry fee will be forfeited.
- 24 An announcement prior to the date of closing of entries in Our Dogs of any alteration or addition made by the Committee to the schedule or in these Rules shall be sufficient notice thereof.
- 25 All children must be kept under control and parents will be held responsible for any damage caused and charges incurred.
- 26 No animal other than an exhibit duly entered at the show will be allowed within the precincts of the show during its continuance.
- 27 The owner, exhibitor, handler or other person in charge of a dog at a Kennel Club licensed event 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)
- 28 A dog may be disqualified by the Board 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 the appropriate entry fees.
- 29 Every exhibitor shall ensure that whilst the dog is being exhibited, its handler shall display the correct ring number.
30. No dogs are allowed in the kitchen or the toilets.
31. Any preparation of dogs, which is necessary, must take place in the appointed area.
- 32 The Committee of the Norwich Terrier Club shall not be responsible for exhibitors missing their classes.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY - 2024

Saturday 24th August

FUN DAY

Baginton Village Hall,

Sunday 24th November

CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW

Morning

Road Village Hall

Judge: **Mrs Andrea Smith**

Sunday 24th November

OPEN SHOW

Afternoon

Road Village Hall

Judge: **Miss Gina Dorkins**

REGULATIONS FOR THE PREPARATION OF DOGS FOR EXHIBITION F(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 11.
 - (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 there at.
 - (b) Unless 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 A11.
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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 dewclaws, of any breed
 - (c) 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 Regulation 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.

DIRECTIONS

There have been major roadworks in the area of Roade Village and you are advised to use your satnav to the venue (NN7 2PT). If anyone does not have a satnav the directions to the venue will be on websites such as Green Flag. If there is anyone who needs these to be printed off, please contact Beverley Watkins and she will do her best to help. She can be contacted on 01708 473897 (before 7pm).

Venue is approx 2 miles from the M1 Junction 15.

TRADE STANDS

The Committee can accept no responsibility for 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 the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition.

EXERCISE AREA

An Exercise Area will be provided. Exhibitors/Handlers are required to clear up any fouling by the dog(s) in their charge.

Abbeystar Print Solutions, 86 Pall Mall, Leigh-on-Sea, Essex SS9 1RG.