

## RULES AND REGULATIONS

- 1. OPENING OF SHOW.** The Show will open at 9.00 a.m.
- 2. ARRIVAL OF DOGS.** 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 TIME** Judging will commence at 10.00 a.m.
- 4. REMOVAL OF DOGS.** The Show will close half an hour after all judging has been completed by Which time dogs must be removed. Exhibits may be removed from the show after their judging has been completed. Exhibits may not be removed any earlier unless by written order of the Veterinary Surgeon, Veterinary Practitioner or of the Show Management, and then only in very exceptional and unforeseen circumstances which must be reported to the Kennel Club.
- 5. COOKING STOVES.** 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 £10.50 first entry per dog, subsequent entries £1.00 same dog  
Non Members £11.50 first entry per dog, subsequent entries £1.50 same dog
- 7. PRIZE MONEY** – Is available for B.I.S.- R.B.I.S.-Best Puppy – Res.Best Puppy & Best Veteran
- 8. REFUSAL OF ENTRIES:** The Committee reserves the right to refuse entries
- 9. PUPPIES:** Puppies under six calendar months of age on the first day of the Show are not eligible for exhibition
- 10. MATING OF BITCHES:** The mating of bitches within the precincts of the Show is forbidden
- 11. 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 will automatically be Best Puppy in Show. 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.  
Best Puppy in Show must be selected from puppies which have been judged and which are unbeaten by any other puppy.  
**WITHDRAWAL FROM OTHER COMPETITION** Puppies which become eligible for Best Puppy in Show may be withdrawn from all other competition, other than Breed Classes, prior to the competition for Best Puppy in Show as appropriate in order to remain unbeaten.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 subsequent competition. **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:** The dog declared Best in Show is a dog which has 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. Dogs which become eligible for Best In Show maybe withdrawn from all other competition, other than breed classes prior to 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 previousle elegeble. The dogs declared Best in Show & Reserve Best in Show however, must not compete in any subsequent competition. **Proviso** For the purposes of this regulation, dogs beaten in competition for Stud Dog, Brood Bitch, Progeny, Brace, & Team or a Special Award confined to a single breed, will not be considered to be beaten dogs.
- 13. ADMISSION TO BEST IN SHOW:** 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.
- 14. REGULATIONS:** No modification will be made to this Schedule except by permission of the General Committee of the Kennel Club, which will be followed by advertisement in the Canine Press wherever possible
- 15. PREPARATION FOR EXHIBITION:** All exhibitors must be familiar with Kennel Club Regulation F(Annex B) Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition.
- 16. DOGS RESIDENT OUTSIDE UK:** All dogs resident outside the UK must be issued with a Kennel Club Authority to Compete number before entry to show/event can be made. All overseas entries without an Authority to Compete number will be returned to the exhibitor/competitor



## THE NORTH EAST OF ENGLAND IRISH SETTER CLUB SCHEDULE OF THE 2008 BENCHED

### BREED CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW FOR IRISH SETTERS

Held under Kennel Club Rules & Show Regulations

at EASINGTON DISTRICT LEISURE CENTRE,  
Peterlee, Co.Durham SR8 1AF  
On Saturday 18th October 2008

Show Opens : 9.00a.m. Judging – Bitches: 10.00 a.m. Dogs: 10.30 a.m

#### Guarantors to The Kennel Club

Society Chairperson Society Mrs.J.McAvoy, 20 Carrington Close, Seghill, Cramlington, Northumberland  
Secretary. Mr.T.Dodds, 21 Elsdon Close, Peterlee, Co.Durham. 0191-5866396  
Society Treasure. Mrs.A.Bennett, 25 Mitford Road, Morpeth, Northumberland  
Mrs.C.Gill, Pontop Hall, Dipton, Stanley, Co.Durham.  
Mrs.E.Hinslea, 19 Park Road, Jarrow, Tyne & Wear.  
Mrs.J.Dodds, 21 Elsdon Close, Peterlee, Co.Durham

**VETERINARY SURGEON :** The Gilmore Vetinary Clinic, 37 Marshall Terrace,  
Gilesgate, Durham. Tel. 0191 – 3864477

**B.I.S. £25 : R.B.I.S. £10 : BEST PUPPY IN SHOW £20 : RES.BEST PUPPY £10  
BEST VETERAN £20**

**ROSETTES : 1<sup>st</sup> to Reserve in EACH CLASS**

**MEMBERSHIP £4.50 SINGLE : £6.00 JOINT SENIOR CITIZEN £2.50**

**MEMBERS :** First Entry per dog £10.50 subsequent entries £1.50 Same Dog

**NON MEMBERS :** First Entry £11.50 per dog subsequent entries £1.50 Same Dog

**ENTRIES CLOSE : SATURDAY 30th AUGUST 2008**

ENTRIES TO BE MADE TO:

HON SECRETARY : Mr.T.Dodds  
21 Elsdon Close  
Peterlee  
Co.Durham  
SR8 1NE  
Tel: 0191 – 5866396

## JUDGES

MRS.I.MUNRO (FETTERESK)  
KENNEL CLUB  
CHALLENGE CERTIFICATE - DOG

MRS.M.E.P. TUIE (RUA)  
KENNEL CLUB  
CHALLENGE CERTIFICATE – BITCH

MRS.V.WADE (OLDSTONE) REFEREE

## CLASSIFICATION

1. MINOR PUPPY	DOG	15. MINOR PUPPY	BITCH
2. PUPPY	DOG	16. PUPPY	BITCH
3. VETERAN	DOG	17. VETERAN	BITCH
4. JUNIOR	DOG	18. JUNIOR	BITCH
5. SPECIAL YEARLING	DOG	19. SPECIAL YEARLING	BITCH
6. MAIDEN	DOG	20. MAIDEN	BITCH
7. NOVICE	DOG	21. NOVICE	BITCH
8. UNDER GRADUATE	DOG	22. UNDER GRADUATE	BITCH
9. GRADUATE	DOG	23. GRADUATE	BITCH
10. POST GRADUATE	DOG	24. POST GRADUATE	BITCH
11. MID.LIMIT	DOG	25. MID. LIMIT	BITCH
12. LIMIT	DOG	26. LIMIT	BITCH
13. OPEN	DOG	27. OPEN	BITCH
14. SPECIAL BEGINNER	DOG	28. SPECIAL BEGINNER	BITCH
		29. BRACE	

Competition for Best in Show and Best Puppy in Show  
**will take place when all the classes have been judged**

Competition for Best Veteran will take place after Classes 14 & 28 have been judged  
Brace Class will be judged by the Referee during lunch break

### 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.

Show awards issued by the Irish Kennel Club which count towards the title of Champion, shall be five point Green Stars or more.

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 entries shall be counted when entering for any class i.e. **23rd August 2008**

Wins in Variety classes do not count for entry in Breed classes but when entering for Variety classes, win in both Breed & 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:-

### WITHDRAWAL:

The dog may be withdrawn from competition subject to the conditions of Regulation 9 ( J ) and 20.

### TRANSFER:

- 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 and, 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.
- For an exhibit entered incorrectly in a Minor Puppy class or Puppy class, which is over age but under twelve calendar months of age or eighteen calendar months of age respectively, the Show Secretary shall transfer the exhibit to the Puppy class or Junior class respectively.
- 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
- 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.

<b>MINOR PUPPY</b>	For dogs of six and not exceeding nine calendar months of age on the first day of the Show
<b>PUPPY</b>	For dogs of six and not exceeding twelve calendar months of age on the first day of the show.
<b>JUNIOR</b>	For dogs of six and not exceeding eighteen calendar months of age on the first day of the show
<b>SPECIAL BEGINNERS MAIDEN</b>	For owner, handler or exhibit not having won a Challenge Certificate in the breed or Championship Show (Minor Puppy, Special Minor Puppy, Puppy & Special Puppy classes excepted, whether restricted or not
<b>NOVICE</b>	For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate or 3 or <b>more</b> First Prizes at Open and Championship Shows (Minor Puppy, Special Minor Puppy, Puppy, & Special Puppy classes excepted whether restricted or not
<b>UNDERGRADUATE</b>	For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate or three or more First Prizes at Championship Shows (Minor Puppy, Special Minor Puppy, Puppy and Special Puppy classes excepted, whether restricted or not).
<b>GRADUATE</b>	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.
<b>POST GRADUATE</b>	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.
<b>MID LIMIT</b>	For dogs which have not won three Challenge Certificates or five or more First Prizes in all at Championship Shows in Mid Limit, Limit and Open classes, confined to the breed, whether restricted or not, at shows where Challenge Certificates were offered for the breed
<b>LIMIT</b>	For dogs which have not won three Challenge Certificates under three different Judges or seven or more First Prizes in all, at Championship Shows in Limit and Open classes, confined to the breed, whether restricted or not, at Shows where Challenge Certificates were offered for the breed.
<b>OPEN</b>	For all dogs of the breeds for which the class is provided and eligible for entry at the Show.
<b>VETERAN</b>	For dogs of not less than seven years of age on the day of the Show.
<b>SPECIAL YEARLING</b>	For dogs of six months and not exceeding twenty-four calendar months of age on the first day of the show
<b>BRACE</b>	For two exhibits (either sex or mixed) of one breed belonging to the same exhibitor, each exhibit having been entered in some class or than Brace or Team
<b>NOT FOR COMPETITION</b>	Societies may at their discretion, accept Not For Competition entries. Societies may accept such entries from breeds of dog not included within the title of the Society and at shows held over more than one day, such entries may be accepted on any day from any breed.

**REGULATIONS FOR THE PREPARATION OF DOGS  
FOR EXHIBITION F (B)**

1. These Regulations must be observed when a dog is prepared for exhibition for any Kennel Club Licensed event. Objection may be referred to the General Committee and may include reference for disciplinary action under Kennel Club Rule A 42
- 2a. No substance which alters the natural colour, texture or body of the coat may be present in the dogs coat for any purpose at any time during the show.
- 2b 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) 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 any 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 & the individual must produce evidence of identity at the time of lodging the complaint.

Your dog is vulnerable and AT RISK if left in a vehicle in high temperature 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

## TROPHIES

Confined to Members of the club and to be held from Show to Show

**EXHIBITORS PASSES** will not be sent, but entries will be Acknowledged if a stamped addressed Postcard/Envelope is sent with entries. Alternatively submit e-mail address with entry and request acknowledgement.

### ADVERTISING IN THE CATALOGUE

**£5.00 FULL PAGE**

### LICENSED BAR

**FOOD & REFRESHMENTS WILL BE ON SALE**

Anyone wishing to sponsor Rosettes please contact Secretary As soon as possible in order that the rosettes can be endorsed with the sponsor's name.

### EXHIBITORS PLEASE NOTE.

The committee have decided not to present individual class trophies at this years championship show. Trophies will only be presented for main prize winners. We will however also present a personalised plaque to the BIS Best Dog or Bitch, Best Veteran and Best Puppy. A favourite photo of the successful winners will be permanently etched onto an aluminium plate and mounted on a mahogany plinth to produce a beautiful unique memento

