

## SHOW REGULATIONS

1. The Show will open at 8.30am.
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 with Bitches at 9.30am, Dogs 10.30am but not before end of Minor Puppy Bitch.
4. The show will close half an hour after 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. The entry fee per class is £16.50 (members), £18.00 (non members), Veteran/4-6mths NFC £5.00. 4th or more dogs £13.00.
6. There is no prize money on offer at this Show.
7. The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries.
8. Puppies under six calendar months of age on the first 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 received a first prize in a class 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 also automatically be 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.
11. BEST IN SHOW. Best in Show must be selected from the exhibits declared Best of Sex but only if they have received a first prize in a class at the same show. If a Reserve Best in Show is to be selected, the eligible dogs are those declared Best Opposite Sex and the 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 it's feet not to 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 (Annexe 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: 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 Kennel Club Rules and Regulations. Kennel Club Show Schedule Notice. See reverse of entry form
17. Not for Competition entries will be accepted. Details of each dog entered must be recorded on the entry form and must be Kennel Club registered.
18. 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.

## MANCUNIAN BOXER CLUB

### Schedule of Benched 22 Class Single Breed Championship Show

*Held under Kennel Club Limited Rules & Regulations*

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



See classification for  
**CHAMPION'S CLASSES**

*on Sunday 1st April 2018 at*

THE PARTINGTON SPORTS VILLAGE, CHAPEL LANE,  
PARTINGTON, MANCHESTER. M31 4ES

Show Opens 8.30am – Judging bitches 9.30am - Dogs 10.30am  
*but not before Minor Puppy Bitch completed.*

### JUDGES

**DOGS – Ms Sara Brooks [Jinnybrux]**

**BITCHES – Ms Linda Naslund [Handlers]**

**REFEREE – Mr Derek Smith [Clickam]**

*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.”*

### Guarantors to the Kennel Club

Chairman (acting) - Mr N Hobson, Wheeldale, Oldham. 014 3AX

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**HON. VETERINARY SURGEON:** Buchanan Veterinary Group,  
77 Princess Road, Urmston, Manchester. Tel 0161 748 1124

**Entries Close Friday 16th March 2018 (Postmark)**

*All wins up to & including 09/03/18 must be counted when entering any class.*

*All communications to acting*

*Hon. Secretary – Mrs A Huxley*

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## DEFINITION OF CLASSES

## CLASSIFICATION

*KC. CHALLENGE CERTIFICATE - DOG*

**JUDGE – Ms Sara Brooks**

*K.C. CHALLENGE CERTIFICATE - BITCH*

**JUDGE – Ms Linda Naslund**

**Referee – Mr Derek Smith**

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|---------------------|------------------------|
| 1 VETERAN DOG       | 12 VETERAN BITCH       |
| 2 MINOR PUPPY DOG   | 13 MINOR PUPPY BITCH   |
| 3 PUPPY DOG         | 14 PUPPY BITCH         |
| 4 JUNIOR DOG        | 15 JUNIOR BITCH        |
| 5 YEARLING DOG      | 16 YEARLING BITCH      |
| 6 NOVICE DOG        | 17 NOVICE BITCH        |
| 7 GRADUATE DOG      | 18 GRADUATE BITCH      |
| 8 POST GRADUATE DOG | 19 POST GRADUATE BITCH |
| 9 LIMIT DOG         | 20 LIMIT BITCH         |
| 10 OPEN DOG         | 21 OPEN BITCH          |
| 11 CHAMPION DOG     | 22 CHAMPION BITCH      |

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**ROSETTES - BIS, BPIS, DCC, BCC, RDCC, RBCC, BPD, BPB, BV.**  
1<sup>st</sup> – VHC in all class

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### ENTRY FEES

First entry with each dog £16.50 members, £18.00 non members  
Veterans /4-6mths & NFC £5.00. 4th or more dogs £13.00.

Prepaid catalogue £2.00 [£2.50 on the day]

**MEMBERSHIP 1st Jan - 31st Dec**

Single £4.00      Joint £6.00      Junior £1.00

**PLEASE NOTE** as chairs may be limited it is advised to bring your own along.

**HEART TESTING** available @ £20 per dog  
Please contact Secretary to book

**STRICKLY NO CHALKING/POWDERING OF EXHIBITS INSIDE THE VENUE**

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. 9th March 2018).

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 Regs 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 exhibitor 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 or three of more First Prizes at Open and Championship Shows (Minor Puppy, Special Minor Puppy, Puppy and Special Puppy classes excepted, whether restricted or not).
GRADUATE	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 where Challenge Certificates were offered for the breed.
POST-GRADUATE	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 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 CC/CACIB/CAC/Green Stars or won 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.
OPEN	For all dogs of the breed for which a class is provided and eligible for entry at the Show.
CHAMPION	For dogs who have been confirmed a Champion or a Show Champion under the Kennel Club regulations or under the rules of any governing body recognised by the Kennel Club.
VETERAN	For dogs of not less than seven years of age on the first day of the Show.
ADVISORY NOTICE - NOT FOR COMPETITION:	

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 (Annex 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 A42.
  - (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 thereat.
  - (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 A42.
2.
  - 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 dew claws 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 Regulations 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.

### **Dogs in Hot Vehicles**

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 licenced 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 Regulations to refuse any entry.

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.

#### **WE WOULD ASK ALL EXHIBITORS TO OBSERVE THE FOLLOWING**

1. Plastic sacks will be placed in the hall. Will exhibitors place all rubbish in these.
2. In the case of dogs fouling inside, will OWNERS please clean up immediately.
3. 'CHILDREN' must be kept under the control of their adults. Any child continuing to misbehave, parents will be asked to remove them from the Show.

**N.B. To enable your Club to keep the venue  
PLEASE KEEP THE VENUE CLEAN AND USE EXERCISE AREA PROVIDED  
THANK YOU**

