

Held under Kennel Club Ltd. Rules & Regulations

# held in conjunction with Driffield Championship Show At The Racecourse, Wetherby LS22 5EJ

# on SATURDAY 27th AUGUST 2022

A dog docked on or after the 6th April 2007 may not be entered for exhibition at this show.

Show Opens: 7.30 a.m.

### Judging will commence after Driffield CC's have been

awarded and not before 10.00 a.m.

# Judge: Mr. G. Corish

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 wellbeing of the dog. <u>NO DOGS RECEIVED AFTER 11.00 a.m.</u>

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).

ENTRY FEES:- First Entry Members £15.00, Non Members £18.00 Subsequent entries £3.00 each for same dog. NFC £3.00 no spectator dogs. CAR PARKING PASSES will only be provided for exhibitors who are NOT ENTERED FOR DRIFFIELD CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW

**Rosettes for:-**

Best in Show, Reserve Best in Show, Best Puppy, Best Opposite Sex, Best Veteran, Reserve Best Puppy, 1st to 4th in each Class

Show Manager: Mr A. Woodhead 1 Applegarth, Mill Lane, South Milford, North Yorkshire LS25 5BL Tel: 07425 170738

## Entries close: By Post 5<sup>th</sup> August 2022 (Postmark) Online midnight 8<sup>th</sup> August at www.arenaprint.co.uk

wins up to and including 1<sup>st</sup> August 2022 must be counted when entering any class at this show.

#### NORTHERN SAMOYED SOCIETY

President: Mrs. P. TaylorVice Chairman: Mr N. CollinsonChairman: Mr. A. WoodheadVice Chairman: Mr N. CollinsonSecretary: Mr Graham Smith, 92 FerndownClose, Walsall, West Midlands, WS3 3XHTreasurer: Mrs. J. Woodhead. 1 Applegarth, Mill Lane, South Milford, North Yorks

#### Committee for 2022/23

Mrs. J. Collinson, Mr. N. Collinson, Mrs. M. Short, Mrs J Smith, Mrs. R. Tierling

Provided by Driffield Championship Show Veterinary Surgeon Dr Dinu Catilina DVM CertAVP(GSAS) MRCVS Will Exhibitors please note they are responsible for any Fees incurred resulting from Veterinary treatment received at the Show.

## SHOW INFORMATION

Please display your CAR PARK pass in a prominent place in your vehicle windscreen to aid the Steward to easily see it and therefore direct you to the right place. Do not forget to place your Vehicle Number Registration in the place provided. There will be a "One Way" system of operation for travelling around the Showground, please always follow the signs. Stewards will be on hand to direct vehicles into the Car Parks, please follow their instructions. Do not Park in any areas other than those designated for Exhibitors.

Planning this show during what has been a challenging period, Driffield Championship Dog Show Society are committed to working with and for our exhibitors and visitors. The issue is the increase in costs and availability of all equipment and services necessary for the staging of the event. Benching will be in place which means that there will be -NO FACILITIES FOR GAZEBOS: TENTS OR FISHING UMBRELLAS WITHIN THE SHOWGROUND.

In the unlikely event that we must go back to Covid restrictions we will of course comply with all of them.

As was the practice before there will be areas set aside for grooming of exhibits, please use them, there will be no obstructions allowed around the rings (no grooming at the ringside).

It is requested that those visiting the show (including exhibitors) bring with themselves their own chairs along with personal Sanitizer. Cold Water will be available throughout the show for the purpose of washing hands and drinking, unfortunately there will not be Hot Water available. Hand Sanitizer Stations will be located around the Showground.

If a competitor, or anyone in their household, has Covid-19 related symptoms or has tested positive for Covid-19 they must isolate in line with Government advice. <u>The competitor must not attend the event</u>

#### CLASSIFICATION

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch

### Judge: Mr. G. Corish

1	Minor Puppy Dog	9	Minor Puppy Bitch
2	Puppy Dog	10	Puppy Bitch
3	Junior Dog	11	Junior Bitch
4	Yearling Dog	12	Yearling Bitch
5	Post Graduate Dog	13	Post Graduate Bitch
6	Limit Dog	14	Limit Bitch
7	Open Dog	15	Open Bitch
8	Veteran Dog	16	Veteran Bitch

### Best in Show, Best Puppy in Show and Best Veteran will be judged after class 16

### **DEFINITION 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. 1<sup>st</sup> August 2022. 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. First prizes awarded in any classes defined as Special do not count towards eligibility. 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 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 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 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 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 s ix 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.

**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 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 7 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 the class is provided and eligible for entry at the Show.

VETERAN For dogs of not less than seven years of age on the first day of the Show.

**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.

#### SHOW RULES AND REGULATIONS

- (1) The show will open at 7.30 am.
- (2) Dogs will be received until 11.00 a.m. and after which no dogs may be received except under unforeseen and exceptional circumstances and by special permission of the Show Management.
- (3) Judging will commence after Driffield Challenge Certificate Judging Not before 10 a.m
- (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) The entry for members is £15.00 per dog 1st entry, and for non-members £18.00 per dog 1<sup>st</sup> entry. Subsequent entries with the same dog are £3.00. NFC £3.00 per dog no spectator dogs.
- (6) There will be no prize money awarded 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) 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 may, at the discretion of the judge, 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 may, at the discretion of the judge, 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 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 Reserve Best of Sex to the exhibit declared Best in Show.
- (12) Exhibits will not be admitted to the 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 bus 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.

- (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. 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 this schedule except by permission of the Board of the Kennel Club, which will be followed by advertisement in the Canine Press wherever possible.

#### Advisory Notes – Additional Rules and Regulations

- 1. 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.
- 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.
- 3. 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.

- 4. 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.
- 5. All children must be kept under control and parents will be held responsible for any damage caused and charges incurred.
- 6. Please do not obstruct gangways with trolleys. Storage space will be made available for trolleys/ cages.
- 7. 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. No animal other than an exhibit duly entered at the show will be allowed within the precincts of the show during its continuance.
- 8. 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)
- 9. 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.
- 10. Every exhibitor shall ensure that whilst the dog is being exhibited, its handler shall display the correct ring number.

<u>Use of Electrical Equipment at Shows</u> The Kennel Club is becoming increasingly concerned at the amount of electrical equipment being used by exhibitors at shows, including hair dryers and hair straighteners and other grooming devices.

Electrical equipment should not be brought to shows unless absolutely necessary. In rare instances where it might be required, it should be PAT tested and permission sought from the secretary of the show before it is used.

The Kennel Club has also been informed of recent instances of exhibitors commandeering certain areas of a venue in order to have access to power points so as to use electrical grooming equipment. This is totally unacceptable and particularly unfair on the breeds whose allocated areas have been cramped because of this selfish behaviour.

<u>Security at shows</u> In light of recent events the Kennel Club would like to issue a reminder to all Societies of the importance of security at dog shows.

The Kennel Club understands that due to the nature of dog shows and the quantity of paraphernalia exhibitors bring it would be extremely difficult for show organisers to take on the issue of security alone, therefore we would reiterate the advice being given by the Police and security services, that everyone in the UK should remain vigilant and this applies to those organising and taking part in dog shows.

The importance of exhibitors feeling that they and their dogs are safe when attending a show cannot be underestimated. We would therefore remind you of the importance of the need for show organisers and exhibitors to remain mindful of potential dangers and that all visitors generally need to be vigilant and alert.

Furthermore the society should provide robust notification informing exhibitors of where to report to should they see anything suspicious or of concern, and of the evacuation procedures in place.

#### THE NORTHERN SAMOYED SOCIETY

#### **APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP**

I/We hereby wish to apply for membership of The Northern Samoyed Society and if elected agree to abide by the rules of the Society

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Address				
	Telephone			
Email address				
Newsletter preferred by Email/ PDF or Post Please tick choice				
Annual Subscription enclosed				
Single Membership £9.00	Joint Membership £10.00			
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