



**The  
Irish Setter  
Breeders Club**  
**CHRISTMAS SHOW**



**SCHEDULE OF  
31 CLASS BENCHED  
SINGLE BREED CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW**  
(confined to Irish Setters, held under Kennel Club Limited Rules & Regulations)



at **THE KENNEL CLUB BUILDING**  
**STONELEIGH PARK, COVENTRY, WARWICKSHIRE CV8 2LZ**



on **SATURDAY 7<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER 2024**

Show Opens: 8.00am                      Judging starts at 9.30am  
Show closes half an hour after judging

**PRIZE MONEY  
ON OFFER AT  
THIS SHOW**

**Judges:**  
**Dogs: Miss Cathy Loughlin (Rohanmor)**  
**Bitches: Mrs. Sally Foster (Shanoah)**  
**Referee: Mr. Dave Hemmings (Orlanset)**

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*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*

**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 5).

**POSTAL ENTRIES CLOSE: SATURDAY, 16<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER, 2024 (Postmark)**  
**ONLINE ENTRIES CLOSE: MIDNIGHT, SATURDAY, 23<sup>rd</sup> NOVEMBER, 2024**  
**Qualifying date for entries – Saturday, 9<sup>th</sup> November 2024**

**POSTAL ENTRIES WITH FEES TO BE SENT TO: Mrs P. Lucas.**  
**18 Kirkwell Cottages, High Hauxley, Morpeth, Northumberland NE65 0JN**

**ONLINE ENTRIES TO: [www.onlineshowentry.com](http://www.onlineshowentry.com)**



## **ABOUT YOUR JUDGES**

### **MISS CATHY LOUGHLIN (Rohanmor) - DOGS**

In late 1965 my parents lived in Scotland and the owners of the flat that rented had two Irish Setters (mother and daughter called Canberra and Fritter). They moved back home to Belfast where my brother and myself were born. Fast forward to the early 70s, whilst out shopping an Irish Setter jumped into my mum's car. She put him out of the car but he followed her home. She advertised him to see if he was a lost dog but no-one came forward so he stayed and was named Rusty, We also has a working ESS but then she became my grandmothers dog.

My ambition as a youngster was to be a journalist but I ended up spending most of my adult life in accountancy type work until I was finally made redundant in 2015, so I started up a small boarding kennel business and have been doing this since then.

I have always been mad about animals, whether it be cat, dogs, horses I have enjoyed being around all of them. Finally at 15 years old I was allowed to get my own dog so the only choice of breed for me had to be an Irish Setter. My first bitch called Tara was bought in 1983 and she came from the Pegwood Kennels owned by Agnes Spratt who was also a cousin of Bob Cleland of the Moval Kennels. Tara had 2 litters and her first was a huge learning curve for me. Her second litter produced my first Junior Warrant winner. I got a second Irish Setter from the Pegwood Kennels called Danny-Boy who did a small amount of winning along with Tara and both gained their Stud Book numbers. At first my mother and I had no idea what this stud book number was, until a lovely lady explained it to my mum and this lady was non other than Janice Roberts, this was our only encounter with this wonderful knowledgeable person. My Affix is Rohanmor and I was first granted this with the Irish Kennel Club, I have this for life with them. A few years later I was granted the same Affix with the Kennel Club

I went to my first dog show in February 1986 and although it was quite daunting I was hooked. In 1987 I purchased Bardonhill Overboud (Pip) and in 1989 Bonahaired Black Magic (Fritter). Both gained their Junior Warrants and became Irish Show Champions and Pip also won 4 Res CCs. Mated together they produced my first homebred Irish Show Champion. I have been lucky enough to have had great success with my dogs, one dog with 1CC, two dogs winning 1 Rec CC each, five dogs gaining Junior Warrants, 18 dogs gaining stud book numbers and 13 dogs gaining their Irish Show Champion titles with some of these dogs also becoming Int. Show Champions. My most successful dog was my amazing Jona aka Rohanmor My Blue Heaven who gained her English, Irish and Int Show Champion titles making history by becoming the first Irish Setter in England and Ireland to gain these three titles. She also holds the breed record for Green Stars in Ireland. One of her greatest achievements was winning the Gundog Group and Res.BIS at Midland Counties Ch. Show in 2009.

I have awarded CCs on three occasions, my last being Midlands Irish Setter Club in 2022. I'm also an FCI Judge for groups 6,7 and 8 and all breeds in Group 10. I'm also approved to judge BIS under FCI rules and have judged in Belgium, Holland and Sweden.

I feel honoured and privileged to have been invited to judge dogs at the ISBC Championship Show in December and I am very much looking forward to it.

Catherine Loughlin

### **MRS SALLY FOSTER (Shanoah) - BITCHES**

I started showing Irish Setters in the late 70's and I was lucky enough to purchase a bitch from Norman Morrish who later became Sh.Ch. Stephenshill Shining Star JW (Starry).

Using Sh.Ch. Sowerhill Satyr of Fearnley she produced Shanoah The Druid 1CC and also producing two Stud Book numbers from her progeny. Later on I used Richard Bott's Sh.Ch. Autumnwood Price Of Tides on a Starry Great Granddaughter and kept a dog who became Sh.Ch. Shanoah Highly Delighted.

I have judged at open shows since the late 80's at at Championship Shows since 2000.

Lastly I have shown Millcroft Chase The Moon to Shanoah RCC and now show Goldnavarm Endurance at Shanoah both gaining their stud book numbers.

At the moment I am trying to give something back to the breed by endeavouring to help several people to gain knowledge of the breed with judging, showing and trimming.

I have always tried to follow in Starry's footsteps with good movement – it was said at the time that she was the best mover in the breed that had been seen, this being something I expect in others (a tall order in anyone's book!)

I have always judged with no fear or favour and hope I will have some lovely bitches to judge at this prestigious show.

Sally Foster

# THE IRISH SETTER BREEDERS CLUB

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## \*\* ENTRY FEES \*\*

<b>Members:</b>	£18.00 First entry per dog ( <b>Includes Catalogue</b> ) Each subsequent entry with the same dog <b>Free.</b>
<b>Baby Puppy Classes</b>	£10.00 per dog
<b>Non-Members:</b>	£22.00 First entry per dog Each subsequent entry with the same dog @ £3.00
<b>Baby Puppy Classes</b>	£12.00 per dog
<b>Not For Competition:</b>	£5.00 (Dogs coming to the show Not For Competition, must comply with the Kennel Club declaration on the entry form in respect of infectious or contagious diseases.
<b>Catalogue:</b>	£3.00 pre paid with entries ( <b>free for members</b> ) <i>There will be a small number available on the day at £3.50</i>
<b>Advertising:</b>	£8.00 Full Page / £5.00 Half Page
<b>Membership:</b>	UK Members: £12.00 Single; £13.00 Joint European Members: £16.00 Rest of the World: £19.00



## \* ROSETTES \*

BEST IN SHOW \* RESERVE BEST IN SHOW  
BEST DOG \* RESERVE BEST DOG  
BEST BITCH \* RESERVE BEST BITCH  
BEST VETERAN IN SHOW  
BEST VETERAN DOG \* BEST VETERAN BITCH  
BEST PUPPY IN SHOW  
BEST PUPPY DOG \* BEST PUPPY BITCH  
BEST BRACE  
BEST BABY PUPPY IN SHOW  
1<sup>st</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> in each class



**Please note that rosettes 1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> in classes 1-31**

**may be collected from the Show Secretary on production of your Prize Card**

*The ISBC would welcome sponsorship of Rosettes at a cost of £5.00 per class. All donations will be acknowledged in the catalogue.*

*Pease contact Paula Lucas ( 07585441438 )*

ADDITIONAL SCHEDULES CAN BE DOWNLOADED FROM  
**onlineshowentry.com**

# ~ ~ CLASSIFICATION ~ ~

**DOGS- MISS CATHY LOUGHLIN (Rohanmor)**  
Kennel Club Challenge Certificate – DOG

**BITCHES – MRS. SALLY FOSTER (Shanoah)**  
Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - BITCH

**REFEREE – MR. DAVE HEMMINGS (Orlanset))**

1. Baby Puppy DOG 16. Baby Puppy BITCH

Best Baby Puppy will be selected from classes 1 & 16

2. Minor Puppy DOG 17. Minor Puppy BITCH

3. Puppy DOG 18. Puppy BITCH

*Best Dog Puppy from classes 1 & 2 and Best Bitch Puppy from classes 16 & 17 will compete with any Puppy entered in any other class in the Show and which remain unbeaten by any other Puppy for BEST PUPPY IN SHOW which will be judged after BEST IN SHOW*

4. Junior DOG 19. Junior BITCH

5. Yearling DOG 20. Yearling BITCH

6. Maiden DOG 21. Maiden BITCH

7. Novice DOG 22. Novice BITCH

8. Undergraduate DOG 23. Undergraduate BITCH

9. Graduate DOG 24. Graduate BITCH

10. Post Graduate DOG 25. Post Graduate BITCH

11. Mid Limit DOG 26. Mid Limit BITCH

12. Limit DOG 27. Limit BITCH

13. Open DOG 28. Open BITCH

14. Veteran DOG 29. Veteran BITCH

15. Special Beginners DOG 30. Special Beginners BITCH

*(Best Veteran will be selected from the winners of the Veteran Classes only)*

Class 31. Brace (*Dog or Bitch – this class will be judged by the Referee during the lunch break*)

**BEST IN SHOW will be judged when all judging is completed**

**REFRESHMENTS WILL BE AVAILABLE AS USUAL**

## PRIZE MONEY ON OFFER

**Best in Show - £50 ~ Reserve Best in Show - £25**

**Best Veteran in Show - £15 ~ Best Puppy in Show - £10**

**Dog CC - £10 ~ Bitch CC - £10 ~ Res. Dog CC - £5 ~ Res. Bitch CC - £5**

**Best Puppy Dog - £5 ~ Best Puppy Bitch - £5**

**Best Baby Puppy Dog - £5 ~ Best Baby Puppy Bitch - £5**

**PLEASE SUPPORT THE CHRISTMAS RAFFLE  
PROCEEDS WILL BE DONATED TO RESCUE & REHOME**

### **SMOKING / VAPING**

**We would like to remind those attending any events organised by the ISBC that no smoking or vaping is permitted within the premises of the show**

### **EXHIBITORS PLEASE NOTE:**

In accordance with Kennel Club guidelines, Exhibitors must display exhibit number / owner identification on their crates, cage or container at all times.

### **WELFARE OF DOGS**

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 Limited Rules and Regulations.

**Right to refuse Entries:** Exhibitors / Competitors are reminded that show societies have the right under Kennel Club Regulations to refuse any entries.

### **DOG LITTER**

Many owners responsibly package their animal's waste. However, they then spoil this by leaving the packets all over the site. Please ensure that such packets are put into the bins provided for this purpose

**DOGS IN WHICH OFFICERS AND COMMITTEE MEMBERS HAVE AN INTEREST, SHALL NOT BE EXHIBITED AT ISBC CLUB SHOWS**

### **HEALTH AND SAFETY**

A nominated Safety Officer will be in attendance throughout the show. Exhibitors and spectators are reminded that just as the Irish Setter Breeders Club has responsibility to ensure the health and safety of all those attending their event, all those present have a duty and responsibility for their own safety. They are therefore expected to take the greatest care to avoid all uneven surfaces, guy ropes, and other hazards, which are inevitable and an integral element of a dog show. Those bringing and using portable items of equipment such as folding chairs, trolleys, cages and grooming tables also have a responsibility to ensure that their tools, equipment and collapsible furniture is used and erected safely and does not constitute a hazard to others. Exhibitors are also reminded that they should wear appropriate clothing and footwear for the prevailing conditions on the site. Exhibitors show at their own risk, if conditions are not ideal or are unsafe, they may withdraw their dogs from classes.

### **ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT**

All electrical equipment **MUST** be PAT tested with an up-to-date certificate. Any exhibitor wishing to use an electrical appliance e.g. hairdryer, must seek the permission of the building's landlord and **MUST** produce a current PAT label attached to the appliance, to the Show Manager, otherwise the equipment will be removed by members of the committee and returned at the end of the show.

***FURTHER COPIES OF THIS SCHEDULE AND ENTRY FORM CAN BE  
DOWNLOADED FROM [www.onlineshowentry.com](http://www.onlineshowentry.com)***

# RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. The Show will open at 8.00 a.m.
2. Dogs will be received until 1 pm after which no dogs may be received except under exceptional and unforeseen circumstances and by special permission of the Show Management.
3. Judging will commence with Dogs at 9.30am. Bitches will follow on completion of Dogs.
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** £18.00 First Entry per Dog; (to Include Catalogue). Each subsequent entry with the same dog Free.  
**Baby Puppy Classes** @ £10 per Dog.  
**Non-Members** £22.00 First Entry per Dog; each subsequent entries with the same dog £3.00.  
**Baby Puppy Classes** @ £10 per Dog. Catalogues – £3.00 prepaid with entries only.  
Not For Competition @ £5 per Dog. . **Advertisements in the Catalogue:** Full Page £8.00 / £5.00 Half Page.  
**Membership:** UK Members - £12 Single; £13 Joint; European Members - £16; Rest of the World - £19.
6. **Prize Money:** See Details on Page 4.
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 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 awarded Best Puppy in Show. Consequently selection of Best Puppy in Show must follow the selection of Best in Show respectively.
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 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 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 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. (Annex B) - Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition.
15. All dogs resident outside the U.K. 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 dogs 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.  
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 K.C. 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 dogs welfare.  
**WARNING: IF YOUR DOG IS FOUND TO BE A RISK, FORCIBLE ENTRY TO YOUR VEHICLE MAY BE NECESSARY WITHOUT LIABILITY FOR ANY DAMAGE CAUSED.**
17. Not For Competition entries are accepted. Details of each dog so entered must be recorded on the entry form and must be Kennel Club registered.

18. No modifications 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.
19. The Show will be held under Kennel Club Rules and Regulations. Every exhibitor making an entry or entries at this show shall be deemed to have agreed to abide by these Rules and Regulations and it is on this understanding only that entries are received.
20. SPECIAL PRIZES (*vide K.C. Reg 25*) – Unless a dog has won a class prize or reserve, it is ineligible to compete for any 'Special'. A dog may not compete for a prize for Best in Show, Reserve Best in Show or Best Either Sex in Show unless it has competed in a class.
21. There will be benching available at this show. In accordance with Kennel Club rules, identification of the exhibit must be attached to any cage etc. brought to the show.
22. The Committee will be most anxious for the care and safety of all dogs entered for exhibition and for any property entrusted to it, but it must be clearly understood by exhibitors and any other persons that the Committee will not be responsible for the entire or partial loss, detention of or damage to any dog or person for any cause whatsoever, nor any act or omission of themselves, their officers, servants, agents and others, and it is on this understanding only that entries are received.
23. Should any Judge be prevented from fulfilling his or her engagement, the Committee reserve the right to appoint another Judge or Judges in their place. Exhibitors may withdraw from competition, but no entry fees can be returned.
24. Each Judge will be instructed and empowered to withhold any prize in any class if of the opinion that the dog does not possess sufficient merit. Judges are not empowered to give prizes beyond those offered in this schedule. A Judge's decision shall be final except in a case of fraud, or misrepresentation or where a mistake has been made, bona fide by the Judge. No alterations of the award must be made after the date of the show without specific permission of the Kennel Club (*Vide K.C. Rules 21K & L*).
25. Not For Competition entries will be accepted.
26. Should any question arise not provided for in these Regulations, the decision of the Committee shall be final, subject to appeal to the Kennel Club.
27. Parents are reminded that they are responsible for the action of and damage caused by their children within the environs of the Show.
28. The Committee of the Irish Setter Breeders Club can accept no responsibility for products advertised or sold by stall holders and/or Trade Stands at their Show. Persons attending Club Shows are reminded that the products on sale by Trade Stands, for the preparation and grooming of dogs may not meet the requirements of the Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition. (*K.C.S.R.(F)*).
29. Any owner, competitor, handler 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 show, within the licensed venue and within the environs of that event including car and caravan parks and approaches.
30. The owner, exhibitor, handler or other person in charge of a dog at Kennel Club licensed events 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).
31. 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 appropriate entry fees.
32. Every exhibitor shall ensure that whilst the dog is being exhibited, its handler shall display the correct ring number.

## DEFINITIONS OF CLASSES

*(The word 'dog' includes both sexes)*

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. Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> November 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 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 or 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.

**BABY PUPPY:** A Baby Puppy is a dog of four and not exceeding 6 calendar months of age on the first day of the show.

**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.

**MAIDEN:** For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate / CACIB / CAC / Green Star or a First Prize at Open or Championship Shows (Minor Puppy, Special Minor Puppy, Puppy and Special Puppy classes excepted, whether restricted or not).

**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).

**UNDERGRADUATE:** For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate / CACIB / CAC / Green Star or three or more First Prizes at Championship Shows where Challenge Certificates were offered for the breed (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 / CACIB / CAC / Green Star 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 / 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.

**MID 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 CCs / CACIB / CAC / Green Stars or won five or more First Prizes in all at Championship Shows in Mid Limit, Limit or Open classes, confined to the breed, whether restricted or not, at Shows 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 CCs / CACIB / CAC / Green Stars or won seven 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.

**OPEN:** For all dogs of the breeds 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.

**SPECIAL BEGINNERS:** For Owner, Handler or Exhibit not having won a Challenge Certificate or Reserve Challenge Certificate, or for those breeds not allocated Championship Status, Best of Sex or Reserve Best of Sex at a Championship 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.

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