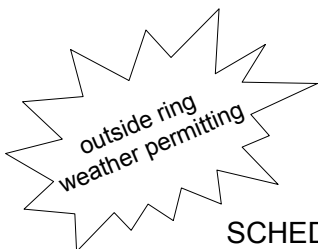


# ENGLISH SETTER SOCIETY OF WALES

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## OPEN SINGLE BREED SHOW

AND THE WINDSOR STEPHENS MEMORIAL CLASSES

Held under Kennel Club Rules & Show Regulations

at **LLANDRINIO VILLAGE HALL, LLANDRINIO, POWYS, SY22 6SB**

*(Close to major motorway and road networks)*

on **SUNDAY 29<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER 2019**

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

Show Opens: 10:00 a.m.     Judging: Dogs 10:30 a.m.     Bitches: To follow dogs.

**JUDGE: Ms. M. Leather (Pewterspeare)**

The MEMORIAL CLASSES will be judged during the lunch-break by

**Miss O. Danks-Kemish (Alolfrana)**

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

Mr P. Mellish, (*Chairman*), Maes Gwyn, Cwm-Cou, Newcastle Emlyn SA38 9PF

Mr R E Evans, (*Treasurer*), Briar Cottage, Plump Hill, Mitcheldean, GL17 0ET

Mrs K Stephenson (*Secretary*), Town End Cottage, Carsington, Matlock, Derbyshire DE4 4PX

**ENTRIES CLOSE: Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> August 2019 (Postmark)**  
**online entries accepted up until 7<sup>th</sup> September 2019 at**  
**[www.arenaprint.co.uk](http://www.arenaprint.co.uk)**

**ENTRIES WITH FEES TO SHOW SECRETARY:** Mrs K Stephenson,  
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## CLASSIFICATION

JUDGE: Ms. M. Leather (Pewterspeare)

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

To be judged during Lunch-break

JUDGE: Miss O. Danks-Kemish (Alofrana)

### **THE WINDSOR STEPHENS MEMORIAL CLASSES (Entry £1)**

**Special Yearling Dog or Bitch (add YMEM on Entry Form)**

**Open Dog or Bitch (add OMEM on Entry Form)**

**Prize Money; 1<sup>st</sup> - £5, 2<sup>nd</sup> - £4, 3<sup>rd</sup> - £3, 4<sup>th</sup> - £2, 5<sup>th</sup> - £1**

**Generously donated by Mr R. E. Evans**

**Note** – dogs must be entered in a breed class to be eligible for the Memorial Classes

**Kennel Club Rule 3.62 25d** – states that a dog beaten in competition for a special award confined to one breed is not considered to be a beaten dog when competing for best puppy or best in show.

**ENTRY FEES: Members:** First entry £4.00 **Non-Members:** First entry £5.00  
All Subsequent entries **FREE**

**Memorial Classes:** £1.00 per dog

**Membership: £3.00 Single £5.00 Joint (Jan 1<sup>st</sup> to Dec 31<sup>st</sup> 2019)**

### **PRIZE CARDS**

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**ROSETTES** FIRST

### **SPECIAL ROSETTES**

BEST IN SHOW

RESERVE BEST IN SHOW

BEST PUPPY

BEST VETERAN

**NO PRIZE MONEY WILL BE PAID FOR CLASS WINS EXCEPTING FOR THE  
MEMORIAL CLASSES**

**The Society is delighted to accept the following additional donations:-**

Prize Money - £10 BIS, £5 RBIS, £5 BPIS Donated by Mr E Evans

Rosettes for Best Puppy (Dog & Bitch) Donated by Mr P Mellish

Rosettes for Best Dog & Reserve Best Dog Donated by Mr & Mrs E. Stephenson

Rosettes for Best Bitch & Reserve Best Bitch Donated by Mr & Mrs E. Stephenson

Anyone wishing to donate specials to be won outright, please contact the Secretary. All donations will be acknowledged in the catalogue.

**REFRESHMENTS** This year we will be offering food vouchers priced to include unlimited drinks and cake or drinks and snacks. As usual all food will be donated by the committee.

## RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. The Show opens at 10:00am
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 at 10:30am DOGS – BITCHES to follow. The Memorial Classes will be judged during the lunch-break - entry fees £1 per dog.
4. Exhibits may be removed from the Show after their judging has been completed. The Show will close 30 mins after all judging is completed.
5. ENTRY FEES Members: £4.00 FIRST ENTRY. Non – Members: £5.00 FIRST ENTRY. Windsor Stephens Memorial classes £1.00 per dog. ALL Subsequent entries: FREE. On-line entries can be made via [www.arenaprint.co.uk](http://www.arenaprint.co.uk)
6. Prize money will only be paid for placings in the Windsor Stephens Memorial Classes and for BIS = £10 RBIS = £5 BPIS = £5
7. The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries.
8. Puppies under 6 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 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 respectively. 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 respectively. 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. Best Veteran in show is selected from the winner of Veteran Dog and Veteran Bitch
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 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. 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.**

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**

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.
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. 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.
24. All children must be kept under control and parents will be held responsible for any damage caused and charges incurred.
25. Please do not obstruct gangways with cages, pens, grooming tables, trolleys and dogs. Storage space will be made available for trolleys/ cages.
26. 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.
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.

### **Use of Electrical Equipment at Shows**

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.

### **Security at shows**

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.

**TRADE STANDS.** The Committee can accept no responsibility for products advertised or sold by standholders 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.

## **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. *24<sup>th</sup> August 2019*.

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 Regulation 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 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 day of the show.

**PUPPY:** For dogs of six and not exceeding twelve calendar months of age on the day of the show.

**JUNIOR:** For dogs of six and not exceeding eighteen calendar months of age on the day of the show.

**MAIDEN:** For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate CACIB/CAC/Green Stars or First Prize at an Open or Championship Show, 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 Stars or three or more First Prizes at an Open or Championship Show, 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 Stars or three or more First Prizes at 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 CACIB/CAC/Green Stars 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 Stars 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 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.

**OPEN:** For 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 day of the Show.

**YEARLING:** For dogs of twelve months and not exceeding twenty four calendar months of age on the 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.

**WINDSOR STEPHENS SPECIAL YEARLING MEMORIAL CLASS:** For dogs of six and not exceeding twenty-four calendar months of age on the day of the show.

**WINDSOR STEPHENS OPEN MEMORIAL CLASS:** For all dogs of the breed for which the class is provided and eligible for entry at the show.



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Llandrinio is approximately one mile off the A483 mid-way between Oswestry and Welshpool and approximately 10 miles from Shrewsbury.

### Via M6/M54 Motorways

Follow the A5 signposted Mid Wales (Shrewsbury Bypass) to the roundabout signposted Welshpool. Turn left onto the A458. In approximately 2.5 miles, just past the Cross Gates pub, turn right onto the B4393 (signposted Four Crosses and Lake Vyrnwy). Follow the B4393 for approximately 8 miles. On entering the village of Llandrinio continue until you see a petrol station on the right. The Village Hall is just past the Petrol Station on the left hand side.

### Via M6/M56/M53 Motorways

Follow the A55 and signs for Chester and Wrexham. Leave the A55 (Chester Bypass) on the slip road signposted Wrexham A483. Follow the A483/A5 to the Mile End Services on the Oswestry Bypass. Continue on the A483 signposted Welshpool. Follow the A483 through Pant, Llanymyncch and Four Crosses. At the crossroads in Four Crosses, (by the Spar Shop and Four Crosses Pub), turn left onto the B4393 signposted Llandrinio. The Village Hall is on the right in approximately 1 mile.

**Car Parking** There is adequate parking at the rear of the Village Hall

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