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**OKEHAMPTON & DISTRICT CANINE SOCIETY**

President: Ms Bryony Herrod-Taylor B VetMed MRCVS

Vice President: Mrs M. Wilson

**SCHEDULE OF 180 CLASS UNBENCHED OPEN SHOW**

Judged on the Group System & held under Kennel Club Limited Rules & Regulations  
at

**The Grange, Northlew Road, Okehampton, DEVON. EX20 3DA**

on

**SUNDAY, 21<sup>st</sup> September, 2014**

Show opens: 8am

Judging starts: 9 am

**Prize Money On Offer For: Best In Show - Reserve Best In  
Show Best Puppy In Show – Best Veteran In Show  
& THREE STAKES CLASSES**

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

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 health, soundness & well-being of the dog.”

**Guarantors to the Kennel Club:**

Mrs M. Wilson (Chairman), Larchwood, Thorndon Cross, Okehampton, Devon. EX20 4NF

Mrs S. Blackford (Show Secretary), 3 Newton Cottages, Stourscombe, Launceston, Cwll. PL15 9LG

Mr P. Saunders (Hon Treasurer), 89 Hawthorn Road, Exeter, Devon. EX2 6ED

**Veterinary Surgeon on call:** North Park Veterinary Group, North Tawton.

Tel: 01837 82327

**Entries close:** Saturday, 16<sup>TH</sup> August, 2014 (Postmark)

Qualifying date: Saturday, 9<sup>th</sup> August, 2014

**Entries & fees to the Show Secretary: Mrs S. Blackford,  
3 Newton Cottages, Stourscombe, Launceston, Cornwall. PL15 9LG  
Tel: 01566 772974**

# Okehampton & District Canine Society

**Officers:** Chairman: Mrs M. Wilson

Hon Secretary: Mr P. Radlett

Hon Treasurer: Mr P. Saunders

Show Secretary: Mrs S. Blackford

Show Manager: Mrs S. Adams

Assistant Show Secretary: M. House

## **Committee:**

Messrs: A. Davey, M. John, F. Marmol, R. Owen & M. Passmore.

Mesdames: R. Chamness, M. Cockburn, C. John, H. Jones, Y. King, S. Marriott & C. Turner.

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## **ENTRY FEES:**

**MEMBERS FIRST ENTRY @ £4.50 per Dog - EACH SUBSEQUENT ENTRY WITH THE SAME DOG @ £1.00**

**NON MEMBERS ENTRY @ £5.00 per Dog - EACH SUBSEQUENT ENTRY WITH THE SAME DOG @ £1.50**

**YKC Members/JHA Handling @ £1.50 PER ENTRY**

**STAKES CLASSES @ £3.50 per class (Rosettes 1<sup>st</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> place)**

**NOT FOR COMPETITION @ £1.00 per Dog (OVER 6 MONTHS OF AGE)**

**CATALOGUES @ £2.50 pre-paid with entries (limited number available on the day @ £3)**

(Free catalogue for exhibitors entering more than 5 dogs N.B. dogs not entries)

**MEMBERSHIP JOINT £4.00 / SINGLE £3.00 (Due 1<sup>ST</sup> January)**

**ADVERTISEMENTS @ FULL PAGE £4.00/ HALF PAGE £2.00**

(Copy & remittance with entries please)

**ROSETTE DONATIONS** – Thank you

Cheques/Postal Orders payable to: Okehampton & District Canine Society

**Entries will NOT be accepted without fees**

***PLEASE NOTE: Best Veteran In Show will be chosen from classes:  
41 – 66 – 85 – 104 – 122 – 142 – 144 – 176 - ONLY***

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## **IMPORTANT NOTICES TO EXHIBITORS**

- 1: Please note Parents/Guardians are responsible for their children at all times at the show.
  - 2: Winners of the Special Veteran classes are **not** eligible to compete for Best in Group unless also entered in breed classes and declared Best of Breed.
  - 3: Best Puppy in Breed will be declared where applicable. Winners of AV Puppy classes are **not** eligible for the Group unless also entered in breed classes and declared Best of Breed. They **are** eligible for the Puppy Group. Puppies are only eligible for the Puppy Group if they are unbeaten by another puppy.
  - 4: Only dogs declared Best Of Breed or Best Not Separately Classified are eligible for the Group competition.
  - 5: Please put litter in the receptacles provided. Should your dog foul the ground within the confines of the show, please clear it up. Bags & paper towels are now provided, in addition to sawdust and buckets, for cleaning up. Please preserve the cleanliness of the venue.
  - 6: Dogs are **not** permitted in and around the toilet area.
  - 7: In the event of any dishonoured cheques incurring bank charges, for whatever reason, the Society will pass on the charge to the exhibitor concerned.
  - 8: Please bring your own chairs.
  - 9: In case of fire, please exit sensibly and immediately and assemble in the Car Park.
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**\*\*\* ROSETTES \*\*\***

We offer rosettes for:

Best in Show - Reserve Best in Show - Best Puppy in Show – Reserve Best Puppy in Show -  
Best Veteran – All group Winners – All Puppy Group Winners

Best of Breed – Best AVNSC

1<sup>st</sup>- 3rd in ALL classes – 1<sup>st</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> in Stakes classes

Donations for the cost of rosettes will be most gratefully received and will

Be acknowledged in the catalogue:

**Class rosettes - £3 per set**

**BOB - BPIB – RBOB - BOS @ £2.50 each**

**Other specials in Breed classes - £3**

**Please phone the Show Secretary to avoid duplication**

Best in Show will receive £10 & a piece of Dartington Glassware

Res Best in Show will receive £5 & a piece of Dartington Glassware

Best Puppy in Show will receive £5 & a piece of Dartington Glassware

Best Veteran in Show will receive £5 & a piece of Dartington Glassware

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The Society has decided to offer the following trophies only:

BIS – RBIS – BOS – BPIS – BVIS - Trophy Secretary: Mrs Y. King – 01409 231388

No Committee member will handle a dog at this Show

**~~~ PLEASE NOTE ~~~**

**This venue has ample hard standing parking**

**Please bring your own chairs - Inside rings for all breeds**

**Matting in most rings**

**REFRESHMENTS WILL BE AVAILABLE IN THE CAFÉ**

**+++ RINGCRAFT – GOOD CITIZENS – OBEDIENCE CLASSES +++**

Are held at the Charter Hall, Okehampton on Monday evenings. For further details  
please phone: Mrs Y. King – 01409 231388

**Website: [www.odcs.org.uk](http://www.odcs.org.uk)**

**Don't forget to enter the STAKES classes**

## CLASSIFICATION

All classes are for dog and bitch unless otherwise stated.

### GUNDOG GROUP

**To commence at 9 am**

**RING 1**

Retriever (Golden)

- 1. Puppy
- 4. Open Dog

**JUDGE: MR P ANDERSON - ASHIQUA**

- 2. Sp. Yearling
- 3. Post Graduate
- 5. Open Bitch

**RING 2**

Retriever (Labrador)

- 6. Puppy
- 9. Open Dog

**JUDGE: MS S PERKINS - KEENINSPIRES**

- 7. Sp. Yearling
- 8. Post Graduate
- 10. Open Bitch

**RING 2**

Irish Setter

- 11. Puppy
- 14. Open Dog

**JUDGE: MRS S RANDLE – RIONORE**

- 12. Sp Yearling
- 13. Post Graduate
- 15. Open Bitch

**RING 3**

Hungarian Vizsla

- 16. Open

Hungarian W/H Vizsla

- 17. Open

Italian Spinone

- 18. Graduate
- 19. Open

Gordon Setter

- 20. Open

Spaniel (Welsh Springer)

- 21. Sp. Yearling
- 22. Post Graduate
- 23. Open Dog
- 24. Open Bitch

Retriever (Flat Coated)

- 25. Graduate
- 26. Open

Spaniel (Cocker)

- 27. Junior
- 28. Post Graduate
- 29. Open Dog
- 30. Open Bitch

Spaniel (English Springer)

- 31. Graduate
- 32. Open

Weimaraner

- 33. Graduate
- 34. Open

Pointer

- 35. Graduate
- 36. Open

Cocker (American)

- 37. Open

AVNSC Gundog

- 38: Open

AV Gundog

- 39: Puppy
- 40: Open
- 41. Veteran
- 42. Brace or team

**JUDGE: MR GRAHAM HILL – DIMLAND**

**GUNDOG GROUP WILL NOW BE JUDGED BY MR GRAHAM HILL**

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### PART PASTORAL GROUP

**RING 3**

**To follow Gundog Group**

Pyrenean Mountain Dog

- 43. Open

Bearded Collie

- 44. Junior
- 45. Post Graduate
- 46. Open

Samoyed

- 47. Sp Yearling
- 48. Graduate
- 49. Open

**JUDGE: MR GRAHAM HILL – DIMLAND**

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**WORKING GROUP**

**RING 4**

**JUDGE: MRS J COLE – MYNTIE**

**To commence at 9 am**

Boxer	50. Puppy	51. Junior	52. Post Graduate
	53. Open Dog	54. Open Bitch	

**RING 4**

**JUDGE: MS G KUHL – NEWFORDS**

Dobermann	55. Junior	56. Post Graduate	57. Open
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**RING 4**

**JUDGE: MR T JONES - HERWR**

Leonberger	58. Open		
Newfoundland	59. Open		
Rottweiler	60. Graduate	61. Open	
Siberian Husky	62. Open		
AVNSC Working	63. Open		
AV Working	64. Puppy	65. Open	66. Veteran
	67. Brace or team		

**WORKING GROUP WILL NOW BE JUDGED BY MR T JONES**

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**PASTORAL GROUP**

**To follow the Working Group**

**RING 4**

**JUDGE: MRS D WHITE – CHELVILLE**

Finnish Lapphund	68. Graduate	69. Open	
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**RING 4**

**JUDGE: MR T JONES – HERWR**

Australian Shepherd Dog	70. Graduate	71. Open	
German Shepherd Dog	72. Open		
Collie (Rough)	73. Junior	74. Post Graduate	75. Open Dog
	76. Open Bitch		
Shetland Sheepdog	77. Junior	78. Graduate	79. Post Graduate
	80. Open Dog	81. Open Bitch	
AVNSC Pastoral	82: Open		
AV Pastoral	83: Puppy	84. Open	85. Veteran
	86. Brace or team		

**PASTORAL GROUP WILL NOW BE JUDGED BY MR T JONES**

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**Don't forget to enter the STAKES classes**

## TERRIER GROUP

**To commence at 9 am**

### RING 5

**JUDGE: MR ROB JONES - SILVERLUKA**

SCWT (Sponsored)	87. Graduate	88. Open	
Bull Terrier (Miniature)	89. Open		
Bull Terrier	90. Open		
Staffordshire Bull Terrier	91. Puppy	92. Junior	93. Post Graduate
	94. Open Dog	95. Open Bitch	

### RING 5

**JUDGE: MR W HARRIS - TAMARWAHY**

Manchester Terrier	96. Open		
Lakeland Terrier	97. Open		
Border Terrier	98. Open		
Fox Terrier (Smooth)	99. Open		
Chesky Terrier	100. Open		
AVNSC Terrier	101. Open		
AV Terrier	102. Puppy	103. Open	104. Veteran
	105. Brace or team		

**TERRIER GROUP WILL NOW BE JUDGED BY MR W HARRIS**

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## HOUND GROUP

**To follow the Terrier Group pm**

### RING 5

**JUDGE: MR G LAWLER - ROQFOLLY**

Basset Hound	106. Graduate	107. Open	
Dachshund Mini Smooth	108. Open –	Miniature Dachshunds will <b>NOT</b> be weighed	
Dachshund Std Smooth	109. Open		
Whippet	110. Sp. Yearling	111. Open	
Ibizan Hound	112: Graduate	113. Open	
Afghan	114. Junior	115. Post Graduate	116. Open
Rhodesian Ridgeback	117. Open		
Beagle	118: Open		
AVNSC Hound	119. Open		
AV Hound	120. Puppy	121. Open	122. Veteran
	123. Brace or team		

**HOUND GROUP WILL NOW BE JUDGED BY MR G LAWLER**

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**Don't forget to enter the STAKES classes**

## UTILITY GROUP

To commence at 9 am

### RING 6

Tibetan Terrier 124. Junior

JUDGE: MRS K DORAN - DREAMWINK

125. Post Graduate 126. Open

### RING 6

Chow Chow 127. Junior

JUDGE: MRS P LOVELL - PAMLOR

128. Post Graduate 129. Open

### RING 6

Dalmatian 130. Graduate

JUDGE: MR R McLEOD – DUNLINE

131. Open.

Tibetan Spaniel 132. Graduate

133. Open

Keeshond 134. Graduate

135. Open

Shih Tzu 136. Open

French Bulldog 137. Graduate

138. Open

AVNSC Utility 139. Open

AV Utility 140. Puppy 141. Open 142. Veteran

143. Brace or team

UTILITY GROUP WILL NOW BE JUDGED BY MR R McLEOD

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### RING 6

JUDGE: MR R McLEOD – DUNLINE

To follow the Utility Group

AV Special Veteran Dog or Bitch (10 years & over) 144. Open

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## TOY GROUP

To commence at 9 am

### RING 7

English Toy Terrier 145. Junior

JUDGE: MR R McLEOD – DUNLINE

146. Post Graduate 147. Open

### RING 7

Bichon Frise 148. Junior

JUDGE: MRS J SHEPHERD - CALPASTOR

149. Post Graduate 150. Open

### RING 7

CKCS 151. Puppy

JUDGE: MS E TURNER - SHALOT

152. Junior 153. Post Graduate

154. Open Dog 155. Open Bitch

### RING 7

Chihuahua (Smooth-coat) 156. Open

JUDGE: MR G LAWLER - ROQFOLLY

Chihuahua (Long-coat) 157. Open

Italian Greyhound 158. Graduate 159. Open

**Don't forget to enter the STAKES classes**

King Charles Spaniel	160. Open		
Miniature Pinscher	161. Open		
Pug	162. Junior	163. Post Graduate	164. Open
Chinese Crested	165. Graduate	166. Open	
Papillon	167. Graduate	168. Open	
Pomeranian	169. Open		
Affenpinscher	170. Open		
Pekingese	171. Graduate	172. Open	
AVNCS Toy	173. Open		
AV Toy	174. Puppy	175. Open	176. Veteran
	177. Brace or team		

**TOY GROUP WILL NOW BE JUDGED BY MR G LAWLER**

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**+++ RING & TIME TO BE ADVISED ON THE DAY +++**

**JUNIOR HANDLING ASSOCIATION**

**JUDGE: MS S CLARK**

**CLASS A - 6 – 11 YEARS**

**CLASS B - 12 – 16 YEARS**

1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> Qualify for the handling Semi-finals at Richmond Championship Show

**+++ Trophies for both classes & overall Junior Handler winner +++**

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**BEST IN SHOW – RESERVE BEST IN SHOW**

**BEST PUPPY IN SHOW – RESERVE BEST PUPPY IN SHOW**

**Best Veteran In Show**

**WILL NOW BE JUDGED BY MR GRAHAM HILL**

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**STAKES CLASSES**

To be judged after Best In Show

**178. AV Junior Stakes – Mr G Lawler**

**179. AV Open Stakes – Mr R McLeod**

**180. Special Champion Stakes – Mr G Hill**

Prize money in all three stakes classes as follows:

**1<sup>st</sup>: £25    2<sup>nd</sup>: £20    3<sup>rd</sup>: £15    4<sup>th</sup>: £10    5<sup>th</sup>: £5**

Rosettes down to 10<sup>th</sup> place

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## 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. 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 be at the time of entry 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. **Saturday 9<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST, 2014**. 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. A dog is not eligible for entry in Variety classes unless also entered and subsequently exhibited in a breed class where such a class is provided for which it is eligible.

Exemptions from this regulation are:-

- 1: A puppy, unless a class for dogs under twelve months of age for which it is eligible is provided for the breed.
- 3: A dog in Any Variety Veteran class.
- 6: A dog which is withdrawn from exhibition in breed classes as a result of the appointment of an emergency Judge.

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) & 20.
- 2: Transfer:
  - a) 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 or, 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.
  - 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 to the Open class for the correct breed, 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 breed, 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 breed, 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.

**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.

**SPECIAL YEARLING** – For dogs of six and not exceeding twenty four calendar months of age on the first day of the show.

**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 seven or more First Prizes in all at Championship Shows in Limit and Open classes confined to the breed, whether restricted or not 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.

**ANY VARIETY NOT SEPARATELY CLASSIFIED** – For breeds of dog for which no separate breed classes are scheduled.

**BRACE OR TEAM** – For two or more 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.

**SPECIAL CHAMPION** – For dogs which have been confirmed a Champion, Show Champion or Field Trial Champion – dogs must compete in breed or AVNSC classes to be eligible for Best in Show.

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## **RULES AND REGULATIONS**

- 1: The show will open at 8 am.
  - 2: Dogs will be received at any time but it is the exhibitors responsibility to ensure that exhibits are available for judging when required.
  - 3: Judging will commence at 9 am.
  - 4: The show will be unbenched. 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 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 - £4.50 per dog first entry - £1 for each subsequent entries per dog.  
Non-Members - £5.00 per dog first entry - £1.50 for each subsequent entries per dog.  
Stakes Classes - £3.50 per dog per class.  
Membership: Single –£3 & Joint - £4  
Catalogues - £2.50 prepaid with entries (to be collected by 12 noon)  
Advertisements - £4 full page & £2 half a page.  
JHA Junior Handling - £1.50 per class.
  - 7: Prize money: Stakes classes – **178, 179 & 180 only:**  
1<sup>st</sup> - £25, 2<sup>nd</sup> - £20, 3<sup>rd</sup> - £15, 4<sup>th</sup> - £10, 5<sup>th</sup> - £5,
  - 8: The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries.
  - 9: Puppies under six calendar months of age on the first day of the show are not eligible for competition.
  - 10: 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 of Breed, Best in Group or Best in Show is a puppy it will automatically be Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show respectively. Similarly, if the Reserve Best of Breed, Reserve Best of Group, or Reserve Best in Show is a puppy which has only been beaten by an adult dog, it will also automatically be Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show respectively. Consequently, selection of Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show must follow the selection of Best of Breed, Best in Group and Best in Show respectively.
    - a) 1: Best Puppy in Group and subsequent Group placings must be selected from puppies which have been judged and which are unbeaten by any other puppy.
    - 2: Best Puppy in Show must be selected from the Best Puppy in Group winners provided they are unbeaten by any other puppy.
- Puppies which become eligible for Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show may be withdrawn from all other competition, other than breed classes and Best Puppy in breed, prior to the competition for Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show in order to remain unbeaten. A puppy beaten in competition for Best Puppy in Group and 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

- b) not compete in any subsequent competition. Puppies may be withdrawn from Any Variety (Av) classes when judged before breed classes.
- c) Proviso – For the purpose of this regulation, dogs beaten in competition for Stud Dog, Brood Bitch, Brace/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. Must be selected from the Best of Group winners provided they are unbeaten. Reserve Best in Show must be selected from the remaining Group winners following the selection for Best in Show.

**Withdrawal from other Competition:** Dogs which become eligible for Best of Group and Best in Show may be withdrawn from all other competition other than breed classes and Best of Breed prior to the competition for Best of Group or Best in Show as appropriate in order to remain unbeaten. A dog beaten in competition for Best in Group or Best in Show may subsequently be exhibited in all competition for which it was previously eligible. The dogs declared Best in Show and Reserve Best in Show however, must not compete in any subsequent competition. Dogs may be withdrawn from Any Variety classes when judged before breed classes. Proviso – For the purpose of this regulation, dogs beaten in competition for Stud Dog, Brood Bitch, Brace and Team or a Special award confined to one breed will not be considered to be beaten dogs.

**13:** 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.

**14:** 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:** All exhibitors must be familiar with Kennel Club Regulations F (Annex B) Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition.

**16:** 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.

**17: Dogs in Cars 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 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, 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 hotter and dehydrated, and this could lead to dire results. Please look after your dogs 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 as 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.

**18: Not for Competition.** 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:** Exhibits only are permitted within the precincts of the Show.

**20:** Should a judge be prevented from fulfilling his/her engagement, the Committee reserves the right to appoint another judge or judges in their place. Exhibitors may withdraw from competition but no entry fees can be returned.

**21:** No Committee member will handle a dog at this show.

**22:** 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 & 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)

**23:** The Committee of the Show can accept no responsibility for products advertised or sold by stallholders at the Show and remind exhibitors that grooming products on sale may not meet the requirements of the Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition (KCSR(F)).

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## **Regulation for the preparation of dogs for exhibition F (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 A 42.
  - 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 A 42.
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.
  - 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 dewclaws of any breed.
  - (c) Operations to prevent breeding providing 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.

The General Committee without previous notice may order an examination of any dogs 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.

4. 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.
5. 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.

### **SOFT CRATES**

The Kennel Club has asked that we draw attention to the potential health and safety implications concerning the use of soft crates as in its view, they do not offer sufficient protection to dogs. They have asked that we point out that dogs should not be left unattended in soft crates. There have been instances where dogs have escaped from soft crates which have not been securely fastened to benches, or that have been left at ringside.

We therefore ask that if you use soft crates, you do not leave the dogs unattended, either in the hall, or in an open car in the car park.

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For further details please phone:

Mrs Y. King – 01409 231388

**DOGS IN CARS ON HOT DAYS**

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.

# MAP AND DIRECTIONS TO THE VENUE

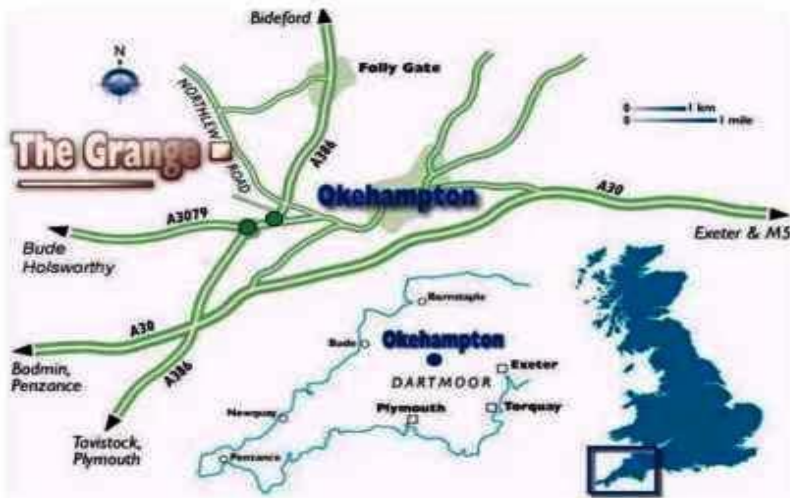
## DIRECTIONS FROM THE EAST OR NORTH

From the M5 Junction 31 follow signs onto the A30 West, clearly signed to Okehampton/Bodmin. Continue along the dual carriageway to the exit sign-posted Okehampton (B3260), then exit the A30. At the end of the slip-road (with the BP garage on your left), turn right and drive down the hill into Okehampton. In the middle of the town you will come to traffic lights opposite the White Hart pub (on the far left). Go straight on at these lights and after one mile, at the top of the hill, turn right (sign-posted Northlew). Continue along this road for half a mile and take the right turn sign-posted Northlew. Continue on this road for 0.3 miles, then go straight on at the Hilltown Cross crossroads. The Grange is 1.5 miles further along this road, on the left.

## DIRECTIONS FROM THE WEST OR SOUTH

Exit the A30 at Sourton Cross (A386 sign-posted Tavistock/Bideford) following signs to Bideford. Go past the Shell filling station and the Little Chef restaurant on your left, and follow the road for 2.1 miles until you come to a mini-roundabout (Fowley Cross). Turn right, following signs to Bideford. After 0.4 miles turn left at the mini-roundabout (sign-posted to Northlew). After a further 0.2 miles take the second left, sign-posted to Northlew. The Grange is 1.5 miles along this road, on the left. Follow Brown signs 'The Grange' from 1<sup>st</sup> roundabout

**From Tavistock...** continue North to the A30 main junction at Sourton Cross. Go past the Shell filling station and the Little Chef restaurant on your left, from there follow the above directions



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