

THE MIDLAND SEALYHAM TERRIER CLUB



SCHEDULE OF 15 CLASS CENTENARY YEAR 1923-2023 OPEN SHOW



UNBENCHED – SINGLE BREED

(Held under The Royal Kennel Club Limited Rules & Regulations)

On SUNDAY 29th October 2023

To be held at **BAGINTON VILLAGE HALL, FRANCES ROAD, BAGINTON,
COVENTRY. CV8 3AB.**

Show Opens 10.00pm

Judging: 11.00am

JUDGE: MRS CARMEL CLARKE-O'NEILL (Lemracdream)

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).

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 and should consider whether it is appropriate to attend the event.

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"

HON VETERINARY SURGERY ON CALL:

THE BILTON VETERINARY CENTRE, 259 BILTON ROAD, RUGBY, WARWICKSHIRE. CV22 7EQ 01788 812650

ENTRIES CLOSE: Saturday 7th October 2023 (Postmark)

ENTRIES TO BE SENT TO: Hon Secretary, Mrs D Bettis.

May Tree Cottage, Pound Lane, Rock, Nr Kidderminster, Worcs DY14 9RD

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email:denise@midlandsealyhamterrierclub.co.uk

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

CLASSIFICATION

Judge: Mrs Carmel Clarke-O'Neill (Lemracdream)

1. Minor Puppy	DOG or BITCH		
2. Puppy	DOG	10. Puppy	BITCH
3. Junior	DOG	11. Junior	BITCH
4. Novice	DOG	12. Novice	BITCH
5. Graduate	DOG	13. Graduate	BITCH
6. Limit	DOG	14. Limit	BITCH
7. Open	DOG	15. Open	BITCH
8. Special Trier	DOG or BITCH		
9. Veteran	DOG or BITCH		

JUNIOR & ADULT HANDLING CLASSES

We will be holding 2 classes for Junior Handling & 1 Adult Handling Class after class 9.

Please enter on the entry form JH1 = ages 6 - 11 years

JH2 = ages 12-16 years

AH = Open 17yrs +

BEST IN SHOW WILL BE JUDGED AFTER CLASS 15

BEST PUPPY WILL BE JUDGED AFTER BEST IN SHOW



Homemade refreshments will be available



RAFFLE PRIZES AND ANY DONATIONS WILL BE GRATEFULLY RECEIVED

FUTURE SHOW DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

OPEN SHOW – SUNDAY 23rd JUNE 2024

Judge: Mr Julian Barney (Romaunt)

CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW – SUNDAY 27th OCTOBER 2024

Judge: Mr Frank Kane (Hirontower)

The venue is Baginton Village Hall, Baginton, Coventry.CV8 3AB

OFFICERS and COMMITTEE

President: Mrs Margaret Evans

Chairman: Miss Claire James



Hon Treasurer: Mr Len Bettis

Hon Secretary: Mrs Denise Bettis.

Show Manager: Mrs Denise Bettis

Committee:

Mrs Iona Courtenay-Warren , Mrs Nicola Curtis, Mrs Charlotte Forkes-Rees,
Mrs Jackie Lee, Mrs Linda Matthews, Mrs Gemma Merson, Mrs Alexe Parker, Miss Zoe Parker.

**NEW MEMBERS TO THE MIDLAND SEALYHAM TERRIER CLUB ARE ALWAYS WELCOME
JOIN NOW AND BE ELIGIBLE TO COMPETE FOR THE CLUB'S CUPS AND TROPHIES**

MEMBERSHIP FROM 1ST JANUARY

£10 OVERSEAS

£10 JOINT

£8 SINGLE

ROSETTES

**For: Best in Show: Reserve Best in Show:
Best Puppy in Show: Best Veteran in Show:
Best Special Trier: Best Junior Handler. Best Adult Handler
First to VHC in every class**

PRIZE MONEY

**First £2.00 Second £1.00 Third 50p
Special Triers - First £8.00 Second £4.00 Third £3.00**

SPECIAL

**One of our members Mr D Lugton has very kindly donated in memory of his father,
who was a Sealyham lover, the sum of £35.00 as prize money for the Special
Beginners Class. The prize will be split between the Open Show and the
Championship Show.**

**For this show £15 will be allocated to the Special Triers Class for
1st, 2nd and 3rd placings.**

The committee sincerely thank Mr Lugton for this donation.

*****IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR EXHIBITORS*****

All dogs must be bought in through the front entrance

Please DO NOT obstruct doors in the hall as this contravenes Fire Regulations

Please DO NOT CHALK in the hall (KC reg F (b))

Please leave this venue clean & tidy. Please clean up after your dog outside.

**No unauthorised dogs are allowed within the show (KC reg F(1))
Cages & trolleys must be stored in designated area (KC reg F (1) 4h (3) refers)**

**DIRECTIONS TO BAGINTON VILLAGE HALL,
FRANCES ROAD, BAGINTON COVENTRY. CV8 3AB**

FROM THE NORTH

Take the M6 to M42. Continue on towards M40, leave the M40 at junction 15, then at the Longbridge roundabout take the 1st exit, then merge onto the A46, (Signposted M69 Coventry).

After approx 10 miles, branch left (Baginton signpost), then at roundabout take the 1st exit onto the A45, (Signposted M42, Birmingham.)

Bear left onto Howes Lane (B4115), turn left onto Mill Hill, continue forward onto Coventry Road, turn right onto Frances Road, arrive at Baginton Village Hall.

FROM THE SOUTH

Take the M40 to Junction 15, follow above directions



Please visit our website for up-to-date show results, photos, breed information & much much more !

www.midlandsealyhamterrierclub.co.uk



THE MIDLAND SEALYHAM TERRIER CLUB OFFERS THE FOLLOWING CUPS AND TROPHIES

(Confined to Members Only)

<u>Class</u>	<u>Cup or Trophy</u>
Minor Puppy Dog or Bitch	Malcom King Mem. Trophy
Puppy Dog	Fostcarter Cup
Junior Dog	Capt De Quincey Cup
Novice Dog	Pindaric Cup
Graduate Dog	King Cup
Limit Dog	Redlands Cup
Open Dog	Vandon Trophy
Veteran Dog or Bitch	St Benets Cup
Special Triers	Bouncer Brilliance Cup
Puppy Bitch	Shanderra Cup
Junior Bitch	Woodridge Cup
Novice Bitch	Tarnvale Cup
Graduate Bitch	Shenden Tankard
Limit Bitch	J Symonds Trophy
Open Bitch	Mardyke Cup
Best in Show	Pool Forge Trophy
Reserve Best in Show	Delamere Bouth Bowl
Best Puppy in Show	M.S.T.C Challenge Cup

PLEASE RETURN ALL CUPS FOR THIS SHOW

Cup Secretary: Miss Claire James

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. The Show will open 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 **11.00am**
4. This show is an UNBENCHED SHOW, 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** £5.00 per dog for 1st class entered (Members). £7.00 (Non-Members), **Subsequent entries** £1.00 per class. **Not For Competition** £1.00. **Junior/Adult Handling Classes** £1.00. **Catalogues** £2.00 pre-booked, £2.50 on the day.
6. Prize money for **Special Triers class** 1st £8.00, 2nd £4.00 & 3rd £3.00. All other Classes 1st £2.00, 2nd £1.00 & 3rd 50p.
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 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 .
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 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 The Royal 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 The Royal 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.

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 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 General Committee for disciplinary action under Kennel Club Rules and Regulations.
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 the schedule except by permission of the Board of The Royal Kennel Club, which will be followed by advertisement in the Canine press wherever possible.
20. Any owner, exhibitor, 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 the event including car and caravan parks and approaches. An exercise area and bins will be provided.
21. Please do not obstruct gangways with **cages, pens, grooming tables, trolleys and dogs** . Storage space will be made available for trolleys/ cages .
22. The Committee will not be responsible for the loss or damage to a dog or dogs or any property whether arising from accident or any other cause whatsoever, or from any act or omission of themselves, their officers, servants or others, and it is this understanding only that entries will be received.
23. No animal other than a dog duly entered at the show will be admitted within the precincts of the show.
24. Fraudulent or Discreditable conduct at Shows: The Secretary of the Show must immediately report in writing to the Secretary of The Royal Kennel Club.

Use of Electrical Equipment at Shows

The Royal 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 Royal 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 Royal Kennel Club would like to issue a reminder to all Societies of the importance of security at dog shows.

The Royal 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.

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 Royal 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 entries shall be counted when entering for any class i.e. **(Saturday 30th September 2023)**.

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 F 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 their being no equivalent class, Minor Puppy and Puppy excepted to the Open class for the correct colour, sex, weight or height.
 - b) If an exhibit entered incorrectly in a Minor Puppy class, Puppy class or Junior 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 their 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 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.

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).

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.

LIMIT: For dogs which have not become Show Champions under The Royal 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 seven or more First Prizes in all, at Championship Shows in Limit and Open classes, confined to the breed, whether restricted or not, at Shows where Challenge Certificates were offered for the breed.

OPEN: For all dogs of the breed for which 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 TRIERS: For owners, handlers or exhibits not having won a Challenge Certificate in the Breed

ADVISORY NOTICE

NOT FOR COMPETITION Societies may at their discretion, accept Not for Competition entries. Societies may accept such entries from breeds of dog not included within the title of the Society and at Shows held over more than one day, such entries may be accepted on any day from any breed.
