



President Mr J.R. Haddock

Wirral Alsatian Training Society

SCHEDULE OF OPEN AGILITY SHOW

(Held under Kennel Club Rules & Regulations H&H(1)
and licensed by the Kennel Club Limited)

SUMMER WEEKEND AGILITY SHOW

Leverhulme Sports Fields, Warren Lane,
Off Riverwood Road, Bromborough CH62 3QQ

Saturday 13th & Sunday 14th July 2019

Show Opens: 8.00am Briefing: 8.15am Judging: 8.30am

GUARANTORS TO THE KENNEL CLUB:-

SOCIETY CHAIRPERSON : MRS I. HADDOCK, 79 ROSEFIELD AVENUE, BEBINGTON, WIRRAL. CH63 5JW.

SOCIETY SECRETARY : MRS J. WEIGHT, 287 TEEHEY LANE, BEBINGTON, WIRRAL. CH63 8QS.

SOCIETY TREASURER : MISS A. M. COOK, 11 SEABANK ROAD, LOWER HESWALL WIRRAL. CH60 4SN

COMPETITION MANAGER: MRS PAULINE BALTES



HIRE EQUIPMENT AND ELECTRONIC TIMING WILL BE USED AT THIS SHOW
THE CONTACT SURFACES WILL BE RUBBER COATED

ALL CLASSES INCLUDE LOWER HEIGHT OPTION

Entry Fees: £3.30 per class (Helping Wirral Members £1.65 per class)

CHEQUES TO BE MADE PAYABLE TO

'WIRRAL ALSATIAN TRAINING SOCIETY' (WITHOUT ABBREVIATION please)

These will not be cashed until closing date..

Entries Close: Thursday 30th May 2019 (1st Class Postmark)

POST TO: Wirral ATS Entries, Showtime, Evenwood, Low Westwood, NE17 7PZ

Or enter Online at www.Showtime-online.co.uk

Grade changes and Entry enquiries to: admin@showtime-online.co.uk

Telephone: 01207 565774, no calls after 9pm
please

All grade changes by email will have receipt confirmed.

All wins up to **18th June 2019** count for grade changes at this show.

Please advise SHOWTIME NO LATER THAN **29th June 2019**



General Show Enquiries only to Show Secretary:

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email@haddocks_hounds@btinternet.com

Telephone 0151 645 9435 OR 07711-388227, no calls after 9pm please

MEASURING WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THIS SHOW

Email pabq@blueyonder.co.uk or book-in at secs desk on the day for timetable

Friday evening from 8pm Mavis Sherwin & Pauline Baltès

CAMPING 2PM, WEDNESDAY 10TH JULY 2019

£30 FOR 3 or 4 NIGHTS; £ 20 FOR 2 NIGHTS

LIMITED TO 120 UNITS

DUE TO CIRCUMSTANCES BEYOND OUR CONTROL, THE CAMPING LAYOUT WILL BE SLIGHTLY DIFFERENT THIS YEAR.

Vet on Call: Cranmore Veterinary Centre CH1 6LT Tel: 01244-851-568
Out of Hours Mi Night Vet/Chester Gates Referral Hospital, Tel: 01244-853-823

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Mr T's Roasties

Thanks to Mr. T Roasties
For Kindly Sponsoring
Our Any Size Steeplechase
Classes

With many thanks to

TuffStuff Ltd

Your Name in Dog Leads

Kind sponsors of Veteran Jumping



Have kindly sponsored our Large Grade 3 Agility (Class 2)
on Saturday when the winner will receive one of their
great multi trainers

And also on Saturday
Class 4 Longfield Novice Qualifier grades

3-5 comb

Trophies 1st - 3rd & Rosettes to 15th
THANK YOU KENNY

And Thank you to all the judges, members and helpers for all of your
support we hope you have an enjoyable week end with us.



Longfield Agility Novice Qualifier

The Longfield Agility Novice Qualifier is a competition for Large dogs, eligible for grades 3, 4 & 5. There will be approximately ten qualifying heats.

The Longfield Agility Novice Final will be held at the Longfield Agility August show on the 24th August 2019, at Hillside Rural Activities Park, Oaktree Bank, Knayton, Thirsk, YO7 4AX..

The winner of the final will receive £100 in cash and a £150 voucher towards equipment from Longfield Agility Solutions.

This class must be judged under the appropriate Kennel Club Rules in force at the time of the competition for a standard open class.

If the entry for a heat exceeds the KC limit for a class in a day, then the class will be equally and randomly split in accordance with current Kennel Club regulations. All competitors entering the class will be deemed to have agreed to abide by the rules of the Kennel Club and the specific regulations governing this class.

The competition is open to Kennel Club registered dogs eligible to compete at Large Height in grades 3, 4 & 5 and competing at 650mm jump height. **(ie. dogs entered at Lower height will not be eligible to qualify for the final)**

Where the qualifier is held at 7a show where the full height and LHO results are combined, only the top 5 dogs running at 650mm jump height will be awarded the invitations to compete in the final. Separate LHO awards for this class are not provided by the sponsor.

Handlers may enter more than one dog in the competition and may qualify more than one dog for the final.

The first five full height dogs (650mm jump height) from the heat will be invited to compete in the final. The next five dogs will be held as reserves. If the class is split the top three dogs from each part will be invited to compete in the final. The next top three in each part to be held as reserves.

Once a dog has qualified for the final it may enter further heats. Handlers who have already qualified their dog for the final should report this fact to the appropriate Show Secretary before running in the class. If the already qualified dog then qualifies again, that place will be awarded to the highest placed unqualified dog running at full height.

In the event of a dog being unable to compete in the final due to unavailability, illness or injury, the reserves from that heat will be invited in numerical order.

In the event of a handler being unable to compete in a final due to illness or injury, a substitute handler for the qualifying dog will be allowed to run the dog.

Trophies will be awarded to third place and rosettes to 15th place in these qualifiers.

There will only be one set of awards. Placings will be combined.

LOWER HEIGHT OPTION (LHO) is available for ALL classes TICK THE BOX ON THE ENTRY FORM)

A DOG MAY ONLY BE ENTERED AT ONE HEIGHT AT THIS SHOW ALL AWARDS WILL BE COMBINED

SATURDAY 13TH JULY 2019

CLASS NO.	DESCRIPTION	TYPE OF CLASS	G	R	A	D	E	S	JUDGE
1	LARGE AGILITY	COMBINED	1	2					SIMON MELVILLE
2	LARGE AGILITY (GRADE 3 SPONSORED BY LONGFIELD)	GRADED	1	2	3				SIMON MELVILLE
3	LARGE JUMPING	COMBINED	1	2	3	4			LARRY JACKSON
4	LARGE AGILITY incl Longfield Novice Qualifier)	COMBINED			3	4	5		JO EDWARDS
5	LARGE AGILITY	GRADED				4	5		LARRY JACKSON
6	LARGE JUMPING	GRADED					5	6 7	BETHANY MORGAN
7	LARGE AGILITY	GRADED						6 7	SIMON MELVILLE
8	LARGE AGILITY	COMBINED						6 7	JO EDWARDS
9	SPECIAL LARGE STEEPLECHASE (SEPARATE AWARDS Comb 1-3; Comb 4-7)	COMBINED	1	2	3	4	5	6 7	RACHEL ROGERS
10	MEDIUM AGILITY	COMBINED	1	2					SIMON MELVILLE
11	MEDIUM AGILITY	GRADED	1	2	3				SIMON MELVILLE
12	MEDIUM JUMPING	COMBINED	1	2	3	4			LARRY JACKSON
13	MEDIUM AGILITY	COMBINED			3	4	5		JO EDWARDS
14	MEDIUM AGILITY	GRADED				4	5		LARRY JACKSON
15	MEDIUM JUMPING	COMBINED					5	6 7	BETHANY MORGAN
16	MEDIUM AGILITY	COMBINED						6 7	SIMON MELVILLE
17	MEDIUM AGILITY	GRADED						6 7	JO EDWARDS
18	SPECIAL MEDIUM STEEPLECHASE (SEPARATE AWARDS Comb 1-3; Comb 4-7)	COMBINED	1	2	3	4	5	6 7	RACHEL ROGERS
19	SMALL AGILITY	COMBINED	1	2					SIMON MELVILLE
20	SMALL AGILITY	GRADED	1	2	3				SIMON MELVILLE
21	SMALL JUMPING	COMBINED	1	2	3	4			LARRY JACKSON
22	SMALL AGILITY	COMBINED			3	4	5		JO EDWARDS
23	SMALL AGILITY	GRADED				4	5		LARRY JACKSON
24	SMALL JUMPING	COMBINED					5	6 7	BETHANY MORGAN
25	SMALL AGILITY	COMBINED						6 7	SIMON MELVILLE
26	SMALL AGILITY	GRADED						6 7	JO EDWARDS
27	SPECIAL SMALL STEEPLECHASE (SEPARATE AWARDS Comb 1-3; Comb 4-7)	COMBINED	1	2	3	4	5	6 7	RACHEL ROGERS
28	SPECIAL JUNIOR JUMPING * see rule 36 (SEPARATE AWARDS Comb 1-3; Comb 4-7)	COMBINED	1	2	3	4	5	6 7	BETHANY MORGAN

29*	SPECIAL ANYSIZE JUMPING SPONSORED BY TuffStuff	These 2 classes will run together over the same course	COMBINED	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	BETHANY MORGAN
30*	SPECIAL VETERAN JUMPING SPONSORED by TuffStuff		COMBINED	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	BETHANY MORGAN
31*	SPECIAL ANY SIZE STEEPLCHASE SPONSORED BY Mr. T. ROASTIES	These 2 classes will run together over the same course	COMBINED	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	RACHEL ROGERS
32*	SPECIAL VETERAN STEEPLCHASE SPONSORED by Mr T ROASTIES		COMBINED	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	RACHEL ROGERS
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> DOGS THAT ENTER CLASSES 29,30,31 or 32 MAY NOT ENTER ANY OTHER CLASS AT THIS SHOW Steeplechase classes will only include Jumps & Tunnels 											

Allocation of judges to classes is provisional and may change. All competitors will be informed of the class running order and judge allocation with their running orders
MANY THANKS TO OUR RESERVE JUDGES (both days) MAVIS SHERWIN & DAVE DEAVILLE

LOWER HEIGHT OPTION (LHO) is available for ALL classes TICK THE BOX ON THE ENTRY FORM) A DOG MAY ONLY BE ENTERED AT ONE HEIGHT AT THIS SHOW ALL AWARDS WILL BE COMBINED

SUNDAY 14TH JULY 2019

CLASS NO.	DESCRIPTION	TYPE OF CLASS	G	R	A	D	E	S	JUDGE	
33	LARGE AGILITY	GRADED	1	2					ROB GLYNN	
34	LARGE JUMPING	GRADED	1	2	3				PAULA ZUPKUS	
35	LARGE JUMPING	COMBINED	1	2	3	4			LEE HAYES	
36	LARGE AGILITY	GRADED			3	4	5		ROB GLYNN	
37	LARGE JUMPING	GRADED				4	5		GILL BLANCHARD	
38	LARGE JUMPING	COMBINED					5	6	7	PAULA ZUPKUS
39	LARGE JUMPING	COMBINED						6	7	GILL BLANCHARD
40	LARGE AGILITY	GRADED						6	7	LEE HAYES
41	SPECIAL LARGE STEEPLCHASE (SEPARATE AWARDS Comb1-3; Comb 4-7)	COMBINED	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	MARK RUSSON
42	MEDIUM AGILITY	GRADED	1	2					ROB GLYNN	
43	MEDIUM JUMPING	COMBINED	1	2	3				PAULA ZUPKUS	
44	MEDIUM JUMPING	COMBINED	1	2	3	4			LEE HAYES	
45	MEDIUM AGILITY	GRADED			3	4	5		ROB GLYNN	
46	MEDIUM JUMPING	COMBINED				4	5		GILL BLANCHARD	
47	MEDIUM JUMPING	COMBINED					5	6	7	PAULA ZUPKUS
48	MEDIUM AGILITY	GRADED						6	7	LEE HAYES
49	MEDIUM JUMPING	COMBINED						6	7	GILL BLANCHARD

50	SPECIAL MEDIUM STEEPLECHASE (SEPARATE AWARDS Comb1-3; Comb 4-7)	COMBINED	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	MARK RUSSON	
51	SMALL AGILITY	GRADED	1	2						ROB GLYNN	
52	SMALL JUMPING	COMBINED	1	2	3					PAULA ZUPKUS	
53	SMALL JUMPING	COMBINED	1	2	3	4				LEE HAYES	
54	SMALL AGILITY	GRADED			3	4	5			ROB GLYNN	
55	SMALL JUMPING	COMBINED				4	5			GILL BLANCHARD	
56	SMALL JUMPING	COMBINED					5	6	7	PAULA ZUPKUS	
57	SMALL AGILITY	GRADED						6	7	LEE HAYES	
58	SMALL JUMPING	COMBINED						6	7	GILL BLANCHARD	
59	SPECIAL SMALL STEEPLECHASE (SEPARATE AWARDS Comb 1-3; Comb 4-7)	COMBINED	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	MARK RUSSON	
60	SPECIAL JUNIOR AGILITY * see rule 36 (SEPARATE AWARDS Comb 1-3; Comb 4-7)	COMBINED	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	ROB GLYNN	
61*	SPECIAL ANYSIZE JUMPING SPONSORED BY TuffStuff	These 2 classes will run together over the same course	COMBINED	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	GILL BLANCHARD
62*	SPECIAL VETERAN JUMPING SPONSORED BY TuffStuff		COMBINED	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	GILL BLANCHARD
63*	SPECIAL ANY SIZE STEEPLECHASE SPONSORED BY Mr. T. ROASTIES	These 2 classes will run together over the same course	COMBINED	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	MARK RUSSON
64*	SPECIAL VETERAN STEEPLECHASE SPONSORED BY Mr. T. ROASTIES		COMBINED	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	MARK RUSSON
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DOGS THAT ENTER CLASSES 61,62,63 or 64 MAY NOT ENTER ANY OTHER CLASS AT THIS SHOW • Steeplechase classes will only jumps & tunnels 											

Allocation of judges to classes is provisional and may change.

All competitors will be informed of the class running order and judge allocation with their running orders

ELIGIBILITY FOR CLASSES

In the following definitions of classes First Prizes or other prize wins are those gained in standard classes at any Kennel Club licensed Championship Agility, Premier Agility, Open Agility or Limited Agility Shows (i.e. special classes and invitational events excepted). Only a first place with a clear round completed within the course time set by the judge will count towards grade progression.

Standard classes may be scheduled for Agility Shows, as Agility classes or Jumping classes. All standard classes must contain the Weaving Poles obstacle. Standard Agility classes must contain the following elements: "A Ramp", Dog Walk and See-Saw. With this proviso classes are defined as follows:-

A maximum of four standard classes may be scheduled for any dog on an individual day of competition. Any number of special classes may be scheduled.

Class Structure. A Class may either be held as a Graded Class or a Combined Class. A Graded Class may be scheduled for a maximum of three consecutive Grades with separate results and awards issued for each grade. A Combined Class may be scheduled for more than one consecutive grade with one overall set of results.

Progression. Progression from each Grade will be determined by the eligibility for the class as referenced in H(1)(A)11. Results from Combined Classes will only count towards progression from the dog's current grade. To count for progression wins must be gained in standard classes at Kennel Club Licensed Agility Shows. Only a first place with a clear round completed within the course time set by the judge will count towards grade progression.

Lower Height Option. Societies may offer the Lower Height Option to all dogs in that height category and may be offered at all grades. It is to be run as part of any Standard class as defined in the regulations and must be clearly identified in the schedule. Each relevant class will have two heights with a change part way through to raise/lower the jump heights and may extend/reduce the length of the long jump and width of the rising spread, within the permitted ranges, and competitors must run at their entered height. The order in which the heights will run must be detailed on the ring cards/ring plan. There will be only one course walking at the start of the class. In a class where the Lower Height Option is available show organisers may offer one set of awards by combining the results of each height or may offer separate awards for each height category.

Competitors will be allowed to walk the course set at Small, Medium or Large height without their dog(s) before the class begins. Hurdles may be raised/lowered during the course walking time if multiple heights are offered within the same class.

When the Lower Height Option is scheduled a dog may only be entered at either the Full Height or the Lower Height and it cannot compete at a different height in any other class at that competition, including special classes. For these purposes a competition shall be defined as all classes covered within the same schedule.

Points Progression. At the handler's discretion a dog may progress up to Grade 4 by winning 100 points at each grade, using the Agility Warrant points scheme (Regulation K3.c refers). **A minimum of 50 points must be gained in agility (not jumping) classes in the relevant grade.** If this method of progression is selected, the handler must ensure the Show Secretary signs the dog's Agility Record Book at the first show entered at the higher grade. There is no time limit on this progression, however once a dog has progressed, it cannot return to a previous grade.

Progression on points must be done prior to the closing date of entries. It is not possible to change a grade on points once the entries have closed.

STANDARD CLASSES

Only first prizes and points gained in standard classes at Kennel Club licensed Agility Shows may be used for progression through the classes. (A dog is only eligible for one grade). In defining the eligibility of the owner or handler for Grade 1, the two wins and points progression referred to in the definition apply only to one dog and not an accumulation of dogs.

Grade 1

Open to owners, handlers or dogs which have not gained a minimum of two first places at Grade 1 at Kennel Club Licensed Agility Shows, at least one of which must have been gained in an agility (not jumping) class. N.B Owners, handlers or dogs previously qualified out of Grade 1 are not eligible for this class.

Grade 2

Open to dogs which are not eligible for Grade 1 or have elected to progress on points from Grade 1 and are not eligible for Grades 3, 4, 5, 6, or 7.

Grade 3

Open to dogs which have gained a minimum of two first places at Grade 2 at Kennel Club Licensed Agility Shows, one of which must have been gained in an agility (not jumping) class, or have elected to progress on points from Grade 2 and are not eligible for Grades 2, 4, 5, 6 or 7.

Grade 4

Open to dogs which have gained a minimum of three first places at Grade 3 at Kennel Club Licensed Agility Shows, two of which must have been gained in agility (not jumping classes), or have elected to progress on points from Grade 3 and are not eligible for Grades 2, 3, 5, 6 or 7

Grade 5

Open to dogs which have gained a minimum of four first places at Grade 4 at Kennel Club Licensed Agility Shows, two of which must have been gained in agility (not jumping) classes, and are not eligible for Grades 2, 3, 4, 6 or 7

Grade 6

Open to dogs which have gained a minimum of four first places at Grade 5 at Kennel Club Licensed Agility Shows, two of which must have been gained in agility (not jumping) classes, and are not eligible for Grades 2, 3, 4, 5 or 7.

Grade 7

Open to dogs which have gained a minimum of five first places at Grade 6 at Kennel Club Licensed Agility Shows, three of which must have been gained in agility (not jumping) classes, and are not eligible for Grades 2, 3, 4, 5 or 6.-

SPECIAL CLASSES

Societies may schedule classes other than those defined above as "Special classes". The eligibility for "Special" classes must be defined by the Society and included in the schedule. The word "Special" must be included in the title of the class. Where special classes are classified for older and/or inexperienced dogs, the height of the hurdles, the A-ramp, and the dog walk, and the length of the long jump, may be reduced below the dimensions specified in these regulations, in which case such dimensions must be included in the class definition in the show schedule.

Marking for special classes may deviate from marking for standard classes, but must be specified in the schedule. Wins, places and clear rounds in special classes will not count towards agility warrant points or grade progression at Kennel Club shows.

Special Steeplechase Classes (9, 18, 27, 31, 32 41, 50 ,59, 63, 64) - A flowing course that will contain only jumps and tunnels.

Special Anysize Classes (29, 30, 61, 62): Jumps will be set at Medium (450mm), Small(350mm) or micro (250mm) height. Handlers may decide on the day which height they wish to run their dogs at. The Special Anysize courses will include only jumps and tunnels.

Separate awards will be made in these classes to Veteran dogs of 8 years or over on the first day of the show i.e. for dogs born on or before 13th July 2011. If a dog's date of birth is unknown, please specify on the entry form if it is a veteran. A dog entered in any of these classes will not be able to enter in any other classes at this show.

Special Junior Classes (28 & 60)

Open to Junior handlers under the age of 18 years on the first day of the show. i.e for handlers born on or after 12th July 2001. For Large, Medium and Small dogs, including lower height options. The awards will be combined between heights, but split between grades 1-3 combined and grades 4-7 combined.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Dogs entered at Kennel Club licensed Agility Shows must be registered at the Kennel Club in accordance with Kennel Club Regulations for Classification and Registration B, or else registration or transfer of registration must have been applied for. The registration number/ authority to compete (ATC) number will be required for each entry.
2. All dogs registered and resident outside the UK must be issued with a Kennel Club Authority to Compete (ATC) number before entry to the show/event can be made. All overseas entries without a Kennel Club Registration number or an Authority to Compete number will be returned to the exhibitor/competitor.
3. **Entry Fee £3.30 Per Dog Per Class.** Entry Fee for Helping Wirral Members £1.65 per dog per class.
Camping Total Fee Per Unit: Wed to Sat nights £30.00; or Fri and Sat nights only £20.00
4. There will be no prize money at this show
5. Entries: by post to the processor, Showtime, or online via www.Showtime-online.co.uk
6. The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries.
7. Only dogs of 18 calendar months of age and over on the day of competition are eligible for competition at Kennel Club licensed Agility Shows.
8. A dog must not compete in the same class more than once, including special classes.
9. Not For Competition entries will be accepted for dogs aged four calendar months and over. Dogs must be Kennel Club registered with their details recorded on the entry form.
10. No bitch in season is allowed to compete.
11. The mating of bitches within the precincts of the competitions is forbidden.
12. No person shall carry out punitive correction or harsh handling of a dog at any time within the boundaries of the Show.
13. Dogs must not wear any type of slip, half-slip collar or lead when under test. A single flat, close fitting collar is permitted, providing the only attachment is a plain identification panel as an integral part of the collar i.e. not attached by a ring.
14. Should a judge be unable to fulfil the appointment to judge the Committee reserves the right to appoint another judge.
15. No competitor shall impugn the decision of the judge or judges.
16. Many thanks to our wonderful sponsors: Longfield Agility Solutions (classes 2 and 4); Mr T. Roasties (classes 30 and 60); and TuffStuff (classes 29 and 59)
17. Kennel Club standard marking regulations apply for all standard classes.
18. Special Anysize and Veteran Classes (29, 30, 31, 32, 61, 62, 63,64): Jumps will be set at Medium (450mm), Small (350mm) or micro (250mm) height. Handlers may decide on the day which height they wish to run their dogs at. The Special Anysize courses will only include jumps and tunnels.
Veteran dogs of 8 years or over on the first day of the show i.e. for dogs born on or before **13th July 2011**. A dog entered in any of these classes will not be able to enter in any other classes at this show.
19. The height limit for dogs.
 - a. Large Dog classes - For dogs measuring over 430mm at the withers.
 - b. Medium Dog classes - For dogs measuring over 350mm and measuring 430mm or under at the withers.
 - c. Small Dog classes - For dogs measuring 350mm or under at the withers.

20. Judges at an Agility Show may not enter for competition a dog which is recorded in their ownership or part ownership; or handle a dog at the Show at which they are judging. Dogs may be disqualified if proved to have been handled in the class by the scheduled judge's spouse or immediate family, or resident at the same address as the scheduled judge.
21. Removal of dogs from Competition:
Following discussion between the show management and/or a veterinary surgeon, a dog shall be prevented from competing and/or removed from the Show if it is: -
- A bitch which is in season.
 - Suffering from any infectious diseases or contagious disease.
 - Interfering with the safety or chance of winning of an opponent.
 - Of such temperament or is so much out of control as to be a danger to the safety of any person or other animal.
 - Likely to cause suffering to the dog if it continues competing.
- The circumstances of such a removal shall be recorded in the competition/show Incident Book and submitted to the Kennel Club.
22. Dog Agility is a competitive and physically strenuous activity. It is the responsibility of the owner/handler to ensure their dog is 'fit for function' and that they themselves are fit to take part. By signing the entry form you confirm that to the best of your knowledge your dog is fit and able to take part in Agility classes on the day of the show.
23. In estimating the number of awards won, all wins up to and including **25 days before** the start of the competition, i.e. **18th June 2019** shall be counted when entering for any class. For these purposes a competition shall be defined as all classes covered within the same schedule. In the event that a dog becomes eligible for the next grade at a particular show, after the entry for that show has been sent, it is the competitor's responsibility to notify the show secretary (via admin@showtime-online.co.uk please) at least **14 days before** the date of the show i.e. **to be received by 29th June 2019**. The dog will then be moved into the appropriate class(es) for the next grade. The dog must be moved into the corresponding number of classes as were entered at the lower grade. If there are fewer or no classes available for the next grade the competitor will be offered a refund of the relevant entry fees.
24. Should circumstances so dictate the Society, in consultation with the Judges, may alter arrangements as necessary. Such changes and the circumstances surrounding them will be reported to the Kennel Club.
25. In the event that the show is cancelled due to unforeseen circumstances, the society will refund fees, less reasonably incurred expenses, on receipt of a refund request and a stamped self-addressed envelope submitted to the show secretary within 1 month of the show date.
26. Except for mobility aids, nothing shall be carried in the hand while the dog is under test and food shall not be given to a dog whilst in the ring. Competitors are prohibited from wearing bags or leads whilst under test.
27. Should the judge deem a re-run is required, any result and/or faults gained in the previous run must be discounted.
28. Separate entry forms must be completed by each owner and must be signed by the owner or his authorised agent in accordance with provisions specified thereon. Entry forms must be accompanied by the appropriate fees.
29. No passes are required for entry into this show.
30. Competition of Dogs Suffering from Contagious or Infectious Disease – No dogs suffering from infectious or contagious disease or having been exposed to such disease during the period of 21 days prior to the Competition may compete. Competitors infringing the Regulation will be liable to be fined and/or dealt with under Kennel Club Rule A11.
31. It is the competitor's responsibility to be available for their class and running order. Competitors must run as close to their running order as possible. Failure to do so may be reported to the Kennel Club.

32. Animals in Event
No animal other than one officially entered shall be brought into the precincts of the event during its continuance, except any dogs registered to assist the disabled, or dogs required for educational or instructional purposes or by permission of the Board.
However, at the discretion of the show society, a dog brought to the show by a spectator may be admitted into the precincts of the dog show, with the proviso that those in charge of the dog sign a declaration confirming the dog is free from disease and that the dog will be kept under proper control at all times.
33. A pay on the day class will be held if time permits.
34. A practice ring may be available to dogs entered for competition at the show, if space allows. This ring must be supervised by a responsible adult with agility knowledge.
35. Welfare of Dogs
An exhibitor (or competitor) 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 knowingly put their dogs' health and welfare at risk by any action, default, omission or otherwise. A breach of this Regulation may be referred to the Board for disciplinary action under Kennel Club Rules and Regulations. The use of pinch collars, electronic shock collars, or prong collars, is not permitted at any Agility show licensed by the Kennel Club. This shall apply at the venue and within the precincts of the show.
36. Special Junior Classes (Classes 28 & 60)
Open to Junior handlers under the age of 18 years on the first day of the show. i.e for handlers born on or after **12th July 2001**. For Large, Medium and Small dogs, including lower height options. The awards will be split between grades 1-3 combined and grades 4-7 combined.
37. All dogs are entered at their owners' risk, whilst every care will be taken, the Wirral Alsatian Training Society will not accept responsibility for the loss, damage or injury to any persons, dogs or property.
38. No refunds will be given in the event of incorrect monies being submitted, it is the competitors' responsibility to check their entries before submission, all entry forms must contain the signature of the owner before a dog is eligible to take part in the show.
39. Competitors must follow the instructions of the stewards with respect to parking, camping and conduct within the show boundaries, there should be a clear roadway between aisles of campers for safety reasons, no fencing across from one aisle to another will be allowed. Campers are responsible for their own fire precautions within camping accommodation. A fire bucket with either water or sand must be positioned at the front of each camping unit.
40. The parking of vehicles and camping is at the risk of the owners and Wirral ATS will not be held responsible for any damages caused.
The show ground is in close proximity to a golf course and cricket pitch and stray balls may occur.
41. Smoking will not be permitted in any of the tents, awnings or marquees which are in use for the general public/competitors at the show.
42. No refunds after the closing date except in exceptional circumstances.

PRIZES

ALL AWARDS WILL BE COMBINED BETWEEN FULL AND LOWER HEIGHT

Awards will be based on the number of entries in each class (or each grade in graded classes) at the close of entries

ROSETTES:

To at least 10% of the entry in each class (or grade in graded classes)
Longfield Novice Qualifier Rosettes 1st – 15th

TROPHIES.

based on the number of entries in each class:

1st place in all classes 2nd place entries 20- 49 3rd place 50+

CLEAR ROUND ROSETTES:

Available for unplaced dogs in all classes

BooBoo (Polar Moonbeam) Gundog Perpetual Trophy. In memory of BooBoo 01/03/96 to 03/06/09

Alison and Tony Griffiths have kindly donated a perpetual trophy in memory of BooBoo who was sadly given sleep on the 3rd June 2009. The trophy will be awarded to the “Best Gundog of the Show”
Open To all sizes.

Shadow (Innocent Dam of Ehsan) ABC Perpetual Trophy In memory of Shadow 25.04.02 - 03.03.14

Rachel Wallwork competed at Wirral with Shadow for many years having fun here
The trophy is to be awarded to the “Best Large ABC from Large grades 1 – 3 of the weekend”

If you have a gundog or a Large grade 1-3 ABC and are placed or get a clear round over the weekend in any class, please come to the secretary’s tent and complete a form.

Directions to venue

LEAVE MOTORWAY M53 AT JUNCTION 5 (EASTHAM ROUNDABOUT). TAKE A41 SIGNPOSTED BROMBOROUGH/BIRKENHEAD, STAY ON THIS ROAD, OVER 6 SETS OF TRAFFIC LIGHTS. AT 7TH SET OF TRAFFIC LIGHTS (SMART STORAGE/ GATEWAY HOUSE ON YOUR RIGHT) TURN RIGHT, SIGN POSTED “WIRRAL INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS PARK” ONTO OLD HALL ROAD.

PLEASE TAKE CARE
THERE HAVE BEEN SEVERAL ACCIDENTS AT THIS JUNCTION.

FOLLOW SIGNS FOR LEVERHULME SPORTS FIELD, RIGHT AT ROUNDABOUT ONTO RIVERWOOD ROAD AND THEN FIRST RIGHT INTO WARREN LANE, FOLLOW THIS ROAD INTO CAR PARK.

PLEASE NOTE THAT DUE TO THE LIMITED SPACE ON THE SPORTS FIELD, DAY PARKING WILL BE SITUATED ON THE MAIN CAR PARK.