

Finnish Lapphund Club of Great Britain



SCHEDULE OF 19 CLASS UNBENCHD SIXTH SINGLE BREED OPEN SHOW

Held under Kennel Club Rules and Regulations

at

**THE KENNEL CLUB BUILDING
STONELEIGH, WARWICKSHIRE CV8 2LZ**

Venue & Pastoral Day

of the City of Birmingham Championship Show

on

SATURDAY 3rd September 2011

Show Opens: 8.30 a.m.

Judging commences 9.00 a.m.

A dog docked on or after the 6th April 2007 may not 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 soundness, health and well being of the dog."

Judge: Mrs SHEREE DICKSON (Bernavia)

Guarantors to the Kennel Club

Chairman: Mr.S. Band, 2 Elsmere Cottages, Priory Rd, Ascot SL5 8DT

Secretary Mrs E. Short, Winnall Lodge Kennels, Lineholt, Ombersley, Worcs
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Treasurer Mrs M. Grabowski 54 High St, Burbage, Nr Marlborough SN8 3AF

Veterinary Surgeon Louise Harrington MRCVS

Resident Vet at the City of Birmingham Championship Show

ENTRIES CLOSE: Friday 12th August 2011 (First Class Postmark)

Entries & Fees to the Show Secretary

Mrs VIKKI LLOYD

Croeswylan, Penybontfawr, Oswestry SY10 0PE

Tel: 01691 860370

DIRECTIONS TO THE VENUE

FROM LONDON AND M40

- Leave the M40 at Junction 15 and join the A46 towards Coventry
- Follow the signs for National Agricultural Centre
- Follow signs for Birmingham Championship Show

FROM M6 OR M69

- Leave the M6 motorway at junction 2 and join the A46 towards Warwick
- Or, at the end of the M69 continue on to the A46 towards Warwick and the M40
- Follow the signs for National Agricultural Centre
- Follow signs for Birmingham Championship Show

FROM THE NORTHBOUND M1

- Leave the M1 at Junction 17 and join the M45 towards Coventry
- Stay on the M45 until you see signs for A45 Coventry (not A45 Daventry)
- Follow the A45 until you pick up signs for A46 Warwick
- Follow the signs for National Agricultural Centre
- Follow signs for Birmingham Championship Show

PLEASE NOTE

Entering the Birmingham Championship Show is separate to the Finnish Lapphund Club of Great Britain Show. Passes to enter the Finnish Lapphund Club of Great Britain's Open Show will be sent out for all Finnish Lapphunds entered, please USE THE Main gate entrance and exit the same way

ENTRY FEES

- Members** £6.50 First Entry per Dog
- Non Members** £7.50 First Entry per Dog
£1.50 each subsequent entry with the same dog
- Catalogues** £2.50 if pre-paid with entries
Only a limited number will be available at the show at £3.00
- Junior Handling** £1.00 per Junior
- Membership** Single £10.00, Joint £12.00, Junior £3.50,
Non-UK Membership £15.00 per year

Dogs Not for Competition can only be entered on the Birmingham Championship Show entry form or use the 'Unentered Dogs' Tent at the gate. Passes will only be sent for dogs entered in a class at this show.

**Please ensure cheques and postal orders are made payable to
'Finnish Lapphund Club of Great Britain'**

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ROSETTES

First to VHC in each class
Best in Show, Reserve Best in Show, Best Opposite Sex in Show
Best Puppy in Show, Best Opposite Sex Puppy, Best Veteran
Best Dog, Reserve Best Dog, Best Bitch, Reserve Best Bitch

Rosettes may be sponsored at £7.00 per class,
Your Affix or Family name will be embossed on the tail of the Rosettes
Please advise of any donations by the closing of entries,
so that these can be acknowledged in the Catalogue

PRIZE CARDS

First to VHC in each class

CUPS & TROPHIES

Cups and trophies on offer will be listed in the Catalogue

RAFFLE DONATIONS WILL BE MOST WELCOME

Entries Close: Friday 12th August 2011

CLASSIFICATION

JUDGE: MRS SHEREE DICKSON (BERNAVIA)

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| 1. Veteran Dog | 10. Veteran Bitch |
| 2. Minor Puppy Dog | 11. Minor Puppy Bitch |
| 3. Puppy Dog | 12. Puppy Bitch |
| 4. Junior Dog | 13. Junior Bitch |
| 5. Novice Dog | 14. Novice Bitch |
| 6. Post Graduate Dog | 15. Post Graduate Bitch |
| 7. Limit Dog | 16. Limit Bitch |
| 8. Open Dog | 17. Open Bitch |
| 9. KC Good Citizen Dog | 18. KC Good Citizen Bitch |

BEST IN SHOW WILL NOW BE JUDGED

19. Breeders

JUNIOR HANDLING

Entry Fee £1.00 per class To be judged after Class 19

Class A 11 years and Under Class B 12 to 16 Years

Please give details of the Junior on the entry form, no entries will be accepted on the day. Dog to be handled must have been entered in a breed class

**EXHIBITORS MAY ENTER BY THE MAIN GATE AND PARK IN THE CAR
PARK JOINED BY THE SHORT TARMAC ROAD TO THE K.C. BUILDING.
AFTER JUDGING DRIVE OVER TO THE MAIN SHOWGROUND AND PARK IN
BIRMINGHAM SHOW'S DESIGNATED CAR PARK AREAS.**

DEFINITIONS OF CLASSES

In the following definitions, a Challenge Certificate includes any Show award that counts towards the title 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 closing of entries shall be counted when entering for any class, i.e. Friday 5th August 2011

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 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 or, 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 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.

<u>Minor Puppy:</u>	For dogs of six and not nine twelve calendar months of age on the first day of the show
<u>Puppy:</u>	For dogs of six and not exceeding twelve calendar months of age on the first day of the show
<u>Junior:</u>	For dogs of six and not exceeding eighteen calendar months of age on the first day of the show
<u>Novice</u>	For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate 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).
<u>Post Graduate</u>	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
<u>Limit:</u>	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 7 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
<u>Open:</u>	For all dogs of the breed s for which the class is provided and eligible for entry at the show.
<u>Veteran</u>	For dogs of not less than seven years of age on the day of the show
<u>KC Good Citizen Breeders</u>	For dogs that have achieved their GCDS Bronze Award Certificate or above For Dogs bred by the Exhibitor

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. The show will open at 8.30 a.m.
2. Dogs will be received at any time but it is the exhibitor's responsibility to ensure that dogs are available for judging when required..
3. Judging will commence at 9.00 a.m. prompt.
4. Exhibits may be removed from the Show after their judging has been completed. The Show will close half an hour after all judging has been completed.
5. The use of cooking stoves in the proximity of the tenting and benching areas is forbidden except as authorised by the show management.
6. The entry fees per dog: Members First entry per dog £6.50, Non Members First entry per dog £7.50, subsequent entries with same dog, £1.50, Junior Handling £1.00 per entry
7. Prize Money will not be on offer at this show
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 exhibition.
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 Best in Show is a puppy it will also automatically be Best Puppy in Show respectively. Similarly, if the Reserve Best in Show is a puppy which has only been beaten by an adult dog it will also automatically be Best Puppy in Show respectively. Consequently, selection of Best Puppy in Show must follow the selection of Best in Show respectively. Best Puppy in Show must be selected from Puppies which have been judged and are unbeaten by any other puppy Puppies which become eligible for Best Puppy in Show may be withdrawn from all other competition, other than Breed Classes prior to the competition for Best Puppy in Show as appropriate, in order to remain unbeaten. A puppy beaten in competition for 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 not compete in any subsequent competition.
Proviso For the purpose of this regulation, dogs beaten in competition for Stud Dog, Brood Bitch, Progeny, Brace and Team or a Special Award confined to one breed will not be considered to be beaten dogs.
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. Best in Show must be selected from the exhibits declared Best of Sex providing they are unbeaten winning dogs. Reserve Best in Show must be selected from the Best Opposite Sex and the Reserve Best of Sex to the exhibit declared Best in Show.
Dogs which become eligible for Best in Show maybe withdrawn from all other competition, other than breed classes prior to the competition for Best in Show as appropriate in order to remain unbeaten. A dog beaten in competition for 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.
Proviso For the purpose of this regulation, dogs beaten in competition for Stud Dog, Brood Bitch, Progeny, 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 permission of the Show Management
14. No modifications will be made to this schedule except by permission of the General

Committee of the Kennel Club, which will be followed by advertisement in the Canine Press wherever possible

15. All exhibitors must be familiar with the Kennel Club Regulation 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**
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.

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.

Anyone whose dog is entered at a Kennel Club licensed event should take all reasonable steps to ensure the needs of their dog(s) are met, and should not put a dog's health and welfare at risk by any action, default, omission or otherwise. Breach of Kennel Club Regulations in this respect may be referred to the General Committee for disciplinary action under Kennel Club Rules and Regulations.

Right to Refuse Entries. Exhibitors/Competitors are reminded that show societies have the right under Kennel Club Regulation to refuse any entry.

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. Only dogs entered at the show are allowed to attend
20. **DOG FOULING** 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 Show within the Licensed venue and within the environs of that event including car and caravan parks and approaches. Any organisation holding a Kennel Club licensed event is required to provide an adequate number of receptacles for the disposal of such fouling.
21. All monies due to the Club, which remain unpaid, either unpaid fees or bank charges accrued through dishonoured cheques, will be reported to the Kennel Club
22. Should a Judge being prevented from fulfilling his or her engagement; the Committee reserve the right to appoint another in his or her place. Exhibitors may withdraw from competition but no entry fees will be returned
23. The Committee are empowered to exclude any dog, which is not in a fit state for exhibition from disease, vice or any other cause, and if such exclusion takes place either before or after judging, entry fees will be forfeited
24. The entry fee for a dog not brought to the show will be forfeited

Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition F (Annex 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 A42.
 - a) A dog found to have been exhibited in breach of these regulation will automatically be disqualified from exhibition at the show and from any award gained there at
 - 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 A42
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. No substance, which alters the natural colour of any external part of the dog, may be present on the dog 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 any other part of the dog at the time of exhibition
3. No act or operation which alters the natural confirmation 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 provided that such operations are notified to the Kennel Club before neutered dogs are shown.Nor must anything be done calculated to in the opinion of the General Committee to deceive.
4. The General Committee without previous notice may order an examination of any dog or dogs at any show. Any examination thus ordered would 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.
5. Any 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.
6. 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.

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.