

NORTHERN BORZOI ASSOCIATION

SCHEDULE

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46th

BREED CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW

(held under Kennel Club Limited Rules & Regulations)

at

TOMLINSONS CANINE CENTRE

Upper Grange Farm, Ratby Lane, Markfield, Leicestershire LE67 9RJ

on

SUNDAY, 14th APRIL 2024



Show opens: 10.00 am

Judging commences: 10.30 am

Judge: Nigel Dawson (Stubbylee)

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).

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."

Veterinary Surgeons (on call): Medivet

20 Forest Road, Loughborough LE11 3NP. Tel: 01509 212117

Postal entries close: Monday, 25th March 2024 (Postmark)

**On-line entries can be made up until midnight on Monday, 1st April 2024
at www.fossedata.co.uk**

Postal entries and fees to be sent to the Hon. Secretary:

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

OUR JUDGE

Nigel Dawson (Stubbylee)

Elizabeth and I bought our first Borzoi in 1983 as a wedding anniversary present for each other. Manitias Orange Rose was two years old and bought as a companion for our Afghan. We did show her at Open Shows and Agricultural Shows with some success. She was the dam of Stubbylee Fiery Kyzita who was successful at Open Shows and gained the first Stud Book entry for us.

In 1987 we purchased a second Borzoi from Margaret Manning, Manitias Lacovia at Stubbylee, who was our foundation bitch and goes back six generations later to our latest litter. She was mated to Johnson & Laycock's Ch Diamond Edge of Enolam producing Stubbylee So Chic, our first CC winner, and Ch Stubbylee Shades of Night, owned by Pat Heys, who became the first Stubbylee Champion.

We have since had multiple Champions and CC winners including Ch/Ir Ch/Int Ch Stubbylee Spellbinder, Group winner Ch Tschernigow Kalinow at Stubbylee JW ShCM and multiple Group winning Ch Stubbylee Jazz Diva JW who won Reserve Best in Show at Blackpool General Championship Show.

In addition to Borzoi, we have also owned and shown Deerhounds, Border Collies and Chinese Crested.

I first started judging in 1991 at many Open Shows and Championship Shows without CCs including the NBA, Borzoi Club and Hound Association shows before my first CC appointment in 2020. Due to Covid, this was put back to 2022.

As a former Secretary of the Northern Borzoi Association, I am delighted and honoured to be asked to judge at your Championship Show.

NORTHERN BORZOI ASSOCIATION

President: Mrs P. Marston Pollock

Vice Presidents: Mr M. Heap, Mr M. Real

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Mrs J. Chapman, Mr T. Jepson, Mrs S. Marston, Mr N. Paterson,
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Hon. Secretary: Ms Y. Odell

Hon. Treasurer: Ms Y. Odell

Committee:

Mrs A. Conroy, Mrs P. De Felice, Mrs N. Humphreys,
Mrs L. Marchant, Mr R. Searle, Ms E. Ward

• **ENTRY FEES** •

Members: £17.00 first entry per dog
£4.00 each subsequent entry with the same dog

Non-Members: £22.00 first entry per dog
£4.00 each subsequent entry with the same dog

Not for Competition: £3.00 per dog (*please provide details on entry form*)

Catalogues: £3.50 pre-paid with entries; £4.00 on the day

Membership: Single £10.00; Joint £13.00; Junior (under 16) £4.00; Senior Citizen (over 65) £8.00

Donation to Show Fund: Will be gratefully received and acknowledged in the catalogue.

If you wish to donate a Special, it will be gratefully received and will be acknowledged in the Catalogue

Cheques & P.O.s must be made payable to 'Northern Borzoi Association'

In the event of any cheque not being honoured on first presentation to the Club's Bank, the exhibitor will be held liable for any Bank charges incurred plus an £10.00 administration fee. Failure to fully reimburse the outstanding debit to the Club will result in the matter being reported to the Kennel Club.

GDPR: The Northern Borzoi Association fully complies with the new GDP Regulations (Full details of how we use members data will be available on the website).

REFRESHMENTS

A cold buffet will be available on the day

CLASSIFICATION

Judge: Nigel Dawson (Stubbylee)

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog

1. Veteran Dog
2. Puppy Dog
3. Junior Dog
4. Graduate Dog
5. Post Graduate Dog
6. Mid Limit Dog
7. Limit Dog
8. Open Dog
9. Special Beginners Dog
10. Champion Dog

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch

11. Veteran Bitch
12. Puppy Bitch
13. Junior Bitch
14. Graduate Bitch
15. Post Graduate Bitch
16. Mid Limit Bitch
17. Limit Bitch
18. Open Bitch
19. Special Beginners Bitch
20. Champion Bitch

BEST IN SHOW & BEST PUPPY IN SHOW will now be judged

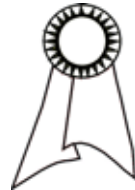
21. Progeny
22. Brace

N.B. Best Veteran in Show will be selected from all unbeaten veterans, regardless of class entered

• ROSETTES •



**Best in Show • Reserve Best in Show
Best Puppy in Show • Best Veteran in Show
Dog CC • Bitch CC
Best Puppy Dog • Best Puppy Bitch**



• SPECIAL DONATIONS •

**Roger Heap offers £100.00 for Best in Show
Yvonne Odell offers Glass for Best Puppy in Show
Dave Turner offers £20.00 for Best Veteran in Show**

RULES & REGULATIONS

1. The Show will open at 10.00 am.
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 10.30 am.
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. Entry Fees: **Members** £17.00 first entry per dog. **Non-Members** £22.00 first entry per dog; £4.00 each subsequent entry with the same dog. Not for Competition: £3.00 per dog. Catalogues: £3.50 pre-paid with entries; £4.00 on the day. Membership: Single £10.00, Joint £13.00, Junior £4.00 (16 years and under). Senior Citizen (over 65 years) £8.00.
6. Prize Money: Best in Show £100.00; Best Veteran in Show £20.00.
7. The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries.
8. Puppies under four 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 may, at the discretion of the judge, be awarded Best Puppy in Show. Where the Reserve Best in Show is a puppy which has only been beaten by an adult dog it may, at the discretion of the judge, be Best Puppy in Show. Consequently, selection of Best Puppy in Show must follow the selection of Best in Show.

A Baby Puppy is a dog of four and less than six calendar months of age on the first day of the show. Baby Puppy classes may be scheduled at any breed club show. Any Variety Baby Puppy classes may be scheduled at any breed club show. Best Baby Puppy in Breed may be declared in each breed from the dogs entered in the Baby Puppy breed classes. There must be no progression to further competition.
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 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 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 of 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 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 dog's health and welfare at risk by any action, default, omission or otherwise. Breach of Kennel Club Regulations in this respect may be referred to the Board for disciplinary action under the Kennel Club Rules and Regulations. The use of pinch collars, electronic shock collars, or prong collars, is not permitted at any show licensed by the Kennel Club. This shall apply at the venue or within the precincts of the show.
18. Not for Competition entries will be accepted. Details of each dog so entered must be recorded on the entry form and must be Kennel Club registered.
19. No modifications will be made to this Schedule except by permission of the Board of the Kennel Club, which will be followed by advertisement in the Canine Press wherever possible.
20. No entries will be accepted without fees.
21. All dogs must be registered or transferred at the Kennel Club before the closing date for entries.
22. In all cases the decision of the judge is final, except where fraud, misrepresentation or any breach of rules is discovered, or a bona-fide mistake is made by the judge.
23. Should a judge be prevented from fulfilling his appointment, the Committee reserves the right to appoint another in his place. Exhibitors are at liberty to withdraw from competition but no entry fees can be returned.
24. The Committee reserve to themselves the right on reasonable grounds to refuse any entry they may think fit to exclude or remove any dog not in a fit state for exhibition from disease, vice or any other cause.
25. Exhibitors passes will not be sent. If receipt of entry is required please enclose a S.A.E. with your entries.
26. The Committee will be most anxious for the care and safety of all dogs entered for exhibition and for any property entrusted to it, but it must be clearly understood by exhibitors and any other persons that the Committee will not be held responsible for the loss or damage to any dog or other property whether arising from accident or any other cause, nor from any act or omission of themselves, their Officers, Servants, Agents or others and it is on this understanding that entries are accepted.
27. No animal other than a dog duly entered at the Show will be allowed within the precincts of the show during its continuance.
28. Any objection to a dog must be made under the terms of K.C. Reg 28.
29. Any instructions in the nature of Rules and Regulations printed for convenience in other parts of this schedule shall be deemed to be the Show Regulations of the Committee and shall have the same effect as if they formed part of these regulations.
30. In the regrettable event that this Show has to be cancelled due to unforeseen circumstances, the Northern Borzoi Association do not undertake to refund any fees paid.

IMPORTANT NOTE

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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 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 first closing date shall be counted when entering for any class i.e. **Monday, 18th March 2024**. Wins in Variety classes do not count for entry in Breed classes but when entering for Variety classes, wins in both Breed and Variety classes must be counted. First prizes awarded in any classes defined as Special do not count towards eligibility.

If an exhibitor reports before the judging of a class or classes that a dog has been entered which is ineligible, the exhibitor may choose one of the following options:

(1) *Withdrawal*

The dog may be withdrawn from competition subject to the conditions of Regulation F.(1).19.

(2) *Transfer*

- a) If a dog is ineligible for a class or classes as regards its colour, sex, weight or height the Show Secretary shall transfer it to the equivalent class or classes for the correct colour, sex, weight or height and, in the event of there being no equivalent class, Minor Puppy and Puppy excepted to the Open class for the correct colour, sex, weight or height.
- b) For an exhibit entered incorrectly in a Minor Puppy Class, Puppy Class or Junior Class, which is over age but under twelve calendar months of age, eighteen calendar months of age or 24 calendar months of age respectively, the Show Secretary shall transfer the exhibit to the Puppy Class, Junior Class or Yearling Class respectively for the correct colour, sex, weight or height and in the event of there being no Puppy, Junior or Yearling Class to the Open Class for the correct colour, sex, weight or height.
- c) For any reason other than the above, the Show Secretary shall transfer it to the Open Class for the correct colour, sex, weight or height.
- d) If an exhibit arrives late and misses a class, even if it is the only class in which the dog is entered, the dog may not be transferred to any other class.

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.

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 where Challenge Certificates were offered for the breed.

POST GRADUATE For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate/CACIB/CAC/Green Star 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.

MID LIMIT For dogs which have not become show Champions under Kennel Club Regulations or under the rules of any governing body recognised by the Kennel Club, or won 3 or more CC/CACIB/CAC/Green Stars or won five or more First Prizes in all at Championship Shows in Mid Limit, Limit or Open Classes confined to the breed, whether restricted or not, at shows where Challenge Certificates were offered for the breed.

LIMIT For dogs which have not become show Champions under the Kennel Club Regulations or under the rules of any governing body recognised by the Kennel Club, or won 3 or more CC/CACIB/CAC/Green Stars or won 7 or more First Prizes in all at Championship Shows in Limit or Open Classes confined to the Breed, whether restricted or not at Shows where Challenge Certificates were offered for the breed.

OPEN For 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.

CHAMPION For dogs which have been confirmed a Champion or Show Champion under Kennel Club Regulations or under the rules of any governing body recognised by the Kennel Club.

PROGENY For a dog or bitch, accompanied by at least three of its registered progeny. The dog or bitch not necessarily entered in another class however, all progeny having been entered and exhibited in another class. The dog or bitch and the progeny need not be registered in the same ownership

BRACE For two exhibits (either sex or mixed) of one breed belonging to the same exhibitor, each exhibit having been entered in some class other than Brace or Team.

SPECIAL BEGINNERS For Owner, Handler or Exhibit not to have won a CC 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.

DIRECTIONS TO THE VENUE

From A46 at the Hobby Horse Roundabout exit onto Leicester Western bypass/A46, use the left lane take the A50 slip road to Leicester, at the next roundabout take the exit onto Markfield Road/A50 stay on A50 for approx. 3 miles then turn left into Ratby Lane.

• VENUE REGULATIONS •

Exhibitors who have children with them at the show will be held responsible for any damage caused by them.

• PLEASE NOTE •

The Kennel Club requires exhibitors to display the exhibit/bench number on their crate, cage or container at all times. This is particularly important when cages etc. are not on benches, and at unbenched Shows.

Each exhibitor is responsible for providing their own crate or cage identification and should note that the original exhibit/bench number card, as provided by the Show Society, must not be used for this purpose.

At benched Shows soft crates may only be put on benches if they are the appropriate size for both the dog and the bench, and the crate can be securely attached to the bench.

DOGS MUST NOT BE LEFT IN VEHICLES

If you have a dog that you are not showing please enter it 'Not for Competition' at £3.00.

Spectator Dogs will not be admitted to the Show

PLEASE USE THE EXERCISE AREA PROVIDED

DISCLAIMER

The Committee of the show can accept no responsibility for products advertised or sold by stand holders 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.

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