

CONGLETON CANINE SOCIETY

Schedule 31 Class Members Limited Show

UNBENCHED

Challenge Certificate / CAC / CACIB / Green Star winners are not eligible for entry
NOT judged on the Group System

To be held under Kennel Club Limited Rules & Regulations

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

On Sunday 4th May 2025

At Chelford Village Hall

Knutsford Road, Chelford, Cheshire, SK11 9AS

Show Opens: 11.30am Judging Starts: 12 noon

No admission before 11.30am

Judge: Sue Steele (Threadgold)

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"

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)

Hon Veterinary Surgeon (On Call)

Vets Now, 38 Cumberland St, Macclesfield, SK10 1DD

T: 01625 348083

All Entries & Fees to Hon Secretary

Mrs A Lombardelli

2a Lawrence Road, Hazel Grove, Stockport, SK7 4JB

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Postal Entries Close: Friday 11th April 2025

On-Line Entries Close: Friday 18th April 2025 (midnight)

All wins up to and including 4th April 2025 must be counted when entering this show

Show closes half an hour after completion of judging

Dogs in cages must be identified by Name of Exhibitor or Ring Number

Tea & Coffee will be available



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**EXHIBITORS MUST BE MEMBERS OF THIS SOCIETY
TO ENTER THE SHOW**

OFFICIALS

President
Mrs M Byrne

Chairman
Miss D Stonier

Hon Secretary
Mrs A Lombardelli

Hon Treasurer
Mrs M Byrne

Committee
Mr Harrison, Mrs Harrison, Miss Harrison
Mrs C House, Mrs Nolan and Mrs E Wood

ROSETTES

Best in Show, Reserve Best in Show
Best Puppy in Show, Reserve Best Puppy in Show
Best Veteran in Show (*from Veteran class only*)
1st to Reserve in all classes

ENTRY FEES

£3.00 First Entry / Dog
£3.00 Subsequent Entry / Same Dog
Catalogue £3.50 (*none available on the day*)
Membership - All Exhibitors MUST be Members (Jan 1st - Dec 31st)
Single: £1.50 Joint: £2.00

PLEASE HELP US TO KEEP OUR VENUE BY KEEPING IT CLEAN

An owner, exhibitor, handler or other person in charge of a dog is required to remove immediately any fouling by their dog(s) at any Kennel Club Licensed Show within the licensed Venue and the environs of the event including car parks and approaches

A CLEARLY MARKED EXERCISE AREA WILL BE PROVIDED

TEA & COFFEE WILL BE AVAILABLE

DEFINITIONS OF CLASSES

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 date of entries closing shall be counted when entering for any class ie. **4th April 2025**.

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. 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 or Puppy class, which is over age but under twelve calendar months of age or eighteen calendar months of age respectively, the Show Secretary shall transfer the exhibit to the Puppy class or the Junior class respectively for the correct colour, sex, weight or height and in the event of there being no Puppy or Junior 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.

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

MAIDEN For dogs which have not won a First Prize at any Show (Minor Puppy, Special Minor Puppy, Puppy and Special Puppy classes excepted, whether restricted or not).

NOVICE For dogs which have not won three or more First Prizes at any Show (Minor Puppy, Special Minor Puppy, Puppy and Special Puppy classes excepted, whether restricted or not).

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

SPECIAL HANDLED BY A SENIOR CITIZEN Handled by a Senior Citizen throughout the show

SPECIAL NOT HAVING WON A FIRST PRIZE Exhibit not having won a first prize at a Congleton Show

SPECIAL BRED BY EXHIBITOR For dogs bred by the Exhibitor

SPECIAL NOT BRED BY EXHIBITOR For dogs not bred by the Exhibitor

AVNSC For breeds of dog for which no separate breed classes are scheduled

IMPORTED REGISTER For breeds confined to the Imported Breeds Register and only when an Interim Breed Standard has been published by the Kennel Club. Such breeds may be exhibited in this class only with the winning dog being eligible for Best in Group / Best Puppy in Group or Best in Show / Best Puppy in Show as relevant.

NFC 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.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. The show will open at 11.30am (no admission before this time).
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 12.00 noon.
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: First Entry £3.00/Dog, Subsequent Entries £3.00/Same Dog. On-line available at www.haveadogday.co.uk.
6. There will be no prize money on offer at this show.
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. Where a Best Puppy in Show competition is scheduled the Best Puppy in Show is a puppy which has competed and has been declared Best Puppy in Breed, Best Any Variety Not Separately Classified Puppy or Best Any Variety Imported Breed Register Puppy. A puppy is a dog of six and not exceeding twelve calendar months of age on the first day of the Show. The selection of Best in Show may follow the selection of Best Puppy in Show and Best Veteran in Show (if scheduled) respectively. Where the Best of Breed or Best in Show is a puppy it may, at the discretion of the judge, be awarded Best Puppy in Breed and Best Puppy in Show respectively. Where the Reserve Best of Breed or 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 Breed and Best Puppy in Show respectively.
11. Best in Show The dog declared Best in Show is a dog which has competed and has been declared Best of Breed, Best from Any Variety Not Separately Classified and Best Any Variety Imported Breed Register. Best in Show and subsequent placings must be selected from:
 - a) Those dogs declared Best of Breed
 - b) The dog declared Best from the Any Variety Not Separately Classified classes
 - c) The dog declared Best from the Any Variety Imported Breed Register class or classes
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 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 - See reverse Entry Form.
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 the schedule except by permission of the Board of the Kennel Club, which will be followed by advertisement in the Canine press wherever possible.
20. An exhibitor or competitor should ensure that contact details for any handler are available and must be provided upon request in any investigation of a breach of this regulation by such handler.

EXHIBITORS MUST BE MEMBERS OF THIS SOCIETY TO ENTER THE SHOW

CLASSIFICATION

Judge: Sue Steele (Threadgold)

All classes are for dogs and bitches unless otherwise stated

- 1 AVNSC Minor Puppy Dog or Bitch
- 2 AVNSC Puppy Dog
- 3 AVNSC Puppy Bitch
- 4 AVNSC Miniature Dachshund Open (*Miniature Dachshunds will NOT be weighed*)
- 5 AVNSC Dachshund Open
- 6 AVNSC Collie Open
- 7 AVNSC Sporting Spaniel Open
- 8 AVNSC Pointer, Setter and / or Retriever Open
- 9 AVNSC Hound Open
- 10 AVNSC Sporting Terrier Open
- 11 AVNSC Utility Open
- 12 AVNSC Gundog Open
- 13 AVNSC Toy Open
- 14 AVNSC Working Open
- 15 AVNSC Pastoral Open
- 16 AV Imported Register Open
- 17 Junior Handling (Up to 16 Years)
- 18 AVNSC Veteran
- 19 AVNSC Maiden
- 20 AVNSC Novice
- 21 AVNSC Junior
- 22 AVNSC Special Yearling (*6-24 Months*)
- 23 AVNSC Special Handled by a Senior Citizen (*Throughout the show*)
- 24 AVNSC Special Not having won a first prize at a Congleton Show
- 25 AVNSC Sporting Open
- 26 AVNSC Non-Sporting Open
- 27 AVNSC Special Bred by Exhibitor
- 28 AVNSC Special Not Bred by Exhibitor
- 29 AVNSC Special 'The Past President' Mrs S Eardley Memorial Open Stakes
- 30 AVNSC Open Dog
- 31 AVNSC Open Bitch

Best in Show ~ Reserve Best in Show

Best Puppy in Show ~ Reserve Best Puppy in Show

Best Veteran in Show (*from Veteran classes only*)

CAGE IDENTIFICATION

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

EXHIBITORS / HANDLERS

Must not pick up dogs by their tails and leads when lifting them. 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.

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

UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES MUST EXHIBITORS' DOGS BE LEFT IN CARS IN HOT WEATHER

USE OF ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT AT SHOWS

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

REGULATIONS 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 Board for disciplinary action under these Show Regulations and/or disciplinary action under Kennel Club Rule A11.
 - (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 A11.
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 - (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 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 Board.
 - (b) The removal of dew claws 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 in the opinion of the Board to deceive.
- 4 The Board without previous notice may order an examination of any dog 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 KC in their possession. Samples may be taken for further examination and analysis.
- 5 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 any 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 & the individual must produce evidence of identity at the time of lodging the complaint.

PLEASE NOTE

The show will be held under Kennel Club Rules & Show Regulations. Every exhibitor making an entry or entries at this show shall be deemed to have agreed to abide by these Rules & Regulations and it is on this understanding only that entries are received

The Committee of this show cannot be held responsible for products advertised or sold by stand holders at the show and remind exhibitors that such products may not meet the requirements of the Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition

Exhibitors/Handlers are responsible for clearing up and removing any loose hair or fouling from dogs in their charge, or any litter, whether from the Car Park, the Exercise Area, or from any other part of the venue

Parents/Guardians - well behaved children are most welcome, but those in charge of children will be held responsible for their behaviour

All exhibitors must be familiar with Kennel Club Regulation F(B) Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition

SOFT CRATES

The Kennel Club has drawn attention to the potential health and safety implications concerning the use of Soft Crates at shows as in its view, they do not offer sufficient protection to dogs. Soft Crates left unattended at the ringside are a potential hazard particularly when occupied by large breeds, and it has been known for dogs to become distressed and move Soft Crates along the floor and also escape. Soft Crates should only be used when there is sufficient room available and when they can be safely secured.

REMINDER

DOGS IN CAGES MUST BE IDENTIFIED BY NAME OF THE EXHIBITOR or RING NUMBER

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 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.

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.

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CONGLETON CANINE SOCIETY

Held under Kennel Club Limited Rules and Show Regulations (Unbenched)

CHELFORD VILLAGE HALL

Knutsford Road, Chelford, Cheshire, SK11 9AS

On Sunday 4th May 2025

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

Postal Entries Close: Friday 11th April 2025

On-Line Entries Close: Friday 18th April 2025

www.haveadogday.co.uk

This form must be used by one person only (or partnership). Writing MUST BE IN INK OR INDELIBLE PENCIL. Use one line only for each dog. The name of the dog and all the details as recorded with the Kennel Club must be given on this entry form. If an error is made the dog may be disqualified by the Committee of the Kennel Club. All dogs must be REGISTERED at the Kennel Club in the name of the exhibitor. If the registration or transfer of ownership has not been confirmed it must be applied for before the closing date of entries. In case of dispute proof of postage of such applications may be required by the Kennel Club. Puppies under 6 months of age on the first day of the Show cannot be entered for competition. On no account will entries be accepted without fees. If a dog is in the process of Registration or Transfer at the time entry is made, add the letters NAF or TAF as appropriate after it's name. Please put classes in numerical order and USE BLOCK CAPITALS throughout when completing this entry form. The Kennel Club Authority to Compete number (for dogs registered and resident outside the UK) must be stated or the entry will be returned. PLEASE CHECK ALL DETAILS BEFORE POSTING.

ENTRY FEES: Cheques/POs made payable to **CONGLETON CANINE SOCIETY**

FIRST ENTRY / Per Dog _____ @ £3.00 £ _____

SUBSEQUENT ENTRY / Same Dog _____ @ £3.00 £ _____

PRE-PAID CATALOGUES (None available on the day) _____ @ £3.50 £ _____

MEMBERSHIPS (Single £1.50, Joint £2.00) _____ £ _____

ROSETTE DONATIONS (Per class) _____ @ £2.00 £ _____

(Will be acknowledged in the catalogue)

OVERALL TOTAL £ _____

On no account will entries be accepted without fees
Any Cheques dishonoured will incur a charge of £10.00
On-Line entries at www.haveadogday.co.uk

Registered Name of Dog (and Add ATC if applicable)	Breed	Sex	DOB	Breeder (if owner put Exh)	Sire	Dam	Class (s)
ATC No :							
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DECLARATION:

I/We agree to submit to and be bound by Kennel Club Limited Rules & Regulations in their present form or as they may be amended from time to time in relation to all canine matters with which the Kennel Club is concerned and that this entry is made upon the basis that all current single or joint registered owners of this dog(s) have authorised/consented to this entry. I/We also undertake to abide by the Regulations of this Show and not to bring to the Show any dog which has contracted or been knowingly exposed to any infectious or contagious disease during the 21 days prior to the Show, or which is suffering from a visible condition which adversely affects its health or welfare or to bring any dog which has been prepared for exhibition contrary to Kennel Club Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition F (Annex B). I/We agree without reservation that any Veterinary Surgeon operating on any of my/our dogs in such a way that the operation alters the natural conformation of the dog or part thereof may report such operations to the Kennel Club. I/We declare that where any alteration has been made to the natural conformation of the dog(s) the relevant permission to show has been granted by the Kennel Club. I/We further declare that I believe to the best of my knowledge that the dogs are not liable to disqualification under Kennel Club Show Regulations.

PLEASE USE BLOCK CAPITALS:

In the case of joint registered ownership the name of every owner must be given here

Name(s) _____ (Mr/Mrs/Miss)

Address _____

Postcode _____ Tel _____

E-Mail _____

Entries and Fees which must be prepaid to be sent to :

Mrs A Lombardelli - 2a Lawrence Road
Hazel Grove, Stockport, SK7 4JB
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Usual Signature of Owner (s) _____ Date _____

NOTE: Dogs entered in breach of Kennel Club Show Regulations are liable to disqualification whether or not the owner was aware of the breach
Children under the age of 11 are the responsibility of, and must be accompanied at all times by, a Parent or Guardian.