

## DIRECTIONS

Post code DE55 6BB  
From the M1 Junction 28 take the A38 towards Derby  
After 3.5 miles take the A61 (Alfreton) Follow A61 Through Alfreton towards  
Clay Cross Approx 2.5 miles from the A38 on the A61 is Shirland Village

Just after the RED LION PUB (on the right hand side)

Take the access road ON THE LEFT sign posted SHIRLAND VILLAGE HALL

## SPECTATOR DOGS

Dobermanns Only £5.00 / Dobermann over 4 months of age

Owners will be asked to complete an entry form at the show. All details of the dog and a declaration the dog is healthy will be signed for. Owners will be requested to keep their dogs under strict control at all times. The MDC retain the discretion to refuse entry of any dog if it appears unhealthy or is badly controlled. A charge will be payable on the day of £5.00 for each dog. We respectfully request owners to advise the Show Manager of their intentions prior to the Show date. Dogs entered as Spectator Dogs will not be covered by The MDC Insurance.  
MDC Committee

The Officers and Committee of the MDC would gratefully appreciate any sponsorship towards the show and rosettes

We also would like to give a reminder that donations to the MDC/DCM fund is still ongoing

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Championship Show - Sunday 8th November 2026  
Judge: Yvonne Cox

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# The Midland Dobermann Club

Unbenched Single Breed



To be held under Royal Kennel Club Limited Rules & Show Regulations  
Only undocked dogs and legally docked dogs may be entered for exhibition at this show

## Schedule of 23 Class OPEN SHOW

At Shirland Village Hall  
Main Road, Shirland, Nr Alfreton, DE55 6BB

On Sunday 14th June 2026

Show Opens 9.30am commencing with the Morning Open Show

Judging not before 12.30pm

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: Annette Tyler (Asteri)

### 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 Royal 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 Royal Kennel Club General Show Regulations F4 and F5)

Veterinary Information (On Call)  
Ambivet, Heanor, DE75 7EB  
T: 01773 717780

Show enquiries to Claire Bishop-Gamble  
T: 07736 285274

All entries (which must be prepaid) to be sent to: Have A Dog Day  
63 Wareham Grove, Dodworth, S75 3LU  
T: 07836 325125

Postal Entries Close: Friday 22nd May 2026

On-Line Entries Close: Friday 29th May 2026 (midnight)

All wins up to & including 15th May 2026 must be counted when entering any class

[www.haveadogday.co.uk](http://www.haveadogday.co.uk)  
T: 07836 325125

## THE MIDLAND DOBERMANN CLUB OFFICERS & COMMITTEE

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### **SHOW MANAGER: Miss C Bishop**

30 Lock Close, Kirk Hallam, Ilkeston, Derby, DE7 4HG T: 07736 285274

### **MEMBERSHIP SECRETARY: Mr B Garnham**

10 The Waterway, Sandiacre, NG10 5JZ

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30 Lock Close, Kirk Hallam, Ilkeston, Derby, DE7 4HG T: 07736 285274

### **PRO (Public Relations Officer) Stuart Evans**

## REFRESHMENTS

The committee and volunteers will be happy to greet you in the refreshments kitchen

## MEMBERSHIP SUBSCRIPTIONS

Single £8.00, Joint £9.00, Family £10.00

Will old and new Members please note that Subscriptions are due 1st January each year

## ROSETTES FOR

1st - 3rd in each class

Best in Show, Reserve Best in Show

Best Puppy in Show, Best Veteran in Show (*from the Veteran classes only*)

Rosettes to all in the Veteran Classes

SPECIALS OR DONATIONS WOULD BE GRATEFULLY RECEIVED  
AND WILL BE ACKNOWLEDGED IN THE CATALOGUE

## NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED

## CUPS AND TROPHIES

Could you please return cups and trophies relating to this show to our Cup Steward

C Bishop either prior to the show or on the day

MDC TROPHY - BEST IN SHOW

CAGOUM TROPHY - RESERVE BEST IN SHOW

JASMERE SHIELD - BEST PUPPY IN SHOW

SANROBE SHIELD - BEST VETERAN IN SHOW

## RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. The Show will Open at 9.30am.
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 not before 12.30pm.
4. Exhibits may be removed from the show after all their judging has been completed, the show will close half an hour after all judging has been completed.
5. Entry Fees: Members First Entry £5.00/Dog, Subsequent Entry £2.00/Dog, Non-members First Entry £6.50/Dog, Subsequent Entry £2.50/Dog, Veteran £2.50/Dog, NFC £2.00/Dog, Baby Puppy £3.00/Dog. On-Line Entries at [www.haveadogday.co.uk](http://www.haveadogday.co.uk).
6. There is no prize money on offer at this show.
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 are strictly forbidden.
10. 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. 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 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. 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 must be selected from the exhibits declared Best of Sex. If a Reserve Best in Show is to be selected, the eligible dogs are those declared Best Opposite Sex and the Reserve Best of Sex to the exhibit declared Best in Show.
12. Exhibits will not be admitted to Best in Show competition after a period of ten minutes has elapsed since the announcement that exhibits are required for judging, unless they have been unavoidably delayed by previous judging not being completed on time, and then only with the special permission of the Show Management.
13. Exhibitors must not pick up dogs by their tails and leads when lifting them nor handle a dog in a manner which causes its feet not 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 Royal Kennel Club Show Regulation F11.
14. All exhibitors must be familiar with Royal 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 Royal 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 of Entry Form
17. Anyone whose dog is entered at a Royal 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 Royal Kennel Club Regulations in this respect may be referred to the Board for disciplinary action under the Royal 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 Royal 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 Royal Kennel Club registered. Not for Competition entries will be accepted for dogs aged 3 calendar months of age on the first day of the show.
19. No modifications will be made to the schedule except by permission of the Board of the Royal Kennel Club, which will be followed by advertisement in the Canine press wherever possible.
20. 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.

## DEFINITIONS OF CLASSES

In the following definitions, a Challenge Certificate includes any Show award that counts towards the title of Champion under the Rules of any governing body recognised by the Royal Kennel Club.

Wins at Championship Shows in breed classes where Challenge Certificates are not on offer shall be counted as wins at Open Shows.

In the case of a dog owned in partnership and entered in Members' classes or competing for Members' Specials each partner must at the time of entry be a member of the Society.

In estimating the number of awards won, all wins up to and including the seventh day before the first closing date shall be counted when entering for any class i.e. **9th May 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, Puppy Class or Junior Class, which is over age but under 12 calendar months of age, 18 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.

**BABY PUPPY** A baby puppy is a dog of four and less than six calendar months of age on the first day of the show.

**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.

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

**NOVICE** For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate/CACIB/CAC/Green Star or three or more First Prizes at Open and Championship Shows (Minor Puppy, Special Minor Puppy, Puppy and Special Puppy classes excepted, whether restricted or not).

**GRADUATE** For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate/CACIB/CAC/Green Star or four or more First Prizes at Championship Shows in Graduate, Post Graduate, Minor Limit, Mid Limit, Limit and Open classes, whether restricted or not 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.

**LIMIT** For dogs which have not become Show Champions under Royal Kennel Club Regulations or under the rules of any Governing Body recognised by the Royal Kennel Club, or won 3 or more CACIB/CAC/Green Stars 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.

**OPEN** For all dogs of the breed for which the class is provided and eligible for entry at the Show.

**VETERAN** For dogs of not less than seven years of age on the first day of the Show.

**GOOD CITIZEN DOG SCHEME CLASS** For dogs that have achieved their GCDS Bronze Award Certificate or above.

**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.

*Puppies of 4 and not exceeding 6 months, welcome to enter Baby Puppy and must be entered on the correct entry form prior to entries closing*

## CLASSIFICATION Judge: Annette Tyler (Asteri)

1	MINOR PUPPY DOG	13	MINOR PUPPY BITCH
2	PUPPY DOG	14	PUPPY BITCH
3	JUNIOR DOG	15	JUNIOR BITCH
4	YEARLING DOG	16	YEARLING BITCH
5	NOVICE DOG	17	NOVICE BITCH
6	GRADUATE DOG	18	GRADUATE BITCH
7	POST GRADUATE DOG	19	POST GRADUATE BITCH
8	LIMIT DOG	20	LIMIT BITCH
9	OPEN DOG	21	OPEN BITCH
10	VETERAN DOG	22	VETERAN BITCH
11	BABY PUPPY DOG	12	BABY PUPPY BITCH

*Followed by Best Baby Puppy in Show*

### 23 MIKE BUTTERWORTH MEMORIAL CLASS *For Dogs / Bitches awarded KCGCDS Bronze and above*

*Best Veteran in Show will be judged at the end of judging with Best Veteran Dog and Best Veteran Bitch competing regardless of any awards won on the day*

## ENTRY FEES

Members First Entry / Dog	£5.00
Members Subsequent Entries / Same Dog	£2.00
Non-Members First Entry / Dog	£6.50
Non-Members Subsequent Entries / Same Dog	£2.50
All Veteran Classes / Dog	£2.50
All Baby Puppy Classes / Dog	£3.00
<i>All proceeds go to MDC/DCM fund</i>	
Not For Competition	£2.00
Pre-Paid Catalogues ONLY	£3.50
<i>(Non available on the day)</i>	

## ABOUT OUR JUDGE - Annette Tyler (Asteri)

It is an honour and a privilege to be invited to Judge The Midland Dobermann Club Open Show and I would like to thank the Committee for their invitation.

Steve and I have owned Dobermanns for over 40 years. It all started with 'Gemma' Shinning Gem of the Hollow who arrived in 1986. She was not a show dog but captured our hearts and love for the Breed. Later that year 'Khan' joined us Chancepixies Khan JW 1CC, 2 RCC's, RBIS Bath CH SH 1989.

'Harrie' Pure Genius of Anjavek arrived in 1988 she gained her Stud Book number, and lived to the fabulous age of 13!

I joined The Welsh Dobermann Club Committee and was PRO/Year Book Editor from 1988-1992 and initiated the very first Calendar of Champions which I am pleased to say is still going strong!

After a break from showing we returned in 2014 with 'Anja' CH Chancepixies Angelina 3 CC's, 2 RCC's 2 x BOB's 1 CAC, 1 RCAC, 2 RCACL, BH.

I rejoined The Welsh Dobermann Club and have been part of the Committee and Show Manager since 2016.

In 2015 'The Bomb' aka Theo arrived!

CH/LUX CH JOJAVIK BULLETPROOF BOMB JW ShCM BH, 7 CC's, 8 RCC's, 5 BOB's, 2 CACLs, 1CACIB, 1RCAC WG2 & W&PBW 2018. 5 BIS Speciality Open Shows, 4 BIS All Breed Open Shows, 2 RBIS Speciality Open Shows, 2 RBIS All Breed Open Shows. What a journey we have had.

Our affix 'Asteri' is the Greek word for Star!

In 2017 'Nyx' Nyx Asteri Wot A Thriller - our French Belle came across the channel. 1 CACL, 1 RCAC including many placings at both Open and Championship Shows.

'Chilli' Korbach Chilli at Asteri BH, AD, IGP1, IGP2 is our German Shepherd and 'Teddy' Jojavik Bombs Away at Asteri BH son of Theo joined the clan in 2021. Teddy has gained his Stud Book Number. Both dogs are worked by Steve in the IPO arena.

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION

We continue to receive entry forms without class numbers and even without dogs names. No entries will be accepted that included unsigned and undated cheques. Cheques and PO's must be made payable to THE MIDLAND DOBERMANN CLUB. Any entries received not adhering to the above will be returned to sender. RETURNED CHEQUES. Exhibitors whose cheques are returned by their bank, for any reason, will be liable to settle the amount due plus the charge of £10 to cover administration costs and bank charges.

C Bishop (Show Manager)

ANYONE WISHING TO RESERVE TRADE STAND SPACE MUST APPLY TO THE SHOW MANAGER SIX WEEKS BEFORE THE SHOW IN WRITING PLEASE.

MIDLAND DOBERMANN CLUB ARE EXTREMELY CONCERNED ABOUT THE BEHAVIOUR OF CHILDREN ACCOMPANYING THEIR PARENTS PLEASE NOTE EXHIBITORS WILL BE HELD RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY DAMAGE DONE BY THEIR CHILDREN WHILST AT THIS VENUE AND NOT THE MIDLAND DOBERMANN CLUB.

## HELP US TO KEEP THE VENUE CLEAN BY MAKING USE OF THE POOP SCOOPS PROVIDED

It is the responsibility of the Exhibitor/Handler to clear up any fouling by dogs in their charge, inside or outside the venue.

## 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 Royal Kennel Club Licensed event. Objections may be referred to the Board for disciplinary action under these Show Regulations and/or disciplinary action under Royal 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 Royal 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 Royal Kennel Club 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 Royal 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 Royal 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.

**The attention of exhibitors is drawn to the fact that any advertisement for a coat preparation or shampoo or similar either in the Schedule or Catalogue does not imply that the use of such a preparation may not contravene Royal Kennel Club Regulations for the Preparation of dogs for Exhibition F. This also applies to any coat preparation or shampoo or similar on sale at the Show. The attention of exhibitors is directed to the Declaration they are required to sign on the entry form.**

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

Anyone whose dog is entered at a Royal 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 Royal Kennel Club Regulations in this respect may be referred to the Board for disciplinary action under Royal Kennel Club Rules and Regulations.

## MEMBERSHIP 2026

New Membership \* / Subscription Renewal \*\*  
Memberships are due on the 1st January each year

Please return this form with your remittance to the Membership Secretary:  
**Mr B Garnham, 10 The Waterway, Sandiacre, NG10 5JZ**  
I / We wish to become a member of The Midland Dobermann Club for 2026 \*  
I / We wish to renew my / our subscription \*\*  
I / We agree to abide by The Midland Dobermann Club's Rules and Code of Ethics

MEMBERSHIP FEES are: Joint £9.00 (recognised partnership at same address)  
Single £8.00 Family £10.00

My / Our remittance is enclosed £ : Cheque or postal order please  
Payable to 'THE MIDLAND DOBERMANN CLUB'

(Please complete in BLOCK CAPITALS)

FULL NAME (S) \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

POSTCODE: \_\_\_\_\_

TEL: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

AFFIX: \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE (S): \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

In line with the new data protection please can you tick the box if you are NOT happy for the Midland Dobermann Club to share any relevant information with upcoming clubs / judging / appointments  
I do NOT wish for my information to be passed on or stored:

*New Members only*

Proposed by \_\_\_\_\_ Sign \_\_\_\_\_ Print \_\_\_\_\_

Seconded by \_\_\_\_\_ Sign \_\_\_\_\_ Print \_\_\_\_\_

*Will existing and new members please note subscriptions are due on 1st January each year, and must be renewed before the Annual General Meeting takes places.*

\*\* Delete if this is a new application

\* Delete if this is a membership renewal

[www.midland-dobermann-club.co.uk](http://www.midland-dobermann-club.co.uk)

## DOGS IN VEHICLES ON HOT DAYS

Your dog is vulnerable and at risk during hot weather and the Royal Kennel Club offers the following guidance to help guide you through the do's and don'ts travelling to and whilst at KC licensed events.

- When travelling to a show please take a moment to consider whether the route to the show is on a busy holiday route, and leave earlier to avoid increased time in traffic jams.
- If your vehicle is not air-conditioned seriously consider whether travelling to the show is a good idea at all.
- The vehicle should be as fully ventilated as possible, and plenty of stops should be taken, with lots of water available to drink.
- Ensure your dog is not sitting in full sunlight. There should be plenty of free flowing air around the dog.
- When at the show, never leave your dog in the vehicle.
- Keep the dog in the shade - take your own shade for example a large umbrella and always have plenty of water available to drink so your dog stays well hydrated.
- Avoid your dog taking part in unnecessary exertion, or from standing in exposed sunlight for extended lengths of time.

Remember, if you feel hot your dog is very likely to feel much hotter and dehydrated, and this could lead to dire results. Please look after your dog's welfare.

**WARNING: IF YOUR DOG IS FOUND TO BE AT RISK FORCIBLE ENTRY TO YOUR VEHICLE MAY BE NECESSARY WITHOUT LIABILITY FOR ANY DAMAGE CAUSED.**

**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**

### Use of Electrical Equipment at Shows

The Royal Kennel Club is becoming increasingly concerned at the amount of electrical equipment being used by exhibitors at shows, including hair dryers and hair straighteners and other grooming devices.

Electrical equipment should not be brought to shows unless absolutely necessary. In rare instances where it might be required, it should be PAT tested and permission sought from the secretary of the show before it is used.

The Royal Kennel Club has also been informed of recent instances of exhibitors commandeering certain areas of a venue in order to have access to power points so as to use electrical grooming equipment. This is totally unacceptable and particularly unfair on the breeds whose allocated areas have been cramped because of this selfish behaviour.

### Security at Shows

In light of recent events the Royal Kennel Club would like to issue a reminder to all Societies of the importance of security at dog shows. The Royal Kennel Club understands that due to the nature of dog shows and the quantity of paraphernalia exhibitors bring it would be extremely difficult for show organisers to take on the issue of security alone, therefore we would reiterate the advice being given by the Police and security services, that everyone in the UK should remain vigilant and this applies to those organising and taking part in dog shows.

The importance of exhibitors feeling that they and their dogs are safe when attending a show cannot be underestimated. We would therefore remind you of the importance of the need for show organisers and exhibitors to remain mindful of potential dangers and that all visitors generally need to be vigilant and alert.

Furthermore the society should provide robust notification informing exhibitors of where to report to should they see anything suspicious or of concern, and of the evacuation procedures in place.



**The Midland Dobermann Club**  
**OPEN SHOW (Morning Show)**  
*(To be held under Royal Kennel Club Limited Rules & Show Regulations)*  
**At SHIRLAND VILLAGE HALL**  
**Main Road, Shirland, Nr Alfreton, DE55 6BB**  
**On Sunday 14th June 2026**

**INSTRUCTIONS** 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 Royal Kennel Club must be given on this entry form. If an error is made the dog may be disqualified by the Committee of The Royal Kennel Club. All dogs must be REGISTERED at The Royal 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 Royal Kennel Club. Puppies under 4 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 Royal 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.

Cheques to be made payable to  
**HAVE A DOG DAY**

On no account will entries be accepted without fees  
£10.00 fee will be charged for any returned cheques

On-Line Entries available  
[www.haveadogday.co.uk](http://www.haveadogday.co.uk)



Postal Entries Close  
**Friday 22nd May 2026**

On-Line Entries Close  
**Friday 29th May 2026**

**ENTRY FEES: OPEN SHOW (AFTERNOON SHOW)**

Members First Entry / Dog	_____ @ £5.00	£ _____
Members Subsequent Entries / Same Dog	_____ @ £2.00	£ _____
Non-Members First Entry / Dog	_____ @ £6.50	£ _____
Non-Members Subsequent Entries / Same Dog	_____ @ £2.50	£ _____
All Veteran Classes / Dog	_____ @ £2.50	£ _____
Baby Puppy	_____ @ £3.00	£ _____
Not For Competition	_____ @ £2.00	£ _____
Prepaid Catalogue	_____ @ £3.50	£ _____
Rosette Donations <i>(Will be acknowledged)</i>		£ _____
Show Donations <i>(Will be acknowledged)</i>		£ _____
Donation to MDC/DCM Fund <i>(Will be acknowledged)</i>		£ _____
Membership (Joint £9.00 / Single £8.00)		£ _____
Advertisement £9.00 Full Page / £6.00 Half Page		£ _____
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>£ _____</b>

Cheques to be made payable to **HAVE A DOG DAY**

Registered Name of Dog <small>Add ATC Number if applicable</small>	Breed	Sex	DOB	Breeder <small>(if owner put Exh)</small>	Sire	Dam	Class (s)
ATC No :	<b>D O B E R M A N N</b>						
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I/We agree to submit to and be bound by Royal 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 Royal 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 Royal 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 Royal 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 Royal Kennel Club. I/We further declare that I believe to the best of my knowledge that the dogs are not liable to disqualification under Royal Kennel Club Show Regulations. I/We also confirm that I/we understand the eligibility of the classes entered.

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

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Usual Signature of Owner(s) ..... Date .....

*Only undocked dogs and legally docked dogs may be entered for exhibition at this show. Dogs entered in breach of Royal 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.*

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