



Schedule

BREED CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW

(UNDER LICENCE OF THE IRISH KENNEL CLUB LTD. TO THE FOUR GUARANTORS)

To be held on

Sunday 30th. April 2023

Venue

**Ferryhouse Sports Complex, Clonmel,
Co. Tipperary, In conjunction with
Fermoy Canine Club's All Breed International
Show**

***Judge:* Mr. William Kilpatrick (Kerronmor)**

Judging commences at 12 noon

Entries Close 14th April 2023

Enter online at www.dogshowentry.ie

Online closes at midnight on the 21st April 2023

**Hon. Secretary: Ms. Gillian Stewart,
Garryowen,**

**Killacloran, Aughrim, Co. Wicklow
Tel: 089 453 7415**

Ring numbers will be handed out at the Show, on the day.

Irish Pug Dog Club

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Meet Our Judge

The Irish Pug Dog Club is delighted to welcome Ronnie (William) Kilpatrick to judge our Club Show.

Ronnie was our Club Secretary for over 20 years, and did an amazing job. He recently retired from the job and from the committee, but remains one of the Irish Pug Dog Club's greatest supporters.

Ronnie, together with his wife Moira Grant Cook, have shown for many years under the Kerronmor affix. They have bred, shown and made up many champions. The famous Schumi (Ch & Sh Ch Vicalan Hell Ava Fella at Kerronmor An Ch '02/03/04/05) was Annual Champion for an incredible four years. The Kerronmor pugs were no stranger to going Best in Show at our Club Show, so it is very fitting that Ronnie, now retired from showing, comes back to judge our show.

We know that our members will all support Ronnie as our judge, and we hope that he has a wonderful day.

Sponsors

**The Irish Pug Dog Club would like to thank
Donna Shields and Audrey Fisher
for sponsoring our rosettes.**

SHOW REGULATIONS

1. **JURISDICTION.** The show will be held under licence and rules of the Irish Kennel Club Ltd. As in force on 1st April 2023.
2. **All dogs must be registered with the Irish Kennel Club Ltd.**
Venue: the show will be held at **Ferryhouse Sports Complex, Clonmel, Co. Tipperary, on Sunday 30th April 2023 (in conjunction with Fermoy Canine Club All Breed International Show)** Between the hours of 9am and 6pm judging will commence at 12 noon. Entries will be received up to and including **Friday 14th April 2023** by the **secretary: Ms. Gillian Stewart, Garryowen, Killacoran, Aughrim, Co. Wicklow. Tel: 089 453 7415**
3. The promoting body shall have the right to refuse any entry.
Online closes at midnight on the 21st April 2023
4. **ENTRIES-ENTRY FEE of €22 for first entry and €5 for each dog thereafter.**
5. **There will be an entry fee of €3 per dog for dogs entered in all stakes classes. Dogs Not for competition €5.00**
6. **No entries will be accepted without the appropriate fees, which cannot be refunded under any circumstances.**
7. **JUDGING** - If circumstances arise to prevent any judge selected from keeping his or her appointment, the committee reserves to employ another judge. The right is reserved to the promoting body to change in a breed if it is considered such a change is in the best interests of the show.
8. Rosettes are on offer for 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and Reserve places in each class, Best in Show, Reserve Best in Show, Best Veteran, Best Puppy, Best Baby Puppy, Best Black, Best Neuter, Best Beginner, Best Brace, Best Team and Fancy Dress.
9. Cups and Trophies are confined to fully paid-up members of the Irish Pug Dog Club. All cups and trophies are perpetual, and may be retained only until the next Club Show. Winning exhibitors that are paid up Club members, must complete the necessary paperwork with the Cup Steward before taking a cup or trophy.
10. The promoting body shall not be responsible for the exhibition of any dog in the ring. In the event of an exhibitor requesting a Steward or other official to handle his or her exhibit in the ring, any such official may voluntarily do so but on the distinct understanding that such an action is on behalf of the owner and does not involve the promoting body in any responsibility whatever for loss or damage consequential or otherwise.
11. **JUDGING WILL COMMENCE AT 12 NOON SHARP.**
CATALOGUES - The promoting body shall not be responsible for any loss, direct or indirect, occasioned by any mistake or omission in the Catalogue. In any such case the exhibitor should immediately inform the ring Steward if the judging is in progress and otherwise the exhibitor should immediately report the Catalogue inaccuracy at the Secretary's Office.
Online Catalogue FREE
Hard Copy Catalogue FREE
12. **Announcements:** All announcements appearing on social media (Irish Exhibitors Choice & Voice on Facebook) prior to the date of the closing of entries and in reference to any alterations made by the promoting body in the Schedule or in these Regulations shall be deemed sufficient notice thereof.

13. **EXHIBITS** - Each exhibitor shall be responsible for keeping their exhibit under proper control at all times. **ALL DOGS MUST BE KEPT ON A LEAD AT ALL TIMES ANYWHERE ON THE SHOW GROUNDS.**
14. **INTERPRETATION** - The committee of the promoting club shall be the " Show Committee" within the meaning of The Irish Kennel Club rules, and all disputes (if any) shall be dealt with by the Committee. Parties to any such dispute shall have the right to appeal to The Irish Kennel Club.
15. **ACCIDENT OR DAMAGE** - The Society will not be responsible for any loss or damage sustained by exhibits, exhibitors or other persons attending the Show through accident or otherwise.
16. **FOULING** - Every exhibitor will be required to remove and dispose in bins provided any fouling made by their dogs in any part of the show grounds.
17. **EXHIBITORS ARE REQUESTED TO BRING THEIR OWN SCOOP OR PLASTIC BAG FOR THIS PURPOSE.**
18. **JUDGING RING** - No person will be allowed in any judging ring except the judge Show Official or exhibitor taking dogs in for adjudication.

DOGS MUST BE KEPT ON A LEAD AT ALL TIMES

Please keep in mind I.K.C. Rule, if your dog fouls the venue indoor or outdoor and you do not clean it up you will be fined €25. This year's committee will strictly enforce this rule.

Save yourself money and clean up after your dog, and at the same time you will be assured of a comfortable venue to show your dog next year.

CLASSIFICATION

Dogs:

Baby Puppy Puppy Minor Puppy Junior Intermediate Adult Open Champion Veteran
Neuter Dog

Bitches:

Baby Puppy Puppy Minor Puppy Junior Intermediate Adult Open Champion Veteran
Neuter Bitch

The Classes below are to be judged after Best in Show

Special Classes: Special Beginners Stakes, Special Open Black Dog, Special Open Black Bitch
Brace Stakes, Team Stakes, Fancy Dress, Neutered Dog, Neutered Bitch

A Special Open Black Class: is for black dogs over 15 months of age on the day of the Show.

Beginners Stakes: To be eligible to compete in this class, neither the owner, handler or dog will have won a Green Star prior to the entry closing date of the Show. In the event of co-owned dogs, all owners must fulfil the criteria. This class is judged on the quality of the dog.

Fancy Dress: Open to all pugs that have been entered in a breed class. This class is judged on the originality and entertainment factor of the pug's costume.

Note: With the exception of the Fancy Dress and Neuter Classes, A pug must be entered in a BREED CLASS before it can enter a Special Class.

CLASS DEFINITIONS

(The word 'Dog' includes both sexes)

Baby Puppy Class is confined to dogs over four and under six months of age on the day of the Show. Dogs entered in this class are not eligible to challenge for the Green Star and may not take part in any further competition

A Puppy Class is confined to dogs over six and under twelve calendar months of age on the first day of the Show .

A Minor Puppy Class is confined to dogs of 6 months and under the age of 9 months on the day of the Show.

A Junior Class is for dogs between 9 and 18 calendar months of age on the first day of the Show, .

An Intermediate Class is for dogs between 15 and 24 calendar months of age on the first day of the Show, .

An Adult class is for dogs between 24 and 36 calendar months of age on the first day of the Show

An Open Class is for dogs over 15 months of age on the first day of the Show, .

A Champions Class is for dogs who have gained the Title of Champion under Irish Kennel Club Rules or under a recognised Kennel Authority **confirmed by the date of closing of entries.******

A Veteran Class is for dogs over eight years of age on the first day of the Show.

Neutered Class: The class can be offered at all Championship & Open Shows in the breed and the Best Neuter Male and Best Neuter Female can compete for Best Neuter in Breed and go forward to Best Neuter in Show, BUT they do not compete for the Green Stars and there is no Neuter Champion title

A Brace Class is for two exhibits of the same or different sexes of the same breed belonging to the same person, each exhibit having been entered in some class other than brace or team.

A Team Class is for three exhibits of the same or different sexes of the same breed belonging to the same person, each exhibit having been entered in some class other than brace or team.

****** Please Note: A Veteran Dog who is a Champion may enter in either Veteran or Champion Class but not both.****

N.B.: A Dog or Bitch may be entered in ONE BREED CLASS ONLY (No double entries)

NOTE: Entrants in Special Colour Classes inclusive must also be entered in one of the Main classes

NOTE: Dogs under the age of six months are not allowed into the show grounds unless entered in scheduled Baby Puppy Class. All dogs entered must be registered or transferred at the Irish Kennel Club in the name of the Exhibitor.

