

DEFINITIONS OF CLASSES

1. In the following Definitions of Classes, First Prize wins in Limited Show Obedience Classes and Open Shows confined to one breed do not count for entry in Open and Championship Show Obedience Classes but do count for eligibility at Limited Obedience Shows or Open Shows confined to one breed.
2. A dog must be entered in the lowest scheduled class for which it is eligible and may also be entered in another class if desired plus one additional class at the society's discretion.
3. Societies may schedule classes other than those defined below. The eligibility for "Special" classes must be defined by the Society & included in the schedule. The word "Special" must be included in the title of the class

PRE-BEGINNERS: To compete in Pre-Beginners a handler or dog must not have won a First Prize in either Pre-Beginners or Beginners nor gained a third place or above in any other obedience class. (Introductory Class excepted).

BEGINNERS: To compete in Beginners a handler or dog must not have won a total of two or more First Prizes in Beginners Class, or one First Prize in any other Obedience Class (Introductory Class and Pre-Beginners excepted).

NOVICE: For dogs which have not won two First Prizes in Obedience Classes (Introductory Class, Pre-Beginners and Beginners excepted).

CLASS A: For dogs which have not won three First Prizes in Class A, Class B and Open Class C in total.

CLASS B: For dogs which have not won three First Prizes in Class B and Open Class C in total.

OPEN CLASS C: At Open and Premier Shows, and in the Open C Classes held at Championship shows, open to all dogs.

Directions to the Venue

The Newark & Notts Showground is situated off the main A46 Lincoln road, just north of the junction of the A1 with A46/A47.



Schedule Compiled From Kennel Club Specimen Schedule 11/2018 (WT07/CAT Version 21)

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SHEFFIELD GERMAN SHEPHERD DOG SOCIETY

Schedule of 6 Class Open Obedience Show
(Held under Kennel Club Rules and Regulations G
& Licenced by the Kennel Club Limited)

at
NEWARK & NOTTS SHOWGROUND
WINTHORPE, NEWARK. NG24 2NY

on
Sunday, 20th October 2019

Show Opens: 8.30am Judging commences: 9.30am
(Beginners will follow after completion of Pre Beginners)
Show Closes: half an hour after all judging is completed

CHIEF STEWARD: Jacqueline Tune

GUARANTORS TO THE KENNEL CLUB

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ENTRIES CLOSE: 24th September 2019 (Tuesday postmark)

ELIGIBILITY – last qualifying date Tuesday 17th September 2019

Postal entries (with correct fees) and enquiries to:

Mrs A Hardy, Nairn Lodge, Sutton Crossroads, Sutton Lane, Retford, Notts. DN22 8QL
Telephone: 01777 703417 Email: anmeha@aol.com

Please make all cheques and postal orders payable to: Sheffield GSD Society.

Dogs may enter THREE classes for which they are eligible for at this show

Online entries accepted via: www.withyourdog.co.uk

ENTRY FEES:

£5.00 per dog per class NFC:Free (details required on entry form)
Catalogues £2.00 with entry, £2.50 on the day



Hon Veterinary Surgeons:

Minster Veterinary Hospital, Malt Kiln Lane, Newark. NG24 1HN Tel: 01636 612906

OVERNIGHT PARKING is only permitted by written application NNAS Trading Ltd The Showground, Winthorpe Newark NG24 2NY Tel' 01636 705796 stating dates required and send payment DIRECT to NNAS and not with your entry Entry fees.

PLEASE OBSERVE THE 5 mph SPEED LIMIT WITHIN THE PRECINCTS OF THE SHOW

CLASSIFICATION

Judges must be qualified in accordance with the Kennel Club Obedience Show Regulations (G)

| CLASS | | JUDGE | RESERVE |
|-------|-------------------------|---------------|---|
| 1 | Pre-Beginners Dog/Bitch | Mel Ely | |
| 2 | Beginners Dog/Bitch | Mel Ely | |
| 3 | Novice Dog/Bitch | Pauline Barr | Ellen Shucksmith, Ann Trodd, Glenys Grimes |
| 4 | Class A Dog/Bitch | Helen Munks | Rosie Peacock |
| 5 | Class B Dog/Bitch | Carol Klug | Graham Wellings |
| 6 | Open Class C Dog/Bitch | Richard Marks | Brenda Fox |

Further judges will be appointed as necessary.

Please Note: Beginner class Judging will commence after completion of PreBeginners

RUNNING ORDER

There will be a draw for the running order of the first 10 dogs in all classes/parts, competitors should check online at www.obediencuk.net or www.Sheffieldgsd.com unless they have stated their wish to receive their running order by post & included a SAE.

TIMED STAYS:

Will be in operation at this show and will take priority over all other classes (commencing 10.30 am).

ROSETTES & PRIZE CARDS: 1ST to 6th place in all classes.
Trophy to all class winners.

ANY PERSON VERBALLY ABUSING ANY CLUB OFFICIAL WILL BE ASKED TO LEAVE THE VENUE AND WILL BE REPORTED TO THE KENNEL CLUB.

DOGS LEFT IN HOT VEHICLES:

Will competitors please note that remedial action will be taken in the event of dogs left in cars/vans being found in a distressed condition.

PLEASE CLEAN UP AFTER YOUR DOGS – WE DO NOT WANT TO LOSE THIS VENUE

RULES AND REGULATIONS

These Rules & Regulations are to be read in conjunction with The Kennel Club Obedience Show Regulations G under which this show is licensed. It is the responsibility of everyone entering this show to make themselves familiar with the Kennel Club G Regulations, available from the Kennel Club.

1. Dogs entered at Kennel Club licensed Obedience Shows must be registered at the Kennel Club in accordance with Kennel Club Regulations for Classification and Registration B.
2. All dogs registered and 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.

3. Only dogs of six calendar months of age and over are eligible for competition at Kennel Club licensed Obedience Shows.
4. A dog must not compete in the same class more than once, including special classes.
5. Organisers of Open Obedience Shows may set a capping level on the entries to be accepted in any standard or special class, and may decline entries received after the capping level has been reached. State if specific classes are to be capped and the capping limit. The capping level must be set at a minimum of 35 entries received. There is no maximum level at which a cap may be set.
6. Not for competition entries will be accepted for dogs aged four calendar months and over. Dogs must be Kennel Club registered with their full details recorded on the entry form.
7. Online entries accepted via www.withyourdog.co.uk
8. Running Orders will be available online at www.obediencuk.net and may be sent by e-mail to relevant competitors unless a competitor has clearly stated their wish to receive their running order by post SAE must be enclosed.
9. The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries.
10. In the event that the show is cancelled due to unforeseen circumstances, the Society will refund fees, less reasonably incurred expenses. If the show processor has the provision to do so, competitors will be refunded in the manner in which they had entered the show, but in any event the Society will refund fees within 3 months of the show date to all those who had entered and requested a refund within 1 month of the show date, and on receipt of a stamped addressed envelope.
11. In classes without a full running order dogs will be received until one hour after the commencement of judging (10.30 am) after which no dogs may be received except under unforeseen and exceptional circumstances and by special permission of the Show Management.
12. Timed stays will take place and will take priority over other tests: the times will be published at the show and in the catalogue.
13. For the duration of the show all dogs, including those in the exercise area, must be on a lead except when competing or practising prior to competition.
14. The mating of bitches within the precincts of the competition is forbidden.
15. The dog should be led into the ring for judging with a smooth collar or, half-check collar of slip chain, with lead attached (unless otherwise directed) and should be at the handler's side.
16. Animals allowed in Event
No animal other than one officially entered shall be brought into the precincts of the event during its continuance, except any dogs registered to assist the disabled, or dogs required for educational or instructional purposes, or by permission of the Board. However, at the discretion of the show society, a dog brought to the show by a spectator may be admitted into the precincts of the dog show, with the proviso that those in charge of the dog sign a declaration confirming the dog is free from disease and that the dog will be kept under proper control at all times.
17. Following discussion between the Chief Steward and the show management and/or a veterinary surgeon, a dog shall be prevented from competing and/or removed from the Show if it is:-
 - a) A bitch which is in season.
 - b) Suffering from any infectious or contagious disease.
 - c) Interfering with the safety or chance of winning of an opponent.
 - d) Of such temperament or is so much out of hand as to be a danger to the safety of any person or other animal.
 - e) Likely to cause suffering to the dog if it continues competing.The circumstances of such a removal shall be recorded in the show Incident Book and submitted to Kennel Club.
18. Dogs will be disqualified if proved to have been handled by the scheduled judge's spouse or immediate family, or resident at the same address as the scheduled judge.
19. No person shall carry out punitive correction or harsh handling of a dog at any time within the boundaries of the Show.
20. No competitor shall impugn the decision of the Judge or Judges.
21. Should a judge be unable to fulfil the appointment to judge the Committee reserves the right to appoint another judge.
22. Should circumstances so dictate the Society, in consultation with the Judges, may alter arrangements as necessary. Such changes and the circumstances surrounding them will be reported to the Kennel Club.
23. No Prize Money is on offer at this show.
24. All offers of sponsorship or donation must be included with the name of the sponsors.
25. **DOGS IN VEHICLES 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.
26. Welfare of Dogs. A competitor 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 knowingly put their dogs' health and welfare at risk by any action, default, omission or otherwise. A breach of this Regulation may be referred to the Board for disciplinary action under Kennel Club Rules and Regulations. The use of pinch collars, electronic shock collars, or prong collars, is not permitted at any Obedience show licensed by the Kennel Club. This shall apply at the venue and within the precincts of the show.
27. Food and/or toys shall not be carried or given to a dog under test except in Introductory Class where silent toy and food rewards may be used between and after exercises and in a Special Class if specified in the class definition. Competitors must not distract other dogs when rewarding their dog with food, toy or play. (Refer to Obedience Code of Conduct)