

# **Schedule**

For the

## **39<sup>th</sup> Championship Show**



In conjunction with Group 1 & Group 2 Championship Show  
At

**The National Show Centre,  
Cloghran, Co. Dublin  
Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> June 2019**

***Judge :: Jana Stefancova (Slovakia)***

**Entries close on the 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2019**

**Enter online at [www.dogshowentry.ie](http://www.dogshowentry.ie)**

**Online closes at midnight on the 7<sup>th</sup> June 2019**

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There are rosettes for 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th place winners on the day and Trophies/ Shields for class winners. (Trophies/Shields will only be awarded to Club members)

Royal Canin will be awarded to Best In Show, Reserve Best In Show, Best Veteran and Best Puppy.

The Special Beginners and Novice classes which are open to anyone who is new to show- ing or improving and is open to members and non-members. The winners of these clas- ses cannot compete for the Green Stars.

Special Beginners and Novice classes will take place on competition of the Dog Classes and before the commencement of the Bitch classes

# SHOW RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. **The Show** will be held under the rules of the Irish kennel Club Ltd
2. **The Show** will be held at the National Show Centre, Cloghran, Co. Dublin . on Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> June 2019
3. **Exhibits** : Exhibitors shall be responsible for keeping their dogs under proper control at all times and clean up after their dogs where necessary.
4. **Entries : Must** be received by the 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2019 or online by midnight on the 7<sup>th</sup> June 2019

## Entry Fees

€22/£22 for First dog and Additional Dog/Entries €8/£8 Each. This price will include catalogue.

## **Special Beginners / Novice Class**

€8/£8. for each entry as dogs entered in these classes are not eligible to compete for the Green Stars.

**No entries will be accepted without the appropriate entry fee.**

Cheques returned will be subject to a €15/£15 charge

## **CATALOGUES**

**There will be a limited number of catalogues available on the day at a cost of €4/£4**

5. **Rejection of Entries** : The committee reserve the right to reject any entry.
6. **Entry Forms : Mistakes in** the Catalogue will be compiled from the Entry Forms submitted by the exhibitors and while every effort will be made to have the forms correctly interpreted , the promoting body **cannot accept** any responsibility for mistakes which may bring exhibitors within the purview of the Irish Kennel Club Ltd Rule 15, Sect. 1, or clerical mistakes that may occur during compilation.
7. **Registrations** : All dogs entered for competition must be registered at the Irish Kennel Club Ltd.
8. **Ineligible Entries** : A transfer of an incorrect entry as to sex or breed may be allowed by the Show Secretary prior to the commencement of judging, but in no other respects.
9. **Judging**: will commence not before 12.00noon, No claim will be considered in the event of an exhibit being late. No person will be allowed in the ring except the Judge, Show Officials or an exhibitor taking a dog for adjudication.
10. In the event of the appointed judge failing to keep his/her appointment the Committee shall have the right to appoint a substitute.
11. **The Bernese Mountain Dog Club of Ireland** while taking every reasonable precaution to ensure the safety of exhibits, will not be responsible for any loss, damage or accident to any exhibit, exhibitor or other person attending the show.
12. **Interpretation** : The promoting body shall be the Show Committee and all disputes shall be dealt with by the Show Committee. Parties to any disputes shall have the right to appeal to the Irish kennel Club Ltd.
13. **Cups and Trophies** are confined to fully paid up members. **Rosettes** are on offer for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and Reserve places in each class, best in Show, reserve Best In Show, Best Veteran and Best Puppy in Show.
14. **Dogs Not Entered For Competition** : Dogs which are not being exhibited at Championship Shows must be entered NOT FOR COMPETITION for insurance purposes, prior

to the close of entries. Dogs must be entered on a form supplied by the show promoting society giving details of Breed/s and name's of each dog. The show promoting society shall issue a pass or passes to such dogs and keep a record of same. Production of passes may be requested in any area of dispute. The fee for this facility shall be €5/£5 per dog.

15. **Puppies** under the age of six months should not be present on the showground unless being exhibited where a Baby Puppy class is scheduled.
16. **Exercise /Puppy Pens** are prohibited within the confines of the exhibition area at all shows licensed by the Irish kennel Club with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> January 2009.

**Note Addition to I.K.C. Rule 7, Section 1**

**Re : Registration of dogs entered, addition to the above rule. Failure to comply with the above will result in :**

**The dog being disqualified from the event and The exhibitor being fined €127.00**

**The implementation of which shall be a normal (IKC) Office routine.**

**PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOUR DOG IS REGISTERED CORRECTLY BEFORE THE DAY OF THE SHOW AND WHERE POSSIBLE ENSURE TO FILL IN THE REGISTRATION NUMBER ON THE ENTRY FORM.**

**Our Judge**

**Jana Stefancova**

We are delighted to have Jana Stefancova judge our 39th Championship Show. Jana is an Engineer of Agriculture (Dipl. Ing.) - Slovak University of Agriculture and has a Professional Diploma in Management from the City University Bratislava.

Jana has owned Appenzeller, Bernese, Greater Swiss, and Entlebucher. Her Kennel name is Balihara Ranch. Here are some details about Jana : Breeder Since: The first Bernese Mountain dogs came to share my life in 1992, Greater Swiss in 1998, Appenzeller and Entlebuchers in 1995. The first Bernese litter was whelped in 1997.

2014:Bronze Medal of Merit for kynological work in Slovakia, awarded by Slovakian Kennel Club – Slovenska kynologicka Jednota

2018 :Silver Medal of Merit for kynological work in Slovakia, awarded by Slovakian Kennel Club – Slovenska kynologicka Jednota

Judge since : 2006 - Earned the national judging license for the Swiss Mountain Dogs, Appenzeller, Bernese, Entlebucher, Greater Swissy- FCI International Judge since 201

Qualified to judge in the following groups: FCI Group 2 - Swiss

Mountain Dogs Judging SMD: International and National Dog shows

European Dog Show 2016 Brussels - Appenzeller, Entlebucher, Greater Swissy Bernese and Swiss Mtn. Dogs Club Shows and National Specialities in Belgium, Slovakia, Russia, Norway, Poland, Czech Republic, Latvia, Lithuania, Estonia, France, Austria, Switzerland, Denmark, Sweden

Some shows titles of Balihara Ranch offspring are World Winner, Vice World Winner, Junior World Winner, European Winners, European Junior Winners, multiple International Champions, multiple US, Canadian, and European National Champions, Club Winners, National Specialty Winners.

Have worked several years as the President of the Slovakian Club for Swiss Mountain Dogs and a breed consultant. Nowadays, I work as a SMD breed consultant in the Slovakian Club for Swiss Mountain

## **CLASSIFICATION**

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|---------------------------|------------------------------|
| <b>1 Baby Puppy Dog</b>   | <b>10 Baby Puppy Bitch</b>   |
| <b>2 Veteran Dog</b>      | <b>11 Veteran Bitch</b>      |
| <b>3 Minor puppy Dog</b>  | <b>12 Minor Puppy Bitch</b>  |
| <b>4 Puppy Dog</b>        | <b>13 Puppy Bitch</b>        |
| <b>5 Junior Dog</b>       | <b>14 Junior Bitch</b>       |
| <b>6 Intermediate Dog</b> | <b>15 Intermediate Bitch</b> |
| <b>7 Adult Dog</b>        | <b>16 Adult Bitch</b>        |
| <b>8 Open Dog</b>         | <b>17 Open Bitch</b>         |
| <b>9 Champion Dog</b>     | <b>18 Champion Bitch</b>     |

**BEST IN SHOW WILL BE JUDGED AT THIS STAGE**

- 19. Brace**
- 20. Team**

**The winners of the following classes do not compete for Green Stars**

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|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| <b>21. Special Beginners Dog</b> | <b>22. Special Beginners Bitch</b> |
| <b>23. Novice Dog</b>            | <b>24. Novice Bitch</b>            |

**25 Not For Competition**

**CLASSES 21, 22, 23 AND 24 WILL BE JUDGED AFTER THE DOG CLASSES AND BEFORE THE BITCH CLASSES COMMENCE.**

**CLASSES 19 AND 20 WILL BE JUDGED AFTER BEST IN SHOW**

**PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOUR DOG IS REGISTERED CORRECTLY BEFORE THE DAY OF THE SHOW AND WHERE POSSIBLE ENSURE TO FILL IN THE REGISTRATION NUMBER ON THE ENTRY.**

## Definition of Classes

### **Baby Puppy**

Is confined to dogs over four and under six months 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.

### **Veteran Class**

Is confined to dogs over eight years of age on the day of the show. A veteran dog, who has attained the title of champion, may enter the Champions or Veterans class but not both.

### **Minor Puppy Class**

Is confined to, dogs over six but under, nine months of age on the day of the show.

### **Puppy Class**

Is confined to, dogs over six but under, twelve months of age on the day of the show.

### **Junior Class**

Is confined to, dogs over nine and under eighteen months of age on the day of the show.

### **Intermediate Class**

Is confined to, dogs over fifteen and under twenty four months of age on the 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.

### **Open Class**

Is confined to, dogs over fifteen months of age on the day of the show.

### **Champions Class**

Is confined to, dogs that have attained the title of Champion under the rules and regulations of the Irish Kennel Club or other Kennel Club authority recognised by the Irish Kennel Club.

### **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 other class other than Brace or Team

### **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 other class other than Brace or Team

### **Special Beginners Class**

Is for a dog or exhibitor or handler that has, never won a first prize.

### **Novice Class**

Is for dogs which have not been awarded (a) a Green Star or Challenge Certificate or (b) has won prizes in (i) any class other than Puppy or Junior or (ii) at a Members or Limited Show under the Rules of any governing body recognised by the Irish Kennel Club

**Dogs entered in restricted classes must also be entered in one of the Standard Classes for the breed. All dogs entered must be registered or transferred at the Irish Kennel Club in the name of the Exhibitor.**

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