### Schedule



# Spitz & Primitive Breeds Association Group 5 Championship Show (Under licence of the IKC Ltd.)

## Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> May 2024

at

Naas Racecourse Naas, Co. Kildare W91 ED00 (Please note this venue is outdoors) Judging commences at 12pm sharp

Closing Postal Date on Monday 10th May 2024

On Line Entries at www.dogshowentry.ie

Final Closing Date at Midnight on Monday 13th May 2024

With the Hon. Show Secretary:
Ms Maria Weafer
167 The Park, Naas, Co Kildare
Phone: 0851117408

# Ring Numbers will be handed out on Show Day

€30 Best in Show / €15 Reserve Best in Show

# Officers and Committee Spitz & Primitive Breeds Association 2024

Chairperson	Ms Dione Fitzsimons
Hon. Secretary	Ms Maria Weafer
Hon. Treasurer	Mr Raymond Weafer
IKC Rep	Ms. D. Fitzsimons

Committee

Mr Fred Mooney, Ms Rebecca Weafer

Guarantors to the I. K. C. M Weafer, R Weafer, F Mooney, D Fitzsimons

### **Veterinary Surgeons:**

Newbridge Veterinary Clinic Morristown Road, Piercetown, Newbridge 045 431 555

### **Show Rules, Regulations & Instructions to Exhibitors**

1. The Show will be held under the Rules of the Irish Kennel Club Ltd.

Venue-: The show will be held in Naas Racecourse Naas, Co. Kildare W91 ED00

### on Saturday May 25th 2024

Entry Fee €26 (£20 Stg) 1<sup>st</sup> dog

all subsequent dogs by the same owner €16 (£16 Stg)

#### Car Park €5.00 Prepaid

Entries close on May 8<sup>th</sup> 2024 (postmark)

or online at www.dogshowentry.ie

Online entry closes at midnight on May 13<sup>th</sup> 2024

**ENTRY FORMS:** MISTAKES IN- The Catalogue will be compiled from the Entry Forms submitted by the Exhibitors, and while every endeavour will be made to have the Forms correctly interpreted, the Munster Spitz & Primitive Breeds Association 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 the compilation.

3 Rejection of Entries: The committee reserve the right to reject any entry, advertisement or any other insertion in the Catalogue.

**Ineligible Entries:** A transfer of an incorrect entry as to the sex or breed is allowed if reported to the secretary's office prior to the commencing of judging. A dog entered in a class for which it is not eligible may be transferred to the open class in that breed, but in no other respects.

- 4 Registrations: All dogs entered for competition at this Show must be registered or transferred at the Irish Kennel Club Ltd, Unit 36, Greenmount Office Park, Dublin 6.
- 5 Rosettes will be presented to all Best of Breed and Green Star. winners
- 6 Sashes will be presented to Best in Show, Reserve Best in Show.
- 7 **Prizes Withheld:** A judge shall be empowered to withhold any prize, prizes, or Green Stars if in his or her opinion, the exhibits are not of sufficient merit.
- The Show will open to the public from 8.00 am. to 6.00 pm
- 9 Judging: Will commence at 12.00 pm. sharp, in all rings, and no claim will be considered in the event of an exhibit being late. No persons will be allowed in the Judging Ring except the Judge, Show Officials, or an exhibitor taking in a dog for adjudication. The exhibition number of each dog must be clearly displayed by his handler.
- 10 Catalogue free to all exhibitors
- 11 The Spitz & Primitive Breeds Association of Ireland cannot accept any responsibility for the absence of any dog when the judging of a Breed or Class or Group is about to commence.
- Veterinary Examination: Any Veterinary Surgeon acting with the authority of the Show Committee may have any dog removed from the Show if: (i) suspected cause of infection or contagious disease; (ii) totally blind or deaf; (iii) castrated (iv) vicious or savage disposition. If requested by the Show Secretary, the Veterinary Surgeon shall give such order in writing, together with the reason for it.
- 13 Judges: In the event of the appointed Judge failing to keep his/her engagement the

- Committee shall have the right to fill the vacancy thus caused.
- 14 **The Spitz & Primitive Breeds Association** will not be responsible for any loss, damage or accident to any person, property or dog in the show or attending same.
- During the exhibition of dogs, the judge officiating will not allow under any circumstances any form of distraction by ringsiders and will disqualify any exhibit which is being assisted in its performance by any person other than the handler.
- Fouling: Every exhibitor will be required to remove and deposit in bins provided any fouling by their dogs in any part of the show grounds. All dogs must be kept on a lead at all times anywhere on the show grounds. A fine of £10.00 will be levied on any exhibitor not complying with this ruling.
- 17 N. B. :-No Entries will be accepted without the appropriate fees which cannot be refunded under any circumstances.

## I.K.C. RULE 7 Section 1 Re: Registration of Dogs Entered

#### Addition to above Rule:

Failure to comply with the above will result in:

- (A) The Dog being disqualified from the event and
- (B) The exhibitor being fined £100.00

The implementation of which shall be a Normal (I.K.C.) 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 ON THE ENTRY FORM.

# Ring Numbers will be handed out on Show Day

As there will be 2 shows running simultaneously, please ensure your exhibit is present when called by the ring steward.

# Spitz & Primitive Breeds Association GROUP CH. SHOW

(Under Licence of the Irish Kennel Club)

Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> May 2024

Entries Close: 10<sup>th</sup> May 2024 (Postmark)
Enter online at www.dogshowentry.ie
Online entry closes at midnight on the 13<sup>th</sup> May 2024

IMPORTANT, EXHIBITORS PLEASE NOTE: ENTRY FEES First Dog €26.00 (£26.00 Stg. ) subsequent dogs in same ownership €16.00(£16.00 Stg).

> SEPARATE ENTRY FORM OR ATTACHED SHEET MUST BE USED FOR DIFFERENT OWNERSHIPS.

All dogs must be registered with the Irish Kennel Club Ltd, and their Registration Number must be entered on the Entry Form. If their ownership has changed since registration the transfer must be registered with the I.K.C. Ltd. Particulars furnished must be exactly as registered with the I.K.C. Ltd. Correct fees must accompany the entry and should be paid by crossed cheque,

P.O. or Money Order and sent to: the Hon. Show Secretary:

Ms Maria Weafer

167 The Park, Naas, Co Kildare

Phone: 0851117408

Please complete Entry Form with care and use BLOCK LETTERS OR TYPE.

# Membership of Spitz & Primitive Breeds Association

€5.00 per Person €10.00 per Family

# All Trophy Winners must have paid their membership

### **Application Form**

Name of Applicant:						
Address:	•••					
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Breeds Exhibited:						
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Please Tick						
Family Membership						
Single Membership						

## Classification for All Breeds Two Green Stars for all breeds classified

Dogs:

Baby Puppy Puppy Junior Intermediate Adult Open Champion, Veteran

Neuter Dog Bitches:

Baby Puppy Puppy Junior Intermediate Adult Open Champion, Veteran

**Neuter Bitch** 

The above standard classes apply to Unlisted Breeds Group 5

#### CLASS DEFINITIONS

### (The word 'Dog' includes both sexes)

A Puppy Class is confined to dogs over six and under twelve calendar months of age on the first day of the Show computed from and inclusive of the date of its birth.

A Junior Class is for dogs between 9 and 18 calendar months of age on the first day of the Show, computed from and inclusive of the date of its birth.

An Intermediate Class is for dogs between 15 and 24 calendar months of age on the first day of the Show, computed from and inclusive of the date of its birth.

An Open Class is for dogs over 15 months of age on the first day of the Show, computed from and inclusive of the date of its birth.

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.\*\*\*\*

**Stakes Classes** are limited to Puppy, Veteran, Brace and Team and are open to more than one breed or variety. All exhibits in stakes classes except for those entered in Veteran Stakes, must be entered in a standard breed class.

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

#### **Neuter Class;**

The classes 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.

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

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

Judging Commences in all Rings at 12.00 pm Sharp.

### **IMPORTANT NOTICE**

### Ring Numbers will be handed out at the Show.

### RULES FOR GROUP JUDGING & BEST IN SHOW

- 1. The Promoting Body will not accept any responsibility nor be under any obligation to see that dogs eligible to compete are exhibited in their particular Groups, or for Best in Show, other than announcing in the ring that judging is about to take place. The Promoting Body will not accept any responsibility in the case of an exhibit that is excluded from competing in a Group, owing to the judging of its breed not having been completed, or for any other reason.
- Competition in Group Classes will be confined to undefeated winners in their breed.
- 3. No dog shall be entitled to compete in a Group where any prize or award has been withheld from it in its breed at the show.
- 4. A fee will not be payable for entry in any of the Groups nor for Best in Show.
- 5. Groups will be divided into ten sections as defined in the Irish Kennel Club Rules & Regulations.
- Upon entering the Group Ring Competitors must produce their correct ring number.
- 7. In each Group and Best in Show the judges shall make the following awards: viz, 1st, 2nd, 3<sup>rd</sup> etc. to 4<sup>th</sup> place, absentees MUST be marked.
- 8. If your Group Judging has not commenced before 4:30 p.m. a Best of Breed winner may leave the show but must notify the Show Secretary in writing that the exhibit will not be present for the Group judging. Otherwise all exhibits qualified for the Group must be exhibited therein. An exhibit failing to report for the Group will incur a fine of €50 and be disqualified from all wins on the day unless a valid reason is lodged with the Show Secretary before judging commences.

### We are delighted to welcome our judges

### **Breeds Judge Ms Lynn Kilby (Ireland)**

Akita (For Assessment), Akita Inu, Alaskan Malamute, American Akita, Basenji, Canaan Dog, Canadian Eskimo Dog, Chow Chow, Cirneco Dell Etna, Eurasier, Finnish Lapphund, Finnish Spitz, German Spitz Klein, German Spitz Mittel, Ibizan Hound, Italian Volpino, Japanese Shiba Inu, Japanese Spitz, Keeshond, Korea Jindo Dog, Mexican Hairless Dog Intermediate, Mexican Hairless Dog Miniature, Mexican Hairless Dog Standard, Norwegian Buhund, Norwegian Elkhound, Pharaoh Hound, Pomeranian, Portuguese Podengo Smooth Coat Miniature, Portuguese Podengo Wire Coat Miniature, Samoyed, Siberian Husky, Swedish Lapphund, Swedish Vallhund, Thai Ridgeback Dog, Yakutian Laika, Unlisted Breeds Group 5

Group Judge Ms Erika Häkkinen (Finland)