

Schedule
Mid West Canine Club
ALL BREED
CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW

(under licence of the Irish Kennel Club Ltd)

on

Saturday 5th April, 2025

in the grounds at

Roscommon Racecourse
Racecourse Road
Roscommon Town
Co. Roscommon. F42 V052

Entries Close 14th March 2025

Enter at www.dogshowentry.ie

Online closes at midnight on the 21st March 2025

Show Secretary,
Mr Myles Leonard,
'Plenard',
Kilmovee,
Ballaghaderreen,
Co. Mayo F45FV48

0862054726,
midwestcanineclub@gmail.com

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Mr John Finnegan,
Cloverhill Veterinary Surgery,
Lisgallan, Co.Roscommon.

PLEASE NOTE:

- **Exhibitors Ring Numbers, Pre-paid Catalogue/Car-Park vouchers may be downloaded prior to show on Dogshowentry.ie**
- **Email will be sent to the exhibitor with clear instructions on how to download their information**
- Online catalogue will be accessible on the morning of the show from 7:30am via DogShowEntry.ie
- Ring numbers for postal entries can be collected at the show.

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PET NUTRITION

SHOW REGULATIONS

1. The Show will be held under the rules of The Irish Kennel Club Ltd, as in force on the date of the publication of the schedule, and will be on display in an abridged form on the day of the show.
The Show will be held at **The Roscommon Racecourse, Racecourse Rd, Roscommon Town, Co. Roscommon, F42 V052** on the 5th of April 2025 between 7.30 am and 6 pm approximately.

1. **Entry Fees:**

First Dog	€27/£27
Additional Dog(s) by same owner	€13/£13
Baby Puppies	€2/£2
Stakes Classes	€10/£10
Junior Handling	FREE
Dogs not for Competition	€5/£5
IKC Levy	€1.00
Online Catalogue Free	Free

Catalogue: €5/£5 on the day of the show and **prepaid**

All prepaid catalogues not collected by 12pm will be sold

Car Park: Prepaid €4/£4 or on the day of the show €5/£5

Dogs registered in partnership or joint owners are treated as separate entries, even when forwarded by single owners. In the event of insufficient information on the entry form an administration fee of €6/£6 will be automatic in the case of entry fees, in addition there will be a €4 charge plus bank exchange rate charges.

Entries will be received up to and including 14th of March 2025 by the secretary,

Mr Myles Leonard, 'Plenard', Kilmovee, Ballaghaderreen, Co. Mayo. F45FV48

Online Entries: WWW.DOGSHOWENTRY.IE

Online Entries close midnight 21st of March 2025

Mid-West Canine Club will accept no responsibility for mistakes in the show catalogue which may bring exhibitors within the purview of the Irish Kennel Club rules.

5. **Prizes Guaranteed:** Prize money will be paid on the day, Prize cards will be given to 1st 2nd 3rd and Reserve. Rosettes will be given to Green Star, Best of Breed, Group Winners, Reserve Group winners, Best in Show and Reserve Best in Show.
Best in Show €100 Reserve Best in Show €50 Other Group Winners €20 All Stakes €20 Best Baby Puppy in Show €20. There will be no class prize money.
6. The Entry fee of exhibits failing to arrive or rejected by the veterinary surgeon will be forfeited.
A veterinary surgeon, or an authorised substitute, in attendance will have power to exclude any exhibit which in his/her opinion is not in a fit state for exhibition on account of disease, vice or any other cause.
Judging: (a) Will commence at **10.00 am. sharp**, including Junior Handling. No claim will be considered in the event of an exhibit being late
(b) No persons will be allowed in the Judging Ring except the Judge, Show Officials, or an exhibitor taking in a dog for adjudication. (c) The exhibition number of each dog must be clearly displayed by the handler, who shall not wear a badge or other decoration in the Judging Ring; (d) The Club will not be responsible for the exhibition of any exhibit in the Ring.
7. In the event of a Judge failing to keep his/her engagement, the committee reserves the right to appoint another judge(s).
8. Interpretation: The Committee of the Mid West Canine Club within the meaning of the I.K.C. Rules , all disputes, if any, shall be dealt with by the Committee. Parties to any dispute shall have the right to appeal to the Irish Kennel Club Ltd..
9. **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.

10. The Mid West Canine Club will not be responsible for any loss, damage or accident to any person, property or dog in the show or attending same.
12. All exhibits must be kept on a lead at all times.

NOTE: I.K.C. RULE 131
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 €130.00

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.

**The Puppy Stakes is a qualifier for the
Combined Canine**

Rabart Canine



Pup of the Year 2024



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.
2. 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.
6. 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, 3rd etc. to 4th place, absentees MUST be marked.
8. Competition for Best in Show and Reserve Best in Show is confined to the winners of the ten groups.
9. 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.

Notice for schedule

The Stakes Classes scheduled at this Show are separate from the Breed Judging and do not come under the rules of the Green Star System, e.g. An exhibit which has been beaten in a Stakes Class but wins Best of Breed may proceed to compete in its relevant Group.

All exhibits who wish to enter Stakes Classes must be entered in their relevant Breed Classes with the exception of Champions/Veterans who may enter the Stakes Class only.

A separate judge other than the Best in Show or Group judge must be used for stakes classes (Best in Show qualified)

Procedures in effect from the 1st January 2011

CLASSIFICATION

FOR ALL BREEDS WHERE APPLICABLE

Dogs: Baby Puppy, Puppy, Junior, Intermediate, Adult, Open, Champion, Veteran, F/Trial, Neutered Dog

Bitches: Baby Puppy, Puppy, Junior, Intermediate, Adult, Open, Champion, Veteran, F/Trial, Neutered Bitch

Junior Handling Classes 10—12 yrs. 13—14 yrs. 15—17 yrs.

Stakes Classes: Puppy Stakes - Dogs, Puppy Stakes - Bitches, Veteran Stakes, Special
Beginners Stakes Brace Stakes, Champion Stakes Team Stakes

Gundog Breeds Please Note

All Gundog Breeds will have Field Trial Dog and Bitch classes

Baby Puppy Class is confined to puppies of four months of age and under six months of age on the first day of the show.

Baby Puppies are confined to this class and may not compete for any other award

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

FIELD TRIAL CLASS is confined to dogs that have won at least a reserve in a Novice, Puppy, Derby or Open Stake.

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

Special Beginners Stakes;

A new stakes class to help promote newcomers to the scene and also to encourage some competing in the more numerically strong breeds. To be eligible to compete, neither the owner/handler or the dog will have won a Green Star prior to the entry closing date of the show. This class can be offered at any show. This is judged on the quality of the dog and placings are 1-4 as in the other stakes classes. The organising Show Society decide the prizes they wish to offer (and if they want to charge an entry fee. In the event that a dog is crowned, all owners must fulfil the criteria).

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)

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.

Cropped Dogs

Cropped dogs are not permitted to be exhibited at any Irish Kennel Club licensed event.

Please Note;

Judging Commences in All Rings at 10.00 am. Including Junior Handling.

Sponsors

A huge thanks to all our sponsors to whom we are very grateful **GAIN PETFOOD**

Our main sponsor for the 8th year running. We are delighted with their continued support, providing prizes for all Groups, Stakes, Best Baby Puppy in show and Best in Show.

FOULING

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 €28.00 (£20). This year's committee will be strictly enforcing this rule. Save yourself money and clean up after your dog, and assure a comfortable venue for any future shows.

Stewards

Would you like to act as Ring Steward, If so, please contact

Mrs N Sinclair 086 0733175

before closing date for entries. Remember it is now a requirement for judging, that a proposed judge must have stewarded before they will be considered by the IKC Ltd., for judging.

Name

Address.....

.....

Tel No.....

Parental/Guardian Consent For Junior/Child Handler Entries

I acknowledge and accept unreservedly that any child attending to exhibit or otherwise participate at any event organised by, licensed by or otherwise under the auspices of, the Irish Kennel Club Ltd (IKC) remains the responsibility and in the care of their parent or guardian at all times.

I consent to photographic / video images of the named child's participation in licenced events organised by, licensed by or otherwise under the auspices of the IKC being utilised for the promotion and celebration of IKC activities on the IKC website, IKC Facebook page, and in local and national media.

I confirm (i) all details supplied are correct, (ii) I have read this document, and (iii) I am entitled to give either parental or guardian consent for the named child.

Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian:

Signature:-

Name (Block Capitals):-.....

Address:-

Date:- / /20..... Tel:-

Email:-.....

Judges and Breeds

GROUP 1 (JUDGE: MR G. JIPPING)

Mr. H. Stanley

Australian Cattle Dog,
Beauceron,
Belgian Shepherd Dog Groenendael,
Belgian Shepherd Dog Laekenois,
Belgian Shepherd Dog Malinois,
Belgian Shepherd Tervueren,
Bergamasco,
Dutch Shepherd Long Haired,
German Shepherd Dog,
German Shepherd Dog (Long Coat),
Hungarian Kuvasz,
Hungarian Puli,
Komondor,
Maremma Sheepdog,
Old English Sheepdog,
Polish Lowland Sheepdog,
Unlisted Breeds Group 1

Mrs. M. Gregg

Australian Shepherd Dog,
Bouvier Des Flandres,
Briard,
Collie Bearded,
Collie Border,
Collie Rough,
Collie Smooth,
Schipperke,
Shetland Sheepdog,
Welsh Corgi Cardigan,
Welsh Corgi Pembroke

GROUP 2 (JUDGE: MS. T. UREK)

Mr. H. Stanley

Anatolian Shepherd Dog,
Bullmastiff,
German Pinscher,
Pyrenean Mastiff,
Pyrenean Mountain Dog,
St. Bernard Long Haired,
St. Bernard Short Haired,
Unlisted Breeds Group 2

Ms. T. Urek

Affenpinscher,
Bernese Mountain Dog,
Black Russian Terrier,
Boxer,
Bulldog,
Dobermann Pinscher,
Dogue De Bordeaux,
Giant Schnauzer,
Great Dane,
Hovawart,
Italian Corso Dog,
Landseer,
Leonberger,
Mallorca Mastiff,
Mastiff,
Neapolitan Mastiff,
Newfoundland,
Pinscher Miniature,
Rottweiler,
Schnauzer Miniature,
Schnauzer Standard,
Shar Pei,
Tibetan Mastiff

GROUP 3 (JUDGE: MS. S. TAGGART)

Mr. J. McCarthy

Staffordshire Bull Terrier

Mr. R. Gregg

Australian Silky Terrier,
Bedlington Terrier,
Bull Terrier,
Bull Terrier Miniature,
Cairn Terrier,
Fox Terrier Smooth Haired,
Fox Terrier Wire Haired,
Jack Russell Terrier,
Skye Terrier,
Welsh Terrier

Mrs. M. Gregg

Irish Terrier
Kerry Blue Terrier

Ms. S. Taggart

Airedale Terrier,
Australian Terrier,
Border Terrier,
Cesky Terrier,
Dandie Dinmont Terrier,
English Toy Terrier,
Irish Soft Coated Wheaten Terrier,
Lakeland Terrier,
Manchester Terrier,
Norfolk Terrier,
Norwich Terrier,
Scottish Terrier,
Sealyham Terrier,
West Highland White Terrier,
Yorkshire Terrier,
Unlisted Breeds Group 3

GROUP 4 (JUDGE: MRS. J. PEAK)

Mrs. J. Peak

Dachshund Long Haired,
Dachshund Long Haired For Assessment,
Dachshund Long Haired Kaninchen,
Dachshund Long Haired Miniature,
Dachshund Smooth Haired,
Dachshund Smooth Haired For Assessment,
Dachshund Smooth Haired Kaninchen,
Dachshund Smooth Haired Miniature,
Dachshund Wire Haired,
Dachshund Wire Haired For Assessment,
Dachshund Wire Haired Kaninchen,
Dachshund Wire Haired Miniature

GROUP 5 (JUDGE: MRS. E. HURLEY)

Mr. R. Gregg

Akita (For Assessment),
Akita Inu,
Alaskan Malamute,
American Akita,
Basenji,
Canaan Dog,
Chow Chow,
German Spitz Klein,
German Spitz Mittel,
Japanese Shiba Inu,
Japanese Spitz,
Samoyed,

Siberian Husky

Mrs. E. Hurley

Cirneco Dell Etna,
Eurasier,
Finnish Lapphund,
Finnish Spitz,
Ibizan Hound,
Italian Volpino,
Keeshond,
Mexican Hairless Dog Miniature,
Norwegian Buhund,
Norwegian Elkhound,
Pharaoh Hound,
Pomeranian,
Portuguese Podengo Smooth Coat Miniature,
Portuguese Podengo Wire Coat Miniature,
Swedish Lapphund,
Swedish Vallhund,
Unlisted Breeds Group 5

GROUP 6 (JUDGE: MRS. J. PEAK)

Mrs. J. Peak

Basset Fauve De Bretagne,
Basset Hound,
Beagle,
Bloodhound,
Dalmatian,
Grand Basset Griffon Vendeen,
Otterhound,
Petit Basset Griffon Vendeen,
Rhodesian Ridgeback

Mrs. M. Gregg

Basset Bleu De Gascogne,
Briquet Griffon Vendeen,
Foxhound,
Grand Bleu De Gascogne,
Hamiltonstovare,
Harrier,
Kerry Beagle,
Unlisted Breeds Group 6

GROUP 7 (JUDGE: MRS. E. HURLEY)

Mrs. E. Hurley

Bracco Italiano,
German Long Haired Pointer,
German Short Haired Pointer,

German Wire Haired Pointer,
Hungarian Vizsla,
Hungarian Wire Haired Vizsla,
Italian Spinone,
Large Munsterlander,
Pointer,
Portuguese Pointing Dog,
Setter English,
Setter Gordon,
Setter Irish,
Setter Irish Red And White,
Spaniel Brittany,
Weimaraner,
Unlisted Breeds Group 7

GROUP 8 (JUDGE: MR J. BYRNES)

Mr J. Byrnes

Kooikerhondje,
Lagotto Romagnolo,
Nova Scotia Duck Tolling Retriever,
Portuguese Water Dog,
Retriever Chesapeake Bay,
Retriever Curly Coated,
Retriever Flat Coated,
Retriever Golden,
Retriever Labrador,
Spaniel American Cocker,
Spaniel Clumber,
Spaniel Cocker,
Spaniel English Springer,
Spaniel Field,
Spaniel Irish Water,
Spaniel Sussex,
Spaniel Welsh Springer,
Spanish Water Dog,
Unlisted Breeds Group 8

GROUP 9 (JUDGE: MRS. J. PEAK)

Mr G. Jipping

Bichon Frise,
Bolognese,
Boston Terrier,
Chihuahua Long Coat,
Chihuahua Smooth Coat,
Chinese Crested,
Coton De Tulear,

French Bulldog,
Havanese,
Lhasa Apso,
Lowchen,
Maltese,
Poodle Medium (Over 35 To 45Cm),
Poodle Miniature (Over 28 To 35Cm),
Poodle Standard (Over 45 To 60Cm),
Poodle Toy (Over 24 To 28 Cm),
Poodles For Assessment,
Pug,
Shih Tzu,
Tibetan Spaniel,
Tibetan Terrier

Mrs. J. Peak

Cavalier King Charles Spaniel
Japanese Chin
King Charles Spaniel
Papillon,
Pekingese,
Phalene

Ms. T. Urek

Griffon Belge,
Griffon Bruxellois,
Petit Brabançon,
Unlisted Breeds Group 9

GROUP 10 (JUDGE: MRS. M. GREGG)

Mr J. Byrnes

Azawakh,
Sloughi,
Unlisted Breeds Group 10

Mrs. J. Peak

Afghan Hound
Borzoi,
Deerhound,
Greyhound,
Irish Wolfhound,
Italian Greyhound,
Saluki,
Whippet

OTHER CLASSES**Junior Handling**

(10-12 Years)	Mrs. A. Foley Duggan
(13 -14 Years)	Mrs. A. Foley Duggan
(15 -17 Years)	Mrs. A. Foley Duggan
Brace Stakes	Mrs. L. Matthews
Champion Stakes	Mrs. L. Matthews
Puppy Stakes Bitch	Mrs. L. Matthews
Puppy Stakes Dog	Mrs. L. Matthews

Special Beginners Stakes	Mrs. L. Matthews
Team Stakes	Mrs. L. Matthews
Veteran Stakes	Mrs. L. Matthews

**Mrs. A. Foley Duggan
Best Neuter in Show
Best Baby Puppy in Show
Best in Show**

Gates open 7.30am

Judging starts 10am

Please do not arrive before gates open as you will cause traffic congestion on a main road and will be moved away.

Overnight Camping available on Friday the 4th only. Available to book on Dog show entry.ie €15.

Gates closed at 10pm.

Hot food and beverages will be available on the show grounds.

Limited tent spaces available

STEWARDS

We are grateful to all those who give up their time to steward

Stewarding is now a requirement for all new and progressing judges as and from January 2017

Anyone willing to steward please contact

Mrs Nicola Sinclair

086 0733175

Nikkisinclair@aol.com



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