

THE WELSH SPRINGER SPANIEL CLUB

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BREED CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW

(held under Kennel Club Limited Rules & Regulations)

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at **THE CRICKET CONNEXION**

Sports Connexion, Ryton on Dunsmore, Coventry CV8 3FL

on

SATURDAY, 2nd SEPTEMBER 2017

Show opens: 8.00 am

Judging: Dogs 9.00 am; Bitches not before 11.30 am

To be judged in one ring - the Committee reserves the right to amend the start time for bitches, depending on entry numbers. Show closes half an hour after completion of judging

Judges:

Dogs: **Steve Pick** (Llon) Bitches: **Sue Connolly** (Benmorbury)

Referee: **Frank Whyte** (Kazval) Handling Classes: **Jenna Cocking** (Ruskinite)

Show Manager: Mr Peter Barnaby

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All Judges at this show agree to abide by the following statement:

"In assessing dogs, judges must penalise any features or exaggerations which they consider would be detrimental to the soundness, health and well being of the dog."

Postal entries close: Monday, 7th August 2017 (Postmark)

**On-line entries can be made up until midnight on Monday, 14th August 2017
at www.fossedata.co.uk**

Postal entries and fees to be sent to: **Fosse Data Systems Ltd**

4 Mitchell Court, Castle Mound Way, Rugby, Warwickshire CV23 0UY

Tel: 01788 860960 • E-mail: info@fossedata.co.uk

Contact number (day of show only): 07757 044669

Only undocked dogs and legally docked dogs may be entered for exhibition at this show

◆ ◆ **BIS head study in watercolour by Artist Chris Winch (National Stud)** ◆ ◆



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Sharon Barkley, Rita Cemis, Jackie Howard, Carol Madeley, Heather Michie

Veterinary Surgeon (on call): Avondale Veterinary Group

4 Cobalt Centre, Kineton Road, Southam CV47 0FD. Tel: 01926 812826

FEES

Entry Fees:

Members - First entry with each dog: £11.50

Non-Members - First entry with each dog: £12.50

Each subsequent entry with the same dog: £1.50 per class

Not for Competition: Free of Charge

(including puppies of 4 months and over)

Junior Handling: £1.00 per class (**entries must be made in advance**)

Adult Handling: £1.00 per class (**entries must be made in advance**)

Catalogues:

£2.00 pre-paid with entries — £2.50 on the day

Membership Fees:

Single: £8.00 - Joint: £10.00 - Europe: £10.00

World: £15.00 - Junior: £1.00

Please note: Bank Charges incurred by any cheques which are not in order for immediate payment, including technical irregularities, will be passed on to the exhibitor.

Any exhibitor failing to pay entry fees and/or Bank Charges will be referred to the Kennel Club.

**WE WILL BE RUNNING A RAFFLE
FOR WHICH DONATIONS WILL BE GLADLY RECEIVED**

• FORTHCOMING SHOW •

OPEN SHOW

Sunday, 19th November 2017

at Ettington Community Centre, Rogers Lane, Ettington, Warks CV37 7SX

Judge: Russell Mosedale

Special Awards Judge: Marai Dobbie

**It would be appreciated if parents/guardians would keep children under their control
at all times during the Show**

CLASSIFICATION

Dog Judge: **Steve Pick** (Llon)

Bitch Judge: **Sue Connolly** (Benmorbry)

Referee: **Frank Whyte** (Kazval)

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Dog

Kennel Club Challenge Certificate - Bitch

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| 1. Veteran Dog | 18. Veteran Bitch |
| 2. Minor Puppy Dog | 19. Minor Puppy Bitch |
| 3. Puppy Dog | 20. Puppy Bitch |
| 4. Junior Dog | 21. Junior Bitch |
| 5. Yearling Dog | 22. Yearling Bitch |
| 6. Novice Dog | 23. Novice Bitch |
| 7. Graduate Dog | 24. Graduate Bitch |
| 8. Post Graduate Dog | 25. Post Graduate Bitch |
| 9. Mid Limit Dog | 26. Mid Limit Bitch |
| 10. Limit Dog | 27. Limit Bitch |
| 11. Open Dog | 28. Open Bitch |
| 12. Special Beginners Dog | 29. Special Beginners Bitch |
| 13. Special New Members Dog | 30. Special New Members Bitch |
| 14. Field Trial Dog* | 31. Field Trial Bitch* |
| 15. Special Working Dog* | 32. Special Working Bitch* |
| 16. Special Shooting Dog** | 33. Special Shooting Bitch** |
| 17. Good Citizen Dog Scheme Dog*/*** | 34. Good Citizen Dog Scheme Bitch*/*** |

For Classes 14, 15, 17, 31, 32 & 34 please state on the entry form where and when qualification for these classes was obtained. **If entering on-line please bring proof of your qualification to the Show.*

For Classes 16 & 33 please state on the entry form the shoot where the dog is regularly worked. **If entering on-line please bring written details of the shoot used, to the Show.

****For Classes 17 & 34 please be prepared to show a copy of the Certificate.*

JUNIOR HANDLING

Judge: Jenna Cocking (Ruskinite)

These classes will take place during the lunch break. J.H.A. Diplomas will be awarded. Entries for these classes must be made on the Entry Form with show entries. Please state name and age of Junior Handler on bottom line of the entry form and put class letter alongside other classes for the dog which must be entered in another class at this Show. Handlers who are placed first, second or third in these classes will qualify to compete at the JHA semi-finals to be held at the six national group championship shows. For more details visit www.jha-dog.co.uk

Class J1: 6 - 11 years

Class J2: 12 - 16 years

ADULT HANDLING

Judge: Jenna Cocking (Ruskinite)

This class will take place after the judging of the Junior Handling classes. Entries for this class must be made on the Entry Form with show entries. Please state name of Handler on bottom line of the entry form and put class letter alongside other classes for the dog which must be entered in another class at this Show. 1st - 3rd will qualify for the Coventry Ladies' Kennel Society Adult Handling Final.

Class A1: 17 years and over

Judging of BEST IN SHOW will take place after Class 34

SPECIAL BREEDERS' COMPETITION

The Special Breeders' Competition will be judged by the Referee, Mr Frank Whyte, during the lunch break

For a minimum of 3 dogs and a maximum of 4 dogs with the same registered breeder
and all must be entered in another class at the Show

Entry Fee: Free of Charge. Entries taken on the day of the Show - please see the Show Secretary.

WSSC Championship Show Judge 2017

Stephen Pick 'LLON' (Dogs)



Although I am Welsh, from the Vale of Neath in S.Wales, a homeland of Welsh Springers, the breed didn't feature in my life until I moved to East Sussex and began my teaching career. At home, we had Cocker Spaniels but for sentimental reasons there was an attraction to Welsh Springers when it came to the choice of my own breed.

My first dogs came from Margaret Bye's first Mapleby litter born in 1983. She had just started to show and she encouraged me to have a go too. Despite my being a raw recruit, the boys did exceptionally well and this beginner's luck meant I was hooked. In 1987 Arthur (Mapleby Gruffydd Gwr Bonheddig) gained my first CC with BOB at Manchester.

His brother, Morgan, became my first title holder and became Sh. Ch. Mapleby Cymraeg Cyfaill in 1989. Both did well in the show ring right through into their later years. Arthur was one of only 2 or 3 in the breed to qualify for the Pedigree Veteran Stakes National Finals and Morgan gained the RCC from Veteran at Crufts in 1992. At this time top awards in the ring were dominated by a number of illustrious kennels, particularly the Dalati kennel and to gain a top award in this competition was very tough.

For the first ten years of my involvement in the breed, I only kept dogs but in 1993 I moved house and the location was better suited to keeping both sexes and breeding. On reflection I think this apprenticeship with the dogs served me well. It allowed me the time to clarify in my mind what I should look for in my foundation bitch and to aim to secure the best. In breeding you rarely can make a silk purse out of a sow's ear! Solva Tzippy of Llon (Sh. Ch. Dalati Sioni x Sh. Ch./Ir. Sh. Ch. Solva Arabella) was my foundation bitch. Royally bred, her sire and dam had long been admired by me. I have now bred 10 litters and she is at the back of the pedigree of all of them. From a mating with Sh. Ch. Cwrw Afon Llion she produced my first home bred champion, Sh. Ch. Llon Daranfolllt. A highlight of his career and mine was when he gained the CC at Crufts under Mark Hamer in 2002. Sh. Ch. Llon Lili Bengam achieved her title in 2015. In all, this kennel has produced 3 title holders with a further 3 gaining CCs or RCCs.

I am a member of all 4 breed clubs but I am most associated with the South Eastern Welsh Springer Spaniel Club. In 2000 I became Chairman of the Club, a position I have held since then. I also serve as one of the Club's delegates on the breed's Joint Health Group.

I first judged the breed in 1990 and in 2002. I undertook my first championship appointment at WSSCSW. This invitation to judge the dogs at the Welsh Springer Spaniel Club in September will be my 7th occasion awarding CCs in the breed. In addition, I have judged at overseas breed clubs in the Netherlands (twice), Finland (twice) and Sweden. Breed club show appointments are special and I am so looking forward to this appointment in September.

WSSC Championship Show Judge 2017

Sue Connolly 'BENMORBRY' (Bitches)

Like many, I spent my childhood around ponies. I was fortunate enough to spend my teenage years helping on a Stud Farm with its stallion producing top winning progeny in the country. This gave me the opportunity to ride beautiful ponies and compete with them in all types of events.

The dog in my childhood was a Tibetan Terrier and we received numerous compliments on our very good-looking mongrel and weren't we lucky to get one like that!

Miniature Poodles were also part of my childhood as my Grandmother always had one at her side.



I bought my first Welsh Springer in 1975 from Nell Peake (Pinymere) as a pet and was persuaded to show him. Although not of show quality, he started the addiction to the breed. In 1977 I purchased a bitch from Barbara Ordish (Goldsprings). Apart from being shown, Morag began my interest in the working side of the breed and, thanks to encouragement from Eileen Falconer and others, I progressed to working tests and then on to joining the beating line on many shoots. I feel it is important to utilise the dual purpose ability of the breed.

I have been a WSSC member since 1976 and was elected to the committee in 1993. I became Vice Chairman in 2000 and also took on the post as Chairman for the Working Sub Committee. In 2006, I was honoured to become Chairman of the WSSC Club, a role I enjoyed until 2015. I began judging in 1985 and first awarded Challenge Certificates in Welsh Springers at Three Counties Championship Show in 1994.

I am privileged to be asked by the WSSC members to judge for the second time at the WSSC Championship Show and am looking forward to this appointment.

WSSC Championship Show Judge 2017

Jenna Cocking 'RUSKINITE' (Handling Classes)



PHOTO: Ruth Dalrymple

I have owned Welsh Springer Spaniels since 2005 and started showing in 2009. I have gained stud book numbers with Bushwacker Thriller and Sh Ch Bushwacker Captain Courageous at Ruskinite ShCM. Besides showing, we have enjoyed taking part in other activities such as Gundog Training and obedience classes. I am also on the committee of my local Ringcraft Training Club and the Brittany Club of Great Britain. I look forward to judging the handling classes at the September Championship Show and would like to thank the committee for the kind invitation.

Jenna Cocking

• RULES and REGULATIONS •

1. The Show will open at 8.00 am.
2. Dogs will be received at any time but it is the exhibitor's responsibility to ensure that exhibits are available for judging when required.
3. Judging will commence at: Dogs 9.00 am; Bitches not before 11.30 am (*the Committee reserves the right to amend the start time for bitches, depending on entry numbers*).
4. The Show will close half an hour after all judging has been completed by which time dogs must be removed. Exhibits may be removed from the Show after their judging has been completed. Exhibits may not be removed any earlier unless by written order of the Veterinary Surgeon, Veterinary Practitioner or of the Show Management and then only in very exceptional and unforeseen circumstances which must be reported to the Kennel Club.
5. The use of cooking stoves in the proximity of the tenting and benching areas is forbidden except as authorised by the Show Management.
6. Entry Fees: Members: First entry with each dog £11.50; Non-Members: First entry with each dog: £12.50; each subsequent entry with the same dog: £1.50. Not for Competition: Free of Charge. Junior/Adult Handling: £1.00 per class. Catalogues: pre-paid with entries: £2.00, on the day £2.50. Membership Fees: Single £8.00; Joint £10.00; Europe: £10.00; World £15.00; Junior: £1.00.
7. There is no Prize Money on offer at this Show.
8. The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries.
9. Puppies under six calendar months of age on the first day of the Show are not eligible for exhibition.
10. The mating of bitches within the precincts of the Show is forbidden.
11. **Best Puppy in Show** Where a Best Puppy in Show competition is scheduled the Best Puppy in Show is a puppy which has competed and is unbeaten by any other puppy exhibited at the same Show. A puppy is a dog of six and not exceeding twelve calendar months of age on the first day of the Show. Where the Best in Show is a puppy it should automatically be awarded Best Puppy in Show. Similarly, if the Reserve Best in Show is a puppy which has only been beaten by an adult dog it should also automatically be Best Puppy in Show. Consequently, selection of Best Puppy in Show must follow the selection of Best in Show. Best Puppy in Show must be selected from puppies which have been judged and which are unbeaten by any other puppy.
Withdrawal from Other Competition: Puppies which become eligible for Best Puppy in Show may be withdrawn from all other competition, other than Breed Classes prior to the competition for Best Puppy in Show as appropriate, in order to remain unbeaten. A puppy beaten in competition for Best Puppy in Show may subsequently be exhibited in all competition for which it was previously eligible. The dog declared Best Puppy in Show, however, must not compete in any subsequent competition.
Proviso: For the purpose of this Regulation, dogs beaten in competition for Stud Dog, Brood Bitch, Progeny, Brace and Team or a Special Award confined to one breed will not be considered to be a beaten dog.
12. **Best in Show** The dog declared Best in Show is a dog which had competed and is unbeaten by any other dog exhibited at the same Show. Best in Show must be selected from the exhibits declared Best of Sex providing they are unbeaten winning dogs. Reserve Best in Show must be selected from the Best Opposite Sex and the Reserve Best of Sex to the exhibit declared Best in Show. The dogs declared Best in Show and Reserve Best in Show must not compete in any subsequent competition.
Withdrawal from Other Competition: Dogs which become eligible for Best in Show maybe withdrawn from all other competition, other than breed classes prior to the competition for Best in Show as appropriate in order to remain unbeaten. A dog beaten in competition for Best in Show may subsequently be exhibited in all competition for which it was previously eligible. The dogs declared Best in Show and Reserve Best in Show however, must not compete in any subsequent competition.
Proviso: For the purposes of this Regulation, dogs beaten in competition for Stud Dog, Brood Bitch, Progeny, Brace and Team or a Special Award confined to a single breed, will not be considered to be beaten dogs.
13. Exhibits will not be admitted to Best in Show competition after a period of ten minutes has elapsed since the announcement that exhibits are required for judging, unless they have been unavoidably delayed by previous judging not being completed on time, and then only with the special permission of the Show Management.
14. Exhibitors must not pick up dogs by their tails and leads when lifting them. This is not acceptable. Exhibitors should note that such practice would constitute harsh handling and reports of such practice will be referred to the Committee under Kennel Club Show Regulation F11.
15. It is not acceptable to handle a dog in a manner which causes its feet not to touch the ground when on the move. Exhibitors should note that such practices could constitute harsh handling and reports of such practice will be referred to the Committee under Kennel Club Show Regulation F11.
16. All exhibitors must be familiar with Kennel Club Regulation F (Annex B) - Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition.
17. All dogs resident outside of 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.
18. **Dogs in Vehicles on Hot Days.** Your dog is vulnerable and at risk during hot weather and the Kennel Club offers the following guidance to help guide you through the do's and don'ts travelling to and whilst at KC licensed events.
 - When travelling to a show please take a moment to consider whether the route to the show is on a busy holiday route, and leave earlier to avoid increased time in traffic jams.
 - If your vehicle is not air-conditioned seriously consider whether travelling to the show is a good idea at all.
 - The vehicle should be as fully ventilated as possible, and plenty of stops should be taken, with lots of water available to drink.
 - Ensure your dog is not sitting in full sunlight. There should be plenty of free flowing air around the dog.
 - When at the show, never leave your dog in the vehicle.
 - Keep the dog in the shade - take your own shade for example a large umbrella and always have plenty of water available to drink so your dog stays well hydrated.

- Avoid your dog taking part in unnecessary exertion, or from standing in exposed sunlight for extended lengths of time. Remember, if you feel hot your dog is very likely to feel much hotter and dehydrated, and this could lead to dire results. Please look after your dog's welfare. **WARNING: IF YOUR DOG IS FOUND TO BE AT RISK FORCIBLE ENTRY TO YOUR VEHICLE MAY BE NECESSARY WITHOUT LIABILITY FOR ANY DAMAGE CAUSED.** Anyone 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 put a dog's health and welfare at risk by any action, default, omission or otherwise. Breach of Kennel Club Regulations in this respect may be referred to the General Committee for disciplinary action under Kennel Club Rules and Regulations. Exhibitors/Competitors are reminded that show societies have the right under Kennel Club Regulation to refuse any entry.
19. Not for Competition entries will be accepted. Details of each dog so entered must be recorded on the entry form and must be Kennel Club registered.
 20. No modifications will be made to this Schedule except by permission of the General Committee of the Kennel Club, which will be followed by advertisement in the Canine Press wherever possible.
 21. The Show will be held under Kennel Club Rules and Show Regulations. Every exhibitor making an entry or entries at this Show shall be deemed to have agreed to abide by these Rules and Regulations and it is on this understanding only that entries are received.
 22. The Committee of this Show can accept no responsibility for products advertised or sold by stand holders at the Show, and remind exhibitors that grooming products on sale may not meet the requirements of the Regulations for Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition.
 23. Any owner, competitor, handler or other person in charge of a dog is required to remove as soon as possible any loose hair, any fouling caused by their dog(s) or any other litter, at any Kennel Club licensed show within the licensed venue and within the environs of that event including car and caravan parks and approaches.
 24. Parents are reminded that they are responsible for the actions of and any damage caused by their children within the environs of the Show.
 25. The owner, exhibitor, handler or other person in charge of a dog at Kennel Club licensed events must at all times ensure that the dog is kept under proper control whilst at the licensed venue, including its environs, car and caravan parks and approaches.
 26. The Committee will be most anxious for the safety of dogs and exhibitors but all present have a duty of care for their own safety. The Committee will not be responsible for the loss of, the detention of, or damage done to, any dog, person or property arising from whatever cause, or from any act of omission of itself or its officers or agents.
 27. A dog may be disqualified by the General Committee from any award, whether an objection has been lodged or not, if proved amongst other things to have been: a) registered or recorded as having been bred by the scheduled Judge, this shall not apply to a Judge appointed in an emergency; b) exhibited without payment of appropriate entry fees.
 28. Every exhibitor shall ensure that whilst the dog is being exhibited, its handler shall display the correct ring number.
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• DEFINITIONS OF CLASSES •

In the following definitions, a Challenge Certificate includes any Show award that counts towards the title of Champion under the Rules of any governing body recognised by the Kennel Club.

Wins at Championship Shows in breed classes where Challenge Certificates are not on offer shall be counted as wins at Open Shows.

In the case of a dog owned in partnership and entered in Members' classes or competing for Members' Specials each partner must at the time of entry be a member of the Society. In estimating the number of awards won, all wins up to and including the seventh day before the date of closing of postal entries shall be counted when entering for any class i.e. **Monday, 31st July 2017**.

Wins in Variety classes do not count for entry in Breed classes but when entering for Variety classes, wins in both Breed and Variety classes must be counted. A First Prize does not include a Special Prize of whatever value.

If an exhibitor reports before the judging of a class or classes that a dog has been entered which is ineligible, the exhibitor may choose one of the following options:

(1) *Withdrawal*

The dog may be withdrawn from competition subject to the conditions of Regulations 9(j) and 20.

(2) *Transfer*

- a) If a dog is ineligible for a class or classes as regards its colour, sex, weight or height the Show Secretary shall transfer it to the equivalent class or classes for the correct colour, sex, weight or height and, in the event of there being no equivalent class, Minor Puppy and Puppy Class for the correct colour, sex, weight or height.
- b) For an exhibit entered incorrectly in a Minor Puppy Class, Puppy Class or Junior Class, which is over age but under twelve calendar months of age, eighteen calendar months of age or 24 calendar months of age respectively, the Show Secretary shall transfer the exhibit to the Puppy Class, Junior Class or Yearling Class respectively for the correct colour, sex, weight or height and in the event of there being no Puppy, Junior or Yearling Class to the Open Class for the correct colour, sex, weight or height.
- c) For any reason other than the above, the Show Secretary shall transfer it to the Open Class for the correct colour, sex, weight or height.
- d) If an exhibit arrives late and misses a class, even if it is the only class in which the dog is entered, the dog may not be transferred to any other class.

MINOR PUPPY For dogs of six and not exceeding nine calendar months of age on the first day of the Show.

PUPPY For dogs of six and not exceeding twelve calendar months of age on the first day of the Show.

JUNIOR For dogs of six and not exceeding eighteen calendar months of age on the first day of the Show.

- YEARLING** For dogs of twelve and not exceeding twenty-four months of age on the first day of the Show.
- NOVICE** For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate or three or more First Prizes at Open and Championship Shows (Minor Puppy, Special Minor Puppy, Puppy and Special Puppy classes excepted, whether restricted or not).
- GRADUATE** For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate or 4 or more First Prizes at Championship Shows in Graduate, Post Graduate, Minor Limit, Mid Limit, Limit and Open Classes whether restricted or not where Challenge Certificates were offered for the breed.
- POST GRADUATE** For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate or 5 or more First Prizes at Championship Shows in Post Graduate, Minor Limit, Mid Limit, Limit and Open Classes whether restricted or not where Challenge Certificates were offered for the breed.
- MID LIMIT** For dogs which have not become show Champions under Kennel Club Regulations or under the rules of any governing body recognised by the Kennel Club or won 5 or more First Prizes in all at Championship Shows in Mid Limit, Limit and Open classes, confined to the breed, whether restricted or not, at Shows where Challenge Certificates were offered for the breed.
- LIMIT** For dogs which have not become show Champions under Kennel Club Regulations or under the rules of any governing body recognised by the Kennel Club or won 7 or more First Prizes in all at Championship Shows in Limit and Open classes, confined to the breed, whether restricted or not, at Shows where Challenge Certificates were offered for the breed.
- OPEN** For all dogs of the breeds for which the class is provided and eligible for entry at the Show.
- VETERAN** For dogs of not less than seven years of age on the first day of the Show.
- GOOD CITIZEN DOG SCHEME** For dogs that have achieved their Good Citizen Dog Scheme Bronze Award Certificate or above.
- FIELD TRIAL** For dogs which have won an award, Diploma of Merit or Certificate of Merit in actual competition at a Field Trial held under Kennel Club or Irish Kennel Club Field Trial Regulations.
- SPECIAL BEGINNERS** For dogs handled by exhibitor, neither owner, handler or exhibit to have won a Challenge Certificate in the breed at Championship Shows. NOTE: this applies to exhibitor and handler.
- SPECIAL NEW MEMBERS** For dogs handled and owned by members who have joined the Welsh Springer Spaniel Club since 30th August 2015.
- SPECIAL SHOOTING** Dogs to have been regularly worked, either picking up or beating, on a shoot during the previous season. Written confirmation from the gamekeeper or shoot owner is not required unless requested by the WSSC.
- SPECIAL WORKING** For dogs which have been awarded a 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th or a Certificate of Merit in any Field Trial or which hold a 'Show Gundog Working Certificate' and/or a Working Gundog Certificate. Dogs may also qualify which have been awarded a 1st, 2nd, 3rd or 4th in any Assessment Test or Working Test within the same year of the Show or the previous year.
- ADVISORY NOTICE**
- NOT FOR COMPETITION** Societies may at their discretion, accept Not for Competition entries. Societies may accept such entries from breeds of dog not included within the title of the Society and at Shows held over more than one day, such entries may be accepted on any day from any breed.

SPECIALS

JUNIOR HANDLING ASSOCIATION DIPLOMAS

will be awarded

CAR STICKERS

will be awarded to the CC winners and Best Puppy sponsored by Finuala Barnes

• SASHES •

for Best in Show, Reserve Best in Show, Best Puppy in Show, Reserve Best Puppy in Show,
Best Veteran Dog and Best Veteran Bitch
donated by Vicky & Jan Reynolds

• ROSETTES •

Best in Show • Reserve Best in Show • Best Opposite Sex
Best Puppy in Show • Best Veteran in Show
Reserve Best Dog • Best Puppy Dog • Best Veteran Dog
Reserve Best Bitch • Best Puppy Bitch • Best Veteran Bitch
1st - VHC in ALL Classes

 **CUPS** 

(All perpetual and, confined to Members of the Welsh Springer Spaniel Club)

Award

Best in Show
 Reserve Best in Show
 Reserve CC Dog Winner
 Reserve CC Bitch Winner
 Best Opposite Sex
 Best Puppy in Show
 Best Opposite Sex Puppy
 Best Veteran Dog
 Best Veteran Bitch
 Best Veteran in Show
 Minor Puppy Dog
 Minor Puppy Bitch
 Puppy Dog
 Puppy Bitch
 Junior Dog
 Junior Bitch
 Yearling Dog
 Yearling Bitch
 Novice Dog
 Novice Bitch
 Graduate Dog
 Graduate Bitch
 Post Graduate Dog
 Post Graduate Bitch
 Mid Limit Dog
 Mid Limit Bitch
 Limit Dog
 Limit Bitch
 Open Dog
 Open Bitch
 Special Beginners Dog
 Special Beginners Bitch
 Special New Members Dog
 Special New Members Bitch
 Field Trial Dog
 Field Trial Bitch
 Special Working Dog
 Special Working Bitch
 Special Shooting Dog
 Special Shooting Bitch
 Good Citizen Dog Scheme Dog
 Good Citizen Dog Scheme Bitch
 Junior Handler
 Adult Handler
 Special Breeders' Competition

Trophy

Krackton Trophy
 Plattburn Perpetual Trophy
 Julita Trophy
 Northey Trophy
 Trealvi Trophy
 WSSC Cup
 Aust Ch Balcraig Blazeaway Trophy
 Athelwood Uncle Sam Trophy
 Dave Lewis Trophy

 Parkmist Plaque
 Amber Shield
 Morganstar Shield
 The Vannelmead Shield
 Solva Trophy
 Eshenor Trophy
 Parkmist Plaque
 Benmorby Poachers Pocket Trophy
 Stokecourt Cup
 Goldsprings Shield
 Charlmay Trophy
 Killena Trophy
 Bramblebank Coppersmith Trophy
 Westhurst Cup
 Typica Shield
 Pennylock Shield
 Collinsmore Trophy
 Hillpark Trophy
 Bryndoain Trophy
 E.W. Painter Memorial Trophy
 Dayhouse Cup
 Athelwood Rose Bowl
 Ben Trophy
 Rollston Rowanna Trophy
 Stedigan Field Trial Trophy
 Isfryn Field Trial Trophy
 Pat Dean Pasondela Bowl
 Solva Salver
 Tannamoor Anrhydedd Trophy
 Glanhafon Gwennol Trophy
 Bruce Trophy
 Blythway Sunflower Gold Cup
 Bradley Salver
 Alsutu Award
 donated by Mr & Mrs Sutherland

Please make sure Cups are returned in time for the show

• DIRECTIONS TO THE VENUE •

FROM M6 SOUTHBOUND. Leave the motorway at Junction 2 and follow signs A46 (new road). At the third roundabout take first exit A45 London. After approx. 500 yards take the exit signposted A423 Southam / Banbury. At second roundabout take first exit A445 and the Sports Connexion is on your right approx. 100 yards.

FROM M1 SOUTHBOUND. Leave the motorway at Junction 18 Crick and follow signs to Rugby A428. Follow until signpost B4429 Dunchurch. Follow until in the centre of Dunchurch turn right at traffic lights to M45 / A45 and at the roundabout take second exit A45 Coventry. Follow A45 for approx 4 - 5 miles until new roundabout and new sign for Southam A445 on left; take this exit and the Sports Connexion is approx. 500 yards on the left.

FROM M1 NORTHBOUND. Leave motorway at Junction 17 M45 and follow until roundabout, take first exit A45 Coventry. Follow for approx. 4 - 5 miles until new roundabout and sign for Southam A445 on left; take this exit and the Sports Connexion is approx 500 yards on the left.

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