



SOUTHERN FLATCOATED RETRIEVER CLUB

SCHEDULE OF 23 CLASS

OPEN SINGLE BREED SHOW (Unbenched)

Plus Special Classes

Held under Kennel Club Limited Rules and Regulations

at

**TESTBOURNE COMMUNITY SCHOOL, MICHELDEVER ROAD,
WHITCHURCH, HAMPSHIRE RG28 7JF**

on

Sunday, 3rd December 2017

JUDGE: Miss Hayley Walker (Lizzlog)

Special Awards: Mrs Madeline Burr (Scheindubh)

Show Opens: 9.00a.m.

Judging: 10.00a.m.

All judges at this show agrees 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'.

Guarantors to the Kennel Club:

Chairman: Mrs. A. Youens, 16 Fulford Way, Westway, Skegness, Lincolnshire, PE25 1DD

Secretary: Mrs. S. Tagg, Ash Barn, Winchester Road, Stroud, Petersfield, Hampshire GU32 3PN

Treasurer: Mr. R. Strudwick, 31 Glendale Drive, Burpham, Guildford, Surrey GU4 7HZ

ENTRIES CLOSE: MONDAY, 6th November 2017 (Postmark)

**Enter Online at www.ejcprint.co.uk/online
(up to midnight Saturday 18th November 2017)**

Postal Entries to be sent to Hon. Secretary:

Mrs. S. Tagg, Ash Barn, Winchester Road, Stroud, Petersfield, Hampshire GU32 3PN Tel: 01730 269824

Hon. Veterinary Surgeons: Strathmore Veterinary Clinic, 6 London Road, Andover, Hants.: 01264 352323

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Future Events

**Our first CHAMPIONSHIP Show will be held on
26th May 2018. The judge is Mrs. Brenda
Hutchison (Waverton).**

**Our Open Show in 2018 will take place on Sunday
2nd December. The judge will be Mrs Andrena
Cowan.**

**Online Entry Now Available At
www.ejcprint.co.uk/online**

**Unfortunately there will no catering available
at this show.**

**However Tea and Coffee will be available for
purchase.**

OFFICERS AND COMMITTEE

CHAIRMAN: Mrs. A. Youens
VICE-CHAIRMAN: Mrs. S. Vincent
HON. SECRETARY: Mrs. S. Tagg
HON. TREASURER: Mr. R. Strudwick
COMMITTEE: Mesdames: V. Bowen, R. Deacon, G. Jacobs, H. Osborne-Brown, L.
Strudwick, T. Swain, C Wells, J. Thomas, S Young
Messrs: C. Carter, A. Osborne-Brown

ENTRY FEES:

Members: £6.00 per Class First Entry Non-Members: £7.00 per Class First Entry
Members & Non-Members Subsequent Entries with the same dog – £1.00 per Class (including Special Classes)
Not For Competition £1.00 per dog
Catalogues: £3.00 pre-paid with entries.
£4.00 on the day (limited number available)

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

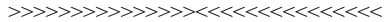
ALL ENQUIRIES FOR TRADE STANDS: Contact: Mrs. S. Tagg - Tel: 01730 269824

THE SOUTHERN FLATCOATED RETRIEVER CLUB AWARDS ROSETTES FOR

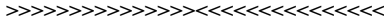
BEST IN SHOW, RESERVE BEST IN SHOW * BEST OPPOSITE SEX IN SHOW *
BEST PUPPY IN SHOW , RESERVE BEST PUPPY IN SHOW * BEST VETERAN
BEST SPECIAL WORKING IN SHOW
1st – 3rd IN ALL CLASSES

PRIZE CARDS 1st – V.H.C. IN ALL CLASSES

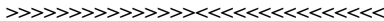
THE OFFICERS AND COMMITTEE TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY OF THANKING ALL THOSE WHO DONATE TO OUR ROSETTE FUND. THEIR NAMES WILL APPEAR IN THE CATALOGUE.



NOTE: The Society wish to make it clear that children attending the show are the sole responsibility of their parents or guardians. The Society will not be responsible for the entire or partial loss or detention of, or damage to any dog or person for any cause whatsoever.



WE SHOULD LIKE TO REMIND EXHIBITORS THAT ONLY DOGS ENTERED IN CLASSES MAY BE BROUGHT INTO THE SHOW AND NO PUPPIES UNDER 4 MONTHS OF AGE ARE ALLOWED AT THE SHOW.



CUPS AVAILABLE TO MEMBERS

THE WAVERTON CUP for BEST IN SHOW
THE OIYOU TROPHY For RESERVE BEST IN SHOW
THE CLANDRIFT TROPHY For BEST OPPOSITE SEX IN SHOW
THE ONYXRO TROPHY For BEST PUPPY IN SHOW
THE TESSERA TROPHY For BEST VETERAN IN SHOW
THE PYTHINGDEAN MEMORIAL TROPHY For BEST WORKING IN SHOW

All cups and trophies awarded are the property of The Southern Flatcoated Retriever Club and are to be returned in the good condition that they are presented. Persons returning dirty or damaged trophies will be held financially responsible. A charge of £5.00 will be levied on all cups and trophies issued to winners, who must also be members/joint members of the Club. All cups and trophies must be returned to the Cup Steward: Mrs. J. Thomas, Elm Cottage, 24 Elm Road, Kingston Upon Thames, Surrey KT2 6HP

Membership for The Southern Flatcoated Retriever Club is available.
SINGLE ANNUAL: £8 JOINT ANNUAL: £12 SENIOR CITIZENS (65+): £5
JUNIORS (up to 16 years): £1 (no voting rights)

ABOUT OUR BREED JUDGE:

My family have owned flatcoated retrievers since 1999 and I started showing when I was 17. I bought my very own flatcoat in 2006 by the name of Finn, to anyone who knew him, he was a typical Peter Pan, his glass was never half empty or even half full, his glass was always overflowing he lived life to the maximum. He was an amazing character and taught me a lot. I had good success with him and his half sister Rosie, making up our first full champion in 2010 and Finn a show champion in 2013. Since then we have have gained 16CCs and 14RCCs.

My affix is Lizzlog which I jointly own with my mum, Linda. Our whole family are owned by Flatcoats and currently have 10 between us all, someone said that they are infectious and collectible! Which they were not wrong!

I started judging in 2007 and have judged Flatcoated Retrievers steadily since. I have attended all the required seminars and now also completed all the required exams.

I am really looking forward to judging the Southern Flatcoated Retriever Club's open show and heartfelt thanks to the committee for inviting me.

BREED CLASSIFICATION

Judge: Miss Hayley Walker

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| 1. Veteran Dog | 11. Veteran Bitch |
| 2. Minor Puppy Dog | 12. Minor Puppy Bitch |
| 3. Puppy Dog | 13. Puppy Bitch |
| 4. Junior Dog | 14. Junior Bitch |
| 5. Special Yearling Dog | 15. Special Yearling Bitch |
| 6. Graduate Dog | 16. Graduate Bitch |
| 7. Post Graduate Dog | 17. Post Graduate Bitch |
| 8. Limit Dog | 18. Limit Bitch |
| 9. Open Dog | 19. Open Bitch |
| 10. Special Working Dog | 20. Special Working Bitch |

• SPECIAL AWARDS •

(to be judged during the lunch break)

Judge: Madeline Burr (Scheindubh)

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| 21. Special Puppy Dog or Bitch | 22. Special Graduate Dog or Bitch |
| 23. Special Open Dog or Bitch | |

Special Awards are scheduled by kind permission of the Kennel Club to enable aspiring judges to gain more judging experience.

Special Awards do not count towards the 'Beaten Dog' rule: in other words, exhibits beaten in Special Awards but unbeaten in the main Open Show classes are deemed to remain unbeaten when competing for Best in Show, see Rule 12 in this schedule.

Entries must be made on the entry form in the usual way

BEST IN SHOW & RESERVE BEST IN SHOW
BEST PUPPY IN SHOW & RESERVE BEST PUPPY IN SHOW

Will be judged after Class 20

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 entered for any class, i.e. **30th October 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.

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 breed, sex, weight or height the Show Secretary shall transfer it to the equivalent class or classes for the correct breed, sex, weight or height or, in the event of there being no equivalent class, Minor Puppy and Puppy excepted to the Open class for the correct breed, 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, twenty four 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 breed, sex, weight or height or in the event of there being no Puppy, Junior or Yearling class respectively to the Open class for the correct breed, 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 breed, 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 on the day of the show.

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

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

SPECIAL YEARLING: For dogs of six and not exceeding twenty four calendar months of age on the day of the Show.

GRADUATE: For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate or four or more First Prizes at Championship Shows in Graduate, Post Graduate, Minor Limit, Mid Limit, Limit and Open classes, whether restricted or not.

POST GRADUATE: For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate or five or more First Prizes at Championship Shows in Post Graduate, Minor Limit, Mid Limit, Limit and Open classes, whether restricted or not.

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 seven or more First Prizes 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 day of the Show.

SPECIAL WORKING GUNDOG: For dogs which have won Prizes and Awards in recognised competitions at Gundog Working Tests or have gained their Show Gundog Qualifier or a Gundog Working Certificate.

PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOUR DOG IS ENTERED IN THE CORRECT CLASS

RULES and REGULATIONS

1. The Show will open at 9.00 a.m.
2. Dogs will be received at any time but it is the exhibitors responsibility to ensure that exhibits are available for judging when required.
3. Judging will commence at 10.00 a.m.
4. Exhibits may be removed from the Show after their judging has been completed. The Show will close half an hour after all judging has been completed.
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: For members £6.00 First Entry per Dog; Non-members £7.00 First Entry per Dog. Subsequent Entries (Members or Non-Members) with the same Dog £1.00. N.F.C. £1.00 per dog.
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 of Breed or Best in Show is a puppy it should also automatically be awarded Best Puppy in Breed and Best Puppy in Show respectively.

Similarly, if the Reserve Best of Breed or Reserve Best in Show is a puppy, which has only been beaten by an adult dog, it should also automatically be Best Puppy in Breed and Best Puppy in Show. Consequently, selection of Best Puppy in Breed and Best Puppy in Show must follow the selection of Best of Breed and Best in Show respectively.

Withdrawal from competition Puppies which become eligible for Best Puppy in Show may be withdrawn from all other competition, other than breed classes and best puppy in breed, 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. Puppies may be withdrawn from any Variety Classes when judged before breed classes.

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 beaten dogs.

12. **Best in Show** The dog declared Best in Show is a dog which has competed and is unbeaten by any other dog exhibited at the same Show. Where a Breed is separately classified a Best of Breed must be declared. Best in Show must be selected from all unbeaten winning dogs. Reserve Best in Show must be selected from the remaining unbeaten winning dogs following the selection for Best in Show.

Withdrawal from other Competition Dogs which become eligible for Best in Show may be withdrawn from all other competition, other than Breed Classes and Best of Breed, prior to the competition for Best in Show 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. Dogs may be withdrawn from Any Variety Classes when judged before breed classes.

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 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 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 Regulations F. Annex B. Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition.
17. All dogs resident outside the U.K. must be issued with a Kennel Club Authority To Compete number before entry to the Show can be made. All overseas entries without an Authority To Compete number will be returned to the exhibitor.
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 K.C. 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 dogs 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 dogs 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.
Right to Refuse Entries: Exhibitors are reminded that show societies have the right under Kennel Club Regulations 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. Should any Judge be prevented from fulfilling his or her engagement, the Committee reserve the right to appoint another Judge or Judges in their place. Exhibitors may withdraw from competition, but no entry fees can be refunded.
22. Exhibitors are held responsible for any loss or damage done by their dog whilst in the Showground. The Committee will be most anxious for the care and safety of all dogs entered for exhibition and for any property entrusted to it, but it must be clearly understood by exhibitors and any other persons that the Committee will not be responsible for the entire or partial loss, or detention of, or damage to any dog or person for any cause whatsoever, nor for any act or omission of themselves, their officers, servants, agents and others, and it is on this understanding only that entries are received.
23. The Committee will be empowered to exclude or remove any dog, which is not in a fit state for exhibition, either from illness, disease, vice or natural or other causes, and if such exclusion takes place, either before or after judging, the entry fee will be forfeited.
24. No animal, other than an exhibit duly entered at the Show, will be allowed within the precincts of the Show during its continuance.
25. The Committee of the 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 the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition. (K.C.S.R.[F]).
26. All dogs resident outside the U.K. must be issued with a Kennel Club Authority to Compete Number before entry to the Show can be made. All overseas entries without an Authority to Compete Number will be returned to the exhibitor.
26. **PLEASE NOTE: PASSES WILL NOT BE POSTED.** If acknowledgement of entry is required, a stamped addressed card should be sent for signature.

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