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Membership Benefits include:-

- Year Book**
- Informative Newsletters**
- Reduced Show Entry Fees**

The Society also holds several working events each year
For further information and schedules, contact Mr F Geraghty

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**CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW**

**Saturday 6th December 2008**

**Judges: Dogs: Mrs J Rowland (Perrytree)**  
**Bitches: Mrs A Hackett (Lindridge)**

To be held at Montem Sports Centre, Montem Lane, Slough, Bucks

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We look forward to welcoming friends old and new

The London Cocker Spaniel Society

SCHEDULE OF UNBENCHED OPEN SINGLE BREED SHOW

(held under Kennel Club Rules and Regulations)

at

Bletchingly Village Hall

78 High Street, Bletchingly, Surrey, RH1 4PA

on

Saturday 19th July 2008

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

Show Opens: 9.30 a.m. Judging will commence at **10.00** am

JUDGE:

Mr P Carpenter (Ruphill)

Guarantors to the Kennel Club

Mrs J Carey (*Chairman*) Rosario, 23 Iver Lane, Iver, Bucks
Mrs Y Donnellan (*Secretary*) May Cottage, 147 Stein Rd, Southbourne, Nr Emsworth, Hants,
PO10 8PN (Tel: 01243 373422)
Mr L Harris (*Treasurer*), 80 Woodlands Rd, Little Bookham, Leatherhead, Surrey, KT23 4HH

HON VETERINARY SURGEON: Waterdean Veterinary Practice, Waterdene, 4 Timber Hill Road
Caterham, Surrey CR3 6LD Tel: 01883 345277

ENTRIES CLOSE Saturday 21st June 2008 (Postmark)

ENTRIES AND FEES TO BE SENT TO: Mrs Y Donnellan
May Cottage
147 Stein Road
Southbourne, Nr Emsworth
Hants PO10 8PN

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CHEQUES & POSTAL ORDERS MUST be made payable to:

THE LONDON COCKER SPANIEL SOCIETY

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PATRON: Mr R J Keizer b.Vet.Med.,MRCVS

PRESIDENT: Mrs B Rice-Stringer

CHAIRMAN: Mrs J CAREY

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Mr J Buck (Tel 01480 431145)

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SHOW MANAGER & FIRST AID Mr B Edgington

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Mrs Y Donnellan

ASST SECRETARY (Field):

Mr F Geraghty

SAFETY OFFICER : Mr S Donald

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LIFE MEMBERS Miss Frazer, Mr R J Keizer MRCVS, Mrs I R Naylor, Mrs B Rice-Stringer, Mr G Michael Smith, Mrs D Leach, Mrs L Chivers, Miss T Dulley

Specials will be acknowledged in the catalogue

Have you visited our website at www.londoncockersociety.co.uk?

CLASSIFICATION

Judge: Mr P Carpenter (Ruphill)

Judging at **10.00am**

1	ANY SOLID COLOUR INC SOLID/TAN	NOVICE	DOG/BITCH
2	ANY SOLID COLOUR INC SOLID/TAN	POSTGRADUATE	DOG/BITCH
3	ANY SOLID COLOUR INC SOLID/TAN	SPECIAL OPEN	DOG/BITCH
4	ANY OTHER COLOUR	NOVICE	DOG/BITCH
5	ANY OTHER COLOUR	POSTGRADUATE	DOG/BITCH
6	ANY OTHER COLOUR	SPECIAL OPEN	DOG/BITCH
7	ANY COLOUR	VETERAN	DOG/BITCH
8	ANY COLOUR	MINOR PUPPY	DOG/BITCH
9	ANY SOLID COLOUR INC SOLID/TAN	PUPPY	DOG/BITCH
10	ANY OTHER COLOUR	PUPPY	DOG/BITCH
11	ANY COLOUR	PUPPY	DOG
12	ANY COLOUR	PUPPY	BITCH
13	ANY COLOUR	JUNIOR	DOG/BITCH
14	ANY COLOUR	MAIDEN	DOG/BITCH
15	ANY COLOUR	TYRO	DOG/BITCH
16	ANY COLOUR	GRADUATE	DOG/BITCH
17	ANY COLOUR	SPECIAL BEGINNERS	DOG/BITCH
18	ANY COLOUR	OPEN	DOG
19	ANY COLOUR	OPEN	BITCH

IMPORTANT NOTICES

Please exercise your exhibits before entering the Show, making sure they do not foul pavements, walkways and grounds of the venue; please ensure that you clean up after any dogs in your charge. We are anxious to retain this venue for future Shows. Please help us to do so by keeping it clean and making sure that the hall and grounds are kept clean. Please place litter in the receptacles provided – or take it away with you.

Cages, boxes and grooming tables must **NOT** be situated at the ringside but within the areas designated by the Society, under the new KC Rules and Regulations. Any person found obstructing ring surrounds will be asked to move them by the Show Management. No dogs are admitted into the refreshment area.

SHOW ENTRIES - BANK CHARGES The KC has agreed that any bank charges incurred through incorrectly completed cheques or dishonoured cheques may be passed on to exhibitors and any exhibitor failing to pay entry fees and/or Bank Charges will be dealt with by the Committee of the Kennel Club.

PREPARATION OF EXHIBITS – Intending Exhibitors are reminded that the terms of hiring the venue do not permit chalking in any part of the building and no dog may be taken into any toilet.

DEFINITIONS OF CLASSES

(The word "dog" includes both sexes)

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. Show awards issued by the Irish Kennel Club which count towards the Title of Champion, shall be five point Green Stars or more.

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 entries shall be counted when entering for any class i.e. Saturday 14 th June 2008

Wins in Variety classes do not count for entry in Breed classes but when entering in 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.

6. 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 their being no equivalent class, Minor Puppy and Puppy excepted to the Open class for the correct colour, sex, weight or height.
- b) b) For an exhibit entered incorrectly in a Minor Puppy class or Puppy class, which is over age but under twelve calendar months of age or eighteen calendar months of age respectively, the Show Secretary shall transfer the exhibit to the Puppy class or the Junior class respectively for the correct colour, sex, weight or height and in the event of their being no Puppy or Junior class to the Open class for the correct colour, sex, weight or height.
- c) 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) 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 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.

MAIDEN For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate or a First Prize at an Open or Championship show (Minor Puppy, Special Minor Puppy, Puppy and Special Puppy classes excepted, whether restricted or not).

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).

TYRO 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 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.

OPEN For all dogs of the breed 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 OPEN Same as for Open but restricted as to Colour

SPECIAL BEGINNERS For dogs and owners not having won a Challenge Certificate in the breed. EXHIBITS MUST BE HANDLED BY THEIR OWNERS

REGULATIONS FOR THE PREPARATION OF DOGS FOR EXHIBITION F(B)

1. These regulations must be observed when a dog is prepared for exhibition at a Show. When a dog is found to have been prepared for exhibition at a Show in contravention of these regulations the exhibitor will be dealt with as if a complaint under K.C. Rule A42 had been lodged against them & proved to the satisfaction of the General Committee without prejudice to the right of the exhibitor to make representations to the General Committee in mitigation of the penalty to be imposed at the discretion of the General Committee under Rule A42. The dog will be automatically disqualified from exhibition at the Show and from any award gained thereat.

2. (a) No substance which alters the natural colour, texture or body of the coat may be used in the preparation of a dog for exhibition either before or at the show.

(b) Any other substance, other than water, which may be used in the preparation of a dog for exhibition must not be allowed to remain in the coat at the time of exhibition.

3. No act or operation which alters the natural conformation of a dog or any part thereof may be performed and nothing may be done, calculated in the opinion of the General Committee to deceive except:-

(a) Operations certified to the satisfaction of the General Committee.

(b) The removal of dew claws of any breed.

(c) Operation to prevent breeding provided that such operations are notified to the Kennel Club before neutered dogs are shown.

4. The General Committee without previous notice may order an examination of any dog or dogs at any show. Any examination thus ordered will be made by a person having executive authority who shall have a written directive from the K.C. in their possession. Samples may be taken for further examination and analysis.

5. An individual has the right to lodge an objection to a dog only if he/she is the owner or handler of a dog competing in the same breed or class. An objection may however, be lodged by an official of the show or by anyone so deputed by the Kennel Club. It will be the responsibility of the individual who lodges the objection or the official (as appropriate) to substantiate the grounds for the objection. The Kennel Club will substantiate the grounds for the objection made on its behalf.

6. Any objection by an individual related to an infringement of these Regulations must be made in writing to the Show Secretary at his/her office before the close of the Show & the individual must produce evidence of identity at the time of lodging the complaint.

DOGS IN CARS ON HOT DAYS

Your dog is vulnerable and AT RISK if left in a vehicle in high temperatures and even on days considered as slightly warm.

Please take care of your dog

If your dog is found to be at risk forcible entry to your vehicle may be necessary without liability for any damage caused

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. The show will open at 9.30 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 10.00am.
4. Exhibits may be removed from the show after their judging has been completed. The show will close half an hour after 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: **Members:**£3.50 First Entry Each Exhibit; 2nd and subsequent entries £1.00 each. **Non-Members:** £4.50 First Entry Each Exhibit, 2nd and subsequent entries £1.00 each. Membership: £8.00 per annum, £9.00 Joint, Overseas £13.00 per annum (from 1st Jan to 31 Dec)
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 will automatically be Best Puppy in Show respectively. Similarly, if the Reserve Best in Show is a puppy which has only been beaten by an adult dog it will also automatically be Best Puppy in Show respectively. Consequently, selection of Best Puppy in Show must follow the selection of Best in Show respectively. 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 maybe withdrawn from all other competition, other than Breed Classes, prior to the competition for Best Puppy in Show 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 has 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. No modifications will be made to this Schedule except with the special permission of the General Committee of the Kennel Club, which will be followed by advertisement in the Canine Press, the Club website and internet list, whenever possible.

15. All exhibitors must be familiar with Kennel Club Regulation F (Annex B) Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition.

16. All dogs resident outside 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.

17. Should any judge be prevented from fulfilling his/her engagement, he/she may be replaced by a judge selected by the committee. In this event, exhibitors may withdraw from competition but entry fees will be forfeited.

18 The Committee have the power to remove from the Show any exhibit not in a fit state for exhibition due to disease, vice or any natural or other causes. In this event, entry fees will be forfeited as will fees for exhibits entered but not brought to the show.

TRADE STANDS The committee can accept no responsibility for products advertised or sold by stand holders at the Show and wish to remind exhibitors that grooming products on sale may not meet the requirements of the Regulations For the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition

EXERCISE AREA An exercise area will be provided. Exhibitors/handlers are required to clean up and fouling by the dogs in their charge.

ATTRACTION OF EXHIBITS F(1) 17f The attracting of the attention of exhibits by any method outside the ring is prohibited. It is the duty of the judge, steward or show management noticing such attraction to ask that it cease

ALL EXHIBITS TO BE ON A LEAD IN THE PRECINCTS OF THE SHOW

LONDON COCKER SPANIEL SOCIETY CUPS AND TROPHIES

To be returned in time for the July show

(There will be a deposit of £5 required on each cup taken. If cups are returned in time for the next show and in good condition, £3 will be refunded)

BEST IN SHOW Princhurch Cup presented by by Mrs F H Oxley

BEST OPPOSITE SEX TO BEST IN SHOW The Star Cup presented by Mrs F H Oxley

BEST PARTICOLOUR IN SHOW Sheilwood Memorial Picture presented by Mrs M Phillips (NB This is in a dreadful state, needs restoration/cleaning)

BEST SPECIAL BEGINNERS Watmore Cup presented by Mrs A Morley

BEST VETERAN IN SHOW Hawkwood Darmill Delisa Trophy presented by Miss T M Dullely

BEST VETERAN DOG IN SHOW Holygay Trophy presented by Miss A V Foster

BEST VETERAN BITCH IN SHOW Lynbrook Trophy presented by Mrs Thomas

BEST PUPPY IN SHOW Tolworth Cup presented by Dr Jones

BEST MINOR PUPPY IN SHOW Churchgate Cup presented by Mrs J Church