



# The Southern Afghan Club

## Schedule of ***OPEN SHOW***

(Back to Back with **The South Eastern Hound Club** Premier Open Show)

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

**Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> September 2019**

**Entries Close**

**Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> August 2019 (Postmark)**

On-line entries can be made up until midnight on  
Saturday 17<sup>h</sup> August 2019 at [www.arenaprint.co.uk](http://www.arenaprint.co.uk)

## **OFFICERS**

*President:* Mr. John Cox

*Vice Presidents:* Mrs. V. Cook, Mrs. A. Paton

**Chair:** Mr. A. Ledger

**Vice Chair:** Ms. Pauline Mullins

**Hon. Secretary:** Mrs. L. Busby

**Hon. Treasurer:** Mr. Charles Teggart

**Rescue Officers:** Connie De Souza & Heidi Woodgate

## **COMMITTEE**

Mesdames A. Ledger, H. Woodgate, A. Collier,

V. Cook, Y. Odell, A. Thomas, J. Beanland

Messrs. R. Wignall & K. Wright

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**Vet On Call:** New Priory Veterinary Practice,  
The Denway, London Road (A23), Brighton, Sussex BN1 8QR Tel: 01273 540430

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## **SPECIALS**

Rosettes for Best in Show, Reserve Best in Show, Best Puppy in Show, Best Opposite Sex in Show, Best Opposite Sex Puppy in Show, Best Dog, Reserve Best Dog, Best Bitch, Reserve Best Bitch, Best Veteran in Show, and 1<sup>st</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> Place in all classes

Please return all Trophies to the Secretary before the show or inform her if you intend to return them to the show. Please do not disappoint the next winners by not returning Trophies.

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### **ATTENTION ALL JUNIOR HANDLERS**

#### **SOUTHERN AFGHAN HOUND CLUB JUNIOR HANDLING LEAGUE 2019**

To keep in touch with the early leaders your entry at every Sponsored show is vital. Places mean Points and Points wins the Titles and Trophies.

ENTRIES WILL BE TAKEN ON THE DAY OF THE SHOW

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#### **REMINDER TO ALL MEMBERS – YOUR SUBSCRIPTIONS FOR 2019**

**WERE DUE ON 1<sup>st</sup> JANUARY 2019**

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#### ***COMMITTEE MEMBERS WILL NOT EXHIBIT OR HANDLE AT THIS SHOW***

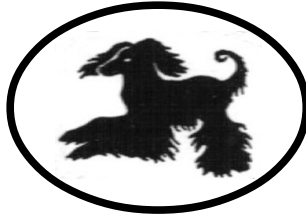
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**PLEASE NOTE:** CLUB BADGES and CAR STICKERS are available from the Club Secretary  
**THE SOUTHERN AFGHAN CLUB SHOP** will be open throughout the day.

IMPORTANT NOTICE when entering the show you are consenting your dog(s) being videoed and/or photographed by the show photographers and any images taken may be used to publicise the show and the Club. This also applies to children taking part in the show as Junior Handlers!

**IF YOU DO NOT GIVE PERMISSION, YOU *MUST* INFORM THE SHOW SECRETARY WITH YOUR ENTRY.**

# The Southern Afghan Club



SCHEDULE OF 24 CLASS UNBENCHD

## OPEN SHOW

(Held under Kennel Club Limited Rules and Regulations)  
at

**HICKSTEAD, ALL ENGLAND JUMPING COURSE  
WEST SUSSEX BN6 9HS**

on

**SUNDAY 1<sup>st</sup> SEPTEMBER 2019**

Show Opens 11.00 a.m.

Judging: Not before 11.30 a.m.

***Judge: TRACEY GOSLING***

The Judge 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

Chair: Mr. A. Ledger, 6 Lampits Hill Avenue, Corringham, Essex

Secretary: Mrs. L. Busby, Uplands, Alkham Road, Temple Ewell, Nr. Dover CT16 3EE

Tel: 01304 827765

Treasurer: Mr. C. Teggart, 2 Ireland Road, Ipswich, Suffolk IP3 0EJ

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**at [www.arenaprint.co.uk](http://www.arenaprint.co.uk)**

**ENTRIES AND FEES to the Secretary: Mrs. Lesley Busby**  
**Uplands, Alkham Road, Temple Ewell, Nr. Dover CT16 3EE**  
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**Email: [secretary@southernafghanclub.org.uk](mailto:secretary@southernafghanclub.org.uk)**

**CLASSIFICATION**  
***Judge: Tracey Gosling***

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| 1. Minor Puppy Dog                                   | 13. Minor Puppy Bitch                                   |
| 2. Puppy Dog   | 14. Puppy Bitch   |
| 3. Special Veteran Dog<br>(7 years & under 10 years) | 15. Special Veteran Bitch<br>(7 years & under 10 years) |
| 4. Special Veteran Dog<br>(10 years & over)          | 16. Special Veteran Bitch<br>(10 years & over)          |
| 5. Junior Dog  | 17. Junior Bitch  |
| 6. Yearling Dog                                      | 18. Yearling Bitch                                      |
| 7. Maiden Dog  | 19. Maiden Bitch  |
| 8. Novice Dog  | 20. Novice Bitch  |
| 9. Graduate Dog                                      | 21. Graduate Bitch                                      |
| 10. Post Graduate Dog                                | 22. Post Graduate Bitch                                 |
| 11. Limit Dog  | 23. Limit Bitch   |
| 12. Open Dog   | 24. Open Bitch  |

**BEST IN SHOW followed by BEST PUPPY IN SHOW  
will be judged after Class 24**

Junior Handling classes will be judged during the lunch break

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

1. These regulations must be observed when a dog is prepared for exhibition and/or exhibited at any Kennel Club licensed event. Objections may be referred to the Board for disciplinary action under these show regulations and/or for disciplinary action under Kennel Club Rule A42.
  - a) a dog found to have been exhibited in breach of these regulations will automatically be disqualified from exhibition at the show and from any award gained there at.
  - b) Unless the exhibitor provides a satisfactory explanation for the dog being exhibited in breach of these regulations then he/she may be subject to further penalties of either a fine or as listed under Rule A42
2. (a) No substance which alters the natural colour, texture or body of the coat may be present in the dog's coat for any purpose at any time during the show. No substance which alters the natural colour of any external part of the dog may be present on the dog for any purpose at any time during 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 or on any other part of the dog 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 except
  - (a) Operations certified to the satisfaction of the Board.
  - (b) the removal of dew claws of any breed
  - (c) Operations to prevent breeding provided that such operations are notified to the Kennel Club before neutered dogs are showNor must anything be done calculated to in the opinion of the Board to deceive
4. The Board 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 Kennel Club 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 an 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 and the individual must produce evidence of identity at the time of lodging the complaint.

## 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. 3<sup>rd</sup> August 2019. 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. (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 excepted to the Open 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 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 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 calendar months of age on the first day of the show.

**MAIDEN** For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate/CACIB/CAC/Green Stars 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/CACIB/CAC/Green Stars 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/CACIB/CAC/Green Stars or four or more First Prizes at Championship Shows in Graduate, Post Graduate, Minor Limit, Mid Limit, Limit or 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/CACIB/CAC/Green Stars or five 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.

**LIMIT** For dogs which have not become show Champions under the Kennel Club Regulations or under the rules of any governing body recognised by the Kennel Club, or won 3 or more CC/CACIB/CAC/Green Stars or won 7 or more First Prizes in all at Championship Shows in Limit or 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 breed for which the class is provided and eligible for entry at the Show.

**SPECIAL VETERAN (Classes 3 & 15)** For dogs of not less than seven years of age and under ten years of age on the first day of the Show.

**SPECIAL VETERAN (Classes 4 & 16)** For dogs of not less ten years of age on the first day of the Show.

**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.

**DOGS MUST BE REGISTERED WITH THEIR FULL DETAILS RECORDED ON THE ENTRY FORM**

## RULES & REGULATIONS

1. The Show will open at 11.00 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 not commence before 11.30 a.m. (after SEHC classes)
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. Entry Fees: Members First Entry £5.50 per dog, subsequent entries £1.50 with the same dog. Non-Members First Entry £6.50 per dog, subsequent entries £2.00 with the same dog. Not for Competition £2.00 per dog. Catalogues £2.00 prepaid (£2.50 on the day) Membership Fees £7 Single £7.50 Joint
6. There will be no prize money on offer at this show.
7. The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries.
8. Puppies under six calendar months of age on the first day of the show are not eligible for exhibition.
9. The mating of bitches within the precincts of the show is forbidden.
10. 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 respectively. Where 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 respectively. Consequently, selection of Best Puppy in Show must follow the selection of Best in Show respectively.
11. Best in Show Best in Show must be selected from the exhibits declared Best of Sex. If a Reserve Best in Show is to be selected, the eligible dogs are those declared Best Opposite Sex and the Reserve Best of Sex to the exhibit declared Best in Show.
12. 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.
13. Exhibitors must not pick up dogs by their tails and leads when lifting them nor handle a dog in a manner which causes its feet not touch the ground when on the move. 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.
14. All exhibitors must be familiar with Kennel Club Regulation F (Annex B) Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition.
15. 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.
16. 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 Board for disciplinary action under Kennel Club Rules and Regulations. The use of pinch collars, electronic shock collars, or prong collars, is not permitted at any show licensed by the Kennel Club. This shall apply at the venue or within the precincts of the show.
- Right to Refuse Entries. Exhibitors/Competitors are reminded that show societies have the right under Kennel Club Regulation to refuse any entry.
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18. 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.

19. No modifications will be made to this schedule except by permission of the Board of The Kennel Club, which will be followed by advertisement in the Canine Press wherever possible.
20. Should any judge be prevented from fulfilling their engagement, the Committee reserves to themselves the right of appointing other judges to fulfil their duties. Exhibitors are at liberty to withdraw from competition but no entry fees can be refunded.
21. Any owner, competitor or other person in charge of a dog is required to remove as soon as possible any fouling caused by their dog(s) at any Kennel Club licensed venue and within the environs of that event including car and caravan parks and approaches. Adequate receptacles for the disposal of such fouling will be provided.
22. The Committee will do its utmost to ensure the safety of the dogs brought for exhibition but it must be clearly understood by exhibitors and all other persons at the Show that the Committee will not be responsible for the loss or damage to any dogs or property, or personal injury whether arising from accident or any other cause whatsoever.
23. An announcement prior to the date of closing of entries in Our Dogs of any alteration or addition made by the Committee to the schedule or in these Rules shall be sufficient notice thereof.
24. All children must be kept under control and parents will be held responsible for any damage caused and charges incurred.
25. Please do not obstruct gangways with trolleys. Storage space will be made available for trolleys/ cages.
26. If in the opinion of the Show Secretary, Show Manager or Judge any dog is considered not in a fit state for exhibition owing to a disease, savage disposition, or any other cause, the dog may be excluded or removed from the show the dog must not be brought into the Show at any time under any circumstances. No animal other than an exhibit duly entered at the show will be allowed within the precincts of the show during its continuance.
27. The owner, exhibitor, handler or other person in charge of a dog at a Kennel Club licensed event 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. This regulation applies before (at any time during the set up period at the venue), during the event and afterwards (at any time during the breakdown of the event)
28. A dog may be disqualified by the Board 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 the appropriate entry fees.
29. Every exhibitor shall ensure that whilst the dog is being exhibited, its handler shall display the correct ring number.

#### Use of Electrical Equipment at Shows

The Kennel Club is becoming increasingly concerned at the amount of electrical equipment being used by exhibitors at shows, including hair dryers and hair straighteners and other grooming devices.

Electrical equipment should not be brought to shows unless absolutely necessary. In rare instances where it might be required, it should be PAT tested and permission sought from the secretary of the show before it is used.

The Kennel Club has also been informed of recent instances of exhibitors commandeering certain areas of a venue in order to have access to power points so as to use electrical grooming equipment. This is totally unacceptable and particularly unfair on the breeds whose allocated areas have been cramped because of this selfish behaviour.

#### Security at shows

In light of recent events the Kennel Club would like to issue a reminder to all Societies of the importance of security at dog shows.

The Kennel Club understands that due to the nature of dog shows and the quantity of paraphernalia exhibitors bring it would be extremely difficult for show organisers to take on the issue of security alone, therefore we would reiterate the advice being given by the Police and security services, that everyone in the UK should remain vigilant and this applies to those organising and taking part in dog shows.

The importance of exhibitors feeling that they and their dogs are safe when attending a show cannot be underestimated. We would therefore remind you of the importance of the need for show organisers and exhibitors to remain mindful of potential dangers and that all visitors generally need to be vigilant and alert.

Furthermore the society should provide robust notification informing exhibitors of where to report to should they see anything suspicious or of concern, and of the evacuation procedures in place.

**MOST IMPORTANT: USE THE EXERCISE AREA PROVIDED AND CLEAN UP AFTER YOUR DOG – PLEASE HELP US TO KEEP THIS VENUE CLEAN. Please do NOT exercise your hounds OFF THE LEAD around the precincts of the show.**

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The Afghan Judge at SEHC is Kerstin Holder

SEHC schedules are available to download at Fosse Data or from  
showsec\_southeasternhoundclub@outlook.com

**PLEASE SUPPORT BOTH CLUBS – THIS IS A WONDERFUL OPPORTUNITY  
FOR A VERY SPECIAL OPEN SHOW EXPERIENCE, IN A TOTALLY HOUND  
ENVIRONMENT!**

The South Eastern Hound Club show is famous for its 'Garden Party' atmosphere. Exhibitors from each breed bring along contributions to a buffet style lunch for their breed to help make a super day out for everyone.

**THE SAC WILL BE BRINGING SOME PICNIC FOOD AND INVITE EXHIBITORS TO BRING  
FOOD TO ADD TO THE TABLE.**

#### DIRECTIONS

Easy direct access from M25/M23/A23 north or A27 from the South

##### From the North

Travel south on the A23.

Pass the Burgess Hill/Hickstead Village turn off.

Take the next exit signposted the B2118 and bear right over the flyover.

Take the third exit off the roundabout.

The entrance to the showground is approximately 100 metres on the left.

##### From the South:

Leave the A23 at the junction marked B2117 Hurstpierpoint.

At the top of the junction turn left

After 200 metres turn right on the B2118. Follow the B2118 for approx 2.5 miles.

The entrance to the showground is approx 100 metres on the left after the third roundabout.

