

THE BULL TERRIER CLUB

SCHEDULE OF UNBENCHED SINGLE BREED OPEN SHOW

(Held under Kennel Club Ltd Rules & Regulations)

SUNDAY 21ST SEPTEMBER 2025

THE ROYAL COURT HOTEL, TAMWORTH ROAD, KERESLEY, COVENTRY. CV7 8JG

Judge KATE KELLY (SERENBULL)

VENUE OPENS 10.00am

JUDGING COMMENCES On completion of the BTC Championship Show but not before 12.30pm

ENTRIES AND FEES TO Acting Hon Show Manager Mrs T Fletcher 45 Rupert Street Lower Pilsley, CHESTERFIELD S45 8DB 207540313711 Email napierdogs@aol.com

POSTAL ENTRIES CLOSE: 8th SEPTEMBER 2025 (Postmark) ONLINE ENTRIES CLOSE: 13th SEPTEMBER 2025 (Midnight)

Enter Online at : <u>www.onlineshowentry.com</u>

JURISDICTION & RESPONSIBILITIES

The Officers and Committee members of the society holding the licence are deemed responsible for organising and conducting the show safely and in accordance with the Rules and Regulations of the Kennel Club and agree to abide by and adopt any decision of the Board or any authority to whom the Board may delegate its powers subject to the conditions of Regulation F17. In so doing those appointed as officers and committee members accept that they are jointly and severally responsible for the organisation of the show and that this is a binding undertaking (vide Kennel Club General Show Regulations F4 and 5).

Only undocked 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".

STATEMENT FROM THE COMMITTEE

THIS SHOW WAS ORIGINALLY SCHEDULED FOR SUNDAY 18TH MAY 2025

DUE TO THE POOR RESPONCE THE COMMITTEE DECIDED TO SUSPEND THE ENTRY FOR THE SHOW AND RESCHEDULE AND COMBINE IT WITH THE CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW

YOUR COMMITTEE DID NOT WISH TO LOSE THE OPPORTUNITY OFFERED TO OUR JUDGE TO GAIN VALUABLE EXPERIENCE IN THE RING.

WE HOPE YOU WILL SUPPORT THIS DECISION AND OUR JUDGE TODAY

THOSE WHO HAD PREVIOUSLY ENTERED THE MAY SHOW WILL BE CONTACTED TO REVIEW THEIR ENTRY

JUDGE KATE KELLY (Serenbull)

From a very young age, I was brought up with dogs – my parents bred and showed Lakeland / Jack Russell terriers and had many successes at working terrier shows.

Every day on the way to school, we would see a man walking his Bull Terrier and my Mam desperately wanted one, so we went to Crufts to look at the BT's and started learning about the breed and then my Mam bought our first Bull Terrier when I was 15 and that's where it all began.

We hadn't planned on showing but one weekend we attended the NEBTC and were encouraged to show our first BT Luna, fast forward a year we had shown all over the country and Luna was invited to the Sandawana trophy.

In partnership with my Mam and my sister (who is more behind the scenes) – Serenbull was born and we had bought our 2nd BT Bella, who would later become the foundation of Serenbull.

At 18, our first Serenbull litter was born and for the last 14 years Bull Terriers have consumed my life.

From the 4 litters we have had down from our foundation breeding, we have bred 3 Regent trophy invitees, 3 Sandawana trophy invitees, 2 Ormandy bitch jug invitees and 2 Ormandy dog jug invitees. As well as 5 stud book numbers, 5 CC's, 6 RCC's, represented the UK in a winning team at the International show in Holland and recently winning BOS at Crufts 2025.

I am really looking forward to judging at the upcoming Bull Terrier Club show and thank the committee for this opportunity.

Judge: Kate Kelly Serenbull Bull Terriers

THE BULL TERRIER CLUB

(FOUNDED (1887)

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THE CHALKING, POWDERING OR SPRAYING (WITH THE EXCEPTION OF WATER) OF EXHIBITS WITHIN THE PRECINCTS OF THE SHOW IS PROHIBITED

WELFARE OF DOGS

Anyone whose dog is entered at a Kennel Club licenced 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

CLASSIFICATION

Judge KATE KELLY (SERENBULL)

1	PUPPY DOG	7	PUPPY BITCH
2	JUNIOR DOG	8	JUNIOR BITCH
3	POST GRADUATE DOG	9	POST GRADUATE BITCH
4	LIMIT DOG	10	LIMIT BITCH
5	OPEN DOG	11	OPEN BITCH
6	VETERAN DOG	12	VETERAN BITCH

Rosettes & Mementos to Principal Winners

ENTRY FEES

MEMBERS £7.00 NON MEMBERS £10.00

Subsequent classes same dog £2.00 per Class Not For Competition £6.00

Prepaid Catalogues £3.00 --- £4.00 on day

DONATIONS towards the cost of rosettes will be gratefully received and acknowledged in the catalogue

Further information from

Acting Hon Show Manager Mrs Tracey Fletcher
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BULL TERRIER CLUB (UK) WELFARE TRUST

The Bull Terrier Club (UK) Welfare Trust covers the whole of the UK and is administered by the Managing Committee of the Welfare Trust. Their main objective is to look after Bull Terriers whose owners can no longer keep them and who would otherwise be put to sleep. It must be stressed that the owner should first seek help from the breeder and that together they should vigorously seek suitable new owners and homes. The Bull Terrier (UK) Welfare Trust is an emergency service and must never be used as an easy answer for any persons who should reasonably be expected to make satisfactory arrangements on their own behalf. Help is always needed with transport and/or kennel accommodation and in finding suitable homes

for animals that come into the scheme. All owners can help by thinking twice before allowing their bitches to be bred from or allowing their stud dogs to be used. When puppies are available, they should ensure that prospective owners are carefully vetted and that they as breeders provide a lifelong 'after sales' service to ensure that the dogs are cared for and enjoy good health.

Contact

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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 first closing date shall be counted when entering for any class

i.e. 1st SEPTEMBER 2025

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 Regulation 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

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.

POST GRADUATE: For dogs which have not a Challenge Certificates 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 the Kennel Club Regulations or under the rules of any governing body recognised by the Kennel Club, or won 3 or more 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 breeds for which the class is provided and eliqible for entry at the Show.

VETERAN: For dogs of not less than seven years of age on the first day of the Show

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.

DATE FOR THE DIARY

THE BULL TERRIER CLUB
TROPHY WEEKEND
28TH FEBRUARY / 1ST MARCH 2026
ROYAL COURT HOTEL

SHOW REGULATIONS

- 1. The Show will open at 9.30 am
- 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 on completion of the BTC Championship Show but not before 12.30pm
- 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 Fee Members £7.00 Non Members £10.00

Additional Classes With The Same Dog - Members/Non Members £2.00 NFC £6.00

Entries may be made online at www. onlineshowentry.com.

- 6. There is no prize money on offer at this show.
- 7. The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries.
- 8. Puppies under four 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. <u>Best Puppy in Show</u> 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. The selection of Best in Show may follow the selection of Best Puppy in Show and Best Veteran in Show (if scheduled) respectively. Where the Best in Show is a puppy it may, at the discretion of the judge, 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 may, at the discretion of the judge be Best Puppy in Show respectively.
- 11. <u>Best in Show</u> Best in Show must be selected from the exhibits declared Best of Sex but only if they have received a first prize in a class at the same show. 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. <u>Best Veteran in Show</u> The Best Veteran in Show is a dog which has competed and is unbeaten by any other Veteran exhibited at the same Show.
- 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 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.
- 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. 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't's 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 your 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 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 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.

- 18 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 The 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.
- 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 the schedule except by permission of the Board of the Kennel Club, which will be followed by advertisement in the Canine press wherever possible.
- 21 An exhibitor or competitor should ensure that contact details for any handler are available and must be provided upon request in any investigation of a breach of this regulation by such handler
- 22. Every exhibitor making an entry or entries at or for this Show shall be deemed to have agreed to abide by the Kennel Club Rules & Show Regulations and by these regulations and it is on this understanding only that entries are accepted.
- 23. The Club nor its Officers and Committee will not be responsible for any claim for injury or compensation or loss of property occasioned by or arising out of holding of the Show or by reason of act or default of any person in attendance or present there at.
- 24. Any owner exhibitor handler or 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 Show within the Licensed venue and within the environs of that event, including car parks and approaches. Any organisation holding a Kennel Club Licensed event is required to provide an adequate number of receptacles for the disposal of such fouling.
- 25. The Committee is empowered to exclude any dog which is not in a fit state for competition owing to disease savage disposition or any other case not in a fit state for exhibition and if such exclusion takes place before or after the dog is judges the entry fee will be forfeited K.C.Reg. 15.
- 26. The Committee reserve the right not to refund any entry or admission fees in the event of the Show not being held due to forces beyond their control
- 27. All exhibitors must be familiar with Kennel Club Regulation F (Annex B) Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition
- 28. If any Judge is unable to fulfil his/her engagement, the Committee reserve the right to appoint a replacement. In these circumstances, exhibitors may withdraw from competition but no entry fees will be returned.
- .Passes will not be sent. Please send a self-addressed stamped envelope if you require acknowledgement of your entry.
- 30. Parents / Guardians please note well behaved children are welcome, but those in charge of children will be held responsible for their actions. The Club will accept no responsibility for any damage caused within the environs of the Show.
- 31. 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.
- 32. 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. 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).
- 33. 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 appropriate entry fees.
- 34. Every exhibitor shall ensure that whilst the dog is being exhibited, its handler shall display the correct ring number.

Address withheld for publication

- Tick the box at the bottom of the entry form near your name and address on the front of the entry form if you DO NOT want your address to appear in the catalogue. Your name will still be printed above your dog's record as normal.
- 2. Your address is still needed for the sending out of schedules, so you still need to enter your address in the normal way

DISCLAIMER COMMERCIAL PRODUCTS ON SALE FOR USE IN THE PREPARATION OF DOGS FOR EXHIBITION.

The Kennel Club is concerned that an individual who purchases a product from a Trade Stand at a Kennel Club Licensed Show might assume, perhaps incorrectly, that the use of the product would not contravene Kennel Club Regulation f. The Committee of this Show can accept no responsibility for the products advertised or sold by stall holders at any Show, and remind exhibitors that grooming products on sale may not meet the requirements of the Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition.

REGULATIONS FOR THE PREPARATION OF DOGS FOR EXHIBITION F (Annex 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 General Committee for disciplinary action under these Show Regulations and/or for disciplinary action under Kennel Club Rule A 42.
- 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 thereat.
- 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 A 42.
- 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 General Committee.
- (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 shown.

Nor must anything be done calculated in the opinion of the General Committee to deceive.

- 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 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

The Officers & Committee of the BULL TERRIER CLUB do not accept responsibility for any product advertised or sold by Stall Holders and or Trade Stands at this Show. Exhibitors are reminded that products on sale by Trade Stands for the preparation & grooming of dogs may not meet the requirements for the Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition.

Right to Refuse Entries: Exhibitors/Competitors are reminded that show societies

have the right under Kennel Club Regulation to refuse any entry.

REMEDIAL ACTION WILL BE TAKEN IN THE EVENT OF DOGS LEFT IN CARS BEING FOUND IN A DISTRESSED CONDITION

IMPORTANT NOTICES

Parents are reminded that they are responsible for the actions and any damage caused by their children within the environs of the show.

As required by the Kennel Club may we remind all exhibitors that they are required to clear up any fouling caused by dog(s) in their charge.