

The Belgian Shepherd Dog Club of Ireland



GALA WEEKEND FOR THE BELGIAN SHEPHERD

Breed Speciality * Agility

Temperament Test * Herding Instinct Test

Saturday 29th September, 2018

Breed Championship Show

Compete for the Title of Club Champion

Judge: Emanuele Boriero (Italy)

Agility Show

FUN, GAMES AND SONG ON SATURDAY NIGHT

Sunday 30th September, 2018

Character Test

(depending on number this may take place after the club show on Saturday)

Agility Show

Herding Instinct Test

Venue

Forest Farm Caravan and Camping Park

Athy, Co Kildare

For B & B see <http://accommodationathy.com>

Camping available on site

€20 per night 2 adults Motorhome/Caravan

For price for tents please contact Forest Farm on ++353 (0) 5986 31231

**** CLUB CHAMPION TITLE ****

Awarded to the dog who wins Best in Show

**** CR Title - Club Recommended ****

Awarded to dogs who receive an Excellent grade at the Club Show, pass the Character Test (Social)

(subject to minimum health clearance - hips)

For more information contact Secretary Kelly Lawless

Email: revloch@gmail.com



Belgian Shepherd Dog Club of Ireland

OPEN AGILITY SHOW & EO 2019 Qualifier

(Subject to I.K.C. Licence)

at **Forest Farm, Athy, Co. Kildare**
on **Saturday 29th & Sunday 30th September 2018**

Each day Judge's briefing 9.00 am & Judging starts 9.30 am

JUDGE: Ms. Natalie Webb (U.K)

PRIZES: Rosettes 1st to 4th in all classes

SHOW SECRETARY: Nuala O'Brien, Coolmanagh, Hacketstown, Co. Carlow

Email: nulikimgtdanes@eircom.net

IKC GUARANTORS: Ms. N. O'Brien, Mr. P. Lawless, Mrs. J. Lawless, Mr. L. O'Brien

Entries Close: Monday 10th September 2018 (Postmark)

No Late Entries Please

EXHIBITORS PLEASE NOTE

1. Warm up jumps and exercise area may be available for competitors. No practice will be allowed on agility equipment in the competition ring prior to competition. Failure to comply with the rules and regulations of the show will lead to automatic disqualification.
2. The Committee reserves the right to refuse any entry.
3. Dogs under 18 months of age are not eligible to enter.
4. All wins prior to the day specified for the closing of entries shall be taken into account when entering any class.
5. It is the competitors' responsibility to be available for their class. ***It is the policy of this club to treat our appointed judge with consideration. Please attend promptly for your class or ensure you excuse yourself with the ring steward. There will be a running order for all classes.***
6. Bitches in season are not allowed on the show grounds.
7. The mating of bitches within the precinct of the showground is forbidden.
8. Dogs must be kept under proper control at all times.
9. Dogs must not wear any type of slip, half-slip collar or lead when under test. A flat, close fitting, leather or webbing collar is permitted, providing the only attachment is a plain identification panel as an integral part of the collar i.e. not attached by a ring.
10. Food shall not be given or carried in the ring.
11. Handlers will be permitted to walk the courses before judging commences.
12. Any article carried by the handler is subject to the judge's discretion, but must be indicated to the judge prior to commencement of the test.
13. **No e-mail entries will be accepted. Entries will only be accepted when received on official entry form (or photocopy) complete with correct payment.**
14. **Each dog's registration number or LTC number MUST be given on the entry form, otherwise the entry will be returned.**
15. All competitors must show respect for the judge. Training rounds will only be allowed if prior permission has been given by the judge.
16. BSD Club of Ireland will not be responsible for any loss or damage sustained through accidents by exhibits, exhibitors or other persons attending the show.
17. Exhibitors must clean up if their dogs foul the grounds. Suitable facilities will be provided for this.
18. The Committee reserves the right to appoint a substitute Judge if circumstances prevent an appointed Judge from fulfilling the appointment.
19. Height of Jumps – as per Irish Kennel Club Rules & Regulations.

Entry Fees:

Online entries at www.myagiledog.net

€5.00 per dog per class entered.

Entry first dog €15.00 - NOTE: Online fees are €1.50 extra (*To cover charges*)

Entry second dog €10.00

Unlimited entry 3+ dogs €35.00 (*Even if dogs are entered over separate days*)

Cheques made payable to Belgian Shepherd Dog Club of Ireland

AGILITY GRADING SYSTEM

Grade 1	For owners, handlers or dogs which have not gained a first place in an Agility Class or three first places in Jumping Classes at IKC licensed Agility Shows. <i>N.B. Owners, handlers or dogs previously qualified out of Grade 1 are not eligible for this class</i>
Grade 2	For owners, handlers or dogs which have qualified out of Grade 1 but have not gained a first place in an Agility Class or three first places in Jumping Classes at Grade 2 at IKC licensed Agility Shows, or elected to progress on points from Grade 1. <i>N.B. Owners, handlers or dogs previously qualified out of Grade 1 are not eligible for this class</i>
Grade 3	Open to dogs which are not eligible for Grade 1 or 2 or have elected to progress on points from Grade 2 at IKC licensed Agility Shows and dogs which are not eligible for Grade 4,5,6, or 7.
Grade 4	Open to dogs which have gained a first place in an Agility Class or three first places in Jumping Classes at Grade 3 or elected to progress on points from Grade 3 at IKC licensed Agility Shows and dogs which are not eligible for Grade 3, 5,6 or 7
Grade 5	Open to dogs which have gained a first place in an Agility Class or three first places in Jumping Classes at Grade 4 or elected to progress on points from Grade 4 at IKC licensed Agility Shows and dogs which are not eligible for Grade 3, 4, 6 or 7.
Grade 6	Open to dogs which have gained a first place in an Agility Class or three first places in Jumping Classes at Grade 5 or elected to progress on points from Grade 5 at IKC licensed Agility Shows and dogs which are not eligible for Grade 3, 4, 5, or 7.
Grade 7	Open to dogs which have gained a minimum of four first places at Grade 6 at IKC licensed Agility Shows. Two first places must be gained in Agility (not Jumping) Classes.

Dogs from Northern Ireland or the UK

Dogs that compete under KC Regulations should enter

The grade equivalent to the grade they work in their own country up to & including grade 6. All dogs MUST be registered with the Irish Kennel Club. Owners/Handlers must bring to the show their agility record books containing the officially recorded height of their dogs.

Agility Class for Saturday 29th September:

1. Grade 6 - 7 Agility – Large
2. Grade 6 - 7 Agility – Medium
3. Grade 6 - 7 Agility – Small
4. Grade 4 - 5 Agility – Large
5. Grade 4 - 5 Agility – Medium
6. Grade 4 - 5 Agility – Small
7. Grade 4 - 7 Agility – Large (*EO 2019 qualifier*)
8. Grade 4 - 7 Agility – Medium (*EO 2019 qualifier*)
9. Grade 4 - 7 Agility – Small (*EO 2019 qualifier*)
10. Grade 6 - 7 Jumping – Large
11. Grade 6 - 7 Jumping – Medium
12. Grade 6 - 7 Jumping – Small
13. Grade 4 - 5 Jumping – Large
14. Grade 4 - 5 Jumping – Medium
15. Grade 4 - 5 Jumping – Small

Agility Class for Sunday 30th September:

16. Grade 3 Agility – Large
17. Grade 3 Agility – Medium
18. Grade 3 Agility – Small
19. Grade 1 - 3 Agility – Large
20. Grade 1 - 3 Agility – Medium
21. Grade 1 - 3 Agility – Small
22. Grade 1 - 2 Agility – Large
23. Grade 1 - 2 Agility – Medium
24. Grade 1 - 2 Agility – Small
25. Grade 3 Jumping – Large
26. Grade 3 Jumping – Medium
27. Grade 3 Jumping – Small
28. Grade 1 - 2 Jumping – Large
29. Grade 1 - 2 Jumping – Medium
30. Grade 1 - 2 Jumping – Small

There will be a running order for all classes.



25-28 July 2019 The Netherlands

ABOUT THE European Open (EO)

The European Open is an Agility competition which is officially recognized by the FCI and is based on the FCI-Agility Regulations. The competition is OPEN to all dogs, pedigree & mixed pedigree dogs. All National Member Organizations of the FCI or National Organizations with a close relationship to the FCI are invited to participate in this event. For organizational purposes the number of competitors has to be limited to approximately 750 dogs. Of these a maximum of 50% may be in the category “Large”.

All competitors have to be citizens of the country which they represent, or they must have their main residence there. For all participating dogs a record book or a license has to be presented, issued by the sending National Member Organization of the FCI or a National Organization with a close relationship to the FCI. All dogs must be 24 months or older on the day of the competition. Each handler is allowed to compete with max of 4 dogs. All participating countries will receive an allocation of 32 dogs (max. 16 in Large). All these allocations are valid for both the Team and the Individual Event.

All Small and Medium dogs which were not yet measured at previous FCI World Championships or European Open will be measured at the EO 2019 to check the correct entry category.

Individual events - In the Individual qualification an Agility round and a Jumping round is run in all 3 height categories. Both rounds are scored separately for faults and time for all competitors. The EO Individual Final is an Agility round at A3 level (G6-G7 level)

Team events - Teams in all height categories consist of a minimum of 3 and a maximum of 4 handler and dog teams. Mixed Country Teams may also compete (one Team composed of members from different countries). In the Team Event one Agility round and one Jumping round will be run as qualification for the EO Team Final. The EO Team Final is a relay race.

IRISH TEAM SELECTION

This competition is open to all pedigree & mixed pedigree dogs & handlers from grade 5 - grade 7 (under IKC, KC rules or equivalent FCI grade). All dogs selected must have an IKC agility record book. All those wishing to be considered for selection to the Irish team 2019 should enter the qualifying classes as there will be 1 win on place available in each height category.

Once the team has been selected, each member will be encouraged to help with fundraising activities to help towards the cost of entries & team uniform etc.

**BELGIAN SHEPHERD DOG CLUB OF IRELAND
CHAMPIONSHIP AGILITY SHOW
SATURDAY 29th September 2018**

Class Nos. Breed:..... Reg. No:.....
 Name of Dog:..... Pet Name
 Date of Birth:..... Breeder:..... **Grade:**..... Sex.....
 Sire:.....
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ENTRIES CLOSE MONDAY 10th September 2018 (Postmark)

DECLARATION, UNDERTAKING AND AGREEMENT BY OWNER OR AGENT

1. I hereby declare that the dog/dogs entered by me as above are registered in my name with the Irish Kennel Club.
2. I hereby declare that the dog/dogs entered by me as above are not vicious, and are bona-fide my property, and I enter them subject to the rules of the Irish Kennel Club and the Regulations of the Show which appear in the schedule and which I have read.
3. I hereby undertake not to bring within the precincts of the show any dog which has (a) distemper or other communicable disease, unless it has been fully recovered for more than 30 days immediately prior to the show or (b) has been in contact with or in any kennel or establishment containing distemper or any other communicable disease during 30 days immediately prior to the show or (c) has been inoculated with distemper virus or displayed any reaction there from during the 30 days immediately prior to the show or (d) has been in contact during the 30 days immediately prior to the show with any dog which was previously inoculated with distemper within 30 days.
4. IN CONSIDERATION of my entry being accepted, I hereby agree (1) to indemnify the IKC Ltd and/or its Trustees or Officials in respect of any damage or loss from whatsoever source arising, caused by, or to any dogs exhibited by me while in the precincts of the Show and (2) that any decision given concerning me by the IKC Ltd or by any committee thereof in connection with any matter whatsoever arising through or at this Show shall be communicated by the Secretary of the IKC Ltd. To all whom it may concern, and that any such decision together with a report of the proceedings in the matter may also be published together with my name, address and description..
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6. I undertake to indemnify the promoters against any claims arising out of my participation as a competitor in the show.

DETAILS OF ENTRY FEES: WRITTEN SIGNATURE OF REG. OWNER:

PRINT BLOCK LETTERS PLEASE NAME:.....

Address:.....

Cheque Cash..... Postal Order..... TOTAL Date:.....

Phone:.....E-mail:

Can you help out at our show please? Please tick the jobs you could help with.....Thank you

Scrimming Lead runner Course building Call up Replacing poles Any of the above

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NOTICE: Parents/Guardians Please sign the form & return with your entry.

Parental/Guardian Consent For Junior/Child Handler Entries

I acknowledge and accept unreservedly that any child attending or otherwise participate at any event organised by, licensed by or otherwise under the auspices of, The Irish Kennel Club Ltd (IKC) remains the responsibility and in the care of their parent or guardian at all times

I consent to photographic/video/video images on the named child's participation in the licensed event organised by, licensed by or otherwise under the auspices of, the IKC being utilised for the promotion and celebration of IKC activities on the IKC website, IKC Facebook page and in local and national media.

I confirm (i) all details supplied are correct, (ii) I have read the document and (iii) I am entitled to give parental or guardian consent for the named child.

Signature of Parent / Legal Guardian:

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Name (Block Capitals):

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Address:

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Date:.....Telephone:.....Email:.....