

Durham County Show Strut Ya Mutt Nog Show 2023





The show is open to pedigree and non pedigree dogs All dogs must be 6 months of age and over. Pedigree dogs must be KC registered See the full rules for all T&C's Classes £5.00 Pedigree-non pedigree Fun classes £4.00 Mutts Got Talent £6.00.

Rosettes

1st-4th

Prizes Prizes doggy goody bags

Best In Show Hamper & Trophy

Pedigree Section - KC Registered Dogs only Judge TBC Classes (begin 10am)

- 1. Any Variety Puppy 6-9 months
- 2. Any Variety Junior 9-18 months
- 3. Open Gundog
- 4. Open Working Dog
- 5. Open Utility
- 6. Open Pastoral
- 7. Open Hound
- 8. Open Terrier
- 9. Open Toy
- 10. Any Variety Veteran (7 yrs & over)

1st prize winner in each class to compete for best in show

2023 Nog Show Sponsors PURE







Working Dogs - Judge TBC Terriers and Lurchers

Please make sure you read the rules on docked breeds

LURCHERS

DOGS MAY BE MEASURED AT THE JUDGE'S DISCRETION

- 11. Lurcher Puppy Smooth
- 12. Lurcher Puppy Rough
- 13. Smooth Dog under 23 inches
- 14. Smooth Bitch Under 23 inches
- 15. Rough Dog under 23 inches
- 16. Rough Bitch under 23 inches
- 17. Smooth Dog 23 Inches and over
- 18. Smooth Bitch 23 inches and over
- 19. Rough Dog 23 inches and over
- 20. Rough Bitch 23 inches and over
- 21. Pure Sighthound (eg Deerhounds, Saluki, Greyhound, Sloughies etc)
- 22. Any Veteran (7 YRS AND OVER)
- 23. Best matched pair of running dogs

Whippet

- 24. Whippet puppy
- 25. Whippet Dog
- 26. Whippet Bitch

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Fun Section

27. Any Rescue Dog28. Any Service Dog Retired or serving29. Best Fancy Dress30. Waggiest Tail

- 31. Any Dog handled by a child age 8-10 yo
- 32. Any Dog handled by a child age 12-14 yo
- 33. Any Dog handled by a disabled or special needs handler
- 34. Any dog with a disability

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Mutt's Got Talent

Class 35. Open to competitor combinations of handler and dog or multiple dogs. Combination to perform a routine to music between 5-10 minutes in length.

Costumes and light props are encouraged.

Points will be awarded for visual and creative displays.

The winner will receive the perpetual Durham County Show Muts got talent trophy A doggy goody bag to the value of £200

To Enter

Complete the Mutts got Talent section in the entry form



RULES & REGULATIONS

1. The Dog Show will start at 10am 2. 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 at 10.30 am PROMPT. 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: as per schedule (includes ONE ticket for entry). Parking Pass FREE with entry. Catalogues: £3.00 pre-paid with entry (none available on the day). Rosette Donations: Greatly appreciated and acknowledged in the catalogue. 6 Any prize money as per schedule 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 has been declared Best Puppy in Breed, Best Any Variety Not Separately Classified Puppy or Best Any Variety Imported Breed Register Puppy. A puppy is a dog of six and not exceeding twelve calendar months of age on the first day of the Show. 11. Best in Show: The dog declared Best in Show is a dog which has competed and has been declared Best of Breed/Section and beats all other first place winners. unbeaten. Reserve Best in Show must be selected from the remaining Group winners following the selection for 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 to touch the ground when on the move. This is not acceptable. Exhibitors should note that such practice would constitute harsh handling. All exhibitors must be familiar with Kennel Club Regulation F (Annex B) Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition. 15. 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 airconditioned 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. 16. Anyone whose dog is entered to the. Show must 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.. The use of pinch collars, electronic shock collars, or prong collars, is not permitted at this show 17. Not for Competition entries will not be accepted. 18. Any modifications made to this Schedule will be followed by notice on our web and social platforms wherever possible. 20. The use of chalks, powders or any other similar substances is prohibited within the precincts of the Show. 21. Cages, grooming tables and trolleys must not obstruct gangways and are not allowed at the ringside. 22. The Committee of this show cannot be held responsible for products advertised or sold by standholders at the show, and remind exhibitors that such products may not meet the requirements of the Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition. 23. Exhibitors/handlers are responsible for clearing up and removing any loose hair or fouling from dogs in their charge, or any other litter, whether from the car park, the exercise area or from any other part of the venue. 24. Parents/Guardians please note, well behaved children are welcome but those in charge of children will be held fully responsible for their actions and any damage caused within the environs of the show. 25. Owners, handlers, exhibitors or any other person in charge of a dog at this show event must ensure at all times that the dog is kept under proper control whilst at the licenced venue including its environs, car parks and approaches. 26. 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 registered or recorded as having been bred by the selected judge. This shall not apply to a judge appointed in an emergency. 27. Animals Allowed in Show. No animal other than an exhibit shall be brought into the precincts of the Show during its continuance, except a registered guide dog for the blind or hearing dog for the deaf, or dogs required for educational or instructional purposes or by permission of the committee. 28. No dog shall be allowed in the judging ring other than those competing in the class being judged. 29. Every person attending this Show must agree to compensate and/or indemnify the Society for any loss or damage to any property or building within the Showground which are owned, hired, leased or borrowed by the Society caused with or without negligence by any person under the age of 18 years who is brought to the Show or for whom they are responsible. 30. Should any question arise not provided for in these Rules and Regulations the decision of the Committee shall be final 32. Each exhibitor is responsible for providing their own crate or cage identification (if crating). 33. Dogs entered in breach of Show Regulations are liable to disgualification whether or not the owner was aware of the breach. 34. Children under the age of 12 are the responsibility of and must be accompanied at all times by a Parent or Guardian. DOCKED BREEDS

Owing to the law on Showing of dogs with docked tails we cannot offer classes for terriers with docked tails.

The law on showing docked dogs in England

A dog whose tail has been wholly or partly removed before 6 April 2007 may continue to be shown at all shows in England for the remainder of its natural life.

A dog whose tail has been wholly or partly removed on or after 6 April 2007 may not be shown at any shows in England where the public are charged a fee for admission, irrespective of where the procedure took place. However a dog whose tail has been wholly or partly removed legally may be shown at an event where the public are charged a fee but only for the purpose of demonstrating its working ability and not for the conformity to a standard.

The management will ensure to the best of its ability that the event is run to Covid Safe guidelines. It is your responsibility to ensure you comply with national and local restrictions including advice given about non-essential travel in and out of locally affected regions (which must not be ignored) – in the interests of the safety of all participants this may give rise to a short notice refusal of entry at the shows discretion. If a competitor, or anyone in their household, has Covid-19 related symptoms or has tested positive for Covid-19 they must isolate in line with Government advice - https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/self-isolation-and-treatment/ when-to-self-isolate-and-what-to-do/ **THE COMPETITOR MUST NOT ATTEND THE EVENT**

COVID 19 REGULATIONS

This Show will be held in line with Government guidelines in place at the time of the show. The designated COVID-19 Safety Officer will be onsite. By entering the show, you agree to abide by the rules set out below. Anyone not abiding by the rules will be asked to leave. Entry details will be shared, if requested, as part of Track and Trace. If any exhibitor, or anyone in their household, has COVID-19 related symptoms or has tested positive for COVID -19 in the past month, they must NOT attend the venue/event. ON THE DAY

1. The show is held at an outdoor venue. Please dress appropriately for weather the conditions.

2. No chairs will be provided so please bring your own.

3. PARKING Cars will be directed to allocated area. We ask exhibitors to park where asked and sensibly observe social distancing rules.

4. It is hoped we will have catering on site as usual.

5. Paper entries will not be accepted.

6. Please be reminded that the Committee have worked hard to be able to put this event on for you. Due to the current pandemic, the event will be managed to ensure the safety of everyone involved. Please follow all instructions you are given.

7. Face coverings are to be worn at all times whilst in the ring (unless a medical exemption ID is shown). The judge and stewards will also wear face masks while judging is being carried out.unless guidance changes by show day

8. The judge will sanitise hands after assessing each dog. The handler will show the dogs teeth to the judge.

9. Toilets are provided by the venue, please keep these clean and adhere to one person use at all times. The toilets will be inspected to ensure plenty of hand spray sanitiser, soap and water is available. Disinfectant spray will be available in each toilet, please use on toilet seat and door handle after use. ON ENTERING THIS SHOW, YOU ARE AGREEING TO ABIDE BY THE ABOVE CONDITIONS AND DO SO AT YOUR OWN RISK. ANYONE NOT ABIDING BY THESE RULES WILL BE ASKED TO LEAVE.

INFORMATION AND NOTICES FOR EXHIBITORS EXHIBITS:

Dogs are to be kept on a lead at all times.

TICKETS - Entry to the dog show, we allow 1 free ticket when making 2 or more entries

LITTER: Please do not leave litter around the venue, use the litter bins provided.

FOULING & GROOMING WASTE: Anyone in charge of a dog is required to remove immediately any fouling or grooming waste caused by the dog at this Show Venue, car parks and approaches. An adequate number of receptacles for the disposal of such waste will be provided.

CAGES: THERE WILL BE NO UNDERCOVER CAGE AREA. PLEASE USE THE AREAS PROVIDED.

Each exhibitor is responsible for providing their own crate or cage identification Reminder to all exhibitors regarding KC reg. All cages must be clearly marked with the exhibitors ring number and mobile phone number. The show will not be providing extra numbers for this purpose.

CHILDREN: It is the responsibility of parents to control their children at this Show, both inside & outside of the venue. Failure to comply will result in expulsion from the venue, liability for damages

CHAIRS: No seats are available - please bring your own chairs

STRICTLY NO TENTS OR GAZEBOS • Tents and gazebos are NOT permitted at this show. A large umbrella or parasol is permitted. You should also have some form of third party insurance on your umbrella/parasol whilst it is erected at the show as you are solely responsible for any injury or damage that may arise from the use of such an ite



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Durham County Show 2023 Dog Show Entry Form

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Class no	Handled By	Dogs Name	Dogs Age/Sex	For Mutts got talent do you require music

For mutts got talent acts should be short and fun. If you require music indicate this on entry with the format you require, we will try to accommodate

Signed

It is a condition of entry that you read our rules and terms of entry listed in the schedule. All dogs must be fully vaccinated and kept on a lead at all times.

RETURN YOUR ENTRY FORM by email to durhamcountyshow@outlook.com

1 free gate ticket sent with 2 or more entries

Entry Form

Complete the form and return it to durhamcountyshow@outlook.com