

Schedule
IRISH WOLFHOUND
SOCIETY OF IRELAND



Breed Championship Show
Sunday 21st July 2019

At

Bellewstown Racecourse
Bellewstown, Co Meath

Judge

Mr. Davor Marijanovic (Slovenia)

Entries Close 1st July 2019 (Postmark)

Enter online at www.dogshowentry.ie

Online closes at midnight on the 8th July 2019

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Presidents Address

On behalf of the Irish Wolfhound Society of Ireland I would like to welcome you all to our show. Thank you to everyone for your continued support over the years

I would like to welcome our judge 2019 Mr. Davor Marijanovic from Slovenia. We are delighted that he agreed to judge our Hounds.

As in previous year we will have special classes which we hope you will all enjoy. We are looking forward to meeting you on the 21nd July 2019 and most importantly you will really enjoy your day.

Looking forward to seeing you at Bellewstown Racecourse!

Best Wishes

Anne O'Keefe

Our Judge Mr. Davor Marijanovic

My friends and acquaintances know me as Captain because of my profession. I have been an airline captain for more than 35 years and I still love my job and airplanes passionately.

However, since my early childhood, long before I looked up in the sky and saw an airplane, I fell in love with dogs. My whole family, especially my father, adored dogs. I even started walking with the help of our German Shepherd and I have been enthusiastic about dogs and deeply devoted to them ever since. Anyway, I really started studying cynology when I got my first Irish Wolfhound from Great Britain that became the Vice World Champion in Vienna. In the late 90s I also started breeding Irish Wolfhounds and I registered my own Cudama Kennel.

It was in 1993 when I became a cofounder of The Slovenian Club for Sight-hounds as well as its president for 9 consecutive years and I have also been an active member in the club for 25 years now. I have been a Board Member of European Federation for Irish Wolfhound Clubs, which was last year renamed into The World Federation for Irish Wolfhound Clubs.

I started being active as a judge relatively late because of my unpredictable flight schedules, however I have had a licence to judge Irish Wolfhounds, Greyhounds and Whippets for 4 years now. I have also passed additional training for judging Irish Wolfhounds within the FIWC which also recommends me as suitable for judging this breed for FCI as well as for association members from the KC and the AKC.

1. Jurisdiction: The show will be held under the license and rules of the Irish Kennel Club.
 2. Registration: All dogs entered for competition, or otherwise must be registered at the Irish Kennel Club
 3. Rosettes will be given to 1st, 2nd, 3rd and Reserve in each class. Cups and trophies will be presented to paid up members of the Irish Wolfhound Society of Ireland only and are offered under Society rules.
 4. Exhibits: each Exhibitor should be responsible for keeping their exhibits under proper control at all times.
 5. Judge: Judging will commence at 11am sharp. In the event of the appointed judge failing to keep his/her engagement the committee shall have the right to appoint another judge.
 6. Interpretation; All disputes shall be dealt with by the committee. Parties to such dispute have the right to appeal to the Irish Kennel Club.
 7. Accident or Damage: The Society shall not be responsible for any loss or damage sustained through accidents by exhibits, exhibitors or other persons attending the show.
 8. Veterinary Examination: The Veterinary surgeon in attendance will have the power to exclude any exhibit which, in his opinion, is not fit for exhibition on account of disease, vice, lice or other causes.
 9. Entries: The committee reserves the right to reject any entry.
 10. Entry fees: € 20.00 (£20.00) for the first dog, €10.00 (£10.00) for each additional dog to a maximum of €40.00 (£40.00). Junior Handling € 5.00 (£5.00), Specials € 3.00 (£3.00). No entry will be accepted without the appropriate entry fee.
 11. Entries close on the 1st July 2019 (postmark). Entry forms must be completed in ink. Details of entries and appropriate fees to be sent to the Show Secretary Heidi Bolte -Charles, Gilbertstown, Castlepollard, Co. Westmeath, email secretary-ivsoi@gmail.com.
Online entries close at midnight on the 8th July 2019 online at www.dogshowentry.ie
1. Catalogues will be available on the day. The catalogue will be compiled from the entry forms submitted. While every effort will be made to correctly interpret the form, the committee cannot accept responsibility for mistakes therein
 2. Carpark: Catalogue and car parking will be € 5.00 together paid with your entry or on the day.
 3. Videos/Photos: please be aware that there will be a video compiled and /or photo taken of the show and by entering the show you agree to your photo/video taken.
 4. Children: Any child attending to exhibit or otherwise participate at the show remains the responsibility and in the care of their parent or guardian at all times.

Directions to the Venue

Access to Bellwestown Racecourse is via the M1 Motorway, exiting at Julianstown/Drogheda South.

Follow local signs for Bellewstown Racecourse. It is located 37 km from Dublin City Centre and 11 km south of Drogheda.

Irish Kennel Club Sportsmen

Sportsmen respect the history, traditions and integrity of the sport of purebred dogs.

Sportsmen commit themselves to values of fair play, honesty, courtesy, and vigorous competition, as well as winning and losing with grace.

Sportsmen refuse to compromise their commitment and obligation to the sport of purebred dogs by injecting personal advantage or consideration into their decisions or behaviour.

The sportsman judge judges only on the merits of the dogs and considers no other factors.

The sportsman judge or exhibitor accepts constructive criticism.

The sportsman exhibitor declines to enter or exhibit under a judge where it might reasonably appear that the judge's placements could be based on something other than the merits of the dogs.

The sportsman exhibitor refuses to compromise the impartiality of a judge.

The sportsman respects the Irish Kennel Clubs bye-laws, rules, regulations and policies governing the sport of purebred dogs.

Sportsmen find that vigorous competition and civility are not inconsistent and are able to appreciate the merit of their competition and the effort of competitors.

Sportsmen welcome, encourage and support newcomers to the sport.

Sportsmen will deal fairly with all those who trade with them.

Sportsmen are willing to share honest and open appraisals of both the strengths and weaknesses of their breeding stock.

Sportsmen spurn any opportunity to take personal advantage of positions offered or bestowed upon them.

Sportsmen always consider as paramount the welfare of their dog.

Sportsmen refuse to embarrass the sport, the Irish Kennel Club, or themselves while taking part in the sport.

Note: The term sportsman and sportsmen in this context is gender neutral.

Parental/Guardian Consent For Junior/Child Handler Entries

I acknowledge and accept unreservedly that any child attending to exhibit 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 images of the named child's participation in licenced events 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 this document, and (iii) I am entitled to give either parental or guardian consent for the named child.

Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian:

Signature:-

Name (Block Capitals):-

Address:-

Date:- / /20..... Tel:-

Email:-.....

www.DogShowEntry.co

Class Definitions

Baby Puppy Class is for dogs over the age of four months and under the age of six months on the day of the show computed from and inclusive of the day of its birth.

Puppy Class is for dogs over the age of six months and under the age of twelve months on the day of the show computed from and inclusive of the day of its birth.

Junior Class is for dogs between nine and eighteen months of age of six months on the day of the show computed from and inclusive of the day of its birth.

Intermediate Class is for dogs between the age of 15 and 24 months on the day of the show computed from and inclusive of the day of its birth.

Adult Class is for dogs between the age of 24 and 36 months on the day of the show computed from and inclusive of the day of its birth.

Open Class is for dogs over the age of 15 months of age on the day of the show computed from and inclusive of the day of its birth.

Champion Class is for dogs who have gained the title of Champion under Irish Kennel Club rules or under a recognised Kennel Authority confirmed by the closing date of entries.

Veteran Class is for dogs over eight years of age on the day of the show computed from and inclusive of the day of its birth.

N.B.: The word dog includes both sexes.

A dog or bitch may be entered in ONE BREED CLASS ONLY (no double entries)

Food and beverages will be available on the day

CLASSIFICATION

DOGS: Baby Puppy Puppy Junior Intermediate Adult Open Champion Veteran
BITCHES: Baby Puppy Puppy Junior Intermediate Adult Open Champion Veteran

Stakes Classes

Brace Stakes, Team Stakes.

Entry Fee €5 per class

These classes will be judged after Best In Show.

Junior Handling

(10yrs to 13yrs), (14yrs to 17yrs)

Junior Handling will be judged at 11.00am

Entry Fee €5.00

Specials

Best Head & Expression, Best Movement, Tallest Dog, Tallest Bitch,
Best First Time Exhibitor, Best Stud Dog, Best Brood Bitch, Best Handler.
Best Altered Male /Female, Best Presented Dog on the Day
to be entered on the day of show. Entry Fee €3 per class

Rosettes will be awarded in each class for 1st, 2nd, 3rd and Reserve.

Best In Show, Reserve Best In Show

Best Baby Puppy, Best Puppy, Reserve Best Puppy,

Best Junior, Best Intermediate, Best Adult, Best Open,

Best Champion, Best Veteran,

Green Star Dog, Reserve Green Star Dog,

Green Star Bitch, Reserve Green Star Bitch.

A full list of the trophies available exclusively to members of the Irish Wolfhound Society of Ireland will be printed in the catalogue. These trophies are to remain on the island of Ireland.

Willing hands and volunteers are always needed and greatly appreciated. If you can spare a couple of hours on the day or on the day before, we would be so grateful. Let us know if you can help to make our special day a success! Thanks a million

For the latest IWSOI information including great deals on accommodation and ferry travel, please visit our website

www.iwsoi.com or our facebook page [The-Irish-Wolfhound-Society-of-Ireland](#)

Membership Renewal

On the behalf of the committee THANK YOU for your support and continuing participation.

Our focus is this magnificent breed in its entirety: showing, breeding, lure coursing, fun days, get-togethers and walks in various parts of the country.

We provide for all Irish Wolfhound lovers throughout the island of Ireland, both show dogs and pets. Most importantly we want to make people aware of health issues and correct diet.

With Your help we have had many fun days and meetings. With Your help, we have had many well attended coursing events. With Your help, we have maintained perhaps the busiest, well read and informative website and facebook page in Ireland. With Your help we will continue to develop the Society throughout this year and beyond.

We are proud of what we achieved and we could have not done it without you! Please continue to support the Irish Wolfhound Society of Ireland and renew your membership for the coming year or join us!



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