

NATIONAL OBEDIENCE CLASS FINALS

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SCHEDULE OF 2018 EVENT

(Based on Kennel Club Rules & Regulations G and licensed by the Kennel Club Limited)

At
The Kennel Club Building, Stoneleigh CV8 2LG

On
Saturday 27th October 2018

SHOW WILL OPEN AT: 8 am

JUDGING WILL COMMENCE AT: 9 am

THE SHOW WILL CLOSE HALF AN HOUR AFTER ALL JUDGING HAS BEEN COMPLETED

ENTRY FEES:

£18.00

FOR FIRST DOG (ENTRY IN ADVANCE ONLY)

£15.00

FOR SUBSEQUENT DOGS IN SAME OWNERSHIP

Entry fee includes one admission pass for each handler, plus ONE additional spectator's pass

SPECTATORS: £5.00 EACH (MAY BE PAID ON THE DOOR)

SECRETARY – Rhia Mulrenan, Grasmere, Findon Road, Findon, BN14 0RD

TREASURER – Fran Bush, 7 The Riddens, Tismans Common, Rudgwick, RH12 3DR

CHIEF STEWARD: Dave Banks

ENTRIES OPEN: 15th September 2018

ENTRIES CLOSE: 1st OCTOBER 2018

ENTRIES TO BE MADE TO:

Rhia Mulrenan, Grasmere, Findon Road, Findon, West Sussex BN14 0RD,
obedienceshowprinting@gmail.com

(cheques must be made payable to National Obedience Class Finals).

Or online via With Your Dog

Dogs may only be entered in the highest classes for which they are qualified at this show

RULES AND REGULATIONS

These rules and regulations are to be read in conjunction with the Kennel Club Obedience Show Regulations G under which this show is licensed. It is the responsibility of everyone entering this show to make themselves familiar with the Kennel Club G Regulations, available from the Kennel Club.

1. Dogs entered at Kennel Club licensed Obedience Shows must be registered at the Kennel Club in accordance with Kennel Club Regulations for Classification and Registration B.
2. All dogs registered and 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.
3. Only dogs of six calendar months of age and over are eligible for competition at Kennel Club licensed Obedience Shows.
4. A dog must not compete in the same class more than once, including special classes.
5. Not for competition entries will be accepted for dogs aged four calendar months and over. Dogs must be Kennel Club registered with their full details recorded on the entry form.
6. Entries to this show may be made online via With Your Dog.
7. Running orders will be available on line (<http://www.nocf.co.uk> and <http://www.obedienceuk.net>) and along with entry tickets, will be sent by e-mail to all competitors.
8. The organisers reserve to themselves the right to refuse entries.
9. In the event that the show is cancelled due to unforeseen circumstances, the society will refund fees, less reasonably incurred expenses. If the show processor has the provisions to do so, competitors will be refunded in the manner in which they had entered the show, but in any event the society will refund fees within 3 months of the show date to all those who had entered and requested a refund within 1 month of the show date.
10. Dogs will be received until one hour after the commencement of judging (10 am) after which no dogs may be received except under unforeseen and exceptional circumstances and by special permission of the Show Management. It is the exhibitors' responsibility to ensure that exhibits are available for judging when required.
11. Timed stays will **NOT** take place at this show.
12. For the duration of the show all dogs, including those in the exercise area, must be on a lead except when competing or practising prior to competition.
13. The mating of bitches within the precincts of the competition is forbidden.
14. Animals allowed in Event
No animal other than one officially entered shall be brought into the precincts of the event during its continuance, except any dogs registered to assist the disabled, or dogs required for educational or instructional purposes or by permission of the organisers.
15. Following discussion between the Chief Steward and the show management and/or a veterinary surgeon, a dog shall be prevented from competing and/or removed from the Show if it is:-
 - a. A bitch which is in season.
 - b. Suffering from any infectious or contagious disease.
 - c. Interfering with the safety or chance of winning of an opponent.
 - d. Of such temperament or is so much out of control as to be a danger to the safety of any person or other animal.
 - e. Likely to cause suffering to the dog if it continues competing.The circumstances of such a removal shall be recorded in the show Incident Book and submitted to the Kennel Club.
16. Dogs will be disqualified if proved to have been handled in the class by the scheduled judge's spouse or immediate family, or resident at the same address as the scheduled judge.
17. No person shall carry out punitive correction or harsh handling of a dog at any time within the boundaries of the Show.
18. No competitor shall impugn the decision of the Judge or Judges.
19. Should a judge be unable to fulfil the appointment to judge, the Committee reserves the right to appoint another judge.
20. Should circumstances so dictate the Society, in consultation with the judges, may alter arrangements as necessary. Such changes and the circumstances surrounding them will be reported to the Kennel Club.
21. There is no prize money on offer at this show.

22. We are grateful to the following organisations for their sponsorship of this event:

PetNeeds

AintMisbehavin Clothing

Dog Training Weekly

Norton Rosettes

The Howl Emporium

Arden Grange

ObedienceUK

23. DOGS IN VEHICLES ON HOT DAYS

Your dog is vulnerable and AT RISK if left in a vehicle in high temperatures and even on days considered as slightly warm. Please take care of your dog. If your dog is found to be at risk forcible entry to your vehicle may be necessary without liability for any damage caused.

24. Welfare of Dogs

A competitor 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 knowingly put their dogs' health and welfare at risk by any action, default, omission or otherwise. A breach of this Regulation 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 Obedience show licensed by the Kennel Club. This shall apply at the venue and within the precincts of the show.

25. Food and/or toys shall not be carried or given to a dog under test. Competitors must not distract other dogs when rewarding their dog with food, toy or play. (Refer to Obedience Code of Conduct)

26. Any wins at the National Obedience Class Finals will not count towards normal class progression at Open or Championship Obedience shows.

27. Class exercises will be as per the current KC Rules (G Regulations) in force as at 27th October 2018.

ADDITIONAL RULES

28. Handlers who have won a Championship Obedience Class during the qualifying period are not able to compete at this show with any dog

29. Dogs may only be entered in the highest classes for which they are qualified at this show

30. There will be a full running order in every class, and this will be notified to all competitors ahead of the event. It is the competitor's responsibility to check their email for documentation and tickets ahead of the event.

31. If you are in any doubt as to your eligibility, please contact us by email on nocf@btinternet.com

	CLASS	CLASSIFICATION	JUDGE
1.	THE AINTMISBEHAVIN' PRE-BEGINNER CLASS FINAL		Maurice Yates
2.	THE DOG TRAINING WEEKLY BEGINNER CLASS FINAL		Ruth Britton
3.	THE NORTON ROSETTES NOVICE CLASS FINAL		Lyn Collins
4.	THE HOWL EMPORIUM CLASS 'A' FINAL		Serena Behagg
5.	THE ARDEN GRANGE CLASS 'B' FINAL		Keith Wall
6.	THE OBEDIENCEUK CLASS 'C' FINAL		Sandra Curry

DEFINITIONS OF CLASSES

1. Handlers who have won a Championship Obedience Class during the qualifying period are **not** able to compete at this show with **any dog**.
2. The qualifying period for entries is 3rd October 2017 – 30th September 2018
3. In the following Definitions of Classes places in Limited Show Obedience Classes and Open Shows confined to one breed do not count for qualification.
4. A dog must only be entered in the **highest** scheduled class for which it has qualified
5. Along with your entry, please provide full details of your dog's qualifying points, so that these can be verified to confirm your place in the class

PRE-BEGINNERS	To compete in Pre-Beginners a dog must have gained a minimum of 10 points in PreBeginner classes during the qualifying period, and must not have qualified in any higher class
BEGINNERS	To compete in Beginners a dog must have gained a minimum of 12 points in Beginners classes during the qualifying period, and must not have qualified in any higher class
NOVICE	To compete in Novice a dog must have gained a minimum of 20 points in Novice classes during the qualifying period, and must not have qualified in any higher class
CLASS A	To compete in 'A' a dog must have gained a minimum of 20 points in 'A' classes during the qualifying period, and must not have qualified in any higher class
CLASS B	To compete in 'B' a dog must have gained a minimum of 20 points in 'B' classes during the qualifying period, and must not have qualified in any higher class
CLASS C	To compete in 'C' a dog must have gained a minimum of 15 points in 'C' classes during the qualifying period

Prize Cards and Rosettes to Tenth Place

Trophies awarded to all Class Winners and Reserves

DIRECTIONS TO THE VENUE

Depending on your SatNav, one of the following postcodes may bring you directly to the venue – CV8 2LZ or CV8 2LG

Held at The Kennel Club Building, NAEC, Stoneleigh

Once nearby, on the A46, **follow the signs to Stoneleigh Park Main Entrance or NAC on the B4113.**

Do not approach via Stoneleigh Abbey, as it is a no through road!

<i>National Obedience Class Finals</i> Held Under Special Events Licence from The Kennel Club Ltd at The Kennel Club Building, Stoneleigh, on 27TH October 2018 Doors open 8:00 am Judging commences 9:00 am	ENTRIES CLOSE: 01/10/2018 (postmark) Please use separate forms for each owner/partnership	ENTRIES : Entries @ £18.00 per dog per class £ Entries @ £15.00 per dog per class £ Spectators @ £5.00 each £ TOTAL £ Please make cheques and postal orders payable to: “National Obedience Class Finals” (On no account will entries be accepted without fees)
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PLEASE BE AWARE THAT THERE WILL BE A FULL RUNNING ORDER IN EVERY CLASS, AND THIS WILL BE NOTIFIED TO ALL COMPETITORS AHEAD OF THE EVENT					
REGISTERED NAME OF DOG (BLOCK LETTERS) Followed by K.C. No.	BREED	SEX	Full Date Of Birth	To be entered in Class	QUALIFYING PLACES OBTAINED
KC Reg/ATC:					PLEASE COMPLETE ONE COPY OF THE ADDITIONAL FORM FOR EACH DOG
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<p style="text-align: center;">DECLARATION</p> <p>I agree to submit and be bound by the Kennel Club Rules & Regulations in their present form or as they may be amended from time to time in relation to all canine matters with which the Kennel Club is concerned and that this entry is made upon the basis that all current single or joint registered owners of this dog(s) have authorised/consented to this entry. I also undertake to abide by the Regulations of this Show and not to bring to the Show any dog which has contracted or been knowingly exposed to any infectious or contagious disease during the 21 days prior to the Show, or which is suffering from a visible condition which adversely affects its health or welfare. I further declare that I believe to the best of my knowledge that the dogs are not liable to disqualification under Kennel Club Show Regulations.</p> <p>Usual Signature of Owner Date</p> <p>NOTE : Dogs entered in breach of Kennel Club Show Regulations are liable to disqualification whether or not the owner was aware of the breach.</p>	<p>Name of Owner</p> <p>Address</p> <p>Phone.....</p> <p>Email</p>
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Entries and fees (which MUST be prepaid) to: National Obedience Class Finals C/O Grasmere, Findon Road, Findon, West Sussex BN14 0RD

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SATURDAY 27TH OCTOBER 2018

NAME OF DOG	
NAME OF HANDLER Please provide <u>handler's</u> name, not owner	
TO BE ENTERED IN CLASS	

Number	Name and Date of Show	Class	Place	Points	Cumulative Points
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