



BASSET GRIFFON VENDEEN CLUB

SCHEDULE OF UNBENCHED SUB-GROUP OPEN SHOW

(held under Kennel Club Limited Rules and Show Regulations)

ROADE VILLAGE HALL, BAILEY BROOKS
LANE, ROADE, NORTHANTS NN7 2LS
SATURDAY, 4 APRIL 2020



Show opens 8.30am Judging 11.00am (after AGM)

Judges

Basset Griffon Vendéen (Grand) - Mrs Ann Makey (Gairside)
Basset Griffon Vendéen (Petit) – Mrs Kim Culyer-Dawson (Culdaws)
Best in Show & Junior Handling – Mrs Rose Phillips (Haliston)

Health & Safety Manager/Show Manager: Mrs Joan Robertson

Show Secretary: Mr Colin Makey (01469 540260)

***Jurisdiction and 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).*

Veterinary Surgeon on call:

Towcester Veterinary Centre, Burcote Road in Towcester, NN12 6JW
Tel. 01327 350239

(All costs incurred to be paid by the owner/exhibitor at time of treatment)

**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”.**

Entries close: Monday 9 MARCH 2020 (proof of posting)

Postal entries and fees to be sent to the Club Secretary: Mrs Linda Skerritt
Sharnden, Fourth Avenue, Stanford-le-Hope, Essex SS17 8HN
Tel 01375 673922

Only undocked dogs and legally docked dogs may be entered for exhibition at this show

OFFICERS AND COMMITTEE OF THE BASSET GRIFFON VENDÉEN CLUB

President	Prof. Peter Bedford	Vice President	Mr Gavin Robertson
Chairman	Mr Paul Osbourne	Vice Chairman	Mr Peter Marks
Secretary	Mrs Linda Skerritt	Treasurer	Mr Colin Makey

Committee: Mesdames Claire Cooper, Kim Culyer-Dawson, Geraldine Dodd, Sue Marshall, Kathryn Moulding, Joan Robertson, Lynn Wood Messrs Martin Bishop, Peter Marks, Michael MacLaren

ENTRY FEES:	Members	1 st entry per dog £5.50
	Non-members	1 st entry per dog £6.50
	All second & subsequent classes	£2.50 per dog
	Junior Handling	£2.00
	Baby Puppy Walk	£1.00
	Not for Competition	£1.00
	Catalogue	£2.50 pre-paid, £3.00 on the day

(FREE if 5 or more dogs entered for competition)

Cheques and postal orders payable to **BASSET GRIFFON VENDÉEN CLUB**, alternatively contact Secretary Linda Skerritt for on-line bank transfer details.

MEMBERSHIP: Annual subscription rates are: Single - £10, Joint - £12, Overseas – single or joint £18 (electronic communication) or £25 (postal communication), Junior £2 (under 17 and accompanied by one paying adult).

ADVERTS: Black and white. Full page £12, half page £7.50. One photo.

ROSETTES: Best in Show, Reserve BIS, Best Opposite Sex in Show, Best Puppy in Show, Reserve Best Puppy in Show, Best Veteran in Show, Reserve Best Veteran in Show, Best Dog, Best Bitch, Reserve Best Dog, Reserve Best Bitch, Best of Breed, Reserve Best of Breed, Best Puppy in Breed, Best Veteran in Breed. 1st to VHC in each class. All entrants in Baby Puppy Walk.

SPONSORSHIP: Arden Grange sponsor Best of Breeds, Best in Show, Reserve Best in Show, Best Puppy in Show, Reserve Best Puppy in Show and Best Veteran in Show

ROSETTE DONATIONS AND SPONSORS WILL BE ACKNOWLEDGED IN THE CATALOGUE

RAFFLE: Contributions for the raffle will be gratefully accepted.

PHOTOGRAPHER: The BGV Club will be taking photographs of all 1st place and principal winners for the club website and newsletter. High resolution pictures may be purchased for a small fee in aid of BGV Club Rescue.

PHOTOGRAPHY/ VIDEO RIGHTS: Please note that any video or photos taken at this show are for the personal use of the photographer and are not to appear in the public domain without the agreement of the dog's owner/handler.

No photography or filming is permitted in the ring whilst judging is actually taking place. However, judges may allow it to happen at the end of classes or after the main awards have been made. Filming and photography from outside the ring is allowed at all times unless the operation of the camera is actually affecting exhibits. If this happens, the ring steward or judge is empowered to stop the person concerned. Neither photographers nor exhibitors should impede the Club's official photographer.

REFRESHMENTS: Food and refreshments available to purchase.

TROPHIES: Confined to members only. These will be listed in the catalogue. All who won trophies at the last Open Show please signify return in time for the show to Cup Steward Lynn Wood 01268 555072/wood_stephen9@sky.com.

Show sponsored by:



OUR JUDGES



BEST IN SHOW, JUNIOR HANDLING – Mrs Rose Phillips (Haliston) - As a PBGV breeder, I have had a long association with BGVs, having joined the BGV

Club committee in 1992 and, the following year, becoming editor of the Club newsletter for a while. That same year I took on Breed Welfare which I continued until 2006. When no longer responsible for BGV Club rescue, I continued to work alongside the BGVC by setting up my own Rescue and Pet Supporters Club, sponsored by Battersea Dogs & Cats Home.

Having bred and shown successfully over many years, I give CCs in both Grands and Petits and it is an honour to judge BIS at the BGV Club 2020 open show.

BASSET GRIFFON VENDÉEN (GRAND) - Mrs Ann Makey (Gairside)

We got our first dog, an Irish Setter, on our way back from honeymoon and so our love affair with dogs and the show scene began. We had some success with English Setters and was granted “Gairside” in 1979. Whilst showing at LKA in the eighties I was drawn to small untidy hairy hounds and in 1999 our PBGV Kandecx the Phantom Menace arrived followed by Webster our GBGV, Kandecx Old Huckleberry. Debucher Crème de la Crème of Gairside became our foundation bitch and since then we have bred 6 champions, 2 JW winners and made up 2 more champions. We have shown and had great success in Europe and Ireland, feeling especially proud to win at the Paris World Show with Ch Gairside I’m Still Waiting.

I first judged GBGVs in 2008 and now after 20 years in the breed I have my first CC appointment in 2021. I feel honoured to be asked to judge at the Club show and look forward to seeing some lovely dogs.



BASSET GRIFFON VENDÉEN (PETIT) - Mrs Kim Culyer-Dawson (Culdaws)



Dogs have been a part of my life since I was five and I have been helping the BGV Club from the moment my first PBGV arrived in 2003. I was on the committee from April 2008-July 2014, which included helping at educational events, judging seminars and, in so doing, generally learning more and more about the BGV. Judging basset breeds at open show level, I have been to Denmark and Holland to watch breed judging.

As Secretary of the South of England Basset Hound Club my duties are widespread, including representing the club on the BHC Health Committee and attending various related KC functions. Being committed to the health and well-being of the basset breeds, my Basset experience has served in good stead in relation to BGV health issues. Returning to the committee in 2017, I continued helping at Discover Dogs, have run Club events, sold club items and was a member of the Show Sub-Committee, organising special anniversary events during 2017-18. Judging remains integral to supporting the breeds I love and I look forward to going over your PBGVs.

CLASSIFICATION

BASSET GRIFFON VENDEÉEN (GRAND)

Judge: Mrs Ann Makey (Gairside)

1	Minor Puppy	DOG	8	Minor Puppy	BITCH
2	Puppy	DOG	9	Puppy	BITCH
3	Junior	DOG	10	Junior	BITCH
4	Post Graduate	DOG	11	Post Graduate	BITCH
5	Limit	DOG	12	Limit	BITCH
6	Open	DOG	13	Open	BITCH
7	Veteran	DOG	14	Veteran	BITCH

BASSET GRIFFON VENDEÉEN (PETIT)

Judge: Mrs Kim Culyer-Dawson (Culdaws)

15	Minor Puppy	DOG	22	Minor Puppy	BITCH
16	Puppy	DOG	23	Puppy	BITCH
17	Junior	DOG	24	Junior	BITCH
18	Post Graduate	DOG	25	Post Graduate	BITCH
19	Limit	DOG	26	Limit	BITCH
20	Open	DOG	27	Open	BITCH
21	Veteran	DOG	28	Veteran	BITCH

To be judged during interval between breeds

JUNIOR HANDLING – Judge: Mrs Rose Phillips (Haliston)

29 Junior Handling (6-11yrs)

30 Junior Handling (12-16yrs)

Junior Handling entries - £2.00 - must be prepaid

31 BABY PUPPY WALK - Judge: Mrs Rose Phillips (Haliston)

For BGV puppies of 4 and under 6 calendar months of age on the day of the Show. Puppies will not be placed, they can come in as a group, parade around and walk up and down as requested by the judge. Each will receive a rosette. Include full details of the puppy on the entry form under Class 31. Entry is £1.00 and must be prepaid.

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**The competition for Best in Show will take place after
the completion of breed judging,
followed by Best Puppy in Show and Best Veteran in Show.**

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PROPOSED ORDER OF JUDGING

GBGVs followed by Junior Handling, Baby Puppy Walk and then PBGVs
followed by the competition for Best in Show, Best Puppy in Show
and Best Veteran in Show

The Committee reserves the right to alter the order of judging
should it be considered necessary.

CLOSING DATE: Mon 9 March 2020

QUALIFYING DATE: Mon 2 March 2020

DEFINITIONS OF CLASSES

NB the word 'dog' includes both sexes

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 KC. 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 date of closing of postal entries shall be counted when entering for any class, ie **Saturday 2 March 2020**. 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 subsequently be counted. 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 Regulations F(1)20.

(2) Transfer

(a) If a dog is ineligible for a class or classes as regards its breed, colour, sex, weight or height the Show Secretary shall transfer it to the equivalent classes for the correct breed, colour, sex, weight or height or, in the event of there being no equivalent class, Minor Puppy and Puppy excepted to the Open Class for the correct breed, 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 12 calendar months of age, 18 calendar months of age or 24 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 breed, 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 breed, 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 breed, 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.

* MINOR PUPPY For dogs of 6 and not exceeding 9 calendar months of age on the first day of the Show.

* PUPPY For dogs of 6 and not exceeding 12 calendar months of age on the first day of the Show.

* JUNIOR For dogs of 6 and not exceeding 18 calendar months of age on the first day of the Show.

* POST GRADUATE For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate/CACIB/CAC/Green Star or 5 or more First Prizes at Championship Shows in Post Graduate, Minor Limit, Mid Limit, Limit and Open Classes, whether restricted or not where Challenge Certificates were offered for the breed.

* LIMIT For dogs which have not become show Champions under Kennel Club Regulations or under the rules of any governing body recognised by the Kennel Club or won 3 or more CC/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 breed for which the class is provided and eligible for entry at the Show.

* VETERAN For dogs of not less than 7 years of age on the first day of the Show.

* 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.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

As in Kennel Club Regulations Appendix F

1. The Show will open at 8.30am.
 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 11am (after AGM).
 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: Members:** £5.50 first entry per dog **Non-members:** £6.50 first entry per dog.
- Each subsequent class with same dog £2.50**
- Junior Handling £2.00 Baby Puppy Walk:** £1.00 per dog - for BGV puppies of 4 and under 6 calendar months of age. Full details of the dog(s) MUST be given on the entry form **Not for Competition** £1.00 per dog (over 4 calendar months of age) Full details of the dog(s) MUST be given on the entry form. Alternatively, unentered dogs aged 4 months or over may be brought to the show on the day and admitted as a **Spectator Dog** (at a cost of £2 per dog).
6. **PRIZE MONEY:** There will be no prize money on offer at this show.
 7. The Show Committee reserves the right to refuse any entry.
 8. Puppies under 6 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 a. 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. Where the Best of Breed or Best in Show is a puppy it should automatically be awarded Best Puppy in Breed and Best Puppy in Show respectively. Where the Reserve Best of Breed or Reserve Best in Show is a puppy which has only been beaten by an adult dog it should also automatically be Best Puppy in Breed and Best Puppy in Show respectively. Consequently, selection of Best Puppy in Breed and Best Puppy in Show must follow the selection of Best of Breed and Best in Show respectively.
 11. Best in Show The dog declared Best in Show must be selected from Best of Breed, (Best Any Variety Not Separately Classified or Best Any Variety Imported Breed Register). Reserve Best in Show must be selected from the remaining Best of Breed(s) and the dog/bitch declared by the breed judge to be Reserve Best of Breed to the dog declared Best in Show.
 12. Best Veteran in Show Dogs eligible to compete for Best Veteran in Show are those declared Best Veteran in Breed. Best Veteran in Breed will be selected from the winners of Veteran Dog and Veteran Bitch classes.
 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 KC 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 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 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.

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.

19. 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 this Schedule except by permission of the Board of the Kennel Club and which will be followed by advertisement in the Canine Press wherever possible.

21. The Committee will do its utmost to ensure the safety of the dogs brought for exhibition but it must be clearly understood by exhibitors and all other persons at the Show that the Committee will not be responsible for the loss or damage to any dogs or property, or personal injury whether arising from accident or any other cause whatsoever.

22. An announcement prior to the date of closing of entries in Our Dogs of any alteration or addition made by the Committee to the schedule or in these Rules shall be sufficient notice thereof.

23. All children must be kept under control and parents will be held responsible for any damage caused and charges incurred.

24. Please do not obstruct gangways with trolleys. Storage space will be made available for trolleys/cages.

25. If in the opinion of the Show Secretary, Show Manager or Judge any dog is considered not in a fit state for exhibition owing to a disease, savage disposition, or any other cause, the dog may be excluded or removed from the show the dog must not be brought into the Show at any time under any circumstances.

26. No animal other than an exhibit duly entered at the show will be allowed within the precincts of the show during its continuance.

27. The owner, exhibitor, handler or other person in charge of a dog at a Kennel Club licensed event 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).

28. 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 the appropriate entry fees.

29. Every exhibitor shall ensure that whilst the dog is being exhibited, its handler shall display the correct ring number.

• DIRECTIONS TO VENUE •

From the M1: leave at Junction 15 onto A508, signposted Roade. In about 2 miles, on entering Roade take the first right, Bailey Brooks Lane. The Village Hall is about 100 yards on the right.

WELFARE OF DOGS Anyone whose dog is entered at a Kennel Club licensed event should take all reasonable steps to ensure the needs of their dogs 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 of the Kennel Club for disciplinary action under the Kennel Club Rules and Regulations.

Right to refuse entries: Exhibitors/Competitors are reminded that show societies have the right under Kennel Club Regulations to refuse any entry.

No dog should be left unattended for long periods. The Kennel Club's advice to dog owners and breed societies should be studied carefully concerning dogs at shows.

WARNING: IF YOUR DOG IS FOUND TO BE AT RISK FORCIBLE ENTRY TO YOUR VEHICLE MAY BE NECESSARY WITHOUT LIABILITY FOR ANY DAMAGE CAUSED

PLEASE MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO KEEP THIS VENUE CLEAN

Clean up after your dogs both inside and outside the hall.

There will be receptacles available.

The Kennel Club requires exhibitors to display exhibit/owner identification on their crate, cage or container at all times when attending shows.

CHILDREN UNDER THE AGE OF 11 ARE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF AND MUST BE ACCOMPANIED AT ALL TIMES BY A PARENT OR GUARDIAN.

**BGV CLUB SCOTTISH OPEN SHOW
SUNDAY 21 JUNE 2020**

In conjunction with Border Union Championship Show
Springwood Park, Kelso TD5 8LS

Judge: BGV(G), BGV(P) & BIS – MR BILL O'LOUGHLIN (*Bassbarr*)

**BGV CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW
SATURDAY, 24 OCTOBER 2020**

THE SPORTS CONNEXION, RYTON-ON-DUNSMORE

JUDGES

BGV (GRAND) – MRS FIONA BUCHANAN (*Tarmachan*)

BGV (PETIT) – MR PAUL OSBOURNE (*Braego*)

BIS & JUNIOR HANDLING – MR GRAHAM HILL (*Dimland*)

BGV(Grand) Stakes – Mr David Bell (*Balintyne*)

BGV(Petit) Stakes – Mr Michael Lewis (*Trixhund*)