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**SECTION C  
SANCTIONED SHOWS ONLY**



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## SECTION "C" - SANCTIONED SHOWS ONLY

### C1 CHAMPIONSHIP SHOWS:

- 1.1 A Championship Show is one at which the Association's Challenge Certificates are offered for competition.
- 1.2 Granting of Championship Shows. The Council will not grant an application for a Championship Show unless -
  - 1.2.1 A copy of the proposed Schedule of Classes and the name of the proposed judge accompanies such application.
  - 1.2.2 There is an open class for each sex of the breed for breeds for which competition is invited.
  - 1.2.3 The Schedule provides for three awards in each class.
  - 1.2.4 The competition is open to all comers and not restricted to members of the particular club making the application.
  - 1.2.5 The applicant club complies with any other conditions the Council may make from time to time.
  - 1.2.6 Only exhibits six months of age or over shall be eligible to compete for a Challenge Certificate.
  - 1.2.7 The Club may not reserve the right to reduce the advertised awards or to cancel or amalgamate classes.
  - 1.2.8 General Specials: Where no All Breeds judge is available, the General Specials at Agricultural or country Championship shows may be judged by a Panel judge licensed to judge three or more Groups who is also qualified to judge the remaining Groups at Open Shows/Parades.
- 1.3 Where a national Show is held, no Challenge Certificates shall be offered or awarded for the breed/s involved in the National Show, within a radius of 450 kilometres from the venue of the National Show on that day/s, regardless of which State or Territory the shows are held.

### C2 CHAMPIONSHIP TITLES:

The title of Champion may be granted by the Council under the following conditions:-

- 2.1 A dog or bitch which has gained 100 points from Challenge Certificates or Best of Breed Certificates, awarded by at least four different judges at Sanctioned Shows.
  - 2.1.1 Puppy Points. Of the 100 points gained, twenty five (25) points must be gained after the age of twelve (12) months.
- 2.2 Only exhibits six months of age or over shall be eligible to compete for a Challenge Certificate.
- 2.3 Points shall be allotted as follows:
  - 2.3.1 Challenge Certificate winners - five (5) points plus one (1) point for each exhibit in sex in the breed in ordinary classes over six (6) months of age up to a maximum of twenty five (25).
  - 2.3.2 Best of Breed – five (5) points plus one (1) for each exhibit in the breed in ordinary classes over the age of six (6) months of age up to a maximum of twenty five (25)
  - 2.3.3 Best in Group winner in each of the seven recognised groups, five points plus one point for each dog and bitch exhibited in the group in ordinary classes.
  - 2.3.4 Best in Show, five points plus one point for each dog and bitch exhibited in the show in ordinary classes.
  - 2.3.5 The maximum points which may be awarded to any one exhibit at any one Sanctioned Show shall be twenty-five.
  - 2.3.6 In calculating the Challenge points, eligible dogs that have entered the ring will be deemed to have been exhibited.
- 2.4 A Challenge Certificate or Best of Breed Certificate gained at an interstate show shall be valued on the points awarded by the recognised governing body of the State concerned.
- 2.5 A dog which has earned the title of Champion according to these Regulations shall be entitled to have attached before its name, the words "CHAMPION", or the letters "CH".
- 2.6 The award of Reserve Challenge carries no championship points, but should the Challenge winner be disqualified for any reason, the Reserve Challenge winner shall be awarded the

appropriate points subject to Regulation B24.5. The disqualified Challenge winner shall not be counted in awarding the points to the Reserve Challenge winner.

- 2.7 The award of Runner Up Best of Breed carries no additional Championship points, but should the Best of Breed winner be disqualified for any reason, the Runner Up Best of Breed shall be awarded the appropriate points subject to Regulation B24.5. The disqualified Best of Breed winner shall not be counted in awarding the points to the Runner Up Best of Breed winner.

### **C3 GRAND CHAMPION TITLES**

The title of Grand Champion may be granted by Council under the following conditions:

Using the points system as approved by the ANKC Ltd at the time, a dog or bitch will be required to attain the following qualifications to be eligible to the title of Grand Champion. **04/09**

- 3.1 1,000 points from Challenge Certificates awarded at sanctioned shows, provided that it has gained a Challenge Certificate after 1 January 1998, and including  
1 All Breeds Best in Show; or  
4 Best in Group; or  
4 Certificates of 25 points. (these could be Group, BOB or Challenge)  
The new requirements to attain the Grand Champion title to apply to all applications lodged with Member Bodies after 1 January, 2010. **04/09**
- 3.2 A Challenge Certificate or qualifying award as per 3.1 gained at an interstate show shall be valued on the points awarded by the recognised governing body of the State concerned. **04/09**
- 3.3 A dog which has earned the title of Grand Champion according to these regulations shall be entitled to have attached before its name the words "Grand Champion" or the abbreviation "Grand CH"
- 3.4 Grand Championship will not be awarded to animals retrospectively, but an animal will be eligible to be awarded the title of Grand Champion, if they gain some points towards the title of Grand Champion (1000 points) after the implementation date of the 1.1.98. **04/09**

### **C4 AWARDS OF MERIT:**

State based Awards of Merit may be granted by the Council under the following conditions:-

- 4.1 A Bronze Award may be issued to a Champion dog or bitch which has gained 250 points from Challenge Certificates or Best of Breed Certificates AND
- 4.2 A Silver Award may be issued to a Champion dog or bitch which has gained 500 points from Challenge Certificates or Best of Breed Certificates AND
- 4.3 A Gold Award may be issued to a Champion dog or bitch which has gained 750 points from Challenge Certificates or Best of Breed Certificates

WHERE points are allotted as per Regulation C2.3.1, C2.3.2, C2.3.3 and C2.3.4

- 4.4 A dog which has earned Awards according to these Regulations shall not be entitled to attach the title to its name, however a CAWA approved Certificate may be purchased. **03/10**

### **C5 CLASSIFICATIONS:**

- 5.1 No classes other than the following shall be provided in any schedule of any Sanctioned show without the special permission of the Chief Executive Officer. **09/11.**

- 5.2 The age of all dogs is calculated in calendar months from midnight of the day preceding the date of birth to the first day of a Sanctioned Show, Trial or Test.
- 5.3 **Ordinary Classes:**
- Class 1 **Baby Puppy** - Dogs of three (3) and under six (6) months of age.
  - Class 2 **Minor Puppy** - Dogs of six (6) and under nine (9) months of age.
  - Class 3 **Puppy** - Dogs of six (6) and under twelve (12) months of age.
  - Class 4 **Junior** - Dogs of nine (9) and under eighteen (18) months of age.
  - Class 5 **Intermediate** - Dogs of eighteen (18) and under thirty six (36) months of age.
  - Class 6 **Novice** - Dogs of six (6) months of age or over which have not won first prize at any Parade/Open Show or Championship Show excluding wins in Baby Puppy and Local Classes.
  - Class 7 **Graduate** - Dogs of six (6) months of age or over which have not won a Challenge Certificate.
  - Class 8 **Limit** - Dogs over twelve (12) months of age which are not Champions nor have gained sufficient points to qualify as a Champion.  
*Note: The qualifications for the NOVICE, GRADUATE and LIMIT classes, shall only include "wins up to and including the day before the date of entry close".*
  - Class 9 **State Bred** - Dogs six (6) months of age or over whelped in the State or Territory in which it is exhibited.
  - Class 10 **Australian Bred** - Dogs six (6) months of age or over whelped in Australia.
  - Class 11 **Open** - All dogs six (6) months of age or over, and of a breed or variety recognised by the Australian National Kennel Council.  
*Note: 1 Only winners of Ordinary Classes 2 to 11 may compete for Challenge Certificates.*  
*Note 2: The Standard numbering as above for male classes - bitch classes to be numbered as above with the letter "A" (e.g. 1A, 2A etc.).*
- 5.4 **Other Classes:**
- 5.4.1 **Brace** - for two dogs, each six months of age and over, of the same breed, each of which has competed in at least one ordinary class at the Sanctioned Show and each of which is registered in the same ownership and are handled in the judging ring by one person.
  - 5.4.2 **Team** - for three or more dogs each six months of age and over of the same breed, each of which has competed in at least one other class at the Sanctioned Show, are the property of the same registered ownership and are handled in the judging ring by the one person.
  - 5.4.3 **Veteran** - Separate classes may be offered for Veterans at fixtures: -
    - 4.4.3.1 Seven (7) years and under ten (10) years.
    - 4.4.3.2 Ten (10) years and over.*Note: A Veteran must be entered and exhibited in at least one ordinary class before it can compete for a Challenge Certificate or any special prize which is not specifically awarded for the Veteran Class. Neutered exhibits may compete in Veteran Class.*
  - 5.4.4 **Veteran** – Entire dogs or bitches entered in the Veteran Class at Shows, other than All Breeds or Group Club Shows, are approved to compete for Challenge Certificates at that Show. **04/07**
  - 5.4.5 **Neutered Dogs and Bitches** – separate classes may be offered for neutered dogs and bitches registered on the Main Register at fixtures.
    - 5.4.5.1 Class 15 Puppy Neuter – for neuter dogs and bitches aged six (6) and under twelve (12) months.
    - 5.4.5.2 Class 16 Junior Neuter – for neuter dogs and bitches aged nine (9) and under eighteen (18) months.
    - 5.4.5.3 Class 17 Intermediate Neuter – for neuter dogs and bitches aged eighteen (18) months and under thirty-six (36) months.

- 5.4.5.4 Class 18 Open Neuter – for neuter dogs and bitches aged six (6) months or over.
- 5.4.5.5 Classes 15-18 are ineligible to compete for Challenge Certificates or Best or Breed. **03/03**
- 5.4.6 **Progeny** - A Progeny class may be conducted under the following rule.
  - 5.4.6.1 Sire and Progeny - Entry to consist of the sire and a minimum of three progeny from at least two different dams.
  - 5.4.6.2 Dam and Progeny - Entry to consist of the dam and a minimum of three of her progeny sired by at least two different sires from two different litters.
  - 5.4.6.3 Sire's Progeny - Entry to consist of a minimum of three progeny of the named sire from at least two different dams.
  - 5.4.6.4 Dam's Progeny - Entry to consist of a minimum of three progeny of the named dam sired by at least two different sires from two different litters.
- 5.4.7 **Sweepstakes** - may be held for Champion Dogs, or any of the above listed classifications, ordinary and other classes.
- 5.4.8 **Junior Handler** – classes may be held and conducted in accordance with the ANKC Junior Handler Regulations Part 15.

## 5.5 **Local Classes:**

May be held in addition to ordinary or other classes for dogs owned by exhibitors who reside within an area specified by the sponsoring club. This class shall apply only to Clubs outside the Perth area, local and other classes shall be judged separately from the ordinary classes. Only the winners of ordinary classes are eligible for challenge points.

## 5.6 **Special Classes:**

The Chief Executive Officer shall have the power to grant permission for special classes subject to an application in writing submitted to the Council at least 90 days before the date of the Sanctioned Show concerned.

Under no circumstances, however shall a class offering awards or prizes for progeny sired by a specified dog be permitted and no prizes of free service of any dog shall be permitted. **09/11.**

## C6 **ORDER OF JUDGING:**

### 6.1 **Breed Classes:**

- 6.1.1 Judge all dogs in classes in breed.
- 6.1.2 Judge the dog Challenge winner from the exhibits placed first in each of the breed classes.
- 6.1.3 Judge the Reserve Challenge winner by bringing together the balance of class winning exhibits and the second place winner from the class in which the Challenge winner was entered.
- 6.1.4 Repeat 5.1.1, 5.1.2 and 5.1.3 in the bitch classes in breed.

### 6.2 **Best of Breed and Runner-up to Best of Breed:**

- 6.2.1 Judge the Best of Breed by bringing together the Challenge winning dog and bitch.
- 6.2.2 Judge the Runner-Up to Best of Breed by bringing together the Challenge winner unplaced in the Best of Breed competition and the exhibit awarded Reserve Challenge to the Best of Breed.

### 6.3 **Best of Breed in Class:**

- 6.3.1 Judge Best of Breed in each class by bringing together the winning dog and bitch exhibits in each of the breed classes.  
*Note 1: Only the Best of Breed of class will be eligible to compete in the Group Specials.*

**6.4 Breeds Within the Group:**

Repeat the above procedures for breeds within the group.

**6.5 Group Specials:**

6.5.1 Judge Best in Group from the Best of Breed winning exhibits only.

6.5.2 Judge Runner-Up to Best in Group from the balance of Best of Breed winners and the exhibit awarded Runner-Up to Best of Breed exhibit awarded Best in Group.

*Note 1. The exhibit awarded Best in Group is automatically awarded the Class in Group in which it was entered.*

*Note 2. The exhibit awarded Runner-up to Best in Group is automatically the winner of the Class in Group in which it was entered providing the Best in Group was not entered in the same class.*

6.5.3 Judge Best Baby Puppy in Group from the winning exhibits of the Best of Breed of Class in all the Baby Puppy breed classes in the group.

6.5.4 Judge Best in each other class provided for competition using the same procedure as for the class referred to in 5.5.3 above.

**6.6 In Show (General) Specials:**

6.6.1 Judge Best in Show from the exhibits awarded Best in each of the seven groups.

6.6.2 Judge Runner-Up Best in Show from the balance of the exhibits awarded Best in Group and the exhibit awarded Runner-Up to Best Exhibit in Group from which the Best in Show exhibit came.

6.6.3 Judge Best Baby Puppy in Show from the exhibits awarded Best Baby Puppy in each of the seven groups.

6.6.4 Judge Best in Show in each class provided for competition using the same procedure as for the class referred to in 5.6.3 above.

*Note 1. The exhibit awarded Best in Show is automatically the winner of the class in show in which it was entered.*

*Note 2. The exhibit awarded Runner-Up to Best in show is automatically the winner of the class in show in which it was entered, provided that the Best in Show exhibit was not entered in the same class.*

6.6.5 It will be optional to comply with Regulation C 5.6.3 and 5.6.4, in place of this clubs may choose to have Best In Show from a number of selected classes only, this being stated in the show schedule. i.e. Best Puppy In Show, Best State Bred In Show.

**6.7 Special Classes:**

6.7.1 Judge any Special Classes i.e. C4.4 Other Classes, C4.5 Local Classes, C4.6 Special Classes.

6/7/2 Sweepstakes may be held at any suitable time during the conduct of the Sanctioned event provided that the judge of the sweepstakes is not contracted for any group and/or General Specials.

**6.8 Alphabetical Order of Breeds:**

6.8.1 Unless otherwise stated on the advertised schedule judging shall be in alphabetical order. If judging is not in alphabetical order as per regulations, the specific order of breeds will be detailed in the schedule.

6.8.2 The sequence of breeds shall be as follows:

**6.9 In-Group and In-Show Placing System (Optional for Shows that only offer Best Puppy in Group/Show and Best Exhibit in Group/Show)**

6.9.1 Breed Judging

6.9.1.1 Breed judging shall be conducted in the same manner as the existing system to select Best of Breed and Best Puppy of Breed.

6.9.1.2 As Runner-Up to Best Exhibit In Show and Runner-Up to Best Exhibit In Group will no longer be judged, the Runner-Up to Best of Breed awards may be at the discretion of the Show Committee.

## 6.9.2 Group/Show Judging

6.9.2.1 Runner-Up to Best Exhibit In Show and Runner-Up to Best Exhibit In Group will no longer be judged.

6.9.2.2 Only Best Puppy In Group award will be offered. Therefore, only exhibits that have won Best Puppy of Breed are eligible to compete for Best Puppy In Group.

6.9.2.3 Only Best Puppy In Show award will be offered. Therefore only Best Puppy In Group winners are eligible to compete for Best Puppy In Show.

6.9.2.4 Only exhibits that have won Best of Breed awards are eligible to compete for Best Exhibit In Group awards 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, subject to the provision of Regulation 5.9.3.1.

6.9.2.5 Only exhibits, which have won Best Exhibit In Group, shall be eligible to compete for Best Exhibit In Show awards 1st, 2nd, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4th, subject to the provision of Regulation 5.9.3.2.

6.9.2.6 The sequence of judging Best Exhibit In Group and Best Exhibit In Show awards shall be in the following order:

- (i) Best Puppy In Group
- (ii) Best Exhibit In Group, placed in the order of 4th, 3rd, 2nd, and 1st
- (iii) Best Puppy In Show
- (iv) Best Exhibit In Show, placed in the order of 4th, 3rd, 2nd, 1st.

## 6.9.3 Eliminations

6.9.3.1 A Puppy exhibit, which wins Best of Breed but is not awarded Best Puppy In Group, shall be eliminated from competing for Best Exhibit In Group awards 1st, 2nd, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4th.

6.9.3.2 A Puppy exhibit, which wins Best Exhibit In Group but is not awarded Best Puppy In Show, shall be eliminated from competing for the Best Exhibit In Show awards 1st, 2nd, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4th.

## GROUP 1 - TOYS

Affenpinscher	Japanese Chin
Australian Silky Terrier	King Charles Spaniel
Bichon Frise	Lowchen
Cavalier King Charles Spaniel	Maltese
Chihuahua (Long Coat )	Miniature Pinscher
Chihuahua (Smooth Coat)	Papillon
Chinese Crested Dog	Pekingese
English Toy Terrier (Black & Tan)	Pomeranian
Griffon Bruxellois	Pug
Havanese	Tibetan Spaniel
Italian Greyhound	Yorkshire Terrier

## GROUP 2 - TERRIERS

Airedale Terrier	Jack Russell Terrier
American Staffordshire Terrier	Kerry Blue Terrier
Australian Terrier	Lakeland Terrier
Bedlington Terrier	Manchester Terrier
Border Terrier	Norfolk Terrier
Bull Terrier	Norwich Terrier
Bull Terrier (Miniature)	Parson Russell Terrier
Cairn Terrier	Scottish Terrier
Cesky Terrier	Sealyham Terrier
Dandie Dinmont Terrier	Skye Terrier
Fox Terrier (Smooth)	Soft Coated Wheaten Terrier
Fox Terrier (Wire)	Staffordshire Bull Terrier
German Hunting Terrier	Tenterfield Terrier
Glen of Imaal Terrier	Welsh Terrier

Irish Terrier

West Highland White Terrier

### GROUP 3 - GUNDOGS

Bracco Italiano  
Brittany  
Chesapeake Bay Retriever  
Clumber Spaniel  
Cocker Spaniel  
Cocker Spaniel (American)  
Curly Coated Retriever  
English Setter  
English Springer Spaniel  
Field Spaniel  
Flat Coated Retriever  
German Shorthaired Pointer  
German Wirehaired Pointer  
Golden Retriever  
Gordon Setter

Hungarian Vizsla  
Hungarian Wirehaired Vizsla  
Irish Red & White Setter  
Irish Setter  
Irish Water Spaniel  
Italian Spinone  
Labrador Retriever  
Lagotto Romagnolo  
Large Munsterlander  
Nova Scotia Duck Tolling Retriever  
Pointer  
Sussex Spaniel  
Weimaraner  
Weimaraner (Long Hair)  
Welsh Springer Spaniel

### GROUP 4 - HOUNDS

Afghan Hound  
Basenji  
Basset Fauve de Bretagne  
Basset Hound  
Beagle  
Bloodhound  
Bluetick Coonhound  
Borzoi  
Dachshund (Long Haired)  
Dachshund (Miniature Long Haired)  
Dachshund (Smooth Haired)  
Dachshund (Miniature Smooth Haired)  
Dachshund (Wire Haired)  
Dachshund (Miniature Wire Haired)  
Deerhound  
Finnish Spitz  
Foxhound

Grand Basset Griffon Vendeen  
Greyhound  
Hamiltonstovare  
Harrier  
Ibizan Hound  
Irish Wolfhound  
Norwegian Elkhound  
Otterhound  
Petit Basset Griffon Vendeen  
Pharaoh Hound  
Portuguese Podengo (Small)  
Portuguese Podengo (Medium)  
Portuguese Podengo (Large)  
Rhodesian Ridgeback  
Saluki  
Sloughi  
Whippet

### GROUP 5 – WORKING DOGS

Australian Cattle Dog  
Australian Kelpie  
Australian Shepherd  
Australian Stumpy Tail Cattle Dog  
Bearded Collie  
Belgian Shepherd Dog (Groenendael)  
Belgian Shepherd Dog (Laekenois)  
Belgian Shepherd Dog (Malinois)  
Belgian Shepherd Dog (Tervueren)  
Bergamasco Shepherd Dog  
Border Collie  
Bouvier Des Flandres  
Briard  
Collie (Rough)  
Collie (Smooth)

German Shepherd Dog  
Komondor  
Kuvasz  
Maremma Sheepdog  
Norwegian Buhund  
Old English Sheepdog  
Polish Lowland Sheepdog  
Puli  
Pumi  
Shetland Sheepdog  
Swedish Lapphund  
Swedish Vallhund  
Welsh Corgi (Cardigan)  
Welsh Corgi (Pembroke)  
White Swiss Shepherd Dog

Dutch Shepherd  
Finnish Lapphund

## GROUP 6 – UTILITY DOGS

Akita	Neapolitan Mastiff
Alaskan Malamute	Newfoundland
Anatolian Shepherd Dog	Portuguese Water Dog
Bernese Mountain Dog	Pyrenean Mastiff
Black Russian Terrier	Pyrenean Mountain Dog
Boxer	Rottweiler
Bullmastiff	Samoyed
Canadian Eskimo Dog	Schnauzer (Standard)
Cane Corso	Schnauzer (Miniature)
Central Asian Shepherd Dog	Schnauzer (Giant)
Dobermann	Shiba Inu
Dogue de Bordeaux	Siberian Husky
German Pinscher	Spanish Mastiff
Kangal Dog	St. Bernard
Leonberger	Tibetan Mastiff
Mastiff	St Bernard

## GROUP 7 – NON-SPORTING DOGS

Boston Terrier	Lhasa Apso
British Bulldog	Peruvian Hairless Dog
Canaan Dog	Poodle, Standard (38cms and over)
Chow Chow	Poodle, Miniature (under 38cms & over 28cms)
Dalmatian	Poodle, Toy (under 28 cms)
Eurasier	Schipperke
French Bulldog	Shar Pei
German Spitz (Klein)	Shih Tzu
German Spitz (Mittel)	Tibetan Terrier
Great Dane	Xoloitzcuintle
Japanese Spitz	
Keeshond	

## C7 JUDGING METHODS

- 7.1 All Breeds Judging is defined as the method currently in practice for all breeds in Australia and the following is customary:-
- 7.1.1 Judging time per dog should be not less than 30 catalogued dogs per hour and preferably 40.
  - 7.1.2 The judge checks dentition, overall conformation, entirety for males and movement within the above time frame.
  - 7.1.3 First, Second and Third class places are awarded where the judge is satisfied with the quality of the exhibits.
  - 7.1.4 Individual critiques are not dictated or written down during the judging.
  - 7.1.5 Gradings are not awarded.
- 7.2 Specialist Breed Judging is defined as any form of judging performed by a judge who is a recognised breed specialist or who has a particular interest in a breed or breeds and which may entail each or any of the following:-
- 7.2.1 Judging time may be slower than 25 dogs per hour.
  - 7.2.2 Individual critiques may be given.
  - 7.2.3 Gradings may be awarded.
  - 7.2.4 Class places greater than First, Second and Third may be awarded.
  - 7.2.5 A breed is judged in varieties other than those for which Challenge Certificates are awarded.

- 7.3 Breed Clubs may have specialist breed judging at any Championship Show but must observe the conditions listed below in C6.4.1. and C6.4.2.
- 7.4 Any club conducting an All Breeds, Group and Multi Breed Show that wishes to appoint a judge to judge a specified breed or breeds in the specialist manner shall seek permission from the Association and where granted shall be under the following conditions:-
  - 7.4.1 That the judging does not interfere in any way with the normal running of the show
  - 7.4.2 That the show schedule advises:-
    - 7.4.2.1 The breeds that will be judged in the specialist manner.
    - 7.4.2.2 Whether critiques will or will not be given.
    - 7.4.2.3 Whether Gradings will or will not be awarded.

#### **C8 CHALLENGE & BEST OF BREED CERTIFICATES:**

- 8.1 The judge's name is to be typed or printed on the Challenge and Best of Breed Certificates, prior to it being signed by the judge.
- 8.2 Certificates should be collected by the exhibitor on the day the dog is judged.
- 8.3 Certificates not collected are to be forwarded to the Association office for collection by the exhibitor for six months from the date of the show. The onus of collection rests with the exhibitor.
- 8.4 Certificates, or photocopies, must be presented to the Canine Association Office when making application for the title of Australian Champion as evidence of points awarded.

#### **C9 MEASURES:**

- 9.1 Poodles
  - 9.1.1 The Official Association Poodle measures must be available at all shows where Poodles are to be judged.
  - 9.1.2 The Official Association Poodle measures shall be available at the Association office for use on as required basis.
- 9.2 All Breeds.  
The Official Association A.N.K.C. approved measures shall be available at the Association office for use as required.

#### **C10 AMENITIES SHOWS:**

Amenities Shows shall be run in accordance with the following guidelines:

- 10.1 Classes:  
Only the following classes shall be offered:  
Baby, Minor, Puppy, Junior, Intermediate, State Bred & Open.
- 10.2 Sashes:  
Sashes will be offered for:
  - 10.2.1 Runner Up and Best Exhibit in each Group.
  - 10.2.2 Runner Up and Best Exhibit in Show.
  - 10.2.3 Best in Show of each of the classes listed at 9.1.
- 10.3 Trophies:  
An amount approved by Governing Council may be expended on two trophies for Best in Show and Runner up in Show unless the club is successful in obtaining further trophies by donation.
- 10.4 Judges:  
The panel of judges should be predominantly from Western Australia, however a maximum number of two (2) interstate judges may be contracted for any one Building & Amenities show and in the event more than one Building & Amenities show is held on one weekend, these two (2) may be 'shared' between the hosting clubs (which may result in a panel each day of 4 interstate judges and 3 WA judges). **(05/10)**
- 10.5 Entry Fees:  
Entry Fees for Amenities Shows shall be fixed by Council from time to time.
- 10.6 Judges Fees:  
The Judges fee for Amenities Shows per Group and/or General Specials are to be restricted to a fee as approved by Governing Council from time to time.

- 10.7 Amenities Trials:  
Amenities trials may be held in conjunction with Amenities Shows.
- 10.8 Balance Sheet:  
A Balance Sheet is to be submitted promptly to include details of all receipts and payments.
- 10.9 Proceeds:  
All proceeds from Amenities Shows and/or Trials, after expenses have been paid, shall be passed to the Association for credit to the Building and Amenities Fund.

#### **C11 SHOW SET UP BY MEMBERS (09/08) (09/10)**

**The following rules apply on a 'per ring' basis**, with ring allocation determined by the groundsman having regard for requests, weather conditions and any other factors deemed relevant by Dogs West.

Show set-up may occur after 3.00pm Friday for members exhibiting on **FRIDAY ONLY**.  
For weekends where **NO Friday night show is scheduled**, show set up may occur after 3.00pm Friday for members exhibiting on **Saturday ONLY**.  
Show set up may occur at the conclusion of Saturday judging for Sunday events.

Setup which includes shade structures, tents, tarpaulins, crates, trolleys, chairs and all other equipment associated with show setup.

- a. The setback from the ringside to be 5m minimum from ringside on the arena.
- b. Any item left before the above times will be removed to enable the ground preparations to be completed.
- c. Tents/marquees or similar structures cannot be left up over the entire weekend unless they are being occupied on both days and must be erected in the manner as indicated in the instructions accompanying the said tent/marquee or similar structure.
- d. Tarpaulins are not to be left on grounds of the main arena overnight or over a weekend.
- e. All equipment is left at the risk of the owner/s and the Association accepts no liability for damage, loss or theft.

#### **Restrictions – Shade structures at All Breeds Championship Shows:**

1. No more than three (3) environ shades are permitted to be linked together, with a metre space to be left at either end to enable an additional walkway.

#### **Restrictions - Pavilion Area**

1. When shows are conducted under the pavilion, members are not permitted to use bricks or similar to hold down tarpaulins/mats.
2. All equipment is to be erected and not left lying flat.
3. Mats/tarpaulins or similar must be used on the green floor section of the pavilion at all times (except at ringside during judging), directly under the trolleys, grooming tables and/or crates. Mats/tarpaulins or similar in all areas of the pavilion must be of a reasonable size and they are not to be used to reserve an area.
4. Puppy pens are not to be utilised at one day All Breed Championship Shows held under the pavilion

#### **C12 CHARITY SHOWS:**

- 12.1 Charity shows are to be conducted in a manner, which will ensure that the proceeds will be mainly for the benefit of the charity.
- 12.2 Trophies and sashes are to be provided for Runner Up and Best in Show and sashes only for Class in Show awards, except that additional awards may be made, if donated. Trophies and sashes may not exceed a value as determined by Governing Council from time to time.

- 12.3 No charges are to be involved for Judges' accommodation and Judges' travel within the metropolitan area, except with the agreement of the Charity concerned.

**C13 STEWARDING**

- 13.1 Chief Stewards may not handle any dog in the ring at shows at which they are officiating.  
13.2 Gate and Ring Stewards may not enter any dog which is owned or part owned by them under the same judge with whom they have been officiating at that show.  
13.3 This Regulation is to be applied at all metropolitan shows; it is preferable but not mandatory at shows outside a radius of 90 kilometres of the Perth City Centre.  
13.4 Stewards shall not discuss exhibits and exhibitors with the judge or in the vicinity of the judge, before the show or whilst the show is in progress. **01/03**

**C14 ELIGIBILITY**

Only Ordinary Members or concessional Ordinary Members are permitted to enter Main Register dogs in Conformation Shows. Refer B16 – Eligibility of Exhibitor, Competitor and Exhibit for any other criteria. **01/09**

**C15 JUDGES' APPOINTMENTS**

Interstate and Overseas judges may not judge the same group in Western Australia within a period of three (3) years.  
NOTE: Any judge contracted prior to 1 July 2013 is exempt. **01/13**