

**THE BLACK RED OR GOLDEN COCKER  
CLUB OF IRELAND**

**Schedule**

**Breed Championship Show**

*(Under licence of the I.K.C.)*

**JUDGE**

***Mrs N. Callaghan***

**Venue**

**The Greyhound Stadium ,  
Thurles,  
Co. Tipperary.**

**On**

**Sunday, August 23<sup>rd</sup> 2026**

**Enter Online at [www.showguidesystems.ie](http://www.showguidesystems.ie)**

**Online Entries Close Midnight 7<sup>th</sup> August**

**Postal Entries, Close 3<sup>rd</sup> August**

**Hon. Show Secretary.**

**Ms L Kilby**

**Gaile**

**Thurles**

**Co. Tipperary.**

**0504 41165 (after 7pm)**

**[sales@gailerosettes.com](mailto:sales@gailerosettes.com)**

**\*\*Ring Numbers will be available to download\*\***

## **THE BLACK RED OR GOLDEN COCKER CLUB OF IRELAND 2026**

Chairperson..... Ms. Lynn Kilby  
Secretary ..... Ms. L Kilby  
Treasurer..... Mr. Michael Crowley  
Cup Steward ..... Ms. F. O Dwyer  
IKC Representative ..... Mr. John J. Walsh  
Show Manager..... Mr. Noel Smith

### **COMMITTEE**

Mrs D Condell, Mr C Condell, Mr N Smith

### **GUARANTORS TO THE IRISH KENNEL CLUB**

Ms. Lynn Kilby, Ms F O Dwyer, Mrs. N O Dwyer, Mr N Smith

Hon Veterinary Surgeons,  
Brittas Veterinary Clinic, Thurles, Co. Tipperary.

**Judging of Cocker Spaniels at the Group Show  
will be judged by Mrs N. Callaghan  
at 1pm approx. in Ring 2**

**ROSETTES: 1<sup>ST</sup> TO 4<sup>TH</sup> IN ALL CLASSES**

**GREEN STAR D/B**

**RESERVE GREEN STAR D/B**

**BEST IN SHOW.**

**RESERVE BEST IN SHOW**

**BEST BABY PUPPY**

**BEST PUPPY**

### **The Red Black or Golden Cocker Club of Ireland Show Regulations**

1. **JURISDICTION:** The Show will be held under the licence and rules of the Irish Kennel Club Ltd. and a copy of the Rules will be posted in the office of the Secretary on the day of the show. A 'Dog' in the following rules shall be deemed to mean both sexes.
2. **VENUE & Date:** The Show will be held at The Greyhound Stadium , Thurles, Co. Tipperary. **on Sunday, 23rd August, 2026.**
3. **Entry Fees:** The Entry Fee will be **€10.00 for first dog, €5.00 subsequent entries per dog per class, Neuter class €5.00 per dog. Baby Puppy €5.00**  
**Stakes: €5.00 per dog, dog must be entered in breed class with the exception of Veteran and Champion**  
**Any number of Dogs, any number of entries across all classes €25.00**  
**Entry fees to the Show Secretary :Ms. L Kilby Gaile, Thurles, Co Tipperary Tel:0504 41165**  
**secbrgcc@gmail.com**  
UK exhibitors are reminded to use E stamp along with an airmail sticker to ensure delivery on time.  
**Postal Entries will be received up to and including the 3<sup>rd</sup> August 2026**  
**Enter online at www.showguidesystems.ie**  
**Online entry closes at midnight on the 7<sup>th</sup> August 2026**
4. **ENTRY FORMS (mistakes in):** The Catalogue will be compiled from the entry forms submitted by exhibitors .and while every endeavour will be made to have forms correctly interpreted. **The Red Black or Golden Cocker Club of Ireland** cannot accept any responsibility for mistakes which may bring exhibitors within the purview of Irish Kennel Club Rule 15, Section 1, or for clerical mistakes that may occur during compilation.
5. **REJECTING ENTRIES etc.:** The Committee reserves the right to reject any entry. advertisement or other insertion in the catalogue or allocation of stand space at the show.
6. **INELIGIBLE ENTRIES:** A transfer of an incorrect entry as to sex or breed may be allowed by the Secretary prior to the commencement of judging and a dog entered in an age class for which it is not eligible may be transferred to the next appropriate age class if applicable in that breed but in no other respects.
7. **REGISTRATION etc.** All dogs entered for competition or otherwise, must be registered or transferred at the Irish Kennel Club, Unit 36 Greenmount Office Park, Dublin 6W.
8. **Prizes:** Prize Cards will be given to 1st to 4th in each class. Rosettes will be given to Green Star Winners, Reserve Green Star, Best of Breed, Best in Show and Reserve Best in Show.
9. **VETERINARY EXAMINATION:** The Veterinary Surgeon on call will have the power to exclude any exhibit which in his opinion .is not in a fit state for exhibition on account of Disease, lice or other cause.
10. **EXHIBITS:** Each exhibitor shall be responsible to keep their exhibits under proper control at all times. Every exhibit must be removed by the owner or agent not later than a half hour after completion of the judging of Best in Show.
11. **Judges:** In the event of any appointed Judge failing to keep his or her engagement the Committee shall have the right to appoint another Judge or Judges. The right is reserved to the Show Committee to change a judge in a breed or breeds, or part of a breed, if it is considered such a change is in the best interest of the show
12. **JUDGING:** Judging will commence at **1.00pm approx in Ring 2**
13.
  - a) No person will be allowed in the Judging ring except the Judge ,Show Officials, or an Exhibitor taking in a dog for adjudication.
  - b) The exhibition number of each dog must be clearly displayed by the handler, who shall not wear a badge or other decoration in the judging ring.
  - c) The Club will not be responsible for the exhibition of any exhibit in the ring at the time of judging.

14. **Judges Decision:** The decision of a judge at the termination of his or her judging a class shall be final, except in the case of an objection properly made and upheld under the rules of the Irish Kennel Club Ltd., where a judge states that a clerical or other mistake was made in an award as Officially returned, or on the ground of fraud.
15. **Protest:** all protests and objections must be made in the manner specified in Irish Kennel Club Ltd. Rules 13, 15, 17.
16. **Interpretation:** The Committee of the Promoting Club shall be the Show Committee within the meaning of the Irish Kennel Club Ltd. rules, and all disputes (if any) shall be dealt with by the Committee. Parties to any such dispute shall have the right to appeal to the Irish Kennel Club Ltd..
17. **ACCIDENT OR DAMAGE:** The Club will not be responsible for any loss or damage sustained through accident by exhibits ,exhibitors or other persons attending the show.
18. **ALL ANNOUNCEMENTS** appearing in the Daily Newspaper or other publication, in reference to any alterations made by the Committee in the schedule or in these regulations .shall be deemed sufficient notice thereof.
19. **DOGS MUST BE KEPT ON A LEAD AT ALL TIMES**

**NOTE: I.K.C. RULE 7 Section 1**

**Re: Registration of Dogs Entered**

**Addition to above Rule:**

**Failure to comply with the above will result in:**

**(A) The Dog being disqualified from the event and**

**(B) The exhibitor being fined €130.00**

**The implementation of which shall be a Normal (I.K.C.) Office routine**

**PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOUR DOG IS REGISTERED CORRECTLY BEFORE  
THE DAY OF THE SHOW, AND WHERE POSSIBLE ENSURE TO FILL IN THE  
REGISTRATION ON THE ENTRY FORM.**

#### **Videos**

**It is a Kennel Club regulation that permission must be sought from the  
Show promoting body for the use of video or other recording equipment.**

**Permission must also be obtained from the judge in the ring on  
the day.**

***(Subject to Regulation 12 page 1)***

## CLASS DEFINITIONS

(The word 'Dog' includes both sexes)

### **CLASSIFICATION - IKC CLASS DEFINITIONS FOR NATIONAL SHOWS**

**Baby Puppy Class** is confined to dogs over 4 and under 6 months on the day of the show. Dogs entered in this class are not eligible to challenge for the green Star and may not take part in any further competition.

**Puppy Class** is confined to dogs over 6 and under 12 months of age on the day of the Show.

**Junior Class** is for dogs between 9 and 18 calendar months of age on the day of the Show.

**Intermediate Class** is for dogs between 15 and 24 calendar months of age on the day of the Show.

**An Adult Class** is for dogs between 24 and 36 calendar months of age on the first day of the Show.

**Open Class** is for dogs over 15 months of age on the day of the Show.

**Champions Class** is for dogs who have gained the title of Champion under Rules and Regulations of the Irish Kennel Club or other Kennel Authority recognised by the Irish Kennel Club.

**Veteran Class** is for dogs over 8 years of age on the day of the Show. \*Please note – a Veteran Dog who has attained the title of Champion, may enter the Veteran or Champion class but not both.

**Field Trial Class** is confined to dogs who have won at least a reserve in a Puppy, Novice, Derby or Open Stake as defined in the Field Trial Rules & Regulations.

**Brace Class** is for two exhibits of the same or different sexes of the same breed belonging to the same person, each exhibit having been entered in some class other than brace or team.

**Restricted/Special Classes** (i.e. Colour Classes etc.) The dog must be entered in one of the standard classes scheduled for the breed as above.

#### **Neuter Class;**

The classes can be offered at all Championship & Open Shows in the breed and the Best Neuter Male and Best Neuter Female can compete for Best Neuter in Breed and go forward to Best Neuter in Show, **BUT they do not compete for the Green Stars and there is no Neuter Champion title.**

**NB :** Dogs under the age of six months are not allowed into the show grounds. Dogs entered in restricted classes must also be entered in one of the Standard Classes for the breed. All dogs entered must be registered or transferred at the Irish Kennel Club in the name of the Exhibitor.

*Judge: Mrs. N. Callaghan*  
**Classification**

| <b>Class No.</b> | <b>Title</b>            | <b>Class No.</b> | <b>Title</b>              |
|------------------|-------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|
| <b>1</b>         | <b>Baby Puppy Dog</b>   | <b>11</b>        | <b>Baby Puppy Bitch</b>   |
| <b>2</b>         | <b>Puppy Dog</b>        | <b>12</b>        | <b>Puppy Bitch</b>        |
| <b>3</b>         | <b>Junior Dog</b>       | <b>13</b>        | <b>Junior Bitch</b>       |
| <b>4</b>         | <b>Intermediate Dog</b> | <b>14</b>        | <b>Intermediate Bitch</b> |
| <b>5</b>         | <b>Adult Dog</b>        | <b>15</b>        | <b>Adult Bitch</b>        |
| <b>6</b>         | <b>Open Dog</b>         | <b>16</b>        | <b>Open Bitch</b>         |
| <b>7</b>         | <b>Champion Dog</b>     | <b>17</b>        | <b>Champion Bitch</b>     |
| <b>8</b>         | <b>Field Trial Dog</b>  | <b>18</b>        | <b>Field Trial Bitch</b>  |
| <b>9</b>         | <b>Veteran Dog</b>      | <b>19</b>        | <b>Veteran Bitch</b>      |
| <b>10</b>        | <b>Neuter Dog</b>       | <b>20</b>        | <b>Neuter Bitch</b>       |
|                  |                         | <b>21</b>        | <b>Brace Stakes</b>       |

## NOTES

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