

Schedule
Tralee Canine Club
All Breed Open Show

Castleisland Community Centre,
Castleisland, Co. Kerry

Sunday 19th April 2026

Judging starts at 1.30pm

Enter online at www.showguidesystems.ie
Online closes at midnight
on the 13th April 2026

Postal entries close on the 10st April 2026

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SHOW REGULATIONS

1. Jurisdiction: The Show will be held under the Licence and Rules of the Irish Kennel Club Ltd., as in force on the 19th of April 2026.

2. Registrations: All dogs entered for pedigree dog competition must be registered or transferred at the Irish Kennel Club Ltd.

3. Venue: The Show will be held in **Castleisland Community Centre, Castleisland, Co. Kerry**

Catalogues:. Will be on sale within the grounds price **€3.00**.

Car Parking is free to all exhibitors.

4. Entries: Service charge of €10.00 for 1st dog/1st class, €8 for subsequent dogs. Baby Puppy €5.00, Neutered class €5.00 per dog, variety Class €5.00 per class

5. Rosettes for all classes.

6. Entries will be received **online** up to **midnight 13th April 2026** .

Postal entries by Mrs. Maudie Burke, Sandwood, Killarney Road, Castleisland, Co. Kerry. Up to and including 10th April 2026

7. Rejection of Entries: The promoting body reserve the right to refuse any entry.

8. Entry forms, mistakes in: - The Catalogue will be compiled from the Entry Forms submitted by the Exhibitors, and while every endeavour will be made to have the Forms correctly interpreted, Tralee Canine Club cannot accept any responsibility for mistakes which may bring Exhibitors within the purview of the Irish Kennel Club Ltd Rule 15, Sect. 1, or clerical mistakes that may occur during the compilation.

9. Ineligible Entries: A transfer of an incorrect entry as to the sex or breed is allowed if reported to the secretary's office prior to the commencing of judging. A dog entered in a class for which it is not eligible may be transferred to the open class in that breed, but in no other respects.

10. Exhibits: Each exhibitor shall be responsible for keeping their exhibits under proper control at all times.

11. Judges: In the event of the appointed Judge failing to keep his or her engagement the Committee shall have the right to appoint another Judge or Judges.

12. Judging: (a) Will commence at **1.30pm sharp**. No claim will be considered in the event of an exhibit being late, (b) No persons will be allowed in the Judging Ring except the Judge, Show Officials, or an exhibitor taking in a dog for adjudication. (c) 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; (d) The Club will not be responsible for the exhibition of any exhibit in the Ring.

13. Interpretation: The Committee of the Promoting Club shall be the "Show Committee" within the meaning of the I.K.C. Rules, all disputes, if any, shall be dealt with by the Committee. Parties to any dispute shall have the right to appeal to the Irish Kennel Club Ltd.

14. 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.

CLASSIFICATION

Dogs: Baby Puppy,	Puppy	Junior	Intermediate	Open	Champion	Neuter	
Bitches	Baby Puppy,	Puppy	Junior	Intermediate	Open	Champion	Neuter

CLASS DEFINITIONS

Baby Puppy Class is confined to puppies of four months of age and under six months of age on the first day of the show. Baby Puppies are confined to this class and may not compete for any other award other than Best Baby Puppy in Show

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

Junior Class is confined to dogs over 9 and under 18 months of age on the day of the Show.

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

Open Class is confined to dog over 15 months on the day of the Show.

A 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 date of closing of entries and may not compete for any other award other than Best Champion in Show & Champion Stakes.

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.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

**Sunday 19th April 2026 our All Breeds Open Show
And
August 22nd 2026 our All Breed Championship Show.**

October 11th 2026 All Breed Open Show

FOULING

Carrot; We are very proud of the effort and work that we put into making our show successful and enjoyable for you the exhibitor, please help us and show your appreciation by cleaning up after yourself and your dog.

Stick; The IKC rule on fouling will be strictly adhered to. If your dog fouls the venue and you do not clean it up **You Will Be Fined €30.00.** Littering will also not be tolerated.

Proposed Order of Judging

GROUP 1 (JUDGE: MT. T. GALVIN)

Ring 1 Mr. T. Galvin

Australian Shepherd Dog, Belgian Shepherd Dog Groenendael, Belgian Shepherd Dog Laekenois, Collie Bearded, Collie Border, Collie Rough, Collie Smooth, German Shepherd Dog, German Shepherd Dog (Long Coat), Mudi, Old English Sheepdog, Pumi, Shetland Sheepdog, Welsh Corgi Cardigan, Welsh Corgi Pembroke, White Swiss Shepherd Dog, Unlisted Breeds Group 1

GROUP 2 (JUDGE: MT. T. GALVIN)

Ring 1 Mr. T. Galvin

Bernese Mountain Dog, Black Russian Terrier, Boxer, Bulldog, Bullmastiff, Dobermann Pinscher, Dogo Argentino, Giant Schnauzer, Great Dane, Hovawart, Leonberger, Newfoundland, Pinscher Miniature, Pyrenean Mountain Dog, Rottweiler, Schnauzer Miniature, Schnauzer Standard, Shar Pei, St. Bernard Long Haired, St. Bernard Short Haired, Unlisted Breeds Group 2

GROUP 3 (JUDGE: MT. T. GALVIN)

Ring 1 Mr. T. Galvin

Airedale Terrier, American Staffordshire Terrier, Australian Silky Terrier, Border Terrier, Bull Terrier, Bull Terrier Miniature, Cairn Terrier, Dandie Dinmont Terrier, Fox Terrier Smooth Haired, Fox Terrier Wire Haired, Irish Glen Of Imaal Terrier, Irish Soft Coated Wheaten Terrier, Irish Terrier, Jack Russell Terrier, Kerry Blue Terrier, Lakeland Terrier, Norfolk Terrier, Norwich Terrier, Scottish Terrier, Staffordshire Bull Terrier, Unlisted Breeds Group 3

GROUP 4 (JUDGE: MT. T. GALVIN)

Ring 1 Mr. T. Galvin

Dachshund Long Haired, Dachshund Long Haired Kaninchen, Dachshund Long Haired Miniature, Dachshund Smooth Haired, Dachshund Smooth Haired Kaninchen, Dachshund Smooth Haired Miniature, Dachshund Wire Haired, Dachshund Wire Haired Kaninchen, Dachshund Wire Haired Miniature

GROUP 5 (Judge: Mrs. S. O'Brien),

Ring 2 Mrs. S. O'Brien

Akita Inu, Alaskan Malamute, American Akita, Basenji, Chow Chow, Cirneco Dell Etna, German Spitz Klein, German Spitz Mittel, Japanese Shiba Inu, Japanese Spitz, Norwegian Buhund, Norwegian Elkhound, Pomeranian, Samoyed, Siberian Husky, Swedish Lapphund, Unlisted Breeds Group 5

GROUP 6 (Judge: Mrs. S. O'Brien)

Ring 2 Mrs. S. O'Brien

Ariegeois, Basset Fauve De Bretagne, Basset Hound, Beagle, Black And Tan Coonhound, Dalmatian, Kerry Beagle, Porcelaine, Rhodesian Ridgeback, Unlisted Breeds Group 6

GROUP 7 (Judge: Mrs. S. O'Brien)

Ring 2 Mrs. S. O'Brien

Bracco Italiano, German Long Haired Pointer, German Short Haired Pointer, German Wire Haired Pointer, Hungarian Vizsla, Hungarian Wire Haired Vizsla, Italian Spinone, Picardy Spaniel, Pointer, Setter English, Setter Gordon, Setter Irish, Setter Irish Red And White, Spaniel Britany, Weimaraner, Unlisted Breeds Group 7

GROUP 8 (Judge: Mrs. S. O'Brien),

Ring 2 Mrs. S. O'Brien

Lagotto Romagnolo, Retriever Flat Coated, Retriever Golden, Retriever Labrador, Spaniel American Cocker, Spaniel Clumber, Spaniel Cocker, Spaniel English Springer, Spaniel Field, Spaniel Irish Water, Spaniel Sussex, Spaniel Welsh Springer, Spanish Water Dog, Unlisted Breeds Group 8

GROUP 9 (Judge Ms. D. Fitzsimons)

Ring 3 Ms. D. Fitzsimons

Bichon Frise, Boston Terrier, Cavalier King Charles Spaniel, Chihuahua Long Coat, Chihuahua Smooth Coat, Chinese Crested, French Bulldog, Havanese, Japanese Chin, King Charles Spaniel, Lowchen, Maltese, Papillon, Pekingese, Poodle Medium (Over 35 To 45Cm), Poodle Miniature (Over 28 To 35Cm), Poodle Standard (Over 45 To 60Cm), Poodle Toy (Over 24 To 28 Cm), Pug, Shih Tzu, Tibetan Spaniel, Tibetan Terrier, Unlisted Breeds Group 9

GROUP 10 (Judge Ms. D. Fitzsimons)

Ring 3 Ms. D. Fitzsimons

Afghan Hound, Borzoi, Deerhound, Greyhound, Irish Wolfhound, Italian Greyhound, Saluki, Whippet, Unlisted Breeds Group 10

OTHER CLASSES

Mr. T. Galvin

Junior Handling (10-12 Years),

Junior Handling (13 -14 Years),

Junior Handling (15 -17 Years),

Ladies Handling

Gents Handling,

JUDGE: MRS. S. O' BRIEN.

Best Baby Puppy,

Best Puppy

Best Champion,

Best in Show



IRISH KENNEL CLUB CLG

NOTICE TO PARENTS AND GUARDIANS



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 CLG remains the responsibility and in the care of their parent or guardian at all times.

Raven Murphy

**On behalf of the
Board of Directors**

