

# BELGIAN SHEPHERD DOG CLUB OF CANADA



## Obedience Classes Saturday, August 1, 2009

## Conformation including Sexually Altered Classes Juvenile & Veterans Sweepstakes Sunday, August 2, 2009

### “NEW LOCATION”

Springbank Park For All Seasons  
32224 Springbank Rd.  
Calgary, Alberta, Canada

### JUDGES

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Unbenched

To be held outdoors, rain or shine

Unexamined

Permission has been granted by the Canadian Kennel Club  
for the holding of this event under CKC rules & regulations

## **ENTRIES CLOSE: Friday July , 2009 – 9:00 pm MDT**

Enter On-Line at: <http://www.thedogshow.ca> or  
<http://albertakennelclub.org/showtrials.html>

### Extracts From CKC Dog Show Rules

#### Chapter 8 Entries and End of Show

Section 8.2.5 An error in the class, date of birth or sex may be amended on the entry form up to one hour before the start of the show.

Section 8.3.1 Entries: Every dog entered in a Championship show must be one of the following:

- a) registered with the CKC, b) have an Event Registration Number,
- c) be eligible for registration with the CKC, or
- d) if it belongs to a listed breed it must have a Miscellaneous Certification Number (MCN).

Section 8.4.1 Listed Dogs: If a dog is not registered as in 8.3.1 (a) or (b) but is eligible for registration with the CKC, it may be entered at a show as a listed dog provided:

- a) that if born in Canada, it is eligible for individual registration;
- b) that if not born in Canada, is eligible for registration in the records of the CKC.
- c) that if it is a foreign born and owned dog, an Event Registration Number or CKC registration number is obtained from the CKC within 30 days of the first show entered.

Section 8.4.2 Entry of a listed dog at a show must be accompanied by a listing fee as set by the Board in addition to the regular entry fee.

Section 8.5.1 Acceptance of Entries: If indicated in the premium list, an electronically transmitted entry may be accepted provided the entry is accompanied by a credit card charge authorization.

Section 8.5.3 No entry shall be accepted from or on behalf of any person who is officially known to be expelled, deprived of privileges, debarred or suspended by the CKC or any other registering body for pure bred dogs.

Section 8.5.4 After entries close, no further entries may be accepted, cancelled or substituted other than as otherwise stated in this section or as provided for in case of a postal strike.

Section 8.6.1 Refusal of Entries: The authorities of any show may: a) decline to accept entries for just cause, and/or b) refuse to receive or may remove any dog from the show building on account of disease or viciousness. c) in the case of non-acceptance, refund the fee with the reason for non-acceptance.

Section 8.8.2 Fees: Tendering of a dishonoured cheque or declined credit card in payment of an entry fee shall be considered non-payment of said fee and is an offense punishable by disciplinary action and cancellation of awards.

Section 8.9.1 Moving a Dog to Specials: A dog which is individually registered in the records of the CKC or that has a Miscellaneous Certification Number (MCN) and has completed the requirements for a Championship in accordance with these rules but at the time of the closing of entries for a show has not received confirmation of the title, may be transferred from one of the regular classes to Specials Only providing the transfer is submitted to the Show Secretary in writing by the owner or handler at least one hour prior to the opening of the show.

Section 8.9.2 If it is established that a dog transferred to Specials Only has not completed the Championship requirements, all awards will be canceled and all ribbons and prizes won shall be forfeited. The owner may also be subject to disciplinary action.

Section 8.9.3 When one or more All-Breed and/or Specialty Shows are held on the same day, in the same venue, the request for moving of class dogs to Specials must be made a minimum of one hour prior to the scheduled start of the show for which the dog is being moved up to.

Chapter 4 Judges Section 4.1.3 A judge officiating at a show held under these rules shall not be subjected to indignities of any kind during the progress of the show. It shall be the duty and obligation of the club holding the show to see that this rule is effectively carried out.

Section 4.1.6 No person may approach a judge either directly or otherwise, orally or in writing, to favor his entry. Disciplinary action will be taken against any person who violates this rule or against a judge who fails to report any contravention of this rule to the CKC within 14 days of the act.

#### Chapter 14 Disqualifying or Excusing Dogs

Section 14.1.4 Once a dog has been disqualified for any reason at

a conformation show, it may not be entered or shown at another show until the dog has been reinstated by the CKC. All awards earned by a dog shown in violation of this section will be cancelled by the CKC and the owner of the dog is subject to disciplinary action. Note: for information on reinstatement, see Chapter 14

#### Section 14.3 of the Dog Show Rules

Championship Points and Cancellations  
Section 15.1.1 A dog awarded Winners at a conformation show shall be credited with a number of championship points (ranging from 0 to 5) and the number of championship points credited to a dog awarded Winners shall be as provided hereunder.

Section 15.1.2 The schedule to be employed in the determination of the number of points awarded Winners shall be as follows:

Dogs competing*	1	2	3 - 5	6 - 9	10 - 12	13 & more
Points allocated	0	1	2	3	4	5

\*Includes the dog awarded Winners.

In counting the number of eligible dogs in competition, a dog that is disqualified, dismissed, excused or ordered from the ring by the judge shall be included in the calculation for championship points.

Section 15.1.3 If a Dog awarded Winners is also awarded Best of Breed then at the show all dogs competing in the breed, including Specials Only, shall be included the total.

Section 15.1.4 If a Dog awarded Winners is also awarded Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed, then all dogs of the same sex including those competing for Specials Only shall be included in the total.

Section 15.1.5 If a Dog awarded Winners is also awarded Best of Winners, then all dogs defeated directly or indirectly in the breed shall be included in the total.

Section 15.1.6 If a dog is awarded Winners only, then all the dogs of the same sex in the class competition shall be included in the total.

Section 15.1.7 The number of championship points to be credited to a dog awarded Winners shall be determined by the highest award earned and calculated as per this section.

Clarification: Example of directly or indirectly defeating: If the Winners Bitch is awarded Best of Opposite Sex but not Best of Winners, the Best of Winners Male shall be deemed to have indirectly defeated the Specials Bitches, and is thus entitled to add them to the number of dogs and bitches defeated.

Section 15.1.8 In addition to championship points allocated at the breed level, a dog awarded Winners which also places in the regular Group competition shall be credited with the following additional points provided that the dog was defeated at the Group level.

Number of Dogs Competing At Group Level	Dogs Placed First	Dogs Placed Second	Dogs Placed Third	Dogs Placed Fourth
13 or more	5	4	3	2
10 to 12	4	3	2	1
6 to 9	3	2	1	1
5	2	1	1	1
4	2	1	1	0
3	2	1	0	0
2	1	0	0	0
1	0	0	0	0

Section 15.1.9 A dog may not be credited with more than 5 championship points in a single show:

Section 15.1.10 A breed or class shall not be allowed more than 2 sets of championship points per sex on any day in the same venue.

Section 15.1.11 A dog awarded Winners which also places Best in Show at an all-breed conformation show shall be credited with 5 championship points inclusive of any points earned at the breed and group level.

Section 15.1.12 In order for a dog to be recognized as a Champion and its owner provided with a Championship Certificate, the dog must:

- (a) earn at least 10 championship points under at least 3 different judges; and,
- (b) be registered in the records of the CKC, have an Event Registration Number (ERN), or have a Miscellaneous Certification Number (MCN).
- (c) have earned at least one 2 point win either at the breed or group level.

## BELGIAN SHEPHERD DOG CLUB OF CANADA

### Club Officers

President: Lawrence Stanbridge                      Secretary: Del Beaulac  
 Vice-President: Eleanor Heagy                      Treasurer: Donna-Marie Cyr  
 Directors: Irene Gamble, Deborah Rozee  
 Southern Alberta Director: Heather Anderson

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Show Chair: Sharon Haley                      Obedience Chair: Heather Anderson  
 Chief Ring Steward: Moira Thom  
 Show Superintendent: Ariana Brosha, Box 72042, D167 RPO Glenmore Landing,  
 Calgary, AB, T2V 5H9

### SHOW SECRETARY (to whom all entries must be sent) :

#### **Alberta Kennel Club Show Secretaries**

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**E-mail: [specialties@albertakennelclub.org](mailto:specialties@albertakennelclub.org)**

**Website: [www.albertakennelclub.org](http://www.albertakennelclub.org)**

Official Veterinarian: Within easy access (Contact AKC Show Office for directions)

### Official Photographers:

Cathy French Photography

P.O. Box 3118

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## JUDGE'S ASSIGNMENT

**Nancy Anstruther  
 Lawrence E. Stanbridge  
 Lawrence Klassen**

**All Sweepstakes classes  
 All Regular & Non-Regular classes  
 All Obedience classes**

Show precincts shall be within 50 feet of the designated Specialty ring.

OFFICE USE	 OFFICIAL CANADIAN KENNEL CLUB <b>CONFORMATION ENTRY FORM</b> August 2, 2009 <b>Belgian Shepherd Dog Club of Canada</b>	OFFICE USE						
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<i>DAM</i>								
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I CERTIFY that I am the registered owner(s) of the dog or that I am the authorized agent of the owner(s) whose name(s) I have entered above and accept full responsibility for all statements made in this entry. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to be bound by the rules and regulations of the Canadian Kennel Club and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list.								
_____ <i>SIGNATURE OF OWNER OR AGENT</i>								
<i>E-mail address:</i>		<i>TELEPHONE NUMBER</i>						



## PRIZE LIST

The Belgian Shepherd Dog Club of Canada is pleased to offer prizes and rosettes for the following:

BEST OF BREED	BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX
BEST OF WINNERS	BEST PUPPY
WINNERS DOG	WINNERS BITCH
RESERVE WINNERS DOG	RESERVE WINNERS BITCH
BEST STUD DOG & GET	BEST BROOD BITCH & PROGENY
BEST BRACE	BEST TEAM
BEST VETERAN	BEST CANADIAN BRED
BEST BRED BY EXHIBITOR FROM THE BRED BY CLASSES ONLY	
BEST SEXUALLY ALTERED	BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX ALTERED
HIGH IN TRIAL	FIRST IN EACH OBEDIENCE CLASS

Rosettes will be offered for: FIRST through FOURTH in each Conformation class  
Rosettes will be offered for 2<sup>nd</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup> in each Obedience Class

**Award of Merit** One Award of Merit Rosette for every ten dogs competing for Best of Breed may be awarded at the judge's discretion.

**Agility** At the Alberta Kennel Club CKC Agility Trials on Monday, August 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2009 the Belgian Shepherd Dog Club of Canada (Southern Alberta Section) is pleased to offer a rosette & prize to the Belgian Shepherd earning the Highest Qualifying Score (HQS) in Trial #3 and to the Belgian Shepherd earning the highest qualifying score in Trial #4. In the case of a tie the fastest qualifying score will determine the winner. In addition a prize and rosette will be offered to the Belgian Shepherd earning the highest qualifying combined score in Trials #3 & #4. Dogs must qualify in both trials to be eligible for the combined score award. In the case of a tie the fastest combined qualifying score will determine the winner.

**Rally Obedience** The BSDCC (SAS) is pleased to offer rosettes & prizes to the Belgian Shepherds achieving the HQS in Rally Novice A & B combined, HQS in Rally Advanced A & B combined, HQS in Rally Excellent A & B combined and HQS in Rally Advanced Excellent in the Alberta Kennel Club's Rally Obedience Trial #1 on Saturday, August 1st, 2009.

## JUVENILE & VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES

The Belgian Shepherd Dog Club of Canada will retain 25% of each entry fee for expenses. The remaining 75% will be awarded as follows:

25% of class entry fee & rosette	1 <sup>st</sup> place in each class
20% of class entry fee & rosette	2 <sup>nd</sup> place in each class
10% of class entry fee & rosette	3 <sup>rd</sup> place in each class
5% of class entry fee & rosette	4 <sup>th</sup> place in each class
10% of overall entry & rosette	Best in Sweepstakes
5% of overall entry & rosette	Best of Opposite Sex in Sweeps

ALL PRIZES ARE TO BE CLAIMED AT THE SHOW – NO PRIZES WILL BE MAILED

- Entries will be acknowledged after entry closing, with receipt, judging schedule and exhibitor passes. If such acknowledgement is not received one week before the show date, please contact the Show Secretary.
- "It shall be the duty and obligation of the show-giving club to see that a judge, club official, volunteer or any participant at an event held under these rules is not subject to indignities" – CKC rule book, Section 19.7

### **ATTENTION ALL FOREIGN EXHIBITORS**

Effective Jan/1992 all dogs that are foreign-born and foreign-owned and enter Canada for the sole purpose of entering CKC (Canadian Kennel Club) events will no longer require a CKC registration number but will require an ERN - Event Registration Number. This ERN does not register a dog with CKC for breeding purposes as defined in the Animal Pedigree Act but rather enables a foreign-owned dog to be awarded titles by the Canadian Kennel Club. Each dog must have its own number. To obtain an ERN, mail or fax a photocopy of the dog's foreign registration certificate with cheque or VISA/MasterCard number (expiry date, cardholder's name and signature). Provide your complete address for return of the ERN to you. **Cost is \$55.00 plus GST.** ERN MUST BE APPLIED FOR WITHIN 30 DAYS OF FIRST DAY OF ENTERING A CKC EVENT. A CKC ERN registration form can be downloaded from the CKC website: <http://www.ckc.ca>

**CKC FAX NUMBER (416) 675-6506**

**Y'all come and enjoy some Western Hospitality!!!**

Alberta Kennel Club All Breed Show – Springbank Park For All Seasons  
4 sets of Conformation and Obedience for CKC points  
CKC Rally-O Obedience Trials, Aug 1, 2, 3, 2009  
4 CKC Agility Trials Aug 2, 3, 2009

For updates go to [www.albertakennelclub.org](http://www.albertakennelclub.org)  
Show Secretary for AKC is [show.secretary@albertakennelclub.org](mailto:show.secretary@albertakennelclub.org)  
Show Secretary for Specialties is [specialties@albertakennelclub.org](mailto:specialties@albertakennelclub.org)

### **ON-SITE RV PARKING & ACCOMMODATIONS**

Please see the Alberta Kennel Club premium list or consult their website for campgrounds, on-site RV parking, hotels and motels.

AKC website: [www.albertakennelclub.org](http://www.albertakennelclub.org)

Entry fees will be refunded when a bitch entered in Obedience comes into season after the close of entries if a Veterinarian's Certificate (certifying that the bitch was in season within the 10 day period preceding the trial) is delivered to the Trial Secretary prior to the start of the Trial. The Belgian Shepherd Dog Club of Canada will refund entry, recording & listing fees if the above conditions are met.

**Please note:** An exhibitor has the right to withdraw an entry up to the closing date and time as published in the premium list. This may be done by telephone but written or electronic notification must be received by the Show Secretary no later than the official closing date and time. If written notification is not received by that time, the dog will remain entered in the show.

### TROPHY DONATIONS

Donation to the Belgian Shepherd Dog Club of Canada (Southern Alberta Section) Regional Specialty Show will be gratefully accepted. All Donations will be noted in the Catalogue. You may send donations to Grace Harris, her address is listed below in catalogue advertising

### CATALOGUE ADVERTISING

To encourage Exhibitors to show off their beautiful dogs in our Specialty Catalogue the BSDCC is offering a full page **colour** advertisement for \$50.00. **This will include one free Specialty Catalogue for each full page advertisement.** Ads must be camera-ready. Submit your ad by July 3, 2009, with full payment (made payable to BSDCC -SAS) to:

Grace Harris  
5519 Dalrymple Hill N.W.  
Calgary, AB, T3A 1R1

Phone: (403) 247-1890  
E-mail: [geharris@shaw.ca](mailto:geharris@shaw.ca)

**For B&W pricing & other options in size & price in advertising please contact Grace**

### Pre-Order Show Catalogue

Please complete the order form below and your Catalogue(s) will be waiting for you to pick up with your Armband Numbers. A limited number of additional catalogues at the cost of \$12.00 may be available at the show, but no guarantee, please pre-order and prepay. COST: \$10.00. But **NO** charge if you place a full-page colour **ad!!**

#### PRE-ORDERED SHOW CATALOGUE

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ TELEPHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

NUMBER OF CATALOGUES \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$10.00 =

#### GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Dog Show Rule books and Obedience Trial regulations are available from the Canadian Kennel Club. Cost is \$6.00 plus GST per copy.
2. The Show Superintendent will be in full charge of the show which will be governed by CKC rules. All rules and regulations, as outlined in the Alberta Kennel Club premium list, will also apply to this specialty.

### CLASSIFICATIONS

The following CKC classes (divided by sex) will be provided:

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|-------------------------------------|---|
| Junior Puppy                        | for dogs 6 months of age but under 9 months of age  |
| Senior Puppy                        | for dogs 9 months of age but under 12 months of age   |
| 12-18 Months.....                   | for dogs 12 months of age but under 18 months of age  |
| Canadian Bred.....                  | for dogs born in Canada; <u>champions in any country excluded</u>   |
| Bred By Exhibitor...                | for dogs owned and handled in the ring by the breeder for this class, but need not handle the dog for further awards  |
| Open.....                           | for all dogs. <b><u>Divided by coat variety: Groenendael, Tervuren, Malinois &amp; Laeken.</u></b>  |
| Veteran                             | for any dog, 7 years of age or older on the day of the show. These dogs do not compete for Winners, but the winner of this class shall go on to compete for Best of Breed. <b>DOGS COMPETING IN THIS CLASS MAY BE SPAYED OR NEUTERED.</b>   |
| Specials Only.....                  | for any dog who is a Canadian Champion. A CKC Registration or ERN must be indicated on the entry form at time of closing. The entry of a 'listed' dog in Specials Only is not allowed.  |
| Exhibition Only.....                | dogs entered in this class may not compete in any Regular class but may enter and compete in Non-Regular classes and/or Parades if provided for in this premium list. Puppies 3 to 6 months entered in Exhibition Only                      |
| Exhibition Only .....<br>3-6 Months | puppies 3-6 months of age may be entered in Exhibition Only 3-6 Months provided the owner(s) has entered a dog in a Regular Official Class. These Puppies may not participate in any regular, non-regular or unofficial classes or Parades. |

### NON-REGULAR CONFORMATION CLASSES

#### Juvenile Sweepstakes

To Compete In Juvenile Sweepstakes Class, Dogs Must Be Entered In a Regular Class, Or For Specials Only. Entry In Juvenile Sweepstakes From The Exhibition Only Class Is Not Allowed.

Classes will be divided by age and sex as follows:

6-9 Months      9-12 Months      12-15 Months      15-18 Months

Dogs entered in the following classes may be spayed/neutered and entered from a Regular class, Veterans Class, Specials Only or Exhibition Only. Dogs may be spayed or neutered.

#### Veteran Sweepstakes

Classes will be divided by sex and age as follows:

7-9 Years      9-12 years      12 years & older

### **Stud Dog & Get**

Stud Dog and two or more of his get, not necessarily owned by the same person

### **Brood Bitch & Progeny**

Brood Bitch and two or more of her Progeny, not necessarily owned by the same owner

### **BRACE**

Two dogs (either sex or mixed) shown on one lead, not necessarily owned by the same owner

### **TEAM**

Four dogs (either sex or mixed) shown on one lead, not necessarily owned by the same owner

## **SEXUALLY ALTERED DOG CLASSES**

Eligibility for the Altered Dog Classes shall be limited to dogs over 6 months of age which have been sexually altered by veterinary procedure.

Points MAY NOT be carried from the regular competition judging to the Altered Dog Class judging. These classes will be judged immediately after Best of Breed of the regular classes.

Two classes will be offered:                      Altered Male & Altered Female

Classes will be placed first through fourth in both sexes, the first place winner from each class will be declared Winners and the second place winner will be declared Reserve Winners. The Altered Winners Male and the Altered Winners Female will then compete for Best of Breed Altered and Best of Opposite Sex Altered in breed

## **OBEDIENCE TRIAL – August 1, 2009**

The following obedience classes will be offered: Novice A; Novice B; Open A; Open B & Utility; Pre-Novice & Veterans.

**Please ensure jump height is indicated on entry form for Open and Utility.**

Regular Obedience Classes

**Novice A** for any purebred dog that has not earned the title of CD. Only one dog may be entered in this class by any one exhibitor. The dog must be handled by the owner or member of his immediate family. No licensed handler, no trainer, nor any person who has previously handled a dog through its UD title in Canada or elsewhere shall be allowed to compete in this class. A dog which has won a comparable degree in any foreign country is not eligible for entry in this class.

**Novice B** for any purebred dog that has not earned the title of CD in CANADA.. Dogs in this class may be handled by any person. More than one dog may be entered by any handler, but each dog must have a separate handler for the 'sit' and 'down' exercise. A dog which has won a comparable degree in any foreign country is eligible for this class.

**Open A** for any purebred dog that has earned the title of CD but has not won the title of CDX. Only one dog may be entered in this class by any one exhibitor. The dog must be handled by the owner or a member of his immediate family. No licensed handler, no trainer, nor any person who has previously handled a dog through its UD title in Canada or elsewhere shall be allowed to compete in this class. A dog which has won a comparable degree in any foreign country is not eligible for entry in this class.

**Open B** for any purebred dog that has earned the title of CD, CDX or UD in CANADA. Dogs in this class may be handled by any person. More than one dog may be entered by any handler, but each dog must have a separate handler for the 'sit' and 'down' exercise. A dog which has won a comparable degree in any foreign country is eligible for this class. A dog may be entered in both Open A and Open B at any one trial.

**Utility** for any purebred dog that has earned the title of CDX in CANADA

**Exhibition Only Obedience** For all dogs over 6 months of age and eligible for registration with the Canadian Kennel Club

**Transition Obedience Class (N.B. Scores earned by dogs entered in Transition Classes are not eligible for High in Trial.)**

**Pre-Novice** For any purebred dog that has not earned the PCD or CD title. Dogs may be handled by the owner or any other person and a person may enter more than one dog in this class but must have an additional handler for each dog when judged together in Group Exercise.

**Novice Intermediate** For any purebred dog that has earned the CD, CDX, Utility title or any other advanced obedience title in Canada. Dogs may be handled by the owner or any other person and a person may enter more than one dog in this class but must have an additional handler for each dog when judged together in Group Exercise.

**Novice C** For any purebred dog that has earned the CD, CDX, Utility title, or any other advanced obedience title in Canada. Dogs may be handled by the owner or any other person and a person may enter more than one dog in this class but must have an additional handler for each dog when judged together in Group Exercise.

**Unofficial Obedience Classes** PLEASE NOTE: Dogs entered in non-regular or unofficial classes must be entered in a regular class or for Exhibition Only.

**Graduate Novice** For any purebred dog that has not earned a qualifying score towards the CDX title but has attained the title CD in Canada. Dogs may be handled by the owner or any other person and a person may enter more than one dog in this class but must have an additional handler for each dog when judged together in Group Exercise

**Graduate Open** For any purebred dog that has not gained a qualifying score toward the UD title but has obtained the title CDX, the Dogs may be handled by the owner or any other person and a person may enter more than one dog in this class but must have an additional handler for each dog when judged together in Group Exercise

**Versatility** For any dog that has attained the title CDX and at least 1 leg of the Utility or had obtained a UD in Canada. The Dogs may be handled by the owner or any other person and a person may enter more than one dog in this class but must have an additional handler for each dog when judged together in Group Exercise

**Brace** For any 2 dogs that have attained not less than a CD title in Canada, not necessarily owned by the same person. The 2 dogs shall be hitched together with a chain or coupling and are judged on the performance of the 2 dogs as if they were 1

**Team** For any 4 dogs that have attained not less than a CD title in Canada, not necessarily owned by the same person. 5 dogs may be entered, with one considered an alternate but the same 4 dogs must compete in all exercises

**Veteran** Dogs which have attained at least a Canadian CD title and are age seven years or older.