


<p><b>General</b></p>	 <p><b>KUSA CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW</b> This Show is the Qualifying Show for participation at Crufts 2025 (at the exhibitor's own expense). All CC and BOB Winners will qualify.</p>	<p>Breeds will be judged in alphabetical order with puppies being judged first, followed by adults of the same Breed.</p> <p>On completion of the Breed judging in a particular Group, Puppy Winners in that Group will immediately compete for Best Puppy in Group in the same ring.</p> <p>All Puppy Group Winners will compete for the National Puppy Title in the Main Ring.</p> <p>All Adult Best of Breed winners will compete in the KUSA National Group finals in the main ring.</p> <p>All Group Winners will compete for the National Dog Title in the Main Ring.</p>	<p><b>Breed Classes:</b> All BOB winners will be awarded the title KUSA BREED WINNER (2024) and this will be recorded on the dog's registration document (ZAW'24).</p> <p><b>Child Handler:</b> The winner of this event shall be declared to be KUSA WINNERS CHILD HANDLER (2024).</p> <p><b>Junior Handler:</b> The winner of this event shall be declared to be KUSA WINNERS JUNIOR HANDLER (2024).</p> <p><b>Handler Exhibits.</b> Any dog that is to be used for handling must be entered in a Breed Class at this KUSA Winners Show.</p>
<p><b>Breed Classes:</b></p>	<p><b>KUSA Championship Show (Friday, 31<sup>st</sup> May, 2024)</b> Minor Puppy (6 - 9 months), Puppy (9 - 12 months), Junior (12 – 18 months), Graduate (18 – 24 months), <b>SA Bred</b>, Veteran (7 years+), Open, Champion, Baby Puppy* (4 - 6 months) <i>(*not eligible for CC or BOB)</i></p> <p><b>KUSA Winners Show (Sunday, 2<sup>nd</sup> June, 2024)</b> Minor Puppy (6 - 9 months), Puppy (9 - 12 months), Junior (12 – 18 months), Graduate (18 – 24 months), Veteran (7 years+), Open, Champion, Baby Puppy* (4 - 6 months) <i>(*not eligible for CC or BOB)</i></p>		
<p><b>Order of Judging:</b></p> <p><b>KUSA CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW</b></p>	<p><b>Breed:</b> Best of Breed, Best Puppy in Breed, Best Junior in Breed, <b>Best SA Bred in Breed</b>, Best Veteran in Breed, Baby Puppy Dog and Bitch Classes, then Best Baby Puppy in Breed.</p> <p><b>Groups:</b> Best in Group, Best Baby Puppy in Group, Best Puppy in Group, Best Junior in Group, <b>Best SA Bred in Group</b>, Best Veteran in Group.</p> <p><b>In Shows:</b> Child &amp; Junior Handler, Brace Challenge, Best Baby Puppy in Show, Best Puppy in Show, Best Junior in Show, <b>Best SA Bred in Show</b>, Best Veteran in Show &amp; Best in Show.</p>		
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<p><b>KUSA NATIONAL AWARDS BREED – INFORMATION</b></p>	<p><b><u>KUSA NATIONALS ELIGIBILITY:</u></b> <b>KUSA National Puppy:</b> For dogs under twenty-four (24) months of age on the day of the Show, which have been awarded "Best Puppy in Show" at an All-Breeds Club Championship Show (excluding FCI Shows). <b>KUSA National Dog:</b> Only Champions of record are eligible to enter. Champion Certificate or KUSA Letter of Confirmation must have been issued before closing date.</p> <p><b>KUSA NATIONAL FINAL AWARDS PROGRAMME TO BE ADVISED CLOSER TO SHOW DATE.</b></p>		

<p><b>KUSA NATIONAL HANDLERS COMPETITION</b></p>			
	<p><b>Adult Handler</b></p>	<p><b>Child Handler</b></p>	<p><b>Junior Handler</b></p>
<p><b>Date</b></p>	<p><b>Saturday, 1<sup>st</sup> June, 2024</b></p>	<p><b>Saturday, 1<sup>st</sup> June, 2024</b></p>	<p><b>Saturday, 1<sup>st</sup> June, 2024</b></p>
<p><b>TIME &amp; FORMAT</b></p>	<p><b>12h00 - Prelims (with own dog):</b> After completion of all Group Judging for KUSA Nationals Breed.</p>	<p>Upon completion of Adult Handler Prelims. <b>Prelims (with own dog)</b></p>	<p>Upon completion of Child Handler Prelims. <b>Prelim (with own dog but will swap dogs during judging)</b></p>
<p><b>MAIN RING</b></p>	<p><b>SHORTLIST TO 4</b> <b>Finals:</b> With National Finals on Saturday PM. Programme TBA</p> <p><i>Open to all Handlers over 18 years of age. No person may enter both the Junior Handler Class and the Adult Handler Class.</i></p>	<p><b>SHORTLIST TO 4</b> <b>Finals:</b> With National Finals on Saturday PM. Programme TBA</p> <p><i>For persons of eight (8) but under twelve (12) years of age on the day of the National Competition, who have qualified to enter in terms of Regulation 5 of Schedule 05E(12). <b>By invitation only.</b></i></p>	<p><b>SHORTLIST TO 4</b> <b>Finals:</b> With National Finals on Saturday PM. Programme TBA</p> <p><i>For persons of eleven (11), but under eighteen (18) years of age. Only open to Handlers whose eighteenth (18<sup>th</sup>) birthday does not fall on or before 1<sup>st</sup> June, 2024. <b>By invitation only.</b></i></p>
<p><b>GENERAL</b></p>	<p>All Handler Class entries must be submitted via Show Assist and the required proof of age, in the form of either a copy of a birth certificate, the first page of an identity document, or passport, to be emailed to <a href="mailto:shnicks@lantic.net">shnicks@lantic.net</a>. Proof of qualification for entry as required in terms of Regulation 5.1., will be verified by the Show Assist Online Entry Portal – no need to submit copy of Qualifying Certificate. It is not mandatory for any dog competing in these Competitions to compete in a breed Class at the Shows at which the Competitions are held. Your Handler entry DOES NOT need to be linked to an exhibit entered in any of the Breed Shows held over the KUSA Classic weekend. Show Assist will allow Handler entrants to submit exhibit information for a dog which is not entered for this event.</p>		
<p><b>★ ★ ★ All National Handler Winners will be presented with their awards on completion of the final judging. ★ ★ ★</b></p>			