



# Dukeries (Notts) Gundog Club



Hon Patron – Mrs B Jayne Mawer President - Mrs B Middleton

## Spaniel Field Trial Schedules 2023/24

STAKE	<b>16 Dog - NOVICE – AV Spaniel KC Licence</b> Held Under Kennel Club Rules & Regulations, Subject also to the enclosed Rules and Conditions
DATE	<b>Monday 4<sup>th</sup> December 2023</b>
VENUE	Stubton Shoot, Brandon, Lincolnshire, NG32 2AX By kind permission of Sir James Dyson & Mr Malcolm Partridge, with a big thank you to our supporting Guns
MEET	Directions and details for the meet will be provided with the results of the draw
JUDGES	<b>Mr L Cooper A Mr J Toon B, Mr L Burgin NP Miss L Allen NP</b>
PRIZES	First: Trophy TBC Guns Choice TBC
ENTRY	<b>Closing Date:</b> Saturday 18 <sup>th</sup> November 2023 at 23.59, whether by post (in hand, not post mark or FTMS )
	<b>Online:</b> Entries accepted online via Field trial Management System ( <a href="http://www.ftms.info">www.ftms.info</a> )
	<b>Post:</b> Please return completed entry form, cheques made payable to Dukeries (Notts) Gundog Club and an SAE to the Field trial Secretary, at the address set out below, by the Closing Date.
	<b>Preference:</b> Dogs which have NOT gained a 1st 2nd 3rd or 4th in a 24 dog Open Stake, 1st 2nd or 3rd in a 12 dog Open Stake or 1st in All Aged or Novice Stakes
FEES	<b>Entry Fee (member) £50 per dog, Entry Fee (non-member) £75 per dog</b>
DRAW	The draw will take place by FTMS at 19.00 on Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> November 2023

STAKE	<b>16 Dog - OPEN – Cocker KC Licence</b> Held Under Kennel Club Rules & Regulations, Subject also to the enclosed Rules and Conditions
DATE	<b>Monday 11<sup>th</sup> December 2023</b>
VENUE	Stapleford Estate, Stapleford, Melton Mowbray, Leicestershire By kind permission of Lord Gretton, with a big thank you to our supporting Guns
MEET	Directions and details for the meet will be provided with the results of the draw
JUDGES	<b>Mr B Faley A, Mr J Keegan B,</b>
PRIZES	First: Trophy TBC Guns Choice Trophy TBC
ENTRY	<b>Closing Date:</b> Saturday 25 <sup>th</sup> November 2023 at 23.59, whether by post (in hand, not post mark or FTMS )
	<b>Online:</b> Entries accepted online via Field trial Management System ( <a href="http://www.ftms.info">www.ftms.info</a> )
	<b>Post:</b> Please return completed entry form, cheques made payable to Dukeries (Notts) Gundog Club and an SAE to the Field trial Secretary, at the address set out below, by the Closing Date.
	<b>Preference:</b> Will be given to dogs which have gained awards as follows. Open: 1st 2nd 3rd or 4th in a 24 dog Open Stake, 1st 2nd or 3rd in a 12 dog Open Stake, or 1st in All Aged or Novice Stakes
FEES	<b>Entry Fee (member) £50 per dog, Entry Fee (non-member) £75 per dog</b>
DRAW	The draw will take place by FTMS at 19.00 on Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> November 2023

STAKE	<b>16 Dog – OPEN – AV Spaniel ex Cocker KC License</b> Held Under Kennel Club Rules & Regulations, Subject also to the enclosed Rules and Conditions
DATE	<b>Monday 18<sup>th</sup> December 2023</b>
VENUE	Stubton Shoot, Brandon, Lincolnshire, NG32 2AX By kind permission of Sir James Dyson & Mr Malcolm Partridge, with a big thank you to our supporting Guns
MEET	Directions and details for the meet will be provided with the results of the draw
JUDGES	<b>Mr R Ellershaw A, Mrs A Hayes B,</b>
PRIZES	First: Trophy TBC Guns Choice Trophy TBC
ENTRY	<b>Closing Date:</b> Saturday 2 <sup>nd</sup> December 2023 at 23.59, whether by post (in hand, not post mark or FTMS )
	<b>Online:</b> Entries accepted online via Field trial Management System ( <a href="http://www.ftms.info">www.ftms.info</a> )
	<b>Post:</b> Please return completed entry form, cheques made payable to Dukeries (Notts) Gundog Club and an SAE to the Field trial Secretary, at the address set out below, by the Closing Date.
	<b>Preference:</b> TO DOGS WHICH HAVE GAINED A FIELD TRIAL AWARD, THEN TO DOGS WITH NO AWARDS See notes accompanying schedules
FEES	<b>Entry Fee (member) £50 per dog, Entry Fee (non-member) £75 per dog</b>
DRAW	The draw will take place by FTMS at 19.00 on Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> December 2023

STAKE	<b>16 Dog – NOVICE – AV Spaniel KC License</b> Held Under Kennel Club Rules & Regulations, Subject also to the enclosed Rules and Conditions
DATE	<b>Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> January 2024</b>
VENUE	Wentworth Woodhouse, South Yorkshire, S62 7TF By kind permission of Wentworth Park Shoot, with a big thank you to our supporting Guns
MEET	Directions and details for the meet will be provided with the results of the draw
JUDGES	<b>Mr M Deacon A, Mr J Briggs B, Mr J Robertson NP AN other TBC</b>
PRIZES	First: Trophy TBC Guns Choice Trophy TBC
ENTRY	<b>Closing Date:</b> Saturday 30 <sup>th</sup> December 2023 at 23.59, whether by post (in hand, not post mark or FTMS )
	<b>Online:</b> Entries accepted online via Field trial Management System ( <a href="http://www.ftms.info">www.ftms.info</a> )
	<b>Post:</b> Please return completed entry form, cheques made payable to Dukeries (Notts) Gundog Club and an SAE to the Field trial Secretary, at the address set out below, by the Closing Date.
	<b>Preference:</b> TO DOGS WHICH HAVE GAINED A FIELD TRIAL AWARD, THEN TO DOGS WITH NO AWARDS See notes accompanying schedules
FEES	<b>Entry Fee (member) £50 per dog, Entry Fee (non-member) £75 per dog</b>
DRAW	The draw will take place by FTMS at 19.00 on Sunday 31 <sup>st</sup> December 2023

**Spaniel Field Trial Secretary:**  
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1. Dogs entered at Kennel Club Licensed Field Trials must be registered at the Kennel Club in accordance with the Kennel Club Regulations for Classification and Registration B. The running order of the stake will be in the order of the draw.
2. More than one entry may be applied for; but no owner can be allocated a second entry until all entries have received an offer of a run. Post-dated cheques will not be accepted.
3. All entries must be via post or FTMS.info Postal entries must supply a SAE for each Trial entered, to receive a copy of the draw. Copy of the draw will be emailed to the registered email address, it will also be available on FTMS and will be advertised on The Dukeries (Notts) Gundog Club web site.
4. All dogs resident outside the UK must be issued with a Kennel Club Authority to Compete number before entry to the Show/Event can be made. All overseas entries without Authority to Compete will be returned to the exhibitor/competitor.
5. Entries must be in the hands of the Breed Secretary by the date shown on the schedule. Anyone unable to run must notify the Breed Secretary by telephone or text message. Email withdrawals will not be accepted.
6. **KC Regulation J 7.f** applies to those being successful in the draw but not taking up the place. Substitution for similarly qualified dogs will be allowed. Reserves will be substituted for absentees at advertised time for start of the trial. Competitors should report to the Chief Steward 15 minutes before the time for the start of the trial.
7. If entries exceed the number of permitted runners, the right to compete in a Trial shall be decided by ballot.
8. There will be a refund of entry fees, less expenses incurred by the Club, if the trial is cancelled. Administration fees are non-refundable under any circumstances.
9. The Field Trial will be held under Kennel Club Rules and Field Trial Regulations and thereafter at the discretion of the Judges. The Field Trial Committee for the day will be formed from those of the Field Trial Committee present, plus the Judges' ex-officio. Should circumstances so dictate the Society, in consultation with the judges may alter arrangements, as necessary. Such changes and the circumstances surrounding them will be reported to the Kennel Club.
10. The Dukeries (Notts) Gundog Club recommends that all dogs running should be protected against parvo virus and other contagious diseases. No bitch in season nor any dog suffering from a contagious disease will be permitted to run and must be removed forthwith.
11. The Trial will be deemed to have commenced when announced by the Chief Steward; when all competing dogs and handlers must be present.
12. Only competing dogs or those fulfilling some official activity will be allowed on to the trial ground. All persons are to check with the Chief Steward before exercising their dogs.
13. Unless otherwise stated trophies are kept at the joint responsibility of the winners and the Club for one year. The winner will be responsible for engraving the trophy and for its return to the Breed Secretary before the next succeeding Field Trial. (Clean and in good order!)
14. The Club reserves the right to refuse entries. Competitors and spectators must always obey the red flag bearer and are required to be always of good behaviour facilitating the smooth running of the trial and consideration of the host's property and interests.
15. Persons attending the trial do so at their own risk.
16. Members gaining a run in Novice Stake 1 will go to the bottom of the draw in Novice Stake 2. The same system will apply to stakes of other categories. Swapping runs is not allowed.
17. No modification may be made to the schedule after publication except by permission of the Kennel Club, followed by advertisement in appropriate journals if time permits before the closing entries.
18. Judges at a Trial are prohibited from entering a dog which is recorded in their ownership or part ownership.
19. Videography and Photography will only be permitted with the express permission of the Chief Steward.

## Welfare of Dogs

**20.** An exhibitor (or Competitor) whose dog is entered at a Kennel Club Licensed event should take all reasonable steps to ensure the needs of their dog(s) are met, and should knowingly put their dog's health and welfare at risk by any action, default, omission or otherwise. A breach of this regulation may be referred to the General Committee for disciplinary action under Kennel Club Rules and Regulations.

### **DOG IN CARS ON HOT DAYS**

**21.** Your dog is Vulnerable and at RISK if left in a vehicle in high temperatures and even on days considered as slightly warm. Please take care of your dog.

**22.** If your dog is found to be at risk forcible entry to your vehicle may be necessary without liability for any damage.

**Please return 2022 Trophies (clean and in good order!) as soon as possible to the appropriate breed Secretaries.**

If a competitor, or anyone in their household has Covid-19 related symptoms or has tested positive for Covid-19 they must not attend the event and should self-isolate in line with government advice.

[https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/self-isolation\[1\]andreatment/when-to-self-isolate-and-what-to-do](https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/self-isolation[1]andreatment/when-to-self-isolate-and-what-to-do)