



Irish Wolfhound Club of Scotland

Criteria to be Included on Judges Lists

(September 2024)

A1 LIST BREED SPECIALIST & NON BREED SPECIALIST

For persons who have previously been approved by the Kennel Club to award CCs in the breed and have completed their first judging appointment and who have the support of the Irish Wolfhound Club of Scotland.

A2 LIST BREED SPECIALIST & NON-BREED SPECIALIST

For persons who fulfil all the requirements for the 'A3' list and who have been assessed and accepted by the Kennel Club for inclusion on an 'A2' list and who have the support of the Irish Wolfhound Club of Scotland.

A3 LIST BREED SPECIALIST

1. Minimum 7 years' judging experience in the breed and have support of the Irish Wolfhound Club of Scotland. (KC Policy).
2. To have judged a minimum of 25 Irish Wolfhound classes with a minimum of 70 Irish Wolfhounds present and judged.
3. To have bred and or owned a minimum of three Irish Wolfhounds when they obtained their first entry in the Kennel Club Stud Book (save in exceptional circumstances). (KC Policy)
4. To have attended a seminar given by a Kennel Club Accredited Trainer and passed the examination on Kennel Club Regulations and Judging Procedures. (KC Policy)
5. To have attended a seminar given by a Kennel Club Accredited Trainer on Conformation and Movement (KC Policy) and passed a Conformation and Movement Hands-On Assessment conducted by a Kennel Club Accredited Trainer. (KC Policy).
6. To have attended at least one breed specific seminar run in accordance with Kennel Club Code of Best Practice and passed an examination and/or assessment where applicable. (KC Policy)
7. Should agree to submit a written critique to the dog press for all future Irish Wolfhound judging appointments. (Submission of copies of critiques from any previous Irish Wolfhound judging appointments would be appreciated.)
8. Should provide a full judging CV.
9. To have stewarded at 12 shows. (KC Policy)

A3 LIST NON-BREED SPECIALIST

1. Minimum 7 years' judging experience in any one breed (to include five years in Irish Wolfhounds) and have the support of the Irish Wolfhound Club of Scotland.
2. To have judged a minimum of 30 Irish Wolfhound classes with 90 Irish Wolfhounds present and judged.
3. To have bred and/or owned a minimum of three dogs of any breed when they obtained their first entry in the Kennel Club Stud Book (save in exceptional circumstances).

4. To have attended at least one breed specific judging seminar run in accordance with the Kennel Club Code of Best Practice and passed an examination and/or assessment where applicable.
5. To have awarded CCs in at least one other breed. (KC Policy)
6. Should agree to submit a written critique to the dog press for all future Irish Wolfhound judging appointments. (The submission of a copy of a critique from any previous Irish Wolfhound judging appointments would be appreciated.)
7. Should provide a full judging CV

B LIST BREED SPECIALIST

1. To have 5 years experience owning and exhibiting Irish Wolfhounds and have the support of the Irish Wolfhound Club of Scotland.
2. To have judged a minimum of 10 classes with 20 Irish Wolfhounds present and judged.
3. To have owned or bred at least one Irish Wolfhound when it qualified for its first entry in the Kennel Club Stud Book
4. To have attended at least one Irish Wolfhound educational seminar demonstrating understanding of breed type, how to assess an Irish Wolfhound, how to go over the dog and how to recognise important features of the breed.
5. Should agree to submit a written critique to the dog press for all future Irish Wolfhound judging appointments. (The submission of a copy of a critique from any previous Irish Wolfhound judging appointments would be appreciated.)
6. Should provide a full judging CV.

B LIST NON-BREED SPECIALIST

1. To have a minimum of five years experience owning and exhibiting in own breed and have the support of the Irish Wolfhound Club of Scotland.
2. To have judged a minimum of 15 classes and 30 Irish Wolfhounds present and judged.
3. To have owned or bred at least one dog when it qualified for its first entry in the Kennel Club Stud Book.
4. To have attended at least one Irish Wolfhound educational seminar demonstrating understanding of breed type, how to assess an Irish Wolfhound, how to go over the dog and how to recognise important features of the breed.
5. Should agree to submit a written critique to the dog press for all future Irish Wolfhound judging appointments. (The submission of a copy of a critique from any previous Irish Wolfhound judging appointments would be appreciated.)
6. Should provide a full judging CV.

C LIST BREED SPECIALIST

For aspiring judges who have shown an interest in the breed and have the support of the Irish Wolfhound Club of Scotland.

1. To have at least three years' experience of exhibiting Irish Wolfhounds.
2. To have attended at least one Irish Wolfhound breed specific educational seminar.

3. Brief statement of involvement in the breed.

C LIST NON BREED SPECIALIST

For aspiring judges who have shown an interest in the breed and have the support of the Irish Wolfhound Club of Scotland. Must be included on own breed B list or above.

1. To have at least three years' experience of exhibiting their own breed.
2. To have attended at least one Irish Wolfhound breed specific educational seminar
3. Provide a full judging CV.