

# SOUTHERN BERNESE MOUNTAIN DOG CLUB



**SILVER JUBILEE 1986-2011**

## Working & Fun Weekend

**Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> & Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> July 2011**

**The Blue Ship, The Haven, Nr Billingshurst  
West Sussex RH14 9BS**

**Location of the Venue** – Please see map on last page



### **Events over the weekend include:**

- Caravan and Camping
- Carting Parades
- Have a go Carting
- Working Cart Course Classes
- Obedience Competitions
- Family Fun Show
- Saturday Evening Get Together
- Good Citizen Tests
- Grand Raffles
- Club Stall
- Fastest Recall Competition
- Novelty Classes

**Entry Fee for all classes £1.50**

***All dogs must be under the absolute control of their owners at all times during the weekend so as not to cause any harm or trouble to others. Also, this is a lovely venue, so please help us to keep it that way by clearing up after your dogs***

***Remedial action will be taken in the event of dogs left in cars found to be in a distressed condition.***

## Caravan and Camping - Costs are £13 per night

**Anyone arriving without pre-booking will be charged £17 per night**

There are a limited number of spaces for Caravans, Campers and Tents available from Thursday to Sunday night, inclusive. Waste disposal facilities will be available, however it would assist the Committee immensely if folk could deal with their own waste as much as possible. Places **MUST** be booked in advance and will be allocated on a first come, first served basis.

**No arrivals before 12 noon on Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> July** and in the interest of safety and for ease of access, please be on site **no later than 10:30am on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> July**. Classes start at 11am. **All Caravans, Campers and Tents must vacate the site no later than midday on Monday 25<sup>th</sup> July.**

For further enquiries, please contact:  
**Bruce Hellingsworth (Carabaz) 020 8241 9628**

## SATURDAY 23<sup>rd</sup> JULY 2011

### Carting Parades - Judged by **GEORGE BENNING** (Oakben)

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| <b>Class 1</b> | 11:00am          | Decorated Swiss Cart                    |
| <b>Class 2</b> | 11:45am approx.  | Best Carting Turnout                    |
| <b>Class 3</b> | 12:45 am approx. | Decorated Cart <b>Pop Goes the 80's</b> |



### Have a go Carting – With **LEE PALMER** and **ROY TOMS**

The Club Cart and tuition will be available throughout the weekend.

### Working Cart Course Classes – Judged by **BELLE OWEN**

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| <b>Class 4</b> | Advanced     |                           |
| <b>Class 5</b> | Intermediate | Classes 10:00am to 4:00pm |
| <b>Class 6</b> | Beginners    |                           |

### Obedience Competitions – Judged by **ALISON MOSS** steward **LINDA DEWEY** From 10:00am (please book your entry by 11:00am).

#### **Class 7 Have a Go**

For Bernese Dogs that have never been placed in an obedience competition. Heel on Lead. Recall with no finish (off lead from sit or down position). Stay ½ minute and Down Stay 1 minute. All stays to be on lead.

#### **Class 8 Triers**

For Bernese Dogs that have never been placed 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup> in an obedience competition at an Open Show.

Heel on Lead. Heel Free. Recall with Finish (from a sit or down position). Sit Stay 1 minute. Down Stay 2 minutes. All Stays to be off lead.

#### **Class 9 Future Stars**

Open to All Bernese.

Heel Free. "A" Recall (from sit or down position). Retrieve Dumb-Bell. Scent Discrimination (Handlers article not Dumb-Bell).

Sit Stay 2 minutes. Down Stay 3 minutes (all stays to be off lead).

#### **Class 10 Not for Competition Training Round**

Open to any Breed of Dog that would like to take part in any of the above classes as a "Not for Competition Training" round only.

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## Family Fun Show – Judged by SHARON WOODBURN

From 2.30pm onwards

<b>Class 11</b>	Fluffy Puppies	Dog or Bitch under 6 months
<b>Class 12</b>	Puppies	Dog or Bitch 6-12 months
<b>Class 13</b>	ASBO's	Dog or Bitch up to 2 years
<b>Class 14</b>	LADS	Dogs 2-5 years
<b>Class 15</b>	Laddettes	Bitches 2-5 years
<b>Class 16</b>	Bonnie Bitches	6-7 years
<b>Class 17</b>	Dapper Dogs	6-7 years
<b>Class 18</b>	Bus Pass Class	Dog or Bitch 7-9 years
<b>Class 19</b>	Golden Oldies	Dog or Bitch over 9 years
<b>Class 20</b>	Prettiest BMD Bitch	
<b>Class 21</b>	Handsomest BMD Dog	

Rosettes will be offered for 1<sup>st</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> Places

## Saturday Evening Get Together – From approx. 6:30pm onwards

### Re-Live the 80's

#### **Photo Competition 1986**

Please bring your 1980's photos.

A prize will be offered to the person for identifying the most correctly.

"TO ANY FOUNDER MEMEBERS" who will not be able to join us for the evening to add to the fun, please send your photo to Irene Soper for inclusion in the competition. Make sure that your name is on the back and please enclose a S.A.E. for return afterwards.

### **Quiz**

#### **Celebration of Our Silver Jubilee**

Have a piece of Celebration Cake and Raise a glass  
Celebrate our Club's 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

#### **Light Refreshments**

Light Refreshments will be provided



- **SPECIAL PRESIDENT'S AWARD**

**Grateful Thanks to sponsors of the following Trophies:**

- **Best Overall Working Dog (Saturday) – sponsor George Benning**
- **Best Overall Obedience (Saturday) – sponsor Irene Soper**
- **Best Puppy (Sunday) – sponsor Trish Goodyear.**

*Winners of Best Overall Working Dog, Best Overall Obedience and Best Puppy  
will receive a 15kg bag of Arden Grange Dog food*

# SUNDAY 24<sup>th</sup> JULY 2011

## Novelty Classes – Judged by **JAMES CONNELLY** (Kossberne)

Entries from 10:00am. Judging from 11:00am. Lunch break approx. 12.30pm.

- Class 1**            **Decorated Cart Swiss Theme**
- Class 2**            **Bernese Puppy Walk** 4–6 months, Dog or Bitch
- Class 3**            **Bernese Puppy Walk** 7-12 months, Dog or Bitch
- Class 4**            **Cutest Puppy** under 4 months, Dog or Bitch
- Class 5**            **BMD Veteran** over 7 under 9 years, Dog or Bitch – FREE ENTRY
- Class 6**            **BMD Veteran** 9 years and over, Dog or Bitch – FREE ENTRY
- Class 7**            **Family Group** of Humans and Dogs
- Class 8**            **Handsomest Dog**
- Class 9**            **Prettiest Bitch**
- Class 10**           **Best Condition Dog**
- Class 11**           **Best Condition Bitch**
- Class 12**           **Best Six Legs**
- Class 13**           **Best Swiss Cross**
- Class 14**           **Waggiest Tail**
- Class 15**           **Best Alternative Breed or Cross**

## Junior Handling Classes - Judged by **LINDSEY WORROW** (Downland)

- Class 16**           **Junior Handling** up to 7 years
- Class 17**           **Junior Handling** 8-11 years
- Class 18**           **Junior Handling** 12-16 years

Classes 16, 17 & 18 will be held during the lunch break at approximately 1:00pm.

**Rosettes will be offered for 1<sup>st</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> places**  
**Special memento rosettes will be given for Classes 5 & 6**

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## Good Citizen Tests – Examiner **CAROLINE GRANT**

10:00am to 4:00pm – Entry Fee £3.00

**Kennel Club Bronze, Silver and Gold Awards**



*Good Citizen Logo reproduced with the  
kind permission of The Kennel Club*

**Raffles** – Donations for Prizes on both days would be much appreciated.

**Club Stall** - New stock and 2012 Calendars will be available.

**Fastest Recall Competition** – 50p a go. Prize to the fastest each day.

**Location of the Venue** – The entrance to the field is just to the right of the “Blue Ship” as you face it.

