



## Judging Criteria

### Criteria for Inclusion on Judging Lists

Judges will be accepted onto the above judging lists provided that they can satisfy the Committee that the following criteria has been met:

**A1 List** - To have been approved by The Kennel Club to award Challenge Certificates in the breed and have the support of The Welsh Terrier Club.

**A2 List** - For persons who fulfil all the requirements of the A3 list and who have been assessed in accordance with Kennel Club requirements and accepted by them for inclusion on the A2 list and have the support of The Welsh Terrier Club.

### **A3 List - (Breed Specialists.)**

- To have a minimum of seven years judging experience in the breed and have the support of The Welsh Terrier Club.
- A Minimum of seven years activity in the breed. Activity being defined as owning including preparing, trimming, exhibiting and handling in breed classes- es at Open & Championship Shows etc)
- To have judged one Breed Club Open Show or Champ. Show where Challenge Certificates were not available.
- To have judged a minimum of (22) Classes of Welsh Terriers with a minimum of (30) dogs seen in total and have judged a minimum of (30) other terrier breed/variety classes with a minimum of (100) dogs seen in total across an adequate geographical area.
- To have bred/and or owned a minimum of three dogs when they obtained their first entry in the Kennel Club Stud Book.
- To have attended at least one breed specific seminar run in accordance with the relevant Kennel Club Code of Best Practice and passed an examination and /or assessment where applicable.
- To have attended a seminar given by a Kennel Club Accredited Trainer and passed the relevant examination on Kennel Club Regulations and Judging Procedures.
- To have attended a seminar given by a Kennel Club Accredited Trainer on Conformation and Movement.

- To have acted in the capacity of Steward for a minimum of (3) years and have completed a minimum of (12) shows.

**(Non Breed Specialists.)**

- To have a minimum of seven years judging experience in any one breed (to include five years experience in Welsh Terriers) and have the support of The Welsh Terrier Club.
- To have judged one Breed Club Open Show or Champ Show where Challenge Certificates were not available.
- To have judged a minimum of (30) Classes of Welsh Terriers with a minimum of (45) dogs seen in total and have judged a minimum of (60) other terrier breed/variety classes with a minimum of (200) dogs seen in total across an adequate geographical area.
- To have awarded Challenge Certificates in at least one other breed.
- To have bred/and or owned a minimum of three dogs when they obtained their first entry in the Kennel Club Stud Book.
- To have attended at least one breed specific seminar run in accordance with the relevant Kennel Club Code of Best Practice and passed an examination and /or assessment where applicable.
- To have acted in the capacity of Steward for a minimum of (3) years and have completed a minimum of (12) shows.

**B List- (Breed Specialists)**

To be able to demonstrate Minimum of five years activity in the breed; (activity being defined as owning Including preparing, trimming, exhibiting and handling in breed classes at Open & Championship Shows etc) of at least one Welsh Terrier.

**(Non Specialists)**

To have judged and or exhibited/ handled similar long legged terrier breeds for a minimum of five years and who can demonstrate support of another Breed Club.

To have been approved by The Kennel Club to Judge Terriers at Group level and have the support of The Welsh Terrier Club.

**C List** - To have shown a genuine interest in judging the breed and have the support of The Welsh Terrier Club