



Scottish Open Show Dog of the Year 2016
and
Scottish Open Show Puppy of the Year 2016

**A popular event ... for Open Show enthusiasts!
SUNDAY, 5th February 2017
COCHRANE HALL, ALVA**

To promote interest and involvement in Scotland's Open shows, The Scottish Kennel Club has created two competitions – Scottish Open Show Dog of the Year and Scottish Open Show Puppy of the Year. The competition will run from **1st January 2016 to 31st December 2016** and points for wins at **General or Group Society Open Shows** held in Scotland will be awarded as follows:

OPEN SHOW/ DOG OF THE YEAR		OPEN SHOW/ PUPPY OF THE YEAR	
Win	Points	Win	Points
Group 1 st	4	Puppy Group 1 st	4
Group 2 nd	3	Puppy Group 2 nd	3
Group 3 rd	2	Puppy Group 3 rd	2
Group 4 th	1	Puppy Group 4 th	1
1 st Place (Any Class)	3	1 st Place (Any Class)	3
2 nd Place (Any Class)	2	2 nd Place (Any Class)	2
3 rd Place (Any Class)	1	3 rd Place (Any Class)	1
Best in Show	3	Best Puppy in Show/Special Best Puppy	3
Reserve Best in Show	2	Reserve Best Puppy in Show/Reserve Special Best Puppy	2

Rules:

- 1) Open Shows must be held in Scotland.
- 2) Dog(s) / Owner(s) must be resident in Scotland when competing at the open shows.
- 3) Puppies must be between 6 and 12 months of age when competing at shows during 2016, but may be over 12 months of age at the final.
- 4) Points gained from **ONE** Group Society Open Show only may be included in the points total.

The Final

The finals of both competitions will be run on the match knockout system with dogs winning the most points qualifying for the Scottish Open Show Dog of the Year competition, and the top puppies qualifying for the Scottish Open Show Puppy of the Year competition.

****Entries must be received no later than Monday, 9th January, 2017.****

If sending your entry by post it is advisable to send by Royal Mail Recorded Delivery.

Point Claim Forms are available from The Scottish Kennel Club office.

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