

# DEVON REX OWNERS CLUB



## SCHEDULE of the Third CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW

OPEN TO ALL

(Under Licence and Rules)

**SATURDAY 1<sup>st</sup> JUNE 2024**

at the **SUTTON LEISURE CENTRE**

**Elton Head Road, St Helens, Merseyside WA9 5AU**

Telephone Number 01744 677375

Show Day Contact Number 07713069411

**OPEN TO THE PUBLIC FROM 12.30pm**

### **Show Manager**

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**ENTRIES CLOSE :- 10th MAY 2024**

Upgrades accepted until Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> May

# DEVON REX OWNERS CLUB

Established 2015  
(Member of the Governing Council of the Cat Fancy)

**President** Mr G Godfrey  
**Patron** Ms S Le Good  
**Chairman** Mrs L Ashmore  
**Hon Secretary** Mrs L Twigger  
**Treasurer** Mrs J Pinches

## Committee

Mrs K Ekanger, Dr E Brown, Mrs A Hobson-Kelly, Mrs L Prescott

**Judges** Mr Hansson, Mr Harrison, Mr Macro, Mrs Johnson,  
Mrs Tokens, Miss Higgins, Miss Holden

## Best Of Variety Judges

ADULT	KITTEN	NEUTER
Mrs Johnson	Mr Harrison	Mr Macro
BOV Non Pedigree	BOV Pedigree Pet	BIS Household Pet
Miss Higgins	Miss Holden	Mr Macro
<b>OVERALL BIS</b>		<b>Mrs S Tokens</b>

**Duty Veterinary Surgeon**  
Mrs S Moreland

**Emergency Veterinary Practice**  
Rutland House Veterinary Hospital, Abbotsfield Rd, St Helens WA9 4HU

Please read the following information on show entries carefully.  
If you have any queries about your entry, please contact a member of the show management team.

If you are new to shows and showing, please let us know and we will ensure that you have help both on the day and before should you need it!

## Show Entry Fees and Payment

Fee includes entry into **TWO** Classes, plus Best of Breed if entering Olympian, Imperial or Grand classes and up to **TWO** exhibitor passes.

**EARLY BIRD** - All entries received on or before the 30<sup>th</sup> April 2024 will have an **EARLY BIRD** discount of **£3.00** per cat on the entry fees indicated by \* and detailed below :-

	Members	Non Members
All Adult/Kitten/Neuter entries	*£40.00	*£47.00
Discount for entering two shows – per cat	-£10.00	-£10.00
Early Bird Discount up to 30 <sup>th</sup> April	-£3.00	-£3.00
Double Pens – for all	£15.00	£15.00
Exhibition Pen	£20.00	£20.00

A copy of the Show Catalogue is included **FREE OF CHARGE** for each exhibitor.



Entries and payment online through your GCCF account.

Log in to your account, Go to My Cats, Select a cat,

Then select show entry from the top menu bar and follow the prompts.

### Club Membership

Single £5.00      Joint £8.00      Junior £3.50      Senior £3.50

Club membership entitles you to the lower entry fee for this year's show, payable with entry.

### Catalogue advertisements

A5, text only, Member £12.00, Non Member £15.00; please contact show manager for commercial rates.

### Stall Enquiries

Mrs E Bates, 10 Swanwick Close, Goostrey, Crewe, Cheshire. CW4 8NU  
Tel: 01477 537046 Email: erica.bates@btinternet.com

### General Show Enquiries

Email: devonrexownersclub@gmail.com, check the Devon Rex Owners Club group or page on Facebook, or contact the Show Team for advice or assistance with any aspect of your entry or for any other queries concerning the show

# 2024 Show Details

Some information to help you with your entry and on the day

- There will be no printed schedules and all entries and payments should be made online through your GCCF account and **STAR**.
- How to do your entry - Log into your GCCF online account, go to My Cats, select a cat you want to enter. Select Show Entry from the top menu bar and follow the prompts, you can enter multiple cats before going to the checkout to pay..
- If you have any difficulties with your online entry, please contact one of the show team for advice.
- Entry includes your breed or title class plus one miscellaneous class, per show. You will not be able to enter any extra classes.
- Your entry includes a free catalogue per exhibitor/family.
- One entry pass will be provided per exhibitor, joint exhibitors will receive two passes.
- The hall will open at 08.00. Vetting in will take place from 08.00 to 09.45.
- Exhibitors may remain in the hall throughout, except for the area in and around the pens between 10.00 and 12.30.
- As usual all Olympians classes will be judged in rings/bays.
- We hope to have a catering van on the day but that can't be guaranteed. The hall is within easy driving distance of various catering options.
- Wi-Fi permitting, show results will be available in real time online during the day, through your GCCF account and STAR.

## SHOW RULES AND REGULATIONS

This Show is held under Licence granted by the Governing Council of the Cat Fancy and is therefore subject to the Rules of the Council. A copy of the Rules may be obtained from the GCCF, 5 Kings Castle Business Park, The Drove, Bridgwater TA6 4AG, or from the GCCF website. All Exhibitors should be aware of the Regulations contained within Section 4 of the Rules; ignorance will not be accepted as an excuse for breach of the Rules.

### SHOW ENTRY

It is your responsibility to ensure that the correct details, taken from either the Registration or Transfer Form, are given for your Exhibits, and that they are entered in the correct Classes. Where an Exhibit is jointly owned, **either** party may sign/tick the declaration.

### VETTING IN

Vetting In slips will be given out at the entrance to Vetting In. All exhibits must be presented to a Veterinary Surgeon for examination, between 8.00 a.m. and 9.45 a.m., prior to being penned. Please have the exhibits vaccination certificate ready to show to the veterinary surgeon.

All cats exhibited at this Show, which is held under GCCF Rules, must have a current certificate of vaccination against FIE, FVR and FCV ("cat flu").

The full primary course (first set of vaccinations) in accordance with the manufacture's recommendations must have been completed more than seven days before the Show.

Booster vaccinations against FIE, FVR and FCV must be given at the manufacturer's recommended intervals. Where a variable interval of 1 – 3 years for FCV and FHV is recommended the minimum interval applies. i.e. all cats attending shows **MUST** receive annual booster vaccinations against FCV and FHV.

For Boosters **ONLY**, note:

Exhibitors are advised to leave at least a week between a booster vaccination and show attendance to allow the vaccine to take effect and in case of any adverse reaction

**NOTE temporary variation to the rules w.e.f. 6.11.2021 - Every adult cat attending a GCCF show must have had a minimum of a Flu (FCV,FHV) booster in the 15 months and 7 days preceding the show. Cats whose last booster was given more than 15 months and 7 days before the show will be rejected under Section A**

Cats without a valid vaccination certificate will be rejected under Section A of the Veterinary Rejection form, unless the exhibitor undertakes to provide proof of vaccination, valid for the show, by sending the certificate to the GCCF Office within seven days of the Show. Failure to do so will lead to disqualification from this Show and the cat's name will be placed on the veterinary rejection list until proof of vaccination is received in the Office.

PLEASE NOTE: Homeopathic vaccinations are not acceptable for the purpose of showing.

Any Exhibit rejected at Vetting In, depending on the reason for rejection, may either be taken home, or placed in a Quarantine Pen away from the other Exhibits. If, in the Veterinary Surgeon's opinion, it is desirable for any other Exhibits from the same household, and/or in contact exhibits; and/or the owners/agents to be debarred from the Show, this will be enforced.

Cats which show obvious signs of lack of attention to hygiene, have sharp untrimmed claws or in the opinion of the veterinary surgeons are in an unfit condition to show, must be rejected under Section A of the Veterinary Rejection form. Note: Exhibitors should be allowed the opportunity to trim claws prior to rejection but should not expect the veterinary surgeons to do this for them at vetting in.

**The Duty Veterinary Surgeons decision is final.**

## DEFINITION OF CLASSES

<b>BREED CLASS</b>	Open to all untitled cats, neuters or kittens of the specified breed.
<b>GRAND CLASSES</b>	A cat with the title of Champion/Premier may enter the BREED class or enter this class and compete for a Grand certificate
<b>IMPERIAL CLASSES</b>	Cats with a Grand title may enter the GRAND class or enter this class and compete for an Imperial Certificate.
<b>OLYMPIAN CLASSES</b>	Cats with an Imperial title may enter the IMPERIAL class or enter this class and compete for an Olympian Certificate
<b>CATS</b>	Not less than 9 calendar months on the day of the show.
<b>KITTENS</b>	Not less than 14 weeks and under 9 calendar months on the day of the show. Neuter kittens will be entered in kitten open and miscellaneous classes. Neuter kittens of preliminary breeds will be included in kitten assessment classes.
<b>NEUTER ADULTS</b>	Neuters adults may only enter neuter classes and may not compete with entire cats or kittens except in Club Classes which are scheduled to include Neuters.
<b>BREEDERS</b>	Exhibits bred by exhibitor/s. Cats originally registered in the breeders' joint ownership but changed to single ownership through divorce or the death of one owner can still be entered in this class. Cats originally registered in Breeder's single ownership and changed to joint ownership with the Breeder should be entered in the Non-Breeders Class.
<b>DEBUTANTE</b>	Exhibits that have never been shown at a show held under GCCF Rules.
<b>MAIDEN</b>	Exhibits that have not won a First, Second or Third prize in any class at a show held under GCCF Rules.
<b>NOVICE</b>	Exhibits that have not won a First Prize in any class at a show held under GCCF Rules.
<b>LIMIT</b>	Exhibits that have not won more than four First Prizes in any class at a show held under GCCF Rules.
<b>SPECIAL LIMIT</b>	KITTENS ONLY - Kittens that have won more than four First Prizes in any class at a show held under GCCF Rules.
<b>ADOLESCENT</b>	Cats over 9 calendar months of age and under 15 calendar months on the day of the show.
<b>JUNIOR</b>	Cats over 15 calendar months of age and under 2 years on the day of the show.
<b>SENIOR</b>	Cats over 2 years old and under 7 years old on the day of the show.
<b>VETERAN</b>	Exhibits over 7 years on the day of the show.
<b>RADIUS</b>	Exhibits living within 25 miles of the Show Hall
<b>VISITORS</b>	Exhibits living over 25 miles from the Show Hall
<b>ASSESSMENT</b>	For Experimental breeds only, entrants may also enter the appropriate Miscellaneous and Club Classes.

The status of the exhibit for entering restricted classes (ie Maiden, Limit, etc) shall be the cats' status on the day of entry. The wins as a Kitten do not count when the exhibit is shown as an Adult or Neuter; the wins as an Adult do not count when the exhibit is neutered and shown. Merit Awards do not count as 'wins' for entering restricted classes.

## Notes:

- (1) No cat shall be eligible to enter the Olympian, Imperial or Grand classes unless it has achieved the title of Imperial, Grand, Champion or Premier as appropriate on or before the closing date for entries as published, or up to a later date at the show manager's discretion.
- (2) When counting wins / prizes, include all awarded in any class at a show held under GCCF rules.
- (3) Overseas titles: Cats with titles gained overseas are not eligible to enter Grand Classes at GCCF licensed shows. Overseas titles may be included in brackets at the end of the cats name in the show catalogue.

## EXHIBITS FOR ASSESSMENT

Cats, kittens and neuters of those breeds with Preliminary recognition must enter the appropriate Assessment Class, plus up to two applicable Miscellaneous classes. Assessment classes are competitive and will be split Male / Female and entrants placed against each other. Exhibits meeting the required standard will be awarded Merit Certificates, if these are awarded, BOB will also be awarded. BOB winners will be eligible for consideration for BIS.

**Exhibitors must provide a copy of the GCCF approved standard of points when making their entry if not included in the latest GCCF Standard of Points booklet.**

## NOTICE TO ALL EXHIBITORS

The Committee reserve the right to :

- (a) Appoint other Judges should those advertised be unable to fulfil their engagement; and to appoint further Judges if deemed necessary.
- (b) Cancel, amalgamate or divide Classes.
- (c) Disqualify any Exhibit entered in the wrong Class.
- (d) Refuse a Show Entry, without giving a reason.
- (e) Refuse admission to the Show Hall, without giving a reason.

Exhibitors should also be aware that :

- (a) In the event of an Exhibit being unable to attend the Show due to illness, provided that a Vet's Certificate is received by the Show Manager at least seven days prior to the Show, a refund of 50% of the Entry Fee (excluding Benching Fee) will be made.
- (b) All Exhibitors property is left in the Hall at the owners risk.
- (c) No Exhibitor may remove any official Notice from an Exhibits Pen.
- (d) For Sale signs are not permitted.
- (e) Exhibitors may be liable for the cost of Veterinary treatment required by their Exhibit.
- (f) Details on this entry form will be processed by computer.
- (g) **The Committee STRONGLY recommend that an individual carrier is available under each exhibits Pen.**

## PENNING OF EXHIBITS

Once admitted into the Show Hall, no Exhibit may be removed without the permission of the Show Manager. Exhibitors must vacate the penned area of the Hall on commencement of Judging at 10.00 am, **having ensured that their Exhibit and its Pen conform to Show Rules**; and may not return, unless requested, until 12.30 p.m.

The show is scheduled to close at 5pm but **MAY** close earlier at the Show Manager's discretion. **NO CAT MAY BE REMOVED FROM ITS PEN PRIOR TO THIS TIME**, other than by Judges, Stewards, the Duty Vet or a MCC Official. Exceptionally, the Show Management may give permission for early removal from the Show, if a prior written request has been received, or if there are specific "emergency" circumstances on the day. **Please** do not ask for early withdrawal, because you have a long journey home !

**ENTERING THIS SHOW MEANS YOU AGREE TO COMPLY WITH THIS RULE.**

## **AWARDS**

OLYMPIAN Ch or Pr	- Rosette for Winner & Reserve & for all entries
IMP Gr Ch or Gr Pr	- Rosette for Winner & Reserve places
Gr Ch or Gr Pr	- Rosette for Winner & Reserve places
BREED CLASSES (inc Assessment)	- Rosettes for 1st, 2nd, 3rd & 4th places; cards for 5th & 6th places
BEST of BREED	- Special Rosette
BEST of VARIETY (inc HP) -	Special Award
OVERALL BIS (Ped)	- Special Award plus additional Certificate
OVERALL BIS (HP)	- Special Award Plus additional Certificate

Note:- An overall BIS winner will be awarded a further certificate for the title it is working towards, including Olympian certificates.

The award will be validated by the GCCF Office and the certificate signed and sent from there. It will count towards the total required, regardless of whether that the BIS judge is was eligible to judge the winner's breed or title class.

No certificate will be awarded if the BIS winner is a kitten.

Awards are given out on the day on the understanding, that in the event of a subsequent disqualification by Council, they will be returned in good condition, when requested.

## **NOTICE OF CHANGE**

An announcement on the GCCF website [www.gccfcats.org](http://www.gccfcats.org) and MCC website [www.merseysidecatclub.co.uk](http://www.merseysidecatclub.co.uk) of any alterations made to the Schedule, or in these Rules and Regulations, shall be deemed sufficient notice thereof.

## **ANY PROBLEMS ?????**

If you have any problems or queries, with anything contained in this Schedule, or need any help in completing your Entry, please contact the Show Team

## **NOVICE EXHIBITORS**

Please let us know when you enter, or by emailing us at [devonrexownersclub@gmail.com](mailto:devonrexownersclub@gmail.com) if you are a novice exhibitor. We'll do all we can to help make your first show a great experience.



# Exhibition

Ex	Exhibition .....
EC	Exhibition with critique .....

## Olympian classes

D1	Devon Rex Imperial Grand Champion (Olympian class) Male .....	Mrs N Johnson
D2	Devon Rex Imperial Grand Champion (Olympian class) Female .....	Mrs N Johnson
D3	Devon Rex Imperial Grand Premier (Olympian class) Male .....	Mr J Hansson
D4	Devon Rex Imperial Grand Premier (Olympian class) Female .....	Mr J Hansson

## Devon Rex Classes

D5	Devon Rex Imperial Grand Champion .....	Mr I Macro
D6	Devon Rex Imperial Grand Premier .....	Mrs N Johnson
D7	Devon Rex Champion .....	Mr J S Harrison
D8	Devon Rex Premier .....	Mr I Macro
D9	Devon Rex Adult .....	Mrs N Johnson
D10	Devon Rex Kitten (14 weeks to 6 months) .....	Mr J S Harrison
D11	Devon Rex Kitten (6 months to 9 months) .....	Mr J S Harrison
D12	Devon Rex Neuter .....	Mr I Macro

## Miscellaneous classes

### Devon Rex

D13	AC Imperial or Grand Champion or Champion Adult .....	Mr J Hansson
D14	AC Aristocrat Adult .....	Mrs N Johnson
D15	AC Adult with no CCs .....	Mr I Macro
D16	Breeders Adult .....	Mr J Hansson
D17	Non-breeders Adult .....	Mr I Macro

D18	Adolescent Adult .....	Mr J S Harrison
D19	Junior Adult .....	Mrs N Johnson
D20	Senior Adult .....	Mr I Macro
D21	Veteran Adult .....	Mrs N Johnson
D22	Visitors Adult .....	Mr J S Harrison
D23	Radius Adult.....	Mr J Hansson
D24	AC Kitten, 6 months old and younger .....	Mr I Macro
D25	AC Kitten , more than 6 months old .....	Mrs N Johnson
D26	Breeders Kitten .....	Mr I Macro
D27	Non-breeders Kitten.....	Mr J Hansson
D28	AC Self Kitten with or without White .....	Mr J S Harrison
D29	AC Tortie Kitten with or without White .....	Mr I Macro
D30	AC Tabby Kitten with or without White.....	Mrs N Johnson
D31	AOC Kitten with or without White.....	Mr J Hansson
D32	Visitors Kitten .....	Mr I Macro
D33	Radius Kitten.....	Mrs N Johnson
D34	Titled Neuter .....	Mr J Hansson
D35	Aristocrat Neuter .....	Mrs N Johnson
D36	not having won a PC.....	Mr I Macro
D37	Breeders Neuter.....	Mrs N Johnson
D38	Non-breeders Neuter .....	Mr I Macro
D39	Adolescent Neuter .....	Mrs N Johnson
D40	Junior Neuter .....	Mr J Hansson
D41	Senior Neuter.....	Mr I Macro
D42	Veteran Neuter.....	Mr J S Harrison
D43	Visitors Neuter .....	Mrs N Johnson
D44	Radius Neuter .....	Mr I Macro
D45	Sandie Aroha Memorial Class in aid of Cancer Research UK.....	(Not judged)

# Household pet classes

## Household pet Olympian classes

D46	AC Imperial Grand Master (Olympian class) Male.....	Miss S Holden
D47	AC Imperial Grand Master (Olympian class) Female .....	Miss C Higgins

## Non-pedigree pet titled classes

D48	AC Non-Pedigree Grand Master (Imperial Class) Male.....	Miss C Higgins
D49	AC Non-Pedigree Grand Master (Imperial Class) Female.....	Miss C Higgins
D50	AC Non-Pedigree Master Cat (Grand Class).....	Miss S Holden

## Non-pedigree pet longhair/semi-longhair

D51	Self (Single colour) with or without White .....	Miss S Holden
D52	Tabby or Tabby/White (except Ginger or Tortie) .....	Miss C Higgins
D53	Ginger cat of any Tabby, Tortie or Tortie Tabby pattern.....	Miss C Higgins
D54	Kitten.....	Miss C Higgins

## Non-pedigree pet shorthair

D55	Self (Single Colour) with or without White.....	Miss C Higgins
D56	Tabby or Tabby & White (except Ginger or Tortie).....	Miss S Holden
D57	Ginger cat of any Tabby, Tortie or Tortie Tabby pattern.....	Miss S Holden
D58	Kitten.....	Miss S Holden

## Pedigree pet titled classes

D59	AC Pedigree Pet Grand Master Cat (Imperial Class) .....	Miss S Holden
D60	AC Pedigree Pet Master Cat (Grand Class) .....	Miss C Higgins

## Pedigree pet longhair/semi-longhair

D61	Self (Single colour) with or without White .....	Mr I Macro
D62	Tabby or Tabby & White (except Red or Tortie) LH.....	Miss S Holden
D63	Red cat of any Tabby, Tortie or Tortie Tabby pattern.....	Mr I Macro
D64	Any Other Colour or Pattern (Ticked, Tipped, Smoke, Pointed) .....	Miss S Holden

D65 Kitten..... Miss S Holden

### Pedigree pet shorthair

D66 Self (Single Colour) with or without White..... Miss C Higgins

D67 Tabby or Tabby & White (except Red or Tortie) ..... Miss S Holden

D68 Red cat of any Tabby, Tortie or Tortie Tabby pattern ..... Miss C Higgins

D69 Any Other Colour or Pattern (Ticked, Tipped, Smoke, Pointed) ..... Miss S Holden

D70 Kitten..... Miss C Higgins

## Miscellaneous classes

### Household pet

D71 AC Debutante ..... Miss S Holden

D72 AC Maiden ..... Miss C Higgins

D73 AC Novice ..... Miss S Holden

D74 AC Limit ..... Miss C Higgins

D75 AC Adolescent or Junior ..... Miss S Holden

D76 AC Senior..... Miss C Higgins

D77 AC Veteran ..... Miss S Holden

D78 AC Radius..... Miss C Higgins

D79 AC Visitors ..... Mrs N Johnson

D80 AC Cat or Kitten originally a stray ..... Miss C Higgins

D81 AC Female Cat or Kitten with the prettiest expression ..... Mr I Macro

D82 AC Male Cat or Kitten with the handsomest expression ..... Miss C Higgins

D83 AC SH Adult or Kitten with the sleekest coat ..... Miss S Holden

D84 AC LH/SLH Adult or Kitten with the best groomed coat..... Mr I Macro

# DEVON REX OWNERS CLUB

## Class Sponsorship 2024

I/we would like to sponsor the following class(es).  
This sponsorship may be in addition to a show entry or as an alternative:

*(Please list in order of preference)*

Class Number ..... Male or Female

Class Name .....

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Class Name .....

Class Number ..... Male or Female

Class Name .....

I / we would like  
**either** my/our name  
**or** prefix  
**or** name of cat  
to be printed in the catalogue in the Class heading.

**Winners of all sponsored classes will have a certificate placed on their pen with the sponsor's details as listed in the catalogue.**

The amount of £5.00 per class has been added to my Show Entry Fees and included in my payment.

Name ..... OR

Prefix ..... OR

Name of cat ..... (Please print clearly)

# The Devon Rex Owners Club

(Est 2015)



## Membership Application

Name.....

Address.....

Email.....

Tel..... Mobile.....

Website.....

Founder Members rate £10, \$16, €14 for 3 years .....

Single Adult Member £5, \$8, €7 .....

Joint (2 people living at the same address) £8, \$13, €11 .....

Junior £3.50, \$6, €5 (Under 16) .....

Senior £3.50, \$6, €5 (Over 60) .....

\*Members will receive communication electronically.

Please ask about rates for printed/posted literature for UK and overseas if required.

A bit about you. (Optional) You don't have to actually own a Devon to belong to the club but it would be helpful if you could complete the section below. The information will help us to get to know our members and discover what you would like to gain from being involved.

Do you own a Devon Rex(s) now or plan to own one in the future.....

Have you owned A Devon in the past.....

Are you a Devon Breeder.....

Do you have a Prefix.....

Are you a Pet Owner.....

Do you show Devons.....

Please return to: Laura Twigger

138 Blackburn Road, Heapey, Chorley, Lancs. PR6 8LN

OR by email to - lolyp79@gmail.com

Payment may be made by cheque with form or by PayPal to drocpayments@gmail.com

The Devon Rex Owners Club (**The Club**) takes the protection of the data that we hold about you as a member seriously and will do everything possible to ensure that data is handled accordance with current and future UK data protection legislation.

Please read the full privacy notice on our website, [www.devonrex-ownersclub.co.uk](http://www.devonrex-ownersclub.co.uk) carefully to see how The Club will treat the personal information that you provide to us. We will take all reasonable care to keep your information secure and to prevent any unauthorised access.

## Directions

Post Code for Sat Nav is WA9 5AU

From the M62, exit at J7. At the roundabout, take the St Helens Linkway/A570, towards St Helens.

At the first roundabout, take the 1st exit and stay on St Helens Linkway/A570.

At the next junction, turn right onto Elton Head Rd/B5204, the Leisure centre is approximately half a mile further on the left.

