

**SHOW REGULATIONS
FOR INTERNATIONAL DOG SHOWS “EURASIA-1 05.05.2018” AND “EURASIA-2
06.05.2018”.**

1. GENERAL PROVISIONS

This document is based on the Russian Cynological Federation (RKF) CAC and CACIB Show Regulations as amended and the Regulations on the "RKF President Cup" dog show in the current edition.

International all-breed dog shows “Eurasia-1 05.05.2018” and “Eurasia-2 06.05.2018” (further referred as “Eurasia 2018”) are held in accordance with RKF show time-table on 2018.

“Eurasia-1 05.05.2018” rank is International dog show (CACIB-FCI), nomination for CRUFTS DOG SHOW.

“Eurasia-2 06.05.2018” rank is International dog show (CACIB-FCI), nomination for CRUFTS DOG SHOW.

Date and place of “Eurasia-1”: May, 5, 2018, International Exhibition Centre “Crocus Expo”, Mezhdunarodnaya 16, Krasnogorsk, Moscow region.

Date and place of “Eurasia-2”: May, 6, 2018, International Exhibition Centre “Crocus Expo”, Mezhdunarodnaya 16, Krasnogorsk, Moscow region.

Show Organizer: Russian Kynological Federation (RKF).

Chairman of the Organizing Committee—Alexandr I. Inshakov.

2. SHOW CLASSES

Baby Class (from 3 to 6 months)

Puppy Class (from 6 to 9 months)

Junior Class (from 9 to 18 months)

Intermediate Class (from 15 to 24 months)

Open Class (15 months and over)

Working Class (15 months and over)

Champion Class (15 months and over)

Veteran Class (8 years and over).

The decisive date for the age is the day the dog is shown. In case the dog’s birthday is the day when the dog is shown, the participant can choose the class to enter (before the entry is closed).

3. ENTRY RULES

3.1. The dogs, having pedigrees of FCI members countries or AKC (American Kennel Club) or KC (British Kennel Club) or CKC (Canadian Kennel Club) are allowed to participate in the show.

Every owner of the dog, registered to the Show should be preliminary informed by the Organizer about the place of the show, schedule, the catalog numbers of the exhibited dogs, veterinary

rules. The participants can be informed by e-mail or by the way of publishing catalog extracts at the RKF website at the discretion of the Organizer.

3.2. To enter the dog the applicant should provide the following:

- Filled in and signed entry form;
- Copy of pedigree (over 15 months age) or a copy of a puppy card (for baby, puppy and junior classes);
- Copies of relevant certificates to enter to classes: working and champions. If those documents are absent, the dog will enter only to intermedia or open class.

RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE ACCURACY OF THE DATA PROVIDED SHALL BE BORNE BY THE APPLICANT.

3.3. The list of the certificates, necessary to enter working and champion classes.

Working:

A copy of international working certificate, FCI working certificate (given in RKF).

Champions:

Copy of the National Champion diploma of a FCI member country, or AKC, KC CKC.

Copy of Interchampion diploma (C.I.B., C.I.B.T.).

4. MARKS, CERTIFICATES, TITLES

In the classes Juniors, Veterans, Intermedia, Open, Working and in Champion the following marks are given:

Excellent — the highest mark; can be given to the dog most in line with the breed standard, which is presented in excellent condition, shows balanced and sound temperament and is of high standard and excellent training. The dog's superior characteristics, corresponding with the breed, allow minor faults, which can be ignored, but she/he must have well pronounced sexual type.

Very good — the mark can be given to the dog, which is in possession of typical breed features, well-balanced proportions and is presented in show condition. A few minor faults are allowed. This mark can be given only to a dog that has all the features, typical for the breed and is well presented.

Good — the mark can be given to a dog that has main features typical for the breed. The number of оценка может быть присуждена собаке, которая обладает основными чертами породы. Number of advantages should exceed the number of faults so that the dog could be considered a good representative of the breed.

Satisfactory — is given to a dog that corresponds its breed to adequate extent, but fails to have main required characteristics; or to a dog, whose physical state of condition leave much to be desired.

Disqualified — is given to a dog that does not correspond the requirements of the breed standard; shows aggressive or non-typical for the breed behaviour; is cryptic, has dental or jaw structure defects; has non-standard coat or color, including albinism.

The dogs, which correspond the typical breed characteristics very little, have evident signs of illness must be disqualified. The mark is given to the dogs, which have serious faults or even

disqualifying faults, mentioned in a breed standard. The judge must justify the reason of disqualification and mention in the dog's critique.

Cannot be judged — this mark is given to a dog, which doesn't move, limps, jumps on its handler or tries to leave the ring, that makes it impossible to evaluate its gait and natural movements; or if the dog doesn't let to be touched, avoids the judge, that makes it impossible to examine its teeth, coat and built, as well as tail and testicles.

The same mark is given in case when the judge sees signs of surgery or medical treatment, indicating the fact that the owner tries to deceive the judge. The same mark is given if the judge has enough evidence that the surgery had been made to cover up faults (eyelids, ears or tail). The reason why the dog has got the mark "cannot be judged" must be mentioned in the dog's critique.

In Baby class and Puppy class the following marks are given:

Very promising — the highest mark;

Promising;

Few promising;

Not promising.

Public announcement of the dog's evaluation given by the judge is made by a ring steward who raises a flag: Excellent (very promising) – red color, Very good (promising) – blue, good (few promising) – green.

In the ring, on judge's opinion, the following titles may be awarded and the appropriate certificates issued (male/female):

CW — class winner, given to the best dog, which has been awarded with the highest mark.

R.CW — reserve class winner, given to the second best dog, which has been awarded with the highest mark.

J.CAC — (Best juniour male of the breed and Best juniour female of the breed) – candidate to Junieur Beauty Champion of Russia.

R.JCAC — reserve Candidate for the Junieur Beauty Champion of Russia, is given to the second dog that received the R.CW in Junieur class R.CW.

CAC — Candidate for the Beauty Champion of Russia is awarded to the best dog which got the highest mark and CW in Intermediate, Open, Working and Champion classes.

R.CAC — Reserve Candidate for the Beauty Champion of Russia is awarded to the second best dog in class that got the highest mark and R.CW in the Intermediate, Open, Working and Champion classes.

CACIB — Candidate for the International Beauty Champion is awarded to dog/female in the CW lining up, among the dogs who were awarded CAC's in Intermediate, Open, Working and Champion classes.

R.CACIB — Reserve Candidate for the International Beauty Champion is awarded to dog/female which is left (in line-up) for comparison (CAC's from all classes except the class where CACIB has been awarded, plus the second dog with R.CAC from the class, where CACIB has been awarded.

CH RKF — RKF Champion is awarded to the Best of breed male received CACIB and to the Best of breed female received CACIB. In the breeds, recognized by RKF but not recognized by FCI RKF Champion is awarded to the male/female in the CW lining up, among the dogs who were awarded CAC's in Intermediate, Open, Working and Champion classes.

Champion of Eurasia – Eurasia Champion is awarded to the Best male of the breed (CACIB winner) and Best Female of breed (CACIB winner). In the breeds, recognized by RKF but not recognized by FCI the title of Champion of Eurasia is awarded to the Best male of the breed and Best female of the breed.

Nomination for CRUFTS (Great Britain) — the dogs, that get CACIB and JCAC titles at “Eurasia-1 05.05.2018” and “Eurasia-2 06.05.2018” dog show are nominated for CRUFTS.

At all Dog Shows held under the aegis of RKF and FCI, awarding of the certificates is judge's prerogative only. However, if at least one dog within the breed is awarded with CAC certificate, then the judge must award CACIB.

All reserve certificates can be awarded only on condition that the main certificates are assigned.

So, R.CAC can't be awarded if CAC is not awarded, and R.CACIB can't be awarded if CACIB is not awarded.

Best baby of breed — Best baby of breed is awarded while comparing male and female, who got CW in Baby class.

Best puppy of breed — Best puppy of breed is awarded while comparing male and female, who got CW in Puppy class.

Best junior of breed — Best Junieur of freed is awarded while comparing male and female who got CW in Junieur class and got J.CAC titles.

Best veteran of breed — Best veteran of breed is awarded while comparing male and female, who got CW in Veteran class.

Best of sex (male) — Best male of breed is chosen while comparing CW of Intermedia, Open, Working and Champion classes with CACIB awarding.

Best of sex (female) — Best female of breed is chosen the same way Best male is.

BOB (Best of breed) — Best representative of breed is chosen the following way: six dogs come out to the ring: best male (CACIB), best female (CACIB), best juniour male (JCAC), best juniour female (JCAC), best veteran male (CW), best veteran female (CW). From these dogs the judge chooses BOB.

BOS (Best of opposite sex) — Best representative of opposite sex is chosen the following way. After choosing BOB, the dogs of the opposite sex stay in the ring – the dogs who got JCAC, CACIB and Best veteran.

Best in show baby (Puppy, Junior, Veteran) — the best dog in show separately among babies, puppies, juniors and veterans. The best baby (puppy, junior, veteran) is chosen by comparison from the best babies (puppies, juniors, veterans) in every breed, participating in the show (each competition line-up should consist of at least three dogs). If the show is held in several days, every day there is the best baby (puppy, junior, veteran) chosen without further comparison between different day's winners.

Best in Group — BIG, best in group FCI. In each group the judge is to choose three best dogs from the best breed representatives (BOB), the best of them receives the BIG title.

Best in Show — BIS, best dog of the show, in the line-up of the BIG winners (winners of the FCI groups) the judge will choose three best dogs, the best which receives BIS title.

5. COMPETITION RULES

“Best brace”, “Progeny competition”, “Kennel Competition” is held at the end of the breed judging in the same ring. The judge must evaluate all kennel groups, progeny groups and a brace registered for the competitions and selects only one couple, progeny and kennel group to be shown in the Main Ring.

Only dogs registered in the Show Catalogue can participate in the competitions. These dogs have to be signed up for the competitions in advance, participate in respective classes, and get the marks no less than “very good” (dogs from puppy and baby classes are not allowed to take part in the competitions).

Kennel competition — from 3 to 5 dogs of the same breed, born in the same kennel, having the same affix participate.

Progeny competition — Sire or Dam and from 3 to 5 of their offspring participate.

Couple (brace) competition — 2 dogs of the same breed participate: male and female, belonging to the same owner (the pair must be shown by one handler).

The same competitions among the breeds, recognized by FCI, are held in the Main Ring, where the judge determines 3 best couples, 3 best kennel groups, 3 best progeny groups and places them from the 1st to the 3rd places. The winners are awarded the titles:

Best couple in show;

Best kennel in show;

Best progeny in show.

The dogs of the breeds, not recognized by FCI and recognized by RKF, don't take part in the competitions in the Main Ring.

If the show is held in several days, then every day the Best Couple, Kennel and Progeny Group are selected.

6. SPECIAL COMPETITIONS

Competition for breeds, not recognized by the FCI and recognized by the RKF — “the Best of not recognized” — the best representatives of the breeds not recognized by the FCI. They enter the ring all together, and then the Best dog of “Eurasia-2018” show among FCI non-recognized and RKF recognized breeds, is chosen. All the rest traditional for FCI breeds competitions are not held.

Competition “Pride of Russia” – the best representatives of Russian National Breeds. The judge is to select only one dog, which receives “Pride of Russia” title.

Junior handler's competition—participants should be registered in advance. The competition is to be held on base of amended FCI Rules without dividing on groups. The qualifying rounds are held on the 5th of May, and on the 6th of May. On the 6th of May, the final round among the 6

winners of the two days is held. The participant is to show one and the same dog during the whole competition, including the final round.

7. JUDGING PROCEDURE

The judge is the main person in the ring. The steward is in charge for organizational issues in the ring, but all the activities in the ring must be made only with the consent of the judge.

At RKF and FCI show the judge examines a dog, makes its critique and gives a mark. The four best dogs in each class are placed in case they get a mark no less than “very good”, and in baby and puppy classes – the mark no less than “promising”.

If there are several entries in a breed for brace, kennel group and progeny group competitions, the judge, after finishing breed ring, judges them in the same ring and determines the best brace, kennel group and progeny group and sends them to the Main Ring to take part in the same competitions among all breeds. If there is only one brace, kennel group and progeny group in a breed, the judge is to decide whether to send them to the Main Ring for the final competitions or not.

Any judge’s decision regarding the evaluation of dogs, placement, as well as the awarding of titles and certificates is final and is not disputed.

It is prohibited to show dogs on strict collars, muzzles and in harness at the shows of any status. All dogs must be on a short leash in the halls and are to be shown only on show leads in the ring.

Pulling the dog up at the neck and \ or the tail is strictly prohibited. An exhibitor who does not follow the rules of presenting a dog should leave the ring. The judge has the right not to judge a dog or give her a low mark.

It is forbidden to prepare a dog with any substance that will alter the structure, colour or form of the coat, skin, nails or nose. Only trimming, clipping and combing and brushing, mentioned in standard, are allowed. It is not permitted to leave the dog tied on the trimming table for the time exceeding the time necessary for the coat preparation.

The participants, late for the ring, are not allowed to be judged.

If a participant with the dog leaves the ring during the judging without the judge’s permission it may lead to disqualification.

A judge (Russian or foreign) who has been invited to officiate at the CACIB show cannot judge more than 90-100 dogs per day. Every dog must be given a critique.

A reserve judge is assigned for every breed. He will judge dogs in case the main judge is late or absent. However, when the reserve judge doesn’t show up or is late, the organizing committee has the right to appoint a judge at its discretion.

The RKF Show commission on claim of a judge, ring staff, members of the organizing committee can disqualify the owner and his/her dog from all the RKF and FCI shows with the annulling of the marks and titles for the period from 1 to 3 years for dog abusing, unethical behaviour at the show territory, provoked fights and bites.

8. JUDGING PROCEDURE IN THE MAIN RING

The final programme of the show consists of traditional contests, when «Best Couple», «Best Kennel», «Best Progeny», «Best Baby», «Best Puppy», «Best Junior», «Best Veteran», «Best in

FCI Group» (1-10), «Best in Show» and «Pride of Russia» (Best dog of the National breed) are chosen.

All the dogs, participating in competitions, are examined by a judge in pre-ring, where they must be taken beforehand by their owners and handlers.

Only the dogs, who have got the relevant titles in the breed and who have a sign in the diploma are allowed in the pre-ring. Participants without ring numbers are not allowed to the competitions. The competition begins after the last participant has entered the ring. The latecomers are not allowed in the ring and are not examined in the pre-ring individually.

Up to 5 participants or groups (couples, kennels and progeny) are chosen during every competition. The judge announces his decision about the 3 winners to the ring assistant for public announcement and takes his place at the pedestal for awarding. Having announced the prize winners, the judge comes to the special place for photographing with the winners.

9. RULES OF ORDER AND CLEANLINESS AT THE SHOW AREA

Any participant is obliged to follow the Rules and Regulations.

Two persons have the right to accompany one dog free. The entrance to the Show Halls is possible only on presentation of a bracelet. A participant has to have a bracelet on his hand to enter the hall. The dogs that do not take part in the show are prohibited in the area.

All participants, staff and visitors must keep cleanliness and order, to comply with the rules of sanitary, veterinary and fire-prevention actions.

All dogs participating in the show should be walked; the owners should have a veterinary passport for each dog with the vaccination note, the original of the veterinary certificate form N.1 from the State Veterinary Service or certificate form N.4 (for residents of Krasnogorsk and Krasnogorsk district), as well as a copy of a pedigree or puppy card.

The participants are obliged to carry and apply cleaning for a dog (in and outside the ring). Walking and grooming dogs is allowed in a strictly designated area (see the diagram in the hall, in the catalogue, on the information boards). In walking areas the owners are obliged to keep cleanliness, and must clean up after their dogs.

It is forbidden to walk the dogs on lawns or public space!

Violation of this ruling will follow to disqualification and cancellation of the Dog Show results.

While displaying participants near the rings it is forbidden:

- to block passages between the rings; the walking space between the rings must be no less than 3 meters;
- arbitrarily pull on ribbon fencing or block passages in any other way;
- place crates out of specially determined areas;
- place crates with dogs near the entrance and exit to the Main Ring; the space between the entrance/exit to the Main Ring and the crates must be no less than 10 meters;
- The dogs placed in special crates, enclosures, cars must be under the constant control of their owners;

— in the case of a complaint about dogs closed in the cars (especially without access of air and ventilation), and the Organizing Committee calls the police to take urgent measures to save the animals.

Violators of these requirements may be disqualified and the Dog Show results will be canceled. Violation of the rules near the ring will follow to suspension of the ring till the faults are deleted.

At the show area:

- selling puppies is prohibited;
- Unauthorized trading is prohibited;
- Unauthorized promotion is prohibited;
- Grooming is allowed only in the special areas.

At the show area and in other venue it is prohibited:

- smoking outside the special areas;
- assignment and using property of RKF or of the exhibition hall.

Violators of these requirements may be subjects of administrative and criminal liability in accordance with the current legislation of the Russian Federation.