

Official Premium List



## Bichon Frise Club of Canada

National Specialty & Sweepstakes

August 31<sup>st</sup>, 2024

Held in conjunction with

Halifax Kennel Club

All Breed Championship Shows

All Breed Obedience Trials

All Breed Rally-Obedience Trials

at

East Hants Sportsplex

1076 Hwy 2, Lantz NS, B2S 1M8

These events held under the rules of the Canadian Kennel Club

Unbenched      Unexamined      Indoors

**The Precincts of the Shows will be the Building and Grounds.**

**CLOSING DATE: August 14, 2024 6:00 pm ADT**





**Judging Assignments**  
**National Specialty - Saturday August 31, 2024**  
**Raymond Yurick - all classes, Regular and Non-Regular**

**Sweepstakes - Saturday August 31, 2024**  
**Lori-Ann Fischer - all classes**

**BICHON FRISE CLUB OF CANADA**

President: Marilyn Torrance  
Vice-President: Patricia Dale Hunter  
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Sue Fenton, Ontario  
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### SHOW SECRETARY

Nancy Downing  
19 Hummingbird Lane  
Economy, NS B0M1B0  
(902) 890-7583  
[nancy.downing@icloud.com](mailto:nancy.downing@icloud.com)

### SHOW SUPERINTENDENT

Brenda Juskow

### OTHER EVENTS TAKING PLACE DURING THIS WEEKEND

- Friday August 30 to Sunday September 1, 2024 - HKC All Breed Conformation Shows
- Friday August 30 to Saturday August 31, 2024 - Flat-Coated Retriever Society of Canada National Specialty
- Saturday August 31 to Sunday September 1, 2024 - HKC 4 All Breed Obedience & 4 Rally-Obedience Trials
- Saturday August 31, 2024 - Halifax Kennel Club Junior Handling
- Sunday September 1, 2024 - HKC All-Breed Sanction Match
- Sunday September 1, 2024 - HKC Canine Good Neighbour Test

### SHOW COMMITTEE

Event Chair	Sharyn Lucas	Show Secretary	Nancy Downing
Ribbon Company	Steps on Arthur	Superintendent	Brenda Juskow
Ring Steward	Lori-Ann Fischer		
Veterinarian	Metro Animal Emergency Clinic - 201 Brownlow Ave., Unit 9, Burnside Industrial Park, Dartmouth NS B3B1W2 Ph: (902) 468-0674 Open 24hrs		

### THE CANADIAN KENNEL CLUB

Mr. Jeff Cornett - Executive Director  
5397 Eglinton Ave W  
Etobicoke, ON M9C 5K6  
(416) 675-5511  
Hours: 9:00 - 5:00 EST (Mon-Fri)

### Conformation Rep

Nicole Casavechia  
[caselkhound@gmail.com](mailto:caselkhound@gmail.com)

### CKC DIRECTOR (NS & NL)

Janice Kivimaki  
[zone1director@ckc.ca](mailto:zone1director@ckc.ca)

### CKC Junior Handler Rep(s)

Kyle Manuel  
[kyle.manuel@live.ca](mailto:kyle.manuel@live.ca)

### CKC Obedience Representative

Christine Graham  
[wyndenfog@gmail.com](mailto:wyndenfog@gmail.com)

It shall be the duty and obligation of the show-giving club to see that a judge, club official, volunteer or any participant at an event held under these rules is not subject to indignities. The Conformation Show Committee Chair shall promptly report to the CKC any infringement of this regulation, and the CKC shall have the authority to take such action as it deems fit on receipt of a report indicating that this has occurred. A copy of this regulation shall be prominently placed in every premium list and catalogue. (CKC Conformation Rules & Regulations 19.7)

No person may approach a judge either directly or otherwise, orally, in writing or electronically, to favour his entry. Disciplinary action will be taken against any person who violates this rule, or against a judge who fails to report any contravention of this rule to the CKC within 14 days of the action. (CKC Conformation Rules & Regulations 19.4, 19.5)

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**This is the ONLY online entry service accepting entries for this event.**

### **ENTRY FEES (INCLUDING H.S.T)**

Entry fee per event (incl Altered & Veterans)	\$34.00
Entry fee for Baby Puppy (no TCN fee)	\$21.00
Sweepstakes Entry fee per dog	\$13.00
Unofficial Classes (Stud Dog, Brood Bitch)	\$25.00
Brace (per dog)	\$12.50
HKC Canine Good Neighbour fee per dog	\$35.00
HKC Sanction Match Entry fee per dog.	\$10.00
Exhibition only per dog per event	\$9.00
CKC TCN fee per event	\$11.50
Catalogue (pre-order only)	\$12.00

\*Temporary Competition (TC) fees are payable with the Entry Fee for dogs that do not have their individual registration number at closing date.

**Note: There will be no refunds for duplicate entries or overpayment of fees.**

**Any overpayment of fees will be considered a donation to our show fund.**

### **HOW TO ENTER**

ALL Entries **MUST** be received by closing date:  
**WEDNESDAY, August 14, 2024 @ 6:00 pm Atlantic Time**

#### **1. ENTER ONLINE at**

**Online entries accepted ONLY through [The Entry Line](#)**

No other entry service is authorized to take entries for these events.

**All Receipts of Entry & Armband #s will be sent via [nancy.downing@dogeventsecretary.ca](mailto:nancy.downing@dogeventsecretary.ca) This email is an outgoing email only, please **DO NOT REPLY to any email you receive from that address, you WILL NOT** receive a response. Please add the address to your contact list to prevent emails being blocked or sent to your Spam or Junk Folder by your email provider. For any questions or concerns, please use the address listed at the top of the Premium List. The schedules will be sent to you and also posted on [www.canuckdogs.com](http://www.canuckdogs.com)**

## ENTRY INFORMATION

1. All entries must be received by the closing date and time, accompanied by the proper fees and submitted on an official CKC entry form. **Please type or print clearly.**
2. **INCOMPLETE ENTRIES WILL BE RETURNED.** Agents and Handlers, please note that **full name and address of owners MUST** be filled in and to whom ID's are to be returned. **(Section 13.1.2, Dog Show Rules)**
3. Exhibitors must abide by errors made in entering their dogs regardless of how or by whom entries were made. **Please review email confirmations so corrections may be made prior to closing date to avoid disappointment.** Until the closing date any changes to your entry can be made via The Entry Line, after the closing date please contact the Show Secretary.
4. To comply with CKC regulations, we will be unable to accept or substitute any entry reaching the Show Secretary after the closing date and time.
5. Only dogs entered in the Shows may enter the venue. The Committee reserves the right to refuse any entry subject to CKC rules. Service Dogs are welcome
6. Effective January 1, 2024, The CKC will not consider a request for any corrections to results if received more than 90 days following the date(s) of the event(s). Exhibitors can verify the results at the event, watch for unofficial results to be posted on Canuck Dogs, or review the official results on your CKC portal where dogs are listed. For corrections of unofficial results posted on the Canuck Dogs website, please go to the Contact page on Canuck Dogs, select Results Correction and complete the form. For CKC Official Results please e-mail [information@ckc.ca](mailto:information@ckc.ca) with the subject line of Results Correction.

**All entries paid by Credit Card, Debit Card, or eTransfer MUST be done via The Entry Line.**

**Refund Policy - Covid & Otherwise:** If, due to Covid, these Shows are not able to be held: refunds will be issued to exhibitors - MINUS any costs incurred by the FCRSC. Entry Line WILL NOT REFUND SERVICE FEES. If because of an act of God, riot or civil disobedience, extreme weather event, governmental orders, regulations or decree (other than Covid related), or other acts or circumstances beyond the control of the HKC or BFCC, it is impossible to open or complete the Shows, no refund of entry fees will be made.

**Attention Foreign Exhibitors:** Please note that fees are due and payable in Canadian dollars.

### ATTENTION ALL CANADIANS WHO ARE NOT CKC MEMBERS

Effective January 1, 2011, the CKC has instituted an annual Non-Member Participation Fee for awards and titles for a CANADIAN non-member of the CKC. These fees apply only to dogs wholly owned by a non-CKC member and are not applicable to CKC members. Non CKC member participants must either purchase a CKC membership or pay the non-member participation fee within 30 days of notification or the CKC will cancel any awards and titles. More information, and application forms can be downloaded from the CKC website: <http://www.ckc.ca>

### Temporary Competition Number (TCN) - Effective January 1, 2023

Temporary Competition Number (TCN) must be obtained before submitting an entry for an event. The same TCN must be used for all event entries for a dog until the dog is permanently registered. Once a dog is permanently registered or has an ERN, the TCN will be replaced with the registration number or ERN. A TCN cannot be used for dogs that will require a Performance Event Number (PEN) or Canine Companion Number (CCN). **Listed Breeds that do not yet have a Miscellaneous Class Number (MCN) number will be eligible to apply for a TCN.**

There is no fee to obtain a TCN however exhibitors will still be required to pay TCN fees (formerly called Listing Fees) when entering events using a TCN.

TCN Numbers may be obtained online via the CKC website where the number is issued instantly. Exhibitors may also mail in a printed application or contact CKC Shows and Trials by phone for a number. If your dog does not have a registration number or ERN and has already competed in a CKC event and earned points, scores or awards, before applying for a TCN online, exhibitors are encouraged to check their dog's profiles to determine if the CKC has already created a TCN for that dog. There will be a tab called TCN Dogs in the owner's Portal account. A dog may not move to the Specials class with a TCN. The dog must be fully registered with the CKC – CKC registration, ERN or MCN.

## Event Registration Number (ERN)

All dogs that are foreign born and foreign owned and enter Canada for the sole purpose of entering CKC events will require an Events Registration Number (ERN) from the Canadian Kennel Club. **Effective January 1, 2023, the policy has been changed to allow Listed Breeds registered with a different Canadian registry to also apply for an ERN. Canadian Born dogs that are registrable by a breed association in Canada recognized by Agriculture Canada may obtain an ERN.**

To obtain an ERN simply do the following:

1. Send a photocopy of the dog's registration certificate reflecting current ownership to CKC, for example AKC Registration Certificate with a written request for an ERN.
2. Include with the above a cheque or money order in the amount currently required payable to the Canadian Kennel Club.
3. Ensure that you provide your full return address to enable the ERN to be sent to you.
4. Faxed requests will be accepted. Please indicated your Visa/MasterCard number expiry date, cardholders name and signature.

This Event Registration Number MUST be applied for within 30 days of the first day of entering a CKC event. Dogs may be entered as "LISTED", however, failure to apply for an ERN within 30 days will result in cancellation of any wins, awards or scores. Please forward your request to:  
CANADIAN KENNEL CLUB, Shows and Trials Division 5397 Eglinton Ave W, Etobicoke, ON M9C 5K6 Ph; (416) 675-5511 Fax: (416) 675-6506

## CONFORMATION CLASSES

**The following Regular CKC Classes (divided by sex) will be offered:**

Junior Puppy	A dog 6 months up to 9 months on the day of the show
Senior Puppy	A dog between 9 months and up to 12 months on the day of the show
12-18 Months	A dog between 12 months and up to 18 months on the day of the show
Canadian Bred	A dog which was born in Canada
Bred by Exhibitor	A dog owned and handled by the owner/breeder. The handler MUST be the owner/co-owner AND breeder/co-breeder of the dog. The owner/breeder must handle the dog at the class level, but need not handle the dog for further awards.
Open Class	A dog 6 months of age or older
Veterans Class	A dog between 7 years of age and over on the day of the show. Class divided 7-9 years, 9-11 years, 11+ years. Dogs entered in these classes may be spayed or neutered. The winner of each class in each sex will compete for Best of Breed.
Specials Only	A dog that has a recorded CKC Registration or Event Registration Number and has attained the required points for Championship Status. Note: A Listed dog may be moved to the Specials Only Class after the closing of entries, provided the CKC Individual or Event Registration Number was provided prior to the first day of the show. The request to move a class dog to the Special Only Class MUST be received by the Show Secretary ONE HOUR PRIOR TO THE OPENING OF THE SHOW ON THE DAY CONCERNED. TCN Fees WILL NOT be refunded.
Exhibition Only	Dogs 6 months and over, not in competition.



## NON-REGULAR CLASSES

Dogs entered in the Non-Regular classes must also be entered in a Regular class or for Exhibition Only except for Stud Dog and Brood Bitch whose progeny MUST be entered in a Regular class.

Exhibition Only	All dogs entered in this class shall be listed in the catalogue with the same particulars as dogs entered in the Regular competition. Dogs entered in this class MAY NOT COMPETE in any Regular class but may enter and compete in Non-Regular classes and/or Parades ONLY
Baby Puppy	A dog 4 months up to 6 months on the day of the show
Stud Dog/Brood Bitch	A dog with two or more of his/her get
Brace	Two dogs of the same breed handled by one person on one lead

**NOTE:** 4–6-month Exhibition only puppy~ if the puppy does not yet have a CKC Registration Number the Listing Fee is waived.

## SEXUALLY ALTERED CLASSES

Eligibility for the Altered classes shall be Limited to dogs over six (6) months of age, which have been sexually alter by veterinary procedure. Points MAY NOT be carried over from the Regular competition judging to the Altered class judging. This class WILL be judged upon the completion of Best of Breed. Two (2) classes ONLY will be offered:

ALTERED MALE and ALTERED FEMALE

Classes will be placed 1<sup>st</sup> through 4<sup>th</sup> in both sexes, the first place winner from each sex will be declared Winners and the second place winner from each sex will be awarded Reserve. The Altered Winners Male and Altered Winners Female will then compete for Best Altered in Breed.

## ROSETTE AND PRIZE LIST

Best of Breed	Best of Opposite Sex	Best of Winners
Best Puppy in Breed	Best Baby Puppy in Breed	Winners Male / Winners Female
Reserve Winners Male / Reserve Winners Female	Best Veteran in Breed (taken from all Veteran classes)	Best Canadian Bred in Specialty (taken from all regular classes)
Best Altered in Breed	Best Stud Dog / Best Brood Bitch	Best Brace
Best Altered Male / Best Altered Female	1st in each class offered	

Rosettes will be awarded to

- Select Male / Select Female
- 2nd - 4<sup>th</sup> in each class offered

Award of Merit - A Rosette may be awarded, at the Judge's discretion, at a rate of 1 award/10 dogs in Best of Breed competition.

## BICHON FRISE CLUB OF CANADA PERPETUAL TROPHIES

The winners of the following perpetual trophies will be awarded a keeper trophy:

- ~ Ch Trevor's Damien 1<sup>st</sup> Challenge for Best in Specialty ~
- ~ Bellissimo's Bichons, Tribute to Armani for Best of Opposite ~
- ~ Kay Calderbank Memorial for Best Canadian Bred ~
- ~ Vale Park Perpetual for Best Puppy ~

**JUVENILE SWEEPSTAKES**  
**Saturday, August 31, 2024, preceeding conformation classes**

Juvenile Sweepstakes is open to all puppies at least four (4) months of age and under eighteen (18) months of age regardless of place of birth. All dogs must be entered in one of the regular official classes.

Dogs will be judged in one of the following four (4) classes (divided by sex):

- for dogs at least 4 months of age up to but not including 6 months
- for dogs at least 6 months of age up to but not including 9 months
- for dogs at least 9 months of age up to but not including 12 month
- for dogs at least 12 months of age up to but not including 18 months

For final judging the first place winner from each of the classes will be brought together for the final judging of Best in Sweepstakes.

Best in Sweepstakes: Rosette, suitable prize & 50% of total entry fees collected for Juvenile Sweepstakes.

Best of Opposite in Sweepstakes: Rosette, suitable prize & 25% of total entry fees collected for the Juvenile Sweepstakes.

1<sup>st</sup> in Class: Rosette and Prize

25% of all fees collected will be retained by the BFCC to defray costs.

**VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES**  
**Saturday, August 31, 2024, following Juvenile Sweepstakes**

Veteran Sweepstakes is open to all dogs 7 years of age and over and entered in a Regular class, Altered, Veteran, Special or for Exhibition Only in the Regular Show. Spayed and Neutered dogs may compete.

Dogs to be judged in one of the following three (3) classes (divided by sex):

- for dogs at least 7 years of age up to but not including 9 years
- for dogs at least 9 years of age up to but not including 12 years
- for dogs 12 years of age and over

For final judging the first place winner from each of the classes will be brought together for the final judging of Best in Sweepstakes.

Best in Sweepstakes: Rosette, suitable prize, & 50% of total entry fees collected for Juvenile Sweepstakes.

Best of Opposite in Sweepstakes: Rosette, suitable prize & 25% of total entry fees collected for the Juvenile Sweepstakes.

1<sup>st</sup> in Class: Rosette and suitable prize

25% of all fees collected will be retained by the BFCC to defray costs.

**CATALOGUES & ADVERTISING**

**\$12.00 pre-order ONLY.** Specialty Catalogue is included as part of the Halifax Kennel Club catalogue.

Cover \$90.00 Full Page \$45.00 Half Page \$30.00

Above Rates include HST. All copy must be print ready (no changes will be made) and in the hands of the contact person, with payment, by the closing date. Please contact Judith Tulloch,

[ayrhill@ns.sympatico.ca](mailto:ayrhill@ns.sympatico.ca)



## PHOTOGRAPHER

Official Show Photographer will be Cindi Lee Campbell [cindileecampbell@gmail.com](mailto:cindileecampbell@gmail.com) (cell) 506-333-6117. No other photographers may take official photographs or photos for resale within the Show precincts unless by special arrangement with the show photographer and the show committee.

## RULE BOOKS

A copy of the rules pertaining to Dog Shows is available from the Canadian Kennel Club (1-416-675-5511). It is the exhibitor's responsibility to know the rules pertaining to these events.

## VETERINARIAN

**Metro Animal Emergency Clinic** 201 Brownlow Ave, Unit 9 - Burnside Industrial Park, Dartmouth, NS B3B1W2 Ph (902) 468-0674 Open 24 hrs

## JUNIOR HANDLING

A prize will be awarded to the highest-placing Junior Handler competing with a Bichon Frise in the Halifax Kennel Club Junior Handling competition on Saturday, August 31, 2024

## BFCC National Specialty Associated Events

### Hospitality

#### **Hilton Garden Inn, Halifax Airport Hotel (BFCC Host Hotel)**

Friday, August 30, 2024: 6:30 pm Room TBA  
BFCC Members, Participants and Guests Welcome

#### **Bichon Frise Annual General Meeting**

Hilton Garden Inn, Halifax Airport Hotel  
Friday, August 30, 2024: 7:30 pm Room TBA  
BFCC Members

#### **Bichon Frise Club of Canada Awards Dinner**

~EVERYONE IS WELCOME TO JOIN US! CASUAL DRESS!~

Saturday, August 31, 2024: 7:00 pm at The Wooden Monkey  
Terminal, Above Ferry, 40 Alderney Dr. #305 Dartmouth, NS

\*\*Please contact Elizabeth Buffett to reserve your seat, [buffettelizabeth@gmail.com](mailto:buffettelizabeth@gmail.com) \*\*



<https://www.thewoodenmonkey.ca>

**CHAMPIONS & CHAMPIONSHIP POINTS**

SECTION 1: A dog awarded WINNERS at a championship show held under these Dog Show Rules shall be credited with a number of championship points (ranging from 0 to 5) and the determination of the number of championship points to be credited to a dog awarded WINNERS shall be as provided hereunder.

SECTION 2: The schedule to be employed in the determination of the number of points to be allocated a dog awarded WINNERS shall be as follows:

<b>Dogs Competing:</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3-5</b>	<b>6-9</b>	<b>10-12</b>	<b>13 or more</b>
Points Allocated*	0	1	2	3	4	5
*Includes the dog awarded WINNERS						

To determine the number of championship points earned by a dog awarded WINNERS total all the dogs in competition which the dog defeated, directly or indirectly, for the highest of the following official breed awards: Winners, Best of Winners, Best of Breed or Best of Opposite Sex and then consult the schedule set forth above. The new system provides for additional points (provided that the dog has defeated another as listed hereunder):

**POINTS FOR RESERVE WINNERS FOR NATIONALS**

At a single breed National Specialty, the male/female designated Reserve Winners Dog/Bitch will be awarded three (3) championship points, provided that the number of dogs competing in the regular classes is sufficient for the Winners to have received 5 points.

**BREDS COMPETING AT GROUP LEVEL**

Placed:	FIRST	SECOND	THIRD	FOURTH
13 or more Breeds	5	4	3	2
10 -12 Breeds	4	3	2	1
6 - 9 Breeds	3	2	1	1
5 Breeds	2	1	1	1
4 Breeds	2	1	1	0
3 Breeds	2	1	0	0
2 Breeds	1	0	0	0
1 Breed	0	0	0	0

A class dog awarded Best in Show at an all-breed championship show will be credited with five (5) points inclusive of any points earned at the breed or group level. In no case may a dog earn more than five (5) points at any single show.

**GRAND CHAMPIONS and GCH POINTS**

15.2.1 The title of Grand Champion may only be earned after the completion of the CKC conformation championship. 15.2.2 Points for this title are only accumulated after the completion of the conformation championship and do not include the points earned in attaining the conformation championship. Section 15.2.3 To be awarded a Grand Champion title, a dog must attain a minimum of 20 points, which must include a minimum of two (2) wins of at least two (2) points each. Points may be gained at breed, group or Best in Show/Specialty level. Only the highest points earned at a single show are carried forward.

a) Grand Champion Point System Points towards the Grand Champion title are attained at breed level and are awarded to Best of Breed, Best of Opposite Sex, Select Dog and Select Bitch. Points are calculated based on the number of animals competing at the breed level for the Best of Breed winner and the number of similar-sex dogs competing for the other three (Best of Opposite, Select Dog, Select Bitch).

The following schedule shall be employed in the determination of points awarded at breed level for all levels of GCh:

Dogs Competing*	1	2	3-5	6-9	10-12	13 or more
Points allocated	0	1	2	3	4	5

\*includes the dog awarded winners

b) The following schedule shall be employed in the determination of points awarded at group level for all levels of GCh :

Breeds Competing at Group Level	Dog Placed 1st	Dog Placed 2nd	Dog Placed 3rd	Dog Placed 4th
13 or more Breeds	5	4	3	2
10-12 Breeds	4	3	2	1
6-9 Breeds	3	2	1	1
5 Breeds	2	1	1	1
4 Breeds	2	1	1	0
3 Breeds	2	1	0	0
2 Breeds	1	0	0	0
1 Breed	0	0	0	0

#### Win Points

Best in Show	5
Best of Breed at a National Specialty Show	5
Reserve Best in Show	4
Best of Breed at a Specialty Show (other than National)	3

c) In order to obtain a Grand Champion title, a dog must obtain at least two (2) points after 12 months of age. In counting the number of eligible dogs in competition, a dog that is disqualified, dismissed, excused or ordered from the ring by the judge shall not be included in the calculation for Grand Champion points.

d) Only the highest points earned at a single show are carried forward.

#### 15.2.4 Grand Champion Bronze (GChB)

The title of Grand Champion Bronze may only be earned after the completion of the CKC conformation title Grand Champion is attained.

a) Points for this title are only accumulated after the completion of the Grand Championship, and do not include the points earned in attaining the Grand Championship.

b) To be awarded a Grand Champion Bronze title, a dog must attain a minimum of 50 points, which must include a minimum of two wins of at least two (2) points each. Points must be gained at breed, group or Best In Show/Specialty level. Only the highest points earned at a single show are carried forward.

c) Points accumulated prior to July 1, 2021 may be used to attain the GChB title, however, a minimum of five (5) points must be earned after July 1, 2021.

#### 15.2.5 Grand Champion Silver (GChS)

The title of Grand Champion Silver may only be earned after the completion of the CKC conformation title Grand Champion Bronze is attained.

a) Points for this title are only accumulated after the completion of the Grand Champion Bronze is attained, and do not include the points earned in attaining the Grand Championship Bronze.

b) To be awarded a Grand Champion Silver title, a dog must attain a minimum of 100 points, which must include a minimum of two wins of at least two (2) points each. Points must be gained at breed, group or Best In Show/ Specialty level. Only the highest points earned at a single show are carried forward.

#### 15.2.6 Grand Champion Gold (GChG)

The title of Grand Champion Gold may only be earned after the completion of the CKC conformation title Grand Champion Silver is attained.

- a) Points for this title are only accumulated after the completion of the Grand Champion Silver is attained, and do not include the points earned in attaining the Grand Championship Silver.
- b) To be awarded a Grand Champion Gold title, a dog must attain a minimum of 200 points, which must include a minimum of two wins of at least two (2) points each. Points must be gained at breed, group or Best In Show/ Specialty level. Only the highest points earned at a single show are carried forward.

#### Section 15.3 Grand Champion Excellent and GCHEX Points

15.3.1 The title of Grand Champion Excellent may be granted only after the completion of the CKC Grand Championship Silver Title. Exhibitors will be required to submit to Shows & Trials the Grand Champion Excellent Record Sheet documenting the additional requirements. The Grand Champion Excellent Record Sheet Form is located on the CKC website.

15.3.2 To earn the title a dog must have earned the following during their career as a Special:

- a) One (1) Best in Show or a Best of Breed at a breed national specialty (where a minimum of 10 dogs have competed). b) Three (3) Group 1st, or three (3) breed specialty Best of Breed wins.
- c) A CKC performance title from any CKC Event. Titles excluded are: CGN, Herding Novice Tested Certificate, all Instinct titles from all events, as well as all Sprinter titles and all Chase Ability Program titles.

15.3.3 Best in Show, Best of Breed at a National Specialty, three (3) Group wins, or three (3) Specialty Best of Breed wins, must be attained after the completion of a regular championship. The performance title may be attained at any time in the dog's career.

NOTE: Grandfathering of the previous version of the Grand Champion Excellent title will be honoured up until December 31, 2022.

**All exhibitors are responsible for their dog's cleanup both inside and outside of the venue**

#### GENERAL INFORMATION

1. The Bichon Frise Club of Canada and Halifax Kennel Club will use all due care and diligence for the safety and welfare of the dogs and exhibitors but will not be responsible in the event of an accident to dogs or exhibitors.
2. The Superintendent will be in complete charge of these Shows.
3. The Bichon Club of Canada and Halifax Kennel Club will not be responsible for any equipment left on the show premises.
4. No Public Catalogue will be available. Know your numbers when picking up armbands.
5. Please Do Not leave personal belongings at ringside.
6. Please Do Not leave masks, gloves, water bottles, litter, etc behind. Dispose of these items in the garbage bins provided.
7. Please Clean Up after your dogs.

#### DIRECTIONS

**From Halifax :** Take NS-102 to Exit 8A . At the round about, take the first exit, drive to NS Hwy 2, At the roundabout take the first exit. Drive to East Hants Sportsplex 1076 Hwy 2 (on your right)

**From New Brunswick or Cape Breton:** Take NS-104 to exit 15 (Only exit to Halifax). Take NS-102 to Exit 8A. At the roundabout, take the 2nd exit. At the 2nd roundabout, take the first exit, drive to NS Hwy 2 At the roundabout take the first exit. Drive to East Hants Sportsplex 1076 Hwy 2 (on your right)

## ACCOMMODATIONS

Future Inns	30 Fairfax Drive, Halifax, NS B3S 1P1	(902) 443-4333
Quality Inn Halifax Airport	60 Skye Blvd, Geoffs, NS B2T 1K3	(902) 873-3000
Holiday Inn Express & Suites Halifax Airport	180 Pratt and Whitney Drive, Enfield NS B2T 0C8	(902) 576-7600
Hampton Inn & Suites by Hilton	35 Legends Ave, Truro Millbrook, NS B6L 0C9	(902) 843-4343
Hilton Garden Inn, Halifax Airport (BFCC Host Hotel)	200 Pratt and Whitney Drive Enfield, NS B2T 0A2	(902) 873-1400

**Please do not leave dogs leave unattended or uncrated in the rooms.**  
**Please be sure to clean-up after exercising your pets**

## RV PARKING

There is limited space available for RVs and Motorhomes. They are to be parked in the parking lot directly in front of the Dome (left of the main entry).

- No Electricity or Water is available
- No Emptying of Tanks in the parking lot
- RV Parking must be booked through Lee Steeves at [lee@regalridge.ca](mailto:lee@regalridge.ca)

Email needs to include the name of the exhibitor, the size of the rig and arrival and departure dates. The earliest arrival will be Thursday and departure must not be later than Tuesday by noon.