Entries close Friday 24th August, 2018

The French Bulldog Club of Vic. Inc.

CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW - PM

To be held under the Rules and Regulations of the Victorian Canine Association Inc. A copy of the Rules may be inspected at the office of the Secretary to be held at the The Royal Melbourne Showgrounds

SUNDAY, 23rd SEPTEMBER, 2018

Cash and Sash Prizes for all In Show Awards

Judging will commence: At the conclusion of our Judge's Breed Judging.

Judge: Mr Francesco Francetti (Italy)

SCHEDULE OF CLASSES:

Dogs: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 10, 11 Bitches: 1a, 2a, 3a, 4a, 5a, 10a, 11a

Baby Puppies may only compete against other Baby Puppies

Anyone paying membership must fill out a membership form or membership Members cannot be recognised. Please email for an Breed Classes

application form.

ENTRY FEES (INC. LEVIES)

\$ 20.00 per entry **Baby Puppies** \$ 10.00 per entry

ENTRY FEES (INC LEVIES)

Non Members

Breed Classes \$ 30.00 per entry **Baby Puppies** \$ 20.00 per entry



To be eligible for entry fees at Members prices, all exhibits in the members name must be owned at the time of entry and exhibition by a French Bulldog Club of Victoria financial member.

(If dogs are co-owned, please confirm current membership with your co-owners)

"Please note that this Show may run simultaneously with the Royal Melbourne Dog Show sweepstakes classes. Any exhibitor entering the sweepstakes should be aware that judging will not stop to wait for dogs being shown at the Specialty Show."

Exhibitors who are sending entries via Australia Post will be able to collect their entries at the show

SAE's are not required. Tickets to be collected at Show - Cheques must be forwarded with entries. Online Entries with Easy Dog will be available.

ENTRY SECRETARY

FBCV Inc., 256 Madderns Rd., Glen Park 3352 **Phone**: 03 53 345 247 (no calls after 9 pm) Email: frenchbulldogclubvic@westnet.com.au

CATALOGUE

Prepaid with entries \$8.00: \$15.00 at Show

CONDITION OF ENTRY OF EXHIBITS TO SHOW

When entering the FBCV Specialty Shows/Events you agree to abide by the conditions and regulations set out below, in particular, that it is a condition of entering any exhibit to this show that all exhibits will be critiqued by the Judge and photographed by a Club appointed photographer and that critiques and suitable photographs will be published in the Club Newsletter and any other document produced for or by the French Bulldog Club Of Victoria Inc. By entering any exhibit into the show, you are agreeing to the Conditions Of Entry Of Exhibits To Show as determined by the Show Committee of the French Bulldog Club Of Victoria Inc. The Club will not entertain any correspondence received before or after the Show requesting a change to this Condition Of Entry.

The French Bulldog Club of Victoria Inc. reserves the right to refuse any entry.

Dogs NOT entered in the Royal **Melbourne Show** will be permitted to enter the **Specialty Breed** show, but must advise when entering and will be issued with one admittance pass only.

NOTE:

ROYAL MELBOURNE **SHOW entries** must be via RASV website.



FRANCESCO COCHETTI

Francesco was born in 1963 in Rome, Italy, into a "dog family". His father was a judge and, together with his mother, bred Poodles with the prefix "Della Perla Grigia".

Francesco's affix "Di San Gimignano" was recognized by the Italian Kennel Club in the year 1984. San Gimignano is a beautiful medieval town in Tuscany. At that time he bred Poodles, with lines from the UK Tiopepi Kennel. He began to breed and show Chihuahuas in 1996 after marrying a Chihuahua breeder Tuula Lehtinen-Cochetti (Misty Meadow's Chihuahuas). He has also bred Dobermanns, Boston Terriers and Jack Russell Terriers.

Together, Francesco and Tuula have won many Championship titles with their Chihuahuas and Poodles, including World and European Winners. Together, they have bred more than 400 Champions. He is the writer of a Chihuahua book which has been translated in several different languages.

Francesco became a judge in 1992 and in March 2013 he became an all-rounder. He has judged all over the world, in more than 45 different countries, including World and European Shows. He has judged BIS at many prestigious shows around the world and he had the honour to judge the group nine final at the European Show in 2012, and will judge the Group 9 final at the 2018 WDS.

Currently, the President of the Rome Kennel Club, he has also been Board member of the Italian Maltese and Bolognese Club and of Club Cani Compagnia, and the President of the Chihuahua Club (under Club Cani Compagnia). Francesco last judged in Australia in 2010. RASV is delighted he accepted this appointment a number of years ago and will return to Australian shores for the first time in eight years.

<u>PLEASE NOTE</u>: The Judge above is for our Royal Melbourne FBCV Inc. Specialty Show 2018. This show is entered via Easy Dog Entries. RASV Royal Melbourne Show must be entered on their own RASV site.



DOGS VICTORIA REGULATIONS

VCA REGULATIONS 7.4 ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

7.4.3

Every person who enters a dog in any fixture conducted under these regulations shall be responsible for the correctness of the details on the entry forms

VCA REGULATIONS 7.5 PROCEDURES AT EXHIBITIONS

7.5.1

No member of a judge's household, including a person who resides at the same address, shall exhibit or handle any dog at any fixture at which the judge officiates as a judge.

7.5.2

At any exhibition a Ring Steward will not exhibit or handle any exhibit under a judge for whom they have stewarded at that exhibition

7.5.3

No person shall exhibit or handle in any show or exhibition under a judge who has, or has had, a proprietary interest in a dog or dogs whether solely or in partnership with such person, within a period of 12 months prior to such Show or exhibition

7.5.4

No person shall exhibit or handle under a judge, if that judge has handled any dog owned or part owned, leased or part leased by such person within a period of 12 months prior to such event or exhibition. This Regulation applies to approved and sanctioned events, with the exception of dog matches and members competitions and does not apply where an exhibitor assists another exhibitor who, due to a judging decision on the day, is required to compete with two or more exhibits at the same time.

7.5.5

No person shall exhibit or handle under a judge, if that person has handled any dog owned or part owned, leased or part leased by such Judge within a period of 12 months prior to such event or exhibition. This Regulation applies to approved and sanctioned events, with the exception of dog matches and members competitions and does not apply where an exhibitor assists another exhibitor who, due to a judging decision on the day, is required to compete with two or more exhibits at the same time

7.5.6

No person shall exhibit or handle under a judge if that person has billeted that judge or been billeted by that judge in a period of six months prior to a show at which the judge is officiating or intends to billet the judge within 24 hours after the show

7.11.20

A judge shall not enter, exhibit or handle any dog at any show or other exhibition where that judge is appointed to judge.



IVAN SANDOVAL (COLOMBIA)

Ivan has been involved in the canine world since 1977, when his parents purchased an Airedale Terrier to show, during which time he developed his great appreciation and love for dogs. In 1987 Ivan purchased his first Airedale Terrier bitch to show, obtaining his first Colombian Championship with her, sealing his involvement in the dog show world thereafter.

Several more Airedales followed this bitch, then, in 1994, he imported his first Welsh Terrier, later importing his first Welsh Terrier brood bitch. Since his last Airedale Terrier passed away in 1997, he has dedicated himself exclusively to the Welsh Terrier breed. Many of his dogs have won well, including significant international wins at all breeds and specialty shows.

Ivan is a former President and Honorary Member of the Colombian National Kennel Club and is currently a member of the Board of Directors. He is past President of the Colombian Terrier Association, being one of its founders. Ivan is also an active member of the Welsh Terrier Club of America and the Airedale Terrier Club of America.

Ivan became an all breeds judge in 2002, and has since judged widely across the globe, including in South and Central America, the Caribbean, Canada, USA, Sweden (International Stockholm HUND 2012), Japan, China, Romania and South Africa. Ivan had the honor of judging the Welsh Terrier Club of America Sweepstakes in the National Specialty at Montgomery County Kennel Club, an assignment voted by the members of the Welsh Terrier Club of America.

Ivan Sandoval is a civil engineer, working in the private sector in the construction business. RASV is delighted to welcome Ivan to Australia, this being his first visit to our shores.

<u>PLEASE NOTE</u>: The Judge above is for The Royal Melbourne Agricultural Show 2018. This show must be entered separately to The FBCV Inc. Specialty Show via the RASV entry section on their website.