

INFO MAGAZINE

Quality food, quality time.

RADUNO + CAC SHOW

RADUNO

Start: 10:00

Judge: **INTERVIEW WITH**
NENAD SRDANOV (RS),
Cane Corso Kennel "Custodi Nos"

Special trophy for
Best Heeler, Best Movement
& Best Attitude

FAMILY DAY

Start: 11:00

With demonstrations, workshops, advice,
coaching, a BBQ for all ages & old!

FAMILY DAY & GRILL PARTY

GRILL PARTY

Start: 19:30

PLACES TO OVERNIGHT

More information: contact@canecorsoclub.be - www.canecorsoclub.be - 0032 0478511553
Belgian Cane Corso Club vzw-asbl, Oosterzelesteenweg 36, 9230 Wetteren



04. June

HANDLING SERVICE

Start: 10:00

Judge: Barbara Macchia (IT),
FCI/ENCI judge

- CAC for Best Male & Female in show
- Special trophy KMSH for Best in Show

DSRA

Registration deadlines:

TESTING
ON THE SPOT

Raduno & Club Show

21st May 2023

Grill Party

26th May 2023

Belgian Cane Corso Days

3. & 4. June 2023 - Pliniuspark Tongeren

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BELGIAN CANE CORSO DAYS



3 & 4 JUNE 2023
PLINIUSPARK, TONGEREN



On June 3 and 4 it's that time of the year again when we set up 'our camp' in the oldest city in Belgium, for the Belgian Cane Corso days to take place under the watchful eye of Eburons King Ambiorix.

Due to last year's positive experience, we again chose for Pliniuspark, located in a wonderful green setting only 5 minutes from the center.

If you have the opportunity to make it a long weekend, a visit to Tongeren is an absolute must.

New this year, is that in addition to the Raduno and family day, as well the CAC Club Show will take place during this event. For people who frequently participate in dog shows, this is a big plus, as they only have to travel once for two high-level shows.

Also this year it promises to be a weekend with something for every Cane Corso lover's taste.

Rendez-vous on June 3 and 4 in Tongeren, for two unforgettable days dedicated from morning to evening to our beloved breed !



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SATURDAY JUNE 3 FAMILY DAY

Continuously
from 10:30 to 18:00

The day for every Cane Corso lover,
young and old !

Both (future) owners and breeders can enjoy the varied program on June 3 and get acquainted with the versatility of the Cane Corso: family dog par excellence, intelligent working dog and show dog !



In addition, you will not only find our Club Shop on site, but also various stands with snacks, food and all kinds of dog supplies. Besides this you can turn to the board members anytime with your questions as well for for advice & information about the breed and the association.

As usual, we offer you the opportunity to enjoy a snack and a drink at democratic prices, and if you wish you can end the day with a delicious barbecue. As befits us Belgians, conviviality and hospitality are key during these days.

ON THE PROGRAM

- Demonstrations 'sport with the Cane Corso' and the possibility to work on the spot with your dog under guidance;
- Show handling demonstration;
- Advice about purchase, education & training;
- Fun show;
- Nutritional advice;
- Photo corner;
- Skill games;
- Face painting for kids;
- Kid&Corso parade;
- Charity raffle;
- Breeders village;
- ...



FREE PARTICIPATION FOR MEMBERS IN ALL ACTIVITIES DURING THE FAMILY DAY !

It goes without saying that also non-members can participate: for the amount of 15 € per dog they get a ticket that gives access to all Family day activities.

(10 € for the 2nd dog of the same family, 5 € from the 3rd).

**VISITORS,
WITH OR WITHOUT DOGS
ARE WELCOME,
THE ENTRANCE IS FREE !**

SPORT WITH THE CANE CORSO



Led by Werry Braeckman and Thomas Coene.

Demonstrations obedience, tracking and protection work, with the possibility to work with your dog on the spot under guidance, for beginners and advanced!

DEMONSTRATION SHOW HANDLING

During this demonstration, handler and Cane Corso owner Emelie Claeskens will show you what is expected from the moment that you and your dog enter the show ring.



SKILL GAMES



Tin throwing, sack race, ball relay, duck fishing, apple biting... all this with your dog on your side. The better the bond, the easier it will be to control your dog during the trials... and the better the score !

FUN SHOW

By Cane Corso breeder Katja Chtuka.

An evaluation for Cani Corso without pedigree and Cani Corso with pedigree that due to disqualifying faults (such as a not recognized color, being neutered,...) cannot participate in the Raduno and Club Show.

The dogs will be evaluated on their general appearance, condition, breed type, movement and bond between owner & dog. Each participant receives a ribbon and evaluation report.



KID & CORSO PARADE



For children up to 12 years old.

During the parade, all duos, dressed as desired but forming a beautiful symbiosis, parade together through the ring with music in the background.

With a keepsake for every participant.

No registration in advance for the family day, participation tickets will be continuously available on Saturday at the secretariat.

The programming of the show handling demo, the fun show and the Kid&Corso parade will be published at the end of May.



SATURDAY JUNE 3 GRILL PARTY

From 19:30



Sign up for the Grill Party and end the first day of the Belgian Cane Corso days in a cozy atmosphere, with good food, music and drinks.

Young, old, small appetite or big appetite? Also this year we offer you the choice between a menu of 1, 2 or 3 pieces of meat/veggie, accompanied by bread and side dishes to choose from an extensive salad buffet. Welcome cocktail and dessert are also included in the price.

Consult the registration form for the menu options and prices :

<https://www.formdesk.com/belgiancanecorsoclub/grillparty2023>

**REGISTRATION IS
OPEN UNTIL 26/05 !**



On Saturday, June 3, we invite you to our Raduno, an established name on the Belgian Cane Corso days' program.

The person we invited for this year's Raduno is none other than Cane Corso breeder Nenad Srdanov (Kennel Custodi Nos, Serbia !

Nenad, world renowned for the quality and consistency of his breeding program, will apply his knowledge and years of experience to evaluate the participating dogs in detail for type, construction, movement and attitude.

With:

- An extended judgement report of each dog;
- A keepsake for each not placed dog;
- A nice ribbon for each placed dog;
- An original trophy for each 'Best of' Winner;
- A luxury ribbon for the Cane Corso with the best movement, best construction, best attitude and best head.



SATURDAY JUNE 3 RADUNO

Continuously from 10:00 to 17:30

**Judge :
Nenad Srdanov (RS)**

The Belgian Raduno is known as an opportunity not to be missed for those who know to appreciate a tough competition in a pleasant & sporty atmosphere, and are open to broadening their knowledge about the breed and their own dogs !

SUNDAY JUNE 4 CAC CLUB SHOW

Continuously from 10:00 to 17:30

**Judge :
Barbara Macchia (IT)**

**Our CAC Club Show will take place
on Sunday June 4.**

The judge we invited this year is Barbara Macchia (FCI judge, Italy) who frequently judged the Cane Corso in her own country and abroad.

With:

- A detailed judgement report of each dog;
- A keepsake for each not placed dog;
- A nice trophy for each placed dog;
- An original trophy for each 'Best of Winner';
- Award of the CAC to the Best Male and Best Female in Show.

**The exhibition is held under the regulations of
the Royal Cynological Union Sint Hubertus (K.K.U.S.H.)**



WHO CAN PARTICIPATE ?

Every Cane Corso from the age of 3 months* in possession of an FCI pedigree can participate in the Raduno and CAC Club Show.

**please take into account the rabies vaccination if you live abroad.*

Dogs up to the age of 9 months (Minor puppy and Puppy class) whose pedigree is not yet in the possession of the owner can be registered, mentioning the origin and the remark 'pending' in the field where the pedigree number is required.

The shows organized by the Belgian Cane Corso Club are famous for their educational character.

Also this year, the placements and the finals will be clarified by microphone to give not only the participants but also the spectators the chance to follow the judgement.



Dogs without pedigree / dogs with pedigree but with disqualifying faults (such as being castrated, non-recognized coat color,...) can be evaluated during the Fun Show that takes place on Saturday 3 June during the family day.

**VISITORS, WITH OR WITHOUT DOGS ARE WELCOME,
THE ENTRANCE IS FREE !**





BREEDING GROUPS & COUPLE CLASS

BREEDING GROUPS (FOR 'BEST BREEDING GROUP') :

A group of at least 3 and maximum 5 dogs that do not necessarily have to be owned by the breeder, but that were all bred by him. In order to participate, they must be registered for participation in an individual class.

The intention of this class is that the breeder shows the results of his selection. The participating dogs were preferably born from different combinations (this is however not mandatory), demonstrating that he succeeds in obtaining homogeneity from various combinations. The judge will evaluate the groups on (breed-typical) homogeneity.

Attention, unlike to what is often thought it is not a judgement of a litter (mother and/or father with their descendants).

Registration for the breeding groups happens by the breeder, who must take into account that the dogs registered for this class have to be present until the final.

The organization reserves the right to refuse on the spot groups that do not meet the above conditions.

COUPLE CLASS (FOR 'BEST COUPLE') :

Male and female with the same coat color, who both are owned by the same person OR were bred by the same person. A relationship between the two dogs is possible, but not necessary. Both must be registered for participation in an individual class.

The organization reserves the right to refuse on the spot couples that do not meet the above conditions.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- 10€ discount on the registration of minimum 3 dogs from the same owner (valid for junior, working, intermediate, open and champion class).
- Upon registration, members are charged the same amount as non-members instead of the mentioned member rate (this is due to the online registration portal). Nevertheless, they will benefit from the member discount in the form of consumption cards worth the excess amount paid, which they will receive on the spot.
- Registrations in the Working and Champion class that arrive without an official FCI certificate will be treated as a registration in Open class..
- The participation of dogs with cropped ears and/or tails -regardless of their country of origin or date of birth- is not allowed (Belgian law).
- Participating dogs must be in possession of a European passport. In case they live abroad, it has to be demonstrated that they have been validly vaccinated against rabies.
- Also this year there will be the possibility to call upon handling service, which is offered by Emelie Claeskens and Jolien Deneweth. More info about this further in this magazine.

REGISTERING

You can register online via the portal Onlinedogshows :

https://www.onlinedogshows.eu/nl/Show/Index/2843/BelgianCaneCorsoDays_Specialty_Raduno

There are two registration terms :

Term 1 closes on 23 april.

Term 2 closes on 21 may.

The tariffs can be consulted on the next page.



REGISTRATION FEES RADUNO / CAC CLUB SHOW

(Rates per show)	1st term		2nd term	
	BCCC members	non-members	BCCC members	non-members
Minor puppy (3 - 6 months)	20 €	25 €	25 €	30 €
Puppy (6 - 9 months)	20 €	25 €	25 €	30 €
Junior (9 - 18 months)	35 €	40 €	40 €	45 €
Intermediate (15 - 24 months)	35 €	40 €	40 €	45 €
Open (+15 months)	35 €	40 €	40 €	45 €
Working	35 €	40 €	40 €	45 €
Champion	35 €	40 €	40 €	45 €
Veteran (+8 years)	10 €	15 €	15 €	20 €
Breeding group (per group)	10 €	15 €	15 €	20 €
Couple (<i>per couple</i>)	10 €	15 €	15 €	20 €

An additional discount of €10 will be applied to the above rates when registering at least 3 dogs from the same owner in the classes Junior, Intermediate, Working or Champion.

! ATTENTION !

Members are charged the same amount as non-members upon registration, which is due to the online registration portal.

In order to allow them to benefit from the member rate mentioned above, they will receive consumption cards on the spot for the amount paid in excess !

HEALTH & WELLBEING

Goal: To improve the health and wellbeing of the Cane Corso

DSRA TEST STAND

on sunday

LABOKLIN
LABORATORIUM VOOR KLINISCHE DIAGNOSTIEK N.V.

On Sunday from 14:00 to 16:00 we offer you the possibility to have your dog tested for the hereditary condition Dental-Skeletal-Retinal Anomaly (DSRA).

The test will be performed by a veterinarian and is done by taking a saliva swab.

You can sign up with us in advance but this is not mandatory. Just like last year, Laboklin will provide swabs and forms that can be filled in on the spot.

The cost for this test is €63,04 per dog. Members of an officially recognized Cane Corso association enjoy the discounted rate of €48,81 (a copy of your membership card is required).

The official certificate, which is required by the breeding reglement of most associations, costs €10.

CHARITY RAFFLE

FOR THE BENEFIT OF
RESEARCH ON CANCER IN DOGS

on saturday and sunday



**CANINE CANCER
ALLIANCE**

As in previous years, a major charity raffle will be held, and once again we chose the Canine Cancer Alliance, a non-profit organization that funds cancer research and scientists around the world to advance the most promising therapies for dogs.

You can support this action by buying raffle tickets on spot, but also by donating prizes. If you have any prizes to give away, or if you have contacts who can help us collect prizes, please don't hesitate to get in touch with us !



BCCC BREEDERS VILLAGE

on saturday and sunday

On both Saturday and Sunday you can find the breeders affiliated with our association on site in our breeders village, where you'll have the chance to get to know them and some of their dogs!



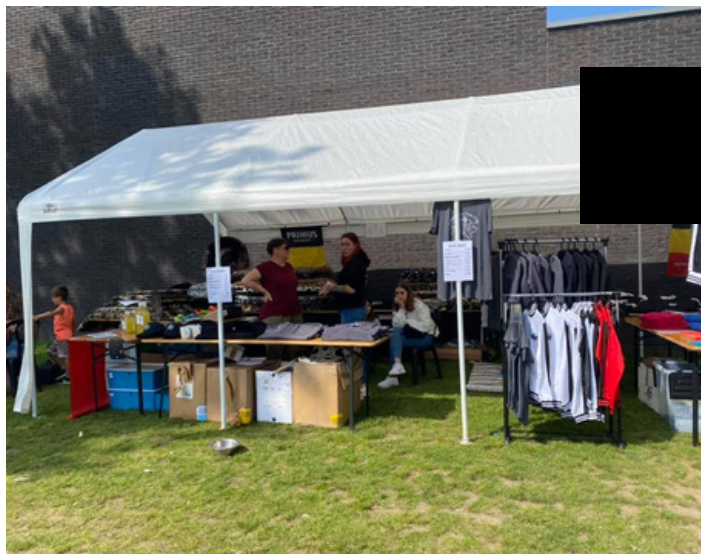
BREEDERS AFFILIATED WITH THE BELGIAN CANE CORSO CLUB:

Amico Speciale (the Netherlands)
Basil' Evidenza (Belgium)
dei Molossi d'Eburon (Italy)
delle Terre del Conte (the Netherlands)
Dono del Cielo (Belgium)
Fiore di Lino (Belgium)
Guardiano della Vita (Belgium)
La Vita Bella (the Netherlands)

Belgian Cane Corso days...

WHERE MEETING IS A PLEASURE

As befits us Belgians, hospitality and atmosphere play a central role



SHOPPING



ANIMATION



FOOD



... AND DRINKS

LIMONCELLO	
Artisanal production	
25 cl	€ 4,50
50 cl	€ 7,50
75 cl	€ 11,00



TONGEREN

in the footsteps of the Romans...

Tongeren, Belgium's first town, whose history reads like a real adventure story.

Before the conquests of the Romans, Tongeren and its surroundings were inhabited by the Eburons, a Celtic tribe. From 57 B.C. the Romans began their conquests in Gaul. In 54 B.C. it came to a confrontation with the Eburons led by Ambiorix. By a trick, the Roman soldiers were ambushed and about 15 cohorts (about 9000 soldiers) were massacred. To avenge this humiliation, Julius Caesar had the whole tribe exterminated.

In 51 B.C. the Tungri, another Germanic tribe, were authorized to settle in the country of the Eburons. Together with the Romans, the Tungri formed the foundation for the establishment of this colony. It is to this tribe that Tongeren also owes its name.



SEE & DO

Tongeren is undoubtedly a cultural hotspot in a green environment. The city and its surroundings offer many jewels of tourist heritage, which are worth a visit for those who wish to combine the Belgian Cane Corso days with a visit to Belgium's oldest town !

More information: <https://www.toerismetongeren.be/en/see-and-do>



AMBIORIX

Tongeren's most famous (or should that be notorious?) inhabitant also occupies the most prominent place in the city. The imposing bronze statue of Ambiorix, King of the Eburones, dating from 1866 is a tribute to his memorable victory over the Romans in 54 BCE. It prompted Julius Caesar to call the Belgians the bravest of all the Gauls. Ambiorix is posing in Germanic attire and a dragon helmet, his hatchet as his weapon of choice. His feet are trampling the weapons of the defeated Roman foe. The fence around the statue is made of spears, wild boar heads and arrows, entirely in line with Celtic tradition.



WALLED CITY

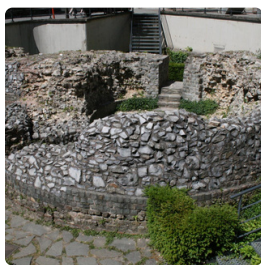
Under Roman rule, 'Atuatuca Tungrorum' grew into one of the largest trading cities in Northern Gaul. The Roman passion for building underscores the importance of this strategic location. You can still see the remains of the aquaduct, Roman temple and impressive defense wall around the city to this day. The wall is 6 metres high, 2 metres thick and 4544 metres long. More than for defense, it was built as a status symbol for the proud city. Unfortunately it has crumbled over the centuries... just like Roman influence. But the fall of Rome was not enough to stop Tongeren's growth.



GALLO-ROMAN MUSEUM

The Gallo-Roman museum is an archeological museum, dedicated to the prehistorical times and Roman age of the region. In 2011, it was awarded as the European Museum of the Year.

Most of the legacy of the Roman occupiers is safely stored away in the Gallo-Roman Museum, which is home to a treasure trove of Roman relicts. However, there are still visible traces of our Roman forefathers in Tongeren's city centre and surrounding municipalities.





PLINIUSPARK

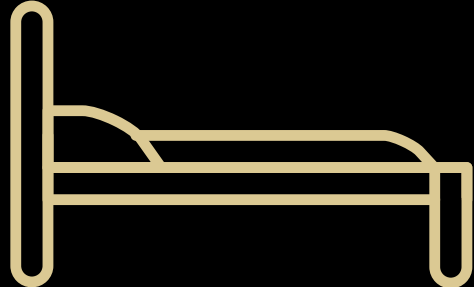
Fonteindreef 8, 3700 Tongeren

Tongeren is one of the oldest settlements from Roman times and was founded near the Plinius spring. In Belgium, this historical period is called the Gallo-Roman past.

Almost more than 2000 years ago, the Roman scholar "Plinius the Elder" mentioned an 'exceptional water source in Tongeren'. The medicinal effect of the now famous Plinius Fountain quickly went viral. The site became a famous spa town.

Today, the place has been transformed into an urban park, where water still plays a major role.





OVERNIGHT STAY



Tongeren has more than 30 lodgings, together good for about 500 sleeping places. You will also find many original accommodation options in the area around Tongeren. Camping on the terrain is not possible, but Plinius Park offers a motorhome site, where all necessary facilities are available.

If you plan to overnight in Tongeren or surroundings, we recommend you to book as soon as possible.

More information: <https://www.toerismetongeren.be/en/accomodation>

HOTEL MALPERTUUS (RIEMST)

<https://malpertuus.be/>

Participants and visitors of the Belgian Cane Corso days can book one or more overnight stays in Hotel Malpertuus at the direct rate, which is cheaper than the standard one.



Dogs are welcome in Hotel Malpertuus.

In addition, the hotel's spacious outdoor area and parking at the front are undoubtedly a big plus for those who are out and about with dog(s).

The hotel is located only 10 kilometers and 15 minutes by car from Plinius Park in Tongeren.

Address: Hotel Malpertuus - Tongersesteenweg 147 - 3770 Riemst



To reserve a room at the direct rate, the reservation has to be done by contacting directly the hotel, mentioning that you are participant or visitor of the Belgian Cane Corso days.

E-mail: info@malpertuus.be



Interview with *Nenad Srdanov*

Kennel 'Custodi Nos', Serbia

Dear Nenad, before anything else, I want to thank you for accepting our invitation to judge the Belgian Cane Corso days' Raduno on June 3. Although you are known worldwide due to your consistent breeding program and the many typical subjects you bred, we would like to introduce you to our participants and the general public through an interview.

Can you tell us how and when you got acquainted with the Cane Corso ?

First of all, I would like to thank you for the invitation to judge your exhibition. I am convinced that we will all enjoy June 3. It is also nice to hear that my work is recognized and appreciated.

My first contact with the Cane Corso was back in 1994. First through dog magazines, and after 1996 in real. It's amazing that I remember the name of the dog I saw, as well as the first contact with him.

The first dog I had was a black male imported from Hungary in 1998.



Can you tell us something about your dogs and your breeding program, and what made you decide to become a breeder ?

I firmly believe that the basis of breeding when it comes to dogs, is a good base of healthy females.*

When I talk about health, I mean everything that could endanger or improve the functionality of the dog itself. Health, body anatomy and character are especially important to me. My breeding goes in that direction, of course I don't neglect the head type and the general type together with the body.

Even as a child, I was surrounded by people who were engaged in dog breeding. In my nearest surroundings, there were world-famous breeders of Doberman, German Boxer and Rottweiler. I definitely owe them the love and passion that has awakened in me when it comes to dog breeding.

Which are the qualities you admire most in a Cane Corso, both in appearance and temperament?

Cane Corso is a breed that is the right balance between a rough and elegant dog. A strong molossoid head, bones and substance perfectly balanced with easy movement and functionality.

It's the same with character: confident, stable and balanced in all situations.

“
I definitely adore the harmony that this breed possesses.

”

Nenad, we all love this breed, but looking at Cane Corso history I'm convinced that each of us has in his mind a particular dog that took his breath away.

We are curious to know which is the Cane Corso you would have liked to breed or own ?

If we are talking about dogs that are now the history of the breed, then it's Simon and Bayron.

Who has been your greatest influence or inspiration in breeding, and in which way ?

As I said before, breeders of other popular breeds had a huge influence on me. The problems they encountered are similar to the ones that awaited me when it came to Cane Corso.

Nowadays it seems like there are more styles when it comes to breeding dogs. Someone focuses on color, someone on size, someone on character.



“ But in fact, the most important thing is homogeneity. This is what defines you as a breeder. ”

Which are according to you the 3 most important qualities of a breeder in order to be succesful ?

Every breeder must be self-critical, to yur own dogs, and most of all to yourself. It is necessary to be aware of shortcomings, to constantly look for them and try to fix them.

The breeder must be objective, no matter how much we love a dog, we must be aware of its shortcomings.

Good eye and experience are necessary. You become a breeder through daily learning, through new experiences. Nobody gets born with the knowledge to be a breeder.

What do you consider the biggest challenge of being a breeder of Cane Corso ?

There are plenty of challenges. But I think the biggest challenge for Cane Corso breeders is how to resist the trends imposed by future owners.

And at the same time to survive in the competition that follows the imposed market trends.



Which qualities do you admire most in a show judge ?

I like to see when the judge in the ring sticks to the same principles throughout the judgement, no matter how long the judgement lasts.

I greatly appreciate when I see that he pays attention to important details, typical for the breed.

And I admire a judge who doesn't compromise and doesn't change his mind regardless of the pressure in or out of the ring.



Time flies and we're getting closer to 3 June. Is there something you would like to say to the participants of our Raduno ?

I can only tell them that I will do my best to complete this task in the best possible way.

And I expect them to come in ever greater numbers.

See you soon, I can't wait for that day!

Thank you very much for your time and for this wonderful interview Nenad, we are thrilled to welcome you in Belgium !



Which dog bred by you represents best your breeding program and why ?

I could not single out one dog. All the dogs I breed and own have an equally important role in every segment of my work.



HANDLING SERVICE

By Emelie Claeskens & Jolien Deneweth

We are pleased to announce that Emelie Claeskens and Jolien Deneweth will offer handling service at our upcoming shows in June!

" To call upon the services of a professional handler is very common with other breeds. "

A handler is someone who has experience and feeling with presenting a dog in the show ring, and has the skills to show a dog at its best to the judge and the spectators.



WHEN?

**RADUNO, JUNE 3
CLUB SHOW, JUNE 4**

TARIFF

€ 25

If this is your dog's first time or if it has been a long time since he last participated in a show, it is recommended that you practice a bit with him during the weeks leading up to the show:

He must be used to being on a leash, allow his teeth to be shown, allow his legs to be touched to put them in the correct position if necessary and of course he must be sociable with people.

All this, obviously, is done calmly, without pressure and using rewards.



" We are Emelie and Jolien grateful for offering this service and hope that many owners will appeal to their experience and knowledge ! "

" For only 25 € you can have your dog presented by a professional during our Raduno ! "

It goes without saying that handling service is not free. Also Emelie and Jolien will charge a fee to owners who appeal to their services, a fee that for this occasion is lower than the average rate of a handler.



Would you like to register your dog for the upcoming Raduno or CAC Club Show which will take place on 3 & 4 June in Tongeren, but are you hesitant to enter the ring with your dog yourself, or do you normally present your dog yourself, but would you like to see him this time in the hands of a professional?

Do not hesitate and contact Emelie Claeskens !



" Don't wait too long because the places are limited: each of them can only present one dog per class (divided by age and sex). "

INTERESTED?

Then you can follow the next steps:

Step 1: Inform about the availability by sending a message via messenger to Emelie:
<https://www.facebook.com/emelieen.steven>

Step 2: Register your dog for the show, via the online registration form. Immediately after registration you can reserve the handling service by Emelie or Jolien. Please make sure that you pass on the correct class in which your dog participates.

Next, you will receive an e-mail from us containing the necessary information to make the payment. Step 3 is therefore to pay for your reservation for the handling service.

! Attention:

Your reservation is only definitive when both the registration for participation in the show and the reservation for the handling service have been paid.



SUNDAY 4 JUNE 2023:

Testing on DSRA

Dental-Skeletal-Retinal Anomaly



What is DSRA ?

Dental-Skeletal-Retinal Anomaly (DSRA) is a serious condition characterized by a variety of anomalies including dental anomalies (most common), abnormal bone growth, blindness, and deafness.

This disease affects not only longevity but also quality of life. Most animals that suffer from it do not reach the age of 2 years, some puppies are even so severely affected that they must be euthanized very young.

Since June 2021, thanks to the international cooperation of breeders and owners, it is possible to test this condition by means of DNA. With this test, carriers can be detected and matings between parent animals that are both carriers of DSRA - and therefore the birth of affected animals - can be prevented !

For more information about DSRA you can download the brochure:
<http://canecorsoclub.be/wp-content/uploads/2022/05/DSRA-EN.pdf>

On Sunday June 4, during the Raduno, our association offers you the possibility to have your dog tested for this pathology. The test will be performed by a veterinarian and is done by taking a saliva sample.

± 2 weeks later you will receive the result from Laboklin.

When ?

Sunday June 4.

The veterinarian will be present from 14:00 to 16:00 to take DNA by a saliva swab and to sign the Laboklin form.

Where ?

Pliniuspark,
Fonteindreef 8, Tongeren (B)

How ?

Saliva swabs will be taken by a veterinarian.

Please make sure that in the hours before the collection, your dog does not drink from a common water bowl and that he is not licked by/does not lick another dog, to avoid saliva contamination !

Who ?

Every Cane Corso, regardless of age, can be tested.

Testing dogs which are destined afor reproduction should be considered as a must for breeders and owners of a stud male.

! Screening for DSRA has been made mandatory by breed associations in Belgium, the Netherlands and Germany.



The costs

Standard tariff: 63,04 € per dog

Discounted tariff: 48,81 €

The discounted rate applies to members of a breed association recognized by the FCI that has an agreement with Laboklin. Attaching a copy of your membership card is mandatory.

Certificat: 10,16 €

If the test is carried out by a veterinarian, as will be the case on June 4, an official certificate may be requested at Laboklin against payment of a supplement. This certificate is required by most breed associations.

These costs must not be paid on spot, but to Laboklin after receipt of the invoice.

Pre-registration

Is possible, but not mandatory. Laboklin provides us with the necessary swabs and forms. You can therefore also register for the test on spot and complete the form there.

In case that you want to avoid the paperwork on June 4, you can register and reserve your DSRA test by sending an email to fokkerijgezondheid@canecorsoclub.be.

LABOKLIN

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Questions ?

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