NEWFOUNDLAND BREED CELEBRATION LUNCH

THURSDAY 14TH NOVEMBER 2024 AT THE ROYAL KENNEL CLUB,

10 CLARGES STREET, PICCADILLY, W1J 8AB (Nearest tube station is Green Park)

Schedule:

11:30 Tea/coffee upon arrival in Members Lounge/bar.

11:45 Visit to the Library; Gallery and Picture Library for introductory talks and also to view the many examples of fine/decorative art, books and photographs (specifically with regard to the Newfoundland) that form part of the Kennel Clubs' permanent collection.

In addition to many other works of art which are displayed throughout the building, there is presently a temporary exhibition devoted to drawings of many different breeds.

A rare preparatory drawing, by Sir Edwin Landseer, for his subsequent painting, 'A Distinguished Member of the Humane Society,' features within this exhibition. During our breed day it will not only be possible to see this drawing but also Landseer's original painting. This magnificent picture continues to be on loan from The Tate Gallery to the Kennel Club and is prominently displayed in the main gallery. The chance, for any Newfoundland breed enthusiast, to be able to be able to stand so close to view the original 'Distinguished Member,' is truly an opportunity not to be missed!

LUNCH:

12:30 Pre-lunch drink in the Members lounge/bar.

13:00 Three course lunch with a glass of wine in the Members Dining Room. Followed by tea/coffee and petit fours.

Should you not wish to participate in the tour, or view the temporary exhibition, then arrival is suggested for 12:30. The Kennel Club – including the Gallery and Library – is open until 4:30.

DRESS CODE: Club rules apply: gentlemen are required to wear a <u>suit or jacket, trousers and tie</u>; similar standards of dress are expected of ladies (smart trouser suits are acceptable). <u>Jeans, leggings and trainers are not acceptable</u>. There are cloakrooms and a facility to leave coats and bags near to reception should you wish to change clothing on arrival.

HOW TO BOOK: Please telephone to make reservations and payment. Tel: 0207 518 1017. Payment is by card please.

Cost: £48.50 Unfortunately, it is not possible to make payment by bank transfer.

N.B. AT THE TIME OF BOOKING, PLEASE ADVISE THE CLUB TEAM OF ANY DIETARY REQUIREMENTS OR FOOD ALLERGIES AND RE-CONFIRM ON THE DAY.

PLEASE BOOK BY THURSDAY 31st OCTOBER.

NOTE: The Kennel Club cancellation notice period is **48 hours**. The full amount will be incurred for no-shows. All cancellations need to be confirmed via email: breed.lunches@thekennelclub.org.uk
