



2026

Curly World Seminar

COUNTRY ARTICLE OUTLINE

The committee of the Curly World Seminar 2026 has decided not to use a fixed outline for country articles. This decision is based on the wide differences between countries, ranging from large and active Curly clubs to countries with only a single Curly representative. We recognize that some contributors prefer the security of having an outline, and for that reason an example outline – based on what has typically been included in previous seminar books – can be found in this document.

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If in doubt – this is for you

Another reason for us not to include an outline is that we would like to leave room for your creativity, as this often results in a more interesting and engaging article.

With that said - when writing your article, you may want to consider the following:

- What would you like to read in a country article from another country?
- What might breeders find interesting in your article?
- What was covered in earlier articles from your country, and is it important to maintain a common thread?

Article period

The country article should cover the years between seminars, including the year of the most recent seminar, as seminars are held during the summer. As this seminar will take place in 2026, the article should therefore cover the years: 2022, 2023, 2024 and 2025.

Page count

Statistics show that the average article length is 4 A5 pages, including text and tables.

Photos and illustrations are not included in this count. Previous articles have ranged from approximately 1 to 11 pages.

No word or character limit has been set for this seminar book.

Photos, illustrations and tables

We recommend that data is presented in tables or illustrations, accompanied by explanatory text. It should be clearly indicated in the text where photos or illustrations belong, for example by referring to the image name. Fill photos are also very welcome, even though they have no context to the text itself. Photos embedded directly in the text document cannot be used and must therefore be submitted separately.

Topics

Based on articles from previous seminar books, the following topics are commonly included:

- Background / History / General population
- Club structure / Organisation / Club life / Activities
- Competition / Results
- Title winners / Curlies of merit
- Breeding / Population / Registrations / Statistics: litters, imports/exports
- Health
- Summary

Other topics to consider

Some articles include new developments, breeding policies, or highlight dogs that have excelled, with a short description.

Others include show results, often limited to the most important ones. The emphasis on working trials and other activities besides shows varies greatly between countries.

You are not expected to cover all topics. Please focus on what is most relevant and important to highlight in your country at this time.

