

Judge: Ben Hanney

Firstly, I would like to say a huge thank you to the GKC President, Chris Bligh for the invitation, the Committee for putting on a lovely show and to the exhibitors for bringing beautiful dogs and a thoroughly sporting attitude.

HOUND GROUP

Beagle

Puppy 1) Woodhouse's SERENAKER BERGERAC AVEC BIRYBARN, this puppy has correctly proportioned head with an expression typical of this breed, scissor bite and dark pigment, full of beans!, correct movement covering plenty of ground, very promising puppy who was worthy of BPIB, BOB, PG1, BPIS.

PASTORAL GROUP

Polish Lowland Sheepdog

Limit 1) Dowding's MYBEARDS HATTIE, this bitch is a good mover covering enough ground, feminine expression with scissor bite and dark pigment, well laid back shoulders and angulation rear, ample coat of good black and white colouring BOB, G4

Open 1) Dowding's MYBEARD GOLDEN BUTTONS, I was amazed that this girl was eleven years old!, went around the ring like a puppy, teeth are scissor bite and still perfectly set, smaller for size with dark pigment.

German Shepherd Dog

Puppy 1) Brache's CHALKSVILLE LUCKY STRIKE, seven month old boy with lots of promise, typical markings with what should turn into a masculine and balance head, good lay of shoulder, ample angulation in rear and covering ground easily BPIB, PG1 and RBPIS. 2) Marquand's JOEVANESS LOCKDOWN AT MOONRAKER, eleven month old female, darker colour, feminine and slighter than 1, good scissor bite, superb temperament.

Limit 1) Cochrane's WINDGUNN'S AEGEAN PRINCE, younger male, more Germanic type of good quality, good scissor bite, once settled covered ground well and had typical tracking movement at rear, BOB. 2) Brache's CHALKSVILLE AMBASSADOR, English type, large masculine dog, well balanced on the move.

Open 1) Cochrane's CHALKSVILLE BRIGADIER, three year old male who is a balanced mover once settled, masculine head with correct dark pigment all round, well laid back shoulder from powerful neck.

Belgian Shepherd Dog (Groenendael)

Open 1) Yabsley's JETAIME HIGHER LOVE, well proportioned male with good scissor bite. Alert expression and lively movement covering enough ground. Using ears well and giving a typical observant expression BOB.

Shetland Sheepdog

Limit 1) Le Poidevin's PHILHOPE FULL DIVA, this little dog has an alert expression with a feminine head and perfect scissor bite, well laid back shoulder with firm topline and correct rear to move around the ring. Correctly textured double coat with ideal colouring. Pleased to award her BOB, G1 & RBIS.

Rough Collie

Limit (2,1A) 1) Deane's LADNAR DANCING WITH STARS, well tempered male, alert expression with correct head proportions and good scissor bite. Well laid back should, correct rear angulation giving plenty of drive from the rear resulting in a long stride around the ring. BOB & G3.

Border Collie

Puppy 1) Batiste's JUNEDROP SHOOTING STAR, loved this pup, friendly but alert, feminine head with well defined stop at occiput, scissor bite, well angulated and balanced mover once settled. BPIB & PG2.

Limit Dog 1) Deane's BORDADALE QUANTAM, 3 year old male, very well balanced dog who covered ample ground on the move, pleasing expression and well defined head with scissor bite.

Limit Bitch 1) Davies' LESNUAGES QUEEN BEE, feminine bitch, beautiful expression with well defined stop and scissor bite, black and white markings, front and rear slightly closer but covered ample ground, head down on move with a concentrated expression, BOB & G2. 2) Hitchon & Seward's FOXBARTON QUEEN OF HEARTS AT PATOIS, very alert expression, scissor bite, correct dark eyes, well laid back shoulder, good bend of stifle at rear, sound mover.

Open Dog (2,1A) 1) Deane's LESNUAGES HERMES, male of correct size and well muscled, alert expression dark hazel eyes and well defined stop, correct angulation at front leading into level topline.

Open Bitch (2,1A) 1) Batiste's TAZAEOS KNIGHTS FLORISIA, feminine bitch of correct size, very alert showing superb temperament, well defined feminine head, scissor bite, straighter shoulder, very alert on the move.

WORKING GROUP

Alaskan Malamute

Limit 1) Brouard's ORSAMALS PEPE LE PEEW, masculine and balanced dog, confident but friendly, powerful head and jowls with good scissor bite, powerful and well angulated rear, level topline and plenty of angulation letting him cover plenty of ground. BOB & G1.

Open (2,1A) 1) Brouard's DREAMWOLVES D'ADORE AT ORSAMALS PdH, well proportioned bitch, feminine but still bold and powerful, scissor bite, strong neck and well angulate shoulders, topline level, free moving with ample drive.

Mastiff

Limit 1) Graham's CWMTYSSWG TITAN, large well muscled dog, typical expression with slightly undershot jaw, covered ground exceptionally well for a dog of this size, a very nice example of the breed, BOB & G2.

GUNDOG GROUP

Welsh Springer Spaniel

Open 1) Smith & Ozanne's ISLANZA SPRING INTO ACTION AT LYNTONWOLD, lovely feminine bitch who is unexaggerated. Well defined head proportions, scissor bite, correct colour and markings, moved freely covering plenty of ground, very nice example BOB & G4

Clumber Spaniel

Open 1) Heaume's SUELYNDA DIAMONDS R' FOREVER AT FRANCFIEF, a fine example of a Clumber with distinct features but free from serious exaggerations, super angulation on front and rear, level topline and moved freely and briskly around the ring, BOB & G2.

Cocker Spaniel

Puppy 1) Smith & Ozanne's LYNTONWOOD LO AND BEHOLD, feminine puppy full of fun, litter mate to 2, there is not much between them and both of full of promise BP & PG2. 2) Smith & Ozanne's LYNTONWOOD LINDEN LEA, slightly straighter in shoulder than 1 but topline more level, ears on both are correct setting off ideal cocker expression, both are balanced when standing and on the move.

Limit (2,1A) 1) De Carteret's ANNILANN MISS DYNAMITE WITH DERRINDEE, two year old compact bitch with super outlook and expression, feminine head, scissor bite, good lay of shoulder, correct topline, lively and full of action on the move covering good ground, BOB.

Open Dog 1) De Carteret's BITCON SPY FOR DERRINDEE, nine year old male, fit and in good condition, still has good scissor bite, correctly proportioned head, good length and lay of ears, well muscled neck falling into correct level topline.

Open Bitch (3,1A) 1) De Carteret's KYNA SLACK ALICE WITH DERRINDEE, well balanced bitch who was alert and moving with excitement, good angulation at front and rear, nice colours and markings. 2) Symphorien's KYNA FLORENCE AT RIENMOUR, very feminine black and white bitch, well proportioned head, scissor bite, well balanced bitch with sound movement.

Hungarian Wirehaired Vizsla

Puppy 1) Ferbrache's ZOLDMALI OLYMPOS, this promising youngster was full of beans, very classical vizsla expression with excellent scissor bite, well proportioned and balanced dog, moving coming on very nicely indeed, BP, PG1, BPIS3.

Open 1) Cochrane and Ferbrache's ZOLDMALI DISCO, this dog is most elegant with a superb outline, correct proportions of head with superb expression, good on the move covering plenty of ground, in superb condition at eight years of age, BOB, G3.

Labrador Retriever

Open 1) Haynes' SANDYLANDS FUN TIME, large boy with that typical lab temperament, masculine head with scissor bite and dark pigment all round, move well at a steady pace BOB. 2) Sharpe's KERMOUSTER BLACK MAGIC, six year old bitch, liked her head and particularly her expression, again a good scissor bite and dark pigment.

Spanish Water Dog

Limit 1) Ozanne and Trebert's VALENTISMO'S ENIGMA AT FIELAMIGO, this bitch really covered the ground well with ample drive, correct head and expression, scissor bite, longer back, good depth of chest.

Open 1) Trebert's VALENTISIMO'S BALLESTEROS, this dog walked in the ring and wanted to be here! Covering ground with ease, a brown, correctly textured and developed coat, well laid back shoulder, good bend of stifle at back propelling him on the move, an extremely sound exhibit who in my opinion, is of Champion quality. BOB, G1 & BIS.

UTILITY GROUP

Shih Tzu

Puppy 1) De la Cour's CAVATEENA SITULA SCARLET FOR LAVRIL, feminine puppy with correct reverse scissor bite, dark round eyes underneath the soft coat, is well proportioned and balanced example, BP, PG1. 2) De la Cour's SANTOSHA DARK SECRET WITH COURSANI, close to 1 and not much between them at all, head proportions reflecting the breed's chrysanthemum example, again reverse scissor, moved around the ring well.

Limit Dog 1) Gordon's SHERTHIAN TRUST IN ME AT CAVATEENA, a good class, this one is a more mature male with a wonderful expression, reverse scissor bite, abundant coat of nice marking and colour, well balanced overall with a slightly raised rump, covered ground well. 2) Rault's CAVATEENA AUTUMN WHISPER, younger, less mature dog but very sound in structure, extremely good coat texture with pleasing marking and colour. 3) Girard's FOREPAWS GOLDEN WARRIOR.

Limit Bitch 1) De la Cour's SANTOSHA ICE QUEEN OF COURSANI, feminine nineteen month old bitch, well shaped head, good lay of shoulder, correct topline, covered plenty of ground and seemed to glide around the ring.

Open 1) De la Cour's SNATOSHA ONLY AFTER EIGHT, very sound little dog, reverse scissor bite, under the coat he is sporting an able physique, moving round this ring easily, BOB, G1. 2) De la Cour's SANTOSHA POLAR STAR, another good exhibit showing many similar qualities to 1, again a good mover and a superb, happy temperament.

Boston Terrier

Open 1) Simmons' WILDAX STRAVINSKY AT KALADASH, a nice example of this breed, a strong head with correct ear size and set, moved with drive around the ring, ideal neck, correct front and rear angulation, correct and well set on tail. BOB & G3.

Tibetan Terrier

Open Dog (2,1A) 1) Le Moignan's CH WATERLEY SKYFALL PDH, a well balanced dog who I was amazed to learn is eight years – fantastic condition, with a full scissor bite and still has plenty of drive on the move. BOB & G2.

Open Bitch 1) Le Moignan's WATERLEY MONEYPENNY, a feminine bitch of three years with a fabulous black and white coat in great condition, typical expression for this breed, good reach of neck, square outline, moved well with drive.

French Bulldog

Open 1) Deane's IZZAMOOR LA LADY, a good head, alert earset moving into a strong neck, leading to a slightly raised rump, longer loin, well angulated rear, good mover BOB & G4. 2) Breban's CHAMELIA SALTED CARAMEL, very pleasing head, expression and earset, not as good on the move as 1 today, superb temperament.

Bulldog

Limit 1) Breban's CAMELIA GACHE MELEE, young eighteen month old bitch who has a great temperament typical of this breed, strong powerful front with a wide chest, well angulated rear and moved round the ring really well once on the move BOB.

TOY GROUP

Pug

Open 1) Simmons' RHODENASH PEACH BLOSSOM AT KALADASH, lovely little dog full of fun, nice outline and expression, a great little mover and example of this breed. BOB & G1. 2) Symphorien's REGENCYLODGE ROXELLE AT RIENMOUR, a real character who moved around enthusiastically, excellent coat colour and texture.

Cavalier King Charles Spaniel

Limit (2A)

Open (2,1A) 1) Bennett's HONEYBET HAPPY TALK, lovely dog who moved around the ring well, such a happy dog with an ideal Cavalier expression and head, well proportioned and balanced, correct colouring and coat texture, BOB & G2.

Junior Handling

- 1) Porscha Rault, very calm handler who was constantly focused on her dog,. Showed me her exhibit's teeth correctly, followed my instructions and performed patterns cleanly, very professional job of handling, keep up the good work!
- 2) Ada Simmons, good job of handling and listen to my instructions, had a good rapport with her dog but just need to concentrate on her exhibit's movement when setting off. A very good job of handling today.