

SCOTTISH KENNEL CLUB

Judge: Mrs Doreen Hardie

Lovely entry, still felt the bitches were stronger in type overall, but there were some exciting youngsters coming through the ranks. On the minus side, too many oversized exhibits, especially in males, upright shoulders resulting in pinning in at the front when moving. Also too many in both sexes were moving close behind, looking good in the stand but let down by bad movement.

Minor Puppy Dog (2). **1 Hinchcliff's Goosepoint Gloster Grebe.** Liver and white Really nice typy puppy, good reach of neck. Excellent topline and shape. Moved as well as a puppy of this age would. Time on his side. **2 Wright's Goosepoint Spitfire over Steelrigg,** litter brother to winner, not so positive in movement, just liked his food, carrying a bit of puppy fat.

Puppy Dog (6). **1 Cox's Celloch Merlot by Cushatlaw.** Liver and white. Very appealing youngster. Super head, leading into well laid back shoulders. Sound mover, well up on size. Will watch his progress with interest. **2 Coghlan's Soeills Smug Doug,** a lot to like about this boy. Good construction throughout. Well balanced head, topline on the move. Liked his head expression. A lot to come. **3 Howe's Puddledub Pretender from Gistsaro.**

Junior Dog (4,1). **1 Thurm's Bryburn Bacchus.** This is a superb boy, who you really have to go over him to appreciate his qualities. Beautifully put together. Short coupled body, well ribbed up, strong hindquarters. Well handled, superb mover. So pleased to award him **RDCC.** Must have a bright future. **2 Sielski's Orchidstar Wotsit.** Unlucky to meet winner, mid sized boy, good head, correct eye shape and colour. Good front and rear movement, short coupled. Just preferred movement on winner. **3 Staley's Jormeel Midnight Rambler.**

Post Graduate Dog (2). **1 Jackman's Navigareamor Hardtoport.** Well oversize, has all the essentials. Moved well, just too big, not elegant. **2 Milligan's Redmires Storm The Stars at Chevinlade.** The boy looked all right in profile, short coupled, good coat, but his head is not his fortune. I felt too broad in back skull and short in muzzle. Moved OK.

Limit Dog (8,1). **1 Adams' Barleyarch Ariat.** So typical of this kennel, short coupled, great head and expression, excellent coat, straight front, well developed second thigh. Moved with drive that just covered the ground. Close up to RCC. **2 Rusk's Marann's Spring Mist over Booton.** Liver and white. An impressive male, well boned and top of size, but in no way coarse. Short coupled, tight feet balanced overall, covering the ring with lovely stride. **3 Trow & Jowsey's Winterwell Mr Hobbes.**

Open Dog (8,2). What a class. **1 Harris' Am GrCh/Sh Ch Vjk-myst Goeslikethewind of Barleyarch.** So well named, so well balanced. Super head and neck, good bone, tight feet. True front and rear. On top form today. When he moves, he almost floats around the ring. Pleased to award him the **DCC.** **2 Smith's Winterwell Foul Play.** A dog who you must go over to appreciate his many attributes. Super clean cut head, arched neck into sloping shoulders. short coupled, good width of hindquarters. Well handled and moved as one with his handler. **3 Hawksby's Benboe Beguiling at Delahawk.**

Veteran Dog (1). **1 Rusk's Booton Yvrandes.** Solid liver, what a character. No one told him he is getting old! Still in great shape for his age. Moved and showed well. **BV.**
Some super ladies coming through the ranks.

Minor Puppy Bitch (0). No Entries.

Puppy Bitch (7,1). **1 Nixon's Quintana Qin Qiao.** Just loved this youngster, very eye-catching. Has bone and substance, best of heads and reach of neck. Short coupled, tight feet. Good overall balance. **2 Ellis' Soeills Fannie Annie.** Well developed young lady, lovely head and expression. Good earset, nice bone. Well angulated. Moved soundly. **3 Ramsay's Seasham Let's Go Crazy at Drumview.**

Junior Bitch (5). **1 Harris' Barleyarch Playtime.** Single ticked young lady, nothing overdone in all departments. When you go over her, she is so well balanced throughout. Very feminine head, good front and feet. Super ribbing. Presents a lovely picture when stacked, and moved so true. She is so much like her father which I judged years ago. **RBCC.** A bitch going places. **2 Milligan's Isara Kurzhaar All Spice.** Classic head and expression, lovely dark eye, super shoulder placement. Good front and rear in hard condition. Moved as one with her handler. **3 Gibbons' Kavacanne Cheeky Vimto.**

Post Graduate Bitch (7). **1 Millar's Magregor Whoopie.** Well developed bitch of good type. Clean cut head, good reach of neck and good layback of shoulders. Lovely ribbing and substance, strong over loin. Moved true with good driving action. **2 Stewart & Currie's Winterwell Dominique at Levograd.** Great headed bitch, very feminine. Soft expression. Well ribbed up. Correct coat texture. Strong rear end which showed up in her movement. Close up to winner. **3 Mason's Twechars McKenzie Rock Roll.**

Limit Bitch (7,1). **1 Trow's Winterwell Inca Trail.** What a showgirl she is. Excels in head, good reach of neck flowing into well laid back shoulders. tight feet, low set hocks. Level topline which is kept on the move. Flows effortlessly around the ring. Pleased to award her **BCC & BOB.** **2 Schoneville's Balvenie Bella.** An elegant bitch, which was unlucky to meet winner. Feminine head, good eye shape. Short coupled. Well ribbed up. Moved out, covering the ground well. **3 Hudson-Smith & Smith's Teverlarni Tapuaenku.**

Open Bitch (8). Super class, spoiled for choice, hard to make my decisions. **1 Hayes' Valger Quartz in Elfindew.** Very feminine, medium size, head to die for. Dark eye, ample bone and substance. True front, great ribbing. Strong front and well muscled rear, tight feet. Effortless movement and at one with her handler. **2 Thurm's Sh Ch Valger Odette.** Super bitch, well deserving of her title. Excellent head and kind expression. Strong clean neck, well laid back, shoulders. Deep brisket, short loin. Well presented and looked a picture when stood. Moved true fore and aft. **3 Mervyn's Ir Sh Ch Tomanipoint Schumacher.** Special mention on this solid liver bitch. Loved her overall but felt that she just was not giving her best today.

Veteran Bitch (3,1). **1 Mckinstry & Uytman's Magregor Airs N' Graces.** Just into veteran. She has everything in proportion. Good reach of neck, soft expression. Deep in brisket, excellent musculature. Moved steady and well handled. **2 Brown's Montalba Millie Chillum.** A feminine lady, body firm and well muscled. Strong hindquarters, tight feet. Really enjoying her day out.