

Scottish Kennel Club Champ Show Sunday 18th May 2008

Some lovely Pointers on view but was disappointed to find a few bad mouths.

Puppy Dog (9)

1 Moulding's Billsborough Blue Moon, most appealing head & expression, plenty of work in it, lengthy neck set into well placed shoulders, straight front, good feet & pasterns, deep chest, good spring of rib, well angulated quarters & good tailset, moved confidently for one so young. Considered for higher honours. BPIB;

2 Luke's Sniperay Solstice Son, lots to like about this one, good make & shape, good front, deep in brisket, lovely sweep of stifle. Rather a handful for his handler but when settled went really well;

3 Wilkinson's Hurwyn Harris Tweed.

Junior Dog (4,1a)

1 O'Driscoll's Fowington Five Bob Note, good outline when stacked, lengthy neck, true in front, well boned, ample depth of chest. When settled moved well. Rather a handful;

2 Collins' Medogold Typhoon Ginger at Collholme, upstanding dog, good bone & feet, deep in brisket. Just not as balance din outline or movement as 1;

3 Smith's Toberdoney Fergus.

Graduate Dog (1)

1 Lomax's Teddyhawks Tyler at Meldarly, presented a good outline when stacked, lengthy neck set into well placed shoulders, deep enough in chest, well angulated quarters, moved quite well. Stood alone but a worthy winner. Should mature into a nice dog.

Post Graduate Dog (9)

1 Gordon's Hawkfield Dapper In Black, most appealing head & expression, well balanced without any exaggeration, good front & feet, deep in brisket, good spring of rib, well angulated quarters which he used on the move covering lots of ground. RDCC;

2 Boyd & Hinton's Fleurfields Flame for Glowmist, good head & expression, true in front & presented a balanced outline, moved well. Rather unsettled when stacked but lots to like & full of quality;

3 Radcliffe's Sniperay Alfie Garnet.

Limit Dog (5,1)

1 License's Arrowmere Red Dazzler, liked his head & expression, lengthy neck set into well placed shoulders, good depth, true front & good feet, ample sweep of stifle, moved really well covering lots of ground;

2 Twyman's Bracendown Good Buddy, upstanding dog, ample bone & substance, long neck & well angulated shoulders, deep in chest & well turned stifle. Couldn't match 1 on the move;

3 Fall's Jilony White Diamond.

Open Dog (5,1)

1 Moulding & Marsh's Sh Ch Billsborough's Bright Moon, liked his head & expression, good length of neck & shoulders well angulated, good bone & tight feet, carrying just the right amount of weight, deep in chest with ribs carried well back, moved well covering lots of ground. DCC & RBOB;

2 Kenney-Taylor's Rodale Reflection at Highshann, nice headed dog, lots to like, very positive mover, balanced outline, good turn of stifle. Just lacked sparkle of 1;

3 Buchanan-Robertson's Andronja Painted Black of Querdon.

Puppy Bitch (11,2)

- 1 Tibbs' Raigmore Let It Shine, just 6 months, what a pretty young lady, super head & expression, true front, ample bone, good sweep of stifle & tail well set, very promising;
- 2 Moulding's Billsborough Blue Star, very well put together, presents balanced outline from her appealing head & expression to her well set tail, good depth & spring of rib, moved well. Gave her handler a hard time on the stack;
- 3 Westron's Aurichalcum Oh Mon Dieu.

Junior Bitch (6,1)

- 1 O'Driscoll's Fowington Six In The City, glorious head & expression, good front & deep in chest, well angulated quarters, moved well covering lots of ground;
- 2 Brown & Cockerill's Zavian Heart N Soul, lovely headed bitch, dark eye, good length of neck & deep enough in brisket, good expanse of second thigh & stifles well angulated, sound steady mover;
- 3 Tibbs' Raigmore Water Lily.

Graduate Bitch (5,1)

- 1 Ormerod's Jilony Splash Me, a favourite of mine, loved her head & expression, true front & shoulders well placed, deep enough in brisket, tail well set, moved really well covering lots of ground;
- 2 Rigby's Pentworth Peaches And Cream, built on elegant lines, well chiselled head, fine in ear, well developed brisket with ribs well back, good sweep of stifle, moved with drive & enthusiasm;
- 3 Tobin's Davigdor Patience.

Post Graduate Bitch (6)

- 1 Wilkinson & O'Neill's Hurwyn I Heard A Rumour, so well put together, superb head & expression, straight in front, good bone, good depth & strong over loin, ample sweep of stifle, well set tail, moving really well covering lots of ground;
- 2 Robertson's Keepersfield Highland Rose well balanced attractive bitch, ample bone, good tight feet, pleasing head & expression, well angulated quarters, tail well set, true positive mover;
- 3 License's Arrowmere Deep Feeling.

Limit Bitch (6)

- 1 Ingham's Calderside Love Actually, well balanced youngster, pleasing outline, lovely head, good length of neck leading to good shoulder placement, deep in brisket, well angulated quarters, good tail & set, moved with lots of enthusiasm & style. RBCC;
- 2 Wilkinson's Hurwyn Eau De Cologne, liked her as a puppy & still do. Very pretty well balanced bitch, so sound on the move. Lacked sparkle of the winner;
- 3 Moulding's Ratchdas Royal Velvet of Billsborough.

Open Bitch (4,1)

- 1 Radcliffe's Sniperay Artemis, glorious head & expression, lengthy neck set into well placed shoulders, deep in chest with ribs carried well back, good expanse of second thigh & sweep of stifle. On the move she really came alight, looked like she could go all day. BCC & BOB;
- 2 Westron's Ch/Ir Ch Aurichalcum The Avenger, loved her head & expressive eye, balanced outline, good depth of brisket, correct bone, good in front & powerful quarters, moved very well;
- 3 Best's Bestina Jennyanydots.

LINDA PIMBLETT - Judge