Setter and Pointer Championship Show 7th November 2009

VETERAN DOG (1).

1st Flint's Sh Ch. Casilex Bucks Fizz JW ShCM. An upstanding masculine quality dog presented in good condition. Pleasing profile with an attractive head and gentle expression. Correct topline with good bend of stifle. Moved soundly with driving action.

MINOR PUPPY DOG (4).

1st Blackburn-Bennett's Lokamadi Jay Todd at Kanix. A quality youngster presented in good coat and condition. Well balanced outline for his age. Appealing head with a kindly eye and expression. Good crested neck into well angulated shoulders. Good front and bone. Correct topline with good guarters. Moved well. BPD.

2nd Princes' Groma Shootin Star. Very appealing masculine dog with a good outline. Well proportioned head with a kindly eye and expression. Good front. Good reach of neck with clean shoulders into correct topline. Moved soundly but preferred the overall ring presence and confidence of winner.

3rd Atkin's Hawkfield Mischief Maker.

PUPPY DOG. (2)

1st Barker's Flinthill Monty Don. Nice type with a lovely balanced profile. Very appealing classical head shape with good dish and soft expression from a kindly eye. Good front and bone. Clean shoulders with a crested neck into a firm topline. Well developed quarters. Moved soundly with good lashing.

2nd Lathwell's Teisgol Little Cracker. An attractive upstanding youngster with a larger frame than the winner. Pleasing masculine head with a nice eye and kindly expression. Good neck into correct topline. Correct bend of stifle. Moved well when settled.

JUNIOR DOG. (10,1).

1st Parson's Pipeaway Sugar Raye. A high quality young dog with much to admire. Nice type with a pleasing outline. Lovely classical head with good dish, kindly eye and an intelligent expression. Good front with correct bone. Clean shoulders with a crested neck into a firm topline. Well developed quarters. Very stylish correct movement. Pushed hard for top honours. Certainly one for the future.

2nd Hinton's Fleurfield Flambeau. Very appealing with a balanced outline presented in good coat and condition. Attractive well proportioned head with a kindly eye and typical expression. Correct front. Good crested neck into firm topline. Well developed quarters. Moved well with good drive and tail lashing.

3rd Martin's Sunhouse Believe It Or Not.

YEARLING DOG (6,1).

1st Kirby's Haramander Shabby Chic. Lovely type with a clean balanced outline presented in good coat and condition. Attractive masculine head with a kindly eye and an appealing expression. Straight front with good reach of neck into correct topline. Strong quarters with good bend of stifle. Moved soundly.

2nd Anthony's Jilony Just Amazin JW. Well presented masculine dog with a pleasing profile. Well proportioned head with a nice eye and kindly expression. Good front and reach of neck into a firm topline. Strong quarters with good bend of stifle. Moved with drive. 3rd Stangroom's Lappakia Oasis Dream.

NOVICE DOG (2).

1st Hinton's Fleurfield Flambeau. 2nd Barker's Flinthill Monty Don.

GRADUATE DOG (8,3).

1st Jones's Dappleline Euphoria with Dottymix. Very appealing quality dog with a balanced outline. Lovely masculine head with a kindly eye and soft expression. Straight front with good depth. Good reach of neck into correct topline. Good bend of stifle. Moved soundly with good drive and tail lashing. Very close between first and second but preferred the more positive movement of winner.

2nd Kirby's Haramander Shabby Chic.

3rd Whiting's Rodale Ringleader.

POST GRADUATE DOG (5).

1st Naden's Wychwood Love over Gold. Lovely type with an impressive outline. Well balanced masculine head with a nice expressive eye. Straight front with good bone. Good crested neck with well angulated shoulders. Firm well developed body with strong quarters. Correct bend of stifle. Very stylish and correct movement.

2nd Sillince's Tomlow Sneak Preview. Well presented upstanding masculine dog with a balanced outline. Attractive head shape with an appealing expression. Good front, correct bone. Clean neck into firm topline. Good bend of stifle. Moved correctly but lacked the drive of winner. 3rd Smith's Lypal Pukka Tukka.

LIMIT DOG (11).

1st Wilcox's Pipeaway Zonic Tonic for Merynjen JW. A high quality dog that I have done well as a youngster. Delighted to see that he is now beginning to fulfill his potential. Lovely balanced general outline. Super classical head with good dish, kindly eye and soft expression. Good long arched neck into clean shoulders. Correct front of good depth and correct bone. Strong topline with well developed quarters and bend of stifle. Lovely stylish and effortless movement with good tail lashing. Delighted to award him the CC. Without doubt my dog of the day, however, it was disappointing that in the later challenge he lacked the same enthusiastic movement. 2nd Cherry's Shanandi Masterpiece. Another quality dog that was unfortunate to meet the winner in such form. Well presented with a lovely balanced outline. An attractive masculine head with a kindly eye and an alert expression. Good reach of neck into clean shoulders and correct topline. Strong quarters with good stifle. Moved soundly.

3rd Morgan and Petherick's Hurwyn Trick of the Night for Quensha JW.

OPEN DOG (6,2).

1st Blackburn-Bennett and Wilberg's Sh Ch Kaswahili Martin at Kanix. A high quality upstanding dog that I have done well in the past. Lovely balanced outline. Appealing masculine head with an attractive eye. Straight front with good bone. Clean arched neck into a correct firm topline. Well developed quarters with good bend of stifle. Moved well with an easy stride. Well deserved RCC.

2nd Walkling's Kiswahili Catcher in the Rye. Well balanced masculine dog presented in good condition. Lovely type with an attractive well proportioned head, kindly eye and soft expression. Good arched neck into a firm topline. Well angulated quarters. Moved well with plenty of drive. 3rd Martin's Sh Ch Jilony Believe in Sunhouse ShCM.

VETERAN BITCH (3,1).

1st Naden's Sh Ch. Trendmere Dark Star over Wychwood ShCM. Very impressive veteran bitch presented in good coat and condition and not looking her age. Well balanced with a lovely feminine head and soft expression. Good front, reach of neck and firm topline. Strong quarters. Moved with a classic gait and plenty of drive. Well deserved RCC.

2nd Stilgoe's Teisgol Soft as Silk. Nice type presented in good condition. Very feminine throughout. Attractive head with a kindly eye and appealing expression. Good front with correct bone. Good reach of neck into a well ribbed mature body. Correct bend of stifle. Moved soundly.

MINOR PUPPY BITCH (4,1).

1st Howe's Medogold Double Dizzy. What a super puppy. A real quality bitch with a balanced outline. Lovely head with a kindly eye and an appealing expression. Good front with correct shoulders. Crested neck into good topline. Excellent effortless movement. BBP and BPIB. I will follow her career with interest.

2nd Hughes and Bradley's Lokmadi Lucy Snow. Very attractive petite young bitch presented in good condition. Lovely classic head with a soft expression. Good neck and topline. Correct bend of stifle. Moved soundly.

3rd Dunmore's Groma Reo Star.

PUPPY BITCH (7,2).

1st Barker's Flinthill Daisychain. Youngster with a very balanced outline. Lovely feminine head with a nice eye and soft expression. Good neck into correct topline. Good bend of stifle. Best mover in the class.

2nd Wilkinson's Flinthill Forget Me Not. Very feminine with a well balanced outline. Attractive head with a kindly expression. Good crested neck into correct topline. Good bend of stifle. Moved with drive

3rd Edmondson and Robertshaw's Crookrise Free and Easy.

JUNIOR BITCH (16,2).

1st Welch's Hookwood Back to Black. Very appealing quality well balanced bitch presented in good coat and condition. Attractive head with good dish, kindly eye and melting expression. Straight front with good bone. Good crested neck into clean shoulders. Well ribbed body with firm topline and quarters. Moved with an easy stride and good tail lashing. Pushed hard for top honours.

2nd Tannahill's Wynbury Antonina. Well balanced with much to admire. Attractive feminine head with a kindly eye and soft expression. Good reach of neck into a firm topline. Well developed quarters. Moved with drive.

3rd Blackburn-Bennett's Kanix Beatrice.

YEARLING BITCH (2,1).

1st Anthony's Jilony Dancing on Air. Even thought she stood alone she has much to admire. Attractive head with good dish, kindly eye and a gentle expression. Good front, correct topline and well developed quarters. Moved soundly.

NOVICE BITCH (7).

1st Welch's Hookwood Back to Black. 2nd Tannahill's Wynbury Antonina. 3rd Barker's Flinthill Daisychain.

GRADUATE BITCH (3,1).

1st Brewster's Teisgol Spider Solitaire. An appealing feminine bitch with a lovely outline. Attractive head with good dish, kindly eye and typical expression. Good reach of neck into well proportioned body and flowing stifle. Moved soundly with plenty of enthusiasm. 2nd Smith's Hawkfield Lets Cause Truble JW. Well balanced bitch presented in good condition. Sweet head with a nice eye and kindly expression. Straight front. Arched neck into clean shoulders and firm topline. Moved correctly but not with the drive of winner.

POST GRADUATE BITCH (9,2).

1st Shaw's Sativus All About Eve. Impressive well balanced feminine bitch presented in good condition. Good front and neck into correct topline. Well developed quarters. Moved well with correct lashing tail.

2nd Naden's Wychwood Midsomer Dream. Very balanced bitch who presented a pleasing profile. Attractive head with a soft feminine expression. Good front and neck into a firm topline. Moved well but not with enthusiasm of winner.

3rd Stangroom's Janeryl's Desert Flower at Lappakia ShCM.

LIMIT BITCH (14,1).

1st Crawte's Bestina Black Opal at Leascliffe JW ShCM. A high quality bitch with a lovely elegant balanced outline. Well presented in good coat and condition. Feminine head with an a pleasing eye and soft expression. Straight front with clean shoulders. Correct topline and bend of stifle with well angulated shoulders. Moved with style.

2nd Welch's Hookwood Blonde Bombshell. A quality bitch of good type. Lovely balanced outline. Very pleasing head shape with a kindly expression. Good neck and shoulders. Correct topline with good bend of stifle. Moved correctly but with the animation of winner. 3rd Coggin's Medogold Bewitched to Gemrose.

OPEN BITCH (12,5).

1st Blackburn-Bennett's Chesterhope North 'n Breeze at Kanix (Imp). Without doubt my bitch of the day. What a picture this lovely lady presented. A quality bitch with an elegant balanced outline. Attractive head with a nice eye and soft expression. Straight front with good arched neck into a firm topline. Excellent quarters with correct bend of stifle. Her lovely driving movement ensured she covered the ground with ease. The day was her day and she could not be denied the CC and later BOB.

2nd Crawte's Leascliffe Lariana JW. Impressive bitch of excellent type. Very balanced outline. Lovely appealing head with a soft expression. Good reach of neck into firm topline. Moved soundly but unlucky to meet the winner in such good form.

3rd MacPherson's Viomillen Evesoevian by Medogold.

Keith A W Young - Judge