Darlington Championship Show Sunday 18th September 2011

VETERAN DOG (2)

1st Thornton's Westerns Vicarage, well proportioned dog with good length & return of upper arm & deep chest. Pleasing head & eye. Moved well, especially behind, with nice tail action. BV.

MINOR PUPPY DOG (10)

1st O'Driscoll's Gartarry Moonlight Flit to Fowington, lovely puppy with all the essentials & a pleasing outline full of curves, soundest mover in the class, beautiful length of upper & lower thigh; nice head, eye & expression & sufficient bone. Moved really well, striding out to cover the ground & with good tail action; 2nd Sillince's Meadowpoint My Shadow over Tomlow, scores in depth of chest & forechest. Pleasing head with dark eye & large, open nose. Good outline with nice length of upper & lower thigh. Just lost out to 1 for not being so together on the move;

3rd Walkling's Kiswahili Man Of Our Times.

PUPPY DOG (7)

1st Rayner, Spinks, & Pringle's Tenshilling Its Now Or Never at Spinray, very pleasing masculine puppy with all the essentials & lovely length of upper & lower thigh, excellent depth of chest; sufficient bone & nice smooth transition from neck to shoulder. Excellent lay of shoulder & return of upper arm. Moved soundly on neat feet. BP;

2nd Mitchell's Tenshilling Thats All Right for Staxyll, another very pleasing puppy & very similar to 1 but just not quite the body yet but has all the essentials. Nice head & expression but a little wider in backskull than 1;

3rd Sillince's Meadowpoint My Shadow over Tomlow

JUNIOR DOG (7)

1st Evans & Pavey's Joneva Diamond In The Rough, very mature for age & shown in excellent muscular condition. Pleasing, expressive head, carried well with sufficient length of muzzle. Well laid shoulders & return of upper arm & nice length of upper & lower thigh. Well let down hocks. Moved well on neat feet, really covering the ground well;

2nd Harrison's Millpoint Top Hat N' Tails, another lovely dog, well made throughout with excellent lay of shoulder & return of upper arm. Nicely angulated hindquarters; lovely head & expression; just not quite as good in front movement as 1;

3rd Best's Shadesett Keep On Believin for Bestina.

YEARLING DOG (4)

1st Howes' Medogold Zhivago, well developed in all departments & shown in good muscular condition, pleasing outline with excellent lay of shoulder & return of upper arm, good depth of chest & sufficient, quality bone, nice tailset & action; good length of upper & lower thigh. Scored over 2 in maturity & front movement;

2nd Harrison's Millpoint Top Hat N' Tails;

3rd Sutton's Whinbarrow Persian War.

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POST GRADUATE DOG (7)

1st Alcorn & Lynn's Afterglow Bare Face Lie at Kanix, lovely outline & so nice to go over, excellent depth of chest & good forechest. Good width of upper & lower thigh & well let down hocks. Elegant neck & well sculpted head with pleasing eye & expression. Strode out well on the move, really covering the ground; 2nd Adams' Ansona Simple Simon, another lovely dog with excellent length of neck & good length of upper & lower thigh, beautiful head with nice chiselling around eye. Moved well but not as good in front movement as 1;

3rd Batchelor's Groma Jesse James.

LIMIT DOG (7)

1st Anthony's Jilony Just Amazin, lovely head & neck, good straight front; excellent depth of chest & spring of rib but would prefer a shade more return of upper arm. Lovely rear angulation with nice length of upper & lower thigh & well let down hocks. Moved well on neat feet;

2nd Turton's Tanglebrook Isaac, pleasing dog with all the essentials, just not so good in movement when coming towards you, as 1. Nicely made with good ribcage going well back. Lovely masculine eye & expression with large open nose; another one where I would prefer a little more return of upper arm; 3rd Kirby's Haramander Shabby Chic.

OPEN DOG (5)

1st Blackburn-Bennett's Sh Ch Kiswahili Martin at Kanix, I liked both 1 & 2 very much but in the challenge, I just preferred the length of upper & lower thigh of 1. Lovely outline with aristocratic head held well on the move, excellent forechest & depth of chest; good spring of rib going well back; excellent bone & nice tailset. Good reach of neck; kind, intelligent eye & large open nose. Moved very soundly really covering the ground well with every stride. CC & BOB;

2nd Rose & Robinson's NZ Ch Robwyn Dreams Are Free at Ridanflight, lovely outline with similar virtues to 1, pleasing head, eye & expression, shown in lovely, muscular condition & moved very well with nice head carriage & really covering the ground. RCC;

3rd O'Neill's Hurwyn Some Might Say.

VETERAN BITCH (1, 1abs)

MINOR PUPPY BITCH (7)

1st Barford & Booth's Kiswahili You Live In Me for Protanto, very well made baby with a lovely outline. Excels in return of upper arm & length of upper & lower thigh. Good bone & attractive feminine head, eye & expression. Moved very well on neat feet;

2nd Martin's Gartarry Moon Light in Sunhouse, another nice type with good outline. Nice length of upper & lower thigh; good bone & well let down hocks. Pleasing feminine head with intelligent expression, moved very well;

3rd Hall's Gartarry New Moon.

PUPPY BITCH (6)

1st O'Neill's Tenshilling Viva Las Vegas, nicely made throughout & well developed for age. Excellent reach of neck leading to well laid shoulders & good return of upper arm. Pleasing depth of chest & well ribbed back to short, strong loin. Good hind angulation & moved well on neat feet;

2nd Edmondson & Robertshaw's Crookrise Trinity, similar comments apply as to 1, feminine head with intelligent eye & expression. Excels in length of upper & lower thigh leading to well let down hocks. Good bone; nice topline & moved very well;

3rd Blackburn-Bennett's Kanix Daniella.

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JUNIOR BITCH (10)

1st Evans & Pavey's Joneva Hazy Hazy Dream, pleasing outline with good bone & well muscled throughout. Good reach of neck; attractive aristocratic head with nice eye & expression & held well on the move. Good length of upper & lower thigh & moved soundly on neat feet;

2nd Harrison's Millpoint To Have N' To Hold, well developed for age with excellent depth of chest. Good hind angulation with well let down hocks. Moved very well on neat feet, really covering the ground; 3rd Nicholls' Lokmadi Francis Partridge at Stonesview.

YEARLING BITCH (5)

1st Siddle's Wilchrimane Ice Crystal, lovely outline with good, quality bone & strength over loin. Good length of upper & lower thigh & nice forechest. Well chiselled head with intelligent expression. Moved soundly both coming & going;

2nd Harrison's Millpoint To Have N' To Hold;

3rd Thorley's Gempoint Prim N Proper.

POST GRADUATE BITCH (9)

1st Barker's Flinthill Daisychain, honest bitch, well made throughout. Excels in well balanced head with lovely expression. Good forechest & depth of chest & nice length of upper & lower thigh. Well muscled throughout & moved soundly with lovely head carriage;

2nd Grime & Byrne's Ansona Jenny Wren at Enryb, another very feminine bitch, well made throughout. Attractive head, eye & expression; lovely hindquarters with excellent length of upper & lower thigh leading to well let down hocks, moved soundly;

3rd Blackburn-Bennett's Kanix Chilli.

LIMIT BITCH (16)

1st Anthony's Jilony Dancing On Air, very feminine head & well made throughout. Good forechest; lovely spring of rib & depth of chest & good length of upper & lower thigh leading to well let down hocks. Moved very well, really covering the ground;

2nd Ingham's Calderside Yours Truly, honest bitch, very well constructed throughout, just preferred the head of 1. Nice bone; excellent hindquarters & well muscled throughout. Moved soundly with pleasing head carriage;

3rd Harrison's Medogold Be My Baby at Millpoint.

OPEN BITCH (4)

1st Howes' Sh Ch Medogold Double Dizzy, beautiful, well proportioned bitch with outline full of curves. Excellent bone & depth of chest; well laid shoulders with good return of upper arm. Good length of upper & lower thigh, lovely feminine head with intelligent expression. Moved very well on excellent feet & really covered the ground well. CC;

2nd Tobin & Moss' Davigdor Patience, feminine bitch with lovely neck & shoulders & good return of upper arm, nice depth of chest, moved very well both coming & going, really striding out. Just preferred overall width in hindquarters of 1. RCC;

3rd Eldridge's Bradgate Mystic Mawake.

KATHY GORMAN - Judge

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