BATH CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW Saturday 24th May 2014

MINOR PUPPY DOG (6)

1st Siddle's Wilchrimane C'mon Norbert, lovely baby with everything just right for his age. Good size & presents a very pleasing outline. Best of heads with a good eye & kind expression. Well made front, good depth of brisket for his age, firm topline, nicely rounded quarters. Moved out well for one so young. BPD; 2nd Lowe's Sunbeau Magnetic Storm, b/w of very good make & shape throughout. Pleasing head, very clean over the neck & shoulders, good legs & feet, firm body with a good spring of rib for his age. Well developed hindquarters, pleasing bend of stifle. Sound on the move with good reach & drive; 3rd Radcliffe's Sniperay Verandi.

PUPPY DOG (5)

1st Stilgoe's Teisgol I Am The One And Only, another very promising puppy who with time I am sure will have a very bright future. Good size & built on clean lines. Refined head with a good eye & expression. Straight front standing on good legs & feet. Pleasing depth of chest, strong quarters, good tailset & carriage, sound mover; 2nd Hazeltine's Hookwood By George, o/w youngster who presents a very pleasing picture. Well made throughout. Good head shape, well balanced with a kind eye. Pleasing reach of neck set in well placed shoulders, good depth of body, well sprung ribs for his age, firm topline that he keeps on the move; 3rd Perkins' Kanix Joker Of Brent.

JUNIOR DOG (9,1a)

1st Theobalds, Phillips & Westaway's Penwest Pallaton, another very good b/w, beautifully balanced & built on clean flowing lines. Good size, masculine throughout but showing no sign of coarseness. Best of heads, lovely dark eye & a kind alert expression. Straight front, good neck & shoulders, pleasing depth of chest, well developed hindguarters. Moved soundly on a free & easy stride;

2nd Hinton & Lennox's Mursbrae Theodore by Fleurfield, very well made o/w. Good size, correct bone & well bodied for his age. Pleasing head & eye, very clean over the neck & shoulders, good depth of brisket, firm body, well angulated hindquarters with good width of second thigh. Sound on the move; 3rd Stilgoe's Teisgol I Am The One And Only.

NOVICE DOG (1)

1st Parsons' Pipeaway Bobby Raye, youngster not long out of puppy. Very good size & has a very typical appearance. Best of heads, good eye & expression, well set ears with fine leathers. Pleasing front, good body shape, correct tailset & carriage. Once he settled moved out well both fore & aft.

POST GRADUATE DOG (14,2)

1st Ingham's Calderside Play The Game, quality o/w, so beautifully balanced throughout & presents an outline of graceful curves as asked for in the standard. Good size with excellent bone & substance but showing no sign of coarseness. Best of heads, lovely front assembly with a good layback of shoulder & return of upper arm that was lacking in many. Plenty of depth, good width of quarters. Sound on the move, just wished his handler would have strode out a little more with him;

2nd Westron's Tenshilling Makin Whoopee at Aurichalcum, another very good o/w. Slightly different stamp & style to the winner but presents a very pleasing outlook. Typical head with a good eye & expression, very clean over the neck & shoulders. Good depth of chest with plenty of heartroom. Pleasing body shape, short coupled, well rounded hindquarters, moved soundly;

3rd Watkins & Davies' Hurwyn Law N Order.

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LIMIT DOG (13,2) Strong class with quality in depth.

1st Harrison's Millpoint Heat Wave, not the flashiest of dogs but this b/w is so beautifully balanced & built on flowing lines from the tip of his nose to the end of his tail, he is very much a 'what you see is what you get' dog. Full of breed type, good head, eye & expression. Very well made front assembly, stands on excellent legs & feet. Firm topline that he keeps on the move, powerful quarters with well developed second thigh. Soundest of movers with excellent reach & drive. DCC;

2nd Coggins' Droveborough Born To Bound at Gemrose, quality I/w who was unlucky to meet the winner on such form on the day. Good size, strongly built but shows no sign of coarseness. Very typical head, clean with plenty of work in it, pleasing eye & a soft expression. Straight front, very clean over the neck & shoulders, good depth throughout. Best of tails, well let down hocks, sound mover;

3rd Perkins' Kanix Fate Of Brent.

OPEN DOG (9,2)

1st Theobald's Sh Ch Tycarreg Strangely Familyr, sound honest b/w who is not exaggerated in any way. Good size who presents a very pleasing balanced outlook. Best of heads, good eye & expression. Strong muscular neck set in well placed shoulders, good depth of chest with plenty of heartroom. Excellent body, well sprung ribs, short coupled & a good bend of stifle. Sound positive mover who really covers the ground on a free & easy stride. RDCC;

2nd Evans & Pavey's Sh Ch Joneva Rough Diamond, o/w with that aristocratic outlook that the Standard asks for. Another of good size & is not overdone in anyway. Very well made throughout & is built on clean lines. Balanced head with a pleasing eye & expression. Good legs & feet, lovely depth of chest, firm topline, strong well muscled hindquarters that he uses to advantage on the move. Very sound both fore & aft; 3rd Blackburn's Kanix Frederick.

VETERAN DOG (1)

1st Phillip's Teisgol Slippery Sam, b/w of pleasing type who keeps a very clean outline for his age. Good head, eye & expression. Scores in neck & shoulders, best of legs & feet, good spring of rib, well angulated quarters, moved soundly.

MINOR PUPPY BITCH (15,3) Class of some very promising youngsters, many at different stages of their development.

1st Stuckey's Medogold Coralie of Pendan, just fell for this stunning I/w youngster, just thought she was so full of breed type & was so well made throughout. Good size & built on a series of graceful curves, everything just flowed. Best of heads, with lovely eye & expression. Straight front, good reach of neck set in well placed shoulders, well developed body for her age, best of hindquarters. Moved out so soundly, sure she will have a very bright future. BP;

2nd Siddle's Wilchrimane Much Ado, lovely baby who shows much promise. Not as forward as the winner but with maturity another who I am sure will do well. Very typical head, well balanced with a pleasing eye. Very clean over the neck & shoulders, well developed body for her age, good width of quarters, sound on the move;

3rd Parsons' Pipeaway Dolly Rocker.

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PUPPY BITCH (7.2)

1st Tobin & Moss' Davigdor Diamond Lil, was really taken with this b/w. Good size with a very feminine outlook, but has the required bone & substance to complete the picture. Very typical head with plenty of work in it giving that refined appearance that was lacking in many today. Well made front assembly, good body shape, pleasing bend of stifle. Once she got into her stride was very sound on the move;

2nd Brooksmith's Medogold Kiss N' Tell, another very pleasing sort who I see is the litter sister of the BP. L/w of good make & shape who presents a clean balanced outlook. Good head & eye, best of legs & feet, pleasing depth of chest for her age, well developed hindquarters. Just needs to tighten up in front movement, but another promising youngster;

3rd Welch's Oxfordacres Trinity.

JUNIOR BITCH (10,1)

1st Dyer's Sharnphilly Legally Blonde, o/w of excellent strength & substance but still keeps a very feminine outlook. Very well balanced throughout & built on clean lines. Typical head with a good eye & expression. Straight front, correct oval bone, good depth of chest with plenty of heartroom. Pleasing topline & tailset, moved soundly with excellent reach & drive;

2nd Wilkinson's Hurwyn Rock On Ruby, quality youngster who pushed the winner all the way. Good size & is very well made throughout. Best of heads, clean cut with plenty of work in it giving it a very typical appearance. Good reach of neck set in well placed shoulders, firm topline that she holds on the move, good tailset & carriage, sound;

3rd Pimblett's Pennine Pastiche.

NOVICE BITCH (7,1)

1st Stuckey's Medogold Coralie of Pendan;

2nd Brooksmith's Medogold Kiss N' Tell;

3rd Reynolds' Pipeaway Cara Mia at Sananselmo.

POST GRADUATE BITCH (16,3)

1st Ingham's Calderside Amuse Bouche, quality I/w who I see is out the bitch I gave the CC to at Manchester a few years ago. So reminded me of her dam for both type, balance & those clean flowing lines that you look for in the breed. Good size with a very feminine outlook but still has the required strength & substance. Lovely head & eye, very clean over the neck & shoulders, excellent body shape, short coupled, best of tails, soundest of movers;

2nd Bell's Ridanflight Runedd with Balintyne, very well made o/w who is beautifully balanced throughout & another built on clean lines, nothing exaggerated her. Feminine head, good eye & expression. Best of fronts, good depth of chest with plenty of heartroom, correct tailset & carriage, moved soundly; 3rd Harrison's Millpoint Hopes N' Dreams.

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LIMIT BITCH (16,4)

1st Edmonson & Robertshaw's Crookrise Agathis, lovely type of b/w. Excellent shape, very well balanced throughout & presents a very pleasing outlook. Best of heads, good dark eye & a soft expression. Strong muscular neck set in well placed shoulders, excellent depth throughout, firm topline, good bend of stifle, well developed second thigh. A little unsettled at first on the move but once she got into her stride moved out soundly on an excellent stride;

2nd Rose's Ridanflight Rhonwen, quality o/w of good size & so well made throughout. One that combines both elegance & the required strength & substance one is looking for in the breed. Lovely head, very typical, refined & clean cut. Pleasing front assembly, good legs & feet, short coupled, best of hindquarters, well let down hocks. Sound on the move with excellent reach & drive;

3rd Ward's Kiswahili Timely Nu Edition to Jakobstown.

OPEN BITCH (7,2) Class headed by three stunning bitches, was just a matter of splitting hairs & personal preferences on the day.

1st Dyer's Sh Ch Sharnphilly Juici Culture, I/w who I have admired from the ringside & I was not disappointed when I got my hands on her. Beautifully balanced & built on clean flowing lines. Has the bone & substance but has a very feminine outlook. Loved her head & expression, best of fronts, so true, especially on the move. Good reach of neck, excellent layback of shoulder, well sprung ribs, strong powerful quarters. She really comes into her own on the move, so sound & goes with great style & has excellent reach & drive. BCC & BOB; 2nd Siddle's Sh Ch Wilchrimane Ice Maiden, another stunning bitch. O/w of great quality who I have given a Group placing to & pushed the winner all the way on the day. Best of heads, so typical with a good dark eye & kind expression. Stands on good legs & feet, excellent depth of chest with plenty of heartroom. Firm topline, good tailset & carriage, pleasing bend of stifle, best of quarters. Positive on the move with lovely side gait. RBCC;

3rd Blackburn's Bennett's Sh Ch Kanix Chilli.

VETERAN BITCH (2)

1st Cardiff's Prosperity My Fair Lady, very good type, pleasing size & keeps an excellent shape both stacked & on the move. Good head & eye, well made front assembly, pleasing depth throughout, moved soundly; 2nd Bastin's Shanandi Katarina to Jarobede, another very typical o/w who is well made throughout. Pleasing head, well balanced with a good dark eye & soft expression. Well sprung ribs, short coupled, sound on the move.

DAVID SHIELDS - judge

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