# THREE COUNTIES CHAMPIONSHIP DOG SHOW Sunday 12th June 2022

It was an absolute pleasure to be invited to award CC's for the first time in the breed that has owned me for much of my life. I was grateful to the society for the invite and to the exhibitors for the opportunity to judge their dogs... difficult decisions were made!

BOB & BCC - Gerrard, Bell & Galloway's Sh Ch Chesterhope C'mon Over to Carmandine (Imp NZL) JW

**RBCC – Ms W Gordons Hawkfield Happy** 

DCC - Miss A Oddie's Sh Ch Sharnphilly Boondoggle JW

RDCC - Dr K Bond's Joneva Just My Style

BP - Ms P Westaway's Teisgol Keep On Going via Penwest

## MINOR PUPPY DOG - (4)

1st Watkins & Miles' Cupid's Halo

What a sweet baby puppy of 6 months old. Very smart with lovely front & rear angulation. He has a lovely head and elegant neckline and very neat feet. Moved well for one so young and looks to be super confident, thoroughly enjoying his time and lashing his tail.

2<sup>nd</sup> Sillince's Davigdor Flanders Field

I really liked this orange & white 6 month old boy as he walked into the class but sadly, he was upset at times and wouldn't cooperate, due to the loud noises from ringside. He has such a lovely expression with the kindest eye. Deep chested and well bodied. I'm sure with time he will be one to watch.

3rd Anthony's Jilony Luther

## PUPPY DOG (5,1a)

1st Westaway's Teisgol Keep on Going via Penwest

I have been watching this lemon & white boy with interest and today he didn't disappoint. Almost out of puppy and very mature, with lovely body condition. He has a lovely eye colour and deep chest with plenty of heart room. Good bone, spring of rib and a neat tail. Driving well from behind on the move. I was very pleased to award him Best Puppy Dog & Best Puppy in Breed.

2<sup>nd</sup> Stilgoe's Glenariff Mojito over Teisgol

This boy of similar age to 1<sup>st</sup> is also made very well with dark eye, lovely shoulders, and plenty of thigh. In good condition and moved well. He just needs his head to break for me.

3<sup>rd</sup> Osman's Cattistock Cosmos with Marissolo

#### **JUNIOR DOG (2)**

1<sup>st</sup> Mennen & Sweeney's Lundgarth Yarrow

Two very different dogs in this class. This boy needs to drop in brisket but has a good topline and tailset. He has a good head and bend of stifle. He just needs time, being only 16 months old.

2<sup>nd</sup> Marsh's Lithespirit Hope and Glory for Ratchda

This liver & white dog is heavier than 1<sup>st</sup>. He has a lovely deep chest and is well off for bone. Lovely feet and short tail. Just preferred the top line of 1<sup>st</sup> on the move.

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## **GRADUATE DOG (5,1a)**

1<sup>st</sup> Martin's Sunhouse Banged To Rights

My notes say, 'my cup of tea'. He took my eye as soon as the class was called in. With the loveliest of masculine heads and the kindest dark eye. He has a deep chest and is well balanced throughout. Good upper thigh and sloping pasterns. Shown in hard condition. He moved well but he was a little unsure at times.

2<sup>nd</sup> Guy & Tuthill's Cumbrian Night King at Carofel (Imp USA)

Another dog in fit, hard condition. Preferred tailset of 1<sup>st</sup> on the move but boy can this boy cover the ground. He has a lovely head and expression. Lovely neck leading to good shoulders and good bend of stifle.

3<sup>rd</sup> Gordon's Hawkfield Auspicious

# **POST GRADUATE DOG (7,1a)**

1st Martin's Sunhouse You're Nicked

This orange and white is the litter brother to my previous class winner and same comments apply. I do think, for me, that this one has the slight edge over his brother though, finding his neckline slightly more elegant and more bend of stifle. Splitting hairs between the two though. I did consider this boy for higher honours, but I feel he just needs a bit more time but being only 20 months, he has plenty of that. I will be watching their future closely !

2<sup>nd</sup> Gordon's Hawkfield Pemberley

This dog has the darkest eyes and melting expression. Good ear set and head, with excellent shoulders and chest. Lovely top line and neat feet. He has the neatest of tails which he used on the move. Unfortunate to meet 1st today.

3<sup>rd</sup> Mulryne's Droveborough's Follow Me at Frenetbull

# LIMIT DOG (7)

1<sup>st</sup> Bond's Joneva Just My Style

A very smart 2.5 year old that is very well balanced and floats when on the move with plenty of reach and drive. Another with the darkest of eyes and an elegant neck. He has plenty of depth and length. Lovely shoulder angles too. In very good condition and at one with is handler. I was very pleased to award him the RCC in good company.

2<sup>nd</sup> Gordon & Howarth's Hawkfield Jolly

The handsomest of heads and lovely fine ears. Strong looking dog with plenty of bone but without being heavy. He moved well and used his tail. Shown in great condition.

3<sup>rd</sup> Blair's Twinhoe Vittorio

## OPEN DOG (6)

1st Oddie's Sh Ch Sharnphilly Boondoggle JW

I didn't fully appreciate this dog until I had my hands on. He is not over done in any way, but oozes class and he can certainly move! Lovely head and ears. Excellent front and shoulders, leading into a strong loin and rear end. He has a lovely tailset and carries it well. He is in hard condition. Delighted to award him DCC.

2<sup>nd</sup> Gordon's Hawkfield Audacity (ai) JW

I have awarded this orange and white BPIS at a club show in the past. He is now almost 5 years old and has matured well. He has the best of deep chests, and flows throughout, with good bend of stifle.

3<sup>rd</sup> Martin's Sunhouse Chips Ahoy

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# **VETERAN DOG (2)**

1st Lathwell's Tinchitamba A Waiting Game

Another dog that I have always admired. 7 years old. He has a lovely head leading into good neck and shoulders. Strong through the body without being over done in any way. He used his tail well on the move and was presented in excellent condition.

2<sup>nd</sup> Marsh's Ch Ratchda's Rock Thrush SGWC

A different style to 1<sup>st</sup> place, also 7 years old. This dog was larger built. Plenty of depth and neat elbows. He also has a good turn of stifle. I felt 1<sup>st</sup> just had the edge on movement.

# **MINOR PUPPY BITCH (1)**

1<sup>st</sup> Moss & Tobin's Davigdor Poppies

A very sweet baby of 6 months old. Needs time to settle but showing promise. The best of expressions and a very feminine head. Well balanced throughout.

## **PUPPY BITCH (4)**

1st Perren & Welch's Evaluna Chasing Rainbows with Hookwood

Promising 10 month old youngster with good front and rear angulation. She flowed all the way through.

Good bone. Moved well and carried her tail well. Pleased to award her Best Puppy Bitch.

2<sup>nd</sup> Stilgoe & Fox's Teisgol Snow Queen

A different stamp to 1<sup>st</sup> place but equally appealing. Almost 12 months old. Very feminine, dark eyes, neat hocks and feet, very precise in movement, covering the ground well and with a lovely neat tail.

3<sup>rd</sup> Stilgoe & Oliver's Teisgol Heaven Sent

# JUNIOR BITCH (6,2a)

1st Rayner, Spinks & Pringle's Spinray Songbird

This class was won by a lovely 15 month old black and white who is very pleasing to the eye. There's nothing overdone about her, she just flows from her nose to her tail. She won this class on her free-flowing movement. She should have a bright future.

2<sup>nd</sup> Oddie's Sharnphilly Queens Gambit for Riowood

Longer cast that 1<sup>st</sup> place. She has a beautiful head and alert expression, into a lovely long neck and well placed shoulders.

3<sup>rd</sup> Cobden's Lithespirit Hope and Dreams for Alozia

## **GRADUATE BITCH (13,3a)**

1<sup>st</sup> Cooper & Pearson's Keepersfield Giselle

I found this bitch to have a feminine head, good shoulder placement with straight front. Good topline leading into a neat tail. Good rear angulation and moved with reach and drive. Lots to like about her. 2<sup>nd</sup> Gordon's Hawkfield Black Swan

Solid black bitch who I haven't noticed before despite being 2 years old now. She looked in super condition with coat shining and really made for a pretty picture. She just flowed from head to tail. Kind expression and good rear angles.

3<sup>rd</sup> Martin's Sunhouse Partners In Crime

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## **POST GRADUATE BITCH (6,1a)**

1<sup>st</sup> Mulryne's Millpoint Diamond Solitair avec Frenetbull

One I have not seen before. She's very feminine, long clean neck, deep chested and has a good, strong topline that was held on the move. Won this class on her movement.

2<sup>nd</sup> Oliver's Olivesong Kiss Chase

A bitch with no exaggerations but all put together well. What I would call 'an honest dog'. Feminine head and well bodied. Moved well.

3<sup>rd</sup> Lowe's Lowsmoor Half A Sixpence JW

# LIMIT BITCH (9)

1<sup>st</sup> Gordon's Hawkfield Happy

This lemon & white just caught my eye today. She has the loveliest of expressions. Flows down her neck to lovely shoulders and topline. Excellent front and rear angulation. Neat tail and flew around the ring. I'd happily own her! A pleasure to award her the RBCC.

2<sup>nd</sup> Thirlwell's Sharnphilly Santa Rosa

Unlucky to meet 1<sup>st</sup> place today but giving away almost 18 months. Another with a sweet expression and lots to like. She was precise on movement and I'm sure that she will have a very bright future. 3<sup>rd</sup> Blair's Twinhoe Crystal Vita

# **OPEN BITCH (4)**

1<sup>st</sup> Gerrard, Bell & Galloway's Sh Ch Chesterhope C'mon Over to Carmandine (Imp NZL) JW Love her! For me she has the prettiest of heads and I just can't fault her. She moves so well and is a series of graceful curves. She has plenty of rib and deep chest. Correct bone and sloping pasterns. She moves with such purpose, at one with her handler. One I'd happily have at home with me. Delighted to award her BCC and BOB and then to hear that she also took Group 2... well deserved!

2<sup>nd</sup> Rayner, Spinks & Pringle's Gartarry High Society at Spinray JW

I feel that this bitch has really matured recently and looks a picture. Smaller frame to 1<sup>st</sup> place but has lots to like, from her pretty head and good shoulder placement to her neat feet and well-developed thigh. Moved well too.

3rd Bond's Sh Ch Joneva Asteria JW

#### **VETERAN BITCH (4)**

1<sup>st</sup> Barham's Kenwardgold Minnie Me

A 7-year-old liver & white that I don't think I have seen before. She has a lovely expression and fine ears. Has depth and good angulation both ends. Straight from the front and moved really well.

2<sup>nd</sup> Lowe's Lowsmoor Shiralee JW

Different style to 1<sup>st</sup> place but equally as nice and presented well. These two could well change places on a different day. Another that moved well for her age.

3<sup>rd</sup> Oliver's Asterhope Lightening Star via Teisgol JW ShCM

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