

DRIFFIELD CHAMPIONSHIP DOG SHOW

Saturday 23rd August 2025

BOB & BCC: SIDDLE, Mrs & SIDDLE, Miss & MEDEIROS, Sh Ch Wilchrimane Frankly Darlin
RBCC: ADAMS, Mr, Joneva Just One Wish
DCC: HILL, Miss V & HILL, Mrs A & HILL, Miss L, Kanix Sourdough with Calaquendi JW Be Jr Ch
RDCC: WESTAWAY, Ms, Sh Ch Teisgol Keep On Going via Penwest JW
BPIB: CROCKER, Mr & FROST, Miss, De Las Navazuelas Judeline at Riverbrue (imp ESP)
BVIB: JAMIESON, Mrs & MACARA, Mr & MACARA, Mrs Sh Ch Kanix Peri Peri with Glenfinnan
BSBIB: BARHAM, Mrs, Droveborough Witchy Woman

I would like to thank the Officers and committee for inviting me to judge a breed that is very close to my heart. Overall, I was happy with my main winners who I felt were excellent examples of the breed. However, there are a couple of points that I feel the need to comment on. Firstly, tail set and tail carriage has certainly become an issue with the tail carriage well above the level of the back and certainly not lashing from side to side. Secondly, hindquarter angulation in a number of exhibits was extreme certainly not typical of the breed.

MINOR PUPPY DOG (6 Ents, 0 Abs)

As you would expect a class with very raw youngsters who made their handlers work very hard.

1st RAYNER, Ms & SPINKS, Ms & PRINGLE, Ms, Collholme Mr Brown with Spinray. L/w 7 months old with a classic balanced masculine head, pleasing outline, enough bone for his age, straight forelegs, correct oval feet, good length of neck into well laid back shoulders, moved well when he finally settled, true coming and going with the correct tail carriage.

2nd JAMIESON, Mrs & JAMIESON, Mr, Kanix Tiswas at Glenfinnan - O/w overall heavier set than the first and lacked the curves, head masculine and balanced with kind expression, good length of neck into well laid back shoulders, good spring of rib with depth of brisket, correct turn of stifle. Moved true using his tail.

3rd O'NEILL, Mrs, Tenshilling Hello Stranger

PUPPY DOG (3 Ents, 0 Abs)

1st SIDDLE, Mrs & SIDDLE, Miss & MAZZEO, Wilchrimane Cereal Killer - B/w loved his overall shape, head masculine with muzzle and skull in proportion, showing defined stop, low set ears, angulation correct front and rear, straight forelegs, clean muscular neck, enough width to his chest, ideal oval bone, deep chest, good ribbing and muscular short loin, hocks well let down. Moved with purpose. BPD

2nd BOOTH, Mrs & ODDIE, Mrs, Lundgarth Fly The Flag - O/w who did not present the balanced outline of the first, would prefer more depth and length of muzzle, ears well set, neck muscular, straight forelegs, depth to his chest and good spring of ribs. Well muscled hindquarters and enough turn to his stifle. Moved with enthusiasm using his tail well.

3rd UDALE, Mrs, Dowbiggins Bruno

JUNIOR DOG (5 Ents, 3 Abs)

1st WILKINSON, Mrs, Stocksfell Soloflight - O/w dog who was full of breed type. Balanced head with plenty of chiselling under the eye. Clean muscular neck, plenty of width and depth to his chest, oval bone, good ribbing and muscular loin. Front and rear angulation correct. Moved with drive and enthusiasm using his neat tail well.

2nd SWANNELL, Mr, Sharnphilly Black Abbott - B/w who lacked the true movement of the first, balanced head with a long neck leading into well laid shoulders, correct oval bone, tight feet and strong pasterns. Depth to his brisket and well sprung ribs and strength to his loin. Shown in hard muscular condition.

3rd SAUNDERS, Miss & NEWTON, Mr, Teisgol Calendula

POST GRADUATE DOG (9 Ents, 0 Abs)

1st O'NEILL, Mrs, Tenshilling Shboom JW - B/w w dog who is an ideal size, another balanced throughout and presenting a flowing picture of curves and pleasing to the eye. He has a balanced head with good neck into well laid back shoulders, deep chest and well sprung ribs, strong loin with correct tail set. rue on the move demonstrating reach and drive with a lashing tail. On the shortlist for the RCC.

2nd BLACK, Mr & BLACK, Mrs, Raigmore Defender Of Faith - O/w who was balanced throughout, masculine head with nothing overdone, clean muscular neck in to well laid back shoulders, straight forelegs, strong pasterns, oval bone, deep chest with good spring of rib. Moved true coming and going but just preferred the profile movement of the first.

3rd WHITHAM, Mrs & WHITHAM, Mr, Sedgekirk Ever Been Had

LIMIT DOG (6 Ents, 0 Abs)

1st WALKLING-ROBERTS, Mr & SIDDLE, Mrs & SIDDLE, Miss, Wilchrimane Kinsphere With Kiswahili - O/w head full of quality, balanced foreface to skull with depth to his muzzle, clean neck into well laid back shoulders, straight forelegs with correct bone throughout, strong pasterns well sprung ribs, strong over loin, hindquarters muscled and well angulated. Moved with purpose covering the ground but I would prefer him to be tighter in front.

2nd TIBBS, Mrs & TIBBS, Mr, Raigmore Keep The Faith JW - B/w who was built on a bigger frame than the first and longer in body. Pleasing head with masculine expression, good length of neck into well laid shoulders, deep chest with good spring of rib, strong muscular hindquarters with good turn of stifle. He moved with a driving action from his rear covering the ground, would have preferred a better tail carriage to complement the overall picture.

3rd PHILO, Ms, Sunhouse Black Is Back at Salmonmist JW (AI)

OPEN DOG (5 Ents, 0 Abs)

1st HILL, Miss & HILL, Mrs & HILL, Miss, Kanix Sourdough with Calaquendi JW Be Jr Ch - Dog that when I checked the catalogue realised I had judged him before as a puppy. He has certainly matured well. He has a super masculine head which is balanced throughout, neck long and muscular, straight forelegs with good strength to his pasterns, front assembly is spot on which allows him to move freely with clear reach, and his rear angulation complements that, and the correct lashing tail carriage completes a picture of balance. No hesitation in awarding him the CC.

2nd WESTAWAY, Ms, Ch Teisgol Keep On Going via Penwest JW - Another on checking the catalogue realised I had judged before and so unlucky to meet the first on tip top form. Lemon & white full of breed type, finer than first but still balance throughout, head balanced with kind expression and defined stop. Muscular neck leading into well laid back shoulders, depth to his chest with well sprung ribs carried well back. Forelegs straight with sloping pasterns. Strong quarters with correct angulation. On the moved today he was not as balanced as the first. RCC

3rd JAMIESON, Mrs & MACARA, Mr & MACARA, Mrs, Sh Ch Kanix Peri Peri with Glenfinnan

SPECIAL BEGINNERS BITCH (2 Ents, 1 Abs)

1st BARHAM, Mrs, Droveborough Witchy Woman - L/w 9 months old feminine head balanced, straight forelegs, strong pasterns, muscular clean neck leading to well laid back shoulders, enough depth to her chest. Tail set good with muscular hindquarters and well let down hocks. Moved freely true front and back.

MINOR PUPPY BITCH (5 Ents, 4 Abs)

1st CROCKER, Mr & FROST, Miss, De Las Navazuelas Judeline at Riverbrue (imp ESP) - O/W just 6 months old but very mature, overall presented a balanced picture both stacked and on the move.resented a series of curves, nothing exaggerated in any way. Muscular neck into well placed shoulders, depth to her chest with a good spring of ribs, muscular loin enough rear angulation and hocks well let down. She happily moved around the ring with reach and a driving rear action using her lashing tail. I would prefer more length to her foreface to complete to picture. BPIB

2nd ANDERSON-ROWELL, Mrs, Daledancer Frances Mullen - B/w built on a smaller frame than the first and not as settled on the move as the first. However, her overall shape was pleasing, she had a feminine head, correct ear set, enough length to her neck, straight forelegs, well laid back shoulders and good spring of ribs. Good turn of stifles with hocks well let down.

3rd BUSH, Mrs & BUSH, Mr, Piasharn Anne Bonny

PUPPY BITCH (5 Ents, 0 Abs)

1st RADCLIFFE, Mrs, Sniperay Secret Affair - B/w another youngster who took a while to settle but once she did she moved true from all angles. She has the sweetest of heads, good length of neck into well laid shoulders, deep chest with good spring of rib, short coupled with strength over the loin, strong quarters with correct angulation.

2nd ANDERSON-ROWELL, Mrs, Daledancer Frances Mullen

3rd BOOTH, Mrs, Lundgarth Ticket To Fly

JUNIOR BITCH (3 Ents, 0 Abs)

1st WILKINSON, Mrs, Ferndel Sapphire Mist over Stocksfell - O/w young bitch balanced throughout with nothing overdone, with pleasing head and expression, neck of moderate length leading to well laid back shoulders, straight forelegs, and good depth of chest and well sprung rib, strong loin. Not exaggerated in any way. Moved around the ring with purpose using her lashing tail.

2nd TIBBS, Mrs & TIBBS, Mr, Raigmore Titania - B/w who was not as foot perfect as the first on the move, nothing overdone in anyway. Typical pointer head, neck muscular onto well laid back shoulders, straight forelegs, strong pasterns on well knitted feet. Chest deep with a good spring of ribs, short coupled, good width to second thigh, hocks well let down. Shown in a hard muscular condition.

3rd BARHAM, Mrs, Droveborough Witchy Woman

POST GRADUATE BITCH (7 Ents, 0 Abs)

1st BUSH, Mrs & BUSH, Mr, Piasharn Breaking The Law - O/w young bitch loved her overall shape stacked and on the move, a feminine head, neck long and clean leading to well laid back shoulders, straight forelegs with oval bone, oval shaped feet and strong pasterns. Deep chest and well sprung ribs, short coupled, good expanse of second thigh and hocks well let down. She moved true from all angles using her lashing tail. Like her a lot and considered for RCC.

2nd GERRARD, Mrs & BELL, Mrs & GALLOWAY, Mr, Riowood C'mon It's Time for Carmandine JW - O/w who was unlucky to meet the first today. Just preferred the overall outline of the first. Very feminine head with a kind expression, neck clean and muscular, enough depth to her chest, good spring of ribs, strong loin and angulation correct front and rear. Moved true coming and going.

3rd ANDERSON-ROWELL, Mrs, Wilchrimane Silent Sonnet at Daledancer

LIMIT BITCH (12 Ents, 11 Abs)

The strong class of the day with unfortunately quality bitches missing out on the cards such as the strength.

1st ADAMS, Mr, Joneva Just One Wish - O/w who painted a balanced picture both stacked and on the move where she covered the ground effortlessly with her lashing tail. Her head is balanced but I would prefer more width to her foreface. Clean lines throughout, front and rear angulation correct, straight forelegs and strong pasterns, deep chest with good spring of rib, strong over the loin, muscular hindquarters and good turn of stifle. Just needed a little less condition, however, I couldn't deny her the RCC.

2nd BLOWERS, Mrs, Fowington Lar Ti Dar at Deadaway - O/w very feminine bitch with a kind expression, full of type, a series of curves and balanced front and rear. Neck muscular onto well laid back shoulders, straight forelegs, strong pasterns on well knitted feet. Chest deep with a good spring of ribs, short coupled, good width to second thigh, hocks well let down. Moved with reach and drive with the correct tail and head carriage. Unlucky to meet first today

3rd MOSS, Mr, Davigdor Poppies

OPEN BITCH (3 Ents, 0 Abs)

1st SIDDLE, Mrs & SIDDLE, Miss & MEDEIROS, Sh Ch Wilchrimane Frankly Darlin - O/w loved everything about this young bitch full of type from her nose to her tail. Correct size, feminine head with good length of foreface well set on ears with thin leathers. Long clean neck into well angulated front assembly. Good depth to her of chest, oval bone, sloping pasterns and well shaped feet, her body is a series of curves with her ribs carried well back into a strong loin and correct tailset. Firm shapely hindquarters not overdone with good width, well turned stifles. On the move she just flowed around the ring with a smooth action covering plenty of ground and using her tail. CC & BOB

2nd BLACKBURN-BENNETT, Mr & BLACKBURN-BENNETT, Mrs, Kanix Skyfall - L/w who just lacked the femininity of the first. Head balanced with correct ear set, neck clean and muscular, depth to her chest, straight forelegs and strong pasterns. Good spring of ribs, width to second thigh, hocks well let down. Moved with reach and drive with the correct tail and head carriage.

3rd RADCLIFFE, Mrs, Sh Ch Sniperay Edge Of Glory JW.

ROGER PERKINS - judge