

THE POINTER CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP DOG SHOW

Sunday 30th August 2026

Bitches

It was an honour to judge this show, and I thoroughly enjoyed the experience. In the higher classes, I found quality in depth.

VETERAN BITCH (Entries 6, Absentees 0)

1st Morgan Van Freebreeze (Imp NLD) ShCEX (Mrs R Mason). This girl looked the best I had seen her. She has a pleasing, well-worked head, with a kind, full eye and expression. She has a strong topline, is well muscled throughout, with strong pasterns and correctly shaped feet. She moved with a good stride, using her tail. BVIS.

2nd Hawkfield Happy (Ms W Gordon). A smaller girl, but still well boned and nicely proportioned. She has a lovely eye and expression, fine ears and plenty of work in her head. She has a strong topline and moved out well, using her neat tail.

3rd Sh Ch Stocksfall Seldom Seen (Mrs B Wilkinson).

MINOR PUPPY BITCH (Entries 1, Absentees 0)

1st Teisgol Snow Princess (Mr P & Mrs D Stilgoe & Mrs L Fox). A pretty girl who is still very much a baby and wanted to play, so it was difficult to assess her movement. However, she has a nice body shape, a good topline and a head that shows work. She did not want to stand still and was simply enjoying herself.

PUPPY BITCH (Entries 7, Absentees 2)

1st Pharises Doja Cat (Dr K Bond & Mr D Rawlinson). I found this girl pleasing in head, with nice work, fine lips and a dark, expressive eye. She is pleasingly made throughout and moved with a good stride from strong hocks.

2nd Freebreeze Gertrude Stein at Luneville (Mr N MacManus & Mrs K MacManus). More immature at the moment, but very nicely made throughout, with a smooth flow from her topline to her strong stifles. She has such a pretty head and pleasing expression, and moved out well, using her neat tail.

3rd Riowood Cherry Jubilee at Sharnphilly (Miss A Oddie).

JUNIOR BITCH (Entries 5, Absentees 1)

1st Sharnphilly Lyrical (Ms A Brooksmith). She has a pleasing expression from full, kind eyes and a slight dish appearance in profile. She has fine, correctly set ears, and flows over good shoulders with a good return of upper arm. Her strong pasterns and correct feet complement a very well-made outline and well-set tail. I would perhaps like her a shade taller, but she moved out well with good stride and carriage.

2nd Sunhouse Quintessence (Mrs R Martin & Miss R Martin). Another very nicely made girl. She has a lovely forehead and pleasing construction throughout, with well-sprung ribs, oval bone and strong pasterns. Like the winner, she has correct bone and is very pleasing; today, I just slightly preferred the head of 1.

3rd Keepersfield Celest (Miss E Pearson & Mrs S Cooper).

YEARLING BITCH (Entries 7, Absentees 2)

1st Sharnphilly Lyrical (Ms A Brooksmith)

2nd Droveborough Black Magic JW (Miss S Kennedy). I like this bitch for her type and conformation. She has a pleasing head and kind expression, lovely ribbing and is in strong, muscular condition. She was playing up on the move and throwing out her hind action, which cost her the class. She is more mature than the winner, but I just preferred the movement of 1. That said, she is very pleasing to go over.

MAIDEN BITCH (Entries 4, Absentees 2)

1st Pharises Doja Cat (Dr K Bond & Mr D Rawlinson)

2nd Hawkfield Queen Bee of Tenbrooksher (Mrs J Brookes & Mrs V Brookes-Tennant). A sweet girl with a pleasing head and expression, a good length of neck and a fine coat.

NOVICE BITCH (Entries 6, Absentees 1)

1st Pharises Doja Cat (Dr K Bond & Mr D Rawlinson).

2nd Freebreeze Gertrude Stein at Luneville (Mr N MacManus & Mrs K MacManus).

3rd Keepersfield Celest (Miss E Pearson & Mrs S Cooper).

GRADUATE BITCH (Entries 5, Absentees 2)

1st Meadowpoint Hocus Pocus JW (Miss D Dunn). A well-muscled girl with a nicely moulded head and good turn of lip, bright, gentle eyes and fine ears. She has very good spring of rib, with a strong neck leading into correct shoulders and a good return of upper arm. She moved very well from neat hocks, with a powerful stride.

2nd Droveborough's Hells Bells JW (Miss S Kennedy). A pretty girl with a very nicely worked head, fine ears set high and a kind expression. She does not perhaps have the reach of 1, but she is very correct and nicely ribbed. She has a lovely tail, which she used well on the move.

3rd Raigmore Hermia of Vabisbrae (Mr J Tibbs & Mrs P Tibbs).

POST GRADUATE BITCH (Entries 3, Absentees 0)

1st Sonham Just Good Friends (AI) JW (Mrs A Matthews). She presents a very attractive outline on the stack, with each part flowing into the next. She has correct oval bone and a nice turn of stifle, and moves with a decent stride. Up close, her head is pretty and her expression soft and kind. She was presented in lovely coat.

2nd Alozia Zantini (Mrs J Cobden). A very nice head with a good skull, kind eye and soft expression. She has fine, well-set ears and is good in shoulder, neck and forehead, with sound muscling. Today, I just preferred the tail set and carriage of 1. She showed a good stride on the move.

3rd Jilony Zelda (Mrs J Webb).

MID LIMIT BITCH (Entries 7, Absentees 0)

1st Riowood C'Mon It's Time for Carmandine JW (Mrs M Gerrard, Mrs C Bell & Mrs L Galloway). This girl is maturing nicely. She has a pleasing head, well-set ears and a full, kind eye and expression. Her body proportions are very good, and her topline flows smoothly through a strong brisket to a good, strong loin. She has a neat tail, which she used on the move, and a nice length of stride. She is still not finished, but is maturing well.

2nd Sonham Just A Pretty Belle (AI) JW (Mrs A Matthews). A larger bitch, but still feminine, with an attractive head and lovely eye and expression. She also flows well from head to tail, with a nice width of thigh and neat hocks. She moved well; I just thought I had a longer reach in front, but she is a very attractive girl.

3rd Piasharn Breaking The Law (Mrs C Bush & Mr K Bush).

LIMIT BITCH (Entries 12, Absentees 2)

This was a nice class.

1st Hawkfield Frivolous for Caithpoint (Miss F Earl, Mrs C Wheldon & Mr B Jones). I have done this girl well in the past, and she is maturing nicely. She has a pleasing, moulded head, a full, gentle eye and a kind expression. I felt that every part of her flowed smoothly into the next. She showed nice reach in front on the move, with a strong, well-turned and muscular rear, and moved with a good stride.

2nd Heartbury Belacqua (Mrs V Norbury, Miss S Ganney, Miss H Upton & Mr Adams). A pretty head, different from the winner, but also pleasing. She is not flashy, but is very nicely made and well balanced, with good angles and springy, sloping pasterns. She moved with a good stride, using her tail.

3rd Kanix Smoochie at Stargang (Miss H Blackburn-Bennett).

OPEN BITCH (Entries 8, Absentees 0)

This was a lovely class with quality in depth.

1st Sh Ch Kanix Sooty at Stargang (Mrs J Macara & Mr A Macara). I have always liked this girl for her lovely type and balance. She has a pleasing head and expression, and her body flows beautifully from skull to neat tail. She has a lovely lay of shoulder and return of upper arm, well-turned stifles and neat hocks. She moved with a long, low, easy stride, using her tail. CC and RBIS.

2nd Int/Fin Ch Wilchrimane Frangipani WW25 (Ms M Bäck). A lovely girl with a beautiful head, lovely expression, good ears and ear set. She is well ribbed, with a flowing topline, and moved very well with a light stride and neat tail, presenting a very pleasing picture.

3rd Sh Ch Ferndel Sapphire Mist over Stockfell (Mrs B Wilkinson). Another lovely girl.

SPECIAL WORKING GUNDOG BITCH (Entries 1, Absentees 0)

1st Fowington Lar Ti Dar at Deadaway SGWC (Mrs J Blowers). I have always liked this bitch for her absolute type. She is not flashy, but is so true to Pointer type, from her lovely head with the kindest expression to her well-made body. She has lovely bone, correct pasterns and feet, and moves with a light, free stride, using her tail. She was presented in fit, hard condition. Reserve CC.

SPECIAL BEGINNERS BITCH (Entries 7, Absentees 1)

1st Droveborough's Hells Bells JW (Miss S Kennedy).

2nd Kananaskis Black Bryony JW (Mrs C Roberts).

3rd Millpoint Kiss Me Kate at Casdellda (Mrs J Harrison).

LYNNE HINTON – judge [bitches]