

RICHMOND CHAMPIONSHIP DOG SHOW

Friday 11th September 2026

BOB & BCC: BÄCK, Ms M, Int Ch Wilchrimane Frangipani

RBCC: O'NEILL, Mrs C, Tenshilling To Sir With Love JW

DCC: ADAMS, Mrs L, Sh Ch Carofel Wings Of Hope JW Ww23 Swiss Jr Ch

RDCC: OLIVER, Mrs J, Miss M & OLIVER, Wilchrimane Florin to Olivesong JW

BPIB: RADCLIFFE, Mrs J, Sniperay Outdoor Girl

BVIB: PHILO, Ms R, Fydal Caprio at Salmonmist JW ShCM OSW ShCEX VW

I very much enjoyed my first CC appointment in Pointers, I had some super dogs to go over, temperaments were exemplary, mouths all good, one or two untypical heads lacking the required well-defined stop and slight dish that makes the head of a Pointer so unique and recognisable but I was pleased not to see the ski-slope toplines that seem to have crept into the breed in recent years. I thought my BOB was just gorgeous and delighted to see her take Gundog Group 2 in excellent company.

VETERAN DOG (Entries: 1, Absentees: 0)

1st PHILO, Ms S R Fydal Caprio at Salmonmist JW ShCM OSW ShCEX VW SGWS 9Yr O/W. Lovely head with dark eye, well set ears, clean, muscular neck flowing smoothly into well laid shoulders, correct depth of chest and enough forechest, well boned legs to correct feet, strong in topline with correct tailset which he carried correctly on the move, sound mover, BVD & BVIB

MINOR PUPPY DOG (NO ENTRIES)

PUPPY DOG (Entries: 2, Absentees: 0)

1st BOND, Dr K Pharises Drake. O/W 9Mths. Nice head with slight dish, lovely length of neck into correct front assembly, excellent in forechest, chest to elbow & ribs well sprung, well boned straight legs to tight feet, well angulated hindquarters, good depth of thigh, moved very steadily for a youngster, BPD.

2nd MATTHEWS, Mrs A Sonham Brimstone. B/W 9mths. I judged this pup recently and my opinion of him hasn't changed, he has a sweet head & expression, good angulation fore & aft but not the substance of 1 and needing to drop a little in chest again, he has super feet and good bone, on the move he had reach & drive in profile but was a little erratic on the up & down, he just needs to gain a bit more confidence and given time I'm sure he will.

JUNIOR DOG (Entries: 2, Absentees: 0)

1st OLIVER, Mrs J & OLIVER, Miss M & OLIVER, Wilchrimane Florin to Olivesong JW. 14M O/W head of good proportions but wouldn't want it any broader, lovely eye colour, strong neck & shoulders, enough forechest, chest deep and well ribbed, strong topline & correct tailset, good legs and tight feet, nicely angulated fore & aft, well balanced & on the move he went with reach & drive, RDCC.

2nd ISHERWOOD, Mrs C Wilchrimane Miso Happy with Symitry. 13M O/W I preferred the head of this boy which was just a little more moderate, good, clean neck into well laid shoulder, excellent forechest & depth, longer in loin than 1 and not so balanced overall, not so settled on the move.

YEARLING DOG (Entries: 3, Absentees: 1)

1st BOOTH, Mrs S & ODDIE, Mrs S Lundgarth Fly The Flag JW. O/W of almost 2Y, correct head with dark eye giving a soft expression, clean neck flowing into well laid shoulder & strong topline, correct tailset, well boned legs and nice tight well arched feet, well angulated, moved well covering the ground, close decision between 1&2 but just felt this boy flowed better through neck to shoulder.

2nd SMITH, Mrs L & SMITH, Mr P & WELCH, Mr Quinnery Swinderby By Lypal. O/W another of almost 2Y. I liked his head and hazel eye colour, good in forechest & front, balanced & good depth, nicely angulated all round, well boned straight forelegs, lovely feet, moved well.

NOVICE DOG (Entries: 3, Absentees: 0)

1st MATTHEWS, Mrs A Sonham Brimstone. 2nd in PD. Although the youngest & least mature in this class he was best for breed type and was more settled on the move than in the previous class.

2nd SHARPE, Miss S Joneva Dazzle And Daze. B/W. Surprised to find an almost 7Y old in this class, head ok but lacking the well-defined stop and rather narrow, nice eye and kind expression, enough neck, shoulders a little upright & rear angles ok, good depth of chest and spring of rib, strong topline held well on the move.

3rd KUZBARI, Miss S Kananaskis Galliago.

GRADUATE DOG (Entries: 5, Absentees: 0)

1st WILCOX, Mrs K Harvestslade Fire And Ice through Merynjen JW. O/W almost 3Y, I really liked this boy for his overall size & balance, super head with correct stop & dish, dark eye with kind expression, strong neck, super front assembly, tight elbows, good oval bone to tight feet, lovely on the move covering the ground with reach & drive, pushed hard for top honours today.

2nd SIDDLE, Mrs A & SIDDLE, Miss A & MAZZEO Miss D Wilchrimane Cereal Killer. B/W of almost 2Y, slightly smaller all round than 1 but a very neat and balanced boy, I liked his head and dark eye, super neck with slight arch into well laid shoulders, good depth & excellent forechest, enough bone & substance, feet could be a little tighter, strong topline to correct tailset all of which was held well on the move which was sound but not quite the drive of 1.

3rd DUNNETT, Mrs L Alcazar Excalibur.

4th KUZBARI, Miss S Kananaskis Galliago.

5th RAM, Miss E Jilony Zuess.

POST GRADUATE DOG (Entries: 5, Absentees: 0)

1st MATTHEWS, Mrs A Sonham Just The Ticket (ai) JW. L/W 2Y lovely balanced head of good breadth, correct stop & pronounced occiput, strong, slightly arched neck into correct front assembly, strong topline & well set tail, good depth & spring of rib, tight elbows, a little long in loin but was balanced all through, moved well in the class wasn't so settled in the challenge .

2nd HOFFMAN, Mrs S Teisgol Patronus with Camairo. B/W 3Y, not the head of 1 but nice eye & expression, good neck & forechest, well laid shoulders, enough bone, pasterns could be a little stronger, nice rear angles, well-muscled, moved well.

3rd DUNNETT, Mrs L Alcazar Excalibur.

4th SHARPE, Miss S Joneva Dazzle And Daze.

5th KUZBARI, Miss S Kananaskis Galliago.

LIMIT DOG (Entries: 6, Absentees: 0)

1st STILGOE, Mr And Mrs P And D & FOX, Mrs Lisa Teisgol Sweet William JW Jun Ch. O/W who I liked for size and balance, lovely head of correct proportions, good eye colour & expression, strong, clean neck into well laid shoulders, excellent forechest, good depth of chest & spring of rib, nice tight elbows, nicely angulated hindquarters, well developed first & second thigh and probably the best muscled dog of the day, sound, positive mover covering his ground with drive & reach.

2nd O'NEILL, Mrs C Tenshilling Shboom JW. B/W heavier built than 1 but retaining elegance, excellent depth but not quite forechest of 1, well-muscled, good oval bone, straight forelegs muscular hindquarters with well-turned stifles, good feet, moved well.

3rd WEBB, Mrs J Tenshilling Jimmy Mack JW.

4th SWANNELL, Mr A Sharnphilly Black Abbott JW.

5th BIRD, Mrs A Droveborough's The Gambit at Vinepoint.

OPEN DOG (Entries: 4, Absentees: 1)

Super class of boys who could easily have changed places

1st ADAMS, Mrs L Sh Ch Carofel Wings Of Hope JW Ww23 Swiss Jr Ch. O/W 4Y I last judged this boy at 8M old where I gave him BP and Puppy Group 1 with him ending the day taking BPIS, I said then that he must surely have a very bright future, I was delighted to see him today the mature, finished article, there's nothing overdone about this lad, from his lovely head with dark, expressive eyes, to his strong neck into super front assembly, straight forelegs with correct oval bone, tight, well arched feet, depth of brisket & well sprung ribs, short coupled to muscular hindquarters with depth & width of thigh, well-muscled, keeping a strong topline & correct tail carriage he covered the ground with ease, displaying drive and reach, elegant & aristocratic, pleased to award him the DCC.

2nd OLIVER, Miss Meg & STILGOE, Mr And Mrs P And D Sh Ch Teisgol Love Is In The Air ShCEx. O/W 6Y another that I've done well in the past, today unlucky to meet 1, cobbier than 1 with a nice head and soft expression, neck flowing into a strong topline down to correct tailset, good front, excellent muscle with good depth of first & second thigh, another sound mover driving from behind.

3rd PHILO, Ms R Sunhouse Black Is Back at Salmonmist JW ShCEx OSW.

VETERAN BITCH (Entries: 3, Absentees: 1)

1st BROOKSMITH, Miss A Nightgold Pipkin. L/W 7Y nice head with dark eye, well set ears of correct length, strong neck, deep & wide enough in chest, straight forelegs of correct oval bone, well angulated hindquarters, moved well BVB.

2nd BOOTH, Mrs S Sharnphilly Ginger Fizz at Lundgarth. OW 7Y another with a lovely head, in fact I preferred this head to that of 1, well set ears framing her head, strong, nice clean neck, good in forechest, good spring of rib but could be a little deeper, correct front angulation with complementing rear angles, moved well but was tending to go a little wide in front coming towards me.

MINOR PUPPY BITCH (Entries: 4, Absentees: 0)

1st RADCLIFFE, Mrs J Sniperay Outdoor Girl. O/W of just 6M who caught my eye on first look round, so balanced & together for her age, she already has a super head with good eye colour, well constructed front assembly with excellent forechest, super angles all round, well boned legs and correct oval feet and arched toes, on the move it was hard to believe she was just 6M as she was so steady with good reach & drive BPB & BPIB, I shall watch her future with interest.

2nd WELCH, Mrs S Quinney Betsy Trotwood at Hookwood. B/W of almost 9M, nicely balanced head but a little too much flew, clean neck, well laid shoulders, good depth of chest & forechest, strong topline, nice rear angles, moved out well holding her topline & tail correctly.

3rd TAYLOR, Mrs S & TAYLOR, Mr R Sniperay Santorini.

4th JENKIN, Mrs L Sniperay Campari.

PUPPY BITCH (Entries: 2, Absentees: 0)

1st BOND, Dr K Pharises Doja Cat. B/W 9M litter sister to BPD, prettiest of heads with lovely dark eyes but I found them a little round, nice neck into good forehead, deep in chest with tight elbows, good oval bone to lovely feet, well angulated all round, was steady on the move just tending to go a little close behind but another promising prospect.

JUNIOR BITCH (Entries: 2, Absentees: 0)

1st BROOKSMITH, Miss A Sharnphilly Lyrical. B/W 13.5M with a lovely head of correct proportions, dark expressive eye and well set ears, clean slightly arched neck into well laid shoulders, good in forechest and nice depth of chest, well boned legs and tight feet, good rear angles and excellent depth & width of thigh, lovely positive mover.

2nd WELCH, Mrs S & HAZELTINE, Miss C Corotine Noir Blossom with Hookwood JW. B/W almost 17M, little more mature than 1 with another lovely head and expression, would have liked a fraction more length of ear, she has a good front, strong topline, tailset ok, not the rear angulation or depth of thigh of 1 and moved a little close behind but looked well in profile on the move.

YEARLING BITCH (Entries: 8, Absentees: 1)

1st BARHAM, Mrs L Droveborough Witchy Woman JW. L/W rising 2Y she had a lovely balanced head with correct defined stop and hazel eyes which tone with her rich liver markings, lovely clean, strong neck into well laid shoulder, strong topline & correct tailset, well boned legs and good feet, very positive on the move covering the ground with ease.

2nd BROOKSMITH, Miss A Sharnphilly Lyrical – 1st JB.

3rd KENNEDY, Miss S Droveborough Black Magic JW.

4th BOOTH, Mrs S Lundgarth Ticket To Fly JW.

5th WRIGHT, Ms C & STILGOE, Mr & Mrs P & D & FO Teisgol Aurora Borealis at Abbothagg.

NOVICE BITCH (Entries: 5, Absentees: 1)

1st RADCLIFFE, Mrs J Sniperay Outdoor Girl – 1st MPB.

2nd BOND, Dr K Pharises Doja Cat – 1st PB.

3rd WELCH, Mrs S Quinners Betsy Trotwood at Hookwood.

4th BROOKES-TENNANT, Mrs V & BROOKES, Mrs J Hawkfield Queen Bee of Tenbrooksher.

GRADUATE BITCH (Entries: 8, Absentees: 0)

1st BOOTH, Mrs S Lundgarth Jubilee JW. O/W 4Y I liked the head on this girl, balanced with all the working you want to see in it, dark, expressive eyes, enough length of neck into correct front assembly, good in forechest with depth of chest & spring of rib, nice rear angles and good muscle, covered the ground with reach & drive.

2nd CARDIFF, Miss T Tenshilling Let's Pretend with Prosperity. B/W 21M unplaced in a strong YB class, pretty head with good expression, nicely constructed all through, strong topline & tailset, good angulation all round, moved much better in this class so deserving of 2nd place here.

3rd KENNEDY, Miss S Droveborough's Hells Bells JW.

4th BARHAM, Mrs L Alozia Zephyryne.

5th JENKIN, Mrs L Sniperay Ebony Pearl (ai).

POST GRADUATE BITCH (Entries: 5, Absentees: 0)

1st CARDIFF, Miss T Freebreeze Pixar at Prosperity. O/W almost 4Y, lovely head with dark eye & soft expression, she stands on good legs and tight feet and is balanced all round with correct angulation, strong topline and well set tail, neat feet, she moved straight & true with drive and reach which won her the class.

2nd MATTHEWS, Mrs A Sonham Just A Pretty Belle (ai) JW. 2Y L/W, close decision between 1 & 2 although they are different types, this girl has a lovely head with correct stop and slight dish, strong clean neck, well laid shoulders, depth of brisket and elbows held close, good sweep of stifle, well boned legs to good feet, wasn't quite as positive on the move as 1 but still a nice, sound mover.

3rd PERREN, Mrs D Evaluna For Your Eyes Only At Mistin JW.

4th COBDEN, Mrs J Alozia Zantini.

5th BROOKES-TENNANT, Mrs V & BROOKES, Mrs J Hawkfield Queen Bee of Tenbrooksher.

LIMIT BITCH (Entries: 7, Absentees: 0)

1st O'NEILL, Mrs C Tenshilling To Sir With Love JW. O/W 4.5Y eye-catching girl of substance but retaining elegance, she presents a lovely shape and balance, head of correct proportions with a kindly expression from her dark eye, her clean, slightly arched neck fits smoothly into her well laid shoulder & front assembly, good in forechest, tail set on correctly, well boned legs, good oval feet with well arched toes, her well angulated hindquarters ensured effortless driving movement, to be picky I'd like a little more colour on her but a lovely, well-constructed girl in any colour, pleased to award her RBCC.

2nd BOULTON, Mrs A & BOULTON, Ms L Codnorhawk Starlight on Moreoldglen. L/W rising 4Y, sweet head and dark eye, excels in forechest, has good depth & spring of rib, well-laid back shoulders, strong topline & correct tail set, nicely angulated hindquarters with good width of thigh, moved well.

3rd CARDIFF, Miss T Freebreeze Pixar at Prosperity

4th MATTHEWS, Mrs A Sonham Just Good Friends (ai) JW.

5th NORBURY, Mrs V Heartbury Northern Lights JW ShCEX OSW.

OPEN BITCH (Entries: 8, Absentees: 1)

1st BÄCK, Ms M Int Ch Wilchrimane Frangipani. O/W rising 4Y, my notes say "beautiful" and she is, from nose to tail she epitomises the breed standard description of outline being a series of graceful curves, super head of correct proportions with a lovely hazel eye, clean, slightly arched neck into excellent forehand assembly, straight front legs of oval bone, deep in chest with plenty of heart room, strong, well developed & muscled hindquarters with correct sweep of stifle and well let down hocks, she is so balanced & stands over her ground on super, a joy to watch on the move as she drives around the ring, in the Group ring she just floated round completely at one with her clever handler, it was my pleasure to award her BCC & BOB, to see her take Gundog Group 2 was the icing on the cake.

2nd BLACKBURN-BENNETT, Miss H Kanix Smoochie at Stargang another almost 4Y O/W, slightly stronger in head than 1 but still correct with a lovely expression, another with an excellent front with good depth & spring of rib, just not quite so tight in elbow, nice topline to correct tail, well angulated rear, she moved out soundly but couldn't quite match 1 for drive.

3rd WEBB, Mrs J Sh Ch Tenshilling The Wanderer.

4th RADCLIFFE, Mrs J Sh Ch Sniperay Edge Of Glory JW.

5th BOOTH, Mrs S Lundgarth Everest JW.

ELAINE BRADLEY - judge