

BATH CANINE SOCIETY CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW – 27TH MAY 2018

MPD (1) 1 Gamble's Solyric Inaugural Gold. Lovely headed puppy, uses his ears well, a little short in neck and very upright in shoulder, correct topline, enough bend of stifle but moves very close going away. In good coat for age.

PD (6) 1 & BP, Bendelow's Guxel Gold Ringer From Amethrickeh. Nice to go over and has a good front and forechest, sound legs and feet, excellent body and depth for a puppy, moved well all round, beautiful head and eyes but would like a higher ear set. 2 Mottram's Lanteague Gold Sovereign At Lochkaren. A touch bigger all through and not the rear movement of winner. Pleasing head and ear set, enough ribbing, carried smoothly back, good topline and smooth over croup. 3 Stockden's Willowgarth Pure Gold.

JD (3, 1) 1 Mottram's Lanteague Gold Sovereign At Lochkaren. 2 Haensel's Sherkarl Magic Touch. Good for size but he has very little body and no muscle whatsoever, lovely outline, pleasing head, good neck, in better condition he could do very well.

YD (2) 1 & Res CC, Bray's Lianbray Lothario JW. A star in the making! Super head and pigment, good conformation, sound as a bell, correct smooth extension in profile, well bodied and muscled and overall nicely proportioned, well put down coat and nicely handled. Just outmoved in the challenge. 2 Isdale's Viewdale Cuddly Dudley JW. Perhaps has a slightly stronger forface than winner and he has a smooth back skull, very short in neck, sound up and down but rather a bouncy side action. In good body and coat.

ND (4, 1) 1 Haensel's Sherkarl Magic Touch. 2 Stockden's Willowgarth Pure Gold. Up from puppy. He does have a lot of stop in head and movement can still improve, otherwise a nice shapely boy in good coat, sound legs and feet and he shows nicely. 3 Gamble's Solyric Inaugural Gold.

GD (6) 1 Pattinson's Kyleburn Everlasting Dream. Really lovely dog, dead out of coat but what was there was harsh. I loved his conformation and high quality, super mover with extension and drive from quarters, beautiful head and eyes and uses his ears nicely. 2 Woodward's Sanscott Admiral Blue At Glenthistle. In better coat than winner but couldn't quite match his movement, ears a touch lower set, good firm legs and feet, moved soundly and not too close going away, beautifully marked merle. 3 Mottram's Lanteague Gold Sovereign At Lochkaren.

PGD (6) 1 Moody's Janetstown Josses Hill. Nice moderate boy, not exaggerated in any way but conforms to the standard nicely. Sound and has width going away, in good coat and body and a sweet expression from nicely set eyes. 2 Stafford's Rannerdale The Entertainer. Has a massive coat and is a wee bit overcoated. He is super to go over with immaculate front and forechest, well bodied and sound behind, the conditions were upsetting him a little as the thunder just started. 3 Woodward's Sanscott Admiral Blue At Glenthistle.

LD (11) 1, CC & BOB, Robinson's Lavika Luminary JW. Worse conditions I have ever had to judge a class! Thunder, lightening and torrential rain. The dogs were all amazing for me. Nicely balanced boy, still showed and moved through the storm, excellent to go over, holds himself well and super front and forechest, he does move a little too close in rear but has drive and extension, in lovely coat and muscular condition. 2 Paterson's Lorainian Campbell Clan. Ideal size and a true Sheltie size, maybe not quite as masculine in head as winner and also moving a touch close going away, super to go over and a well ribbed and bodied boy. 3 Withers' Stanydale Shot In The Dark JW.

OD (6, 1) 1 Rutterford's Ch Kelgrove Just Blue At Stormhead JW ShCM. A bit disappointing for open as all were moving very close going away, winner beautifully marked merle, enough neck and good height to length proportions, sound front and in good body. 2 Winfield's Ch Oakcroft Star Force JW. I thought he was a wee bit too long in body rather than 'slightly long', otherwise a good honest sort with much to recommend and in good coat. 3 Curtis' Keltihope In The Frame At Yasleyrose.

VD (5) 1 Hirst's Sundark Starlight ShCM. Super outline and really covers the ground smoothly and evenly, well marked, pleasing head and expression, grand legs and feet, excellent body and condition for age, he just moved a little too close going away but a fine boy in good form. 2 Pattinson's Kyleburn Acis. Similar high quality and he moved even better going away but not quite as smoothly in profile, still well up on his feet and has a lovely head and eyes. A credit to his owner, as were all the rest in this class. 3 Rutterford's Evad Whougonnacall At Stormhead ShCM.

Sp Beginners D/B (4, 1) 1 Gabrielczyk's Lalabay Fervidus (Imp). Sweet 6 mth old who looks extremely promising, beautiful clean head, nicely set eyes, good pigment, bone ok and feet too, keeps her topline moving, just needs to widen further in movement and body. 2 Moving quite nicely but he does look a little too short in neck and rather long in body. He shows beautifully and has a wonderful temperament that coped with the conditions. In good coat. 3 Graham's Shadoway Game Of Chance RL6.

MPB (8) 1 Walker's Tooralie's No No Nanette. I was very taken with this b/w, gorgeous head, eyes and expression, so nicely made and sound moving with a good stride and smooth too! Just needs to come up a little

further on the leg which I'm sure she will do. A most exciting prospect. 2 Robinson's Lavika Lovely Me. Another beauty, showing and handled so well, lovely head and eyes, neat ears, can stand out in front a touch too much, excellent body, super topline and neat quarters. 3 Gabrielczyk's Lalabay Fervidus (Imp).

PB (9) 1 Jacobs & Walker's Marsullas Nikkoletta. Lovely baby not a lot of coat as yet but it does show off her super outline and hard topline, grand bone and feet, lovely head and expression, nice proportions and she is very true moving. 2 Withers' Neraklee Naomi At Stanydale. So sound also, especially in rear, just not quite the fluid movement in profile as yet but she has time to muscle up and firm her movement. A lovely puppy and was spoilt for choice in this class. 3 Robinson's Lavika Lovely Me.

JB (8, 1) 1 Rigby's Lythwood Charlotte. Lovely class! Winner super for type and quality, beautiful head and ear set, good front and forechest, feet could be better, topline firm, excellent quality, well set tail and in good coat. 2 Thornley's Shelbrook Pandora With Felthorn. Another lovely bitch, better feet than winner but a touch too long in body for her height. I thought she shows and moves really well and is a good prospect. 3 Winfield's Carolelen Classic Star By Oakcroft.

YB (10, 3) 1 Stafford's Rannerdale Queen O'the North JW. Lovely youngster in full coat but it is a touch soft, lovely to go over, sound on the move, feminine head and sweet expression, excellent topline and good legs and feet. 2 Ferris' Ferrimere Fun N Games. Not quite the ear carriage or front of above but liked her size, super body, ok in rear and she showed so well, looked lovely in profile movement too. 3 Robinson's Lavika Black Beauty JW.

NB (7) 1 Winfield's Carolelen Classic Star By Oakcroft. Perfect size and she moved nicely, good bone for size and neat feet, coat a little in between but her outline was showing nicely. 2 Haensel's Sherkarl Molly Malone. I did like this girl but she looked rather motheaten and 'bitty' in her coat, neat and nicely put together, she will have better days I'm sure. 3 Roberts' Malaroc Rainfall.

GB (9, 1) 1 & Res CC, Arnould's Shadoway Rosa Esmeralda. Beautiful bitch, I thought her very close to the standard. She has a lovely head, ears carried well, good front, well bodied and neat quarters, enough coat which does not obscure her outline, moved out with some drive too! 2 Lycett's Iliad Isla Wishes. In full coat, also very sound and has a lovely stride in profile, attentive and showing well. I would just like a little more neck for extra elegance. 3 Gamble's Balidorn Solitude At Solytic JW.

PGB (9) 1 Arnould's Shadoway Rosa Esmeralda. 2 Dunn's Neraklee Chardonnay At Shelleary. In full coat and really nice to go over and also a lovely bitch, full of quality and well made. I just slightly preferred the ears of winner and her movement in profile, both bitches should make up I reckon. 3 French's Lindfern Bee Enchanted JW.

LB (8) 1 Gruszka's Samphrey Sea Breeze. A real 'glamour puss', her pigment is so black and lips and eyes look marvellous, sound and free with a good long stride and in good body. 2 Saunders' Chalmoor I'm A Peach At Fernfrey. Rather heavy in body and she could lose a bit of weight over her tum and loin. Also free and sound and lovely head, eyes and expression. 3 Hirst's Sundark Simply A Star.

OB (9) 1 & CC, Rigby's Lundecock's Ramona At Lythwood (Imp). A nice class! Winner a well marked merle in good nick, pleasing head, uses her ears nicely, good front, bone and feet of the best! Super hard topline, neat rear and immaculately presented, outmoved her opposition here today. 2 Allan's Willowtarn Time To Frolic. Smart and full of herself, very feminine and stands like a rock! Pleasing head and expression, excellent mover and good behind. One to be proud of. 3 Robinson's Lavika Lucky Star JW.

VB (11, 2) 1 French's Sonymer Snow Fall Over Lindfern. Amazing class, some were 13! Winner scored on ease of movement, looked a picture standing and uses her ears well. In good coat. Excellent outline and a great credit to her owner, as were all the others. A really nice class to judge. 2 Hirst's Sundark Surprised JW. Sound, free and smooth moving and in lovely body, liked her head planes and neat ears, showing well, has rather a large black patch on one side. 3 Laversuch's Stormyisles Sound Of Music At Pacarane JW.

Judge - Mrs Zena Thorn-Andrews