

## Ladies Kennel Association Championship Show 12<sup>th</sup> December 2021

I'd like to give my best wishes to the judge I replaced today and hope circumstances soon improve. I realise the disappointment that may be caused for exhibitors in these situations and take this opportunity to thank you all for your sportsmanship which in the main was excellent. The entry was marred by absentees and whilst contented with the males I considered the bitches very disappointing. However I enjoyed my time spent with this charming breed.

**MPD (5)** 1 Robinson, Lavika's The Winter Soldier. Most promising 7 month old sable. Head developing well, dark almond eye and ears to suit. Well made frame. Moved soundly but can tend to high step occasionally. Quality coat coming which was presented to advantage. BP. 2 Hardy, Sandwick Masterclass. Also promising 7 months tri, conveyed a balanced outline and was sound. Development spot on for age. 3 Ayers, Gemette Gone Platinum.

**PD (4)** 1. Winfield, Goldwell Galaxy Star. 9 month old, head developing well, rounded muzzle, parallel to skull. Clean neck and forehead supported by sound limbs. Decent topline, low set tail and gentle turn of stifle. 2 Gemette Gone Platinum. B/m from previous class like his construction and balanced outline. He carries a decent headpiece. Just favoured action of 1 today. 3 Hateley, Valmay The Viceroy.

**JD (2)** 1. Hardy, Sandwick Road Runner. B/m with correctly proportioned head having 50/50 ratio, rounded muzzle, moderate stop, flat skull, well shaped and placed eye. Well laid shoulder supported by correct bone and feet. Well ribbed with level back, gentle slope to croup and low set tail. Honest movement with pleasing deportment. 2 Goldie, Blenmerrow Mazurka. Well constructed and balanced sable. Head coming, just needs to fill in a little under the eye. Clean neck and shoulders with hindquarters to compliment.

**YD (7,3)** 1 Walker, Tooralie's Quest. Balanced tri with pleasing head and properties. Clean neck into well placed shoulder and sound parallel legs into oval feet. Depth to brisket and shapely rib cage. Well fitting coat of harsh texture enhanced shape. Sound graceful mover with good deportment. 2 Pearson, Edglonian Golden Graham. Sable of quality, we'll up to winner. Head balanced with beautiful eye giving lovely expression. Gently arched neck into well laid shoulders and strong, straight bone. Deep brisket with sprung ribs, firm topline, gentle slope to croup and low set tail. Quality harsh coat well presented. Sound elegant mover. 3 Robinson, Lavika Deep Blue Ocean.

**GD (12,3)** 1 Robinson, Lavika Starlight Salute. 17 month old sable whose overall balance, soundness and deportment I loved. Head with modest stop, nicely shaped muzzle, flat skull and ears just right combined with medium, almond shaped dark eye conveyed a charming expression. His harsh quality coat was a bonus. I considered him a convincing winner. 2. Lycett, Iliad Isle Of Ewe. 3 yo with reasonable head, medium stop and dark eye. Well laid shoulders with hindquarters to compliment. Moved soundly and presented to advantage. 3rd. Bastiani & John, Lirren Showtime Joins Auberswell.

**PGD 7 (2)** 1st. Walker, Tooralie's Pie In The Sky. Balanced lad with a clean head and attributes giving desired sweet expression. Gently arched neck into well appointed shoulder supported by sound limbs. Depth to brisket and well sprung rib cage. Level topline with gentle slope to croup, defined hindquarters and tidy hocks. Well fitted sable coat of desired texture. Moved soundly with grace. 2 Lycett, Iliad Isle Delight. Attractive sable carrying a balanced headpiece, small well placed ears, dark eye and attractive outlook. Just preferred neck of winner, firm back with gently sloping croup, low set tail and useful hindquarters. Moved steady. 3 Gruszka, Japaro Timeless Design For Samphrey.

**LD (11,4)** 1 Fisher, Shellamoyed Gold Fever. Beautifully balanced sable of quality. Impressive profile and a joy to go over. Head with correct 50/50 ratio, neat well placed ears. Could have a tad less stop maybe, beautiful dark eye and charming expression. Arched neck and well constructed frame. Purposeful mover with good deportment and style. Harsh coat was well presented. RDCC. 2 French, Lorainian Kings Ransom At Lindfern. Similar ilk and properties to above. Beautifully balanced from well made frame. Not quite the finish. Moved soundly and typically. 3rd. Goodwin, Highbrook He's Got Style JW.

**OD (5,1)** 1 Stafford, Ch Rannerdale Showmaster JW. Wow, what a boy, such a beautiful package. I love his balanced outline with everything in harmony. Masculine without a hint of coarseness and the most appealing head, everything just as you could wish for giving a sweet alluring expression. His superbly constructed frame just flows and he produces purposeful free easy movement that endorses what your eyes and hands relayed. Superb harsh sable coat that enhances his make and shape. DCC BOB. 2 Goodwin, Highbrook Hobnob JW. Very honest to go over with a pleasing head and sweet outlook. Balanced in outline with a touch of elegance. Well ribbed with firm back and gentle slope to croup. Moved soundly covering the ground with ease. Harsh coat well put down. 3 Bray, Ch Lianbray Lothario JW.

**MPB (6,1)** 1 Lee & O'Callaghan, Gemette Galaxy Nite Over Elanmore. Totally raw 7 1/2 month old. Very balanced in outline and so honest to go over. Best mover in this class. 2nd. Smith, Kiemont Paris Is A Charmer At Bramblecroft. 6 1/2 months old sable with a lovely head developing and sweet expression. Clean forehead with shapely rib cage developing and definition to hindquarters. Moved steady. 3rd. Winfield, Oakcroft Cosmic Aura.

**PB (7,1)** 1 James, Valmay In Vogue. 9 months old Feminine sable displaying correct breed attributes, loved her make and shape. Head developing well, lovely expression. Soundly constructed and in excellent coat and condition. Needs to tighten up in front somewhat yet but has time on her side. 2 Stafford, Rannerdale Queen Of The Dark. Quality tri whose outline I loved. Decent head and attributes supported on arched neck into well laid shoulders. Rib cage well sprung and carried back with topline, gently sloping croup and low tail set to suit. Hindquarters compliment forehead. Rather lethargic and not giving her all. 3 Redfern, Fernfarm Summer Romance.

**JB (6)** 1 Goodwin, Rannerdale Honey Bee. Feminine and balanced sable lady with a delightful head. Dark oval eye placed just right to give correct 50/50 ratio. Rounded muzzle with good under jaw parallel to flat skull and tidy ears placed just right enabling desired sweet expression. Gently arched neck into well constructed frame. Very sound but on occasion can be over enthusiastic with tail carriage which can spoil outline on the move. Harsh well presented coat. RBCC. 2 Miles, Milesend Moondance. Quality tri with well shaped head, moderate stop, eye dark enough. Clean neck and forehead and totally balanced overall. Well sprung rib cage, topline and tail set to suit. Free easy action with style. 3 Robinson, Lavika Lucid Dreams.

**GB (7,3)** 1 Hateley, Mohnesee Enchanted. Pleased in outline and has an exquisite head with dark almond eye, flat skull and the best of well placed small ears. Soundly constructed see has depth to brisket and well sprung ribs. Coat that enhanced shape. 2 Mottram, Lundecock's There's No Limit At Lochkaren. Pleasing outline and well built sable. Good bone and feet. Just favoured stop and ears of the winner. Well presented coat. 3 Short, Silbertips Star Attraction At Zakaytia.

**PGB (9,2)** 1 Robinson, Lavika Spring Queen JW. 3 y o feminine tri, she carries a decent head with well placed ears. Projects a balanced outline and has breadth through. 2 Rennison, Kayla Kiss Ze Shetlands By Zaniah. Very raw 2 1/2 y o bm with solid head markings, reasonable eye, not the most appealing expression but deserved her place in this class due to her clean lines and very honest construction coupled with typical sound movement. 3 . Barrowclough, Shadowess True Blue.

**LB (9,4)** Considered this a very disappointing class. 1 French, Lindfern Bee Enchanted JW. Feminine 8 y o sable of pleasing make and shape, dark well placed eye, would prefer smaller ear. Ached neck into firm well laid shoulder. Shape to rib cage, level back and defined hindquarters. Would prefer harsher coat which was presented to advantage. 2 Robinson, Lavika Time Of My Life JW. 4 y o sable with a reasonable head, clean neck and shoulder supported by sound limbs. Level back and breadth to pelvis. Moved steady. 3 Lycett, Iliad Isla Wishes.

**OB (7,1)** 1 Stafford, Ch Rannerdale Queen O' The North JW. Typical outline with everything in harmony. Decent head although for BOB preferred that of the male. Well constructed in all departments with strong bone down to arched oval feet. Depth to brisket with rib cage well sprung, level topline, gentle slope to croup, low set and well carried tail. Hindquarters complimented shoulder placement with gentle turn of stifle. Her quality harsh coat was presented to advantage. BCC. 2 Ritchie, Jaelis Mystique Reflection JW. Reasonable head and ear with dark eye, enough neck. Nicely ribbed with level back and sound hindquarters. 3 Hardy, Sandwick Stage Show.

**VB (4)** 1 French, Lindfern Enchanted Sunrise. Feminine 11 1/2 y o sable of considerable quality with attractive head and well constructed frame presenting typical outline, moved very soundly with good deportment. Coat could be harsher but well presented and a credit to her owner. BV. 2 Fenton, Tri' N Stop Me At Mistyisle. Worthy 10 y o tri with a reasonable head, arched neck and well placed shoulders. Deep brisket with shapely rib cage, decent topline and hindquarters. Moved out soundly and was shown in good nick. Also a credit to her handler. 3 Jackson, Keycharm Blue Serenade JW.

**Judge - Stuart Mallard**