

# Northern Counties Shetland Sheepdog Club

## Open Show 15<sup>th</sup> October 2017

Firstly I would like to say a big thank you to the committee for accepting my first judging appointment for this show and the steward and staff for a well organised day, I was very well looked after and thoroughly enjoyed my day and had some lovely dogs to go over. Thank you to all exhibits who managed an entry considering there was a breed champ show the day before. Before I start can I just mention that this is a dog show and you are entering your dogs under judges to go over them, not only are they looking for the nearest standard to the breed as possible but the presentation of your dog is most important too such as is oral hygiene and weight which has to be considered and not overlooked. Overall I was very pleased with my main winners.

**MPD (1)** 1. Walker, Tooralie's Never Say Never. 6 month old blue baby who showed and moved very well considering his age. Lovely silvery blue colour. Good confirmation both front and rear and lovely long tail! Still needs to fill in his head yet and stop has to come looks a little long in muzzle at the moment and ears a little heavy. Nicely presented.

**PD (1)** 1. Bird and Caden, Molson Mr Blue Sky. Another blue boy of over 9mths starting to mature nicely he has a super sweet head, flat skull well filled cheeks and lovely round muzzle nice eye and ear set which he used all the time. Super constructed boy nice front angulation level back with lovely sweep over loins, nice rear with great bend of stifle and short hocks, lovely long tail in a good coat which could be a better clearer blue but overall a nice puppy Best Puppy Dog and BPIS just beating the bitch on maturity in head.

**JD (3)** 1. Savage, Willowthorn Kobalt Star By Savataurus. 16 month old blue of lovely colour another one with a sweet head lovely eye flat skull and neat ears, has a nice shape standing but would prefer more neck as can look a bit stuffy, ok for conformation front and rear just getting his coat back. Moved ok but a bit proud of his tail!! Good presentation. 2. Isdale..Viewdale Cuddly Dudley. Nice sable 13 month old just out of puppy and left his coat at home head handles well but skull could be flatter nice eye giving a sweet expression. Not happy today and won't use his ears. Moved ok but needs to tighten in front which will come. 3. Hughes, Risting No Rushing Benji.

**MD (2)** 1. Hill's Molson Moon River. Tri litter brother to PD and similar in shape etc great conformation front and back lovely long tail nice head and sweet eye for a tri just a bit unsettled with his ears and on the move but a nice puppy. 2. Hughes, Risting No Rushing Benji. 16 month old sable boy out of coat at the moment but pleased the eye with his shape. Lovely sweet expression and nice eye and neat ears which he used. Ok on the move.

**ND (2)** 1. Durn's Leanai Let Me Boogie. 16 month old sable head ok skull could be flatter but has a nice eye and giving a sweet expression with lovely ear set. Front ok nice bend of stifle and lovely long tail. Good presentation and moved well. 2. Hughes, Risting No Rushing Benji.

**Tyro (4,3)** 1. Isdale, Viewdale Cuddly Dudley. 2. Durn, Leanai Let Me Boogie. 3. Fawcett, Northern Pride For Ronsadale.

**GD (4)** 1. Sangster, Amethrickeh Stormi Wizard. Stunning blue just over 2 year old just love his head just my type level planes nice stop round muzzle super eye and placement nice giving that lovely sweet expression nice earset leading down to a super neck nice front angulation good ribs lovely topline with sweep lovely long tail super rear angulation with good bend of stifle in super coat of correct blue colour just let himself down with not co-operating with his handler and having none of it, shame as i considered him top honours hope he improves with time. 2. Savage, Willowthorn Kobalt Star by Savataurus. 3. Dixon, Tachnamadra Toffee Apple.

**PGD (3)** 1. Sangster, Amethrickeh Stormi Wizard. 2. Hills, Tegeris Astrakan At Molson (imp Swed). Nice size shaded sable boy sweet head and expression lovely eye another one with good angulation

front and rear super presentation he too was unsettled as my first winner. 3. Savage, Puncknowle Star Gazer At Savataurus JW Sh CM.

**LD (1)** 1. Gatheral, Herds Humphrey JW. Golden sable just over 4 and maturing nicely nice head with level planes good stop nice eye but prefer darker colour just a tad straight in upper arm angulation he has a nice neck level back and good angulation at the rear with good bend of stifle would just prefer shorter hocks and a longer tail he moved very well and in good coat another one a bit reluctant to use his ears today.

**OD (5,1)** 1. Walker, Marsula Shogun JW ShCM. (Imp Aust). Three lovely boys in this class that could swap places on another day. Super Tri boy just 2 and a half yrs loved him when he arrived as a puppy and is maturing into a lovely gentleman he just oozers style with his fab shape he has super confirmation both front and rear and on the move he can really extend. His head handles well with lovely flat skull and round muzzle and tight lips he has a sweet but masculine expression lovely dark eye his ears could be tighter on top but this does not distract, super neck level topline with sweep over loins nice short hocks super bend of stifle and long tail. He moves really well when he wants to today he was a very happy boy and non stop wagging of that tail in super condition with a jet black coat. He deserved his win today Best Dog and RBIS. 2. Van Hoorebeke/D'Hont, Napoledne Di Bonaparte Van't Nevelse. Another nice boy shaded sable and same age as above and all the way from Belgium in super condition again a lovely head sweet but masculine expression nice dark eye lovely ear set nice neck good front and back angulations long tail would just like him a tad longer in body to balance him out. Moved very well. 3. Gatheral, Herds Humphrey JW.

**VD (5)** 1. Russel's Ch.Tuffeigha Moonweaver JW. Some lovely veterans in this class that put the younger ones to shame! This 11 year tri is still looking fab for his age always loved him another one with fab construction and so like my open dog winner in many ways. He too has a super head with a sweet but masculine expression definitely all boy! He has a super shape just what I like with the correct conformation and can still move round that ring he showed lovely today and pushed the young ones happy to award him Res Best Dog and BVIS. 2. Munro's Laurelwood Tri Bob. Another tri boy nearly 8 year old and looking his best Ive seen him, lovely head with nice eye and sweet expression neat ears good angulation both front and back and nice long tail in lovely coat and condition moved well. 3. Savage's Shellthorn Storm In A Teacup at Savataurus Sh CM Vet Ch.

**SpO Sable/White (2,3)** 1. Durn's Leanai Let Me Boogie. 2. Dixons, Tachnamadra Toffee Apple. 3rd in Grad 2 year old golden boy with full white collar lovely head and expression but not quite the angulation I was looking for but in lovely condition.

**Sp O Tri (3)** 1. Munro's Laurelwood Tri Bob. 2. Berry, Simcourt Dark Side O' The Moon. 6 year old loved this boy as a youngster lovely sweet expression and nice eye good jet black coat just a tad overweight which showed in his movement and standing just wasn't happy today. 3. Sangster, Drumcauchlie Two Tone.

**Sp O Blue (1)** 1. Savage, Puncknowle Star Gazer at Savataurus JW15 JW Sh CM. 4 year old nice coloured blue lovely sweet expression good ears good rear angulation would like longer tail but moved ok.

**MPB (1)** 1. Isdale, Viewdale Tri To Please. Promising 7 month old tri baby gorgeous sweet expression with a lovely eye shape stop needs to clear and her cheeks to fill and skull to flatten yet but this will come with age super shape with a lovely long neck level back good front and rear angulations and super long tail showed lovely for her handler today and a good mover for one so young. Best Puppy Bitch.

**PB (2)** 1. Isdale's Viewdale Tri To Please. 2. Williams, Ivydale Summer Mist. 11 month old golden girl with white blaze, lovely expression nice to go over but just a little unsettled on the table and in her movement but a lovely girl hope she gets better with time.

**MB (2)** 1. Isdale, Viewdale Tri To Please. 2. Williams, Ivydale Summer Mist.

**NB (3)** 1. Isdale, Viewdale Tri To Please. 2. Jacob/Johnson, Tooralie's I Spy With Willowthorn. 15 month old shaded small girl very petite but pretty little girl lovely expression neat ears good angulation front and rear and bend of stifle just preferred her to be longer in back showed lovely moved ok. 3. Ambler's Smiddyshaw Somebody To Love At Jaztech.

**Tyro B (5,1)** 1. Jacob/Johnson, Tooralie's I Spy With Willowthorn. 2. Cooper, Keewaydin Mayhem. 3 year old shaded girl very alert and showy nice head and expression ok for angulation just a tad overweight. 3. Williams, Mossvale Evening Star.

**GB (6,2)** 1. Durn's Leanai Little Boots. Shaded sable smart little girl out of coat but showing a lovely outline with a super neck, head handles well with lovely eye and neat ears which she never stopped using. Super bend of stifle moved ok but does tend to toe out on her front movement. 2. Walkers, Channerswick Penny Lane.. 16 month old out of coat blue super angulation on this bitch both front and rear with a lovely long tail. Her head handles ok but just a tad too strong in expression for me and slight heavy ears. Her colour could be a better blue. Super mover. 3. Ambler, Smiddyshaw Somebody To Love At Jaztech.

**PGB (3,1)** 1. Durn, Leanai Little Boots. 2. Walker's Channerswick Penny Lane.

**LB (5,1)** 1. Walker's Tooralies Kiss Me Honey. Golden sable with white blaze on face just coming back into coat liked her for her conformation and super long neck. Lovely head with level planes and super eye shape and set nice round muzzle nice ears which she used well lovely bend of stifle and nice long tail won this class on her shape standing showing off her lovely outline just ok for size moved well. 2. Clegam/Berry, Smiddyshaw I'll Be There for You JW. Smart little 2 year old golden sable with full collar just coming into coat, head ok but would prefer a more rounded muzzle and filling of the cheeks and a better eye shape. Nice front and back angulations level back and a nice sweep over loins moved well but was very unsettled standing today. 3. Hill, Molson Midori Sunset.

**OB (7)** 1. Gatheral, Herds Hallucination JW. Lovely class of girls which could swop places! Loved this girl since she was a puppy super Tri of 6 year old now! You cannot fault her conformation she is so lovely to go over super front and back angulations her head is the sweetest Ive seen in a tri and a gorgeous eye she is a super mover just won this class on her conformation and movement it was very close. 2. Van Hoorebke/D'Hondt, Nomi A Dream Come True Van't Nevlse. Nearly 3 shaded sable bitch very close between these two this girl being more elegant looking with slightly longer legs she has a nice head with a lovely eye and well set ears just not as sweet in expression as the first she has a super long neck good front and rear angulations moved really well and in super presentation. 3. Durns, Lavika Lucky Me.

**VB (7,3)** 1. Hill's Ch. Molson Miguila Sunrise. Just over 8 and stood out in this class a lovely elegant lady showing off her super shape what a neck! Nice head with a sweet eye and lovely round muzzle but would prefer tighter lips. Another one with super confirmation and a great mover. 2. Johnson's Tooralie's Firefly. 7 year old sable and looking well for her age has a nice sweet expression with lovely eye but a bit wide in back skull and ears set too wide and low her front and rear angulation are quite good and is a super mover. Lovely presentation. 3. Cooper, Keewaydin Kurlew.

**SpO Sable/White (4)** 1. Hill Ch. Molson Moet Chandon. My pick of the day a most glamorous golden sable of 8 year old and looking gorgeous a worthy champion. Super head level plains nice round muzzle nice eye shape and set giving that lovely sweet melting expression topped by neat well placed ears. Another one with a super reach of neck leading down to good front angulation level back good rear angulations nice bend of stifle and short hocks nice long tail. Moved beautifully with a good reach at front In lovely coat and condition just cried out Best Bitch and my BIS.

**Sp O Tri (4)** 1. Walker, Tooralie's Matilda JW. Young 16 month old tri another one I have liked since a puppy very smart young lady just coming back into coat and starting to mature. Love her head so well balanced nice round muzzle and tight lips super eye shape she has a lovely sweet expression neat ears bang on top. Nice front and rear angulations with level back and sweep leading to lovely

long tail. She has super movement with drive from rear and reach at front. She has a super shape standing and was presented very well. Res Best Bitch. 2. Gatheral, Herds Hallucination JW. Two lovely similar quality bitches just preferred presentation on 1. 3. Clegram, Smiddyshaw Relight My Fire Sh CM.

**Sp O Blue** (3,1) 1. Walker, Channerswick Penny Lane. 2. Shaw, Drumoyne Lass At Bluequarry. Nearly 10 year old and looking well for her age very happy girl having a nice day out.

**Judge: Debby Fisher (Shellamoyed)**