

NATIONAL WORKING & PASTORAL BREEDS SOCIETY CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW 15TH JULY 2017

SHETLAND SHEEPDOG

PD (1) 1 Spencer's Castlerose Northern Soul. 11 month old blue merle dog. Nicely balanced with good reach of neck. Well marked. Good rear angulation. Refined head, well placed and shaped eye. Well set ears. Would like more underjaw and better front angulation. The latter was reflected in his movement.

JD (3, 1) 1 Bray's Lianbray Lothario. RCC. Just over one year. Beautifully proportioned dog in good coat and condition. Well constructed with good reach of neck with head carried proudly. Balanced head with well placed almond eye. Good underjaw and neat ears. Moved well. Handled to perfection. Caught my eye in the challenge. Will trouble the best when he fully matures. 2 Goodwin's Highbrook He's Got Style. Not the balance of first and coat did little to enhance his outline making him appear high at the back end. Well laid back shoulder and good rear angulation. Pleasing head with nice eye and well placed ears. Would like a bit less stop and depth in back skull. Moved well. Overall a quality dog.

YD (5, 2) 1 Roberts' Malaroc Mystery Writer JW. Heavily coated dog coming up on two years old. Level topline. Good rear angulation. Excels in head type with parallel head planes and well placed almond eye. Good ear set and under jaw. Would prefer better lay back of shoulder and width of chest. Saying that moved reasonably well. 2 Goodwin's Highbrook He's Got Style. 3 Chalke's Malaroc Wordsmith.

GD (8, 2) 1 Robinson's Lavika Luminary JW. Golden sable with flowing lines. Well angulated hindquarters. Level topline and good depth of chest. Good bone. Pleasing head with good proportions and well placed eye. Flares slightly in back skull. Moves ok. Not the balance or outline of my winners but handled to make the most of him. 2 Bywater's Tachnamadra He's Got The Look. Eyecatching tri in super condition. Quite the showman. Jet black coat. Level topline and graceful sweep over loins. Well angulated hindquarters. Would prefer more angulation of forequarters. Well balanced head with rich tan markings. Well placed ears. Again flares a little in back skull. Ok on the move. 3 Jackson's Shellamoyed The Kingsman.

PGD (5, 2) 1 Moody's Janetstown Josses Hill. 3 year old dog in good coat and condition. Level topline. Refined head. Moved well. Expertly handled to make the most of him. 2 Hardy's Sandwick Fortune Seeker. Very different in type to first and not in full coat. Pleasing outline with level topline. Good rear angulation. Head is balanced. Would prefer better eye shape and placement and less depth of back skull. Nice ear set. Stands wide front and back. Moved true forward and back. 3 Moore's Invictus Prince Iago Du Domains.

LD (10, 2) 1 Mottram's Midday Sun At Lochkaren JW. Well balanced dog who has matured nicely. Good reach of neck and level topline. Angulations are balanced but moderate. Nicely proportioned head with well placed almond eye. Would prefer less depth in back skull. Moves true forward and back. Nice overall exhibit. 2 Fransham's Jontygray Gilt Edged For Franmead JW. Pleasing outline. In good coat and condition. Good bone. Well angulated hindquarters. Heavier in head than when I last judged him. Moved well. Beautifully presented and handled. 3 Gatheral's Herds Humphrey JW.

OD (4, 1) 1 Winfield's Ch Oakcroft Star Force JW. **CC & BOB**. Beautifully balanced dog in super coat and condition. Flowing lines with graceful sweep over the loin. Well constructed. Lovely head with that combination of eye set, ear set and balance of skull and forehead to give that shapeliness of head and sweetness of expression so desired. Moved with ease. Pleased to see him go **Group 4**. 2 Bastiani & John's Fait Moi Rever Jocker De Mayerling. Masculine, well proportioned shaded sable in full coat. Loved his shape and condition. Good reach of neck. Well angulated fore and hind quarters. Parallel head planes Well shaped and placed eye. Neat ears. Head is heavier than when I last judged him. Ok on the move. Not settled at all today. 3 Walker's Marsula Shogun.

VD (3, 2) 1 Hirst's Sundark Starlight ShCM. 9 year old b/m with FWC in good coat and condition. Level topline. Good hind angulation. Would prefer more forehead angulation. Good head proportions with near ears. Moved well.

MPB (4, 1) 1 Whittington's Esterbon Three Kisses For Tighness. BPB & BPIB Tricolour baby in good coat for age. Liked her outline. Good reach of neck. Level topline. Soundly made. Beautifully proportioned head with nicely shaped eye and neat well placed ears. Good tan markings. Strode out on the move. Presented a challenge for her handler. Could have easily put her in my car. Should reach the top when she matures. 2 Haensel's Sherkarl Molly Malone. Unlucky to meet first. Nicely proportioned baby. Well constructed. Good reach of neck. Refined head with parallel head planes. Nice eye. Good ear set. Sound on the move. 3 Moore's Chibaya Belle Of The Ball.

PB (4, 2) 1 Fisher's Shellamoyed Dolly Blue. 10 month old b/m. Scores in shape and outline. Good reach of neck. Nicely made front and back. Pleasing head proportions. Good ear set. Would like better eye shape and more parallel head planes. 2 Robinson's Lavika Black Beauty. Well coated Tri in super condition. Level topline. Well laid back shoulder and good turn of stifle. Refined head with well placed eye and good ear set. Would like a bit more foreface but this may come in time. Could have a better reach of neck. Positive on the move. Beautifully presented and handled by her young handler.

JB (11) 1 Stafford's Rannerdale Queen Of The North. RCC. Golden sable glamour girl that pulls out all the stops. Nicely balanced with good forehead and hindquarters. Refined head with neat ears. Good underjaw. Nice expression. Moved well. 2 Fisher's Shellamoyed Heavenly Charm. Tricolour with FWC and rich tan markings. Left her coat at home. Like her shape. Soundly made with good reach of neck. Head proportions are good with well placed near ears. Would prefer more femininity. Moved with drive. 3 Jacobs & Johnson's Tooralie I Spie With Willowthorn.

YB (7, 1) 1 Robinson's Erjon Happy Me At Lavika. Plain sable bitch not in her best jacket. Level topline. Shoulder well laid back. Good depth of chest. Well let down stifle. Adequate reach of neck. Nicely proportioned head with well placed almond eye and a neat pair of ears. Sound on the move. Preferred the femininity of my winners in the challenge. 2 Roberts' Malaroc Covert Love. Feminine golden sable with lovely head type and nice expression. Would prefer a bit more lay back of shoulder and a bit more bone. Not the best show girl but a quality exhibit. 3 Deveson's Milesend Sea Pearl.

NB (6) 1 Fisher's Shellamoyed Dolly Blue. 2 Jacobs & Johnson's Tooralie I Spie With Willowthorn. Flashy shaded sable in good coat and condition. Hindquarter angulation ok. Would prefer more lay back of shoulder and length of neck. Head is balanced with well placed and shaped eye. Needing more underjaw to complete the picture and rather erratic on the move 3 Winfield's Celtic Faery.

GB (5) 1 Bray's Shelridge Shantilly Lace At Lianbray. Elegant shaded sable not in her best jacket. Flowing topline with gracefully sweep over the loins. Good shoulder angulations and good turn of stifle. Head handles well with parallel planes. Dark eye and a neat pair of ears. Attentive to handler. Moves well. Expertly handled to make the most of her. 2 Bywater's Lundcock's Cover Girl With Tachnamadra (Imp Swe). Golden sable in good coat. Liked her shape and balance. Good reach of neck. Well laid back shoulder. Level topline. Head proportions are ok but would prefer better eye placement. Would prefer more parallel stance at the back. Ok on the move. 3 Deveson's Milesend Sea Pearl.

PGB (4, 3) 1 Kennedy's Lirren Blue Gamble At Donbeley. Nicely balanced BM with FWC Good reach of neck. Soundly made with good depth of chest. Pleasing head with good eye placement. Moved well. Would prefer more femininity.

LB (8) 1 Rowan's Rowancrest Blue Champagne At Shellamoyed. **CC.** Beautifully marked and proportioned b/m in super coat and condition. Head carried proudly on well arched neck. Shoulder is well laid back and hindquarters are well angulated. Balanced head with good ear set and lovely expression. Moved with ease. Pleased to award her, her first CC. I am sure the rest will quickly follow. 2 Fisher's Shellamoyed My Blue Heaven. B/m, left her coat at home. Liked her shape. So soundly made with good reach of neck. Good head pattern with well placed ears. Would prefer more refinement. Goes well on the move. 3 Robinson's Lavika Lucky Star JW.

OB (5, 1) 1 Rossiter's Lorian Starlight Wonder. Elegant Golden sable glamour girl in full bloom. Liked her outline. Level topline with graceful sweep over the loin. Good rear angulation. Refined head with well placed almond eye. Would prefer less length of head. My audio recording was spoiled by wind noise so cannot comment on movement. 2 Thomas' Alanvic Black Chiffon At Jolex. Quality tri unplaced in limit. Jet black coat with FWC. Level topline. Good turn of stifle. Pleasing head proportions with neat well placed ears. Liked her expression. Moved well. 3 Deveson's Janetstown Je Suis JW ShCM.

VB (7, 3) 1 Stafford's Ch Rannerdale Star O The North JW. Flashy gold sable in super coat and condition. Level topline with good rear angulation. Excels in head type with neat ears pleasing eye shape and placement. Good underjaw. Moves with drive. Pleased to see her go VG3. 2 Jackson's Ellenynorn Heavensent. Well balanced rich sable in good coat. Super reach of neck. Soundly made. Head is refined with well placed almond eye and neat well placed ears. Lovely expression. Moved well just not the vibrance of first today. 3 Hirst's Sundark Tsarina.

Judge - Jane Hill