

SCOTTISH SHETLAND SHEEPDOG CLUB, 05/06/16

The Scottish Shetland Sheepdog Club held an Open show where **BIS was Blue Moonlight Shadow**; RBIS, Orean Top Gun; & BP, Japaro Touch The Stars.

Thanks to the committee & exhibitors & my super efficient steward. I thoroughly enjoyed my day. It was a really hot sunny day & I'm afraid I opted to stay indoors in the interest of survival of judge & dogs!

JD (4) 1 Dickson's Tachnamadra Toffee Apple, golden sable, best front angulation in class, nice outline, good length of tail, nice expression, neat ears, showed well; 2 Jackson's Shellamoyed The Kingsman, 10 months baby of class. Good length of neck & nice topline, neat ears, nicely rounded foreface, little full in eye & would like longer upper arm but showed & moved OK. BPD; 3 Davidson's Seavall Blue Tyger of Dunrobie. **YD** (3) 1 T Toffee Apple; 2 Hepburn's Leterikhills Emma's Guy, nice well boned dog, good topline, moved quite well. Flat skull, well filled foreface, would like a slightly smaller eye, not in full coat; 3 Blythe & Fotheringham's Sulskerry Bramble. **ND** (3,1a) 1 Rae's Sommerville Peregrine, good coloured merle in big harsh coat, quite short coupled, good size well boned. Nicely moulded head flat skull, neat ears. Well placed almond eyes; 2 Wilson's Blazecroft Bolt From The Blu to Dasgeda, small merle, nice colour well broken, well rounded foreface, little broad in skull & would like a smaller eye, nice bone for size. **GD** (4) 1 Hill's Tegens Astrakan at Molson, s/w dog, ideal size, good harsh coat enhancing shape. Good bone for size. Nicely mounded head, flat skull, neat ears & well set eye giving nice expression, showed well. RBD; 2 Purves' Donallin Magical Moments, tri, slightly larger, well fitting coat in good bloom, good reach of neck, well angulated rear, moved well. Well filled foreface, would like a slightly neater eye, showed well; 3 T Toffee Apple. **PGD** (2) 1 Faigrieve's Murieston Beautiful Dream, s/w on his own, sprightly veteran in good hard coat, showed well. Flat skull, well filled foreface, neat ears, little full in eye. **LD** (4) 1 Smith's Orean The Bootlegger, golden sable dog in good coat, good size. Good bone, moved well. Lovely mounded head, flat skull, well placed almond eye. Neat ears, sweet expression; 2 Hay's Degallo The Adjudicator, shaded/s, well fitting coat, nice topline, good rear angulation. Nice lean head, almond eye, well rounded foreface, moved well; 3 Purdie's Rengala Taken By Storm. **OD** (2) 1 McShee's Ashkirk Lord Of The Ring, golden sable, hard coat, up to size, not in full coat, obliquely set almond eyes, longish mounded head, neat ears, good bone & reach of neck; 2 Jackson's Ir Ch Fearnach Blue Rhapsody at Cluainultaigh, merle well broken, good colour, good size, well boned. Moved well. Well mounded head, flat skull, well placed eye & ears, showed well; 3 Hay's Degallo The Gambler. **VD** (5,2) 1 Smith's Orean Top Gun, shaded/s in good harsh coat, well boned & angulated fore & aft. Best mover so far, quality head, well placed eye & ears giving good expression, showed well. BD, BVIS, RBIS; 2 Gordon's Dantralee Gatecrasher, 11 years in good nick, nice head & eye, well boned, showed well; 3 McIlquham's Murieston Golden Valentino. **Special OD S/W** (2) 1 A Lord Of The Ring; 2 T Toffee Apple. **Special OD Tri** (5,1) 1 Hepburn's Leterikhills Emma's Boy, well made dog moving freely, nice flowing topline, well mounded head, used his ears well; 2 D Magical Moments; 3 Sommerville Taign Reul of Sloy. **Special OD B/W, B/M** (2) 1 Main's Seavall Blakeney, good coloured & well broken, lovely size with good bone, racy build well angulated, moved well. Nice moulded lean head, neat ears & nice well placed eye; 2 Davidson's Seavall Blue Tyger of Dunrobie, nice size, moved well, good flowing topline. Nicely moulded head, flat skull, good eye. Good blue but too much black, not broken enough, pity nice dog. **Owned & Bred in Scotland** (4,2) 1 McIlquham's Murieston Prince Charming, sable veteran, good for size, nice hard coat, good outline, well boned, nice eye & expression. Showed well; 2 S Taign Reul of S, tri in big coat, very unsettled today, good lean head, moved well.

MPB (1) 1 Nixon's Japaro Edge Of Dreams, s/w 7 months, a bit on leg at the moment, good coat for age. Neat ears, well moulded longish head, good reach of neck giving good topline. Showed well. **PB** (3) 1 Nixon's Japaro Touch The Stars, s/w, lovely shape, in good coat for age, moved well. Moulded head, flat skull, well shaped & placed eye giving good expression. BPIS; 2 Wilkie's Avonbank Designed To Dazzle, smaller & more compact in build. In big coat, attractive expression, neat ears, showed well; 3 Hill's Molson Mazel Tov. **JB** (5) 1 Elder's Ellenyorn Exho Falls, s/w, nice outline in fair coat. Well boned, moved OK. Mounded head, well filled foreface, neat ears. Well shaped eye. Showed well; 2 Allan's Murieston Lady Who Lunches, s/w, heavy

coated which makes her look more short coupled than 1. Well mounded head, well placed eye, rather heavy ears, showed well; 3 Smith's Orea Rambling Rose. **YB** (3,1) 1 Main's Shenachie Lyric Of Light, s/w, nice hard coat, good reach of neck giving sweeping topline. Good bone for size, moved well. Nice moulded head, neat eye & ears giving good expression; 2 Shaw's Bluequarry Pearl Blue, nice size merle, would like a clearer colour. Nice moulded head, nice eye & ears, showed well. **NB** (1) 1 A Designed To Dazzle. **GB** (4,2) 1 Smith's Orea Roses And Guns, feminine tri, lovely size & shape, moved & showed well. Attractive head, well placed ears, nice outline; 2 McSheehy's Ashkirk Touch Of Class, s/w, stronger build, in good coat, moved OK, good topline. Moulded head with strong foreface, well placed eye, showed well. **PGB** (5,1) 1 Jackson's Blue Moonlight Shadow, good coloured merle, well broken, in full coat, good length to height ratio, nice reach of neck giving flowing topline, well constructed, moved & showed well. Nice flat skull, well set & shaped eye & well used ears. BB, BIS; 2 Hill's Ellenyorn Enchantress, merle well broken, not quite the clear colour of 1, feminine little lady, nicely moulded head. Moved & showed well; 3 Wyper's Murieston Classic Design. **LB** (3,2) 1 Shaw's Murieston Designed By Mishyb at Bluequarry, s/w not in full coat, well constructed, moved well. Well moulded head, good underjaw, showed well. **OB** (3,1) 1 Scott's Ch Degallo For Real, s/w in full coat, good size & good bone, moved & showed well. Nicely moulded head, neat ears, well placed eye, good reach of neck giving nice topline. RBB; 2 McSheehy's Ashkirk Ladybird, nice shape, moved well, in good coat. Nice for size, just not the full foreface of winner. Two nice bitches. **VB** (4,2) 1 Hill's Ch Molson Midsomernite's Dream, dark shaded/s in excellent nick for age. Lovely moulded head, not too long, neat eye & ears giving great expression. Lovely size & shape, moved well; 2 Nixon's Ch Japaro Designed In Dreams, another of super size in full golden coat. Good reach of neck, moved well, nice head but not quite the expression of winner. **Special OB S/W** (6,2) 1 A Ladybird; 2 Wilson's Rannerdale High Society at Dasgeda, nice size, well constructed, moved well, in good coat. One piece head, strong foreface, well placed eye, very slightly rounder than winner. Showed well; 3 Ritchie's Murieston Lady Lucinda. **Special OB Tri** (3,1) 1 Hepburn's Leterikhills Niki's Girl, lovely size & shape. Moved freely, showed well, nice eye & expression; 2 Davidson's Channerwick Glamour Puss of Danrobien, a little bigger than winner & not as good on expression, but nice shape. Showed & moved well. **Special OB B/W, B/M** (1) 1 B Pearl Blue. **Owned & Bred in Scotland** (1) 1 Hill's Ch Molson Moët Chandon, s/w in good straight coat, well made, moved well, nice topline, neat ears & expression. **Brace** (1) 1 Hepburn, truly identical tri's. White markings painted on with precision, moved well together.

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