

SCOTTISH SHETLAND SHEEPDOG CLUB Open Show 12th November 2017

Many thanks to the exhibitors for a nice entry and to the Club for inviting me.

MPD (2). 1. Nixon's, Japaro Music Maestro. S/white, very glamorous. Lovely make and shape, well filled foreface with a lovely eye and expression, neat ears. Good neck. Moved well. Shall watch his career with interest. 2. Hodson's, Roschri Highland Fling. Another very nice puppy. Not quite as mature as winner. Again lovely shape. Moved well.

PD. (3). 1. Smith's, Orean on the Night Train. S/white. Good neck. Neat ears. Good topline. 2. Lewis's, Sandwick Curtain Call at Donmarvic. Heavier all round than winner.

JD. (3). All absent

YD (4). 1. Forbes', Mister Jack De L'iles Des Berges. Blue dog who caught my eye on entering the ring. Lovely make and shape. Well filled foreface, good underjaw, neat ears which he uses. Very good neck and topline which he keeps on the move. **RBD**. 2. Drysdale's, Donallin Shadow Magic. Huge coated dog. Heavier dog than the winner. Well put down. Moved and showed well. 3. Redpath's, Aardan Hail Caledonian.

ND. (2). 1. Smith's, Orean Rich Tone. S/w. Showed and moved well.

GD (5). 1. Drysdale's, Donallin Shadow Magic. 2. Purves's, Donallin Magical Moments. Tri who moved well, would like smaller eye. 3. Sangster's, Amethrickeh Storm Wizard. Blue dog. Just a little nervous.

PGD. (1). 1. Hill's, Tegens Astrakan at Molson. Beautiful mahogany s/w. A colour you do not see many of nowadays. Well made. Well moulded foreface, good chin, nice eye and neat ears. Good neck and spring of rib. Good topline and second thigh. Moved well, shall watch his career with interest.

LD (4). 1. Philhope Royal Racket; 2. Rengala Taken By Storm JW. 3. Shellamoyed Simply The Best at Leterikhills JW. Sorry I lost the notes on this class and the Open class also.

OD. (3). 1. Avonbank Designed In Gold JW ShCM, 2. Our Little Drummer Boy 3. Ashkirk Lord Of The Ring. Sorry lost notes on this class.

VD. (6). 1. Forbes', Ch Degallo the Ultimate ShCM. Stunning s/w had what I was looking for. Well filled foreface, clean cheeks, good underjaw, neat ears. Very good neck with good shoulders and topline. Moved well. **BD**. What more can one say he is a Champion. 2. Sangster's, Drumcauchlie Two Tone. 10 years old black and white looking well for his age. 3. Munro's, Laurelwood Tri Bob.

Sp Op S/W (2). 1. Donallin Shadow Magic. 2. Tachnamadra Toffee Apple.

Sp Op TRI (2) . Hepburn's, Leterikhills Emma's Boy ShCM. 2. Laurelwood Tri Bob.

Sp Op B/W BLUE MERLE (3) 1. Amethirckeh Stormi Wizard. SpO Bred in Scotland 1. Donallin Shadow Magic. 2. Sommerville Taigh Reul of Sloy. 3. Laurelwood Tri Bob.

MPB. (3). 1. Nixon's, Japaro Is All About Me. This puppy is stunning. Gold s/w. She is only 6 months old but has it all for me. Well moulded foreface, good chin, lovely expression, ears right on top. Very good neck and spring of rib. Good topline which she keeps on the move. Just wish she were mine. **BP and RBB**. 2. Redpaths', Sonymer Storm Doris. Another lovely puppy, tri colour. Good foreface and chin. Good ears which she uses. Moved well, just unlucky to meet winner.

PB (3). 1. Purves's, Donallin Dream Girl. Nice head, good ears. Good legs and feet. Moved well. 2. Orean Black Belle. Another nice puppy who showed and moved well.

JB (5). 1. Scotts', Degallo Sure Thing. S/w. Another bitch who excels in foreface and chin. Lovely expression, good ears. Moved well on good strong legs and neat feet. Would like to see her in full coat. 2. Purves', Donallin Dream Girl. 3. Drysdale's, Murieston Shooting Star.

YB. (3). 1. Ritchie's, Murieston Twinkling Star. S/w 14 months old. Good foreface. Plenty of heart room. Would like a better ear carriage. Moved and showed well. 2. Drysdale's, Murieston Shooting Star. 3. Moir and Ritchie's, Murieston Make a Wish.

NB (2). 1. Richie's, Murieston Twinkling Star. 2. Clemwood Foxy Lady.

GB. (4). 1. Nixon's, Japaro Touch the Stars. Another lovely gold/sable/white from this well-known kennel. Nicely moulded foreface, good underjaw, nice eye giving a sweet expression and neat ears. Good neck and topline. Good second thigh. Moved well on good strong legs and neat feet. 2. Orea's, Rambling Rose. Another nice type of bitch. Moved well just preferred the eye of winner. 3. Wilkie's, Avonbank Designed to Dazzle.

PGB. (6). 1. Purves's, Sommerville Magic in Black. Tri colour. Nicely moulded foreface, good ears which she uses. Good neck and topline. Moved and showed well. 2. Main's, Shenachie Lyric of Light. Moved and showed well. Good topline. 3. McSheehy's, Ashkirk Touch of Class.

LB. (4). 1. Smith's, Orea Bootleg Babe. BIS. Well done. A lovely bitch who has style. Good legs, neat feet. Good spring of rib. Very good neck running into good shoulders and topline. Good second thigh. The puppy pushed her hard, nevertheless a worthy BIS. Will follow her career with interest. 2. Ritchie's, Murieston Lady Lucinda. S/w. Moved and showed well. Nice neck and good topline. 3. Wilkie's, Avonbank Wish Upon a Star.

OB (4). 1. Wyper's, Murieston Classic Design. 5 year old gold s/w. Moved and showed well enough to win this class. Good underjaw, neat ears. Good neck and good spring of rib. 2. Ashkirk Ladybird. S/w. Moved and showed well. Good topline which she keeps on the move. 3. Shaw's, Murieston Design By Mishyb at Bluequarry.

VB. (9). 1. Hill's, Ch. Molson Miquila Sunrise. Lovely gold sable and white. Would love to see this bitch in full coat. Well moulded foreface, good chin, neat ears gorgeous shape. Moved well on good strong legs and neat feet. 2. Nixon's, Ch Japaro Designed in Dreams. Another one out of the top drawer. You do not have to ask why they are Champions it is there for you to see. Moved and showed well. Just gave way to a younger bitch. 2. Munro's, Laurelwood Tri Mure.

Sp Op S/W (5). 1. Ritchies', Murieston Designer Girl. Sable and white, moved well. 2 Murieston Shooting Star. 3. Murieston Make a Wish.

Sp Op TRI (6). 1. Smith's, Orea Roses and Guns. Showed and moved well. 2. Laurelwood Tri Mure. Again showed well.

Sp Op B/W BLUE MERLE (1). 1. Main's, Shenachie Flakey Dove.

Sp Op Owned and Bred in Scotland (7). 1. Hill's, Ch Moet Chandon. Another worthy Champion. Well moulded foreface, god underjaw, nice eye giving a sweet expression. Plenty of heartroom. Good topline and well let down hocks. 2. Scott's, Ch Degallo for Real JW. Another worthy Champion, what can one say? They are Champions, just preferred the winner.

Judge - Anne Hassock (Camanna)