WORKING AND PASTORAL BREEDS OF SCOTLAND 5th November 2022

Quite disappointing about size when several youngsters must be approaching 17 inches, presentation on the whole was good. I really had great pleasure in judging them, most heads were a delight and I just adored so many sweet expressions. An extremely pleasurable day.

MPD (4) 1 Miablue The Delegate (Walker), Handsome tri colour, spot on for size and proportions, very easy and sound on the move, scored in neck and topline. So much promise. 2 Lavika Moonlight Storm (Robinson) Very attractive tri colour, just needs time, he has so much to admire even at this tender age. 3 Foxstones Take A Chance On Me (Fisher). PD (2) 1 Afterglow Goldberg (Robertson) Sable dog with the most well balanced, handsome head, sweetest of expressions, dark eye and good ears. A pleasure to go over, lengthy upper arm, on neat, oval feet, and so sound on the move. BP. 2 Foxstones Take A Chance On Me (Fisher) Up to size, light gold sable dog. Loved his head and expression, well put together with good neck and topline.

YD (3) 1 Donallin Running Bear at Egalefalls (Babiak) Tri colour of correct size and proportions. Balanced skull and muzzle with correct stop, well placed ears, used well. Good topline, well angled front and rear in good coat. 2 Cullshelties Lochan Torr (Proctor) Up to size blue merle. Sweet expression from dark, almond eyes. Good length, arched neck. Balanced front and rear angles, Sound rear. 3 Galateus Bohemia Classic at Torriglen (Imp Cze) (Saunders)

PGD (1) 1 Wansvale Amiable (Smee) What a handsome gold sable dog with the sweetest expression, and well placed and used ears. Well laid shoulder with matching upper arm lovely feet. Correct rib, well set tail, sound, well made rear. In good coat.

LD (5) 1 Tooralie's Ocho Rios JW (Walker) Dark gold sable dog, just right for size and impressive in outline with good mane. He has the most beautifully balanced skull and muzzle with just the right stop, beautiful, almond eye and correct ears, quite a thrill then he is a delight to go over with balanced and correctly angulated front and rear, seen in his totally fluid and sound movement. What a pleasure to judge this dog. DCC & BOB. 2 Stiosan Still Game (Proctor) Gold sable dog, spot on for size and balance, loved his head and expression. Good length neck, correct topline, well set tail of good length. Sound, well made rear. 3 Lavika Starlight Salute (Robinson)

OD (9,3) 1 Pitch Perfect at Amethrickeh (Bendelow) Most attractive in size and outline, loved his refined yet masculine head exquisite eye and expression, correct ears with natural tips. Faultless in his conformation, well muscled sound and free a beautiful dog. RCC. 2 Ch Shellamoyed Gold Fever (Fisher) Gold sable with the most handsome head, balanced in skull and muzzle glorious eye shape and placement , quite pleasing to go over and sound both ways, in full coat, looked a picture, pushed the winner hard. 3 Ch/Aus Ch Hartly How About Me for Molson (Imp Aus) (Hill).

MPB (3) 1 Mohnesee Coconut Dream (Hateley) Only 6 and a half months she is super pretty, loved her neck, outline and balance she is really well put together , must have an exciting future. 2 Miablue Snowdrop by Tooralie (Walker) Really sweet expression with those dark, almond eyes in a blue merle jacket. Well proportioned overall with good angles, Only 8 months she has got lots of time. 3 Arcot Take A Moment (Gartland)

PB (6) 1 Lavika Lateca (Robinson) Sable puppy, Spot on for her front and rear conformation, Correct rib and topline. Loved her head, eye and expression. Good length neck, super topline. Well set tail of good length. Stylish on the move and in good coat. 2 Arcot Take A Moment (Gartland) Very pretty sable bitch, settled and sound on the move in this class. She has so much to like and is well built. 3 Jacanshe Pure Love (Bendelow).

JB (2) 1 Sonymer Illusive Gold at Rowancrest (Fisher) Sable bitch, eyecatching, scoring in size, neck, topline and balance. She has a most attractive head, sweet expression and good ears. Good shoulder, lengthy upper arm , good bone and feet. Sound and stylish. Quite exciting. RCC. 2 Bluequarry The One and Only (Shaw) Very pretty sable, not using her ears which spoils the overall impression. She is well made in front , well shaped rib, good topline, well set tail and just the right rear, in good coat.

YB (5) 1 Kiemont Paris Is A Charmer at Bramblecroft (Smith) Sable bitch with an outstanding head, eye shape, colour and placement and good ears. Correctly arched neck super topline and tailset. In full coat. Well placed shoulder with well angulated matching upper arm. Well shaped rib of good depth. Stylish on the move. 2 Shanaburn Strawberry Wine (Brodie & Raithel) Most impressive in size, neck and outline, she was in wonderful condition with fabulous, hard muscle and great second thigh. Really pretty head, super eye and expression. 3 Ellenyorn Elixir (Reekie)

PGB (5) 1 Leterikhills River Lass (Hepburn) Sable girl, divine expression, loved her eye shape, colour and placement. Good flat skull with well placed ears, balanced skull and muzzle with correct stop. A pleasure to go over Quality coat fitted her outline. Sound both ways and very easy mover with good reach and drive. 2 Shanaburn La Ve Esta Belle (Brodie & Raithel) Another beautifully headed sable, loved her expression. And good ears. So similar in type and conformation to the winner but just not that effortless, fluid movement. Totally sound though! 3 Bramblecroft Reeba at Bluequarry (Shaw)

LB (9) 1 Ellenyorn Evita (Elder) Loved her size and proportions, arched neck and good topline topped with the most beautifully balanced flat skull and muzzle, just right in coat with good mane and frill. Spot on front and rear conformation with correct bone and oval feet. Sound and stylish, a real beauty. 2 Mohnesee Enchanted (Hateley) A pleasure to go over with correct angles front and rear, just a shade longer than the winner she has an outstanding head, arched neck and good topline, sweetest of expressions and in great coat. 3 Degallo Blonde Ambition (Forbes).

OB (11,1) 1 Molson Moneypenny (Hill) I thought that she won this class fairly easily, she is a picture standing and so sound on the move. I just fell for her head, glorious eye and expression, well place ear. A coat complimenting her body with good mane and ruff. Her front is well angulated and well placed, has good bone and super, neat oval feet. Correct rib, strong, well made rear and so precise on the move. Quite a delight. BCC. 2 Ellenyorn Echo Falls (Elder, Reekie & Reekie) Super pretty sable bitch, loved her expression and ears. Correct neck, good depth rib, well put together front and rear. In good coat stylish on the move. 3 Smiddyshaw I'll B There for U JW (Clegram & Berry)

Judge - Keith Nathan