

YORKSHIRE SHETLAND SHEEPDOG CLUB Open Show 13th February 2022

Thank you to the committee for inviting me to judge at this well-run friendly show I really enjoyed the day helped by my steward Lynette Welford who did a great job. All the dogs where well-presented how you managed in the rain to keep them so clean is a credit to the owners/handlers. It was so good seeing so many happy dogs enjoying the day. Many thanks to all involved

MPD (1) 1 Miles Milesend Black Tartan Best Puppy Dog. 6-month Tri balanced head for age lovely almond eyes, well used ears. Nice angulations, enough neck leading into a well-balanced body everything in place for his age. Straight front, good oval feet. Well-made which showed in his confident movement.

PD (2,1) 1 Stafford Rannerdale the LadyKiller 11-month sable with a balanced wedge-shaped head, almond eyes and well placed and used ears. Very attentive to handler. Nice length of arched neck balanced body and well held top line. Good feet with straight front. Movement was light and smooth. Surely these 2 youngsters have a bright future so hard to choose between them.

JD (2,1) 1 Officer Balidorn Secret Gold, Well-presented Sable with almond kind eyes, well used ears balanced head, slightly arched neck. Nice top line. Good stifle and straight front. Enough width and depth of chest. Quality coat and well-set tail.

YD (1) 1 Sutherland - Shelcrest Winter Solstice. Shaded Sable who stands so well making the most of himself. Lovely head with good underjaw dark expressive eyes and well placed and used ears. Good reach of neck leading into a level top line, good spring of rib slight slope of croup and well-set tail.

MD (2) 1 Forster Parish Lowick Blueberry. 7-month Blue Merle with a balance head for age, good tan points. Almond kind eyes ears well placed. Adequate neck with slight arch. Nice shape with good tail set. Good feet and straight front. Light on the move with a good top-line. 2 Braddish - Bradmigail Taurai Gold. Such a happy sable boy with lovely coat and condition. Almond eyes and well-placed ears. Good feet and stands well, with a nice overall shape. Well set tail. Was little unsettled on the move, just enjoying himself but moved better in next class as more settled.

ND (1) 1 Braddish Bradmigail Taurai Gold.

GD (4,1) 1 Sutherland Shougies Starmaker. Tri with good colour points. Almond eyes lovely expression but would like a little more fill under, good underjaw. Well placed ears. Good neck with nice arch. Balanced body with good stifle, bone and feet. Well sprung ribs. Good set tail. Moved freely with reach. 2 Fisher Shellamoyed Goldfinch. Super sable in lovely coat and condition. Good head with almond expressive eyes, well placed ears, nice reach of neck overall a lovely shape with a good top line. Good feet and enough bone. Just didn't move as well as 1st. 3 Miles Milesend Kingfisher.

PG (3,1) 1 Hateley Mohnessee Mr Bobbie Black JW. Tri with lovely tan points his black coat is deep black and in beautiful condition. Dark almond eyes well used ears, nice stop. Sweet expression. Arched neck leading into a well-constructed shapely body. Straight front and good rear. Good depth and width of chest. Moved well with a lovely side gait. 2 Varnom Milesend Blue Jeans. As his name suggest a Blue Merle of good clear colour, well-proportioned head with sweet but masculine expression almond eyes, good ears. Nice neck and top line. Slightly sloping croup and good stifle. Well set tail. Stood well though a little out at elbow and not as confident as winner on the move. Lovely temperament.

LD (4,1) 1 Fisher Shellamoyed Gold Fever Reserve Best Dog. Sable with lovely clean head, almond eyes with lovely expression. Rounded muzzle with good underjaw. Well placed and used ears. Good reach of arched neck leading into a well-balanced body complete with level top line. Good angulations, stifle, feet and bone. Straight front. Moved smooth and sound. 2 Walker Tooralies Pie in The Sky. Shaded sable well-presented lovely expression, almond eyes and well used ears. Nice shaped neck balanced angles. Good top line, stifle and croup. Well set tail. Straight front and nice feet. 3 Officer Castlerose A Shropshire Lad JW ShCm

OD (3,1) 1 Stafford Ch Rannerdale Showmaster JW. Best Dog + B.I.S. Handsome sable with balanced head, flat skull, rounded muzzle, well placed use ears, almond expressive eyes. Good underjaw. Neck slightly arched leading into a lovely body shape with good angulations, good depth and width of chest, well sprung ribs. Slight slope of croup. Well set and carried tail. Straight front and rear. Moved smooth and light with little effort. In excellent condition. 2 Goodwin Highbrook Hob Nob JW. Another well-constructed boy in excellent condition. Almond eyes, neat well used ears. Balance head in proportion. Good length of neck. Good shaped body, spring of rib and stifle. Nice bone and lovely feet. Moved with drive but just so positive on the move as 1st

VD (3,1) 1 Clubley Mossvale Frosty Moon Best Veteran Dog. 12-year Blue Merle in excellent coat and condition. Sound well balanced. Well-proportioned head lovely almond eyes. Well placed ears. Firm muscled body. Well arched neck hidden by his profuse coat. Well set tail. Good feet. Such a happy boy who moved

smooth, light with drive. 2 Chalmoor Shades of Gold at Fernfrey JW. Sable with good almond espressivo eyes and well placed and used ears, strong head in proportion. Good croup. Well-built sound mover in good condition.

Special Owners D (1) 1 Clubley Mossvale Frosty Moon.

Breeders Open Bred by Exhibitor Dog (1) 1 Chatterley Silver Coin. Blue Merle with lovely expressive almond eyes, well placed and used ears. Straight front and good feet. Good depth of chest and spring of rib. Overall nice shape. Good topline. Movement steady and clean. Slight slope of croup and well-set tail.

Spec Open Sable & White Dog (1) 1 Gamble Solyric Inaugural Gold JW OSW Sable in great condition coat clean and gleams with health. Nice head with good width of skull. Almond eyes adding to his lovely expression. Well placed ears, nicely arched neck balanced body. Would like a slightly longer tail. Movement neat and light

Spec Open Tri/Black & White/Black & Tan Dog (2,1) 1 Dimmock - Shougies Secret Agent for Fernhill. Another in lovely condition with good tan points. Balanced head with almond expressive eyes well set ears. Good length of neck and balance angles. Good bone, feet and top line.

Spec Open Blue Merle Dog (4) 1 Daniels & Taylor Pepperhill Cruise Control. Clear clean Blue Merle with good tan points in lovely coat and condition. Pleasing and balanced throughout. Correct head proportions. Good feet. Low set tail 2 Clubley Mossvale Frosty Moon. 3 Chatterley Silver Coin.

Mpb (7) 1 Ritchie Jaelis Mystique Obsession + Best Puppy Bitch + BPIS. 1 and 2nd Litter sisters with so very little to separate them. Very pretty with sweet expressions almond eyes and well-set ears. Both had good reach of neck and well-shaped bodies. Neat feet and good fronts, enough croup for age and well-set tails. 1st just had the edge on movement Good luck with them both. 2 Ritchie Jaelis Mystique Reality. 3 Bennett Watchwood Secret Asset.

PB (5,2) 1 Stafford Rannerdale Queen of The Dark. Super Tri with the sweetest expression. Balance head with almond eyes and well used ears. Good length of neck and a balanced body complete with good angulations, well set tail. Neat feet and good bone and front. Moved very light hard choice for Best Puppy. 2 Saunders Tachnamadra Button Moon at Fernfrey. Lovely tri with excellent tan points, lovely head with sweet expression well placed eyes, good underjaw, nice arched neck. Well put together. Neat feet and enough bone Moved well just not so positive as 1st. 3 Fenton - Shannmies Canary Blue.

JB (3,1) 1 Goodwin Rannerdale Honey Bee

Sable elegant girl with good head shape, good underjaw almond expressive eyes. Stands so well and presents a lovely outline. Nice length of neck enough width and depth of chest. Good feet, bone and stifle. Moved well.

YB (1) 1 Miles Milesend Moondancer. Lovely Tri with sweet expression and balanced clean head, correct stop. Almond eyes and well used ears. Nice neck leading into a well-made body. Confident on the move which was light. Happy girl who stands well. Good stifle and croup well set tail.

Maiden Bitch (6,2) 1 Rule Bleatarn Gee Wizz Sable with a rich colour. Refined head with sweet expression, almond eyes well placed ears. Nice construction with straight front and rear. Arched neck leading into level top line. Good depth of chest and turn of stifle. Slope of croup, well set long tail. Moved well. Light and smooth. 2 Ritchie Jaelis Mystique Reality. 3 Stafford Rannerdale Killer Queen.

NB (5,1) 1 Miles -Milesend Goldspun Reserve Best Bitch. Sable with a very sweet expression and well-balanced head almond eyes and well used and placed ears. Good reach of neck with a lovely outline. Straight front, good angulation front and rear. Good depth and width of chest. Moved smooth and easy. Very alert and well presented. 2 Ritchie Jaelis Mystique Obsession. 3 Lewthwaite Rannerdale Not on Your Nelly.

GB (6,2) 1 Mottram Lundecoocks Theres No Limit at Lochkaren (Imp Swe) Lovely condition and balanced throughout. Sweet expression almond eyes and well placed and used ears. Good reach of neck slightly arched. Nice shape with good depth and width of chest, enough turn of stifle, nicely set tail. Good feet. Good smooth movement. 2 Daniels & Taylor Pepperhill Jive Talking. Blue Merle in good coat condition. Correct head with almond eyes, flat skull well used ears- very alert. Well balanced with adequate angles. Well sprung ribs. Move well. 3 Fenton Shannmie Camberwell Beauty.

PG (4,2) 1 Clubley - Mossvale Night Star. Tri with good tan points balanced head with almond eyes and well placed and used ears. Sweet expression. Straight front and rear, nice neck and angulations. Enough width and depth of chest. Good croup with well-set long tail. Level top line which she held on the move. Movement was smooth with drive. 2 Jackson Keycharm Artic Queen with Gordil. Attractive Blue Merle with good head, ears and almond eyes. Very attentive which added to her expression. Enough neck, well ribbed and enough depth and width of chest. Would like tighter elbows. Good angles and straight front Nand neat feet. Well boned. Not as precise on the move as 1st

LB (7,1) 1 Hateley Mohnesee Enchanted – Best Bitch + RBIS + BOS. Beautiful balanced girl with correct wedged shape head, expressive almond eyes, well placed and used ears. Sweetest expression. Rounded muzzle. Arched

neck leading into balanced body with good angulations. Good depth and width of chest, well sprung ribs. Good top line. Loved her excellent outline. Moved with easy and minimum lift of feet. 2 Rowan Degallo Dream Girl at Rowancrest Another sable well made shapely girl. Lovely head balanced with almond eyes and well-placed ears. Good length of neck. Good straight front neat feet. Good top line, good width and depth of chest. Nice angles and turn of stifle. Well set tail moved light and smooth. 3 Clubley Mossvale Sea Pearl.

VB 1 Ritchie Jaelis Mystique Reflection JW Veteran Bitch BVIS Beautiful 7-year-old Sable with such a sweet expression, Balanced head with dark almond eyes, ears well placed and used. Defined stop and good underjaw, rounded muzzle. Arched neck, good depth and width of chest and well sprung ribs. Slight slope of croup with well-set tail. In beautiful coat and condition, moved light smooth. 2 Fenton Shannmies Blue Butterfly. Blue Merle with lovely expression and almond eyes well placed and used ears. Good underjaw. Good neck and nice shape. Happy alert. Nice bone and good feet. 3 Fisher Ch Shellamoyed Simply Gold JW.

Sp owners Bitch (3,1) 1 Clubley Mossvale Blue Star. Very pretty Blue Merle with lovely coat of clear colour. Sweet expression almond eyes and ears well carried and used. Arched neck leading into well laid shoulders, level top line. Neat feet and good pastern's straight front. Alert and attentive. Moved smooth and light. 2 Rule Bleatarn Chantilly Lace. Sable with expressive almond eyes good ears. Nice length and arch of neck in good condition well-muscled. Stand straight in front, nice body shape just not the movement of 1st but very close.

Bred By Exhibitor Bitch (3,1) 1 Clubley Mossvale Night Star. Winner Post Grad. 2 Fenton Shannmie Camberwell Beauty. Shapely Tri with sweet expression almond eyes and well used ears. Good underjaw. Neat feet and adequate angles. Nice turnoff stifle. Good croup with well set tail. Moved neat

Not Bred by Bitch – (3,1) 1 Deveson - Janetstown Je Suis JW ShCm. Sable with lovely head and expression complete with almond eyes and well used ears. Good neck leading into a well-muscled body. Good stifle and croup. In good condition and coat. Very sound on the move 2 Johnson, Jacobs & Johnson Tooralies I Spie with Willowthorn Shaded sable balanced outline, lovely head and expression. Almond eyes well placed ears. Good straight front, feet and turn of stifle, well angulated rear. Moved well though a little proud of her tail.

Special Sable & White Bitch (4,1) 1 Rownan Degallo Dream Girl at Rowancrest. 2 Rule Bleatarn Gee Wizz. 3 Deveson Milesend Sea Pearl.

Spec Tri/Blk & White/Blk & Tan (2) 1 Clubley Mossvale Night Star Winner post grad & bred by 2 - Fenton Shannmie Camberwell Beauty

Special Blue Merle (5) 1 Clubley Mossvale Blue Star. Winner Owners Bitch
2 Fenton Shannmies Canary Blue. 3 Daniels & Taylor Pepperhill Jive Talking

Judge - Karen Angier