

Wessex Border Collie Club Open Show

29th October 2006

Judge: Pat Ward (Starside)

I would like to thank the officers and committee for the invitation to judge this show and the competitors for their entries and the very sporting way they accepted my decisions. I was exceptionally pleased with the quality of both my dog and bitch line up.

Ring Steward: Bill Bradford – the club President

BB & BIS Tunnickliff's Sh Ch Littlethorn Elegance



RBB & RBIS Gregory's Tonkory Femme Fatale



BPIS Anglier's Eyes Of The World Excalibur at Bilyara (imp) NAF TAF



BD Tunnicliff's Sh.Ch. World Ch Littlethorn Continental





MINOR PUPPY DOG (4, 0)

1 Harris' Mobella Sergeant Pepper - 7 months old black faced boy. Beautiful shape with good bone. Moved well. [Very promising](#)

2 Emery's Florauna Timeless - Different shape to 1st. Beautiful head and expression. Correct eye and ear placement. Good shoulder. Not as composed on the move as 1st.

3 Greaves' Mobella Starlight Express

4 Shahmatova's Nashdom Can't Smile Without U

PUPPY DOG (4, 0)

1 Angier's Eyes of the World Excalibur at Bilyara (imp) NAF TAF **BPD BPIS** - 11 month old chocolate and white. Good shape with excellent bone. Very masculine head with correct eye colour for coat. Good shoulder leading to level topline which he kept on the move. Correct croup and tail set. Moved well. [One to watch.](#)

2 Emery's Valecroft Travellers Joy - Very unsettled. Black and white prick eared boy slightly shorter coupled than 1st. Masculine head, correct angulation, excellent bone. Moved erratically.

3 Feber's Wizaland Glenmorangie at Rossbrook

4 Greaves' Mobella Starlight Express

JUNIOR DOG (3, 1)

- 1 Longland's Ghostland Classic Design - 17 month black and white prick eared boy. Good head, bone, topline and correct croup. Needs more weight.
- 2 Bliss and Bridport's Charney Dictamus - 15 month old. Good shape but very erratic on the move.

NOVICE DOG (4, 1)

- 1 Harris' Mobella Sergeant Pepper
- 2 Bromwich's Foxtwist The Drover - Black and white boy. Good shape with masculine head. Kept topline but flew his tail.
- 3 Longland's Ghostland Classic Design

GRADUATE DOG (4, 1)

- 1 Angier and Clarke's Claygar Boots and Saddles at Bilyara JW - Black and white dog in good coat. Good head and eye. Correct angulation fore and aft. Good bone. A little plump.
- 2 Kerr and Angier's Bilyara Mr Mercury - Black faced boy that could easily swap places with 1st on another day. Good shape with a good head having correct eye and ear placement. Again a little overweight.
- 3 Baker's Independence Day

POSTGRADUATE DOG (6, 3)

- 1 Harris' Locheil the Ladiesman at Mobella - Excellently presented black and white dog. Correct shape with a masculine head, dark eye, good ears. Correct shoulder, topline and croup.
- 2 Baker's Arniston Independence Day - Black and white dog. Correct shape but hampered by handler.
- 3 Simmons' Foxbarton The Magician at Charaneta

LIMIT DOG (5, 2)

- 1 Cannon's Valecroft Orlando **RBD** - Very masculine black and white dog. Lovely head with correct ears and eyes. Good shape, with level topline leading to gently sloping croup. Correct tail set. Good angulation fore and aft. Moved well.
- 2 Simmons' Foxbarton The Magician at Charaneta - Different type to 1st but still correct. Beautiful head with kind expression. Moved ok. Lacked coat.
- 3 Dalby's Axermoon Africian Liaison
- 4 Allen's Miraje Tazindy with Lattonwood

OPEN DOG (5, 1)

- 1 Tunnicliff's Sh.Ch. World Ch Littlethorn Continental **BD** - Good head with correct eye and ear placement giving a gentle expression. Good neck leading to correct shoulders and level topline which he kept on the move. Correct gently sloping croup. Correct tail set and length. Correct angulation front and rear. Nice tight feet. All this giving rise to textbook movement. Lack of coat cost him further honours.
- 2 Dalby's Axermoon Imotep - Unfortunate to meet 1st in this class. Black and white dog with a beautiful head. Pretty yet still masculine. Good shoulder and correct croup. Excellent coat. Not fully controlled on move.
- 3 Cannon's Valecroft Colorado
- 4 Good & Lewis' Shemella Black Ice

VETERAN DOG /BITCH (10, 3)

One of my favourite classes

- 1 Tunnicliff's Sh Ch Littlethorn Elegance **BB BIS** - Very dark 10 year old bitch. Very feminine head. Dark eye, correctly placed. Good ear placement. Overall the correct shape, long neck with excellent shoulder angulation, level topline, correctly sloping croup. Well let down hocks. Tail set and length correct. Tight feet. In full coat. Won on movement. Out moved everything else.
- 2 Fisher's Arniston Glamour Puss - 7 ½ year old classically marked black and white bitch. Beautiful presented. Moved well.
- 3 Richards' Mobella My Girl at Knotsway
- 4 Kinton's Kinaway Dances With Dreams
- 5 Good & Lewis' Shemella Silver Lining

MINOR PUPPY BITCH (6, 2)

- 1 Tunnicliff's Littlethorn Sapphire - 7 months old. Correct overall shape. Feminine head with a dark eye. Excellent shoulder angulation, Good coat. Moved with purpose.
- 2 Tiller's Foxbarton Lady Chandon - Very pretty, classically marked 6 month old black and white. Good head and ears, moved well.
- 3 Emery's Florauna Wishful Thinking
- 4 Saxon's Arnpriors Fields Of Gold

PUPPY BITCH (8, 0)

Excellent class some had to go card less. Most will change places throughout their careers.

- 1 Tunnicliff's Littlethorn Jazz **BPB** - 8 months old dark, compact bitch who won this class on movement. Good all round angulation. Well put together.

- 2 Dalby's Axermoon African Scandal - Different type to 1st. Classically marked black and white 9 months old bitch. Kept topline on the move, good bone, pretty head and ears.
- 3 Gregory's Kiss Me Quick
- 4 Cannon's Valecroft Wild Orchid
- 5 Tydeman's Karingal Oops A Daisy

JUNIOR BITCH (6, 4)

- 1 Hartfield's Moshanta Movin On Up JW - Traditionally marked black and white 12 ½ month old. Good head, eyes and ears. Moved well. Lacking coat.
- 2 Cannon's Valecroft Wild Orchid - Bigger girl than 1st but with the correct amount of bone. Good head with correctly placed eyes and ears. Difficult to assess movement. Good topline.
- 3 Ferber's Pegsline Dreamaker at Rossbrook.
- 4 Davis' Rosmarinus Silver Trinket

NOVICE BITCH (7, 2)

- 1 Thompson's Bytchek Elegance - Beautifully presented bitch. Good head with correctly placed dark eyes and small prick ears. Great shape. Didn't disappoint on the move. A little more maturity and she should gain top honours.
- 2 Dalby's Axermoon African Scandal
- 3 Gregory's Tonkory Kiss Me Quick
- 4 Richards' Knottsway Ruby Murray
- 5 Tiller's Foxbarton Lady Chandon

GRADUATE BITCH (4, 1)

- 1 Gregory's Locheil Take Me To Tonkory - Black and white bitch. Heavier type. Good head with correct eye and ear placement. Very good front with good bone. Moved well.
- 2 Fisher's Arniston Winter Dream - Prick eared classically marked black and white bitch. Different type to 1st. Kept topline on the move.
- 3 Kernahan's Charney Wish Upon a Star

POST GRADUATE BITCH (3, 1)

- 1 Kinton's Blessing N Disguise - Top sized black and white bitch but with everything in the correct place and in the right proportion. Moved well. Left clothes at home
- 2 Harland's Moshanta Magic at Midnight - Smaller than 1st. Well put together. Good angulation.

LIMIT BITCH (4, 0)

- 1 Hartfield's Tamarsh Miss You Nights at Moshanta JW SHCM - Nicely put together black and white bitch. Very alert, attentive expression. Good head and shape. Kept topline on the move.
- 2 Tydeman's Karingal Kiri Te Kanawa - Classically marked black and white bitch. Slightly heavier type than 1st. Well constructed. These two could change places anytime.
- 3 Tiller's Foxbarton Lady In Waiting
- 4 Good & Lewis' Shemella Moonlight Shadow

OPEN BITCH (5, 1)

- 1 Gregory's Tonkory Femme Fatale **RBB RBIS** - Classically marked black and white of a heavier type. Very alert and feminine. Good head, with correct eye placement. Good angulation fore and aft. Moved well.
- 2 Angier's Arnpriors Silver Lady for Bilyara - Beautiful blue and white bitch with up and tipped ears. Very lively. Good head correctly place eyes and ears. Good angulation front and back. Lighter than 1st
- 3 Richards' Mobella That's My Girl at Knottsway
- 4 Kinton's Kinaway Scandal In Bohemia

SPECIAL OPEN ANY OTHER COLOUR THAN BLACK AND WHITE (7, 2)

- 1 Ferber's Westirene Chilli Pepper at Rossbrook - Chocolate and white 2 yr old dog. Good head with correct eye and ear placement. Eye colour matches coat colour. Good pigment. Correct shape with good angulation front and rear. Moved well.
- 2 Tydeman's Miraje Forget Me Not at Karingal - Blue and white 4 year old prick eared bitch with a good straight front
- 3 Richard's Knottsway Ruby Murray
- 4 Allen's Miraje Singing The Blues at Lattonwood
- 5 Davis' Rosmarinus Silver Trinket

SPECIAL WORKING OPEN DOG OR BITCH (4, 1)

- 1 Thompson's Wynmallen Justice for Bytchek - 4 ½ year old deep tri prick eared bitch. Lovely shape, good head, moved well.
- 2 Tiller's Foxbarton That's Jazz 5 year old tri - Beautifully schooled.
- 3 Lewis' Shemella Storm Warning