

## Wessex Border Collie Club

### Open Show, 22 September 2019

I herewith want to thank the committee of the Wessex Border Collie Club for having invited me to judge at their open show. And for their warm welcome they have given me. Also a well meant thank you to all exhibitors for their entries and for making me feel very welcome on the day of the show. It was for me a beautiful day and I have enjoyed it , lovely people and their nice quality Border Collies. The weather was not what we would have liked, we did start outside with a well sized ring, unfortunately after a few classes we had to move inside, the ring there was a lot smaller but I have tried to find a way to give each exhibitor the possibility to move their dogs around sufficiently. Thanks for the excellent catering and a huge thank you to my ring steward Mrs Jan Starkey for doing such a good job. And not to forget a huge thank you for the beautiful gift of a set wine glasses at the end. The wine at home taste even better now.

#### Minor Puppy Dog (3)

##### 1 Tambuzi Stryka Blow

Little over 6 months old B/W very promising puppy, looks like there will be a nice future ahead for him.. He has a nice typical head and expression with good ear carriage and uses them well , correct eye shape and color , very attentive , good under jaw and correct bite. strong pigmentation nose, eye rims and lips. Good reach of neck , minor raise in the back but will sure settle when growing up. Tail length correct. Legs nice straight in the front standing parallel when seen from the front , nice feet . Good shoulders well laid, elbow close to the chest which is already well developed for its age. Well angulated in the rear, would prefer a little more bend of stifle might still come when matured. Bone of good size will certainly be ideal when adult . Fluent in movement seen from the side. Tail carried correct on the move. Well handled. Awarded him with Best Puppy in Show.

##### 2 Moshanta May Contain Nuts

6 months old B/W another promising puppy , with certainly a bright future, at the moment in my opinion less matured than 1. He also has the type of head that I like to see in a BC. Good expression , ears a little heavier at the moment , correct eye shape and color, correct bite and good under jaw excellent pigmentation on nose, lips and around the eyes. Excellent reach of neck with a firm top line with good tail set reaching to the hock. For its age enough depth of chest with elbow close to it. Front legs strong and sufficient bone at this age, Good shoulders , excellent angulations front and rear. Smooth and effortless movement for its age however still a little lose front legs. Well handled .

### Puppy Dog (3) (1 Abs)

#### 1 Moshanta May Contain Nuts

Re entry from Minor puppy

#### 2 Falconmoor Puzzle

6 months Tri. Correct head still to develop ,keen expression, good eye color and shape. Correct bite . Ears well set but could have used them better. good reach of neck, good shoulders firm top line for its age, correct tail set. Would like to see a little more straight front legs, depth of chest still to develop. Shoulders little to straight .Would like a little better rear angulations but might come when maturing. Would like more bend of stifle. Still a little weak in pasterns . enough bone .

### Junior Dog (5) (1 Abs)

#### 1 Tidespring Storm Breaker

13 months. A BC type that I like and very similar with the 2nd in this class. Nice type of head , well set ears . Skull and forface approx equal in length. Oval shape eyes well set apart correct color. Good pigmentation . Good under jaw and correct bite. Well laid shoulder , ribs well sprung, excellent reach of neck onto broad shoulders and a firm top line , tail well set . Good front and rear angulations . Good depth of chest. Effortless movement when going through the ring. Correct tail carriage . Stands quiet nice parallel in front and rear. He will be noticed in the ring when more mature. Strong bone . Should be doing well in the future.

#### 2 Arroddare Royal Approval

17 months . Very attractive and typical breed example, equal in quality with the class winner. Excellent head type very keen expression, good eye shape and color , good pigmentation nose, lips . correct bite . Ears well set and used them well . good reach of neck, arched well to strong shoulders nice firm top line, correct tail set. Nice front with straight legs, good depth of chest elbows close to it. Correct rear and excellent rear angulations. Good bend of stifle. strong pasterns nice feet . Lovely outline. Strong bones . Both the class winner and this one pretty much the same in fluent movement. Also one to keep an eye on.

### Yearling Dog (2)

#### 1 Mirage Frozen Again for Hystep

20 months. Nice eye catching B/W . Presented on a loose leash. He is of good size in . Head of good proportions with keen and alert expression, good eye shape and color , ears set well apart and uses them well. Nice reach of neck well arched on to broad shoulders a firm top line and good depth of chest elbow close to it. Good front parallel seen from the front , nice pasterns , correct feet. Good rear angulations . Good bend of stifle. Lovely outline , athletic

in appearance, loins deep but not up. Smooth movement. Nice side movement. My opinion he will catch the judges eye and will be noticed in the future.

## 2 Moshanta Midnight Hour

23 months . Very nice appearance. Has his qualities a dog with certainly a promising future ahead. Correct eye shape and color . I would like to see a little more reach of neck well laid shoulders and level topline I would prefer more bend of stifle. Nice feet .Tail correct carried on the move. He can move smooth but today he was playing.

### Novice Dog (4) (3 Abs)

#### 1 Falconmoor Puzzle

Re entry

#### Graduate Dog (5) (2Abs)

#### 1 Tidespring Storm Breaker

Re entry

#### 2 Moshanta Midnight Hour

Re entry

### Post Graduate Dog (3)

#### 1 Nashdom Putting On The Style JW

2 years B/W dog of excellent quality. Good size .Typical breed example. Good bones. Correct head shape , good eye shape and color , ears set well apart and uses them well. good reach of neck and well arched onto the shoulders, well laid shoulder , firm top line gentle sloop croup en well set on tail. Good front and straight legs parallel seen from the front, good depth of chest , well angulated at the rear good stifles. Nice feet . A nice mover , fluent and effortless , nice side gait .Although the ring inside did not give him the chance to show his ability at its best. Well handled. I gave him Best dog and rewarded him with Res BIS.

#### 2 Tonkory Royale Sh CM

3 years B/W dog of good size , correct head , ears well set and used them well. Correct eye shape and color , well pigmented nose and lips. Good reach of neck , firm top line , tail set correct . Would like a little more shoulder angulations , feels rather straight , good depth of chest elbow close to it. Sufficient rear angulations , standing wide in the rear. Moved well around the ring but sure he could do also better in an outside ring. Well handled.

### Limit Dog (4)

#### 1 Tonkory Talking Point At Tidespring

2 ½ year old dog of excellent quality. Typical breed example. Good bones. Correct head shape , good eye shape and color , ears set well apart and uses them well. good reach of neck and well arched onto the shoulders, well laid shoulder , firm top line gentle sloop croup and well set on tail. Good front and straight legs parallel seen from the front, good depth of chest , well angulated at the rear good stifles. Nice feet . An eye catching breed typical mover , fluent and effortless , nice side gait ability to move with great stealth and speed. Well handled but would like to see him free standing, this dog was one of my favorite ones, came very very close to be my best dog on the day. I awarded him with Res Best dog.

#### 2 Master of Illusion JW

2 ½ year old good size dog , very attractive and good breed representant. Good size head , keen expression , eyes of good shape and color. Well set ears and uses them when needed. Good pigmentation . Good reach of neck onto broad shoulders, firm topline en well set tail. Good front angulations , good depth of chest. Excellent rear angulations and bend of stifle. Good bone . Nice feet. Moved with ease around the ring , tail carriage correct on the move, a dog of excellent quality . Well handled and free standing. Sure will do well in the future.

### Open Dog (2)

#### 1 Sh Ch Simaro James Bond JW (Imp DEU)

Almost 6 years , Nice appearance nice head and expression good pigmentation around eyes and lips, good ears and uses them. Strong neck onto a firm topline good shoulders correct tail set and carriage. Strong rear and well angulated . Front angulations are correct, I would have preferred a little more length in upperarm. Good depth of chest. Elbow tight to chest. Coarse bones I would prefer slightly less coarseness overall. Feet could have been less flat. He moved fluent and that was his advantage over my 2nd in this class .

#### 2 Tonkory Doyle JW Sh CM

7 ½ years old good size dog , very attractive and good breed representant. Good size head , keen expression , eyes of good shape and color. Well set ears and uses them when needed. Good pigmentation . Good reach of neck onto broad shoulders, firm topline en well set tail. Good front angulations , good depth of chest. Good rear angulations and bend of stifle. Good bone . Nice feet. Moved a little unsecure around the ring might been the floor a pity we could not stay outside , tail carriage correct on the move, a dog of good quality . Well handled and free standing. Came close to win the class.

### Veteran Dog (7) (1 Abs)

#### 1 Wildblue It's The Business Sh CM

Little over 10 years , still in excellent condition , and shows he can move even at his age. Dog of correct size with good strong bone not heavy. Head of good proportions keen expression .Correct eye shape and color. Ears well set. Good reach of neck, arched on to shoulders and a good top line. Correct tail set and carried well on the move. Good front angulations , excellent shoulders . Good depth of chest , correct loin not tucked up. Athletic in appearance. Good rear angulations good stifles. Nice feet . Moved extremely fluent and well balanced for his age . Also my winner of Res Best Veteran in Show

## 2 Nashdom Unpredictable

8 Years old of good quality . Correct head proportions , with good eye color and shape, ears set well apart and used them well. Good reach of neck onto broad shoulders firm top line , tail well set and correct carried on the move. Excellent front deep chest. Excellent front angulations and rear angulations . Moves well with good reach and drive. Well handled . He might go on doing well at the shows in the veteran classes.

## Any Other Color but B/W dog

### 1 Foxbarton Wayward Prince

15 months old sable and white of good rich color , good sized dog, attractive head with good eye shape and color , ears well set and uses them well. Good reach of neck and well arched onto shoulders, with a firm top line and good croup with correct tail set. Good shoulders and front angulations , correct depth of chest good loin , well muscled overall. Sufficient rear angulations would like to see a little more bend of stifles. Movement ok but needs more ring training also handler needs more confidence.

### 2 Quories Sweep From Snowmere ( ISDS)RL6

9 years, B/W tri , Keen and alert expression , good size of head , ears well set. Good reach of neck on to a firm top line , drop in the croup , tail well set and carried correct on the move. Well muscled , good depth of chest, good front angulations , straight in stifles, Moderate bones. Neat feet. Shoulders correct. Typical fluent movement. An excellent working type.

## Special Working Dog

### 1 Foxbarton Wayward Prince

Re entry

### 2 Quories Sweep From Snowmere RL6

Re entry

**Best Dog / Res BIS    Nashdom Putting On The Style JW**

**Res Best Dog                Tonkory Talking Point at Tidespring**

**Best Puppy Dog / Best Puppy in Show   Tambuzi Stryka Blow**

### **Bitch Classes**

#### Minor Puppy Bitch (3) (1 Abs)

1 Falconmoor Yani

6 months B/W Tri Nice expression , good pigment , ears well set and uses them. Correct eye and color, moderate stop . Good reach of neck, level topline correct tail set . Depth of chest good for its age will drop more with age. Good chest . Seen from the front straight legs . Good shoulders well angulated. Rear part still not strong tend to stand underneath. Sufficient rear angulations . Nice feet . sufficient bone for age. She will improve when maturing. Moves nice but needs more ring training. Best puppy bitch

2 Falconmoor Spring Melody

B/W 6 months old feminin looking bitch good head proportions, nice eye shape and color. Good reach of neck , level topline , tail well set . Depth of chest ok for its age . Could be a little stronger in the front chest could be a little more developed in front. Tends to stand a little outward on the right leg. Rear still weak hind legs stand outwards and underneath. Sufficient rear angulations . Moves a little unsure around the ring. As 1 she needs ring training. Both 1 and 2 will improve when maturing.

#### Puppy Bitch (4) (1 Abs)

1 Falconmoor Yani

Re entry

2 Falconmoor Spring Melody

Re entry

### Junior Bitch ( 2)

#### 1 Tidespring Summer Love

13 months B/W Lovely young girl, nice feminin head, good eyes and color, correct ear set and carriage. nice reach of neck , good shoulders, in my opinion just a little straight in stifle, she might still change while growing up. nice pigmentation, good topline with still a little over build which will alter in time I think. good croup and tailset and carried well on the move , good movement go and back aswell as seen from the side. Sure she is a promise for the future. Well handled .

#### 2 Dreamwork Collat'ral Beauty

17 months Red Merle lovely in color, pleasing head and expression, Nice feminin looks, correct eye shape and correct for a merle , good underjaw, good reach of neck onto nice shoulders and good topline, tail set correct and carried well on the move. Good angulation front and rear, good depth of chest, good ribs, nice pigmentation. Lovely movement go and back aswell on the side. Well handled

Both juniors were lovely.

### Yearling Bitch (2)

#### 1 Beardsworth Minnie Girl

17 months Nice feminin looks, good head keen expression, correct eye shape and color, nice pigmentation ,good underjaw, good reach of neck onto nice shoulders en good topline, tail set correct and carried good on the move. Good angulation front and rear, good depth of chest, good ribs,. Lovely movement go and back aswell on the side. Promising type.

#### 2 Falconmoor Love Me Do

20 months B/W Tri, Equal quality as my first in this class. Gave her second because needs more ring training in opinion. Nice head and expression, good pigmentation, correct eye shape and color, ears set correct and carried correct. Good reach of neck , good bones, good topline and tail set, good depth of chest. Nice overall appearance. Also promising for the future.

### Novice Bitch (4) (1 Abs)

#### 1 Dreamwork Picture Perfect

17 months Blue Merle Nice type aswell , good quality merle, feminin head correct eyes and shape correct and nice merle patterns and color. Good underjaw, good reach of neck, strong and good shoulders, firm topline, correct tail set,would prefer more tight feet. Good front

and rear angulations. Sufficient bend of stifle. Nice standing . Good movement go and back aswell as seen from the side.

## 2 Florauna The Simple Life

Re entry from puppy class in which she unfortunately did not like to be touched and felt unsecure in the ring. Both me and the handler gave her the time to settle down and with some patience I was able to go over her. I can tell you that she is a lovely good quality bitch and when she will get used to the show ring she will certainly do very well. Lovely type. Nice outline , keen and alert expression. Correct head, correct eye shape and color, good ear set and carriage uses them well, nice reach of neck, good shoulders lovely topline and tail set , tail carried correct on the move. Good front angulations excellent rear angulation , great mover in all directions. My opinion a promising future if she can settle down.

### Graduate Bitch (5) (1 Abs)

#### 1 Tobermoray Godrevy Beach

20 months B/W .Lovely type and mover. Nice quality bitch. Lovely outline , keen and alert expression. Correct head, correct eye shape and color, good ear set and carriage, nice reach of neck, good shoulders lovely topline and tail set , tail carried correct on the move. Sure she will have a promising future . Good front angulations excellent rear angulation , great mover in all directions. One to keep an eye on.

#### 2 Dreamwork Collat'ral Beauty

Re entry

### Post Graduate bitch (1)

#### 1 Nashdom La Vie Est Belle JW

Lovely bitch, nice head and expression, liked her a lot. Good eye shape and color. Good earset and carried. Good reach of neck. Nice topline, good tail set and carried well on the move, her overall look is very eye catching . Good shoulder and front angulation , good rear angulation with nice bend of stifle. Nice feet. Fluent on the move I liked her . Excellent coat condition. Well handled.

### Limit Bitch (7) (1 Abs)

#### 1 Miraje It's Too Darn Hot At Pikara Sh CM

She did catch my eye when came into the ring, this lovely bitch did show overall quality. Loved her expression and she stood like a rock, shown free standing looked lovely and natural with an alert and keen expression. Correct head and expression , correct eye shape and good eye color, good pigmentation nose and lips and around the eyes. Good ear set and



carriage. Good reach of neck well set shoulders, good angulations front and rear, good tailset and tail well carried on the move. Nice feet , well presented free standing , good depth of chest, elbow close to chest. Good reach nice fluent typical movement. She became my best bitch .

#### 2 Arniston Maid Of Honour At Kanamaren

Very nice type , very feminin, good bone , lovely head and expression , good underjaw, correct bite, in good condition , ears well set and carried, used them well. Good reach of neck, firm topline, good croup and tailset , tail carried correct on the move, strong shoulders well placed, good front angulations and rear angulations. Good depth of chest and elbow close to it. Nice feet , lovely paralel and straight front and rear legs. Fluent on the move. Excellent overall type.

#### Open Bitch (3) (1Abs)

##### 1 Moshanta Movin On JW Sh CM ShCEX

Another very nice bitch with some qualities. Nice feminin type, correct head, good eye shape and color. Good underjaw, correct bite. Nice coat condition. Ears well set and used them well. Good reach of neck , strong shoulders well placed , firm topline, good croup and tailset, tail carried well on the move. Good depth of chest. Nice overall appearance. Good mover in all directions. Like her a lot.

##### 2 Sh Ch Starside Sadie of Pendleway

A worthy Champion, Nice B/W feminin bitch alert and good temperament. Free standing nice. Good head and expression, correct eye shape , ears well set and well usedl. Good reach of neck , firm top line, good tail set and carried well, well muscled. Good pigmentations nose, and lips aswell around the eyes. Good front and rear angulations, good depth of chest. Lovely overall outline, nice fluent mover in all directions. Liked her .

#### Veteran Bitch ( 6) (1 Abs)

##### 1 Arniston Spring Sunshine At Kanamaren

Little over 7 years ,B/W Nice size, lovely shape , good condition, nice coat texture, good expression and alert, correct eye shape and color, good ear set and uses them well. Good under jaw. Excellent depth of chest with elbows close . Good reach of neck, strong neck good topline ,correct tail set and carried well on the move. Still well muscled and nice bone. Good front angulations and rear angulations with nice bend of stifle.Nice feet . Still a great mover for her age. Both 1 and 2 did catch my eye immediatly. Lovely type . Found out later that 2 was the dam of my class winner.

## 2 Arniston Perfect Harmony

10 years B/W , lovely sweet expression, nice head and alert ,ears set correct uses them well good eye shape and color. Good reach of neck . Good shoulders well placed, good front angulation and rear angulation with lovely bend of stifle , good depth of chest , still good muscled for its age.Excellent bone. In overall good condition. Nice fluent movement came close with my first for the class win.

### Any Other Colour But B/W Bitch (6) (1 Abs)

#### 1 Hats Off Of Bordertreowe JW (Imp SRB)

Little over 4 years Lovely Blue Merle with good markings. Very nice type , very feminin, good bone , lovely head and expression , good underjaw, correct bite, in good condition , ears well set and carried, used them well. Good reach of neck, firm topline, good croup and tailset , tail carried correct on the move, strong shoulders well placed, good front angulations and rear angulations just prefer a little more bend of stifle. Good depth of chest and elbow close to it. Nice feet , lovely paralel and straight front legs and rear legs. Fluent on the move. Loved to watch her taken around the ring. I awarded her with Res Best Bitch , Best AOC in Show and Best Working in Show.

#### 2 Starside Sunrise

Almost 4, beautiful shaded sable white, deep rich in colour. Another very nice bitch with some qualities. Nice feminin type, correct head, good eye shape and color. Good pigmentation lips and eye rim. Good underjaw. Nice coat condition. Ears well set and used them well. Good reach of neck , strong shoulders well placed , firm topline, good croup and tailset, tail carried well on the move. Good depth of chest. Nice overall appearance. Good mover in all directions.

### Special Working (2)

#### 1 Hats Off Of Bordertreowe JW (Imp SRB)

#### Re entry

#### 2 Quories Dee From Snowmere (ISDS) RL5

B/W , Keen and alert expression , good size feminin head , ears well set. Good reach of neck on to a firm top line , tail well set and carried correct on the move. Well muscled , good depth of chest, good front angulations , Would prefer a little more bend of stifles, Moderate bones. Neat feet. Well laid shoulders. Typical fluent movement. An excellent representative for the working type.

**Best Bitch    Miraje It's Too Darn Hot at Pikara Sh CM**

**Res Best Bitch    Hats Off Of Bordertreowe JW (Imp SRB)**

**Best Puppy Bitch    Falconmoor Yani**

## **Major Awards**

**BEST IN SHOW    Miraje It's Too Darn Hot at Pikara Sh CM**

**RES BEST IN SHOW    Nashdom Putting On The Style**

**BEST PUPPY IN SHOW    Tambuzi Stryka Blow**

**RES BEST PUPPY IN SHOW    Falconmoor Yani**

**BEST VETERAN IN SHOW    Arniston Spring Sunshine At Kanamaren**

**RES BEST VETERAN IN SHOW    Wildblue It's The Business Sh CM**

**BEST WORKING IN SHOW    Hats Off Of Bordertreowe JW (Imp SRB)**

**BEST AOC IN SHOW    Hats Off Of Bordertreowe JW (Imp SRB)**



Best In Show & Reserve Best In Show



Best Puppy In Show & Reserve Best Puppy In Show



Best Veteran In Show & Reserve Best Veteran In Show



Best Working In Show & Best Any Other Colour In Show