## CRITIQUE - BATH CANINE SOCIETY Judge: Mrs L Taylor

**Minor Puppy Dog** (1). **1 Brown's Graygees Gigolo**. Well grown young man, very mature for age. Neat outline showing good reach of neck, balanced angulation, short strong couplings, firm topline and good tail set. Pleasing head, already with good eye colour. Sound and steady on the move. Should do well.

**Puppy Dog** (4). **1 Braine's Grenetrest Canterbury Bell**. Correct sized young dog with strong bone, excellent front and good depth for age. Balance head with kind expression. Needs to firm up on the move, but at only just 9 months has plenty of time. Not in the best of coats at the moment. **2 Szakiel & Steeds' Indiana Steeds**. Litter brother to class winner and very similar. Preferred the angulation and firmer topline on this boy but he was very unsettled today. I think it was his and his owner's first show and he did not want to be handled. Patience and practise will help.

Junior Dog (4,0). 1 Sielski Orchidstar Bonds of Speed. Stylish youngster, well made throughout. Excellent outline showing balanced angulation, super reach of neck, strong topline with well-set tail and correct underline. Moved with drive, precision and flair. Very promising. 2 Knowles, Knowles & Glen's Wilholme Had A Lovely Time with Bessalone. A substantial young dog with excellent bone. Attractive head with lovely expression. Not happy on the stack and consequently not making the best of himself, however, much more confident when moving showing drive and an easy ground covering action. 3 Stopforth's Taftazini Cesar Chance.

## Novice Dog (3,2). 1 Braine's Grenetrest Canterbury Bell.

**Post Graduate Dog** (4,0). **1 Hinchcliff's Goosepoint Gloster Grebe (AI) JW**. What a super young dog. Eye-catching outline with a reachy neck leading into clean well angulated shoulders, level topline and perfect tailset, strong well-developed quarters. Everything fits together so smoothly - deep in chest, short firm couplings and correct underline. This boy combines substance with style and is in no way overdone. Good on the move, holding his shape so well and showing an easy, ground covering action. Should have a very bright future, **Reserve CC. 2 Delaney's Redmires Ticket To The Stars**. Different type but still fits the standard. Smaller build than class winner but so well balanced. A short coupled young dog with good reach of neck, correct front and strong quarters. Particularly liked his head and expression. Moved freely with soundness and style. **3 Cox's Viewforth the Rodders**.

Limit Dog (3). 1 Pitman's Pitwit Noble Opal. Top size for this boy but still balanced and showing quality. Lengthy neck fitting cleanly into good shoulders. Well developed chest and good depth of brisket. Good topline and underline. Lovely outline stacked that he kept on the move. Moved soundly and with purpose. 2 Bennett's Barleyarch Firefly. Compact boy, short and square with good proportions. Really liked his head, expression and eye colour. Correct coat. Sound mover but spoilt by high tail carriage. 3 John's Keigame Jigsaw.

**Open Dog** (8,1). What a great class. **1 Smith & Readon's Sh Ch Winterwell Fowl Play**. A quality dog all through. Super outline, masculine but not overdone, showing balance, strength and substance. Clean neck and shoulders, strong topline, good tailset, rugged quarters. Solid front, deep chest, good bone and neat feet. This boy has super profile movement covering the ground easily showing reach and drive - he could be a little untidy moving away and back to me which nearly cost him in the challenge, but this improved considerably when taken at a slower pace. Pleased to award him the **dog CC**. **2 Brown & Burn's Sh Ch Magregor Threesacrowd at Pothouse JW ShCM**. Another top quality boy. Liked him for size, style & overall conformation and he has a super head & expression and correct harsh coat. A sound mover using his strong quarters to advantage and great to see that he keeps his shape, topline and tailset as he covers the ground. **3 Jones' Sh Ch Barleyarch Dubarry ShCM**.

**Special Beginners Dog** (2). **1 Hayne's Graygees Skyhawk**. Promising young bitch puppy presenting a balanced outline. Liked her for size and type- pleasing head and expression, good front, well ribbed and striking markings. Moved well for her age. **2 Tamblyn's Winterwell Saucebox**. Short coupled young lady with clean outline, good depth of chest and correct front. A little finer all through than class winner and not so settled today, particularly on the move. Good short harsh coat.

**Minor Puppy Bitch** (6,1). **1 Brown's Graygees Fun N' Game**. Quality puppy, very mature for age. Super front, well boned and unlike many today - really neat feet. Good depth and ribbing. Liked her head and expression and general overall conformation. Lovely type and sound on the move. **2 Hayne's Graylees Skyhawk**. **3 Tamblyn's Winterwell Saucebox**.

**Puppy Bitch** (6,1). **1 Izard's Yockletts Cordiale**. Really fell for this puppy. Just right for maturity for her age, lovely balance giving a super outline and with no exaggerations. Lovely head and typical expression. Well made throughout - she has substance but in no way loses her femininity. Sound on the move showing drive and precision. Definitely one for the future - **Best Puppy**. **2 Donovan's Donovarun Summer Breeze**, difficult puppy to assess. On the stack she would insist on roaching her back and totally spoiling her outline, but on the move, it was a different picture as she showed off a strong level topline and her good angulation. Appealed here with her lovely head and expression, good bone, really tight feet and correct harsh coat. Hopefully more ring experience will see her settled. **3 Desombre Braneath Ptarmigan**.

Junior Bitch (6,1). 1 Squire's Taftazini Honour Wynna. Top quality young bitch well developed for age. Beautifully balanced throughout with a clean neck, good angulation fore and aft, well developed chest, good ribbing and depth, strong short back and firm topline with correct tailset. Super head and expressive dark eye. Loved her for type and size, shown in excellent condition - well muscled and with correct short coarse coat. Moved with drive and style. Pleased to award her the bitch CC and later in the day her precise, ground covering movement earned her Best of Breed. Sure she will soon gain her title. 2 Rumney's Kacela Sweet Ayana. Another promising young bitch. Feminine but with substance showing well developed body and firm topline, excellent front, neatest of feet. Appealing head and expression. Good coat and muscle tone. Moved out well. 3 Hughes' Sonnenberg Silver Wraith.

Novice Bitch (2,0). 1 Izard's Yockletts Cordiale. 2 Arkley's Indijazz Show Girl. Sorry, no notes as left the ring immediately.

**Post Graduate Bitch** (5,2). **1 Stammer's Deena Ballettanzer at Lochpoint**. Well balanced bitch presenting an appealing outline. Really lovey head and expression on this girl. Good reach of neck into clean well angulated shoulders. Good ribbing and depth, well developed quarters. Profile movement showed reach and drive but a little untidy coming towards me. **2 Pitman & Heydt's Pitwit Festive Time at Westard**. Honest type of bitch who moved well, driving from strong quarters. Pleasing head and expression, firm topline and good depth. **3 Edward's Kacela Sweet Imani in Jadenco**.

Limit Bitch (8,2). 1 Burford's Pingarypoint Eye Candy JW. Eye-catching outline on this girl. Top size but so well balanced and constructed throughout. Super reach of neck cleanly leading into best of forequarters. Good ribbing and depth. Firm topline and correct tail set. Strong quarters. Sound and stylish on the move covering the ground with minimum effort. 2 Sielski's Orchidstar Xtra O'Live JW. Good overall make and shape. Appealed for size and type. Straight front with good heart room and depth of chest. Good neck and topline and balanced angulation. Correct coat and well muscled - moved well. 3 Thomas & Taylor's Knabynnus Borealis.

**Open Bitch** (4). **1 Elrington's Ch Barleyarch Beetle at Tequesta JW**. Quality bitch, good for size, overall construction and type. Feminine head, good eye colour and with typical expression. Well ribbed with good depth, pleasing angulation fore and aft with well developed second thigh. In excellent muscular condition and with correct short harsh coat. Moved soundly with purpose. **Reserve CC. 2 Trow's Winterwell Inca Trail JW**. Mature bitch with plenty of substance and bone but is still feminine throughout. Correct straight front, well developed chest, firm topline and good tailset. Looked good on the stack and impressed on the move covering the ground effortlessly with her powerful drive. **3 Burford's Pingarypoint Hot Topic**.

Veteran Bitch (1). 1 Pudney's Stairfoot Skye. super balanced outline on this girl. Loved her head and expression. Well made all through with balanced angles, good depth and correct topline and tailset. Moved soundly with drive from well developed quarters. Good coat.