BATH CANINE SOCIETY

Judge: Mrs N Ellis

Thank you to all the sporting exhibitors who supported me and my placings. A lovely breed and the depth of quality in the bitches was stunning. Bodes well for the future of the breed.

Some lovely dogs had to go cardless today, such was the hair splitting decisions I had to make.

Delighted with my placings and eventual CC winners. Thank you to my excellent stewards.

Minor Puppy Dog (3,1). Litter brothers, will swap places many times, I'm sure. **1 Rose's Kavacanne Morgan It Seems**, lovely boy, stood and moved well for a puppy. Scored in head and eye. Good reach of neck into excellent shoulders, best of fronts and depth, sound on the move. **2 Burford's Kavacanne Morgan You Know**, flashier boy, takes your eye. Good profile when stacked and moved well for handler. Excellent hindquarters.

Puppy Dog (1). **1 Brown & Burns' Magregor Threesacrowd at Pothouse**, 11 months old puppy, going into his rangy stage. Good head and eye, good depth and well muscled quarters, good harsh coat. Looked well powering round the ring to take *BP*.

Junior Dog (4). **1 Hamlin's Know No Bounds at Nuash**, striking boy, so sound when moving, good head and eye shape, strong neck, well angled fore and aft, crisp coat and good tail carriage. Full of character. Nice short coupled. **2 Cooke & Hammond's Seasham Super Trouper**, liked this boy, so typy and spanking condition. Most appealing head, shoul. **3 Brown's Pitwit Biddable Sapphire**.

Novice Dog (3). 1 Hamlin's Know No Bounds at Nuash. 2 Wilkinson's Zarozinia Beinn An Oir, presented a lovely shape when stacked and not disappointed when asked to move. Good straight front and depth, coat harsh texture, well muscled. 3 Tudor's Indijazz Xperience at Brocador.

Post Graduate Dog (7). **1 Staley's Keigame Chilli Bean at Jomeel**, compact dog, nicely coupled, good head and dark eye, chest down to elbows, straight front and well muscled quarters, moved out strongly. **2 Hamlin's The Bisto Kid at Nuash**, stylish boy, nice size, stood well with lovely muscled rear quarters. Needs to tighten in front yet. **3 Powell & Tarrant's Malmelsa Romancing Romeo at Pawnic**.

Limit Dog (11). 1 Lisle & Lisle's Barleyarch Rolex, strong dog, masculine head and dark eye, excellent coat and condition, shown to perfection, good depth of chest and hard condition. 2 Whiting's Ranger Two Rodale, stunning boy, most lovely head and kind eye, stacked well and moved soundly, good angles fore and aft. Lost his concentration which cost him the class, another day for him I'm sure. 3 Duncan's Kayacanne Hun Toint Retreve.

Open Dog (7,1). 1 Harris' Am Grand Ch Vjk-myst Goes Like The Wind of Barleyarch, stunning flashy male, most masculine head and clean eye, strong neck into good shoulders, lovely straight front and bone, short coupled, topline kept well on the move, best of coats and well set on tail, stormed round the ring as if he owned it. *DCC & BOB*. 2 Flaherty & Reddyhough's Sh Ch Isara Kurzhaar Wieser, close up, another flashy male with that look at me attitude. Good dark eye, strong compact body, put down to perfection, moved like a train. *RDCC*. 3 Malin's Sh Ch Heathermark Irish at Benrae.

Veteran Dog (3). **1 Adams' Sh Ch Barleyarch Alvar**, quality boy, lovely shape of head and kind eye, best of neck and shoulders, good ribbing and quarters, showed the youngsters how to move, sound as a bell. **2 Potter's Ivoravon Snow Storm**, nice type, good head and expression, moved well, excellent coat, well muscled quarters. **3 Cook & Lamb's Adhemar Break Of Day**.

Minor Puppy Bitch (1). **1 Rusk's Marran's Blue Moon over Booton**, lovely head and expression, still raw yet in her development and movement. Lovely condition and harsh coat.

Puppy Bitch (3,1). Litter sisters, both sound and will probably swap places many times. **1 Scott's Balvenie Buttercup at Alandrapoint**, good feminine head and eye, looked well stacked, nicely proportioned, good coat, nice angles fore and aft. **2 Schoneville's Balvenie Bella**, smaller frame but so well constructed. Good head again and dark eye, nicely coupled, best of quarters, good coat texture.

Junior Bitch (8). 1 Ellis' Soellis Dirty Gertie, lovely compact girl, looked so elegant stacked, best of heads and eye, reachy neck into well laid back shoulders, elbows straight and tight to chest. Lovely tuck up and best of rear muscled, so sound when asked to move. A whisker away from the RCC. Well handled. 2 Roden's High High Jingle Bells at Keigame, close up, lovely girl, such a nice shape, good head and eye shape, presented a lovely picture stacked and moved out well. 3 Smith's Indijazz Young Love at Abbeyaire.

Novice Bitch (6). 1 Roden's High High Jingle Bells at Keigame. 2 Hopkins' Seasham Dancing Queen, got her act together and moved and stacked well. A lovely size and good coat texture, feminine head and expression. 3 Schoneville's Balvenie Bella.

Post Graduate Bitch (9,1). 1 Mould, Bird, Hammond & Cooke's Seasham Indian Sunset over Koolwaters, liked this girls overall conformation, good size, most appealing head, good depth of chest and well muscled, good turn of stifle and harsh coat. Moved soundly fore and aft. 2 Elrington's Barleyarch Beetle at Tequesta, spoilt for choice in this class. Quality girl, shown and moved to perfection. Lovely topline kept well on the move. Good head and neck. 3 Gain & Dixon's Kavacanne A Vimto for Molkara.

Limit Bitch (7). Two lovely girls here, hard to choose in this class. **1 Drew's Cushatlaw Illustrious**, most appealing head and eye, picture book when stacked, well angulated shoulders and ribs, well muscled and in spanking condition. Coat excellent and harsh. At one with handler. **RBCC**. **2 Rose's Kavacanne Blowin A Gale**, close up, most appealing feminine head, good arched neck into correct shoulders, chest nice and deep, lovely compact shape, moved so soundly. **3 Duncan's Kavacanne Gale Storm**.

Open Bitch (7,2). **1 Thurm's Valger Odette**, stunning, elegant girl, nothing overdone, most feminine picture stacked and moved out strongly. Good reach of neck into well laid back shoulders, lovely topline on the move, well muscled quarters and carried tail correctly. Handled to perfection. For the BCC didn't have to look twice to see which was the dog and which was the bitch. A credit to the owners. **BCC. 2 Dawson & Walker's Jolicoem Lalique**, unfortunate to meet 1. A lovely girl, good head and eye, nicely proportioned, good muscles and crisp coat, good depth to rib, very sound. **3 Mould & Bird's Koolwaters Calamity Jane**.

Veteran Bitch (3). **1 Gardiner's Kilnrae Gretel**, loved this old girl, expression just oozed character. Looked lovely stood and moved like a train. Headed a good class of veterans. Very sound. **2 Cotton's Winterwell Miss Tified**, good compact girl, stood and shown well, very sound fore and aft, loved her head. **3 Dawson & Walker's Sh Ch Jolicoem Apache Tear**.