CRITIQUE - BOSTON & DISTRICT CANINE SOCIETY Judge: Mr D Flaherty

I would like to thank the officers and committee for inviting me to judge at their show.

Minor Puppy Dog (4). **1 Earp's Ladyhawke Marmaduke**. Nice head and expression with good angles both fore and aft, moved steadily and will get better with maturity. **2 Knowles & Glen's Wilholme I Gotta Feelin For Bessalone**. A raw baby at the moment which showed today, still showing lots of potential, nice head and well off for bone lost out to one on the move. **3 Pearson's Ladyhawke Sultan**.

Puppy Dog (5). 1 Whiting's Rodale Two Ranger. Very nice head and expression typical for the breed, good shoulders and front assembly, standing over plenty of ground, good tailset, level topline held on the move. *BP.* 2 Mould & Bird's Koolwaters Cream Cracker. Again a nice head and expression, nice amount of bone with a good spring to rib, moved well, played up his handler in this class. 3 Rose & Hunt's Kavacanne Gale Force Wind.

Junior Dog (3). 1 Mould & Bird's Koolwaters Cream Cracker. 2 John's Keigame Jigsaw, Another nice boy, kind expression, nice angles, lost out to 1 on movement. 3 Rose & Hunt's Kavacanne Gale Force Wind.

Graduate Dog (3). 1 Hughes' Sonnenberg Sealion. Good head with the required gentle expression, nice lay of shoulder, good spring to rib, in correct condition which showed when moving. 2 Hamlin's The Bisto Kid At Nuash. A different type to one but still pleasing to the eye, good head and neck, correct coupling. moved OK, will improve as he matures. 3 Dymond's Friarsbelle Marsh Mellow.

Post Graduate Dog (4,1). **1 Roden's Keigame Crown Jewels** JW. Good front with a deep chest, short back but still standing over plenty of ground, good coat and tailset, moved enthusiastically. **2 Rusk's Marran's Lanson At Booton**. Another nice boy, strong in head with a nice gentle expression, good bone, moved well, looked nice when set up. **3 Coackley's Charmorloe Bach's Symphony**.

Limit Dog (13,1). 1 Gatliffe's Allezweck Shamrock. This boy is definitely fit for purpose one of only a handful of exhibits showing true condition which showed on the move, good correct outline with nice angles, good coat, a typical GSP. 2 Thompson's Redmires High Society. Good head with a gentle expression, well laid shoulders leading into good ribbing, another good coat, moved well just lacked the power of the class winner. 3 Schoneville's Balvenie Little Wonder.

Open Dog (7,1). **1 Tulleth, Galloway & Anderson's Alayglow Um Um Raicher**. A strong class, very nice head with the kindest expression, good reach of neck leading into well laid shoulders, good hind quarters with correct angles, very nice movement one of the few exhibits that singled tracked both going away and coming back. *DCC & BOB.* **2 Mann & Roden's Sh Ch Valger Nearco From Keigame** (AI) JW. Another very pleasing dog, masculine displaying power, good lay of shoulder, deep chest, powerful hind quarters another dog in great condition which showed with a driving movement, pushed hard for top honours. *RDCC.* **3 Tait's Benboee Bachata** JW.

Veteran Dog or Bitch (5,1). 1 Cook & Lamb's Adhemar Break Of Day ShCM. A compact dog with a very nice head and expression, good shoulders, nice rear action on the move and won the class with correct single tracking movement. 2 Smith's Jennaline Hugh Dunnit ShCM. Good bone, good spring to rib, nice condition, good rear angles, shows off well when stacked, Just lost out to 1 on the move today. 3 Prior's Booton Marrietta Of Whinchat.

Good Citizen Dog Scheme Dog or Bitch (4,1). 1 Rusk's Booton Snowman. 2 Hamlin's Mercury Seeker at Nuash. 3 Beverley's Vinitas Lil Miss Jenni Jai.

Minor Puppy Bitch (4). 1 Knowles & Glen's Wilholme Sharp N Smart At Bessalone. A pleasing outline, with good reach of neck, nice topline, good tailset, nice rear angles, moved well. 2 Hinchliff's Goosepoint Eiderdown. Nice head with a pleasing expression, good lay of shoulders, a little overweight today which showed on the move, this bitch will improve with age. 3 Town & Lay's Indijazz Wild Child.

Puppy Bitch (6). 1 Galloway & Anderson's Alayglow Hasina. Lovely typical head, good reach of neck leading into good shoulders and well sprung ribs. Nice rear action on the move, in good condition. 2 Rose's Kavacanne Blowin A Gale. Another nice bitch with a good topline and tailset, nice tight feet, just lost out to 1 on reach of neck. 3 Hinchliff's Goosepoint Eiderdown.

Junior Bitch (7,1). 1 Mann's Valger Phoebe. Very nice head and gentle expression, good lay of shoulder, nice tailset. Good rear angles, level topline held on the move. 2 Brown's Barleyarch Tigernut At Graygees. Pleasing in profile, with good angles front and rear, nice tight feet, good coat, in good condition, very close to class winner. 3 Harris' Barleyarch Peanut.

Graduate Bitch (11,1). 1 Mann's Valger Phoebe. 2 Brown's Barleyarch Tigernut At Graygees. 3 Harris' Barleyarch Peanut.

Post Graduate Bitch (6). 1 Lockett's Winterwell Bobbie Dazzler Of Fayemm. A very nice bitch with a lovely head, good reach of neck, nice topline held on the move, a very pleasing bitch in many ways should have a successful future. 2 Rusk's Booton Yvette. A nice head and good lay of shoulder, good front, nice feet, good coat, would just have liked a little more enthusiasm on the move. 3 Hinchliff's Goosepoint Beluga.

Limit Bitch (10,2). 1 Tait's Benboee Bordeaux JW. A very much under rated bitch, showed in good condition with the best of heads and expression, good bone, nice topline and tailset. Won the class on movement with both reach and drive with single tracking away and back. 2 Town & Lay's Indijazz Truly Scumptious. Nice head with a kind expression, good shoulders, nice coat, good rear angles movement was not as bold as 1 will improve as she matures. 3 Schoneville's Balvenie Midnight Rambler.

Open Bitch (12,4). **1 Halbert's Valger Odessa At Marimay**. A typical GSP such a lovely head with pleasing eye giving a gentle expression, good reach of neck leading into strong well laid shoulders. Good harsh coat, nice topline and tailset held on the move, good rear with nice condition giving her a good driving action. *BCC.* **2 Harris' Sh Ch Barleyarch Piper**. Another typical GSP shown in lovely condition. Nice head and eye, good shoulders, good spring to rib, very nice rear angles, good coat, moved with purpose. **RBCC. 3 Rose, Morris & Evans' Sh Ch Kavacanne Toff Act To Follow**.