

CRITIQUE - MANCHESTER DOG SHOW SOCIETY

Judge: Mrs B Halbert

My first appointment to give CC's and I would like to thank Manchester Society for inviting me to judge. I had a lovely day and wish to also thank all the exhibitors who brought their dogs to the show, particularly in view of the awful weather. I would also like to thank my excellent stewards, who were so pleasant and efficient and ensured everything went smoothly. I was pleased with my winners and in some classes it was a difficult task to choose due to the quality of the exhibits.

Minor Puppy Dog (7,1). **1 Sielski's Orchidstar Bonds Of Speed.** 7 month old, liver and white dog, quite eyecatching stacked with clean cut outline, good head, long neck into well laid shoulders, short back, with good topline, second thigh evident, nice rear angulation, compact feet, good coat, kept his topline on the move. **BP. 2 Stopforth's Taftazini Cesar Chance.** 8 month old liver and white ticked, lovely clean cut head with good length of muzzle, broad skull, well filled in chest, strong neck into well laid shoulders, forelegs straight, moderate angulation at rear. Moved well. **3 Pingault's Taftazini Aiden Abbett.** Litter brother to second, looks like a nice litter.

Puppy Dog (5). **1 Stopforth's Taftazini Cesar Chance.** **2 Knowles & Glen's Wilholme Had A Lovely Time With Bessalone.** 10 month old liver and white, masculine head, dark eye, good ear set, short back, deep chest to elbow, good topline and second thigh, compact feet with well arched toes. **3 Dockwray's Yockletts Solstice.**

Junior Dog (5,1). **1 Cox's Ceilloch Merlot By Cushatlaw.** 16 month liver and white, lovely head, with good length of muzzle, long muscular neck, straight front, good lay of shoulder, elbows well laid back, deep chest, short back, strong thigh, good rear angulation with correct hocks, compact feet. Good coat. Moved well. **2 Hinchliff's Goosepoint Gloster Grebe (AI) JW.** 15 month liver and white ticked, another lovely specimen. Good clean cut broad head, dark eye, long, muscular neck flowing into well laid shoulders, forechest evident, well sprung rib, short back, compact feet, strong muscled second thigh, lovely rear angulation, moved well. **3 Staley's Jomeel Monkey Wrench At Nuash.**

Post Graduate Dog (5,2). **1 Delaney's Redmires Ticket To The Stars JW.** Liver and white, dark eye, clean cut skull, good earset, long muscular neck into good shoulder placement, forechest evident, straight front, short back, good topline and rear angulation, moved well. **2 Thomas' Brainscroft Tahiti.** Liver and white ticked, slightly longer than first but not overdone. Nice clean outline when stacked, good head, straight front moderate rear angulation, compact spoon shaped feet, kept topline on the move. **3 Woolley's Fayemm Get Ready For Duns.**

Limit Dog (4,1). **1 Staley's Keigame Chilli Bean At Jomeel.** Nice head, good length of neck into well laid shoulders, short back, good rear angulation, moved well and kept topline throughout. **2 Trow & Jowsey's Winterwell Mr Hobbs.** Liver and white dog, very smart with clean cut lines, lovely head and expression, long muscular neck, into well laid shoulders, good topline, and length of rib, strong thigh with well bent rear angulation. **3 Jackman's Navigreamor Hardtoport.**

Open Dog (5). **1 Brown & Burns' Sh Ch Magregor Threesacrowd At Pothouse JW ShCM.** Very, smart, compact short backed liver and white ticked dog, with pleasing lines, masculine broad head with good expression, dark eye, well proportioned front construction, forechest evident from side view, deep chest, elbows well laid back, moved true keeping topline. **DCC. 2 Thurm's Sh Ch Bryburn Bacchus JW.** Another lovely dog, beautiful head, dark eye, straight front with good infill, deep chest to elbow, kept topline on the move, good rear angulation, compact feet, not overdone in any way. **3 Smith's Sh Ch Winterwell Fowl Play.**

Veteran Dog (1). **1 Rose & Gaffney's Sh Ch & Dutch Ch Kavacanne Toff At The Top JW ShCM.** 9 year old dog. Always admired this dog, lovely expression with clean cut head, correct earset, long well muscled neck into well laid shoulders, short back, slightly arched loin, good rear angulation and second thigh. Tight compact feet. Moved with ease with long front extension.

Minor Puppy Bitch (10,2). **1 Izard's Yockletts Cordiale.** Just 6 months, liver and white, a most feminine bitch sweet expression with the makings of a good head and length of muzzle which can only get better. Nice neck, good lay of shoulder and forechest, short back and rear angulation, very well behaved for such a baby and moved well. **2 Whittaker's Pingarypoint Hot To Trot.** 7 month old liver and white. Good shape to head and sweet expression, dark eye, good length of neck and lay of shoulder, good topline. Of course both first and second need to mature but would expect they both have a bright future. **3 Brightwell's Pingarypoint Hot Chocolate.**

Puppy Bitch (12,1). **1 Burford's Pingarpoint Legolicious.** 11 month old liver and white ticked. Beautiful stacked, with clean cut lines, good head and feminine expression, correct earset, good length of neck good front construction, straight front, short back nice curves at stifle, with second thigh evident, into good angulation and hock at rear. Moved really well, true and with drive. **2 Whittaker's Pingarypoint Hot To Trot.** **3 Knowles & Glen's Wilholme Agnes Brown At Bessalone.**

Junior Bitch (9,3). **1 Rose's Kavacanne Fraggie Rock.** A lovely bitch who I have admired from ringside in the past. Lovely head, elegant length of neck, good lay of shoulder, straight front, deep chest and forechest evident, short back, excellent rear angulation, stood beautifully and moved well and true. **2 Burford's Pingarpoint Legolicious.** **3 Whittaker's Pingarypoint Hot To Trot.**

Post Graduate Bitch (9,3). **1 Rose & Gaffney's Kavacanne Vixen JW.** Lovely liver and white ticked bitch, beautiful clean cut head of correct shape with dark eye, long slightly arched neck into sloping shoulders and correct return of upper arm. Deep chest and well filled in forechest, good length of rib to gentle tuck up of loin. Good topline with croup sloping gently to tail. Strong thigh with well bent stifles. Excellent angulation at rear with hocks square with body. Compact feet. She moved around the ring with an effortless gait with long easy front extension and drive from rear. Pleased to award her the **BCC & BOB** and delighted she was shortlisted in the Group. **2 Malin's Keigame Murphlette At Benrae.** Liver and white ticked, good head with a lovely length of muzzle, well muscled long neck into correct lay of shoulder, deep chest to elbow but with enough room for movement of upper arm. Good length of rib in proportion to loin. Good angulation at rear, moved well. **3 Stammer's Deena Ballettanzer At Lochpointer.**

Limit Bitch (12,2). **1 Ellis' Soellis Fannie Annie JW.** Another lovely feminine bitch. Beautiful head, dark eye, good length of muzzle, gorgeous long neck into excellent lay of shoulders, deep chest, short back, topline flowing from shoulder to croup, where gently slopes to tailset. Good rear angulation and second thigh. Moved true fore and aft. A lovely picture. **2 Stewart & Currie's Winterwell Dominique At Levagrad.** Liver and white ticked. I have judged this bitch before and she never fails to disappoint. Beautiful head with lovely expression, dark eye. Good length of muzzle and but not overdone. Strong, long, muscular neck into correct lay of shoulder, straight front, short back. Slight rise over loin to correct tailset completing a good topline. Correct amount of rear angulation. Moved true. **3 Hudson-Smith's Teverlarni Tapuaenuku.**

Open Bitch (9,2). **1 Cox's Cushatlaw Irresistable JW Sh Ch.** Beautiful head with dark eye, correct amount of foreface with a most feminine expression. Lovely long neck into well laid shoulder construction, good forechest with correct infill from front. Good length of rib and tailset comes gently from croup. Good rear angulation and compact feet. Moved true fore and aft. **RBCC. 2 Harris' Sh Ch Barleyarch Playtime (AI) JW.** Very feminine, clean cut, appealing head with dark eye and lips falling gently away from nose. Correct earset, long neck into good lay of shoulder, forechest evident, forelegs straight and elbows well laid back, correct slightly sloping pasterns. Firm back, loin wide and slightly arched to croup, then sloping gently to tail. Compact feet with well arched toes. Well bent stifles and good rear angulation. Good coat in gleaming condition. **3 Trow's Sh Ch Winterwell Inca Trail JW.**

Veteran Bitch (2). **1 Glen & Shields' Wilholme Saucy Brown JW.** 8 year old bitch with nice head and gentle expression, good length of muzzle, long neck into good lay of shoulder, straight front, short back, good length of rib in proportion to loin, good rear angulation, moved well keeping topline throughout. **2 Rose & Rose's Sh Ch NI Ch Kavacanne Toff Talk JW.** 9 year old liver and white bitch, nice head with broad skull, but not overdone, Good lay of shoulder and deep chest, straight forelegs, correct topline lovely rear angulation. Neither of these bitches showing their age.