## CRITIQUE – MANCHESTER DOG SHOW SOCIETY Judge: Mrs G F Simpson

Minor Puppy Dog (3). 1 Schoneville's Balvenie Double Diamond. I liked this pups very typical outline, athletic, short backed but standing over plenty of ground. Balanced head, kind intelligent expression. Moderately long muscular neck flowing in to good shoulders. Deep well sprung ribs reaching well back to short strong loin. Hips wide and well-muscled hind quarters, low hocks which he used to give him an easy ground covering stride. Sound from all angles. Good coarse coat and the best feet in the class. I liked him a lot. 2 Hayes' Jhebron's Jeno Via Elfrindew. Good headed pup with well-set ears, dark eye giving good expression. Well laid shoulder and return of upper arm, good bone. Well sprung ribs and strong loin. Moderate hind quarters with easy effortless movement. 3 Roberts' Perrazi Silver Laird.

Puppy Dog (3). 1 Schoneville's Balvenie Double Diamond. 2 Smith & Reardon's Winterwell Maida Stone. A very mature solid liver dog. Balanced head, good eyes, and ears. Long muscular neck. Well-made front and rear with excellent feet and moderate hind angulation. Very deep in chest, short strong loin. Good coat. Just preferred the outline of 1 on the move. **3 Pocock & Thomas' Fayemm Sea the Stars**.

Junior Dog (4,1). 1 Mann's Valger Ragnar JW. Very typical outline, he could only be a GSP. Balanced attractive head, good intelligent expression. Moderate neck well-muscled. Well-constructed front and rear. Good feet. Well sprung ribs reaching well back to strong short loin. Moved easily in profile covering plenty of ground. 2 Pocock & Thomas' Fayemm Sea the Stars. Similar in type to 1 but just not happy on the move which spoilt his outline. I'm sure with time his confidence will come. 3 Rose & Hunt's Pingarypoint Top Secret at Kavacanne JW.

**Post Graduate Dog** (3). **1 Arrowsmith's Fleetapple Fergus**. Very typey dog. Moderate all through, good size and stands over plenty of ground. Good head and expression, flat ears. Well-constructed front and rear giving a balanced outline. Short strong loin. Good feet and coat. Well-muscled hind quarters without excess. Easy sound mover. **2 Pingault's Taftazini Aiden Abbett**. Good head, strong neck, leading to well-made front assembly. Good feet and bone. Deep ribcage. Short strong loin to well-made wide hindquarters. A little erratic on the move but covers the ground well. **3 Coe's Goosepoint Waddington At Abbanash (AI). JW** 

Limit Dog (4). 1 Stopforth's Taftazini Cesar Chance with Serenymor JW. Good general outline. Head is balanced with soft intelligent expression. Long neck line joining smoothly to well laid shoulder and upper arm. Good rib cage leading to short loin. Moderate hind quarters and low hocks. Good bone and feet. Moved very well and easy stride. Coat OK 2 Pocock & Thomas' Fayemm Sea the Stars. 3 Woolley's Fayemm Get Ready For Dunsa CDex UDex Wdex.

Open Dog (9). 1 Hinchliff's Ch Goosepoint Gloster Grebe (Al) JW. Headed an interesting class. I preferred his neckline and coarse coat to 2. Pleasing noble head, clean cheeks, intelligent eye, long muscular neck leading to well laid back shoulders. Deep long ribs to strong short loin. Moderate hindquarters but stands over plenty of ground. Well-muscled but no sign of coarseness. Very true on the move with a positive easy stride. CC. 2 Brown's Graygees Gigolo JW. Moderate appealing dog, with nothing exaggerated. Intelligent expression. Good construction front and rear, good spring of ribs. Well-muscled. Very sound easy mover. RCC. 3 Staley's Jomeel Monkey Wrench. 4 Smith & Reardon's Sh Ch Winterwell Fowl Play. 5 Bennett & Slimak's Sh Ch Barleyarch Firefly.

Veteran Dog (1). 1 Tierney's Puddledub Pyjama. 7 year old, appeals in head. Muscular long neck, good lay of shoulder and correct bone. Well sprung long rib cage. Moderate hindquarters. Moved freely.

Minor Puppy Bitch (8,1). 1 Harris' Barleyarch Pakora. I liked this pup's typey outline. Sweet soft attractive head, good ears, long, slightly arched, neck. Balanced construction front and rear. Well sprung deep ribs, short back, lovely low hocks which she used to move with drive and power and kept a level top line. 2 Hinchliff's Goosepoint Gambler. Another I really liked but not as balanced as 1 on the day. She was a joy to watch moving, really covered the ground so easily and soundly from all angles. Good head and neck, well sprung ribs and the best of coats. Good construction front and rear. I will watch both of these pups with interest. 3 Sielski's Orchidstar Jenga. 4 Godfrey's Ladyhawke Tauranga Bay. 5 Jackman's Balvenie Dressed to Thrill via Navigareamor.

Puppy Bitch (13,2). 1 Trow & Jowsey's Winterwell Stoney Trail. Some very promising pups in this class. I liked both of these two and enjoyed splitting hairs to make my placings. This bitch has a very classy outline, sweetest of heads, balanced with a soft expression. Scores in neck, well-made front and rear with low hocks. Well sprung rib cage and short muscular loin. Easy positive confident movement. 2 Lockett Fayemm Forever Together. Very close to 1 but just not as happy on the move. Balanced head, good long neck. Well-made front and rear. Very well sprung ribs, a little longer in loin than 1 but she also has lovely low hocks. Moved very soundly but she just needs to have a bit more Umph. 3 Hinchliff's Goosepoint Gambler. 4 Mcllwaine's Winterwell Steppin Stones to Benoveor. 5 Delaney's Archerpoint Sea The Stars at Redmires.

Junior Bitch (9,3). 1 Staley's Jomeel Naughtylicious. Solid liver moderate bitch. Good outline. Best head in the class with pleasing expression. Well-muscled neck leading to well laid shoulders and good return of upper arm. Deep well sprung rib cage. Well-made hind quarters with low hocks. Good bone and feet. Sound easy mover. 2 Staley's Jomeel Now I'm Here. Taller bitch of similar type. Good head and expression. Well-made front and rear and moved well. 3 Serpa & Peters' Winterwell Piha At Pontopresa. 4 Sielski's Orchidstar Okey Dokey. 5 Barker's Valger Rapunzel.

Post Graduate Bitch (4,2). 1 Barker's Radstorm Legal Eagle At Barkersdream JW. Liked her outline, balanced head and good long neck, well laid shoulders. Good spring of ribs, leading to short loin. Moderate hind quarters. Very sound coming and going. 2 Slack's Pingarypoint Legolustrous. Pleasing in head, good length of neck and lay of shoulder. Good sweep of hindquarters to stand over plenty of ground. Easy ground covering profile movement.

Limit Bitch (14,3). 1 Roden, & Mann's Jacofraze Desire From Keigame. I really fell for this bitch and can't believe she is still in limit. Medium sized, bang in the middle of the standard. Attractive balanced head, dark eye, sweet expression. Clean long neck flowing into well laid shoulder. Deep long ribcage but short loin. Well-made front and rear which really showed in her grand ground covering movement. One I could have watched moving all day. RCC. 2 Pearson's Ladyhawke Dizzy Miss Lizzy. Pressed 1 hard, looked smashing stood. Well made all through, deep well sprung ribs and short body, well-muscled moderate hind quarters. Sound on the move but just not as positive in profile. 3 Elrington's Barleyarch Dorito At Tequesta JW. 4 Blay's Barleyarch Skye At Longbarrow (AI). 5 Mann's Elfrindew Lacey To Valger JW.

Open Bitch (6,1). 1 Trow's Ch Winterwell Inca Trail JW. Just loved this bitch from the first time she was stacked. She flows from her nose to tail, graceful and noble but powerful. My notes say balanced and elegant, just gorgeous. Her head is beautiful, snooty, aloof, but friendly, long neck, well laid shoulder and good return of upper arm. Deep rib cage going well back to strong short loin. Moderate well-muscled hind quarters. Her movement was sound, easy and ground covering holding a level top line. CC & BOB. 2 Harris' Sh Ch Barleyarch Playtime (AI) JW. Presents a lovely picture, classy outline. Good head and expression. Well-made front and rear. Well sprung ribs reaching well back to short loin. Strong hind quarters with low hocks. Moved soundly up and down and covered the ground easily. Good coat. 3 Schoneville's Balvenie Bella JW. 4 Tierney's Ceilloch Crimson. 5 Stewart, & Currie's Int Sh Ch Winterwell Dominique At Levagrad ShCM.

Veteran Bitch (3,1). 1 Pearson's Ladyhawke California Star JW. 8 year old presenting a good outline. Balanced head with good expression, moderate neck. Well laid shoulder and good upper arm. Good bone and tight feet. Well sprung ribs and short body with strong loin. Moderate hind quarters and moved soundly. 2 Schoneville's Balvenie Midnight Rambler ShCM. This bitch can really motor round the ring. Good head and moderate construction front and rear, preferred the shorter body of 1.