CRITIQUE - NATIONAL GUNDOG SOCIETY

Judge: Mr R Mann

Veteran Dog (4,1). **1 Adams' Sh Ch Barleyarch Alvar**, 7 years dog of excellent breed type. Masculine head, dark eye, well set ears. Arched neck, good front assembly. Firm topline held on the move. Uses his powerful rearquarters well on the move. **BV. 2 Brown's Montalba Maurice**, 8 years dog with a noble head. He has a good topline and correct tailset. Shown in good condition. Moved well. **3 Mould & Bird's Sh Ch Koolwaters Accolade**.

Minor Puppy Dog (1). **1 Hamlin's Know No Bounds at Nuash**, 6 months puppy, appealing head with well-set ears. Firm topline with correct tailset. Stands on good legs and feet. Moved OK.

Puppy Dog (5). 1 Hawksby's Benboee Beguiling at Delahawk, 11 months puppy maturing on the right lines. Good head proportions with dark eye. Strong neck into good shoulders. Deep chest, good length of rib, short loin. Well angulated all through. Moved well. 2 Court's Ballyheige Burretiokentia, 11 months puppy with a good head, correct length of muzzle and earset. Stands on good legs and tight feet. Not as together on the move as winner. 3 Brown & Davies' Gamebourne Dark Indulgence.

Junior Dog (7). **1 Whiting's Ranger Two Rodale**, 16 months dog with quality. Masculine head with dark eye. Arched neck leads to well placed shoulders. Correct angulation all through. Good spring of rib which reach well back. Deep loin. Stands on good bone and feet. Sound mover. One to watch as he matures. **2 Hawksby's Benboee Beguiling at Delahawk**. **3 Pearson's Ladyhawke Sultan**.

Novice Dog (5). 1 Hawksby's Benboee Beguiling at Delahawk. 2 Scott's Starry Midnight, good head, strong neck, well angulated all through. Deep chest, firm topline with correct tailset. Moved well. 3 Rose & Hunt's Kavacanne Gale Force Wind.

Graduate Dog (8,1). 1 Mould & Bird's Koolwaters Cream Cracker, masculine head, well set on arched neck. Presents a balanced picture. Deep chest, good spring of rib. Uses his well-muscled rearquarters to good effect on the move. 2 Pearson's Ladyhawke Sultan, flashy dog with a lovely masculine head. Strong neck, deep chest, good spring of rib. Firm level topline. Shown in good muscular condition. 3 Dymond's Friarsbelle Marsh Mellow.

Post Graduate Dog (4). **1 Rusk's Marran's Lanson at Booton**, good head with correct earset and balanced proportions. Firm topline held on the move. Deep chest, ribs reach well back. Stands on good legs and feet. Moved well. **2 Hughes' Sonnenberg Sealion**, masculine dog well up to size. Firm topline, correct tailset. Well angulated all through with good width of second thigh. Moved well. **3 Harwood's Barleyarch Thruppence**.

Limit Dog (12,2). 1 Ellis' Indijazz Originale at Soellis, solid liver dog of real quality. Very good head with dark eye. Strong arched neck leads to well placed shoulders. Firm short back, good spring of rib. Short coupled with correct tailset. Good width of second thigh, bone and tight feet. Correct harsh coat. Moved with drive. *RDCC*. 2 Malin's Heathermark Irish at Benrae, b/w dog with masculine head. Well placed shoulders, firm topline held on the move. Correct angulation all through. Moved well. 3 Cooke & Hammond's Seasham Jumpin Jack Flash.

Open Dog (8). 1 Tulleth, Galloway & Anderson's Alayglow Um Um Raicher, headed a good class. Lovely masculine head with dark eyes. Arched neck flows into well placed shoulders. Well angulated all through with good depth of chest and spring of rib. Deep loin and correct tailset. Presented in good muscular condition with correct harsh coat. Moved out well on a smooth even stride. Pleased to award his crowning *DCC* with *BOB* and watch him take BIS. 2 Smillie's Sh Ch Oakberrow Wotzinaname, masculine dog with a good head. Lovely arched neck. Well made front quarters. Stands on good bone and tight feet. Firm topline with correct tailset. Uses his muscular rearquarters to good effect on the movel. 3 Rose & Gaffney's Sh Ch & Dutch Ch Kavacanne Toff At The Top.

Good Citizens Dog (2,1). 1 Rusk's Booton Snowman, lovely masculine head, well angulated all through. Firm topline, correct tailset. Good bone and feet. Moved OK.

Veteran Bitch (3,2). **1 Brown's Montalba Millie Chillum**, 8 years bitch with feminine head of good proportions. Good front assembly and forechest. Firm topline, ribs reach well back. Muscled hindquarters used to good effect on the move.

Minor Puppy Bitch (6,1). 1 Ellis' Soellis Dirty Gertie, very pleasing 7 months puppy. Has a lovely feminine head well set on neck leading to close bladed shoulders. Well angulated all through. Good depth of chest, ribs reach well back. Lovely firm topline with correct tailset held on the move. Harsh coat finishes the picture. Moved well, 2 Chandler's Koolwaters Ritz, just 6 months, has a good head and reach of neck. Well laid shoulders and correct angulation all through. Good coat. Moved well. 3 Roden's High High Jingle Bells at Keigame.

Puppy Bitch (8,1). **1 Drew's Cushatlaw Illustrious**, loved this 10 months puppy, so full of breed type. Beautiful head with dark eye. Arched neck leads to well placed shoulders. Well angulated all through. She presents a balanced outline stacked and retains her shape moving round the ring on an effortless stride. Mature enough to be awarded **RBCC & BP. 2 Cox's Cushatlaw Irresistable**, sister to winner and the same remarks apply, just not as mature at this stage. Another lovely puppy. **3 Elrington's Barleyarch Beetle at Tequesta**.

Junior Bitch (8,1). 1 Drew's Cushatlaw Illustrious. 2 Cox's Cushatlaw Irresistable. 3 Knowles & Glen's Wilholme Sharp N Smart at Bessalone.

Novice Bitch (5,1). **1 Hallam's Peersofdale's Ranging Girl to Redic**, 17 months bitch with good head. Good front assembly. Ribs reach well back, good depth of loin. Nice turn of stifle. Moved well. **2 Gardiner's Malmelsa Flirty Fleuri**, 10 months bitch carrying a bit too much weight. She has a good head and is well angulated all through. Coat is harsh and she moved soundly. **3 Hinchliff's Goosepoint Eiderdown**.

Graduate Bitch (5). 1 Haran's Magregor Fluffernutter, beautiful feminine head with dark eye. Well set on neck, leads to close bladed shoulders. Firm topline and correct tailset. Good angulation all through with a good width of second thigh. Moved well. 2 Mellor's Kenxiam Comanche, nice head with dark eye. Firm topline. Good depth of chest. Stands on good legs and feet. Moved well. 3 Peebles' Keigame Hopscotch.

Post Graduate Bitch (9). 1 Brown's Barleyarch Tigernut at Graygees, very attractive bitch with a feminine head. Strong arched neck leads to well placed shoulders. Well angulated all through with a good width of second thigh. Perhaps carrying a bit too much weight, but moved well. 2 Dawson & Walker's Jolicoem Lalique, lovely headed bitch of quality. Stands on good bone and feet. Firm topline and correct tailset. Good spring of ribs which reach well back. Shows plenty of character. Moved well. 3 Garvey's Kavacanne Toint The Way to Richtig.

Limit Bitch (15,1). 1 Squire's Taftazini Wilshee Wyn Too, headed a class of lovely bitches. Another bitch with a very good head. My notes say a neat package. Well set on neck flows into close bladed shoulders. Firm topline and correct tailset. Correct angulation all through. Moved well. 2 Glen & Shields' Wilholme Saucy Brown, solid liver bitch with a lovely feminine head. Well angulated all through. Good width of second thigh. Stands on good bone and feet. Moved well. 3 Rose's Kavacanne Blowin A Gale.

Open Bitch (11,4). 1 Dawson & Walker's Sh Ch Jolicoem Apache Tear, presents a lovely elegant outline. Best of heads with kind expression. So well balanced all through. Good bone and tight feet. A harsh coat completes the picture. Moved with a flowing effortless stride. *BCC*. 2 Harris' Sh Ch Barleyarch Piper, very attractive bitch with a feminine head. Good reach of neck, well placed shoulders. Well angulated all through. Good width of second thigh. Moved well. 3 Mervyn's Sh Ch, Ir & Int Ch Karlivar Dusky Rose at Tomanipoint.

Good Citizens Bitch (2,1). 1 Attwood & Turner's Patterscourt Twill, good head with correct proportions. Firm topline. Good spring of rib. Stands on good legs and feet. Moved well.