

**Okehampton and District Canine Society
24th of September 2022
Judge: Claire Prangle (Heathclare)**

I would like to thank the society for this great appointment for me to judge all the spaniels and best in show it was a great honour and I thank them very much for this wonderful opportunity.

The committee, In particular the very hard-working secretary had put on a lovely show with a good size rings, excellent stewards, super rosettes & raffle, and I very much enjoyed the lovely friendly atmosphere that was around the rings all day.

Thank you to all the group judges who put through super exhibits and gave me the opportunity to judge some top drawer dogs.

finally I would like to thank my steward Chris he had a long day but did a great job.

Field Spaniel PG(3)

(1): J Porter/V Russell/A Palm's: Bogdogs Brynnyth At Winsbrook:

Two-year-old boy with a lovely chiselled head, good almond shaped eyes, low set ears. His strong neck led into a pleasing front with a nice depth to chest and well sprung ribs, good rear back end, lovely feel of body and bone through-out, super feet.He moved very well holding a lovely top line.RBOB.

(2): M & I Trotter's: Clandrifft Diplomat:

Another nice boy of 15 months with a good head and ear-set, lovely expressive eyes, nice length to good maturing body, moved okay.

(3): J Houseman's: Flyenpyg First Sight.

Field Spaniel O(4)

(1): P & M Wilcock: Dynarkaraky Deuces Are Wild:

Mature three-year-old girl who moved the best today to take best of breed. Pleasing head and expression, good ear-set, nice length of neck which smoothly ran into her front assembly and straight fore-legs, good depth to chest and length to body with a strong back end. Well muscled through out.

(2): J Alexander's: Fecimus Robin Banks

10-year-old boy who was enjoying his day out, I thought he was a credit to his owner. Pleasing head & expression, good body , coat & condition for his age, straight fore legs and lovely tight feet, moved okay.

(3): S Shipton's: Broomeece Fire Cracker over Mishules:

Clumber Spaniel PG(2)

(1): G Constable's: Wooliebourne Lobster Lunch:

Gorgeous 10 month old girl who really caught my eye especially on the move, she went freely & straight with great confidence for her age.

Prettiest of heads with a good eye and square muzzle.

Lovely developing body, depth to chest, strength to bone and muscle coming through, good coat for age. Pleased to award BOB & BPIB well deserved.

(2): J Crawford's: Abbyford Sir Grey Wethers:

12 month old boy pleasing head of good length with squareness to muzzle,

Good front developing and depth to chest, super feel to bone throughout, once settled moved well.

Clumber Spaniel O(2/1AB)

(1): G Constable's: Wiglytail's Va Bene(Imp Fin)

Mature boy over two, balanced shape with good feel to bone & muscle all over.

Pleasing head & eye, nice depth to chest.

Presented in good coat, I just preferred the overall movement of my winner of the previous class but pleased to award RBOB.

Cocker Spaniel J(3/1AB)

(1): B & S McCabe-Bell's: Zheiridon's Zephyranthes At Grantully:

Gorgeous seven month old young lady, she possesses a super eye-catching outline with the most feminine of heads, she has dark alluring eyes that just melted me with her lovely gentle soft expression.

Skull developing well, good muzzle and low set ears, her clean neck led smoothly into a good developing front and straight fore-legs.

Body, chest and brisket maturing nicely, good spring of rib and loin for age, her lovely coat was presented in tip-top condition, I liked her cat like feet.

For me the icing on the cake for her tender age was her superb free-flowing movement when viewed from any angle it was strong and precise holding a lovely top line at all times.

Delighted toward her BOB & BPIB and pleased that she was group 2 In the puppy group behind my BPIS and shortlisted in the adult group, an exciting future awaits.

(2): C Miller's: Eddeswarren Moonlight:

Another Lovely young lady of 12 months with a pretty head, pleasing dark eyes, raised brows & low set ears, her coat was well presented & in lovely condition.

Sadly she was carrying a bit too much weight and she was not as good on the move as the winner.

Cocker Spaniel PG(3/1AB)

(1): A Salmon's: Crimcar Indigo Eclipse:

Super 21 month old dog with a lovely head, good square muzzle, low set ears, dark eyes giving an alert & bright expression.

Well-developed front, good feel of body throughout, excellent top-line, his full coat was presented in tiptop condition, he moved well when viewed from all angles, he pushed the BP very hard for B.o.B but today had to settle for RBOB.

(2): M Sutton's: Bardenbellas Time Delay:

2 1/2 year old girl with a pretty head, square muzzle & low set ears. Her body was in good hard condition with good quarters front and rear, sadly not as together on the move as the winner.

Cocker Spaniel O(4/2AB)

(1): B & S McCabe-Bell's: Grandtully Eliza Doolittle:

Five year old girl who presented a pleasing outline, another with a pretty head, low-set ears excellent front and sternum and Straight fore-legs, good feel of bone throughout, her coat was presented in lovely condition, moved okay.

(2): M Sutton's: Bardenbellas Time Delay:

See notes from 2nd in PG.

English Springer J(3/1AB)

(1): J Kibby's: Trimere Turn Back Time:

Lovely 16 mth old with a pretty feminine head, good almond expressive eyes, square muzzle and good length to her well set ears.

Muscular neck led into a good maturing front assembly, good chest & ribs, straight fore-legs, pleasing overall in shape, super tight feet, well presented with a good coat coming through, moved extremely well, pleased toward her RBOB.

(2): L Ainsley & L Nicklin's: Daenery's Red Priestess:

What a very smart seven month old young lady, I see from my catalogue she is the daughter of my B.o.B.

Pretty head of good length with squareness to muzzle, well set ears, lovely alluring expression from her dark almond shaped eyes & raised brows.

A strong clean neck of good length led into her super maturing front, body developing well with a good loin & rear quarters.
Presented in good coat for her age and moved very well with great confidence , a very promising baby BPIB and PG4.

English Springer O(2)

(1): L Ainsley & L Nicklin's: Daenery's Blood of The Dragon:

Outstanding boy of almost 3 years, visually lovely to look at and he did not disappoint when I went over him.
Super classic head of good length with correct broadness to skull, nice length and depth to fore-face and squareness to flew.
Pleasing eyes that gave an alert expression with raise brows, low set long, well feathered ears.
Clean slightly arched well muscled neck smoothly ran into his superb front assembly with well set elbows and straight fore-legs.
Excellent body that felt in good hard muscular condition throughout, good depth to chest, ribs well sprung, excellent muscular loin, super rear end with well developed hindquarters and lovely cat like feet.
His coat & feathering were presented in glorious condition. What sealed the deal for me on this fabulous dog was his ground covering movement which when viewed from any angle was superb, straight and free-flowing with a lovely reach in front and extension at rear, he moved with beautiful elegance and was at one with his handler. Pleased toward him BOB, delighted he won the group and thrilled and to award him later in the day RBIS from an outstanding lineup.
This young boy has the most exciting future ahead of him I wish you the best of luck.

(2): J Kibby's: Trimere Taylor Maid at Pinhays

Pleasing young lady who was unlucky to meet my winner today, I see from my notes she is little sister to my previous class winner.
Very pretty head with lovely expressive eyes & raised brows, good low set long ears.
Muscular neck led into a good maturing front assembly & straight fore-legs, excellent feet she has a good developing body coming with all the correct essentials, moved okay.

Welsh Springer G(3)

(1): C & K Stone's: Kidenoan Mark Time For Merrem:

Promising 11 month old boy, he possesses a lovely head with good chiselling under his correct eyes, nice square muzzle, well set vine leaf ears.
His clean muscular neck led into a good maturing front, pleasing body with his brisket, spring of ribs and hind quarters developing well, his body felt good & he was nicely muscled for his age, presented in lovely bloom with a good coat coming through.
He moved the best in this class holding a good topline pleased to award him RBOB and BPIB.

(2): S Blackford's: Amblelight Adhara:

Very nice 10 mth girl who was unlucky to meet the winner today.

Pretty feminine head with eyes giving a lovely expression, presented a good clean outline, body felt good to go over, presented in lovely condition, moved okay.

(3): J Morgan's: Benoveor Endless Love:

Welsh Springer OD(2)

(1): B & K Attwood's: IR SH CH Kylowen Drym ShCM:

What a lovely 7 1/2-year-old who presented a super pleasing outline, loveliest of heads with a good stop & nice chiselling under his expressive eyes, good muzzle & correct vine shaped ears.

Muscular clean neck led into a well developed front and straight fore-legs, pleasing feel throughout his well muscled body leading to his good rear end.

Loveliest of tight round feet, he was presented in lovely bloom & condition.

Super ground covering movement, he moved with such elegant ease when viewed from any direction, very pleased to award him BOB.

(2): S Blackford's: Amblelight Galatea:

Another 7 1/2 year old boy, pleasing head with a lovely expression from his eyes, good overall shape to body but sadly he was far too fat which spoiled the picture for me.

Nice cat like feet, good feathering, moved okay.

Welsh Springer OB(2)

(1): B & K Attwood's: Kylowen Demelza:

Little sister to my O/D winner with a lot of his notes applying here particularly in the movement and just to add I very much liked her pretty head with her feminine look at me expression.

(2): S & K Blackford's: Amblelight Portia:

3 1/2 year old girl pleasing head, lovely eyes & expression, nice outline, in good coat & condition which was of good colour, moved okay.

Lagotto Romagnolo PG(1)

(1): S Westmoreland's: Ashlowrick In A Pickle

Four-year-old girl who presented a pleasing squarish outline, good head with a strong muzzle, woolly coat with good curls, difficult to assess her body which was a shame, lovely compact feet, moved well RBOB.

Lagotto Romagnolo O(1)

(1): S Westmoreland's: Yduns Blues Kenso

10 1/2-year-old who was really enjoying her day out, nice head with a lovely expression from her roundish eyes.

Short muscular neck led into her good front and straight fore-legs, pleasing outline to her compact body which was well muscled throughout, good strength to hind quarters, coat was in good condition with lovely curl, excellent movement BOB.

American Cocker Spaniel PG(2/2AB)

American Cocker Spaniel O (0)

Hungarian Wirehaired Vizsla PG(1)

(1): H Beardshall's: Karndor Tamas:

This young man stood alone but what a very smart 9 1/2 month old boy I thought he was. Super head with a lovely expressive expression from his eyes that correctly matched his coat colour.

Slightly arched muscled neck led into a strong correct front and fore-legs, depth of chest, ribs & hind quarters maturing nicely.

For his tender age his body felt good all over and was well muscled throughout which is a credit to his owner.

Moved with confidence with a free-flowing action from all angles, BOB and BPIB.

Hungarian Wired Haired Vizsla O (O)

Hungarian Vizsla PG(3/1AB)

(1): V Parker's: Kentwone Flaming Sunset:

11 month old girl who presents a pleasing outline but she would benefit from more weight, lovely head correct oval eyes with raised brows.

Strong muscular neck led into a good front assembly and straight fore-legs.

Pleasing rear end, moved okay.BPIB

(2): S Powne's: Unleashed Danitty(Imp Cze):

This was the first show for both dog and handler and all credit to them both, I hope the handler continues to learn the ropes as I am not sure that he realises that he has a very nice dog in his hands and could do well as they both learn.

Loveliest of heads, good ear set, muscular neck led to a very good strong well muscled front and straight fore-legs, super round arched feet, good feel to his strong muscled body throughout, nice depth to chest.

I saw glimpses of his movement which was fine, I wish you good luck.

Hungarian Vizsla O(2)

(1): S & K Challis's: Vizslanya's Aragonia JW:

Very eye-catching four-year-old boy who presents a lovely picture. Lovely masculine head with intelligent expression from his correct eyes, strong muscular neck led to his good front assembly and straight fore-legs, nice depth to chest and well sprung ribs, good top line and muscling to croup. Impressive feel and strength throughout his well muscled body, pleasing ground covering movement BOB.

(2): S Powne's: Unleashed Danitty(Imp Cze):
See write up from previous class.

Best in Show:
J Mogro's: Aizens I'm A Legend:
Pomeranian:

This stunning compact 14 month old dog headed an impressive lineup for BIS. He had the loveliest of heads with well-placed ears, expressive dark eyes, good muzzle, correct well set short neck led into a super maturing front, barrel rounded rib cage and depth of chest also maturing nicely.

Good feel to his compact body throughout, he was presented in beautiful coat and condition.

What won the day for this super dog for me from the impressive line up was his outstanding look at me free-flowing movement and correct foot falls when viewed from any angle it was breathtaking, good luck for the future.

Reserve Best in Show:

L Ainsley & L Nicklin's: Daenery's Blood of The Dragon:
English Springer:
Please see breed notes.

Best Puppy in Show:
S Coleman's: Camaling Rose Royale:
Irish Setter:

From a super line of babies I could not deny this top drawer outstanding young lady of 11 months.

Beautiful lean head of correct length, good depth & squareness to muzzle.

Her appealing dark feminine eyes and her look at me expression which I did, along with her quizzical raised brows and low set long ears, completed a lovely head.

Slightly arched muscular neck led into her correct maturing front with straight fore-legs and good elbows.

Maturing nicely was her good depth to chest, spring of ribs and muscling throughout her body.

Lovely strong rear end with excellent wide muscular hindquarters & well bent stifles.

Her lovely rich chestnut coat was presented in tip-top condition, and she was very well handled.

Moved with a free-flowing elegant style when viewed from all angles holding a lovely top line at all times and this for me was the final decider in giving her the top spot today, best of luck for your exciting future with your young lady.

Reserve Best Puppy in Show:

R & L Wood's: Pembro Talk of The Town:

Miniature Schnauzer:

Very smart eight month old girl demanded my attention today and got it in this very strong lineup.

This young lady possesses the loveliest of heads with her dark oval eyes giving an alert expression & her inquisitive raised brows, correct pear-shaped ears dropping forward, strong muzzle.

Her clean slightly arched strong neck led smoothly into her developing front and straight fore-legs.

Body developing well and showing strength and musculature throughout for her tender age. Excellent compact feet, good wiry fill to her coat, I loved the way she moved it was with such great confidence for her tender age and she was very well handled.

Super baby best of luck for the future.

Best Veteran in Show:

D Eden's: Dalens Hot Gossip JW ShCM VW:

Dalmatian:

This boy of almost 11 years old headed a super class of veterans and thoroughly deserve to.

He has the loveliest eye-catching outline, pleasing head, correct round eyes giving an alert, intelligent expression, good muzzle, lovely black nose and well set ears.

Long arched neck smoothly ran into his strong well developed front and straight fore-legs, super compact feet.

Body felt firm and was in wondrous hard muscular condition as I went throughout with good depth to chest, well sprung ribs, all through to a super correct rear end.

He moved smoothly and elegantly with a good length of stride when viewed from all angles.

Reserve Best Veteran in show:

S Stanbury's: Inixia Delightful Dan JW ShCM:

Papillon:

Super 12 year old dog who belied his years and pushed the winner all the way.

Loveliest of heads with the darkest of eyes surrounded by a good dark rim and giving an intelligent expression, well feathered alert ears.

Body felt good to go over and was in fabulous condition, he was presented in lovely coat and super condition, he moved like a dream with a light free flowing movement.

Best Reserve Best of Breed in Show:

K Small's: Ulybka Fortuny Zlatovlaska at Devondax:

Dachshund (STD S/H)

Very smart 19 month old girl with an appealing look at me outline.

Loved her head of good length with her piercing dark almond eyes and well set ears.

Long muscular neck smoothly ran into her correct well developed front, body felt good all over and was well muscled throughout.

She possessed super movement with a good free flowing stride when viewed from all angles.