

OKEHAMPTON & DIST CANINE SOCIETY – OPEN SHOW - 24.02.18

A personal thank you to Okehampton and District CS for my invitation to judge at their show & to the exhibitors who braved the cold with their well-presented dogs.

Dobermann

L (2)

1. Edyveane's, Jojavik Victor Rizzi At Katemead, D Nice head correct wedge shape, good depth to muzzle, good bone & substance. Good reach of neck into correct shoulders. Well angulated nice straight front. Level topline held on the move . **BPIB RBOB**
2. Pilgrim's, Nerak Dolly Daydream At Woodbriar B A delightful balanced puppy good in outline who was very nervous so I was cautious as to enhance her showing experience rather than worry her. Feminine head with neat well placed ears. Forelegs straight and parallel. Well sprung ribs. Moved well. I wish her owner & handler every success with her.

O (4.1)

1. Pieters, Supeta's Will Eye Am Tuffenuff JW, ShCM D 5 year old solid dog with adequate bone. Correct head planes, well set ears, long elegant reach of neck. Good angulation. Well filled croup , strong legs with good bent of stifle. Moved really well **BOB**
2. Massey's, Jojavik Kissy Suzuki ShCM B A very feminine bitch a lovely example with correct balanced head. Level backline with correct tail set, well angulated, good depth of chest & loin. Moved well and perfectly in tune with her handler.
3. Capell's, Ruzuna Amazing Valour In Llepac D

Leonberger

O (2)

1. Smith's, Dacfolke Vagabond ShCM D Mature boy with a lovely head & medium oval shaped eye. So much to like about him good strength of neck, firm topline & good for bone. Good balanced mover well carried tail **BOB GP4**
2. Folkes, Dacfolke Karmakhamleon D Promising puppy with pleasing head, neck with a slight curve into well laid back shoulders. Well boned with neat tight rounded feet. When settled moved out well. **BPIB RBOB**

Rottweiler

O (3,2)

1. Vick's, Mia Von Der Alten Festung At Vickangels (IMP HRV) JW, ShCM B Feminine with well-balanced outline. Good broad head with neat well-set ears of good size. Good neck & strong topline. Adequate bone. Good chest & underline. Stands well, moving with nice free balanced sidegait. **BOB**

Siberian Huskey

O (3,2)

1. Busby's, Rajarani Karsten D All in proportion with good front & rear angulation. Feminine fox like head. Medium in bone & size. Firm topline moving well both coming & going as well as in profile around the ring. **BOB**

Bullmastiff

O (4,1)

1. Mangat's, Nehrani Lal Raja D Strong in outline. Good head with defined stop, blunt & cut off square muzzle, forming correct right angles. Body compact and well angulated. Strongly boned forequarters displaying well let down chest with equally good width. Good strong hindquarters, firm backline, moved well showing power. **BOB GP3**
2. Mangat's, Nehrani My Precious B Feminine yet strong in head, skull broad & deep well balanced. Good front assembly, deep in brisket, well boned, straight forelegs & strong pasterns. Tight cat like feet with black toenails. Back short and & straight with good tail set. Moved well. **RBOB RBIG**
3. Cox's, Ardhub Gibson At Rainwilds D

Bernese Mountain Dog

O (3,1)

1. Wood's, Tamarbern Dusky Maiden B 8 yrs Correct head with appealing dark eyes. Good in overall balance. Good depth of chest & shape to ribbing. Clear defined markings in good coat. Moved out really well for her age pleased to award her **BOB**
2. James's, Arvella Miss Money Penny B Head shape still to develop on but good ratios. A balanced girl, good in front assembly. Well off for bone, good topline with rump smoothly rounded. Compact short round feet. Moves soundly a promising young lady. **RBOB**

AV Wk Puppy (6,4)

1. Tonkin & Pellow's, Odyssey De Val De Cayove B Well balanced, square, lovely clean feminine head, good muzzle & sweep of chin. Good neck & lay of shoulder, short straight back, ribs well arched, good hindquarters, moved well and confidently (IMP ESP)
2. Smith's, Snowshoes The White Witch B Pretty feminine bitch presenting a nice outline. Good head proportions nice dark well placed almond shaped eye. Thick well furred ears. Correct angulation both in front and rear. Moved well and true. Just narrowly losing out to 1. today

AV Wk Veteran (3,1)

1. Stansbury & Pilgrim's, CH Woodbriar Luciano JW, ShCM D Nice example of the breed in good condition. Good forechest & well angulated. Nice reach of neck, well balanced overall. Level backline moved well in the ring. Delighted to hear he went **BISV**
2. Wood's, Tamarbern Dusky Maiden B

AVNSC Open (4,3)

1. Hovawarts, Allen's Kanukalos Allegro D Well balanced dog of correct size & substance. Masculine head with good eye & ears, good depth of rib with forechest. Sound and easy on the move holding topline well. **BAVNSC**

Wk Gp

1. Alaskan Malamute, Smith's, MLT Ivram Bradley You're the One At Snowshoes (MLT)
2. Boxer, Tonkin & Pellow's, Rosanyos Erre Ocho
3. Bullmastiff, Mangat's Nehrani Lal Raja
4. Leonberger, Smith's Dacfolke, Vagabond ShCM

Wk Puppy Gp

1. Boxer, Tonkin & Pellow's, Rosanyos Erre Ocho
2. Alaskan Malamute, Smith's, Snowshoes Telmarine King
3. Dobermann, Edyveane's, Jojavik Victor Rizzi At Katemead,
4. Leonberger, Folkes, Dacfolke Karmakhamleon D

Reserve Best Of Breed Gp

1. Bullmastiff, Mangat's, Nehrani My Precious

Junior Stakes

1. Spaniel (Cocker), Squire & Adam's, Corazon De Sibi Night Start (IMP ESP)
2. Australian Shepherd, Gladwell's, Jotars Shimmering Desire
3. Alaskan Malamute, Smith's Snowshoes Telmarine King
4. Jack Russell Terrier, Phipps, Fair & Brave Great Glen At Tufterslodge (IMP ITA)
5. Alaskan Malamute, John's, Nyrakym's All That Remains Samaljankan To Cristakel (IMP USA)
6. BSD (Tervueren), Pilgrim's, Domburg By Appointment At Woodbriar
7. Tibetan Terrier, Plummer & Bingham's, Gandaki Bust A Move
8. C.K.C.S, Conibere's Featherfalls All About Me

OKEHAMPTON & DISTRICT CANINE SOCIETY
SATURDAY 25TH FEBRUARY 2018

CRITIQUE FOR GOLDEN RETRIEVERS

PUPPY:

1st Smyth Kadaka Kissagram – 10 month old short coupled light gold bitch. Sweet head and expression which was enhanced by her lovely black pigmentation. Sturdy front with correct length of shoulder. Correct front and rear angulation which she used to advantage when moving around the ring. Puppy Group 1 and Best Puppy In Show – many congratulations.

2nd Clunie Warrantor Caipirinha – 8 month old short coupled golden bitch. Attractive head with kind expression. Another one with lovely pigmentation. Well off for bone. Good front with enough angulation hiding under a very profuse coat. Covered the ground well.

JUNIOR:

1st Smyth Kadaka Karnival Queen - 12 month old short coupled mid-gold bitch. Another one with a sweet head and expression and excellent pigmentation. Very good angulation with well sprung deep ribs. Excellent hindquarters which she used very well when she settled down. Coat in lovely bloom.

GRADUATE:

1st Mace Steval Choir Master At Telanjan – Masculine mid-gold boy, Lovely head and kind expression. Super front with tight feet. Short coupled boy with depth of ribs. Good rear angulation which helped him to move well around the ring.

2nd Smyth Kadaka Karnival Queen

3rd Evens Kadaka Kaptain Finnigan

OPEN DOG:

1st Fenn Chalksville Barregarrow At Jandeburn – Headed a class of two very nice dogs. Masculine head with very kind expression. Rich golden mature dog who presented a very balance picture. I would perhaps would like a bit more of him. Well off for bone and good front. Short coupled with plenty of heart room. Good angulation front and rear and flowed around the ring. BOB Group 3 – Many congratulations

2nd Mace Harry The Magician At Telanjan – Another very nice boy. Similar remarks apply. Just preferred my winner's head and movement on the day.

OPEN BITCH:

1st Lees Silverbarrow Secret In Lace By Denmarella – RBOB - Lovely mature bitch. Very balanced in all departments. Carrying a rich gold coat. Feminine head and expression. Good front with excellent angulation front and rear. A difficult decision between my open class winners, but the bitch didn't move around the ring as well as open dog.

2nd Clunie Warrantor Maplemoon – Attractive dark golden bitch. Sweet head and expression. Short coupled with plenty of heart room. Well off for bone and stood very happily. Moved well.

Christine Prowse
28th February 2018

24TH FEBRUARY 2018

I would like to thank the Officers and Committee for inviting me to judge at this super show. What a great venue, ideal for a dog show. Thank you to my very able stewards. Also thank you to the exhibitors, who turned out on what was a freezing but enjoyable day. It was a great pleasure to judge your lovely dogs, with many close decisions.

Spaniel (Welsh Springer)

Open dog (3,1)

1st Dimond & Boumonte's Islana Going Dutch of Roxdale A balanced dog with good overall body proportions. Masculine head, muscular clean neck, deep in brisket, good spring of ribs. Moved with drive and soundly. **BOB**

2nd Attwood's Kylowen Drym ShCM – Although not as happy as my winner was a compact dog. Masculine head, good length of neck into well laid back shoulders. Good body proportions, level topline on the move, correct bend of stifle. Moved well from behind. **RBOB**

Open Bitch (3,1)

1st Dimond & Edwards Roxdale Orchid Pearl - Feminine headed bitch with correct front angulation, good length of neck, level topline, deep chested, short in loin. Well muscled rear end which she used to her advantage when she moved round the ring with drive. Was not in the best of coats today.

2nd Attwood's Kylowen Demelza – Smaller framed bitch who just would not settle. Feminine head, good front angulation. Would prefer tighter feet. Moved soundly.

Italian Spinone

Open (3,0)

1st Smith & McVittle Sh Ch Jaylynne Fabrizio ShCM - Dog who presented a pleasing picture. Masculine head, straight front, good substance to bone, deep chested, correct topline and underline, correct coarse dense coat. Moved effortlessly around the ring **BOB**

2nd Kruglow's Amberellie Adrianna – Feminine headed bitch who was not in her best coat. Good front, bone and feet. Moved soundly. **RBOB**

3rd Mortimer's Scodinzolare Perlescenti -8 months old larger framed bitch who was really giving her handler a hard time but was enjoying her day. **BP**

Spaniel (English Springer)

Open ((2,1)

1st Hosking's Teignvalley Revo 2 ½ year old girl. Feminine head and expression. Good length of neck, straight front, deep chested, level topline. Moved enthusiastically. **BOB**

Retriever (Novia Scotia Duck Tolling)

Graduate (3,1)

1st Palfrey's Flushpoint Whata Accident for Melanitta (Imp Swe) 8 year old compact bitch with feminine head and expression. Medium length neck into well laid back shoulders, deep chested, short back, good rear end which she used on the move. Did tend to dip in topline but won this class on her rear movement. **RBOB & BEST VETERAN IN GUNDOG GROUP**

2nd Morgan's Redaurora Comet's Christmas of Deltandamba 7 year old bitch. Similar remarks to 1st but just preferred the rear end movement of my winner.

Open (4,1)

1st Morgan's Erkachan O'Ruadh for Deltandamba When this dog walked into the ring he said look at me. A real showman with good overall proportions. Masculine head. Medium length neck into well laid back shoulders, deep chested, ribs well sprung, correct front and rear angles. Well muscled rear end which he used on the move, driving out from behind. **BOB and Gundog Group 2**

2nd Palfrey's Foxdown Bertie Allsorts 7 year old dog who presented a pleasing outline. Masculine head, Straight front with good bone, deep chested, short back. Preferred his topline to 3rd. Moved soundly.

3rd Woollerton's Camusmor Chili Pepper at Culmgillie

Retriever (Labrador)

Puppy (6,2)

1st Cadwell's Jubilwell For Your Eyes Only 8 months old yellow balanced dog with a masculine head and expression. Clean neck set into well laid back shoulders, Straight front leading to compact feet. Deep chested, well sprung ribs and short in loin. Needs to settle and tighten on the moved but when did moved well. **BP**

2nd Jeffries' Jubilwell Dawn Chorus – My notes said similar remarks apply and I see that they are littler brother and sister. Preferred the front angles on the dog but shall watch these two show career with interest.

3rd Hosking's Trewinnard Oyster Catcher

Junior (3,1)

1st Kennett's Magnavalleys Cornishman Black Dog in good coat, who presented an overall pleasing picture. Stood four square. Masculine head and expression, clean neck leading into correct layback of shoulders, deep chested, level topline which was held on the move, well muscled rear end which he used on the move. **RBOB**

2nd Cadwell's Jubilwell For Your Eyes Only As 1st in Puppy

Graduate (4,2,)

1st Philpott's Rossacre Keno Larger framed black dog with a masculine head and expression, deep chested, straight front, moved soundly.

2nd Findjan's Rossacre Summer Skye Yellow smaller framed bitch who was not as outgoing as winner. Correct length of neck. For me she is too heavy over the shoulders. Moved ok.

Open Dog (1,0)

1st Findjan's Rossacre That'll Do Yellow dog with a good outline. Masculine broad head. Correct length of neck leading to good layback of shoulders, deep chested, barrel ribs, short loin, level topline, not in his best coat. When settled moved correctly.

Open Bitch (2,1)

1st Jeffries' Antonine Paige Turner of Jubiwell Black bitch who stood four square and presented a pleasing outline. Feminine head and expression, deep chested, short coupled, level topline, could be in better coat. Well muscled rear end which she used on the move. Moved correctly from all angles.

BOB

English Setter

Open (2,1)

1st Osman's Bournehouse Star Gazer at Marissol ShCM Blue belton dog with a masculine head and expression. Long well arched neck into good layback. Deep chested, Straight forearms, would prefer tighter fitting elbows. Moved soundly. **BOB**

Pointer

Graduate (2,1)

1st Osman's Fleurfield Firethorn at Marissolo Black and white 10 months old dog with appealing good head and expression. Well arched long neck leading into well laid back shoulders. Good bod y proportions. Moved well considering he had two handlers moving him and just shows what a kind even disposition he has. **BOB & BP**

Open (1,1)

Hungarian Wire Haired Vizsla

Open (4,2)

1st Newman's Lanokk Violeska Lovely bitch with a good overall shape and construction. Clean neck of good length, firm level topline, chest down to the elbow, correct rear assembly. Shown with a good harsh wire coat and correct furnishings. Moving with power, reach and drive **BOB**

2nd Aldridge's Gwaithmaes Tuari Larger framed dog with a masculine head. Deep chested, straight front , good oval feet, correct topline which was held on the move. Not in best coat. Moved soundly.

RBOB

German Wirehaired Pointer

Open (2,0)

1st Harries' Myrna Loy 4 year old bitch. Excellent head and expression, good flow of neck, deep chested, straight front, firm back and compact feet. Moved soundly. **BOB**

2nd Harries' Dregheda If I Were Single Just 1 year old bitch who gave a lot away to the winner. Good outline. Moved soundly. **RBOB**

Spaniel (American Cocker)

Open (3,2)

1st Sheppard's Bubaloo's Mr Bean at Shadowview (Imp SVK) Black 15 month old dog. Masculine head and expression, clean neck, deep chested. Moved soundly once settled. **BOB**

Weimaraner

Open (7,2)

1st Perry's Weipowa Lock And Load 11 months old dog who presented a pleasing outline standing. Masculine head and expression, deep chest, correct front and rear angulations, straight front leading to excellent to firm compact feet, level topline. Moved true with reach and drive once settled which won him this class. **BP & BOB**

2nd Burgess' Gunault Rock Out with Hantzburg ShCM A dog that presented a pleasing outline. Good body proportions, excellent rear end. **RBOB**

3rd Kerslake's Rutilus Who Knew

Retriever (Curly Coated)

Open (2,0)

1st Courtier's Maycourt Crimson Moon Feminine headed bitch who was not in her best coats. Medium length neck into correct layback of shoulders, straight forelegs, deep chested, correct tuck up, good bend of stifle. Moved well. **BOB**

2nd Edworthy's Maycourt Cadillac I see that the winner of this class is the litter sister. Similar remarks apply. This dog was in better coat but unfortunately he was not happy with me going over him. When I finally did he has many assets. **RBOB**

Spaniel (Cocker)

Puppy (2,1)

1st Couch's Caenriver Busy Bee Blue roan just 10 months old bitch. Feminine head and expression, moderate neck, correct front angulation, well bodied. Was a handful for her owner but was enjoying her day out. **BP**

Junior (2,1)

1st Squire & Adams' Corazon De Sibi Night Star (Imp ESP) Blue roan 14 months old compact dog. Pleasing head and expression, correct length of neck into well laid back shoulders, well boned front leading to cat like feet, deep chested, short loin, level topline, correct rear end. Moved soundly with true bustle action. **BOB**

Graduate (2,1)

1st Collier's Jalanku Inspiration for Pepperbox Black smaller framed bitch who was a real live wire. Correct length of neck, level topline, would prefer more weight and coat on her. Would not keep all four feet on the ground.

Open (5,1)

1st Squire & Adams' Carazon de Sibi Night Star (Imp ESP) As Junior

2nd Parkhouse's Sandluga Magic Spell for Shivani Black smaller framed dog who presented a balanced outline. Medium length clean neck leading to well laid back shoulders, deep chested, ribs well sprung, short in loin. Moved true with reach and drive. **RBOB & 1st RBOB Gundog**

3rd Squire's SP.Ch. Squiretime Sky

Large Munsterlander

Open (3,1)

1st Disney's Wonglepong Will's Faramir Larger framed dog but still balanced in good coat. Masculine head and expression, correct flow of neck into well laid back shoulders, deep chested, short in loin, correct rear bend of stifle. When moving he is wide in front but has good rear angulation. **BOB**

2nd Prowse's Quilesta Just Endering Smaller framed bitch who was not happy about being gone over. Feminine head and expression, deep chested, straight front, good topline. Preferred the front movement on her just a shame she was not settled on the day. **RBOB**

Gordon Setter

Open (7,5)

1st Passmore's Beechlake I Dared To Dream Balanced bitch with a pleasing outline. Feminine head. Correct length and arch of neck. Straight flat bone, deep brisket, good spring of ribs, correct topline, correct colour and markings. Moved soundly and with plenty of drive from behind. **BOB**

2nd Grigg's Beechlake The Dreamer I now know that this is the litter brother to 1st and has many attributes I was looking for in a Gordon Setter. Symmetrical in conformation, masculine head and expression, good body proportions, excellent front and rear angulation, correct oval, close knit feet. Just a shame this dog would not settle on the move and gave the handler a hard time. **Res BOB**

3rd Macdonald's Graylacier Grand Illusion

AV Gundog

Puppy (15,8)

1st Kerslake's Kuantan Cosworth – Weiramaraner – I gave him 4th in a lovely class but here he had settled down and moved better. He presented a balanced outline, with correct front and rear angles, deep forechest. Held his topline on the move where he moved well.

2nd Cluinie's Warrentor Caipirinha – Golden Retriever – 8 month old bitch who presented a balanced outline. Well off for bone, level topline, deep chested, in excellent coat. Moved soundly.

3rd Hadfield's Staratlanta get A Wiggle On to Marzanne

Veteran (16,9)

1st Palfrey's Flushpoint Whata Accident for Melanitta – Nova Scotia Duck Tolling Retriever – As Graduate

2nd Longstaff's Kevardhu Ebrel Fyllys ShCM – Italian Spinone – 11 years old bitch who was well put together. Feminine head and expression, Correct front and rear assembly, deep chested, for me a bit too heavy across the shoulders, Moved soundly.

3rd Attwood's IR Sh Ch Moorash Lady Ygraine of Kylowen

AVNSC Gundog

Open (7,0)

1st Cadwell's Jubilwell Bal Maiden – Sussex Spaniel – My notes say a quality 3 year old bitch. Feminine head and expression showing correct width, strong and correctly arched neck, correct depth of body with well sprung ribs, Well off for bone, excellent rear end. Moved true both fore and aft. Just loved this girls attitude showing her kindly disposition and clearly was enjoying her day out **Best AVNSC Gundog, Gundog Group & RBIS**

2nd Sweet's Bondadosa Beach ShCM Spanish Water Dog Medium sized dog with good body proportions, correct front and rear angulations, deep chested. For some reason the owner raced around the ring but once I had asked the owner to slow down and move him again this dog moved well in all directions. **RBAVNSC**

3rd Barnes' Saxonbejayz Lucy Anne Sussex Spaniel A well put together bitch that will take time. At the moment she is just enjoying being at shows and giving her handler a hard time. **BPAVNSC**

Gundog Group

Best In Group Sussex Spaniel Cadwell's Jubilwell Bal Maiden – As before

Group 2 Retriever (Nova Scotia Duck Tolling Retriever) Morgan's Erklachen O'Ruadh for Deltandamba - As before

Group 3 Golden Retriever Fenn's Chalksville Barregarrow at Jandeburn JW – Smaller framed dog but so balanced. He was presented in gleaming coat. Lots to like about him. Moved so soundly round the ring, just need a bit more enthusiasm, but could not be denied this place.

Group 4 Cocker Spaniel Squire & Adams' Corazon De Sibi Night Star (Imp ESP) - As before

Best Puppy In Group Golden Retriever Smyth's Kadaka Kissagram – Wow is all I can say, This bitch is simply stunning and has it all. So balanced and together for one so young. Feminine head and expression, deep chested, straight front leading to excellent feet, short coupled, level topline, excellent bend of stifle. Moved so true in all directions. One I shall watch with interest in the future.

Puppy Group 2 Irish Setter Pike's Redclyst Boris – 10 months old dog who presented a pleasing outline and in gleaming coat. Masculine head and expression, clean neck leading into correct shoulders, straight front, deep chested, correct topline, good rear end which he used to move around the ring. So sound.

Puppy group 3 Pointer Osman's Fleurfield Firethorn at Marissolo As Before

Puppy group 4 Weimaraner Perry's Weipowa Lock And Load As Before

YKC 6 – 11 years

All three of these handlers did not complete the move when I had moved to one side but Freya correctly placed her dog in front of my feet at the correct position. All three listened and did everything that I asked and kept their eyes on me. I wish them well in the future.

1st Freya Morris –

2nd Lowenna Cawley

3rd Emma Stewart

YKC 12-16 years

1st Caitlin Channon - A very neat handler. Caitlin did everything that I asked of her with precision and kept a close eye on me and her dog at all times.

YKC 17-24 years

1st Stacie Nicoll - A very precise handler even though she had rushed from a breed class to this stakes class Stacie was very calm with her dog. Everything I asked Stacie did with precision, once again keeping a close eye on me and her dog at all times. Worked at the correct speed for her dog.

2nd Chloe Jefferies

3rd Savannah Wawman

Best In Show Miniature Schnauzer Woods' Spirited Away Kinda for Pembro (Imp PL) – This 2 year old impressive dog on the day. He was a joy to go over, good head, eye and expression. Correct reach of neck into well laid shoulders, good depth of body, well sprung ribs, presented in excellent condition. When he moved he showed his star quality, holding his topline and moving with reach and drive and could not be denied the top award.

Reserve Best In Show Sussex Spaniel Cadwell's Jubilwell Bal Maiden – As before and she was still performing to her best later on in the day.

Best Puppy In Show Golden Retriever Smyth's Kadaka Kissagram - As before and when it is your own breed she had to be good to take this award. She outshone the other puppies when moving as was so true in front and rear and was a joy to watch.

Reserve Best Puppy In Show French Bulldog Rogers' Poison D'AceboBlonde Beast (Imp ESP) - 7 month old bitch who was of breed type. Cobby bitch who said look at me, feminine head and expression. On the move she moved effortlessly

Best Veteran In Show Doberman Stansbury & Pilgrim's Ch Woodbriar Luciano JW ShCM – Wow my notes say. He took my eye when he entered the ring. 8 year old dog who is so balanced, good clean masculine head, correct front and rear angles, good body proportions. Well muscled rear end. Moved with reach and drive and was effortless.

Reserve Best Veteran In Show Shetland Sheepdog Hirst's Sundark Surprised JW Well constructed 12 ½ year old bitch who belies her age. Appealing head and expression. Good body proportions. Moved with a smooth and graceful action.

Best Reserve Best Of Breed In Show Dachshund Mini Smooth Haired Tree's Ardenrun Sea Shanty by Keimantree 4 year old bitch. Appealing head and expression, good body proportions. Moved freely and flowed round the ring.

Judge Hilary Male

Okehampton & District Canine Society

24th February 2018

Judge – Mrs Jane Eyeington (Meadowdale)

I would like to thank the committee for their kind invitation to judge at this super show. To the exhibitors, especially the hounds as I was a very last minute substitute judge, for the great pleasure of your dogs, some difficult choices to be made. Hope you have all now thawed out!

Border Terrier

Graduate (2,0)

1. Mrs Phipps - Tufterslodge Tea N Cake

Eye catching 18 month old blue and tan dog, much to like about this youngster. Thought his outline to be of a nice size, shapely and racy. He has the most appealing otter head, dark eye and correct bite. Good straight front, narrow through the body and was easily spanned. Moderate hindquarters and moving out soundly. Correct texture to the coat with a thick pelt - **RBOB**

2. Mrs & Mrs Anscombe - Gameway French Fancy Avec Orangebox

Keen and alert 9 month old bitch, she was game and spirited. She is a nice overall size for her age and shows good body line, not exaggerated or overdone. Feminine otter head with good width to the back skull, sound bite, good length of neck and depth to the brisket but retaining the raciness. Liked her hindquarters. A little soft in coat at present and just needing time to tighten up in front movement, but a pleasing youngster – **BP & Puppy Group 4**

Open (3,0)

1. Mr Dennis - Moleschamber Finlaggan

Most appealing and quality 3 year old dog, liked his overall size and balance, and oozing breed type. Typical for his racy outline and nothing is exaggerated. Lovely head and keen expression. Good length of neck, body is deep and narrow and easily spanned, with straight forelimbs onto small neat feet. Moving out purposefully and true from all angles. Shown with a harsh coat and good pelt. Thought him just lovely and awarded him **BOB & Group 1**

2. Mr & Mrs Freeman - Borderella Snap Dragon

Smart 5 year old bitch, feeling the cold today so not showing herself to full advantage. She has a pleasing racy outline, Feminine otter head, with a dark eye to give a kind yet keen expression. Narrow through the body, with ribs carried well back, moderate hindquarters. Coat harsh and well presented. On the move showed to be true fore and aft.

3. Mr & Mrs Anscombe - Orangebox Dark Energy

Staffordshire Bull Terrier

Open (6,3)

1. Mrs Marshallsay - Fergustaff Jack Frost

Loved this powerhouse of a red dog, at just 2 years old he is in the peak of fitness and fit as a flea. Loved his balance and construction. He has super strength all through. He has a correctly proportioned head with good width to the backskull and depth, dark round eye, and pronounced cheeks. Strength to the neck flowing into a firm level topline, short coupled and well set on pump handle tail. His well boned limbs carrying him around the ring with power and being true. Shown in super muscle tone. **BOB & Group 2**

2. Marshallsay - Fergustaff Tudor Queen

White and red pied bitch, a raw baby at just 6 months old, but thought her just lovely. For one so young she has good balance and compact outline. Her head is maturing nicely showing good depth and developing cheeks. She has a mischievous dark round eye, taking everything in and alert. Good width in front, short coupled and despite the cold holding a firm and level topline. Moving out well – **BP & Puppy Group 2**

3. Mr & Mrs Mashallsay - Fergustaff Valkerie Queen

Bedlington Terrier

Graduate (4,1)

1. Mrs Cleaver - Jobanker Virtuous Veronica

Very smart 12 month old liver bitch, showing herself off to advantage to give a most appealing outline. She is graceful and balanced with a good height to length ratio. Feminine head with good depth and length, her lengthy neck flowing well into shoulders. Horseshoe front, straight forelegs, nicely arch over the loin. Well muscled hind quarters. Shown with a good coat texture. On the move not as positive behind, but shows a lovely mincing gait and holding her topline, and well carried tail - **RBOB**

2. Moore & Chudleigh - Devleigh Dare To Dream

Another nice 20 month old blue bitch, today preferring the overall balance in outline of winner. She has a pleasing shape when stood. Correct wedge shape to the head, dark eye, clean through the neck, good depth and arch to the loin. Well padded hare feet. Shown in good coat and moving out well.

3. Mrs McManus - Travellersway Rory

Open (4,2)

1. Moore & Chudleigh - Tcheria Tcheerleader At Devleigh

Soundly built 4 year old blue bitch, fell for her graceful lines and impressive outline when stood. She has lovely balance, body proportions and feminine all through. She has a lean head piece, dark eye, fine leathers and alert expression. Good length of neck, chest is well let down, with the graceful lines flowing over the arch to the loin and defined underline. Shown in good condition and with linty coat. On the move positive and true with the mincing gait – **BOB**, not quite as settled in the group which was a shame

2. Mrs McManus - Kenquartz Teal Tweed

3 year old blue bitch, not seeming happy in the cold arena. Liked her overall size and femininity. Pleasing head, dark eye and thin leathers. Clean neck of good length, enough depth to the brisket and well angulated hind quarters. Moved with good drive, would like her to be a little tidier in front.

Bull Terrier

Graduate (3,0)

1. Martin & Vanstone - Diton Dixieland With Puissance

Substantial 16 month old white dog. He certainly has an impressive presence about him. He is well balanced and compact with strength all through. He has a shapely well filled in head, with a correctly shaped dark eye. Strong deep body, chest well let down and lovely spring to the ribs, firm topline, well muscled moderately angulated hindquarters. Moved out with purpose – **BOB**

2. Miss Pullen - Blazinbullys Sweet Surprise

Extrovert brindle and white bitch at 9 months old standing like an old pro, her playful puppy nature coming out with a vengeance on the move! Liked her strong and long head, well filled in and shapely, her ears were erect and well placed. She has good strength and depth through the body, a fraction longer in loin. Well boned limbs onto tight feet. Good width of thigh and bend of stifle. On the move, well, she was entertaining! When she did settle showed glimpses of true and driving movement – **BP RBOB & Puppy Group 3**

3. Miss Dweck - Neverland The Devil To Play

Jack Russell Terrier

Open (2,0)

1. Mrs Phipps - Fair & Brave Great Glen At Tufterslodge (Imp Ita)

What a sweetie, could not help falling for this bitch. At only 9 months old she let her presence be known. She is confident and full of fun. Pleasing and well proportioned feminine head, dark eye and pigmentation, clean bite. Good length of neck, balanced angulation fore and aft. Good depth to the brisket for her age, firm topline and well set on tail. Still needing to settle on the move, but striding out holding her proud outline – **BOB & BP & Puppy group 1**

2. Mrs Phipps - Chatmos Chatterbox At Tufterslodge

A real babe at only 6 months old, a lovely dog who again let his fun character shine through. A smart dog, just slightly longer in loin than winner and not quite as tidy in front movement at the moment. Balance head piece, keen expression, clean through the neck, good depth, firm topline, tail tending to curl over back. Moving with good drive from hindquarters

Cesky Terrier

Open (3,0)

1. Mrs Lewis - Ridley Xanto For Dajaces ShCM

Lovely 3 year old dog, Thought him to be balanced and well constructed. When stacked holds a pleasing outline, with the correct silhouette, and body proportions. Masculine head, with good length, dark eyes and well placed ears. His elegant neck flowing well into his muscular forequarters which are well boned. Good spring to the ribs to give the cylindrical appearance, with the slight rise to the loin. Super muscle tone to the hindquarters, which he used to power around the ring showing good drive and correct tail carriage. Shown in tip top condition and coat – **BOB & Group 4**

2. Mrs Lewis - Komidion Nicklodeon Avec Dajaces ShCM

7 year old male put down in super condition and beautifully presented. Like the body proportions and overall balance. Good length to his masculine head, dark expressive eyes. Good length of neck and depth to the body, well boned limbs, not quite the topline of winner. Strong and muscular hindquarters. Moved out with drive - **RBOB**

3. Mrs Lewis - Janski Philosopher Dajaces

Airedale Terrier

Open (3,2)

1. Mr & Mrs Down - Crillee Carry On The Crusade At Brulyn

2 years old today, happy birthday to this outgoing boy. Loved his keen and eagerness, aware of everything. He is of a nice size and compact in outline. Liked his well proportioned head, which had good head planes and length. He has depth to the brisket and straight forelimbs onto tight feet. Body well developed. Shown with a good harsh wire coat. Had a tendency to pace on the move today, but once going showed good rear drive - **BOB**

Soft Coated Wheaten Terrier

Graduate (2,1)

1. Mrs Grant - Dannebriel Gladynngodetia

Upstanding 2 year old bitch, thought she was rather smart and well put together. When stood she gives the impression of being sturdy, compact with a natural presence. She has a pleasing head piece, well balanced, flat with a good stop and clean bite. She has a lovely flow through the neck and topline, which is firm and level, brisket is well let down with a good spring to the ribs and short loin. Shown in good soft wavy coat. Moving with ease and drive –

BOB & Group 3

Open (6,4)

1. Dr & Mrs Jefferies - Frontline Simply Beautiful

Beautifully handled 6 year old bitch. Liked her outline when stood, as she has good body proportions. Feminine head which has good balance, a dark eye, and well placed ears. Moderate length of neck, firm level topline, and well set on and carried tail, enough depth of chest, moderate rear angulation. Taking the class on her driving movement today - RBOB

2. Mrs Grant - Dannebriel Cirque Surreal

Liked the overall size of this 5 year old bitch, she is of medium size and compact. Today not having the upstanding presence. She has a balanced head, good length of neck, falling away a little at the croup. Well boned limbs and tight feet. Shown with a soft wavy coat. Moved OK

AV Terrier

Puppy (3,1)

1. Miss Pullen - Blazinbullys Sweet Surprise (Bull Terrier)

RBOB in breed class

2. Mr & Mrs Marshallsay - Fergustaff Staff Sargeant (SBT)

Lovely young dog only 6 months old, but really feeling the cold and losing his topline. He has all the essentials and lots of potential. Liked his head, showed well developed cheeks, good stop and a dark eye. Good depth for his age, and well ribbed, short coupled. Rather uncoordinated today and needing to settle on the move, but you could see it was all there

Veteran (3,1)

1. Mrs Lewis - Komidion Nicklodeon Avec Dajaces ShCM (Cesky)

RBOB in breed class

2. Miss Pullen - Louka Gone Racin (Bull Terrier)

Tough choice between these two lovely veterans, showing himself off well. Good length, depth and fill in to the head, well shaped dark eye, and his rather endearing ear! Lovely depth all through and firm topline, well boned limbs. Just deciding to act like a puppy on the move.

Terrier Group

1. Mr Dennis - Moleschamber Finlaggan (Border)
2. Mrs Marshallsay - Fergustaff Jack Frost (SBT)
3. Mrs Grant - Dannebriel Gladynngodetia (SCWT)
4. Mrs Lewis - Ridley Xanto For Dajaces ShCM (Cesky)

Terrier Puppy Group

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| 1. Mrs Phipps | - | Fair & Brave Great Glen At Tufterslodge (Imp Ita) (JRT) |
| 2. Marshallsay | - | Fergustaff Tudor Queen (SBT) |
| 3. Miss Pullen | - | Blazinbullys Sweet Surprise (Bull T) |
| 4. Mrs & Mrs Anscombe | - | Gameway French Fancy Avec Orangebox (Border) |

Irish Wolfhound

Open (3,2)

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| 1. K Gregory | - | Barrassy's Shooting Star At Killoughery |
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Was very taken with this 11 month old dog, he has an impressive stature combined with balance. Liked him for his overall size, substance and masculinity for one so young. Good length of head, with a lovely dark eye. Clean through the neck, good depth to the brisket and well developed forechest. Well boned limbs. Moving out positively, true and lovely drive – **BOB & BP & Puppy Group 3**

Ibizan Hound

Open Dog (4,3)

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| 1. Carter & Hozempa | - | Ch Amante Runnin On Jamaican Time JW ShCM |
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What a super dog this is, at 6 years old and looking very athletic and rather regal. He is top end for size, but so balanced and well proportioned. So much to appreciate and nice to go over. He has a well proportioned head of good length, lovely almond eye, large erect ears giving off that dignified expression. Good length of neck, and a firm level muscular back. Prominent breastbone with correct depth to the chest. A joy to watch on the move, so true and precise in his footfall – **BOB & Group2**

Open Bitch (4,3)

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| 1. Mr & Mrs Carter | - | Diecisieste Mandarinina At Afilafor ShCM |
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Wow, could not believe that this bitch was over 12 years old. She has what it takes and showed so beautifully. She is so alert and attentive to her handler. Loved her overall size, balance and elegance, so well put together. Such a lovely expressive bitch, she has a fine and long head, using her erect ears giving an intelligent expression. Narrow all through, long neck, firm topline, long limbs and strong pasterns. What a beautiful side gait, not quite as positive behind as her kennel mate, but still very lovely - **RBOB**

Beagle

Graduate (4,2)

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| 1. Mrs & Miss Williams | - | Devonrosesky Galway Girl |
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What a little cracker, fell for this 8 month old tri bitch. She is just so appealing, clean and sound throughout. She has lovely balance and construction, typically sturdy and compact. Found her to have the most feminine of heads, with those dark brown almost pleading eyes, well set long ears all giving a gentle expression. Liked her well developed body, with good depth, well sprung ribs, limbs having rounded bone and tight feet. She held a firm level topline both stood and on the move and well bent stifles. Moving with correct footfall and in harmony with her handler – **BP & RBOB & Puppy Group1**

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| 2. Mrs Barrow | - | Meganjin Eriskay |
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Mature 4 year old bitch, she is balanced in outline just a little heavier all through. She has a pleasing head, good balance of foreface and backskull, with a kind dark eye. Standing a little wider in front, but with good depth of chest and spring to the ribs, holding a firm topline and moving out with good drive

Open (5,3)

1. Mrs & Miss Williams - Eardley Holly Berry At Devonrosesky

Lovely 3 year old tri bitch, and I see mother to my BP. Thought her just lovely, she is so smart and appealing on the stack. Liked her overall balance and femininity. A real showgirl with a natural presence. Pleasing head, which is well proportioned, slightly domed, large dark brown eyes with a hint of mischief. She shows the slight arch to the neck, strength to the body, well boned limbs, and a muscular rear end, which she use to advantage on the move to show her free flowing strides – **BOB & Group3**

2. Mrs Barrow - Meganjin Muckle Flugga ShCM

5 year old dog. Found him to be a compact and sturdy dog and all male. He has a confident and happy demeanour. Masculine head showing strength but not being overdone. With a lovely dark eye, a little more dewlap, enough neck, super firm level topline, nicely rounded bone, tight feet and moderate rear angulation. Moving out true, not quite the drive of the winner

Dachshund Min Smooth

Puppy (2,0)

1. J Helmann - Janacop Maggie May

9 month old b/t bitch, showing well despite the cold, but which did at times have an effect on her topline. Lovely overall shape, pleasing head, which has good length and tapering nicely, she has a lovely dark eye giving her a keen yet kind expression. Long neck flowing well into her topline, with a well developed forechest, well boned limbs, well developed bum. Wining the class on her free flowing movement today carrying her tail well with a happy action – **BP & Puppy Group 4**

2. Mr Rudkin - Dynastydax Jiminy Cricket

b/t 9 month old dog, another with much to like, today just preferring the movement of the winner. Thought him to be a smart dog, but just not showing himself of to advantage. Liked his head piece, it is well proportioned, he has a good length of neck and well developed through the body with good depth. Well rounded hindquarters. Just needing to settle on the move

Graduate (3,0)

1. Mr Rudkin - Dynastydax Secret Agent

Confident 3 year old b/t dog, certainly a showman and full of confidence. Liked him for his overall size, shape and substance. He has the desired length with good ground clearance. He has a kind expression with lovely dark almond eyes. Clean neck of good length, well developed keel. Firm strong topline. Showing good movement in profile, would like him a little tidier behind. Well shown and in good condition

2. Mr Rudkin - Dynastydax Tiger Lilly

Just 2 years old this red bitch has a lovely shape when stacked, just a little unsettled today. She has a pleasing head, with correct conical shape, good length of neck, good body proportions, with depth to the brisket and well developed forechest, at times losing her topline. Nicely rounded rear end in good condition

3. J Helmann - Bronia Ramona

Open (3,0)

Close decision between these the first two

1. Mr Rudkin - Dynastydax Periwinkle JW

Red bitch coming up 2 years old. Thought her to be a smart, compact, and balanced with the desired body proportions. Feeling the cold today when stood, but all coming together on the move. She has a lovely feminine head, which is well proportioned. Her neck is of a good length and flowing well into her well placed shoulders. Having the desired prosternum, like that her ribs are carried well back, firm topline when settled, and with strong broad hindquarters, moving out with drive and purpose - **BOB**

2. Mrs Tree - Ardenrun Sea Shanty By Keimantree

A 4 year old red bitch with much to admire, nit picking between first and second. She holds herself with an air of dignity and confidence. Keeping her body lines both stood and on the move. She has an appealing head, kind expression, good bite and well proportioned. Her long neck merging with her firm topline. Well developed through the body. Just losing out today as not as tidy in hind action, she is lovely in profile with a proud head carriage and firm topline – **RBOB, delighted to watch her win 'Best' RBOB in Show**

3. J Helmann - Argent Lady

Basset Hound

Open (1,0)

1. Mrs Wilding - Nelgus Wild Jasmine

Smart 21 month old tri bitch. Loved that this young bitch had substance but was not overdone or exaggerated, nothing to excess. She is happy and outgoing with a touch of stubbornness. She has a lovely lean head nicely domed, good depth to the flews and with a dark eye. Liked her overall depth, showing good strength to the body, with a well developed forechest and well boned limbs. Her well muscled hindquarters enabled her to show an effortless and driving gait – **BOB & Group4**

Bloodhound

Puppy (3,2)

1. Burnside & Manley - Houndseeker Amber (AI)

Super 9 month old red bitch. She did not make it easy for her handler, but what a lovely bitch. Typical head, long and lean and well proportioned, with a good depth to the flew. She has lovely strength and depth all through, with the brisket being well let down and forechest well developed. Liked her nicely rounded bone, strong pasterns and well knuckled feet. Her hindquarters show a well bent stifle. Showing the elastic gait on the move, true and flowing **BOB & BP & Puppy Group2**

AV Hound Puppy (5,3)

Unfortunately neither of these puppies wanted to cooperated with their handler today

1. Mrs Prowse - Crosscop One Step Closer To Freehamlet (Whippet)

Winner a 7 month old whippet bitch. When stood she had a graceful outline and starting to mature through the body. Her head is feminine, also being of a good length and lean. Chest starting to drop, good bend of stifle. Tending to level out her topline on the move but showed great drive from the rear

2. Miss Clark - Houndseeker Amulet (Bloodhound)

9 month old B/T Bloodhound bitch, and she certainly was showing her stubborn side! When she did decide to cooperated, she has a lovely shape, with much depth and well bodied for her age. Liked her well boned limbs and well knuckled feet. Firm topline. Very difficult to assess on the move, as she decided not to, such a shame

AV Hound Veteran (8,4)

1. Mrs & Miss Williams - Brydea Bertie At Devonrosesky (Beagle)

Sturdy and well built 7 year old Beagle dog. What a showman this veteran lad is. You could see he was having a fab time being a show off. He is a little heavier all through, but with a lovely outline. Handsome head and well balanced, a lovely dark eye an a cheeky expression. Strong neck, firm level topline, well boned limbs, lovely depth through the body, well muscled hindquarters. Strode around the ring like he owned it - **BV**

2. Mr & Mrs Carter - Diecisiete Mandarinina At Afilafor ShCM (Ibizan)

RBOB in breed class

3. Mrs Barrow - Milliekai Phoenix At Meganjin ShCM (Beagle)

AVNSC Hound

Open (5,3)

1. Mrs Haines - Plushcourt The Crusader (Podengo)

Fawn & White smooth coated Podengo dog, just 6 months old with not a care in the world, he is alert and keen in his bearing with a cheeky nature. Pleasing wedge shaped head, very mobile and well used ears, dark expressive eyes. His body is developing nicely. Moving out soundly

2. Mrs Cross - Kinabula's Lalique With Pedara (Cirneco Dell'Etna)

20 month old bitch, such a shame she was so unsettled, perhaps due to the cold. Her outline is elegant and shapely. Liked her overall size and construction, being square in outline. Lovely typical head, well placed ears. Her chest is nearly to the elbow, just roaching her topline slightly today. Correct moderate bend to the stifle. Not very settled on the move, but showed a springy step

Hound Group

1. Lawrence & Woodward- Palmik Kandalama Dusk Till Dawn JW (Whippet)

What a super bitch, just loved her. A very attractively marked brindle and white. She is the picture of elegance and grace. Quality head with good balance, long and lean, well placed ears and a kind eye. Her long slightly arched neck flowing well into a well held topline with the slight arch over the loin. Nothing is overdone, just a series of gentle curves. She has good depth to the ribcage and well developed forechest. Her hindquarters show power and strength, the stifle being well bent and in peak muscular fitness. A joy to watch on the move, true from all angles and with a long daisy cutting stride.

2. Carter & Hozempa - Ch Amante Runnin On Jamaican Time JW ShCM (Ibizan)

3. Mrs & Miss Williams - Eardley Holly Berry At Devonrosesky (Beagle)

4. Mrs Wilding - Nelgus Wild Jasmine (Basset)

Hound Puppy Group

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2. Burnside & Manley - Houndseeker Amber (AI) (Bloodhound)

3. K Gregory - Barrassy's Shooting Star At Killoughery (Irish Wolfhound)

4. J Helmann - Janacop Maggie May (Dachshund)

AV Open Stakes (49,)

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| 1. Carter & Hozempa | - | Ch Amante Runnin On Jamaican Time JW ShCM (Ibizan) |
| 2. Mr & Mrs Cadwell | - | Jubiwell Bal Maiden (Sussex Spaniel) |
| 3. Fenn & Foster | - | Chalksville Cool Running Over Janeburn ShCM (GSD) |

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24 February 2018

As a last minute replacement judge I would like to thank the Committee for inviting me to judge Whippets at their Open show and also for the exhibitors for braving up to minus temperatures to show under me.

WHIPPETS

Puppy (2)

1. Prowse, Cossop One Step Closer to Freehamlet. 7mth old fawn with white trim bitch. Very feminine and elegant. Well proportioned and constructed. Nicely balanced. Moved well although the cold was obviously unsettling her. **BP**

2. Kirtland, Jupiter Juno. D

Junior (3,1)

1. Barnes, Doddridge Mo'et. 14mth old blue brindle bitch. Elegant with beautiful flowing lines. Well balanced angulation. Good muscle tone. Lovely mover with good extension. **RBOB**

2. Kirtland, Erinnis Stargazer. D

Open Dog (9,4)

1. Prowse, Freehamlet Perfick Peter SHCM. Fawn with white trim. Lovely masculine head into long neck and correct shoulder placement. Good muscle tone. Moved well with drive.

2. Kirtland, Copsebury Comedy Chaos.

3. Lawrence & Woodward, Bryntreia First Glance SHCM.

Open Bitch (6,3)

1. Lawrence & Woodward, Palmik Kandalama Dusk Till Dawn JW. Brindle with white trim. Very feminine, curvy and well laid shoulders. Very good mover with a long easy stride. **BOB and HG1**

2. Prowse, Supeta's Ice Baby of Freehamlet.

3. Southcott, Travellerways Destiny.

Karen Gallie

Judge