

Okehampton & District Canine Society

Premier Open Show 22nd September 2019

I should like to thank the Committee for inviting me to judge at their prestigious Premier Open Show, also to thank my able Steward, Gordon Brewer, who made everything flow like clockwork.

Thank you to the exhibitors for entering and bringing their dogs for me to go over. I was very pleased with my Terrier Group, Working Group, BIS, RBIS, BVIS and Best Reserve Best of Breed in Show.

BIS - the GSD; Fenn & Foster's Chalksville Cool Running over Jandeburn ShCM ShCEX. An outstanding male who commanded the ring as soon as he entered, a rich Black & Tan with a clean, hard, dense outer coat and thick undercoat. Proportionate clean cut head with wedge shaped muzzle, dark almond shaped eyes with alert expression, perfect scissor bite with strong healthy teeth, full dentition. Clean neck flowing to well laid shoulders, parallel forequarters leading to arched feet. Excellent topline with correct fall, set on tail. Well muscled hindquarters. Sound mover covering the ground well. Fit for function.

RBIS - the Dobermann; Pilgrim's Swnydwr Snapchat at Woodbriar. Very feminine bitch with an outstanding outline, who didn't put a foot wrong and at one with her handler. Black and correctly marked rust markings. Wedge shaped head in proportion with body and clean cut with good depth of muzzle, almond shaped dark eye. Scissor bite, straight front, cat like feet. Overall body square in outline, short back, well muscled hindquarters, powerful driving movement.

Best Puppy in Show - the WHW; Minett's Duskhunter Shines Bright. 9 month old bitch, very pretty and confident with a gleaming jacket. Took everything in her stride. Head thickly coated, good defined stop, dark expressive eyes, small erect ears. Correct scissor bite. Set on long neck leading to sloping shoulders, elbows close to body, short forelegs and straight. Compact body, deep chest, well muscled hindquarters. Moved freely with purpose.

Reserve Best Puppy - the Cocker Spaniel; Green & Brain's Cachel Pop the Question to Meloneras. 11 month old Blue Roan bitch with square chiselled head, dark expressive eyes. Correct ear set, scissor bite,

good length of neck leading to sloping shoulders, well boned forequarters. Cat like feet, compact and deep brisket, muscular hindquarters, good tail set. Excellent driving movement.

Best Veteran - the Airedale; Webber's Sherifs Red Hot ShCM. 7 year old dog in very good, sound condition. On his toes all the time and attentive to his handler. Excellent head with dark eyes, correct v-shaped ears, scissor bite. Dense, wiry coat, well laid back shoulders with compact feet. Short back with well sprung ribs, well muscled hindquarters, powerful movement.

Res Best Veteran in Show - the Japanese Shiba Inu; Davies' We-Sedso Enjoy For Narocka (Imp). 8 ½ year old Black and Red dog with the blackest outer coat and dense undercoat, correct Red markings. Typical head shape, almond shaped dark eyes, small pricked ears. Scissor bite, arched neck leading to sloping shoulders, sloping pasterns, cat like feet. Moved with purpose.

Best Reserve Best of Breed in Show - the Alaskan Malamute; York's Chardicea Mr McFly with Snowstruck. All male dog and cheeky chappie, full of character, heavily boned and powerfully built. Powerful head, almond shaped eyes, scissor bite. Strong powerful body, gently sloping topline, well muscled hindquarters, correct movement with drive. Well handled.

Part Working Group:

Working Group

G1 - Dobermann. Pilgrim's Swnydwr Snapchat at Woodbriar.

G2 - Boxer. Burnett & Kelly's Lahaina Sushetime with Casemates JW ShCM. Red/white bitch with correct head proportions, pigmented dark kind eye, dark mask, correct mouth and lip placement, excellent stop and rise of skull. Posed a picture in outline. Moved well with drive.

G3 - Newfoundland. Newton's Stelamah Quiang at Shlarra JW ShCM

G4 - Great Dane. Newton's Shlarra Smooth Mover JW ShCM

Working Group Puppy

G1 - Great Dane. Ryan & George's Keirkane Poetry in Motion

G2 - St Bernard. Davey's Kosmo Dogs Faith in a Wonder at Starsentinel (Imp)

G3 - Leonberger. Skilling & Folkes' Dacfolke Hakahawk

G4 - Dobermann. Phillips' Sapphire the Great

Best Reserve Best of Breed in Working Group

Alaskan Malamute. York's Chardicea Mr McFly with Snowstruck

Great Dane (2) (1)

Post Graduate

1st - Ryan & George's Keirkane's Poetry in Motion. 11 month old Fawn bitch, excellent head with correct slight indentation up the centre, dark eyes, scissor bite, well set ears. Long arched neck leading to well set in shoulders, cat like feet. Ribs well sprung, kept topline on movement. RBOB, BPB, Puppy Group G1.

Open (2) (1)

1st - Newton's Shlarra Smooth Mover JW ShCM. Fawn dog, outgoing and majestic. Correct head with broad muzzle, medium round dark eyes, correct ear set, scissor bite. Clean, arched neck, correctly leading to well set shoulders, cat like feet. Ribs well sprung, back and loin strong, well muscled hindquarters, well developed second thigh. Covering ground movement and holding topline BOB G4

Dobermann

Post Graduate (2) (2)

1st - Capell's Ruholfia Jasmine in Llepac. Brown bitch correct head and eye, scissor bite, good length of neck, cat like feet, square body in

outline, well muscled hindquarters. Moved with drive, although a little wide in front. RBOB

2nd - Phillips' Sapphire the Great. 6 month old raw puppy and full of fun. Up to size Black and Rust dog, with good head and eye, scissor bite, square outline. Erratic on the move, hopefully in time will settle. Best Puppy, Puppy Group G4.

Open (1)

1st - Pilgrim's Swnydwr Snapchat at Woodbriar. BOB, G1 & Res BIS

Alaskan Malamute

Post Grad (4) (1)

1st - York's Chardicea Mr McFly with Snowstruck. RBOB, Best Reserve BOB in Working Group, Best Reserve Best of Breed in Show

2nd - Woodgate's Snowshoes Mountain Ranger. Smaller dog than 1, good head, almond shaped eyes, scissor bite. Looks good in profile, a little wide in front on the move.

3rd - Smith's Snowshoes Chasing Rainbows

Open dog (4) (1)

1st - Smith's Snowshoes Telmarine King. Good head, eyes and scissor bite, short pasterns, compact feet. Moved well.

2nd - Tippett's Cristakell Quin Julius at Snowtip ShCM. Taller dog than 1, head broad and powerful, almond shaped eyes, scissor bite, compact feet, sloping back, adequate hindquarters. Steady mover.

3rd - Woodgate's Snowshoes Ring Presence

Open Bitch (3) (2)

1st - Smith's Snowshoes The White Witch. In lovely condition, pretty headed bitch, good eye and head proportions, scissor bite. Moderately arched back leading to straight, slightly sloping, back, short pasterns and compact feet. Well let down muscled hindquarters. Moved well. BOB

Leonberger

Open Dog (3) (1)

1st - Smith's Dacfolke Vagabond ShCM. Large, strong male, head in proportion with body, medium oval shaped dark eyes, scissor bite. Well laid back shoulders, straight back, well muscled hindquarters. Moved well. Res BOB

2nd - Skilling & Folkes' Dacfolke Hakahawk. 6 month old dog, giving a lot away in age to 1. Good head, eye and mouth. Good muscle tone on body and hindquarters for age. Moved well - promising youngster. BPIB, Puppy Group G3

Open Bitch (2)

1st - Smith's Dacfolke Odina. Typical head, eye and scissor bite. Shoulders well laid back, tight round feet, straight back. Well muscled, moved well. BOB

2nd - Skilling & Folkes' Dacfolke Haukuharuko. Litter sister to 2nd in Open Dog, raw puppy a little overawed today. Having said that, good head, feet and right amount of muscle for age. Moved OK.

Newfoundland

Open (3) (2)

1st - Newton's Stelamah Quiang At Shlarra JW ShCM. Densely double coated dog, broad clean cut head with dark eye, scissor bite. Strong neck leading onto well set shoulders, level topline, webbed feet. Rolling gait on the move. BOB, G3

Rottweiler

Graduate (1)

1st - Marker & Mahoney's Jaegerot Smooth Criminal. Excitable boy, full of bounce. Tall, good head, almond shaped dark eye, scissor bite. Good top and undercoat, muscled hindquarters. Difficult to assess movement as a little erratic. Happy temperament. RBOB

Open (1)

1st - Vick's Ava von der Alten Festung at Vickangels JW. Compact bitch with good bone, feminine head with good proportions, correct and complete dentition. Straight front, moderate forechest, back straight, well muscled quarters. Moved well. BOB

Bullmastiff

Puppy (2)

1st - Horton & Williams' Gertlush Bella Donna. 11 ½ month old bitch, feminine head with short muzzle, medium size Hazel eyes, v-shaped ear, good mouth. Moderate length neck, short back, compact, catlike feet, well muscled quarters. Moved well. BOB, BPIB

2nd - Cox's Alonzobar Wile Ecoyote at Rainwilds. 9 month old brindle dog, up to size, lively. Longer cast head, medium dark eye, good mouth. Level back, erratic on the move.

Open (3) (1)

1st - Irwin & Sheppard's Birma Chobienia Forest. Bitch with good head, eye and mouth. A little apprehensive, stood and on the move. Good front and feet, short back, good hindquarters. RBOB

2nd - Cox's Ardhub Gibson at Rainwilds. Dog with good head, eye. Wide chest, cat like feet, short back. Moved OK.

Bernese Mountain Dog

Post Graduate (3) (2)

1st - James' Arvella Miss Money Penny. 3 year old bitch, correctly marked, excellent head, with dark almond shaped eyes, scissor bite. Medium length neck, compact body, good front and feet. Well muscled in beautiful clean coat. Moved well. BOB

Canadian Eskimo Dog

Post Graduate (2) (1)

1st - Heyes' Qimugta Winston at Chillipaws. 11 month old brown dog, enjoying his day out. Good head, eye, with scissor bite. Tapered muzzle, well laid back shoulders, well arched feet, and body well muscled. Moved well. RBOB, BPIB

Open (1)

1st - Heyes' PL NL CH Arcticide Qimmiq Tlun at Chillipaws. Well proportioned, broad and wedge shaped head, good eye, ear and scissor bite. Well laid back shoulder, arched feet, level back. Moved well. BOB - I preferred the maturity of Open dog.

Siberian Husky

Post Graduate (1)

1st - Crowther's Kobuk Foxtail Lily. Beautiful tan/white double coated bitch. Fox like head with almond shaped eyes, scissor bite. Well laid back shoulder, level topline, well sprung ribs, with slight rise to loin, well muscled hindquarters. Moved well, handled well. BOB

Open (2)

1st - Heyes' Amical Theo at Chillipaws. Good head with almond shaped eyes, lovely double coat, level topline, well sprung ribs, well muscled hindquarters. Moved OK. RBOB

2nd - Crowther's Kobuk Midnight Stargazer ShCM. 8 year old dog, medium sized, head in proportion with body, eyes one of each colour, scissor bite, good front, level topline. Moved well.

AVNSC Working

Open (2)

The 2 bitches are from the same kennel and are very different. I liked different things about them. My placings reflected maturity and I'm sure they will swap places many times.

1st - St Bernard. Davey's Kosmo Dogs Tuscany at Starsentinel (Imp). Distinctly marked bitch, large head, cheeks flat, medium sized eyes, scissor bite. Muscular neck, well laid back shoulders, strong level back. Moved well. BAVNSC

2nd - St Bernard. Davey's Kosmos Dogs Faith in a Wonder at Starsentinel. Another distinctly marked bitch with good head, eyes and scissor bite. Sloping shoulders, flat back, and moved well. Only a young bitch and maturing nicely. RBAVNSC, BPAVNSC

AV Working Veteran (5) (2)

1st - Dobermann. Pilgrim's Firefly ShCM. 9 year old bitch in excellent condition, not a sign of grey hair, retaining a feminine wedge shaped head, almond shaped dark eyes that still show alertness, scissor bite. Long neck leading to short back, good front, cat like feet. Moved and handled well.

2nd - Newfoundland. Carter's Bearhugs Courage. 7 year old dog, good head with short muzzle and clean cut. Dark eye and scissor bite, level topline. Moved well.

3rd - Siberian Husky. Crowther's Kobuk Midnight Stargazer ShCM

Terrier Group

G1 - Irish Terrier. Rundle & Williams' CH Sidewater Sea Fury. Stood out in the group. Excellent headed dog with alert expression, correct ear set, dark eye, scissor bite. Elegant long neck leading to well laid back shoulders, straight front, round arched feet, strong straight back. Arched over loin, muscular hindquarters, wiry well groomed coat. Excellent mover.

G2- Airedale. Webber's Sherifs Red Hot ShCM

G3- Bedlington Terrier. McManus' L'end Show Mystery Universe JW ShCM (Imp). Dog with ring presence, excellent head proportion, bright eyes and good ear carriage. Straight front, with correct pasterns, long neck leading to well laid shoulders, arch over loin. Correct tail set. Moved well.

G4- Cesky Terrier. Lewis' Komidion Nickelodeon Avec Dajaces. Good furnished head, defined stop, dark eye and nose, complete scissor bite. Elegant, muscular long neck into well laid shoulders, straight front legs, rounded arched feet, good length of back with rise to well arched loin, well muscled hindquarters. Good driving movement.

Terrier Puppy Group

G1- WHWT. Minett's Duskhunter Shines Bright. BPIS

G2- Soft Coated Wheaten Terrier. Grant's Dannebriel Magic Minerva. 6 month old bitch, enjoying her day out in baby coat. Lovely head, full of coat, well defined stop with scissor bite, bright dark eyes. Arched

neck leading to well placed shoulders, compact body. Went well around the ring.

G3- Mini Bull Terrier. Marshallsay's Risibully Wouldn't It Be Nice with Fergustaff. 7 month old outgoing youngster, up to size. Typical head, dark expressive eyes, correctly placed ears. Good front, short back, correct tail set carried well, well muscled hindquarters. Powerful mover, went well around the ring.

G4- Bedlington Terrier. McManus' Travellerway's Brianna. 10 month old bitch, very feminine, head deep and rounded, good eye shape, low set ears, scissor bite. Long neck leading to arched back. Good front with hare feet, well let down hocks. Moved well. Will watch this one with interest.

Best Reserve Best of Breed in Terrier Group

WHWT. Briscoe's Jamabis My Fair Lady. Feminine bitch, typical head with dark eye and correct ear set, scissor bite. Compact body, deep chest, well muscled hindquarters. Moved OK.

Border Terrier

Post Graduate (4) (1)

1st - Phipps' Tufterslodge Wotapndwoz. 18 month old bitch, otter like head, short strong muzzle, dark eye, scissor bite, small v-shaped ears. Good length of neck leading to excellent topline, ribs carried well back, easily spanned, racy hindquarters, straight tail. Moved well.

RBOB

2nd - Freeman's Cedarhill Front of House. 18 month old dog, very similar type to 1. Good head, eye and mouth. Good length of neck

leading to good topline, ribs well back, easily spannable. Preferred the expression of 1.

Open (2)

1st- Dennis' Moleschamber Finlaggan. Dog with excellent head, eye, mouth and ears, straight forelegs. Good length of neck leading to correct length of back, ribs well back, racy hindquarters, easily spanned. Moved and handled well. This dog stood out for me. BOB

2nd- Phipps' Tufterslodge Tea n Cake. Good head, eye and mouth. Good front, just spannable, ribs carried well back. Moved OK.

Staffordshire Bull Terrier

Post Graduate (4) (1)

1st- Corti's Biggleswick Billy No Mates. Substantial Red dog, good head, pronounced cheek muscles, clean stop, dark eye, good mouth. Close coupled, level topline, well muscled hindquarters. Moved well. RBOB

2nd- Hunter's Mournstaffs Magies Leap. Feminine head with dark eye, pronounced cheek muscles and stop. Close coupled body, moved OK.

3rd- Moore's Tiades Naughty and Nice.

Open (4)

1st- Marshallsay's Fergustaff Tudor Queen JW. Red/White bitch, excellent head proportions, pronounced cheek bones, distinct stop, scissor bite. Muscular neck, clean & short. Strong pasterns, tight feet, well sprung ribs. Moved well. BOB

Bedlington Terrier

Post Graduate (3) (1)

1st- McManus' Travellerway's Brianna. RBOB, BPIB, Puppy Group G4

2nd- Poultney's Travellerway's Josiah. Well grown dog, head narrow and rounded, scissor bite. Long neck leading to good shoulders, deep chested, arch over back. Moved well.

Open (1)

1st- McManus' L'end Show Mystery Universe JW ShCM (Imp). BOB, G3

Soft Coated Wheaten Terrier

Post Graduate (1)

1st- Grant's Dannebriel Magic Minerva. BPIB, RBOB, Puppy Group G2

Open (2) (1)

1st- Grant's Dannebriel Gladly Godetia. Feminine bitch, good head and defined stop, square muzzle, clear hazel eyes, v-shaped ears level with top of head. Compact body, well laid back shoulders, well muscled hindquarters in good coat. Moved well. BOB

Bull Terrier

Post Graduate (2) (1)

1st- Malden's Louka Starman. Pure white dog, deep strong head, dark eye, good ear set, scissor bite. Arched neck, good front, short back, well developed second thigh. Moved OK. BOB

Lakeland Terrier

Post Graduate (1)

1st- Down's Kelda Dartmoor Diamond at Brulyn. Smart, petite bitch with attitude. Pretty head, well balanced with broad muzzle, dark eyes, scissor bite. Well laid back shoulders, compact feet, strong back, harsh coat. Moved well. BOB

Smooth Fox Terrier

Open (1)

1st- Rundle's Saradon American Girl. Feminine bitch, good head, eye and ears, complete scissor bite. Clean neck leading to well laid back shoulders, compact feet, level back, muscled hindquarters. Moved well. BOB

Jack Russell Terrier

Post Graduate (4)

1st- Phipps' Katilley Action Packed at Tufterslodge. Tan/white rough coated dog, typical head, well defined stop, full padded muzzle, almond shaped eyes, dropped ears, complete scissor bite. Clean strong neck, well laid back shoulders, padded round feet, level back. Moved well. BOB

2nd- Goldsworthy's Kernow Jacks Penkival Kober. Tri, smooth, bitch enjoying her day. Skull flat which decreased to eyes, good stop, neat eyes, good stop, neat ears, scissor bite. Level back, muscled quarters. Moved well. RBOB

3rd- Goldsworthy's Kernow Gans Kerensa.

Open (2)

1st- Goldsworthy's Kernow Gans Kerensa. Smooth bitch, good head and eye, straight front, level back. Moved well.

2nd- Goldsworthy's Kizzy Kaiya. Tri bitch with docked tail, very similar to 1. Good head, mouth, eyes and ears, level back. Lively on the move.

Parson Russell Terrier

Post Graduate (1)

1st- Sorrell's Tegtaran Teasel Ting. Tan/white rough coated dog, excellent wedge shaped head, almond shaped dark eyes, ears level with eye, scissor bite. Clean neck leading to sloping shoulders, compact feet, ribs carried well back, easily spanned, good angulation, skin thick and loose, undercoated. Moved well. RBOB

Open (1)

1st- Kirkby's Pacolito Recent Rumour. Tan/white, rough coated bitch, pretty, correct head, dark expressive eyes, scissor bite, ears carried well and level with eye. Clean well muscled neck, well set onto well laid back shoulders, in proportion, straight back with loin slightly arched. Well muscled with well developed second thigh. Moved OK. Well handled and schooled. BOB

Cesky Terrier

Post Graduate (1)

1st- Lewis' Janski Philosopher Dajaces. 3 year old dog, good triangle head, defined stop, dark eyes, correct ear set, scissor bite. Clean neck leading to well laid shoulders, level back with rise of loin, well sprung ribs, good coat. Moved well. RBOB

Open (1)

1st- Lewis' Komidion Nickelodeon Avec Dajaces. BOB, G4

Airedale

Post Graduate (3) (1)

1st- Webber's Kaolin Little Miss Sparkle. 7 month old bitch, feminine head of correct shape, dark eye, scissor bite. Neck carried well, well laid back shoulders, straight front, compact feet, short back, right amount of muscle for age, wiry coat. Alert and moved well. RBOB, BPIB

2nd- Down's Crillee Carry on the Crusade at Brulyn. Another good headed dog, correct eye, mouth and ear set. Straight front, well laid back shoulders, short back, muscled quarters. Moved OK.

Open (5) (3)

1st- Webber's Sherifs Red Hot ShCM. BOB, G2, Best Veteran in Show.

2nd- Webber's Jokyl Stars In Her Eyes ShCM. Typical head, eye and ear set, scissor bite. Feminine but similar to 1. Moved OK.

West Highland White Terrier

Post Graduate (3)

1st- Briscoe's Jamabis My Fair Lady. RBOB, Best Reserve Best of Breed in Terrier Group

2nd- Minett's Duskhunter Shines Bright. BPIB, Terrier Puppy Group G1, BP in Show

Open (3) (1)

1st- Briscoe's Jamabis Devon Boy Blue. Good headed dog, dark eye, defined stop, ears could be a little smaller but didn't detract from

overall appearance, scissor bite. Short compact body, deep chest, muscled hindquarters. Owned the ring on movement in good coat. BOB

2nd- Minett's Duskhunter Diamond Lil. Typical, feminine head, dark eye, good ear set, compact body, well muscled quarters. Moved OK.

AVNSC - Terrier Open (3)

1st- Irish Terrier. Rundle & Williams' CH Sidewater Sea Fury. AVNSC Terrier Group 1

2nd- Mini Bull Terrier. Marshallsay's Risibully Wouldn't It Be Nice with Fergustaff. Reserve BAVNSC, BAVNSC Puppy, Puppy Group G3

3rd- Manchester Terrier. Wren's Egloshayle Black Magic.

AV Veteran Terrier (9) (4)

1st- Airedale. Webber's Sherifs Red Hot ShCM.

2nd- Bull Terrier. Pullen's Louka Gone Racin. 9 year old dog in very good condition for age. Typical head, eye and mouth. Short back, muscled hindquarters. Moved well.

3rd- Cesky Terrier. Lewis' Komidion Nickelodeon Avec Dajaces ShCM.

4th- West Highland White Terrier. Cooper's Brorastar Ain't She Sweet.

Judge:

Jen Bowden

Chellowside