

**DARLINGTON DOG SHOW SOCIETY
CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW
SUNDAY 18th SEPTEMBER 2016**

KING CHARLES SPANIEL

Veteran Dog

- 1. Miss S Maddison ALAMBRA RICH RUBY – 9 year old ruby with a broad muzzle and large wide open-nostrils. Slightly arched neck set into a good layback of shoulder, he is well bodied with a good spring of rib and a level topline. He has good depth and width to his chest he moved out freely.**

Minor Puppy Dog

- 1. Miss V Cox PETITPAWS BLACK PRINCE – At just 7 month old he is just a baby but he is compact in body with reasonable spring of rib and a level topline. His head was held high on a medium reach of neck. He has a good length to his ears, large dark eyes, a definite stop and a moderately cushioned muzzle, all in proportion to his size. He has a reasonable length to his coat which was in excellent condition. Once he settled he moved around the ring with drive holding his tail level. Pleased to award him best puppy dog.**

Puppy Dog

- 1. Mrs M Hunter KASAMANDA HENDERSON AT HOOEBARTON – 11 month old tricolour nicely domed skull, large dark eyes and a broad well cushioned muzzle. His head was carried high on a good reach of neck which was set into a good layback of shoulder. He has adequate width and depth to his chest. His back was short and level and he has a good spring of rib. He is straight in front and has a good turn of stifle which allowed him drive once he settled.**
- 2. Miss V Cox PETITPAWS BLACK KNIGHT – 7 month old black and tan, litter brother to the winner of the previous class, slightly longer in body and not as well bodied. He has a level topline, good rear angulation however he needs to tighten up in front. His head is similar to his brother he having a domed skull, with low set ears, large dark eyes, and moderately wide muzzle and he was shown in good coat condition.**

3. Mr & Mrs S C & G A Smith JUSTACHARMA ONE SO MAGIC

Junior Dog

1. Mr W W Moffatt & Mrs J P Robins MAIBEE AN IMPRESSION – A short coupled and cobby 17 month old well broken tricolour. He has large dark round expressive eyes giving a soft expression, square, wide and deep in the muzzle, with wide open nostrils. He has good width and depth to his chest, a level topline and a good spring of rib. Good rear angulation which allowed him to move freely around the ring.

2. Mrs J Coupland TUCHERISH GUILTY VERDICT – Another who presented a nice profile. Level in back with a good turn of stifle, and straight in front. His head is carried on a medium reach of neck which is gently arched. He has a reasonably domed skull, with dark round eyes set well apart, cushioned by a square broad muzzle. He too moved with drive around the ring. I just preferred the coat and finish of the winner.

3. Mr J R Goodwin DIGGLE DANDELION

Post Graduate Dog

1. Mrs L M Gillhespy & Miss E MacInally LORPHIL TREASURE ISLAND – 23 month old well broken tricolour who caught my eye when he entered the ring. He presented a lovely profile, standing four square, short coupled in body with a level topline, a good turn of stifle and straight front legs. He has dark expressive eyes, broad muzzle and wide open nostrils and a define stop. He has good width and depth to his chest, good layback of shoulders and has a good spring of rib. He moved true around the ring carrying his tail level. Pleased to award him the Reserve CC.

2. Messrs R Sproul & J Coburn KHANDRO NO REGRETS – 3 year old tricolour, with a lightly marked coat, slightly higher on the leg than the winner but nevertheless he moved soundly around the ring. He has medium bone, a good spring of rib and he has a level topline which he held on the move. His head is in proportion to his size and he has long low set ears, round dark eyes, good width and depth to his muzzle.

3. Mr & Mrs S C & G A Smith JUSTACHARMA MAGIC IS HERE

Limit Dog

1. Mrs S Byers LANOLA GIORGIO ARMANI WITH SIMANNIE – 2 year old tricolour, another who caught my eye as he entered the ring, he was presented in excellent coat and condition and is short and compact in body. He has a nicely proportioned head with well domed skull, large dark well set eyes, dark pigmented nose with open nostrils, square wide muzzle all framed by low set well feathered ears. His head was carried high on a gently arched neck of medium length which flowed into well laid shoulders. He is well constructed in his forequarters and holds his elbows close to his chest which is of good width and depth. Level in back with correct tail set, he has a good turn of stifle to his rear which allowed him to move freely and with drive.

Pleased to award him the CC and later BOB.

2. Mrs P Clarke STONEPIT SUPER SYDNEY FOR POLTOMIC – 4 year old tricolour, not the finish as the winner however he is short coupled, has a level topline, straight front legs with well-turned stifles to his rear. He has low set ears of good length on a broad domed head which has a wide clear blaze separating his dark round well set eyes and bright tan markings to his cheeks and over his eyes. He too moved with ease around the ring.

3. Mrs L M Gillhespy YAKEE ROYAL TREASURE

Open Dog

1. Mr D & Mrs D M Bailey ALDORICKA THE MAVERICK –

Presented a balanced profile, he moved true both coming and going covering the ground with drive. He has a broad masculine head, large round dark eyes separated by a wide white blaze. He has a broad and deep muzzle with good cushioning to his cheeks. Good depth and width to his chest which allowed his straight front movement coupled with his correctly angulated rear allowed his true parallel movement.

2. Mr W W Moffatt & Mrs J P Robins MAIBEE HORATIO ARAF –

Another tricolour, presented in good coat and condition. Lovely head with large dark eyes, broad blaze, wide and deep muzzle all giving him his soft melting expression. Correctly constructed and angulated rear quarters with a good spring of rib and a level

topline. I just felt he lacked animation on the move despite him wagging his tail as he went around the ring.

3. Mr & Mrs S C & G A Smith CH HEADRA'S TRULY MAGIC AT JUSTACHARMA

Veteran Bitch

1. Mrs J Coupland CH TUCHERISH CLEMENCY – 8 year old tricolour with well broken markings, she has a level topline is short coupled with a good spring of rib and she has adequate width and depth to her chest. Correct domed skull she is very feminine in her head and expression, she has a dark pigmented nose, large dark expressive eyes, is square in muzzle and has low set long well feathered ears. She has medium bone throughout with good rear angulation and well-constructed front which allows her to move with ease keeping her elbows close to her chest.

2. Mr D & Mrs D M Bailey MAIBEE MARGOT AT ALDORICKA – 9 year old Blenheim with well broken markings. She displayed a happy disposition wagging her tail as she moved around the ring. She is well bodied with a level topline and good rear angulation. She has a domed skull with low set ears, a broad white blaze, dark eyes and showing a little greying around the muzzle. As with the winner she had no trouble in covering the ground with ease.

Minor Puppy Bitch

1. Miss V Cox PETITPAWS BLACK PEARL – 7 month old black and tan, litter sister to the winner of the Minor Puppy Dog class and indeed very similar to him in type but feminine. She has medium bone, a level topline, is short coupled with well angulated rear quarters, immature in head but everything in proportion with her body, her head being carried on a medium length of neck. She has bright tan markings and good coat length for her age. She moved confidently around the ring.

2. Mrs M Constable MITAPIP SUNRISE RUBY – An 8 month old who needs to tighten up in front and rear. On standing she is

straight in front but lacks angulation to her rear. She has a level topline and her coat is in good coat condition. She just needs more time to mature as her overall shape and type is there.

Puppy Bitch

1. Mrs M E Kendal & Mrs I M Askins COFTON WINTER TIME TALE AT HEADRA – 11 month old lightly marked Blenheim who presented a lovely outline with her level topline, straight front and well angulated rear quarters. She has a good spring of rib, and has good width and depth to her chest. Her head is carried proudly on a neck of medium length which is set into a good layback of shoulder. Her long ears are set low on a nicely balanced head, with dark round eyes and square well cushioned muzzle and broad blaze giving her an appealing expression. I could not fault her movement and had no hesitation in awarding her Best Puppy Bitch and later Best Puppy. I was pleased to discover later she was awarded Toy Puppy Group 2.

2. Mr & Mrs R S & R K Baker COFTON FAIRY TALE – 11 month old litter sister to winner. She is a well broken tricolour who also displayed good movement. Not the body or coat of her sister but she too is pleasing to the eye. Nice head shape with a broad muzzle, dark nose pigment and dark eyes, broad blaze and low set ears. She has a medium reach of neck, is well ribbed for her age and she too moved true.

3. Mrs J Coupland WINIE OD DVOU DRECHU

Junior Bitch

1. Mrs R Mochrie DOWNSBANK TIGER LILLY JW – 17 month old tricolour who presented a square outline. Level topline, well ribbed up, correct rear angulation with a good turn of stifle. Feminine in head and expression with large dark well set eyes, well cushioned muzzle, medium boned throughout, signs of a good coat to come, moved happily around the ring and with drive.

2. Messrs R Sproul & J Coburn KHANDRO UR MY WORLD – 14 month old who was slightly longer cast than the first, she is straight in front has a level topline and a good spring of rib, good

turn of stifle to her rear and has a well broken coat. Broad skull with a wide blaze and bright tan markings, well cushioned muzzle and low set ears. She too moved true covering the ground with ease.

3. Ms M Dawson & Mrs C Jones POMELO BUTTONS AND BOWS

Post Graduate Bitch

1. Mr & Mrs S C & G A Smith JUSTACHARMA ONE MORE MAGIC – 22 month old well bodied tricolour with solid bone, good width and depth to her chest, broad in the head and wide and deep in muzzle, her ears are of good length and volume, she has medium reach to her gently arched neck which was set into well laid shoulders. She moved true both ways.

2. Messrs R Sproul & J Coburn KHANDRO UR ENUFF – 3 year old Slightly lacking in body and not quite the bone of the winner but all in proportion to her size. She has a nice wide blaze, large dark eyes her head framed by her long low set ears, she moved true both coming and going.

Limit Bitch

1. Mrs L M Gillhespy LORPHIL DESIGN – Tricolour, short and cobby in body with a level topline and a good spring of rib. Well-constructed in her fore and rear quarters with a good turn of stifle and of medium bone throughout. She is balanced in her head proportions with her low set ears, large round dark eyes and wide blaze and broad cushioned muzzle and bright tan markings. She had the best movement in the class.

2. Miss J Matches KHANDRO LA VIE EN ROSE FROM FOCHAI – 3 year old lightly marked tricolour, presented a balanced outline, she has a broad rounded skull with good width to muzzle, a wide blaze and long ears. Medium in bone she has a good spring of rib and is short coupled. She too moved well.

3. Mr R W & Mrs C A Dix BEEWYE PENELOPE PITSTOP

Open Bitch

1. Mr I Willey & Miss C Siddle CH PENEMMA MISTY FOR ME JW – The first two stood out for different reasons and as it is often said could easily change places on another day. The winner, a

nicely marked blenheim displays a balanced profile. Her head, with a moderately domed skull has a broad blaze separating her large dark round eyes which are gently cushioned by a muzzle of adequate width and depth, all framed by her low set ears. Her head is carried on a gently arched neck which flows into her well laid shoulders. She has a level topline, is short coupled and she has a correct front assembly, is well angulated to her rear and she has good depth and width to her chest. She excelled on the move maintaining her parallel movement around the ring, holding her elbows close to her chest. I was pleased to award her the CC.

2. Ms M Dawson & Mrs C Jones CH CWMHAF TE KANAWA – Another quality bitch, presented in good condition. She has well broken markings, is level and short in back and she has a good spring of rib. Her chest is both deep and wide and her shoulders are well laid. She is balanced in her head which has large dark round eyes, a broad blaze and a broad well cushioned muzzle. She has medium bone and is not exaggerated in any way. She too moved true around the ring. I was pleased to award her the Reserve CC

3. Mrs J Coupland TUCHERISH JULIE CHRISTIE

JUDGE IAN SIDGWICK