

**The Northern King Charles Spaniel Club's Championship Show 20. 4. 2013
at Grenoside, Sheffield.**

I want to thank the Show Committee for inviting me to judge at this well run and friendly show. I want to thank all the exhibitors who brought their dogs for me, 153 charlies was a huge entry. I want to thank also my excellent ring steward Ron Stewart who made my job to go so smoothly.

After having judged charlies about 30 years in FCI countries I was honored to judge them the first time on CC level in England. In this huge entry the quality varied a lot. I was pleased with my class winners and in some big classes lovely dogs had to go out cardless. I was looking after a correct size, cobby and sound charlie with beautiful head, correct coat quality, moving well and happy temperament. There were many too big, too long in body, too low tailsets and very narrow rear movements. I was very pleased to see so many quality dogs in puppy classes.

Veteran dog (4, 1) 1. Fry & Jackson's Ch Amantra Cheers, a tri having most beautiful head. Exc size, proportions, good topline and bones. Moving soundly and happily. Lovely temperament. 2. Cross's Mistycote Amos, an other tri having lovely head and expression. Good proportions, moving well in spite of his overweight. A little too curly coat. Happy temperament.

3. Maddison's Tucherish Angelo.

Veteran bitch (8, 1) 1. Fry & Jackson's Ch Amantra Winterberry, lovely, well balanced tri girl. Lovely head and expression. Exc proportions and size, exc body. Moving soundly. Lovely coat & colour. BOB - Veteran. 2. Johnson's Alambra Isa Bella, exc ruby having lovely head and expression. Deep rich colour, shining coat. Exc proportions, body and angulations. Moves

and shows very well. 3. Van den Berg Hage's Ch Royal Desire Midnight Silence.

Minor puppy dog (10) Eddleston's Palandro Theodore, lovely well matured for the age. Exc size, proportions and body. Lovely head and expression. Beautifully marked tri , exc coat quality. Moves well.

2. Melville's Tovarich Take It To The Limit, lovely bl having beautiful head and expression. Lovely eyes. Exc size and proportions. Could have little bite more bones. Moves and shows happily. 3. Hardiman's Tovarich Take A Bow.

Puppy dog (5, 1) Fry & Jackson's Amantra Summer Sunrise, lovely deep rich colour ruby, having exc size and proportions. Exc head, front and body but could have a little better rear angulations. Moves and shows happily.

Best male puppy. 2. Greenwell's El Romeo Z Rosenthalu, exc size and proportions. Lovely head, sweet expression. Could have a little more bones. Deep rich ruby colour. Moves and shows well. Excellent temperament. 3.

Dowson's Caspin's Calico For Pomelo.

Junior dog (7, 3) 1. Smith's Headra's Truly Magic Is Justacharma, lovely tri having beautiful head and expression. Exc size , proportions, bones and angulations. Exc front and body. Moves with good drive. Lovely temperament. 2. Coupland's Tucherish High Treason, lovely tri with beautiful well domed head. Exc size, proportions and topline. Exccoat quality. Could have better tan markings. Moves soundly. Exc temperament. 3.

Gomez's Cavella Casanova At Rozabaron.

Yearling dog (4) 1. Moffat & Robins's Maibee Lowrie, lovely tri, exc type and size. Beautiful well domed head, lovely expression. The eyes could be a little darker. Exc front, bones and angulations. The body will still need some time to mature. Beautifully broken colour. Moves and shows really well. Lovely

temperament. 2. Headra's Truly Magic Is Justacharma. 3. El Romeo Z Rosenthalu.

Novice dog (4, 3) 1. Clarke's Stonepit Brave Bertie At Poltomic, lovely tri, beautiful head and expression. Dark eyes. Exc front, body, topline, bones and angulations. Beautiful colour and coat quality. Moves and shows well. Exc temperament.

Graduate dog (8, 2) 1. Bailey's Aldoricka The Maverick, very sound, most pleasing tri. Exc size and proportions. Lovely head and expression. Exc body, bones and angulations front & rear. Beautiful coat and colour. Moves and shows well. Lovely temperament. 2. Askins & Kendall's Headra's Wedgewood, lovely tri with beautiful head and soft expression. Exc body and angulations. Correct bones. Moves and shows well. Happy temperament. 3. Hopkins's Rexlands Brimstone.

Post graduate dog (11, 2) 1. Eddleston's Patzpetz Dashwood, lovely well matured tri with beautiful head and expression. Exc body, bones and angulations. Moves and shows well. Exc temperament.

2. Pennington's Tudorhurst Corsair, exc type of bt. Most beautiful head and expression. Exc size and proportions. Exc bones. Exc colour and super coat quality. He only needs a little bite more time to mature to full glory. Moves soundly. Exc temperament. 3. Jackson's Amantra Summer Poet.

Limit dog (10, 2) 1. Portingale & Pennington's Tudorhurst Pirate King, lovely bt having beautiful masculine head and expression. Exc size and type. Exc bones and angulations. Deep rich tan markings. Exc coat quality. Happy temperament moving very well. 2.

Naylor's Maenan Mr Moonlight, exc type tri with lovely head and expression. Exc size and proportions. Exc body and angulations. Nicely

broken colour. Moves and shows happily. 3. Smith's Justacharma Oh So Magic.

Open dog (5, 1) 1. Moffat & Robins's Ch Maibee Theo, a tri dog oozing quality. Super size and proportions. Lovely head, melting expression. Exc body and topline, bones and angulations. Moves and shows so soundly. Exc coat quality and colour. Happy temperament. CC & BIS. 2. Fry & Jackson's Amantra Oliver Twist, beautiful ruby with lovely head and expression. Exc size and proportions, bones and angulations. Exc shiny coat quality. Moves soundly . Lovely temperament. 3. Pennington's Chateau Tudorhurst De La Montagne Ensoleillee.

Special open BT & Ruby dog (5, 2) 1. Gillhespy's Ch Tucherish Sundance , most beautiful bt oozing quality and type. Lovely head, melting expression. Exc size and proportions. Exc body, bones and angulations. Lovely colour and coat. Moves well. Happy temperament. Res CC. 2. Mallows & Gillhespy's Binglui Berlington Bertie, lovely ruby with beautiful head and expression. Exc size and proportions. Correct topline. Moves and shows well. Lovely temperament. 3. Thorn & Kean's Silverhome Basil.

Special open BL & Tri dog (6, 2) 1. East's Tewhit Thumps Up, exc type, most beautiful head, melting expression. Excsize and proportions. Lovely tri colour. Exc topline also in moving eventhough he has some overweight today. Wonderful temperament. 2. Morris's Palandro Winter Robin At Raytrix, lovely tri. Beautiful head and expression. Excsize and proportions. Good bones and angulations. Moves and shows well. Kind temperament. 3. Morris's Lichen Windstar At Raytrix.

Minor puppy bitch (5, 1) 1. Coupland's Tucherish Julie Christie, super quality tri puppy. Lovely head, melting expression. Lovely

size, exc proportions, bones and angulations. Lovely, nicely broken colour, quality coat. Sound body and movement. Lovely temperament.

2. Eddleston's Palandro Thea, exc type, size and proportions. Lovely head, sweet expression. Good bones and angulations. Exc tri colour and coat quality. Moves and shows happily. 3. Hinson's Kerizma Karousel.

Puppy bitch (8, 2) 1. Gillhespy's Lorphill Lady Godiva, exc quality and type tri girl. Exc size and proportions, topline and angulations. Lovely head, sweet expression. Exc coat quality. Moves soundly, shows well. Happy temperament. BIS Puppy. 2. Carter & Davidson's Lorphil Lady Megginich, litter sister of the first one and that showed. Lovely type, melting expression. Sound body and movement. Lovely colour and coat. Happy temperament.

3. Southam's Lewiscarol Roses Are Red.

Junior bitch (8) 1. Smith's Rexlands Camomile Is Justacharma, lovely bl. Correct size and type. Beautiful head, sweet expression. Exc body for the age. Exc front, topline, bones and angulations. Happy mover and temperament. 2. Moffat & Robins's Maibee Jessica, exc type and size, most beautiful head, lovely expression. A little longer in body than the first one. Exc topline and angulations. Beautiful colour and coat quality. Moves very soundly. Happy temperament. 3. Goodwin's Phydeaux Royal Rose For Diggle.

Yearling bitch (3, 1) 1. Rushton's Amantra Summer Cherub, lovely bl, exc type and size, exc proportions. Lovely head and expression. Good bones and angulations. Moves and shows very well . Happy temperament. 2. Greenwell's Cavella Cupcake For Patzpetz, lovely bt having exc size and type. Lovely head, sweet expression. Exc front and body. Could have a little better angulations behind. Lovely temperament.

Novice bitch (4, 1) Gillhespy's Downsbank Designed for Lorphil, lovely type of bl. Beautiful head and expression. Excsize and proportions. Exc boby and topline. Well angulated front and rear.

Beautiful colour and coat quality. Moves very soundly. Happy temperament.

2. Phydeaux Royal Rose For Diggle, lovely bl girl, nice head and expression. Exc topline, good bones and angulations. Beautiful colour and coat. Moves and shows very well. Happy temperament.

3. Fry & Jackson's Amantra Chenin Blanc.

Graduate bitch (6, 1) 1. Johnson's Headra's Delphine At Alambra, lovely type tri, beautiful head sweet expression. Correct size and proportions. Exc angulations. Sound mover, shows well. Happy

temperament. 2. Askins & Kendall's Headra's Caverswall, lovely bl, beautiful head and expression. Exc size and topline. A little long at loin. Exc bones and angulations. Lovely chestnut colour. Moves soundly. Happy temperament. 3. Essex's Tudorhurst Beatrice At Brendek.

Post graduate bitch (9, 2) 1. Leach's Ouzlewell's Carte D'Amour, lovely, very cobby bl. Lovely head and expression. Exc front and topline. Well angulated. Moves soundly, shows happily. Lovely temperament. 2.

Johnson's Alambra Rubies N Jade, lovely ruby, beautiful well domed head. Sweet expression. Exc cobby body, exc front. Beautiful deep colour. Moves and shows very well. Pleasant temperament.

3. Portingale & Penninton's Tudorhurst Black Swan.

Limit bitch (10, 2) 1. Coupland's Tucherish Clemency, super quality tri bitch. Exc type and size. Beautiful head, lovely expression. Exc cobby body, lovely arched neck. Exc topline, bones and angulations. Lovely colour and coat quality. Moves soundly. Shows well. Kind temperament. CC and RES

BIS. 2. Robinson's Baldragon All About Me, tri of lovely type and size.

Beautiful head and sweet expression. Could have a little more neck. Exc body, topline, bones and angulations. Moves and shows happily. Exc temperament.

3. Johnson's Alambra Rubies N Emeralds.

Open bitch (7, 2) 1. Goodwin's Ch Maibee Clementine Of Lanola, excellent type and quality. Lovely size and proportions, really cobby. Lovely head and expression. Exc bones and angulations. Lovely tri markings. Moves and shows beautifully. Exc temperament. RES CC.

2. Portingale & Pennington's Folle D'Amour Pour Trois De La

Montagne Ensoleillee Of Tudorhurst, lovely bt, exc size and type. Lovely head, sweet expression. Exc proportions. Beautiful colour and coat quality. Moves soundly, shows well. Lovely temperament.

3. Willie & Siddle's Penemma Sweet Dream.

Special open BT and Ruby bitch (8, 2)

1. Gillhespy's Ch Tucherish Lucretia Borgia, lovely bt, exc type and size.

Beautiful head and expression. Exc proportions and body. Moves soundly, shows well. Not at her best coat today. Happy temperament.

2. Mallow's Binglui Ruby Junella, lovely ruby. Exc head, soft

expression. Exc size, body and proportions. Beautiful deep colour. Moves and shows really well.

3. Goodwin's Amantra Queen Of Clubs At Diggle.

Special open BL and TRI bitch (4, 2) 1. Robinson's Baldragon Heaven Scent, lovely tri girl, beautiful head and expression. Nice size and proportions. Exc body and topline. Moves and shows very well. Happy

temperament. 2. Thorn's Danyas Twinkle Of Daddys Eye. Nice tri girl. Lovely head and expression. Strong body. Good front, could be better angulated behind. Moves and shows happily. Lovely temperament.

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