

South Wales October 2013 - King Charles Spaniels Judge Bob Rushton (Tiflin)

DCC HEADRA'S CHOCOLATE D LITE Breed: King Charles Spaniel (MRS I M & MRS M E, MISS I, MRS V ASKINS, KENDALL & VILLILA)

RDCC HEADRA'S TRULY MAGIC IS JUSTACHARMA Breed: King Charles Spaniel (MR & MRS S C & G A J SMITH)

BCC DOWNSBANK EVENSONG Breed: King Charles Spaniel (MRS R MOCHRIE)

RBCC CH MAIBEE CLEMENTINE OF LANOLA SHCM Breed: King Charles Spaniel (MR S R GOODWIN)

BOB HEADRA'S CHOCOLATE D LITE Breed: King Charles Spaniel (MRS I M & MRS M E, MISS I, MRS V ASKINS, KENDALL & VILLILA)

BP AMANTRA TREASURY Breed: King Charles Spaniel (MRS D & MRS T M FRY & JACKSON)

Introduction

Breed type is important for maintenance of the breed. Without careful attention to the details of the breed standard, and what this translates to in the actual dogs; the breed will eventually be lost. A cute spaniel or a well moving spaniel is not necessarily a good King Charles Spaniel. Movement and construction is important for the health of the breed. Where a dog has constructional faults and lacks type then the judge should have the courage to withhold to ensure type is maintained. I withheld 1st and 2nd in Junior dog because the dogs lacked type, and both had serious constructional faults that were serious enough to affect their movement. The breeder of one of the dogs has contacted me in astonishment that the dog was not better placed, suggesting I should have placed her dog higher because other judges have done so consistently. If this is true, it's a sad thing for the breed.

Minor Puppy - Dog Entries: 4 Absentees: 0

1ST KASAMANDA WISHING ON A STAR (MR T W & MRS C A HARDIMAN)

Blenheim. Head large in proportion to body, well proportioned body, lips just neatly meeting, dark eye, well defined stop, good rise over eyes. Movement free and easy, deep chest, level back. Correct angulation front and rear.

2ND MAYNORTH SHADES OF HEAVEN (MRS M HUNTER)

6 month old ruby dog, good body shape, correct angulations, moved well, needs to develop in some areas.

3RD MAYNORTH GIFT FROM HEAVEN TAF (MR R SALGUERO)

RES TOMODACHI OF ALAMBRA IMP ITA (LADY S JOHNSON)

Puppy - Dog Entries: 4 Absentees: 0

1ST AMANTRA TREASURY (MRS D & MRS T M FRY & JACKSON)

Excellent breed type, correct head, with large dome, correct lips that finish the face correctly, dark eye, appealing expression, good body shape, with deep broad chest, typical in the King Charles. Well constructed with correct angulation front and rear, moved with drive, most appealing dog. - Best Puppy preferred the puppy to the minor puppy on maturity and dog over the bitch when choosing Best Puppy because of type and quality. The bitch being very good in both, the dog being excellent at this point in time.

2ND ALAMBRA HERE IS MAGIC FOR JUSTACHARMA (MR & MRS S C & G A J SMITH)

Ruby dog of good type with pleasing expression, level back, well constructed. Just preferred head and chest of one.

3RD MAYNORTH GIFT FROM HEAVEN TAF (MR R SALGUERO)

RES TOVARICH TAKE A CHANCE ON ME (MR T W & MRS C A HARDIMAN)

Junior - Dog Entries: 2 Absentees: 0

3RD CASPIN'S CALICO FOR POMELO (MS M R & MRS C M DAWSON & JONES)

RES KERIZMA KESTREL (MISS D M PEARCE)

Post Graduate - Dog Entries: 8 Absentees: 2

1ST HEADRA'S TRULY MAGIC IS JUSTACHARMA (MR & MRS S C & G A J SMITH)

Well balanced tri dog, well proportioned with deep chest and excellent construction, resulting in flowing movement. Well proportioned head, with dark eye and pleasing expression, good rise over the eyes, long ear fringing. This dog also has good ring presence and should do well in the future. RCC

2ND DOWNSBANK MONTGOMERY (MRS R MOCHRIE)

18 month Blenheim Dog, large head, dark eye, well constructed, and moved well. Needs a little more covering at the moment, but this should come.

3RD MARJANIEMEN IVORY'S LEGACY (IMP FIN) (MRS Y SOUTHAM)

RES CAVELLA COOKIE OF CWMTIRION (MRS M D & MISS C L S PASCOE)

VHC DOWNSBANK FLETCHER (MR R SALGUERO)

Limit – Dog

Entries: 9 Absentees: 1

1ST DOWNSBANK GUTHRIE (MRS R MOCHRIE)

Tri Dog, 18 months old, deep and broad typical King Charles Spaniel chest (lacking in many). Well constructed with correct angulation front and rear. Good head and appealing expression, dark eye. More covering than 2nd .

2ND AMANTRA SUMMER POET (MRS T M JACKSON)

Blenheim dog, well broken markings, typical head with good dome and appealing expression. Preferred the movement of 1st place dog on the day.

3RD JUSTACHARMA OH SO MAGIC JW (MR & MRS S C & G A J SMITH)

RES DOWNSBANK BILBO BAGGINS (MR R SALGUERO)

VHC CWMTIRION LITTLE BOY PEEP (MRS M D & MISS C L S PASCOE)

Open - Dog Entries: 5 Absentees: 0

1ST HEADRA'S CHOCOLATE D LITE (MRS I M & MRS M E, MISS I, MRS V ASKINS, KENDALL & VILLILA)

Lovely 6 year old tri dog. Fully matured, shown in superb condition. Good dome of head with plenty of rise above eyes, correct lips that neatly covered muzzle. Dark eye and kind pleasing expression. Well proportioned dog with correct angulation front and rear, level back, correct angle of croup. Deep broad typical chest, short in loin giving cobby appearance. Moved enthusiastically and with drive. Dog CC and BOB.

I preferred this dog over the RCC winner on maturity and exuberance. The RCC winner is young and will develop over time in to a CC winning dog. Prefer the dog CC winner over the bitch CC winner for BOB, just slightly more quality and presence on the day.

2ND DOWNSBANK BILBO BAGGINS (MR R SALGUERO)

Lovely Tri Dog, excellent head, dark eye, appealing expression, well put together. Although this dog is well constructed its movement let it down today.

3RD BEECHGLEN SUMMERTIME JW (MS H M & MISS G D LUNT)

RES POMELO TRIPLE CHANCE (MS M R & MRS C M DAWSON & JONES)

Minor Puppy - Bitch Entries: 5 Absentees: 1

1ST SANDSTRAND MERITUULI AT HEADRA (IMP FIN) (MRS I M & MRS M E, MISS I, MRS V ASKINS, KENDALL & VILLILA) Young Tri Bitch, this puppy was shown in peak fitness and had been very well groomed She is well constructed, with good length of back, and short in the loin, characteristic of the breed. She is well angulated front and rear and moved well round the ring. She has a well proportioned head, with correctly placed dark eye, not too much lip and pleasing expression.

2ND MAYNORTH BACK TO BLACK (MR R E & MRS J C STONE) Nice black and tan Bitch , Well proportioned head, dark eye, with good rib, both deep and broad, correctly angulated moved with drive. Nice puppy, but preferred the muzzle on one, but this is a young dog and still changing.

3RD COFTON FIELDS OF GOLD (MR R S & MRS R K BAKER)

RES

BEEWYE PRECIOUS PERDITA (MR R W & MRS C A DIX)

Puppy - Bitch

Entries: 3 Absentees: 1

1ST

BEEWYE PENELOPE PITSTOP (MR R W & MRS C A DIX), lightly marked tri bitch. Well proportioned, well angulated, balanced head, dark eye moved well.

2ND

Withdrawn

Junior - Bitch

Entries: 2 Absentees: 0

1ST

REXLANDS CAMOMILE IS JUSTACHARMA (MR & MRS S C & G A J SMITH) Blenheim Bitch, well constructed, correctly angulated, with good depth of chest. Typical head, dark eye, good under jaw lacking in many. Moved well around the ring.

2ND

LITTLE MISS MUFFIN HOMECOURT (MRS B M LORD) Well constructed tri , with deep chest and typical head. I preferred one, because it was better covered and in full coat.

Post Graduate - Bitch

Entries: 7 Absentees: 1

1ST CARLEETO SWEET MELODY JW (MISS J LEWIS) Construction of this bitch was excellent, well angulated shoulders with legs parallel. Deep chest, broad between the elbows. Short in loin (typical of the breed) . Movement best on the day with good extension and drive. Good head with long ears.

2ND KASAMANDA MISS SUNSHINE (MRS M J WILLIAMS)

Nice blenheim bitch with good head and cobby body. Short in loin, good depth of chest, moved with drive, carrying slightly more weight than 1 and hard to beat 1st place movement.

3RD AMANTRA MELROSE AMELIA AT KILVEY (IMP DEU) NAF TAF (R & G RANDEL)

RES COFTON WALKING ON SUNSHINE (MR R S & MRS R K BAKER)

VHC BALDRAGON BECUZ I'M WORTH IT TO MERIDA (MRS J WALLHEAD)

Limit - Bitch Entries: 4 Absentees: 2

1ST DOWNSBANK EVENSONG (MRS R MOCHRIE) Excellent tri bitch, typical body shape with short loin and deep chest giving cobby look typical of the breed. Angulation correct front and rear, giving good movement around the ring. Lovely typical head with good rise above the eyes, dark eye, correctly placed ear set and importantly the correct lips that finish the face correctly in the King Charles Spaniel. Easy to handle appealing bitch. – BCC

2ND AMANTRA MELROSE AMELIA AT KILVEY (IMP DEU) NAF TAF (R & G RANDEL) Tri bitch, well constructed deep chest short in loin, correctly angulated, moved well, good head proportions.

Open - Bitch Entries: 2 Absentees: 0

1ST CH MAIBEE CLEMENTINE OF LANOLA SHCM (MR S R GOODWIN) RCC Tri Bitch , excellent feminine head, good rise over eye, long ear fringing, dark eye, appealing expression. Deep broad chest, moved well around the ring.

2ND LUX CH FLEUR DE LYS DE MELCOURT [ATC AM00637FRA] (MISS C GURTNER) Good head with dark eye, movement similar to 1st, preferred the size and expression of 1st .

Veteran - Bitch Entries: 2 Absentees: 0

1ST CAVELLA CALLULA (MRS Y SOUTHAM) 10 year old black and tan bitch, excellent overall shape, typical of the king Charles spaniel. Broad deep chest, cobby in appearance. Good length of back with short loin. Large head in proportion to body, dark dye, appealing expression. Lovely bitch for age,

2ND KASAMANDA MY SWEET CHARITY (MRS M J WILLIAMS) 9 year old Tri bitch, good head with dark eye and good rise above the eye and expression, deep chest, level back, moved well

Good Citizen Dog Scheme - Bitch Entries: 1 Absentees: 0

1ST LUX CH ELLINOR VON DER GEBHARDSHOH [ATC AM00641DEU] (MISS C GURTNER) |Well constructed blenheim bitch, appealing expression, well proportioned head, dark eye, moved with drive.