

It was a pleasure and an honour to be invited by the KCS Club to judge my own breed. After lunch the bitches were judged outside in glorious September sunshine. I was looking for a small, cobby dog, with large , well domed head , with lots of coat and featherings. They were few and far between, I'm afraid.However , I was extremely pleased with my principal winners.

DOGS

Veteran (1)

1. Salguero's GAYHALO BLACK NIGHT IN MADRUGA. Almost 9 yrs b/t , large head , good tans, lacking neck. Could do with losing a few pounds.Moved o.k.

Minor puppy(2)

1. Gillhespy's CORRINWOOD COLUMBO . Nice b/t in glossy coat and nice condition. Good rise of skull, dark eyes, well placed ears.Would prefer a shorter body. Moved well to beat his litter brother.

2.Gimenes' CORRINWOOD CALYPSO . Ruby. Good bone and substance, his brother had the better head having more rise of skull.Moved o.k.. Rubys need lots of time to mature , as does this one.

Puppy (3.1 absent)

1.Waters & Robins' MAIBEE DEBONAIRE (NAF). 9 mth tri.Liked his headpiece , lovely rise of skull, large dark eyes, good nose placement, swet expression framed by long silky ears. Well set on tail. would prefer a cobbier body - needs a lot more confidence.Should do well. Best puppy Dog.

2.Fry & Jackson's AMANTRA REGALIST. Lovely head and expression on this tri , preferred 1's rise of skull.Lovely nose placement, good turnup.Deep chest, good bone, lovely silky coat.Moved o.k.Another who needs a bit more confidence.Didn't like the table at all.

Junior (5)

1.Randle & Pritchard's LILLIJAY DEBONAIR DIGBY.Beautiful tri,just out of Puppy.Stood out in this class because of his classic , cobby, square outline.Good neck and shoulders, level topline, well set on , waggy tail.His head is just lovely, though I wish he had a wider blaze, but it did not detract from his sweet expression.Moved soundly.Will watch him mature with interest.

2.Leach's AMANTRA CARTE BLANCHE . Larger blen, with lovely bone and condition.Adequate skull with wide blaze, well placed nose. Moved well with a level topline.

3.Maddison's ALAMBRA RICH RUBY.

Novice (6.2)

1.Austin's BALDRAGON BIG IT UP. well broken tri, large head which is a bit nose, large dark eyes, very good bone, topline not his fortune.

2.Askin's HEADRA CHOCOLATE D'LITE, tri, preferred one's rise of skull. Soft, pretty expression, needs to body up. Came out with no clothes on. Moved o.k.

3. Salguero's CHAC OMBE LORCAN.

Graduate (2.1)

1.Waters & Robins' MAIBEE LOUIX . Lightly marked blen on the larger side. Good neck and shoulders, fabulous bone, and in lovely condition.Straight , silky coat. Classic head , large rounded skull, large round dark eyes, well placed nostrils , good turnup, wide jaw. Needs to strengthen behind.

2.Austin's B.BIG IT UP .As 1 in Novice.

Post Grad (6.1)

1. Goodwin's TUCHERISH STANLEY DIGGLE. Extrovert tri, who has a large skull, wide blaze, large dark eyes, just a bit "nosey", framed by lovely long ear feathering. Good neck & shoulders, level topline, moved with drive and lots of enthusiasm.

2. Southam's CAVELLA CRACKERJACK. Thought this would be my winner when he came into the ring, but just would rather have been anywhere else, and his lack of enthusiasm compared to Stanley's cost him dear. Beautiful b/t in gleaming silky coat, of excellent condition, lovely large head, good rise of skull, large dark eyes, good nose placement. Cobbier than 1 A lovely sound dog who will continue to improve. Needs more va va voom!!

3. Gillhspy & Mallows' TUCHERISH JOLYON JW SHCM.

Limit (8.5)

1. Champion's LANKCOMBE BENJAMIN. Liked him for his outline, and cobbiness. Small, sweet tri with a good head and soft expression. Level topline, good neck & shoulders, excellent bone. Coat needs a little attention.

2. Smith's AEGENCOURT MAGIC ONCE MORE IS JUSTACHARMA. Larger tri who was reluctant to show himself. Large head, good skull, lovely wide blaze, good turnup, wide muzzle. Nose placement could be better. Once he got going moved quite well.

3. Maddison's TUCHERISH ANGELO.

Open (4)

1. Lloyd's CWMHAF FORTY SECOND STREET. Lovely blen., beautiful large head, rounded skull with dark eyes, large black nostrils well placed, wide muzzle. Good neck & shoulders, level

topline. Nice silky coat,well conditioned - wish there was more of it. Where have all the long silky coats gone to ?A sound dog , who could make more of himself. Res. Best Dog.

2.Jealy's CHACOMBE JACKSON. Cobby tri , very lovely expression from his dark eyes, wide jaw, large open nostrils and freckles which enhanced. Good bone , moved well , feet let him down.

3.Salguero's TEWHIT THESPIAN.

Special Open B/T or Ruby (3.2)

1. Salguero's CHACOMBE LORCAN . Large ruby , needs more height to skull.Lovely eyes and well set nose, whose pigment was off. Good bone , needs more neck, and could do with losing a couple of pounds. Missing his usual handler , he wasn't a happy chappie.

Special Open Tri or Blen (5)

1.Smith's JUSTACHARMA HE IS OUR MAGIC JW. Most beautiful eyecatching blen . At last , a cobby dog with loads of silky coat, as per standard.Well conditioned dog with long , silky ears, bib and featherings, a most important feature of the breed , which we are losing. Short , cobby with excellent topline, lovely round bone , cat feet, moved round the ring with style and panache, head held high. Large ,rounded skull , large dark eyes and nose well placed , wide muzzle.He has one "if" , but all his other qualities eclipse this. A really lovely example of the breed who was Best dog and BIS. Loved him

2 Leach's AMANTRA CARTE BLANCHE. As 2 in Jun.

3.Salguero's TEWHIT THESPIAN.

BITCHES.

Veteran(2.1)

1.Williams' KASAMANDA MY LITTLE MADAM. Beautiful tri , another who could lose a couple of pounds to advantage.Huge coat which could do with slightly better presentation.

Gorgeous rounded skull with height, large dark eyes, black open nostrils, pretty expression, long well fringed ears.Level topline, good bone.Moved well, but handler could do with going to classes.Best Veteran.

Minor Puppy (3)

1.Harvey's LANKCOMBE GABRIELLA AT RIVERMOOR..Very pretty tri with well broken silky coat.Lovely rounded skull, dark eyes , good nose placement.Needs to cushion up , which will come , reachy neck leading into good shoulders, level topline.Moved soundly and with enthusiasm.Lovely temperament.A good prospect for the future. Good luck to her.

2.Johnson's GMACRYSTALS AQUAMARINE . Small , cobby blen,lightly marked puppy. Liked her shape and outline , good topline , moved soundly and happily..Pretty head enhanced by a "spot" , good nose placement.Obviously needs a coat. Hope she continues to improve. Beat 3 on her front and length of body.

3.Mallows' BINGLUI RUBY ROSELLA.

Puppy (9.2)

1.Searle's STONEPIT DORIS DAY. Beautiful , cobby blen, with well broken , silky coat. Preferred 2's enthusiasm for the job , but could not deny Doris' place. the most beautiful head , wide blaze, which makes such a difference to expression; eyes , nose and ears in a straight line.Pigment

was black , giving her a melting expression.Good topline, turn of stifle, moved well but not entirely happy. A lovely prospect, good luck with her.

2 .Harvey's L.GABRIELLA AT R. As 1in MP.

3.Waters & Robins' MAIBEE STARSTRUCK NAF

Junior (9.1)

1. Smith's JUSTACHARMA SOMETHING MAGIC. Extremely extrovert blen whose handler has to work extremely hard to curb this.Lovely size and shape , good topline, well set on tail, which wagged constantly, moved soundly and well.Pleasant head with a double spot, dark eyes and nose, head needs to fill.Not dripping in coat but what she has is straight , silky and in good condition. would like to see her in a couple of years after a litter.

2. Bailey's MAIBEE MARGOT . Slightly larger blen .Liked her large domed head , good eye and nose placement with good pigment.Wide jaw with good turnup, good bone and condition. Another who needs coat.

3. Champion's LANKCOMBE MISS MONEY PENNY

Novice (7.4)

1. Searle's STONEPIT DORIS DAY . As 1 in Puppy

2.Smith's JUSTACHARMA SOMETHING MAGIC . As 1 in Jun.

3.Juniper's KASAMANDA LUCK BE A LADY OF LEWISCAROL.

Graduate(5.1)

1.Waters & Robins' MAIBEE LAYLA . Pretty tri with a large head , good rise of skull, great ear , nose & eye placement , giving a very sweet expression. Good bone , could do with a little more enthusiasm, preferred her head and substance to 2's. Res Best Bitch.

2. Askins' AMANTRA CHARMFUL AT HEADRA. Tri who had left every stitch of clothing at home. Adequate skull , dark eyes and pigment. Adequate bone, moved quite well.

3.Coupland's TUCHERISH CLEOPATRA.

Post Grad (4.1)

1. Essex & Jackson's AMANTRA CHANEL. Small , cobby , compact tri with the sweetest head and expression. beautiful rise of skull, wide muzzle , dark eyes and well placed nose , all framed by the longest ears. Very good bone , level topline, moved with style.Unfortunately , in the challenge decided enough was enough , and blew her chances.A very beautiful bitch who so reminds me of Marilla , and I can pay no higher compliment. I hope I can judge her again when she is in a better frame of mind.

2.Williams' KASAMANDA LADY BE GOOD .Larger tri in great , well broken coat. Most beautiful head, large round dome, excellent ear and nose placement , long silky ears, good neck and shoulders.Level topline , moved well. This exhibitor's dogs all have the most beautiful , classic heads and are as sound as a pound.A few tweaks in presentation and handling , and she would trouble the best. 2 lovely bitches of different types.

3.Juniper's CAVELLA CASCADE OF LEWISCAROL.

Limit (6.3)

- 1.Stone's MAYNORTH IRRESISTIBLE JW . Two nice tris , both moved well , one had more coat, and was a more finished picture. Very sweet head with a wide blaze , rich tans, wide muzzle , good facial placements.Level topline , nicely angulated, moved with enthusiasm.A happy girl.**
- 2.Williams' KASAMANDA MY SWEET CHARITY. Tri lacking in coat. Most beautiful head again from this small kennel.Topline not quite as good as 1's. A sound bitch who should do well.**
- 3.Askins' AMANTRA CHOCOLATE DIVINE WITH HEADRA**

Open (3.1)

- Williams' KASAMANDA MY FAIR LADY . Larger tri absolutely dripping in straight, shiny coat. Again , another quite lovely textbook head and skull with darkest of eyes and the brightest of tans. Great neck and shoulders, lovely round bone , good tail set, good hind angulation.Sound as the proverbial pound. As I pointed out before , presentation needs a tweak, then will trouble the best. Well deserved Best Bitch & Res BIS.**
- 2.Stone's MAYNORTH IN SEVENTH HEAVEN. Small , cobby b/t who was lame on her hind leg. Needs to lose weight to advantage.**

Special Open B/T or Ruby(9.2)

- 1.Coupland's TUCHERISH MICHAELA . Small cobby b/t absolutely dripping in coat and fringing, although texture was a bit flyaway and wispy. Spirit level topline , one of the best of the day.Perfectly square little bitch , pretty head, with a perfectly rounded skull, large dark eyes.Head could have been complemented better by brighter tans.That aside she moved soundly , with some style.**

2. Moger's GAYHALO BLACK VELVET , extremely pretty b/t who was short of coat, but what she did have was straight , silky and gleaming in the glorious sunshine. level topline, lovely head and expression, good bone and substance. Would like to see her in coat. A very nice bitch.

3. Rushton's JUSTACHARMA MY GIRLS MAGIC AT TIFLIN

Special Open Tri or Blen.(3.1)

1.Smith's JUSTACHARMA SHE'S MAGIC. Small , cobby bitch with sweet face and expression. Well coated , well broken tri who moved very well , with drive.

2. Juniper's KASAMANDA LUCK BE A LADY OF LEWISCAROL . Sweet little tri who is a little too long in body , and too short in leg. Her head is quite lovely , good rise of skull , lovely eyes, very sweet expression, good earset. Moved quite well , a happy little bitch.

Rita Evans' Memorial Class (4.4)

Brace(3.2)

1. Smith's well matched blens.

**Kate Stewart
Judge.**

