

**The Northern King Charles Spaniel Club.
Championship Show
At Grenoside Community Centre
On 12th April 2008**

It was an honour and a privilege to be invited to judge at this Breed Club Show. My thanks to all the exhibitors for a lovely entry of 135 (including 14 NFC) exhibits making 150 entries. Grateful thanks to my steward Mr Colin Cross for his efficient and friendly help. I had the privilege of going over some quality dogs and some of the top exhibitors stock. Although I feel soundness has improved we are losing some the of the really good heads and we must always strive for dark eyes as so many light eyes are creeping in which does spoil the expression. I found presentation excellent in all apart from a few whole colours as was temperament apart from one growl from an exhibit who was later withdrawn from her second class.

**Bitch CC, B.I.S & B.P.I.S. Maibee Leah
Dog CC, Res.B.I.S. & B.O.S. Maibee Blue Bayou At Nisyros
Best Veteran Ch Maibee Truly Scrumptious**

Veteran Dog. Present (4) Absent (0)

1st Byers - Ch Maynorth Carnival At Simannie

Well broken tri, good head and dark eyes, smart outline, good length of neck, set into well laid shoulders, good hindquarters, moved well. Previously judged this dog and awarded him the Reserve CC at Windsor.

2nd Schilizzi🄂s - Chacombe Morgan

Very showy blen, in good coat and condition, good dark eyes, nice head. Just preferred the rise of skull on the winner.

3rd Salguero - Gayhalo Black Night At Madruga

B/T with good pigmentation, nice shape, enjoying his day.

Veteran Bitch (6) (3)

1st Water🄂s & Robin🄂s - Ch Maibee Truly Scrumptious

Tri. Excellent head with good skull, good width of jaw with correct upturn, correct ear placement, lovely dark eyes giving a soft melting expression, cobby body, good bone and substance, moved with style. Almost 14 years and shown in sparkling condition.

Best Veteran In Show.

2nd Plews - Ch Tewhit Tandango

Tri. Lovely bitch with similar comments to above I just preferred the shortness of back of the winner. Large dark eyes, giving a gentle expression. Moved well and with drive. Close decision. Both outstanding examples of the breed a credit to their breeder and exhibitor.

3rd Phillips - Gayhalo Simply Red

Ruby pleasing head, good bone, moved OK and enjoyed her outing.

Minor Puppy Dog (5) (0)

1st Waters Robins - Maibee Rubus

Showy well broken Tri, masculine head, large dark eyes, good neck and shoulders, short cobby body. Moved soundly, showed well. Best Puppy Dog.

2nd Askins - Headra & Chocolate D Lite

Blen. Nice head, good pigmentation, another with a good body, moved soundly in both directions, coat coming through nicely.

3rd Pritchard & The Late Randle - Lillijay Debonaire Digby

Tri, good head, nice bone, very much a baby now but should do well just needs more time.

Puppy Dog (6) (0)

1st Waters & Robins - Maibee Teddy

Tri. Outstanding head, very nicely constructed, lovely neck and shoulders. Good ribcage and well turned stifle. Moved soundly. I think he will finish better than the minor puppy winner but just not as together on the day. I am sure he will gain his title.

2nd Gillhespy & Lorphil Copper Sunrise

Ruby of excellent colour with a good textured coat , showed and moved so well for one so young. In good condition, nice head & expression, good bone and size, nice outline.

3rd Wilson - Lichens Ryandan

Blen, nice head, moved well just needs more time, still just a baby. when he gains more body will be a nice dog.

Junior Dog (4) (0)

1st Anderson & Watt & Maibee Blue Bayou At Nisyros

B/T with very rich tan in all the right places, good dark eye giving a lovely masculine expression, good pigment, with correct ear placement, compact and cobby body with good bone. Level topline, moved soundly, lovely size. I wish his owners well as they will I'm sure make up this dog he has lots to offer the breed. Pleased to award him his first C.C. Reserve Best In Show & Best Opposite Sex .

2nd Mochrie & Downsbank Algenon

Blen. short coupled, lovely eyes, good pigment, pleasing head, coat just coming through, sound on the move, just not as mature as the winner .

3rd Bills & Claytonia Christiano

Blen with a pleasing head, good bone and body. Just not as relaxed as the ones placed above him needs more confidence and should do better.

Yearling Dog (5) (1)

1st Matches - Tucherish The Black Knight At Fochai

B/T, I loved this dogs shape and square cobby body with good spring of ribs, good head, nice outline and good reach of neck, moved well. Well handled and presented in lovely condition . Needs to make more of himself and could go further.

2nd Smith ♦ **Justacharma Now he is Magic JW**

Blen. well constructed throughout. Showed well and another put down in good condition just not as masculine for me as winner.

3rd Leach ♦ **Amantra Carte Blanch**

Blen. Just needs time to mature and should do better only just out of puppy

Novice Dog (4) (1)

1st Matches ♦ **Tucherish The Black Knight At Fochai.**

See Yearling

2nd Morris ♦ **Palandro Winter Robin At Raytrix**

Tri with good tan, good head, good bone, cobby body, Moved well in both directions.

3rd Leach ♦ **Baldragon Brand Design**

Blen. masculine looking dog, just needs to mature in body.

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Graduate Dog (5) (0)

1st Gillhespy & Mallows ♦ **Tucherish Jolyon JW ShCM**

Tri. Lovely head, good pigment, rich tan, with a good reach of neck, good tailset, well angulated hind quarters, moved well, presented in excellent condition.

2nd Matches - Tucherish Florison Of Fochai

Tri. Good shape, not the softness in head as winner, very sound with a good topline.

Needs more coat. Should do well, at one with his handler.

3rd Morris ♦ **Palandro Winter Robin At Raytrix**

See Novice Dog

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Post Graduate Dog (6) (0)

1st Plews❖❖ Tewhit Trafalgar

Tri, short coupled, nice coat, looked good on the move and has superb temperament. Good head with a good rise to skull, dark eyes put down in lovely condition.

2nd Mochrie❖s❖ Downsbank Bruegal

Blen, very masculine looking dog, good dark eyes and correct tailset. Showed well.

3rd Sidgwick❖s❖ Paulian Jerome

Tri, nice head, liked this dog but seemed unsettled throughout the class.

Limit Dog (9) (0)

1st Stewart❖s❖ Marchog Mac Flannel

Ruby, excellent head and expression, good rise to skull, lovely dark eyes, good bone, moved well, excellent topline on the move and standing, Presented in lovely condition, just needs to body up and will with luck gain his title Short listed in my final four.

2nd Bott❖s❖ Mistycote Amos

Tri, short coupled, nice type, good head ,dark eyes giving a soft expression, good cobby body,

3rd Essex❖s❖ Amantra Carte Noire With Brendek

B/T with a nice head , just losing his topline on the move today ,

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Open Dog (3) (0)

1st Moss & Amantra Dickens With Sombur

Tri. Masculine head, with dark eyes, correct ear placement, good reach of neck, move well, cobby body with excellent bone, very well presented, unlucky to meet the CC winner, pleased to award him the Reserve CC. I'm sure will gain his title.

2nd Schilizzi & Chacombe Jackson

Blen, nice type, good head, dark eye and good pigment, very sound movement and moved with style.

3rd Stewart & Kasamanda Celtic Connexion To Marchog

Tri very flashy markings, good head, excellent shape, just needs more time, when he bodies up should do well.

Special Open- (B/T or Ruby) Dog (3) (0)

1st Coupland & Tucherish Sundown

B/T excellent head with good rise to skull and good width to jaw. Dark eyes giving a lovely masculine expression, good bone, short cobby body.

Level topline, moved with style. Very close decision between the 2nd. I thought at this point this was my CC winner but he let himself down in the challenge. Short listed in my final four.

2nd Waters & Robins & Ch Rytonian Out Of The Blue

B/T. Another with a good head, excellent cobby body, moved out with drive. The 1st and 2nd will change places many times. This for me was the hardest class as splitting these 2 was not easy. Very worthy champion.

3rd Plews ♡ Tewhit Tedward Bear

Ruby, nice head with pleasing expression, cobby body, moved soundly.

Special Open ♡ (Blen/Tri) Dog (4) (0)

1st Smith ♡s ♡ Justacharma He Is Our Magic JW

Blen, nice head, short coupled, good substance, won this class with ease.

Very sound shows with lots of pizzazz.

2nd Bott ♡s Mistycote Amos

See Limit Dog

3rd Matches - Tucherish Florison Of Fochai

See Graduate Dog

Minor Puppy Bitch (9) (1)

1st Waters & Robins - Maibee Olivia

Blen. of rich colour, good head with the darkest of eyes, good reach of neck, well laid shoulders, short coupled making a square cobby body.

This kennel produces very true type and won most of the Top awards today it ♡s almost as if they were cloned, many congratulations to this clever breeder.

2nd Bailey💎s - Maibee Margot

Lovely Blen. loved the shape of this bitch, but just preferred the shortness back of the winner.

3rd Willey💎s & Siddle💎s 💎 Maibee Charlotte Rose

Tri, nice head with dark eyes, good bone, not in condition as the above, very nice type.

Puppy Bitch (9) Withdrawn (1)

1st Waters & Robins - Maibee Leah

Tri, another with an outstanding head, correct low ear placement ,excellent rise to skull, good width of jaw with the darkest of eyes giving a soft gentle melting expression, excellent bone and substance, level topline, moved out with drive and for me has a true Charlie temperament, this was one of the few bitches whose full correctly textured coat was in sparkling condition. Although she is still only a puppy I found her quality quite outstanding and I could not resist giving her the CC and Best In Show.

2nd Smith💎s 💎 Justacharma Something Magic

Blen. Lovely outline, nice head ,good coat, good neck and shoulders.Very sound with good movement kept a level topline both moving and standing.

3rd Anderson💎s & Watt💎s 💎 Maibee Lola

Tri, pleasing head, short back, good bone, lovely substance, good shape.Very sound movement with a good topline on the move and standing,

Just needs a bit more coat to complete the picture should do well.

Junior Bitch (7) (1)

1st Stone & Maynorth Irresistible

Tri, with a good head, good bone and substance, level topline, very good hind quarters which enables her to move well. Sadly she was out of coat today so I was unable to consider her for higher awards . This win gave her a Junior Warrant . Well done.

2nd Coupland & Tucherish Sarsaparilla

Blen, with a good head , lovely dark eyes, shapely body but sadly was out of coat today.

3rd Gimenes & Rosschild Isabella

Tri, pleasing head with dark eyes, moved very well, good bone, for me was just a little up to size, but still a very nice type.

Yearling Bitch (4) (2)

1st Waters & Robins & Maibee Lynette

B/T.Very eye catching, lovely head with good skull, very good rich tan, dark eyes, good bone and substance, short coupled, moves with drive, gave her handler a hard task. Loved her size and substance.

2nd Keane & Thorn & Danyas Simply Magic

Blen. nice head, another that was good on the move, nice size and showed well.

Novice Bitch (6) (1)

1st Waters & Robins ♦ Maibee Leyla

Tri. very pretty, well balanced throughout, most appealing feminine head.

Good bone and substance, nice angulated hind quarters and of correct size,

2nd Smith♦s - Justacharma Somthing Magic

See Puppy Bitch

3rd Coupland♦s ♦ Tucherish Cleopatra

Tri. well marked, good neck, firm shoulders, moved and showed well. Not as feminine in head as above.

Graduate Bitch (5) (1)

1st Stone♦s - Maynorth Irresistible

See Junior Bitch

2nd Bills ♦ Downsbank Francesca

Tri. good type, very similar to winner but just not as soft in head nevertheless still a very nice bitch who moved and showed well.

3rd Plews - Tewith Thumbelina

Blen. very similar type to 2nd but just found her head markings rather detracting.

Post Graduate Bitch (11) (3)

1st Willey♦s & Siddle♦s - Rytonian Snowdrop Of Penemma

Blen. lovely type with such a soft expression, good dark eyes, lovely outline, level topline, good bone and substance, good front and hind quarters but sadly out of coat

today I still could not deny giving her the Reserve CC. When in full coat will trouble the best.

2nd Mochrie & Downsbank Julietta

Tri, nice head ,good shape, moved well. I preferred the soft expression of the winner.Although in good coat she rather lacked body today.

3rd Waters & Robins - Maibee Vivien

Tri, good shaped head, nice neck with good bone, level topline, just not at one with her handler.

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Limit Bitch (10) (2)

1st Wilson & Lichens Phillamina

Blen. Good head and dark eye, good reach of neck, sound construction.Although out of coat her lovely outline enabled her to win the class. Her new coat that is coming through was of a lovely textured .

2nd Askins - Amantra Chocolate Divine With Headra

Blen. Nice head, sound movement but not as good in shoulders as the winner.Slightly overweight which spoilt her outline, nice quality bitch though .

3rd Harvey & Rivermoor Violet

Tri, pleasing head but would prefer a softer expression. This bitch scores on movement

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Open Bitch (4) (1)

1st Essex & Ch. Amantra Little Dorrit

Tri. soft melting head full of breed type, her expression is just lovely. Good bone and substance and of nice size. Sadly today she had injured her eye which put her out of the running for top awards. Very worthy champion.

2nd Blewett & Smith & Othmese Dhu Steren

Tri of good quality with a certain amount of charm. Lovely expression and very good topline but today was not moving well.

3rd Stone & Maynorth Seventh Heaven

B/T. honest type but not the softness in head as those above her, good bone, moved well and put down in nice condition.

Special Open (B/T or Ruby) Bitch (5) (2)

1st Coupland & Tucherish Michaela

B/T, good head and dark eyes. Cobby body of nice size. Although in coat it was hard to access her movement as she went so quickly around the ring.

2nd Gillhespy & Lorphil Copper Dream

Ruby with good head, ample reach of neck, lovely size, good textured coat .Very nice type just needs more body to complete the picture.

3rd Stone & Maynorth Simply Heavenly

B/T. pleasing head , a nice body. Moved and showed well.

Special Open (Blen/Tri) Bitch (1) (0)

1st Smith ♦ **Justacharma She** ♦ **Magic**

**Blen, pleasing head, sound and compact , nice bone, stood alone
but worthy winner**

Brace Dog or Bitch same colour

1st Smith ♦ **s**

Lovely pair of blenheims very nice type went well.

Stephen Randle Goodwin (Judge)