Scottish Beagle Club Ch Show 16/06/2013

The Scottish Beagle Club held their Championship show where BIS was Dufosee Hayley, Res BIS Dufosee Hyperion and BPIS Janfrey Osborn. I had the honour and pleasure to judge at this well run and friendly show. My thanks go to the Officers and Committee for the invitation and their hospitality and to my very efficient steward.

I had an entry of both quality and quantity. I know it's a cliché you have all heard before but in some classes I really was spoilt for choice and on another day, I'm sure, places will change. All were presented in super condition. However, some exhibits could benefit from attention to their feet, shorter nails, just to complete the picture.

VD 8

1st. Hunt's Ch & Irish Ch. Bondlea Fable JW

12 ½ year old hound of quality. Mild head, good shoulders and depth of chest. Well sprung ribs and a sound mover. Clearly enjoyed his day.

2nd. Simkin's Simeldaka Balluta Boy ShCM

A boy I have judged in the past. Lovely head and mild expression. Top line still held strong on the move. Moved with style. Pleasure to see him again. 3rd. Jackson's Ch. Bayard Grafter.

MPD 5 (2)

1st. Pitt's Dreamoak Illustrious

Very smart tri baby of good proportions. Lovely head and mild expression. Good shoulders, round bone and neat feet. Level topline. Tail well set on. Overall a promising youngster.

2nd. Calikes's Newlin Kestrel

Just 6 months. Pleasing head and well off for bone. Stern well carried. Moved well in profile, just needs to come up on his legs to complete the picture.

3rd. Stirling's Molesend Merlot.

PD 6

1st May's Janfrey Osborn

Beautifully headed tri baby. Good length of neck leading to well placed shoulders. Round bone and neat tight feet. Level topline and correct tail set. Very settled and moved soundly. Shown in tip top condition. BPD, BPIS. A star of the future!

2nd. Anthony's Ospreagle Hot Diggity Dog

Sweet head and kind eye. Close coupled and good strong bone. Move well and well schooled. Handled to get the best of him.

3rd. Bartholomew's Fullcry Poacher.

JD 6 (1)

1st. Calikes's Franjean N Newlin's Team Spirit (imp)

Striking dog. Nice head, depth of chest. Round bone and good strong tight feet. Level topline held on the move. Tail well set on. Moved really well.

2nd. Holt's Kelseva Willy Wonka

T/W with a stronger head than 1. Lovely shape. Firm topline, correct tail set, another sound mover.

3rd. Findlay's Rhiconich Rufus.

ND 5

1st. Jackson's Bayard Hazel's Beani

Very smart baby. Excellent size. Lovely head and straight front, ample bone and neat feet. Super topline. Well set stern. Excellent mover. Best in the class.

2nd. Anthony's Ospreagle Hot Diggity Dog

3rd. Calikes's Newlin Kestrel

GD. 5 (1)

Two strong young boys here.

1st. McBain's Bondlea Lawman

Pleasing head, good front and bone. Well sprung ribs. Level topline, well angulated.

2nd. Ambridge's Bondlea Legion JW

Nice boy well balanced. Good depth of chest, neat feet. Sound topline. Well muscled quarters. Moved well in profile.

3rd. Wood's Marada Bright Star.

PGD 7 (1)

1st. Kingsland's Redcap Temperance

Tri dog of nice size. Masculine head, strong neck into good shoulders and good topline. Moved with reach and drive.

2nd. Roderick's Barterhound Garrison

T/W of good size. Pleasing head and straight front. Round bone and neat feet. Moved accurately both ways.

3rd. Goldberg's Molesend Kaftan JW.

LD. 11 (2)

1st. Bradley and Burgess's Dufosee Hyperion

Beautiful head and kind eye. Well arched neck leading to correct shoulders. Strong bone and neat tight feet. Ribs well sprung, sound topline and correct tail set. Well muscled quarters. So accurate all ways and powered around the ring. A winner who could not be denied the CC.

2nd. Havard's Annavah Keeper

Ultra smart tri. Again lovely head and eye. Not quite the reach of neck of 1. Excellent shoulders and level topline. Super front and neat feet. Good quarters and bend of stifle. Really sound mover. RCC.

3rd. Smith's Koorbrats Watchful.

OD 9 (2)

1st. Lewis's Ch. Fallowfield Royal Richard

Hard decision again!

Balanced smart tri with nice head and kind eye and mild expression. Well arched neck and correct shoulder placement. Strong round bone and good feet. Topline held at all times. Moved so soundly. Just had the edge on 2 on the move.

2nd. May's Janfrey Elliott

Another smart boy. Balanced head and lovely eye. Good reach of neck and well placed shoulders. Round bone and standing on neat tight feet. Firm topline and well angulated. Moved well.

3rd. Foster and Jones's Ch. Stormpasture Holimoli.

VB 8

1st. Lomax's Ch. Newlin Una of Lowyck

Lovely T/W lady who did not put a foot wrong. Pleasing head and expression. Depth of forechest, round bone and neat feet. Ribs well sprung. Strong quarters which she used to power around the ring.

2nd. Havard's Ch. Annavah Solitaire

A girl I have judged in the past and glad to see she has not lost any of her charms on reaching veteran. Mild head and elegant neck. Good straight front and neat feet. Well sprung ribs and correct tail set. Moved soundly. 3rd. Butters & Theobald's Orchidvale Angelica of Breskar ShCM.

MPB 9 (1)

Lovely babies with bright futures ahead.

1st. Pitt's Dreamoak Mary Rose

Appealing head with kind eye and mild expression. Good reach of neck and nice shoulders. Neat tight feet. Top line held firm at all times. Sound mover for one so young.

2nd. Craig's Davicard Moonlight

Sweet girl. Another with a lovely head and great overall shape. Well off for bone. Ribs well sprung. Good bend of stifle. Sound mover. 1 just had the edge today.

3rd. Goldberg's Molesend Madeira.

PB 18 (7)

1st. Foster & Jones's Stormpasture Trumpette

Beautiful girl. Gorgeous head and eye. So balanced. What an outline! Lovely neck flowing into well placed shoulders. Level topline and excellent tail set. Good bone and tight neat feet. Looked a picture moving steadily in profile. BPB.

2nd. Anthony's Ospreagle Sweetness

Lovely girl. Again pleasant head and eye. Firm topline held on the move. Sound front and moved well. Unfortunate to meet 1 today. 3rd. May's Janfrey Odell.

JB 12 (4)

1st. Jones & Jepson's Janmist White Holly with Eardley

Two T/W ladies. Sweet head with mild expression. Making a gorgeous outline. Good depth of chest, straight front and super feet. Good bend of stifle, sound little mover.

2nd. Sutton's Rossut Elspeth

Slightly longer cast than 1. Nevertheless, a balanced girl with a lovely head and mild eye. Strong bone and good feet. Well muscled with a good bend of stifle. Sound mover.

3rd. Havard's Annavah Alpine.

NB 12 (3)

1st. Walton's Dufosee Louisa with Vigor

Open marked attractive girl. Nicely balanced head. Good reach of neck and depth of chest. Nice shoulder placement and firm topline. Correct tailset. Neat feet. Moved really soundly.

2nd. Hartland's Newlin Inkspot at Fairleedale

Another open marked with balanced head and kind eye. Nice bone and well knuckled feet. Firm level topline and good rear angulation. Move well. 1 just had the edge on her today.

3rd. Bailey's Newlin Kismet for Salenko.

GB 12 (3)

1st. Goldberg's Molesend Kashmir

Feminine T/W. Lovely head and reach of neck. Good topline held on the move. Moved out well driving around the ring.

2nd. Norridge's Serenaker Keep the Faith

Open marked with attributes much the same as 1. Clean neck and shoulders. Strong topline. Moved soundly. Beautifully handled.

3rd. Jones's Clairdale Willowmena.

PGB. 15 (4)

1st. Bradley & Burgess's Dufosee Hayley

Beautiful young lady who has stood in her brother's shadow, not today however! Gorgeous well balanced head, kind eye and melting expression. Oozes quality! Bang on size! Super length of neck leading to well placed shoulders. Well off for bone and the neatest of well knuckled feet. Well sprung ribs. Correctly carried stern. Excellent bend of stifle. Well muscled rear. She flowed effortlessly around the ring. Stood out for me in the class and in the challenge could not be denied CC & BIS. I feel sure her crown awaits!

2nd. Bink's Tannahill Jet Black

Nice girl. Slightly longer cast than 1 but that said, another good mover. Good head sound front well sprung ribs and good bend of stifle. Moved well driving around the ring.

3rd. Sutton's Rossut Betony.

LB. 14 (1)

A class of gorgeous girls.

1st. Jones & Jepson's Deboucher Bubbles at Eardley

Very typey. Lovely head and good straight front. Sound topline, good bone. Correct tail set and well carried stern. Moved really well.

2nd. Lomax's Lowyck Tamara

Again the same applies as 1. Soundest of movers with pleasing head, enough bone and good feet. Well carried stern and good quarters. Mover well. Excellent condition.

3rd. Hunt's Shercroft Duchess.

OB. 15 (1)

1st. Jones & Jepson's Eardley Barb Dwyer

A girl I have judged as a puppy and pleased to see she has matured into a smart young lady. Petite feminine girl. Elegant neck, solid topline super stern. Hocks well let down. Moved freely a joy to watch. Res CC.

2nd. Havard's Annavah Ginger

T/W with such a lovely head. I have admired her from the ring side. Sadly today she just could not pull out all the stops and it really was a disappointment for me. Lovely head good shoulders round bone standing on neat feet. Excellent spring of rib and good rear muscle tone which assisted in her free movement.

3rd. Craig's Ch. Davicard Martina.

Helen Howell (Judge)