

NESSS Championship show – 18th September 2021



DBC & BIS

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Judge Mrs H Merry

BCC & BIS: Trimere Tickle Me Fancy

RBCC: Elezlan Right Of Reply

DCC: Bersesford As Good As It Gets

RDCC: Cherishym Dofida

BPIS: Trimere Time Fly's

BVIS: Cheryshym Chara

Firstly I'd like to take this opportunity to thank the committee of the Northern ESS Society for the invitation to judge their show. My appointment should have been June 2020 but as we all know Covid struck and that put paid to many appointments. I am glad that this was able to be rearranged as I had looked forward to it immensely

My thanks also must go to the exhibitors for their entries and giving me the chance to go over some lovely specimens of the breed. Sometimes in a class there really aren't enough 1st prize cards to go around and there is a gnat's eyelash between the placings. Having not attending a dog show for what must be almost 3 years I feel that for the main part the breed is in a good place, temperaments were on the whole good but I'd like to see more tail action and as for lockdown puppies they took everything in their stride and behaved like pros Although entries on the whole are lower than pre covid the quality was not, and I was thrilled with the quality of the entries and with my final winners

MPD, 1, Calvdale Scaramouch Jones, stood alone but worthy of his placing, 7 month old LW dog who gave his handler a bit of a hard time, that said when settled he moved well. Nice and clean in outline and clean in skull with good depth to muzzle, he had good shaped eyes which are yet to darken. Good neck into well placed shoulders and stood on well boned legs and good feet. He had enough heart and lung room and was well coupled. Hind quarters were not over angulated and he moved merrily when settled

PD, 1 Casey & Hayes Sandylands Express Delivery, another that stood alone and again worthy of his placing and BPD. Really liked this young boy and will watch his progress with interest, I'm sure he will go far. Nothing overdone on this boy. Head of correct proportions and nice eye shape and darkening nicely. Good length of neck into well placed shoulders. Stands on well boned legs and tight feet. Good spring of rib and well coupled. He moved out well on difficult ground In great condition. **Best Puppy Dog**

JD 1 Jenkinsons Eastriding Royal Black. A nice young dog that is maturing well. Lovely dark eye that gives such a melting expression. Head of good proportions. Has good shoulders and stands on well boned legs and tight feet. Being picky id like a little more fore chest but time is on his side. Has good spring of rib and well-muscled thighs. When moved out he moved happily and confidently

YD 2, 1 Richardsons Cherysham Dofida. Couldn't deny this dog the class as he just fills the eye with quality from the tip of his nose to the end of his tail. BW dog with head of correct proportions , dark correct shaped eye that gives that melting expression. Has good shoulder placement, is well boned and has lovely tight feet. He has well sprung ribs and plenty of depth. Has good rear angulation and is well muscled. When settled he really moves out with a powerful stride. Very happy on the move and in fantastic coat and condition. Pleased to award him the **RDCC** and wish the best for his future

2, Allen & Bott Trimere Tipping Point of Allenie, nice young dog, just not the finish of my first. Loved his head and expression, not quite the fore chest of my first but time is on his side. He was well ribbed and had good depth. Nice rounded rear which he used to move out steadily. In good coat and condition

PGD 3, 3 different types in this class and all had qualities I like. 1 McDonalds Kennair Rough Diamond. This dog was the finished article and was put down to perfection. Although top size he was the full picture and in proportion. BWT dog with pleasing eye colour and shape. Had a clean neck into well placed shoulders had good spring of rib and plenty of depth, he was well off for bone and stood on tight feet. Moved out well
2, House's Gleadbury Gunpowder Plot, dog built on smaller proportions than my first but didn't disappoint on examination. Had a good dark eye and of a nice shape which gave him a pleasing expression. Nice clean lines all through and of good proportions. Well boned and good feet. Had well sprung ribs and plenty of depth. Moved out well and happy on the go

3, Richardson/Terry-Richardson Cherishym Draconis

LD 4, 1st Jenkinson's Eastriding Royal Mayfair, well put together LW dog who doesn't disappoint on close examination. Lovely headed dog with correct eye shape and colour giving him a lovely expression, clean in neck and shoulders and good fore chest. Good spring of rib and depth. Well rounded rear and standing on good legs and feet, moved out well and put down in good hard condition, shown in lovely coat and condition
2, Eyeingtons Meadowdale Daisydale Lightening Bolt, different type to my first placed dog and much to like about him. Lovely masculine head of correct proportions and kind dark eye giving him a pleasing expression. Well balanced throughout, has good length of neck into well placed shoulders and stands on well boned legs and lovely tight feet. Good strong rear giving him lovely movement and put down in excellent coat & condition as always from this kennel

3, Grahams, Peasblossom Valentino

OD 4, 1 Topliss Beresford as Good as It gets, he certainly suits his name. This dog really fills the eye and doesn't disappoint on contact. He oozes masculinity without being overdone. Kind dark eye of correct shape, has a lovely head of equal proportions and good strong neck into well placed shoulders. Has depth and spring of rib, is well off for bone and nice tight feet. Was put down to perfection and really powered around the ring. Was pleased to award him the **DCC** his 3rd I believe. Well done on your new **SH CH**

2, Roses Westaway Dream Angus of Rosannoch (imp nor) unlucky to meet number 1 today as lots to like. Lovely masculine head with dark eyes giving him a kind expression. Has correct length of neck leading into well placed shoulders. Well sprung ribs and enough depth, short in loin into well rounded rear which he used well covering the ground with ease. He stands on good bone and tight feet and is presented in excellent condition
3, Holts IR SH CH Bethryn Devil Moon IR JUN CH JW

CHD 1 Eyeingtons SH CH Meadowdale Storm Trooper. BW dog and no mistaking this boys sex as he is masculine throughout without being overdone. Has a melting expression that comes from eyes that are dark and of correct shape. Has a head of correct shape and in proportion. Good length of neck into well angled shoulders. He is well off for depth and ample spring of rib. He is well boned and stands on neat feet, he is in excellent coat and condition and moved true fore and aft

MPB (3) the three youngsters in this class will change places many times I feel as all had lovely qualities. 1 Corbetts Trimere Time Fly's, lovely quality youngster as always from this kennel. Very pretty bitch with good head proportions, eye shape and colour which gives her a lovely expression, She had a good length of neck into well placed shoulders, lovely front, good bone for a youngster, she had depth and was well coupled, in all presents a lovely picture. Moved out well and happy. **Best puppy bitch & BPIS**

2, Calverts Calvdale Flutter, another very promising youngster as expected from this kennel. I liked her a lot and feel sure she has a promising future. All remarks above apply although eyes need to darken a little more but had the correct shape so gave a pleasing expression, she is well put together with correct proportions, good bone and body for a youngster deciding factor in this class was my first was a little more settled on the move.

3, Houses, Gleadbury It is what it is

PB (2) 1 House's Gleadbury It Is What It Is, lovely youngster with lots to like, clean in skull, eyes of correct shape and darkening nicely presenting a lovely expression, good length of neck into well placed shoulders, she has enough bone and nice tight feet. Moved well when settled

2 Conrad's Strathnaver Starstruck, liked this youngster she has some lovely qualities, being picky id like a little more fore chest but has plenty of time yet she had a kind dark eye of good shape, which gave her a lovely expression, she had good flow of neck into well placed shoulders had good bone and tight feet. Bodying up nicely moved ok

JB (1) 1 Hills Peasblossom Tupelo Honey with Teignvalley, very pretty bitch and well put together. Had lovely dark eye of correct shape and a lovely melting expression. She had depth and strength in body. Good angles all through and stood on well boned legs and tight feet. She was put down in lovely condition. She moved ok on difficult ground but would like a little more animation

YB (2) 1 Chandlers ????BW Bitch in beautiful coat and condition. She has a lovely head piece with correct eye shape and colour which gives a melting expression. She has good bone and stands on nice tight feet. Good reach of neck into well placed shoulder. She has depth of chest and good spring of rib. Lovely angles all through. She moved with purpose and drive when settled, pleased to award her the **RBCC**

2, LW Bitch another well put together bitch in lovely coat and condition. Correct shape eye and darkening nicely. Good reach of neck, shoulders well placed. She has good bone and tidy feet. Well sprung ribs and short in loin. Nice rear angles, sadly movement was not her best today as she was suffering from dead tail

PGB (3, 1a) 1 LW bitch with pleasing lines all through, lovely dark well shaped eye, clean in skull. She had a nice reach of neck into good lay back of shoulder. Well off for bone and neat tidy feet. She had enough depth of chest and spring of rib. Short in loin and nicely rounded rear. Moved ok

2 A different type to my first and slightly finer build all through, but still plenty to like. Pleasing to go over and has time on her side. Kind dark eye and clean headpiece, enough reach of neck into good shoulder placement. Not overly done on bone and had nice tidy feet. Well turned out and in good condition, moved ok

LB (6 1a) this was a lovely class to judge, 1 Houses Gleadbury ??? a very pleasing bitch to go over and not overdone in any way, cut on clean lines, she had a feminine head with dark eye and kind expression, good depth to muzzle. She was clean in neck with good reach into nicely placed shoulders. She had ample bone and stood on nice tidy feet. She had plenty of depth and good forechest and well sprung ribs. Short in loin and level topline. She had lovely angles all through and moved out well with plenty of drive and animation. To complete the picture she just needs her furnishings

2, Smiths Melverly ??? this bitch was similar to my first placed in this class but just built slightly heavier all through but still retaining her femininity. She had a lovely dark eye giving a pleasing expression. She had good length of neck into well placed shoulders. She was well ribbed and had plenty of depth. She was well boned and stood on good legs and tidy feet. Not sure if it was the ground but she tended to slope away at the croup, would have liked a little more animation on the move

3, Ainsley/Nicklins Deanerys Song of Ice and Fire

OB (5 1a) my notes say “what a cracker of a class” and it really was, this is the time I wish I had more 1sts to give out. Both my 1st and 2nd were very close to call and will change places many times I’m sure. 1 LW bitch who I found was very feminine all through but still retaining everything ESS, lovely dark eye with that yummy expression. She had good reach of neck into well placed shoulders she was well boned and had lovely feet. She had good forechest and depth and spring of rib. She was well coupled and had lovely rear angulation. She was in super coat and condition. She moved true fore and aft with a lovely tail action, enjoying her day out. Pleased to award her the **BCC and BIS**

2 Another beautiful type, LWT bitch in great coat and condition. well-shaped dark eye with a lovely expression, clean in skull and nothing given away. Good reach of neck into well set shoulders. Tight feet under good bone structure. Plenty of depth and spring of rib. short in loin and well angled rear. She moved well and steady and was happy on the move.

3, Casey/Jayes Eastriding Sheer Love for Sandicam

CHB (1) 1 a worthy champion for sure. This bitch carried a lovely dark LW jacket in great condition, she is built ion lovely clean lines and nothing overdone. I found her to have lovely dark eyes and a sweet expression. She was clean in skull and had a clean neck into well placed shoulders, plenty of depth and well sprung ribs. She was well coupled and strong in loin. Had good rear angles and when moved she strode out with purpose and drive

SBB Harris’s Melverly Burano was placed 2nd in yearling critique done

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