

South Western ESSC
Judge: Mrs Lesley McCourt

BEST DOG & BEST IN SHOW
KINGSHEATH WILLIAM REGAL SHCM
RES BEST DOG & RES BEST IN SHOW & BEST BLACK & WHITE
TIVERSTONE CHORISTER BOY
BEST BITCH & BEST VETERAN IN SHOW
SHELCASRIE LOVERS LEAP
RES BEST BITCH
TIVERSTONE MAGNOLIA GOLD
BEST PUPPY BITCH & BEST PUPPY IN SHOW
PEASBLOSSOM ROMA AT KINGSHEATH
BEST PUPPY DOG
ROQFOLLY ENDEAVOUR

I would like to thank the officers and committee of the SWESSC for their invitation to judge at their October Open Show. My companion and I received a warm welcome and good hospitality from this small friendly committee. I really enjoyed my day.

I would also like to thank the exhibitors for allowing me the honour of judging their dogs and for taking my decisions in a sporting manner.

Rear movement was an issue today, I'm not sure if it was the small ring, that caused the problem, but certainly there were quite a few who were close behind. On the plus side, eye colour was really quite good, I didn't find anything that offended me.

MPD 1 (1)

PD 2 (1)

1 Holmans' Roqfolly Endeavour

10 month L/W/T baby whose head was balanced with good width of foreface and depth in flew, enough stop rising from foreface, square muzzle, eye of good colour for his age. Decent length of neck, he has a straight front with enough bone, feet could be tighter. He needs to drop into himself in body and is a little narrow in thigh at the moment, but as he matures this could all change. He needs to tighten up in movement, but was a happy boy and was well presented.

JD 1 (1)

1 Ainsley & Nicklins' Daenerys Fifty Shades

12 month dark liver male, with the most beautiful refined head which is balanced. He has a lovely dark eye which is of correct almond shape, good depth to muzzle. He is straight in front, and he presents a balanced outline when stood, at the moment he is lacking depth of body and substance, but he is young and hopefully maturity will play it's part here. He has a moderately bent stifle with good width of thigh, he moved well but was a little wide going away.

SYD 3 (1)

1 Hobbs' Peasblossom Pioneer

2 year old liver & white. Balanced masculine head, eye is of correct shape, but could be a little darker, He has a decent length of neck, would prefer him cleaner in throat. He is correct for size, has good body depth and substance. He has good bone, his feet could be tighter, decent bend of stifle and width of thigh, moved well once settled with parallel rear action.

2 Ainsley & Nicklins' Daenerys Fifty Shades

ND 1

1 Holmans' Roqfolly Endeavour

GD 0

PGD 2 (1)

1 Taubmans' Meonstoke Hawthorn

3 year L/W who's head is masculine, with enough work in it, dark eye of correct shape. Good reach of neck into well laid shoulder and good return of upper arm. He has a straight front and stands on well boned legs, his feet could be tidier. His body is deep through chest with well sprung ribs and good width of hindquarters which are strong. Good bend of stifle and width of thigh. His movement was true, but he was a bit proud of his tail today. Presentation was excellent.

LD 3 (1)

Two very different but nice boys in this class.

1 Whittocks' Kingsheath William Regal ShCM

Super LWT boy who is quality all through. He has a masculine head with correct eye shape and colour, balanced skull to foreface with good depth of flew. He looked at me with his melting expression, and I was sold! He has the required fluting between the eyes and chiselling below. His front is straight and he stands on well boned legs with tight round feet. Slightly larger all through than two, he has a balanced outline, with deep chest and well sprung ribs. He is strong through loin, with nicely angled rear quarters giving him a moderately bent stifle and good width of thigh. He is solidly muscled which helped to drive him around the ring from his strong hocks. Presentation was immaculate, and absolutely deserved BD & BIS.

2 Shovels Tiverstone Chorister Boy

I was spoilt for choice between these two, I just preferred the head proportions and expression of 1, that said this B/W boy has a masculine head, I would like a touch more length to foreface, and slightly rounder skull. He has super dark eyes which are of correct shape. He has good length of neck into a strong level topline, and deep body, he excels in fore chest, and is correct for size. His markings do him no favours making him appear long, but he is balanced with good spring of ribs. moderately bent stifle good bone & tight feet. He moved acutely in all directions and with enthusiasm, and for this he was awarded RBD & RBIS

OD 1

1 Whittocks Merrywater Minstrel at Kingsheath ShCM

Another good B/W boy. He has a balanced head, which is elegant, but for me could be a little stronger. Another with super dark eye of correct shape. Front is straight, he is well boned with tidy feet. He has a good reach of neck is balanced in outline, has good depth to chest and well sprung ribs His rear quarters are well muscled

with decent width of thigh. He moved well in profile with good reach and holding his topline but could be tidier coming and going.

VD 0
SBD 0

MPB 1

1 Wests' Grosbreuil Abrioc Regal

Sweet 8 month old l/w who was spot on for age. She has a pretty feminine head, of good proportion and good reach of neck. When she allows herself to be stacked, she has a nice shape, she has lovely depth for her age, decent bone and tight round feet. Her profile movement was lovely with good extension, she was true coming and going for one so young with good muscle tone. she was well presented, and full of potential.

PB 1

1 Whittocks Peasblossom Roma at Kingsheath

Such a pretty 10 mth LWT. Her beautiful feminine head, is balanced with good length to foreface, and the right amount of depth to flew. She has an endearing expression helped along nicely by her dark hazel eyes which are of correct almond shape. She is balanced when stood, has a glorious length of neck, which is in balance with her body. Her front and rear angles are correct, and not over done in any way. Her fore chest is developing nicely, she is straight in front with enough depth of body and spring to rib. She still needs to develop in loin and width of thigh, but this will all come as she matures. She is well muscled, and this together with her happy disposition was seen in her movement. I preferred her head and outline to that of the Minor Puppy, and was more than happy to award her BPB & BPIS

JB 0

SYB 3

1 Weymans Spuffing Molly's Secret

This feminine 18mth B/W bitch has lovely head, with super dark eyes. Her head is balanced, but would benefit from a little more stop. She is straight in front, has decent bone. She is balanced in outline with good depth of chest and spring of rib. There is nothing over done here, she is moderation personified. She strides out well in profile with good extension, but she was close going away. Shown in good condition and well presented.

2 Williams & Toublics Cobhay Dazzling Azalea

Pretty L/W of 14 months who was giving a lot away today in maturity. She has the darkest of eye colour, in fact the darkest of the day from within the Livers, no question here that they were dark hazel! She is a little wide in front, but has decent bone for her age, and tight feet. She needs to drop in body, and is a little long through the loin, but she is correct for size, with moderate angulation front and rear. She moved with enthusiasm but was close at the back, and carrying her tail high. She has good muscle tone and was well presented.

NB 1

Wests' Grosbreuil Abrioc Regal

GB 3

1 Weymans Spuffing Molly's Secret

2 Whittocks Peasblossom Roma at Kingsheath

3 Youngs' Canouan Jolly Holiday at Shelcasrie (imp Fra)

PGB 3

1 Shovels' Tiverstone Royal Snow

Pretty black & white, with feminine balanced head, I really liked her shape and size. She has ample fore chest with good bone and substance. She has enough length to neck, which leads to her strong back and level topline. She has good depth of chest and well sprung ribs. Lovely bend to stifle and good width of thigh. She was accurate on the move, but in the challenge she moved with so much enthusiasm she was high stepping at the front, which just spoilt the picture for me. She truly has a happy disposition, she made me smile.

2 Taubmans Meonstoke Songbird

L/W bitch, who's head is a little heavy for me, and lacking femininity, I preferred the head of her litter mate in 3. That said she has good reach of neck, into decent shoulders, she has ample depth to body, and good substance, strong through loin and short coupled, she stands on well boned legs and neat feet. She is balanced in outline, she moved well, but another that was close behind today.

3 Wests' Meonstoke Cherry Blossom at Grosbreuil

LB 2

1 Shovels' Tiverstone Magnolia Gold

Another lovely B/W from this kennel, one who has done well under me before. However, unlike our previous encounter, today she found her personality, my notes read 'spirited! Feminine head with super dark eye, she is correct for size. I loved her substance, she is straight at the front with good bone and neat feet. She has ample depth of chest, and good spring to ribs. Her rear quarters are strong and well muscled, which showed in her accurate movement, in profile she extends and drives and is true both coming and going. In the challenge I just preferred the height to length ratio of the Veteran, but this bitch was more than deserving of her award of RBB

2 Weymans Spuffin Rioja

Feminine LW who I would like a little more of all through. She has a pretty head, with good length to foreface which is in balance with skull, she has a dark eye of correct shape. She presents a balanced outline when stood. Good length of neck into decent shoulders, enough depth of body, well sprung ribs. She has decent rear quarters with moderately bent stifle. She moved steadily, but another that was close behind today.

OB 3

1 Reynolds Mompesson Royal Flush

Lovely L/W/T, which I wasn't sure about on first inspection as she was stood a little roached, but as she relaxed, her shape became apparent. She is a stronger bitch, but is balanced with good bone and substance. She has good length of neck well boned legs, and moderate angulation front and rear. Pretty balanced head and eye of good colour, giving a soft expression. One of the best movers of the day, she extends with the correct swing from the shoulder and drives from the rear she has

accurate foot fall both coming and going. I felt she could benefit from losing a pound or two.

2 Taubmans Peasblossom Geisha at Meonstoke

Dark Liver bitch, with a balanced head, dark eye although a little round. She has a good reach of neck, she has a tendency to lose her topline when stacked, she is deep in chest, with good bone and tight round feet. She moved well, but a little close behind.

3 Williams & Toubics' Cobhay Dahlia

VB 4

1 Joyce's Shelcasrie Lovers Leap

My surprise of the day, and a lovely one too. This feminine bitch, who is approaching her 10th birthday, is in super condition, she is so fit, my lasting impression of her is her strength in body which you can only find when you go over her. Her head is feminine, although could be stronger in foreface, she is just starting to show some aging around her dark hazel eyes. She has a neck of good length, into well laid shoulders and correct return of upper arm. She has good bone and substance, elbows tight to body, with excellent depth to chest. She has a good spring of rib, level topline and strong loin. Lovely rear angulations, has good width of thigh, moderately bent stifle and parallel hocks when staked. She moves really well belying her years, with extension in front, she is straight coming towards you, but, and here is my heartache, she is close behind. In the challenge, I just found myself drawn back to her time and again, so, taking into consideration, her age, and all of her other attributes, coupled with the fact that so many exhibits were also close behind - today I forgave that, and was delighted to award her BB & BVIS. In the challenge for BIS, she had to make way for the males, both of whom were moving really well. Her presentation was excellent, she is a credit to her owners, who should be very proud.

2 Hydons' Mompesson Sweet Revenge Ir Vet Ch

Another good senior, of 9 years and again, well muscled and fit. Feminine LW, with balanced head, and dark eye. Enough length of neck, perhaps a touch upright in shoulder, she holds a good topline, has good depth of chest, but would prefer more spring to rib. Moderately angled rear, which is solid. She moves well, with good use of her of tail.

3 Youngs Shelcasrie Dancing Queen

4 Williams & Toblics Cobhay Precious Polyantha

ESS Welfare Stakes 3

This was a family outing, three generations enjoying their day.

1 Williams & Toublics Cobhay Dazzling Azalea

2 Williams & Toubics' Cobhay Dahlia

LW Feminine head, eye of good colour and shape, she is straight in front, I would prefer more depth to chest, and she is a little long in loin. She has a good width to thigh and well muscle hind quarters. She moved with enthusiasm, but was a little proud of her tail today.

3 Williams & Toblics Cobhay Precious Polyantha

Terry Holman Memorial Brace Stakes

It was difficult to split these 3 good braces, I wished I had three 1st places

1 West

Well matched pair, moved well together, until the puppy decided to hang on to the front leg of her mum - that made me smile, happy Springer's.

2 Williams & Toublic

Another well match pair, moving well together.

3 Taubman

This pair were also well matched, and moved in unison.

Members Stakes 5

1 Reynolds Mompesson Royal Flush

2 Weymans Spuffin Rioja

3 Taubmans Peasblossom Geisha at Meonstoke

4 Hydons' Mompesson Sweet Revenge Ir Vet Ch

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Handling Classes - Judge Liz Young

Junior

1 Phoebe Toublic aged 10

2 Kaitlyn Nicholson aged 11

Adult

1 Daisy Toublic

2 Jackie Weyman

