

## **Richmond Championship Dog Show 2017**

**Judge: Mr Stephen Randle Goodwin (Lanola)**

**BEST OF BREED : ESSEX Mrs B J Ch Chacombe Royal Gift to Brendek**

**Dog CC : ESSEX Mrs B J Ch Chacombe Royal Gift to Brendek**

**Res Dog CC : JACKSON Mrs T M Amantra Treasury**

**Bitch CC : BOWLES-ROBINSON Mrs C Ch Baldragon She Demands JW**

**Res Bitch CC : BAKER Mr R S & Mrs R K Cofton Walking On Sunshine**

**Best Puppy : BOWLES-ROBINSON Mrs C Baldragon Hold That Thought**

**Best Veteran : PEARCE Miss D M Amantra Reginald**

**Thank you to the Officers and Committee for inviting me to judge. Thank you to my Stewards who kept everything running smoothly, last but not least, thank you to the exhibitors for allowing me to judge your dogs and also for braving the M25 on a Friday. I was somewhat apprehensive when I discovered that the show had not drawn a particularly large entry, which is a great pity for the organisers. I need not have worried; quality was there in depth. I was looking for a King Charles Spaniel that fitted The Breed Standard, aloof and reserved temperament not those that showed more like cavaliers and behaved so extorvert in the ring.**

**I felt the bitches were much stronger than the dogs today and all my winners could go on to gain their titles.**

**Class 154 VD (1 Entries) Abs: 0**

**1st: PEARCE Miss D M Amantra Reginald**

**Tricolour, A very full masculine head very large dark eyes, lovely dome, and correct ear placement. Really well filled under the eyes, yet soft gentle mouth line, lovely overall size with compact cobby body, moved well in both directions possessing a level topline standing and on the move. Presented in very nice condition. Best Veteran Dog & Best Veteran**

**Class 155 PD (1 Entries) Abs: 0**

**1st: FRENCH, Miss M C & TRAYNOR Mr B Mitapip Elusive Ruby**

**Promising Ruby well proportioned throughout. He showed well with lots of confidence, pleasing head, dark eyes, good pigmentation. Typical ruby so immature at present, just needs time to mature. Best puppy Dog**

**Class 156 JD (2 Entries) Abs: 1**

**1st: PEARCE Miss D M Downsbank Troubadour Over Ozzymoon**

**Tricolour very unsettled and needs to gain more body, dark eyes, good reach of neck, straight front, level topline, with good tail set, well angulated, moved ok, very hard to assess as he was very unsettled.**

**Class 157 PGD (3 Entries) Abs: 0**

**1st: PORTINGALE Mr & Mrs P & J C Jacrianna King's Ransome**

**Well balanced extrovert black & tan, pleasing head, good width of jaw, nice size, moved well, straight front, needs a little more maturity to complete the picture, but very promising, presented in nice condition.**

**2nd: REX-PARKES Mr M Downsbank Glittering Image**

**Blenheim that had a superb domed head with excellent rise to skull, dark lustrous eyes, I like this dog a lot, caught my eye as soon as he entered the ring, sadly today was out of coat. Moved out well and has a very good topline, excellent tail set, showed with lots of confidence, put down in very nice condition.**

**3rd: MELVILLE Miss C Amantra Chorale**

**Class 158 LD (2 Entries) Abs: 1**

**1st: PASCOE, Mrs M & PASCOE Miss C Cavella Cookie Of Cwmtirion**

**Quality Tricolour with a lots to like about him. Excellent rise of skull, large, round, dark eyes, good nose placement, wide open nostrils, soft gentle expression, low set ears that were well feathered, good neck and shoulders, level topline very nice silky coat and presented in lovely condition. I seriously considered him for the reserve cc.**

**Class 159 OD (5 Entries) Abs: 3**

**1st: ESSEX Mrs B J Ch Chacombe Royal Gift to Brendek**

**Quality Tricolour with excellent rise to skull and good width of jaw, low set ears in line with his eyes which were dark and round, giving a lovely soft expression, but still masculine, dark pigmentation, straight front with ample neck, excellent topline, great tail set and carried just at right height, well angulated which allowed him to move freely, maintaining a super firm topline, Typical Charlie temperament displaying a refined and aloof attitude. Presented in pristine condition pleased to award him the CC & BOB**

**2nd: JACKSON Mrs T M Amantra Treasury**

**Blenheim with a stronger, masculine head, I just preferred the rise of skull on the winner. Scores in outline and being so well balanced and super bone and substance, silky coat of the correct texture, moved well and with level topline, presented in very nice condition. Pleased to award him the Reserve CC**

**Class 160 VB (2 Entries) Abs: 0**

**1st: SELLEN Mrs J E Vashdown Contralto**

**Tricolour, lovely size and she carries herself at all times with real dignity. An attractive head with all correct points. Lovely level topline and she is so free and active in covering the ring when moving. Best Veteran Bitch**

**2nd: JUNIPER Mrs C A Lewiscarol Lady Divine**

**Black/Tan, well balanced, cobby body, sweet head and expression, moved well when settled and enjoying her outing, just showed her age which she carries with grace.**

**Class 161 PB (4 Entries) Abs: 2**

**1st: BOWLES-ROBINSON Mrs C Baldragon Hold That Thought**

**Blenheim, ultra feminine with the most beautifully head and profile, correct dome, well filled muzzle, good nose placement and good width of underjaw to balance muzzle, really dark eyes, good front with lovely round bone, short back, good hind angulation, moved very soundly. Another promising puppy with a bright future.**

**Best Puppy In Breed**

**2nd: BLEWETT, Mr J & SMITH Mr R Othmese Celtic Purdita**

**Black/Tan, attractive with really short back, good bone for a bitch her age, sweet head, lovely dark eyes and bright tan markings, raven black coat and of silky straight texture, very confident on the move and attentive for one so young, presented in gleaming condition.**

**Class 162 JB (4 Entries) Abs: 0**

**1st: AUSTIN, Mr & Mrs M & BAKER Miss E Cofton Dancing Though Life**

**Tricolour, quality exhibit, large, round, dark eyes giving an ultra feminine expression, so well balanced and with lovely substance, excellent topline, perfect tailset, straight front and ample reach of neck, spirit level topline well angulated and moved with drive and free flowing movement. One I am sure when fully matured will gain her title. Presented in pristine condition.**

**2nd: BOWLES-ROBINSON Mrs C Baldragon Hold That Thought**

**See Puppy**

**3rd: CHAMPION, Mrs C & HARVEY Miss V Lankcombe Clara Bow**

**Class 163 PGB (3 Entries) Abs: 0**

**1st: BAKER Mr R S & Mrs R K Cofton Fairy Tale JW**

**Striking Tricolour girl with most glamorous head and lovely ear placement. Long ear leathers and fringing set on low and the darkest of eyes, complete such a soft appealing expression. Good reach of neck and relaxed when moving that showed her level topline. Nice overall size with plenty of body and bone. Another excellent type from this kennel and all this exhibitor's dogs were put down in tip top condition. I considered her for the reserve CC but with the change of handler, become unsettled and had to give way to her kennel mate. Another that should gain her title.**

**2nd: BLEWETT, Mr J & SMITH Mr R Cofton Tallisker With Othmese**

**Black/Tan, pleasing shape and size, cobby body, feminine head with soft expression, darkest of eyes, good Turn up and cushioning, silky textured**

**coat with rich tan in all the right places, moved soundly with level topline.**

**3rd: JUNIPER Mrs C A Lewiscarol Lady In Red**

**Class 164 LB (3 Entries) Abs: 0**

**1st: JACKSON Mrs T M Amantra Truffle**

**Blenheim, lovely head and very feminine, this bitch has a lovely rise to skull, low set ears, as so often in Blenheims you see them more apple headed and a much higher ear set. Not on this girl, she is just right. Coat was silky and well presented and for me displayed a true Charlie Temperament, reserved and has that look of aloofness. Moved very soundly in both directions and skilfully taken at the right pace to show off her qualities. Presented in excellent condition.**

**2nd: BLEWETT, Mr J & SMITH Mr R Othmese Diamond**

**Tricolour. Good shape and size, nice spring of rib, sound front, level back and good turn of stifles, giving a free movement, pleasing head with dark expressive eyes and good ear set, coat of correct silky texture, just not as compact as the winner.**

**3rd: JUNIPER Mrs C A Lewiscarol Lady In Red**

**Class 165 OB (5 Entries) Abs: 0**

**1st: BOWLES-ROBINSON Mrs C Ch Baldragon She Demands JW**

**Lightly marked tricolour, ultra feminine head with super dark lustrous eyes, with excellent rise of skull and good width of jaw, low set ears, straight front, level topline, well angulated quarters moved freely and with lots of style, put down in pristine condition and handled very cleverly. I was thrilled to award her the CC which made it her 34th and the New Breed Record holder in Bitches. Many congratulations.**

**2nd: BAKER Mr R S & Mrs R K Cofton Walking On Sunshine**

**Tricolour who I have previously judged as a Puppy and awarded her Best Puppy in Breed. She has an excellent head with lovely rise to skull, large, round, dark eyes, giving gentle feminine expression, today she was so close to winning this class, moved soundly and presented in superb condition. Reserve CC**

**3rd: ESSEX Mrs B J Tudorhurst Beatrice at Brendek**

**Stephen Randle Goodwin (Lanola)**

**Judge**