

**The Welsh Kennel Club 2017
Championship Show 18 August 2017
King Charles Spaniel**

Thank you to my two efficient stewards who kept everything running smoothly.

Veteran Dog (3 Entries) Abs: 2

1st PEARCE Amantra Reginald

Lightly marked 8 year old Tricolour. Mature head with wide muzzle and dark eyes. Well shaped body with well angled croup and tail set. Moved well.

Minor Puppy Dog (3 Entries) Abs: 0

1st: GILLHESPY Lorphil First Impression

Very raw 7 month old Tricolour. Liked his head and dome but needs more cushioning and fill in his muzzle.

Good reach of neck and well laid shoulders. Level topline and moved very well. I liked his type.

2nd: DAWSON & JONES Pomelo Fancypants

Although he was a month younger he was more mature than the winner. Very well schooled and confident. Not the head of the winner or the neck.

3rd: HARVEY Rivermoor Alberto

Puppy Dog (3 Entries) Abs: 1

1st: MATCHES Baldragon Earl Leicester TAF

Won on maturity. Moved well when settled. Well set large dark eyes. Well sprung ribs and level topline. Best Puppy Dog

2nd: GILLHESPY Lorphil Lost Treasure

When his body catches up with his head he will take some beating. Beautiful rise of skull and well cushioned wide muzzle. Moved steadily showing off good angulation both front and rear.

Junior Dog (3 Entries) Abs: 0

1st: SIDGWICK Paulian Where's Wally

15 month old, lightly marked Tricolour. Classic head with well placed ears and large dark eyes. Good reach of neck and well laid shoulders. Compact body which gave a well balanced appearance. Moved very steadily both front and rear.

2nd: MOCHRIE Downsbank Liturgy

Well marked Tricolour who is just out of puppy. Well made body and moved very well.

3rd: BOUNDY Cofton Glenfiddich For Rubyfield

Post Graduate Dog (8 Entries) Abs: 3

1st: MELVILLE Amantra Chorale

Lovely 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ year old tricolour. Correct Charlie shape. Good dome and rise of skull. Wide and well cushioned muzzle with good cushioning under well set dark eyes. I liked his ear set and expression. Good round ribs, level topline and well set tail. Moved steadily. RCC

2nd: PORTINGALE Jacrianna King's Ransome

20 month old Black & Tan. I loved his head with plenty of fill and cushioning. Good dome and well set eyes and ears. Plenty of neck set on well angled shoulders. He moved well. Just longer in loin than the winner.

3rd: MALLOW'S X-jewel Od Dvou Orechu Binglui (Imp)

Limit Dog (12 Entries) Abs: 4

1st: PASCOE Cavella Cookie Of Cwmtirion

Mature Tricolour who I have always liked. Enough neck and shoulders. Short coupled body. Classic head with wide muzzle and dark, well shaped and set eyes. He just lacked animation on the day.

2nd: BYERS Lanola Giorgio Armani with Simannie

Younger, less settled Tricolour. Moved steadily around the ring with good, parallel movement. Lovely head with large nose leather and open nostrils. Lovely expression looked a little worried.

3rd: MOCHRIE Downsbank Razzle Dazzle Em

Open Dog (4 Entries) Abs: 1

1st: JACKSON Ch Amantra Regal Duke

More heavily marked Tricolour with rich tan in all the right places. Lovely head with good cushioning. Dark pigment with large nose leather and open nostrils.

Moved with drive and style. DCC and BOB

2nd: MADDISON Celxo Charles Dickens

Mature Ruby with large well shaped head. Well muscled body and moved well.

Veteran Bitch No Entry

Minor Puppy Bitch (1 Entries) Abs: 0

1st: CRIDLAND Pomelo Fondant Fancy Avec Monleon

Sweet Blenheim baby, just 6 months at her first show.

Well trained and moved well and confidently. I liked her body shape with arched neck and well laid shoulders.

Good ribs for age.

Puppy Bitch (2 Entries) Abs: 1

1st:...BOWLES-ROBINSON Baldragon Hold That Thought
Lightly marked Blenheim of just 9 months. Good bone for her size. Well angled shoulders and level topline. She has a lovely expression with wide muzzle and expressive eyes. Very confident. Best Puppy

Junior Bitch (4 Entries) Abs: 1

1st: BOWLES-ROBINSON Baldragon Hold That Thought
See Puppy

2nd: MOCHRIE Downsbank Vesper

Nicely marked Tricolour of just 12 months. Well domed head with lovely dark pigment and attractive expression. Well made body with strong rear movement.

3rd: CHAMPION & HARVEY Lankcombe Clara Bow

Post Graduate Bitch (3 Entries) Abs: 0

1st: JACKSON Amantra Truffle

Petite 2½ year old Blenheim. Very Charlie in body and attitude. I liked her pretty head, length of neck, shoulders and rounded ribcage. Well broken, richly coloured markings. Moved well if not enthusiastically.

2nd: COX Petitpaws Black Pearl

Younger Black & Tan. More up on the leg at the moment. Head with good dome, dark well set eyes and long, low set ears

3rd: STONE Maynorth Look of Love

Limit Bitch (4 Entries) Abs: 0

1st: HARVEY Rivermoor Lady Martha JW

3 $\frac{1}{2}$ year old Blenheim who is just coming back into coat after a litter. Well broken chestnut markings.

Mature head with correct low ear set. Well sprung ribs and well angled rear. Moved very well. RCC

2nd: GILLHESPY Lorphil's Design

Another 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ year old, this time a Tricolour in good coat. I liked her size and shape and her head with well filled muzzle and filling under her dark eyes. Moved enthusiastically.

3rd: GOODWIN Lanola Mademoiselle JW

Open Bitch (4 Entries) Abs: 2

1st: BOWLES-ROBINSON Ch Baldragon She Demands JW

Mature 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ year old, well marked Tricolour. Fabulous shape. Mature head with dreamy expression. Large dark eyes. Lovely dome and well finished lips.

Especially well shaped neck and shoulders. Moved with drive around the ring. Could not be ignored. BCC

2nd: STONE Maynorth Back To Black JW

Mature Black & Tan. Could do with losing some weight which I think affected her movement. Pretty head and eyes.

Chris Dix (Judge)