Boston & District Canine Society Championship Dog Show King Charles Spaniels – Dogs & Bitches.

Sunday 12th January 2020

It was a great honour and a privilege to be asked to judge this breed at Boston & District Canine Society Championship Dog Show. I would like to thank the committee and Show Secretary in organising a well-run and well executed show. I would like to pass on a heart felt thank you to all exhibitors allowing me the great privilege of judging their "Charlies", a breed very close to my heart, alas at the moment I am without out one. I thoroughly enjoyed the opportunity of getting close to this breed again.

Class Puppy Dog 1 Abs 0

1st Blewett & Smith's Othmese Regal Dandy

6 month promising beautifully marked Tricolour baby. Shown in super condition. Nice size and ample bone for age. Promise of a super head. Skull moderately large and well domed. Lovely black nose and nice turn up. Large dark eyes set well apart. Lovely expression. Ear set low hanging nice and promise of good feathering. His very first show and a bit overwhelmed by everything, but once settled he moved steadily and showed off his firm top line and medium neck and lovely head carriage. Very sympathetically handled and should have some fun with this little chap. BP

Class Junior Dog 2 Abs 0

1st Mochrie's Downsbank Jeffrey

13 months well marked Tricolour. Lovely cobby body with good deep rib. Short backed and well angulated. Very good on the move, active elegant and driving from behind. A little shyer than number 2. Lovely head, large and broad, with nice dome, with good square muzzle, wide and deep and nicely cushioned under the eyes. Needs a little more attention to ring presentation. Feathering coming nicely. RBD

2nd Smiths' Justacharma Magic Goes On

For type similar to 1 with lovely head piece. Well domed head and large well set dark eyes and low set ears. Needs more body. Moved happily, lovely temperament, a little longer cast than 1 and needs to broaden all through, which with maturity should come. Beautifully presented.

Class Post Graduate Dog 3 Abs 1

1st Harvey's Rivermoor Alberto

Nearly 3 year old Tricolour boy lovely for size. Moderately large skull. Nice large dark eyes. Good turn up and expression. Moderate bone, compact and cobby. Lovely temperament and showed well. Well presented.

2nd French & Traynor's Mitapip Elusive Ruby

Nearly 3 year old rich chestnut Ruby boy that was short and cobby with a lovely domed skull with square muzzle and good turn up. Moved good in front but close behind. Well presented.

Class Open Dog 3 Abs 1

1st French & Traynor's Celxo Vermouth on Ice

3 year old Blenheim who was the best moving exhibit so far. Ideal for size and shape and nicely balanced. Short straight legs. Good lay of shoulder with nice deep rib. Short level back, moved with drive. Good typical broad and large head with good expression. Compact feet and well bodied throughout. Happy toy spaniel that never stopped showing. BD & BOB

2nd Smith's Ch. Hedra's Truly Magic Is Justacharma

Lovely quality 8 year old Tricolour, just a size larger than 1. Lovely typical head piece. Moved and showed very well loving his day out. Shown in full coat. Just preferred the movement and size of 1.

Class Special Beginners Dog 0 Abs 0

Class Puppy Bitch 1 Abs 0

1st Blewett's Othmese Gyselle

6 month old Black and Tan bitch. Promise of a rich deep tan which at the moment still needs to clear a little. Lovely for shape and size, well bodied for age. Moderate nice and bone. Pleasing expression from dark eyes, well set ears. Well schooled, enjoying her day out. Class Junior Bitch 3 Abs 0

1st Lewis' Amantra Tarazed Carleeto

Tricolour bitch lovely and chunky, good for size and shape with moderate bone. Well angulated. Rich tan and large broad head. Well defined stop, good square muzzle with good turn up. Lovely wide, deep chest with level back. Moved steadily RBB

2nd Boyer's Ellinghurst Miss Saigon

Tricolour with super temperament, nicely sized and well balanced throughout, a little over excited here today which detracted from her movement. Beautifully presented and well handled.

3rd Mochrie's Downsbank Snowdrop

Class Post Graduate Bitch 3 Abs 0

1st Boyer's Ellinghurst Kiki Dee

Very small, but balanced Tricolour that was the best mover in the class. Good top line with pretty head piece set with dark eyes

2nd Blewett & Smith's Othmese Lady Florin

Good for type, moderately large head piece with good nose pigment. Dark, well set eyes. Ample for bone. Should breed on something nice. Would not relax here today to give her best.

3rd Abbott's Cofton Reach For The Stars

Class Open Bitch 3 Abs 1

1st Harvey's Rivermoor Lady Martha JW

5 year old quality Blenheim bitch that is well bodied, good for type. Moderately large head with pleasing expression from large, dark well set eyes and good turn up. Well set, well feathered ears. Good angulated throughout. Well handled and moved soundly with good head carriage. BB

2nd Blewett & Smith's Cofton Tallisker With Othmese

From a smaller mould than 1, well balanced Black and Tan bitch. Good rich tan. Lovely gentle and affectionate temperament. Moderately large well domed head with well placed dark eyes giving a pleasing expression. Correct ear set. Coat coming nicely and moved ok. Sympathetically handled.

Class Special Beginners Bitch 1 Abs 0

1st Abbott's Cofton Reach For The Stars

Very compact toy Tricolour spaniel. Pretty head piece with lovely dark expressive eyes. Well handled and presented by this young handler BSB

Maxine Fox-Shone

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