WEST OF ENGLAND COCKER SPANILE CLUB

Single Breed Championship Show held on Sunday 29th January 2023

At Forest Oak Farm, Purlieu View, Lydney Gloucestershire GL15 4LN

BITCHES

I would like to thank the Officers and Committee for inviting me to Judge Bitches at West of England Cocker Spaniel Club Championship Show, this appointment should have gone ahead in 2021 but due to Covid etc and difficulties in fitting all champ shows into the calendar the show was delayed, cannot believe the invitation was over 2 years ago, how time flies. However, I thoroughly enjoyed my day and it was worth the wait. I would like to thank my stewards Stuart McCabe-Bell and Mat Griffiths for keeping my ring running smoothly, their hard work was much appreciated. Thank you also to all exhibitors who entered under me, I had some good quality bitches to go over and I am sure some will change places at other shows.

I was very pleased with my final line up as follows:

CC & RBIS Hilliers Sh.Ch Coedcernyw Calendar Girl JW RCC Ward's Wensum Dancing in the Dark JW

BPB Young's Canyonn Classic Vision

BMPB BMPIS Thomas's Fendrove Topsy Turvey at Claramand
VB Bavin & Austin Rojoys Chase The Dream JW ShCM

JB & BJIS West's Sheigra Super Secret JW

Special Beginners Tavernor's Cassom Blue Muse at Regaltav

Any Other Colour

Class 20

Special Puppy 6 (0 abs)

1st Masters & Dott Manchela Little Tease

A really good quality class and this little lady just had the edge, 9 month old balanced dark blue roan, dark eye with tight rims, soft expression, deep chest, good legs and neat feet, good reach of neck into well placed shoulders, ample rib, nicely rounded quarters, well muscled, good return of upper arm, moved with drive keeping a level topline, excellent presentation.

2nd Thomas's Claramand Kind of Magic

9 month old orange baby with the most gorgeous feminine head, soft dark eye with melting expression good reach of neck into well placed shoulders, lovely legs and feet with good return of upper arm, deep chest and good ribs, rounded quarters and well muscled, lovely presentation, moved well when settled, just preferred overall finish of 1, however I'm sure these will change places many times as they develop.

3rd Stokes-Harrell & Harrell Claramand One Vision

Litter sister to 2 and another well made orange, similar comments to 2 apply, again all 3 of these lovely babies could change places as they develop.

Class 21 Special Novice 3 (0 abs)

1st Palmer's **Shansart Skylark**

Feminine dark blue roan, with dark eye and soft expression, tight rims, good depth and width of muzzle, well placed shoulders, good depth of body, ample bone and neat feet, well rounded quarters, moved well when settled.

2nd Walker's Ryallcourt Angelica Pickle at Swindlesway

Pretty black and white with kind eye and soft expression, well placed shoulders, longer cast and not quite the depth of one, coat in good order, moved ok.

3rd Hawkins' Lindridge Damask Rose at Grovern

Class 22 Special Graduate 5 (1 abs)

1st Craig's Alisma Alloonah

Well presented blue roan with soft dark eye, good width and depth of muzzle, deep chest, well boned legs and neat feet, well sprung ribs, well rounded quarters with good muscle tone, good bend of stifle and short below hocks, moved well.

2nd Mitchell's Glowhill Sweet Magnolia

Light blue roan with dark eye and soft expression, good width and depth to muzzle, deep chest, strong well boned legs, good return of upper arm, well placed shoulders albeit carrying a little excess weight today, ample rib, well rounded quarters, good bend of stifle, moved with drive.

3rd Tavernor's Cassom Blue Muse at Regaltav

Class 23 Special Open 3 (0 abs)

1st Masters & Dott Manchela Lady Million JW

Balanced black and white of good type, dark eye, good depth and width of muzzle, lovely deep chest, stood on strong legs with neat feet, well placed shoulders, ample rib, well muscled rounded quarters, with good width of upper thigh, moved with drive with lovely clean jacket and excellent presentation.

2nd Sewell's Wintonia Hidden Gem at Quattrozampe

Dark blue with soft expression, good width and depth of muzzle, deep brisket with good legs and feet, good ribs and nicely rounded quarters, jacket in good order and well presented, slightly longer cast than 1, moved ok.

3rd Driver's Annilan Miss Magicstar at Beckaby

Any Solid Colour (and Tan)

Class 24 Special Puppy 5 (1 abs)

1st Whitehead's Canyonn Classic Impact

Quality black puppy with feminine head, dark eye and soft expression, good width/depth of muzzle, good reach of neck into well placed shoulders, plenty of heart and lung room, good legs and neat feet, ample rib, rounded quarters, good muscle tone, good bend of stifle, in good coat and condition, moved well,

2nd Stokes Harrell's Whinburn Prairie Grouse

Nine and a half month old golden baby of lovely quality, very pretty feminine head with lovely dark eye and melting expression, lovely square muzzle of good width and depth well placed shoulders and good ribs, deep chest, lovely legs and neat feet, well rounded quarters, moved well when settled, lovely presentation, could swap places on another day.

3rd Taylor Kister's Black Lord Wildest Dream at Frieljoanipa

Class 25 Special Novice 1 (0 abs)

1st Taylor Kister's Black Lord Wildest Dream at Frieljoanipa

Pretty 10 month old black with soft dark eye and lovely expression, good presentation and coat in lovely condition, good ribs, longer cast than I like and not the depth of chest, moved ok

Class 26 Special Graduate 2 (0 abs)

1st Ward's Wensum Dancing in the Dark JW

Black of lovely quality, have watched this bitch develop and she did not disappoint, feminine head with dark eye and soft expression, good reach of neck into well placed shoulders, deep chest with strong legs and neat feet, ample rib, rounded well muscled quarters, good rear angulation, lovely balanced outline, moved soundly fore and aft holding a level topline, in good coat and condition, well presented, was pleased to award her the **RCC**.

2nd Cooper's Charlaza Code Red

Gold bitch of nice quality, pretty feminine head with dark eye and soft expression, good width/depth of muzzle, deep chest, good reach of neck, good legs and neat feet, ample ribs with well muscled quarters, in good coat and condition, moved well, exhibitor needs a bit more practice to get the best out of this bitch.

Class 27 Special Open 4 (1 abs)

1st West's Sheigra Stars in Her Eyes JW OSW ShCEx

Quality black with pretty feminine head, dark eye with soft expression, deep chest, well boned legs and neat feet, good reach of neck into well placed shoulders, well ribbed body, well muscled quarters, short and cobby, moved well when settled.

2nd Kengyelics **Hebdene Harbour Nights**

Another quality black, overall bigger than 1 but balanced, slightly broader in head than 1 with lovely dark eye and soft expression, good width/depth of muzzle, well placed shoulders, ample rib and bone, rounded quarters with good rear angulation, lovely presentation, moved well

3rd Cooper's Charlaza Code Red

Any Colour

Class 28 Veteran 4 (2 abs)

1st Bavin & Austin's Rojoys Chase The Dream JW ShCM

Blue roan 8 years old with feminine head, dark eye and soft expression, deep chest with good legs and feet, ample rib, broad rounded quarters, good rear angulation, in good coat and condition, very happy on the move, pleased to award her **BVB**.

2nd Saunders' Moonstryder Eliza Taylor at Oxfordogs

Blue roan 7 years old, deep chest with good legs and feet, good ribs, slightly longer cast than 1, good rounded quarters, moved ok.

Class 29 Minor Puppy 6 (1 abs)

1st Thomas's Fendrove Topsy Turvey at Claramand

Quality black baby of just over 7 months old, lovely head with dark eye and soft melting expression, good reach of neck into well placed shoulders, big ribs, lovely deep chest, strong legs and neat feet, good muscle tone for a youngster, lovely round quarters, short below hock moved well when settled, presented a beautiful picture stacked. **BMPB & BMPIS**

2nd Jenkins' Covenant Peregrina Pearl of Bruxly (imp It)

Pretty golden baby of 8 months old, feminine head with dark eye and soft melting expression, good reach of neck into well placed shoulders, big ribs, good bone quality with neat feet, lovely rounded quarters, moved well when settled, lovely presentation, preferred head of 1 but could change places with 1 on another day.

3rd Craig's Alisma Astirist

Class 30 Puppy 7 (1 abs)

1st Young's Canyonn Classic Vision

Nine and a half month old black of lovely quality. Have watched this little girl develop over the last couple of months, lovely balanced outline, feminine head with dark eye and soft melting expression, good width/depth of muzzle, good reach of neck into well placed shoulders, plenty of heart and lung room, good legs and neat feet, ample rib, lovely rounded quarters with good muscle tone, good bend of stifle, in good coat and condition, moved well, **BPB**.

2nd Masters & Dott Manchela Little Tease

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3rd Stokes Harrell's Whinburn Prairie Grouse

Class 31 Junior 5 (1 abs)

1st West's Sheigra Super Special JW

Pretty golden bitch with feminine head, lovely dark eye with soft melting expression, good reach of neck into well placed shoulders, deep chest, good bone quality, neat feet, ample rib, well rounded quarters, good overall balance, in good coat and condition, moved well. **BJB & BJIS**

2nd Mitchell's Glowhill Chiquitita

Blue roan with pleasing head, good depth/width of muzzle, dark eye with soft expression, good depth of chest, strong legs and neat feet, good spring of rib, well muscled rounded quarters, sound mover, preferred overall finish of 1.

3rd Walker's Ryallcourt Angelica Pickle at Swindlesway

Class 32 Yearling 6 (0 abs)

1st McBride's Topday Tiny Dancer JW

Dark blue with good depth/width of muzzle, dark eye with soft expression, broader in skull than I like but this does not detract from her other qualities, deep chest, strong legs and neat feet, well placed shoulders, mature body with ample rib, well rounded quarters with good muscle tone, good bend of stifle, short below hock giving drive on the move, in excellent coat and condition, excellent presentation.

2nd Beever's **Dandyjan Tiny Dancer**

Another quality blue of balanced proportions, smaller overall than 1 but very balanced, dark eye and soft kind expression, good depth of chest, good legs and neat feet, ample rib, good width of quarters, well turned stifle, moved well, in excellent coat and condition, could change places another day.

3rd Ward's Wemsum Lets's Dance JW

Class 33 Novice 3 (0 abs)

1st Whitehead's Ryallcourt Stitch in Time

Really like this light blue roan, pleasing head, dark eye with soft expression, good length/width of muzzle, clean throat, good reach of neck with good shoulder placement, well boned legs and neat feet with good return of upper arm, ample rib, nicely rounded quarters with good muscle tone, short and cobby with overall balance, in good coat and condition, moved with drive.

2nd Hawkins' Lindridge Damask Rose at Grovern

Orange roan of different type to 1, dark eye with soft expression, deep chest with plenty of bone and substance, longer cast than I like, well rounded quarters moved ok.

3rd Taylor Kister's Black Lord Wildest Dream at Frieljoanipa

Class 34 Undergraduate 3 (2 abs)

1st Tavenor's Cassom Blue Muse at Regaltav

Blue roan of smaller proportions but overall balanced, dark eye with soft expression, well boned legs and neat feet, ample rib with rounded quarters, well turned stifle, nicely presented, moved well.

Class 35 Special Beginners 6 (1 abs)

1st Tavenor's Cassom Blue Muse at Regaltav

2nd Dean's Sandlauga Sherbert Pip

Pretty blue with soft expression, deep chest, good bone and substance, ample rib, soft dark eye and kind expression, deep chest, good bone quality ample rib, rounded quarters, good turn of stifle, moved well.

3rd Sewell's Quattrozampe Chuffed't Bits

Class 36 Post Graduate 6(1 abs)

1st Gladman's Chativore Violet Sky

This blue bitch caught my eye as soon as she entered the ring and she did not disappoint. Dark eye with soft expression, good depth/width of muzzle, good reach of neck into well placed shoulders, well boned legs and neat feet, deep chest, good rib, short coupled with lovely rounded quarters, good turn of stifle, beautifully balanced overall, lovely presentation, moved well both fore and aft

2nd Terry's Shaggylands Jessica Jay

Pretty blue with dark eye and soft expression, good depth/width of muzzle good reach of neck, good legs and feet, not the depth of 1 but overall balanced, ample rib with nicely rounded quarters, good rear angulation, good presentation, moved well.

3rd Driver's Brackenjack Bit of Allsorts at Beckaby

Class 37 Limit 8 (0 abs)

1st Kengyelics **Hebdene Haute Couture**

Black of lovely quality, well made and compact, dark eye with soft expression, good width/depth of muzzle, deep chest with good strong legs and neat feet, well placed shoulders, ample rib, well rounded quarters with good muscle tone, well made and compact, giving balanced outline, moved with drive, in excellent coat, A1 presentation.

2nd West's Sheigra Simply a Star JW

Another lovely black from this kennel, slightly smaller overall than one but balanced. Feminine head with dark expressive eye, good depth of chest, ample rib, well rounded quarters, in lovely coat and condition, moved well, just preferred head of 1..

3rd Bowen's Lararth Midnight Blue

Class 21 Open 5 (0 abs)

1st Hillier's ShCh Coedcernyw Calendar Girl JW

What can I say about this lovely red bitch that hasn't been said before. Lovely quality with excellent front assembly, good legs and neat feet, good reach of neck into well placed shoulders, ample rib with nicely rounded quarters, good rear angulation, in lovely coat and condition, balanced outline, used her tail to advantage, moved with drive keeping a level topline. **CC & RBIS**

2nd Gorka's Shansart Mary Poppins PI Jnr Ch/Lt Jnr Ch

Dark blue of balanced proportions, dark eye with soft expression, good width/depth of muzzle, good reach of neck into well placed shoulders, deep chest, well boned legs and neat feet, ample rib, short coupled, well rounded quarters, good angulation, moved with drive, in lovely coat and condition, with excellent presentation.

3rd West's Sheigra Super Special

Judge: Carol Share-Jones (Sharemead)