

Scottish Utility Breeds Club
Open Show 08/04/23

It was a great honour to be asked to judge BIS and several breeds at this lovely show. The quality was high in so many breeds and thank you to the other judges who sent through some stunning dogs for the group challenges. I should also like to thank my wonderful stewards who kept things moving smoothly and the exhibitors for their great sportsmanship.

BIS and BPIS was the stunning Shar Pei Todd's Witchgait Toasted Cheese

G2 Schuckardt's Lhasa Apso Kutani Black Opal At Frenchlands

G3 Dyles' TT Ch Pinrow midnight Diva At Kashi

G4 McKechnie's Schnauzer Yared Alarm Beskyd At Estrellmar

PG2 McKechnie's Min Sch Wiaimu's Braveheart Of Ukraine At Estrellamar naf

PG3 Tomson & Prentice's Tib Span Tamrae Parti With The Stars

PG4 Gate's Kees Winklestar Alnair Via Lacetrom

BVIS Gibson's Jap Spitz Ch Charney Mejro

RBVIS Coughtrie's Tib Span Ch Tulibell Star Struck At Jazpiper

Akita

OD (2,1) 1 Davies' Ch Redwitch This Is Me At Shinzam. Superb Male is lovely hard condition. Very handsome head, correct eye and expression, good length of neck set into correctly angulated shoulders, deep chest, lovely topline, well ribbed, strong rear. Impressive on the move. BOB

OB (2,1) 1 Kirk's Ivoryridge She's A Belter (ATC) Smart. Lovely outline, good head, long neck, okay front, well ribbed, good rear. Moved well but tends to lose her topline. Good coat of correct texture.

Boston Terrier

PG (4,2) 1 Kane's Yakee Sun Queen Two very different types here. This one won on overall showmanship. Lovely type Nice head, good eye, correct neck and front. Good rear. Topline needs to tighten. Moved ok. BOB

2 McCallum's Burlesk Liza With A Zee Stunning head, lovely balance, well made throughout but she just did not want to pull herself together and show off her many virtues. Movement somewhat erratic.

O(2,1) 1 Cox's Ruclona Mor'du The Brave At Halloxwishes (ATC) This one is just too big all over for me. Not the balance I am looking for. Nice head and eye, good neck and front. Sloppy movement.

Chow Chow

O (2,1) 1 Macdonald's Nichoscandy Ice At Caristiona BOB Very typey. Super head, eye and expression, strong neck, correct shoulders and front, well ribbed, good rear. Correct bone, tight feet, moved very well. Just shedding coat.

Eurasier

O (5,1) 1 Luckman's Albionapitz Revel Very smart of lovely type. Well balanced. Super head, eye and expression. Very good front, topline and rear. Not in best coat. Moved truly coming and going.

Jap Spitz

O (2) 1 Gibson's Kireina Beautiful Dreamer At Kalaki JW A real beauty. Oozing breed type. Super head, eye and expression. Excellent pigment, good neck, front,

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shoulder and topline. Well ribbed, correct rear. Movement was foot perfect. Well presented. BOB

2 Marshall's Charney Morning Song For Shandalar Nice type. Lovely head. Good front and shoulder. Well ribbed, Topline and movement needs to tighten.

Keeshond

O (4) 1 Gate's Winklestar Alnair Via Lacetrom (Naf) Nothing to choose between first and second today. Litter mates 7 months of age and oozing breed type. Loved them both. Super head, eye and expression, lovely neat ears, good neck, super front and shoulder. Well ribbed, correct rear. Coat correct for age. Neat feet, Moved well.

2 Gate's Winklestar Alsephina Via Lacetrom (Naf) Nothing to choose between this lovely lady and her brother. Today he just had the edge. Loved her.

3 Shepherd's Kichigal Lord of The Dance Sh Cm

Poodle (Toy)

PG (3) 1 Winnington's Keelmara Queens English At Fingolfin BP Brown puppy of lovely type. Super head, darkest of eyes with desired expression. Good neck set into well angulated shoulders. Super front, correct topline, well ribbed, good rear, Moved very well.

2 Harvie & Phillips' Afterglow Bag Of Trix Outstanding presentation of this lovely white. Super head, eye and expression, good pigmentation. Well made throughout but movement needs to tighten.

3 Harkness' Zya Nandj Miniature Schnauzer Kennel Armagedon At Senkrah

O (1) 1 Mcginty's Malanthios Nadia Dream Girl At Martlynn (ATC) Nicely balanced black of good type. Lovely head, eye and expression. Well-constructed throughout. Coat of good texture. Moved very well. BOB

Poodle Min

PG (4,1) 1 Grady's Natica Day Dream Believer BOB Black of lovely type. Super head, eye and expression. Good length of neck, excellent shoulder and front. Well ribbed back, good topline and strong rear. Coat of good texture. Moved well

2 Brown's Uk Lowashton Ebb Tide BOS Faultless presentation. Super head, eye full of fire, Very good front and shoulder, correct topline and rear. Well ribbed, coat of correct texture. Moved ok.

3 Hutton's Natica Chocolate Surprise

O (1) N chocolate Surprise Well handled. Brown of nice type. Good head, front and shoulder, topline needs to tighten. Moved well.

Poodle Standard

PG (2) 1 Grady's Tehillah Morning Dream Well-presented black of lovely type. Super head, darkest of eyes, Super length of neck set into correctly angulated shoulder. Good front, well ribbed, strong rear. Has a tendency to stand sloppily but corrected by handler. Coat of good texture. Moved well.

2 Winnington's Fingolfin's Celebrimbor Brown puppy of nice type, but needs to gain in confidence. Built right for age. Movement needs to tighten. BP

O (2,1) 1 Winnington's Fingolfin's King Of Rohan Lovely type. Third in veteran stakes. Lovely head, eye and expression, excellent length of neck, good shoulder and rear. Tends to lose topline on the move. Moves soundly.

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Shar Pei

O (2,1) Todd's Witchgait Toasted Cheese The star of the day. This stunning young lad just oozes breed type. Super balance, fabulous head, neat eye and ears, good neck, correct front and topline, Good rear. Coat of correct texture. Good legs, neat feet. Superb mover. Real classy male. BOB, BIS, BPIS

Shih Tzu

O (7, 1) 1 McMillan's Yazhi Rocket Man headed a class of real quality. Eye catching g/w of super type. Lovely to go over. Super head, eye, neck, shoulders and front. Well ribbed, correct topline, good tail, strong rear. Moved with great style.

Well coated of correct texture. Superb presentation. BOB

2 Cooke's Thaisu's Blinding Light I loved this gold boy. Quality. Great head, eye and expression. Lovely balance, correct front and shoulder, lovely topline, well ribbed. Moved well. Well presented. Very close decision.

3 Hatten's Thaisu Every Witch Way To Marbo

Lhasa Apso

Unfortunately the official judge was unable to attend and I thank the exhibitors for accepting me as the substitute judge for the day.

P (2,1) 1 Seal's Lhasenna Poso Priya Very smart. Lovely head, neck, front and shouldkder. Well ribbed back, good topline and rear. Moved very well. Coat of good texture and well presented.

J (1) 1 Seal's Zanamop Jubilee Earl for Lhasenna Good head, neck and topline. Well angulated shoulder and good front. Correct rear. Coat of good texture. Moved smartly.

OD (2,1) 1 Schuckardt's Timazinti's Peppermint At Frenchlands Sh Cm Shcex JW What a picture this almost 8 year old g/w lad presents. Super masculine head, lovely eye and expression. Good length of neck set into correctly angulated shoulders. Correct front, well ribbed back, correct topline, good rear. Coat is of good texture and presented with not a hair out of place. He moved with great style and I assumed I would not find one better until his litter mate walked int the next class so had to be BOS

OB (1) 1 Schuckardt's Kutani Black Opal At Frenchlands JW BOB Truly classy black lady and I loved her. Enchanting expression of aloofness and that is how she carries herself. Very feminine. Stunning head and eye, good length of neck, excellent front and shoulder, level topline, well ribbed. Moved with great style. Presented to perfection with her black coat glistening as the sunlight caught it.

A.V. Special Veteran Stakes 7-9 years (13, 5)

1 Coughtrie's Ch Tulibell Star Struck At Jazpiper RBVIS This stunning Tib Span caught my eye the moment she entered the ring and I was not disappointed on going over her she s every inch the quality I was expecting. Super head, carried elegantly on lovely neck. Excellent front and shoulder, correct topline and rear. Great balance and moved so freely.

2.Hogan's Ch Xentique Pandamonium For Baclaudi JW Sh.CM Pied Frenchie of good style. Stunning head, eye and ears, Good strong neck, correct topline, good front and rear. Moved very well.

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3. Gate's Keeshond Ch. Lacetrom Shauna Sh.CM.

A.V. Special Veteran Stakes 10 years+ (5)

1 Gibson's Ch Charney Mejro BVIS Wonderful Jap Spitz of real quality. In great coat, sparking white and presented in good order. Super head, dark eyes, excellent pigmentation. Good neck, super shoulder and topline. Well ribbed, strong rear. Moved soundly. Showed non-stop and a credit to his owner.

2 Campbell's Tibbymills Ace Of Hearts Very smart parti Tib Span. Lovely type. Good head and super expression. Well anguklated front and shoulder, topline, rear. Well ribbed and presented in good order. Moved soundly.

3 Winnington's St Poodle Fingolfin's King Of Rohan

MAB Young Memorial Members Puppy Stakes

1 Tomson & Prentice's Tamrae Parti With The Stars Enchanting well balanced parti Tib Span. Very pretty. Nice head, eye and expression. Good neck, front, topline and rear. Moved well .

2 Winklestar Alnair Via Lacetrom naf Kees.

3 Winklestar Alsephina Via Lacetrom naf Kees

Sheana Martin Memorial Members Junior Stakes

1 Cox's Princess Warrior Mulan At Halloxwishes Very pretty Frenchie. Lovely head, good front, deep chest, well bodied, moved well.

2 Abercrombie's Tibwood She Tells Our Story JW

3 Luckman's Albionspitz Revel

Ann Patterson Memorial Members Open Stakes

1 Thomson & Prentice's Sanville Seated With A Kiss Typey Tib Span . Nice head, good front and body. Moved soundly with style.

2 MacDonald's Nichoscandy Ice At Caristiona Chow

3 Best-Rawlings, Black & Black-Buce's Trixwood It's A Kind Of Magic To Zaandam Jap Shiba Inu

Brace Stakes(4,2)

1 Hogan's French Bulldogs

2 Best-Rawlings Jap Shiba Inu

JHA

(6-11 yrs) (3,2) 1 Jessica Handled her dog very well even though at times the dog tried very hard not to co-operate Jessica with careful handling got the very best out of her dog. Followed instructions very well. Talked to her dog and encouraged it. Best Handler.

(12-16 yrs) (1) 1 Gemma Handled her charge with great style. Followed instructions very well and always kept the dog between handler and judge. Presented the dog in good order and obviously is a very accomplished handler but I didn't once see her talk to the dog or give it praise and this was the difference between the two handlers.

Judge: Mike Vincent

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