



THE SCOTTISH CAVALIER KING CHARLES SPANIEL CLUB

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Show Critique Spring Open Show 18th February 2023

Judge. Christine Bell

Thank you to the committee for the invitation to judge at this show and to all the exhibitors for their entry. The first Scottish Cavalier show I attended was this show years ago so it was lovely to be asked to judge at this venue.

Veteran Dog (5-0)

1. McMurray's Ch Harana Jack Jones at Merryoth
Smart Blenheim dog. Ideal head, broad skull with well set ears nicely framing face. Dark round eyes & charming expression. Stood proud in profile, with ample reach of neck.
Moved freely showing off his long silky coat. BIS, BVIS
2. Hamilton, Kilbarchan's moonwalker
Beautifully presented blenheim dog, slightly larger in frame. Broad skull, attractive head with good muzzle. Moves well with a level topline.

Minor Puppy Dog (1-0)

1. Inglis, Verheyen Reacher at Craigowl.
Although he stood alone in his class he still shone. Very eye-catching for just 6 months.
Stood beautifully in profile & didn't disappoint on the table. Excellent reach of neck and nicely angulated front & rear. Neat hocks. On the move he shows off his pleasing temperament. Not exaggerated in any way.

Puppy Dog (2-0)

1. Finlay-kirkwood Owencurra tremendous at Marisk
Attractive black and tan. Nice size. Good ear set, neat muzzle & nice stop sweet expression. Moved well. Full of coat at the moment.
2. Swanston, Ouzlewells Brodie of Pamojill
Less mature than one. Presents a nice shape in profile. Moves out well with good reach. Just needs some furnishings to finish the look.

Junior Dog (2-0)

1. Linton, Thekops black n gold
Black and tan well presented with long silky coat . Broad skull , dark round eyes with pleasing expression. Well laid shoulders and level topline moved with drive.
2. Baillie, Marisk Groban at Cavallino
Ruby boy, good size. Ideal head with good earset. Well made throughout. Moved Well once settled

Maiden Dog (2-0)

See puppy dog

Novice Dog (0-0)

Graduate Dog (2-1)

1. Bibby, Murrens Jock

Very happy Ruby dog. His dark round eyes give the softest expression. Ideal size. Moved well at one with handler.

Post Graduate Dog (4-0)

1. Baillie, Coralvalley pure mischief at Cavallino
Lived up to his name today.
Rich Blenheim dog. Soundly made, good angulation and level topline. Once settled moved out well.
2. Gow, Lyncraeg little pip.
Lovely size with excellent reach of neck. Very balanced. Rich chestnut Blenheim silky coat well broken, Moves well. Attractive head.

Special Post Graduate Dog Black/ tan or Ruby (3-0)

1. Fraser, lewiss leonardo at fraskye
Slightly larger black & tan but displayed a very happy temperament throughout. Ideal head with good expression. Correct length of muzzle, and good length of ear leather. Moved well enjoying his time.
2. Mackay, Narayden Ben Hur
I preferred the size to one. Presented in excellent condition. Sweet expression, ample neck and moves well.

Limit Dog (3-0)

1. Byers, Braemarra Taylor at linetive
6yr old blenheim dog. Good breed type. Pleasing head qualities. Ample spring of rib and well angulated rear. Moves with real drive.
2. 1st in Special post grad b/t & ruby.

Open Dog (3-0)

1. Baillie, Marisk greatest showman at cavallino.
Great temperament from this ruby boy. Another sound dog from this kennel. Nice length & arch of neck. Well sprung rib and correct front angulation. Moved confidently .
2. See 2nd veteran

Special Vintage – Dog/Bitch

All the dogs in this class worthy winners. Lovely to see the oldies still showing.

1. Anderson, Finchlea rantin rovin robin
13&1/2yr old tri dog. Beautiful dark round eyes. Ideal reach of neck on well laid shoulders. Good spring of rib and moved freely for age.
2. Glen, Sandbrae Serenade in blue
Black and tan bitch of 14yrs 8 months. Great temperament from this girl moving well and completely at one with handler. Nice size and type. Just taking it all in her stride.

Veteran Bitch (3-1)

1.Gow, Grajenco Macchiato at Lyncraeg

Ruby bitch who moved gracefully and freely round the ring. Correct head and well proportioned. Good angulation overall

2Glen. Trusties harmony haida to sandbrae.

Smaller Ruby bitch but still an ideal size. Well angulated. Attractive head and good dentition. Moves well around the ring.

Minor Puppy (1-1)

Puppy bitch (2-0) i liked both these girls and im sure they will change places.

1. Deamer, cavallibrook evenly kiss at bankshill
Larger blenheim bitch displaying a full coat.
Correct head, ears placed well and ample muzzle. Nice arch to neck. Uses angulation to her advantage on the move
- 2.Mckay, Bonnemadra Cantarito
Sweet Ruby bitch. Sound and good for breed type. Gentle expression to face. Moved freely & presented beautifully. Im sure she will blossom in time.

Junior Bitch (2-0)

1. Mackenzie, Marisk Lesley Garrett at Calanru
Ruby bitch, beautiful dark round eyes and sweet expression. Good pigmentation. Nice turn of stifle. Moved freely.
2. Waters, Sirahdis Cassandra at osage.
Blenheim bitch, good for size. Broad skull, good cushioning to face. Well sprung. Moved well.

Maiden Bitch (5-1)

1. MCKAY, Caramoone raspberry dream.
Beautiful black and tan bitch. tan marking placed well. Excellent size. Level topline and good angulation to front and rear. Moves with drive. Stood out in the line up and considered for higher honours.
2. Maxwell, poundroll nina
Pretty tri girl. With tan in all the right places. Attractive dark round eyes giving gentle expression. Good shoulder placement. Moves well.
Happy outgoing temperament.

Novice Bitch (2-0)

1. See 2nd junior bitch.
2. White, sweetest of all at carleny.
Good head & dark expressive eyes. Good length of muzzle with nice cushioning. Level topline and moves steadily.

Graduate Bitch (1-0)

1. Bibby, Stronepoint Treacle toffee
Black and tan bitch. Sweet girl with level topline, moved better in this class once settled.

Post graduate bitch (2-0)

1. McMurray, Merryoth Mockingbird
Ideally sized Blenheim. Expressive dark round eyes and sweet expression. Nicely angulated throughout with neat hocks. Ideal coat presented well. BB RBIS
2. Gow, Lyncraeg Marnie
Attractive head, shallow stop and dark round eyes. Moved with real drive for her young handler. Excellent temperament.

Special post grad bitch b/t & ruby (0-0)

Limit bitch (1-1)

Open bitch (1-1)