Bournemouth Canine Association Championship Show 16th August 2021 Shetland Sheepdog

Firstly I would like to thank the exhibitors for their entry today and also many thanks to the Bournemouth committee for their hospitality and for the invitation and giving me the opportunity for my first time championship appointment which I thoroughly enjoyed. Also my thanks to my stewards Val and Graham who made it very easy for me in the smooth running of the ring.

Minor Puppy Dog (1)

1st Creamer's - Lyngarso Captain Tom 7 month old tricolour, balanced head, good ear carriage and nicely placed eye, good overall shape, good bend of stifle, nice long tail, needs to settle as a little too enthusiastic on the move today.

Puppy Dog (1)

1st Roberts' - Stanydale Rewrite The Stars For Malaroc blue merle of ideal size, with good reach of neck, good ear carriage and very alert, nice bone, good length of tail, moved with drive and was more settled in the challenge to win BP.

Junior Dog (6, 2)

1st Hateley's – Mohnesee Mr Bobbie Black, lovely jet black tricolour, lovely shape and well balanced, very attentive with good ear and eye placement, level plains, nice underjaw, nice bone, good level top line which he kept on the move, well angulated, good bend of stifle, moved with drive from the rear. Well presented. 2nd Robinsons – Lavika Deep Blue Ocean well balanced blue merle, well boned, good eye placement, and neat ears, well angulated and moved with drive although a little bit unsettled today. Well presented. 3rd Kenny's – Philhope Quincy

Yearling Dog (3, 1)

1 Hateley's - Mohnesee Mr Bobbie Black As Junior

2nd Moore's - Frecia Lock Down Wonder At Santiara nicely marked blue merle dog, good ear carriage, well boned, good bend of stifle, well balanced overall, hope he doesn't grow any further, moved with drive.

Post Graduate Dog (6)

1st Stock's - Shemist Sea Dragon blue merle with a good textured coat, nicely boned, good expression with well-placed eye and well-rounded muzzle, ears nicely tipped although a little reluctant to show them off at times today, good angulation front and rear, very good bend of stifle, good top line, nice long tail, moved well. 2nd Savage's - Willowthorn Kobalt Star By Savataurus blue merle dog, blue merle, good level plains, good muzzle, nicely placed ears and very attentive, compact shape, well angulated, level top line, not quite the movement of first placed dog today.

3rd Gruszka's – Japaro Timeless Design For Samphrey

Limit Dog (5)

1st French's – Lorainian Kings Ransom at Lindfern, a lovely well balanced sable & white dog, good wedge shaped head, good underjaw, well rounded muzzle, nice eye obliquely set and well placed ears giving the overall desired masculine expression, well boned, good reach of neck and level top line which he kept on the move, good depth of chest, good angulation, good length of tail and moved out with drive. Very well presented and in good coat and a real showman. Please to award him his first CC and BOB. 2nd Moore's - Jacanshe Be Our Guest At Santiara JW tricolour dog, nice shape, jet black coat, flat skull, level plains, good top line, well angulated moved with drive from rear and very attentive. 3rd Purchase's – Puncknowle Leo The Lion

Open Dog (5)

1st French's – Ch Lindfern Light Sabre JW sable & white dog, one I have admired from the ringside, level head, plains, good underjaw, good eye placement, good spring of rib, good layback of shoulder, well angulated front and rear, good bend of stifle, well presented and a real showman, moved well but not as freely today. A worthy champion but just losing out to his son today on movement in the challenge. RCC

2nd Robinson's – Lavika Lush Life, another sable & white dog which could easily be on top spot, lovely, refined head and with good eye set and neat ears giving him the required masculine expression, well angulated and moved with purpose, excellent presentation and showed to perfection. Could easily change places with first placed dog.

3rd Roberts' – Ch Malaroc Mystery Writer JW

Veteran Dog (3,1)

1st Rutterford's – Ch Kelgrove Just Blue At Stormhead JW ShCM blue merle who I awarded a best puppy to when I last judged him he has certainly fulfilled that promise and is a worthy champion although he is now 11 years old is still in top form. Good wedge shaped head with correct eye and ear placement giving a soft but masculine expression. Correct size with a lovely well balanced shape, he covered the ground with ease. He was very well presented and happily showed off his virtues.

2nd Savage's – Puncknowle Star Gazer At Savataurus JW ShCM Blue merle nicely marked another dog I have judged before. Nice overall shape, good eye and ear placement and well used. Level top line, good rear angulation and moved with purpose.

Sp Beg D or B (2,1)

1st Waldron's – Frecia Golden Times, a sweet sable & white bitch, good eye placement and good ear carriage although a little reluctant to show them off, good top line and good rear angulation but didn't settle properly on the move.

<u>Minor Puppy Bitch (2, 1)</u> 1st Dunn's – Shelleary Born To Shine, a very sweet tricolour, with well-balanced head and good ear carriage, and was very attentive, good angulation front and rear, a little small at the moment just needs time to grow and develop.

<u>Puppy Bitch (3)</u> 1st Hateley's - Lizmark Lullaby Moon Over Mohnesee, Nicely marked blue merle bitch, well balanced head with good eye and ear placement and flat skull, good reach of neck into level top line, good angulation moved with drive but a little over the top in the challenge for best puppy. 2nd Straw's – Dukeson Laced With Magic. A very sweet sable & white bitch with lovely expression and good eye

shape and correctly placed, ears used well, lovely overall shape, good angulation at rear, good bend of stifle, nice long tail. Moved well but not quite the top line of first today.

3rd Smith's – Shellamoyed Blackberry At Bramblecroft.

<u>Junior Bitch (4)</u> Same as previous class 1st and 2nd 1st Hateley's - Lizmark Lullaby Moon Over Mohnesee 2nd Straw's – Dukeson Lace With Magic 3rd Robinson's - Lavika Lucid Dreams

<u>Yearling Bitch (3, 1)</u> 1st Stock's – Shemist Summer Romance Sable & white bitch, well balanced feminine head, correctly shaped eye, good ear placement and nicely tipped, good angulation and well bent stifle, a little reluctant to show herself off but did enough to win the class, moved well.

2nd Twine's - Shelleary Dreamer. A pretty sable & white, with a lovely shape, has a sweet expression with wellplaced ears, good reach of neck into level top line, in good coat and of correct texture, good angulation front and rear but a little unsure of herself on the move, could easily be on top spot.

<u>Post Graduate Bitch (7, 2)</u> 1st Arnould's - Shadoway Charlotte Rose, sable & white bitch, slightly out of coat but just enhances her lovely well balanced shape, has a well-placed eye, neat ears, flat skull and sweet expression, good angulation front and rear, and happy to show of her virtues, good angulation front and rear, good upper arm, moved well round the ring.

2nd Haensel's - Philhope Summer Highlights At Sherkarl another pretty sable & white bitch, good wedged shaped head, nice eye, neat ears with sweet expression, good top line, good rear angulation, and moved well round the ring, very well presented, just pipped at the post by number 1 today. 3rd Waldron's Frecia Golden Times

Limit Bitch (12, 2) a lovely class, 1st Hateley's - Mohnesee Sweet Dreams JW a lovely feminine sable & white bitch, well balanced wedge shaped head, well rounded muzzle, lovely eye & correctly set, neat ears well placed giving the overall sweetness of expression, well arched neck, level top line and good sweep over croup, showing off her lovely shape, good angulation which showed in her movement, nice tail, very well presented in lovely coat and condition and very attentive, and was pleased to award her the CC.

2nd Pierce's Philhope Taste Of Summer JW sable & white bitch, another lovely feminine bitch, with all the qualities of the above, and could easily change places and well deserved the RCC. 3rd Roberts' Malaroc Rainfall

<u>Open Bitch (5, 3)</u> Robinson's - Lavika Black Beauty, a striking tricolour with well balanced, wedge shaped head, flat skull, eye well set, and good ear carriage, good reach of neck and nice top line, good angulation and moves with drive, excellent presentation, nicely shown and very attentive.

2nd Crawford's Mohnesee Queen Of Clubs At Joshlivic Tricolour feminine little bitch well set ears, pleasing head & expression, compact shape, just a little erratic on the move today.

<u>Veteran Bitch (6, 3)</u> Arnould's - Shadoway Perchance to Dream JW sable & white bitch who I have had the opportunity to judge previously and is now approaching her tenth year she still has that lovely sweet expression with all the qualities that I have said before.

2nd Kennedy's - Lirren Blue Gamble At Donbeley well broken blue merle, with full white collar showing off her reach of neck, pleasing head and nice eye placement, well angulated showed well and nicely presented. 3rd Gruszka's Samphrey Sea Breeze

Judge - Val Winfield (Oakcroft)