

Shetland Sheepdog Club Of North Wales Open Show 3rd August 2019

Thank you to the committee for inviting me to judge, and for the very warm welcome, and very enjoyable show with some top quality dogs entered.

MPD (2) 1 Lycett's Iliad Isle If Ewe. Golden Sable and White puppy. Nice head with well placed eye, and ears, which he used well. Good shoulder and upper arm angulation, level back, good bend of stifle, and straight hocks. Moved nicely and carried his tail correctly. Presented in lovely condition. 2 Woolley's Jourdorill Moment In Time At Valjon. Sable and White, with good angulations front and rear. Had a lovely reach of neck, giving him a very proud look. Well presented.

PD (1) 1 Stafford's Rannerdale Showmaster. Handsome Sable and White boy. With a head that fits perfectly into the blueprint of the breed standard. Good angulations front and rear, level back, good length of tail. Moved very well, and beautifully presented. Best Puppy Dog, Best Puppy In Show and Res Best Dog In Show.

JD (2) 1 Botham's Balidorn Black Spice. Lovely Tri dog with nicely placed almond shaped eye. Nice ears, and having a lovely Sheltie expression. Good front and rear angles, moved and presented well. 2 Spencer's Balidorn Rock Star. Sable and White. Had a lovely flat skull slight stop and level plains. Nice shoulder angulation, and bend of stifle.

MD (1) 1 Woolley's Jourdorill Moment In Time At Valjon (seen in Minor Puppy Class).

ND (1) 1 Lycett's Iliad Isle Delight. Sable and White, with good almond shaped eye, and well placed ears-used well giving a lovely Sheltie expression. Good reach of neck, and level back leading to a long tail, and nice rear angulation. Very well presented.

GD (2) 1 Gamble's Solyric Inaugural Gold JW. Handsome Sable and White, with lovely almond eyes set obliquely, and correctly placed ears which he used well - all giving a true sheltie expression. Good upper arm and bend of stifle. Well presented dog who moved well. 2 Spencer's Castlerose Northern Soul. Blue Merle with nice flat skull and level plains, and ears were nicely placed, good reach of neck, leading to a well placed long tail. Nice angulation of front and rear. Handled well.

PGD (3,1a) 1 Isdale's Viewdale Cuddly Dudley JW. Sable and White with beautiful almond shaped eyes set obliquely, good skull and level plains and correct wedge shaped head, well placed ears used well, good reach of neck, nice chest, shoulder, rear and stifle angulations. Good bone. Level back and carried his tail correctly. Presented beautifully and moved well. Best Dog In Show and Res Best In Show. 2 Officer's Castlerose A Shropshire Lad JW SHCM. A sable and white dog. Good overall outline and good bone, well muscled. Correct wedge shaped head with almond eyes and correctly placed ears. Very good reach of neck and good shoulder angulation. Stood and showed well.

LD (2) 1 Chatterley's Silver Coin. Alert Blue Merle with lovely outline. Well placed ears on a nice wedge shaped head. Good reach of neck, good front, level back, good bend of stifle, and correctly set tail. Stood and moved well. 2 Woolley's Pepperhill In The Moment At Valjon. Tri boy, with wedge shaped head, and well placed ears, good reach of neck, level back, correctly set tail, good bend of stifle, moved nicely.

SP O (SABLE AND WHITE) (1) 1 Officer's Castlerose A Shropshire Lad JW SHCM (seen).

TRI, BLACK AND TAN, BLACK & WHITE (1) 1 Woolley's Pepperhill In The Moment At Valjon (seen).

NOT BRED BY EXHIBITOR (2,1) 1 Woolley's Jourdorill Moment In Time At Valjon (seen).

MPB (2) 1 Dunn's Brilyn Baccarat Crystal To Beechmere. Sable and White Bitch Puppy. Nice wedge shaped head with Almond shaped eyes, and nicely set ears. Good reach of neck, Nice body shape, and correctly set tail. Moved well. 2 Botham's Ballidorn Winter Rose. Sable and White Bitch Puppy. Head had a nice flat skull with level plains, moved ears well, almond shaped eyes. Shoulder and rear angulation was nice. Nicely presented.

PB (3,1) 1 Dunn's Brilyn Baccarat Crystal To Beechmere (seen). 2 Downes Milwyr Starry Night. With almond shaped eyes obliquely set, wedge shaped head, good reach of neck, level back, and correctly set tail carried well, good bend of stifle, all giving a pleasing outline. Showed well.

JB (4,2) 1 Sapsford's Shelcrest River Of Dreams. Slightly shaded Sable And White Bitch, with a nice outline. Good edge shaped head, obliquely set almond eyes, nice ears used well, good reach of neck, Nice front angulation, and good bend of stifle. Moved and showed well. 2 Downes Milwyr Starry Night (Seen).

MB (1) 1 Mottram's Mohnesee Such A Dream. Sable and White bitch in Lovely condition. Nice flat skull and slight stop, blunt wedge when viewed from side and top, with obliquely set almond eyes. Ears slightly apart and tipped nicely. Strong neck and good front, and rear angulations. Good length of tail carried correctly. Moved nicely, and presented to perfection. Best Puppy Bitch and Res Best Bitch.

NB (3,1) 1 Mottram's Mohnesee Such A Dream (seen). 2 Macleod's Iliad Isla Dreams. Nice head with level plains, nice almond shaped eyes set obliquely, and neat ears used well. Level back, and good bend of stifle. Walked well. The dark gleaming coat was in beautiful condition.

GB (6,1) 1 Mottram's Lanteague Stage Whisper At Lochkaren JW. Sable and White. With nice head forming a nice blunt wedge. Slight definite stop. Almond eye, and neat ears set correctly and used well. Strong neck, and good shoulder angulation straight front, nice length of tail carried correctly as she moved. Presented in wonderful condition. 2 Gamble's Solytic Original Gold. Lovely eye, ears and wedge shaped head, good reach of neck, level topline and sweep to the long tail giving a sweet Sheltie expression, and lovely outline. Moved well and beautifully presented. 3 Lycett's Iliad Isla Wishes.

PGB (4,1) 1 Mackie's Iliad Illusive Gold at Shebaville. S/Sable and White bitch with nice head properties, with almond shaped eye, and neat ears used well. Strong neck. Good angulations front and rear, and good length of tail. Moved and presented well. 2 Lee's Ontoco Lunar Eclipse At Chalynwood. Tri. Sweet expression, used her ears well. Nice neck and level back. Good shoulder angle, and good bend of stifle. Stood and showed well. 3 Jackson's Keycharm Artic Queen With Gordil.

LB (5,2a) 1 Ritchie's Jaelis Mystique Reflection JW. G Sable and White bitch in beautiful condition. Good wedge head as seen from side and top, with lovely eye set and ear carriage. Level back, good shoulder and rear angulation. Nice straight hocks. Nicely carried tail. Moved and stood and showed well. 2 Hateley's Mohnesee Millybelle JW. Beautiful Sable and White girl. True sheltie expression found in the flat skull, slight definite stop, level plains, oblique almond shaped eyes. Nicely placed ears used well. Good reach of neck leading to correct shoulder placement and upper arm. Nice topline leading to correct rear angulation. Carried tail correctly. Moved well with drive from behind. 3 Lycett's Herds Hallicia At Iliad.

OB (3) 1 Stafford's Ch. Rannerdale Queen O' The North JW. Rich Golden Sable bitch, with lovely outline. Nice wedge head with level plains, and beautiful almond eyes, and good ear carriage giving a true Sheltie expression. Muscular neck leading to level back, good angulation front and rear, carried tail well. Beautifully presented. Moved well with drive, and showed herself off to perfection. Best Bitch and Best In Show. 2 Macleod's Iliad Isla Dreams (seen). 3 Shaw's Bluequarry Pearl Blue.

VB (5) 1 Richie's Jaelis Mystique Gemstone. A young looking 11 year old blue merle in fabulous condition. Nice head properties, with nice almond shaped eye set correctly. Nice ears used well, Good reach of neck, level back, good angulation front and rear, nice tail carried well. Moved and showed very well. Best Veteran Bitch & Best Veteran In Show. 2 Venton's Tri'n Stop Me At Mistyisle. Beautiful Tri with gleaming black coat. Flat skull, and wedge shaped head, almond shaped eyes. Nice angulations, moved and showed well. 3 Downes Milwyr Iridescent Pearl.

SP O: TRI, BLACK AND TAN, BLACK AND WHITE BITCH (2) 1 Mackie's Mohnesee Secret Pearl At Shebaville. Gleaming black coat, and lovely expression with flat skull, level plains, and obliquely set almond eyes. level back, good confirmation of shoulder, and stifles and hocks. Stood and showed well. 2 Lee's Ontoco Lunar Eclipse At Chalynwood (seen).

BLUE MERLE BITCH (2) 1 Shaw's Bluequarry Pearl Blue. Nice head and overall shape. Good angulation front and rear. Moved and showed well. 2 Greenhill's Mohnesee Diamonds 'N' Pearls JW. Good head properties, good reach of neck. Good angulations, Nice Blue colour. Moved well.

BRED BY EXHIBITOR (2,1) 1 Lee's Chalynwood Chumani. S/Sable and White. Nice wedge head with good almond shaped eyes and neat ears used well. Overall shape was nice. Moved nicely and showed well.

NOT BRED BY EXHIBITOR (2,1) 1 Watson's Solytic Initial Gold At Shebamiro. Light Sable and White with flat skull, and slight definite stop. Wedge shaped head, ears used well. Nice neck, shoulder and level back. Good rear angulation and moved well. Well presented.

Judge - Jan Grice (Janaray)