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WELSH SPRINGER SPANIEL CLUB of SOUTH WALES BREED CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW

(Held under Kennel Club Limited Rules and Show Regulations)

at Chepstow Leisure Centre, Chepstow, NP16 5LR

on SUNDAY 24th MARCH 2019

Judges:

DOGS: Mrs Pam Tew (*Pamicks*)

BITCHES: Mrs Sue Aston (*Tasa*)

REFEREE: Mrs Debra Roberts (*Cwrtafon*)

BEST IN SHOW - Sh Ch Coedybrain Nia at Cwmbeili
RESERVE BIS and BEST VETERAN - Glenbrows Fascination with Shannara
BEST OPOSITE SEX - Ferndel High Fidelity with Tigerrock Sh CM Sh CEx
BEST PUPPY IN SHOW - Glenbrows This is Me

CRITIQUE - BITCH CLASSES

It was such an honour and privilege to be asked to judge at this Show and I thank the Officers and Committee for their invitation. The hospitality was amazing as was the atmosphere of the Show. Of course there would be no show without exhibitors, so thank you all for giving me the opportunity of judging your lovely breed.

Judge: Sue Aston (*Tasa*)

Class 17. Minor Puppy Bitch (2, 0)

1st - Clarke's, Crimicar She's Elektrik with Tigerrock – Two lovely puppies in this class from the same litter. My first has a balanced outline, deep chest and quite mature body shape with well angulated stifles. Good shoulder placement. Pleasing head and expression and moved well.

2nd - Williams's, Crimicar Stand By Me for Bodlon - Very much the same applies to this puppy as her sister, and I'm sure they will swap places during their career. Classic feminine head shape with good length of neck, well placed shoulders, good body, not quite as mature as 1 and didn't move quite as steady today.



Class 18. Puppy Bitch (2, 0)

1st - Harrison's, Glenbrows Temptress – Clean outline when standing and moving. Good reach of neck into well angulated forequarters, deep chest, adequate bend of stifle. Well balanced all over. Feminine head with lovely eye and expression. Moved well. **BPB**

2nd - Johnston's, Nalydris Hakuna Matata – Well boned, sturdy bitch, deep chest, quite mature for age. Pleasing head with strong neck into well placed shoulders. Promising future I would think for both these youngsters.

Class 19. Junior Bitch (9, 3a)

1st - Graham's, Slapstones Pink Promise At Lyndfil – Lovely outline and well balanced, level topline and held on the move. Good length of neck into well placed shoulders deep chest. Strong hindquarters with good width of thigh. Nice dark eyes with pleasing expression.

2nd - Harrison's, Glenbrows Temptress

Class 20. Yearling Bitch (5, 0)

1st - Revill's, Julita Rhubette – Very nicely proportioned and balanced bitch with mature body. Typical head with lovely expression. Strong neck into well angulated shoulders, deep chest. Correct topline and strong rear quarters. Moved well.

2nd - Worth's, Sarabande Dance to the Rhythm JW – Nicely shaped bitch of good proportions. Very pretty head, with lovely expression. Good length of neck into well placed shoulders. Still maturing but very promising.

Class 21. Maiden Bitch (3, 0)

1st - Blake's, Benoveor Hey Baby at Highslade – Really loved this bitch. So well constructed and compact. Good bone and very well balanced with superb angulation front and rear and deep chest. Such a pretty head and expression. Just needs confidence in the ring. Moved well.

2nd - Clarke's, Crimicar She's Elektrik with Tigerrock

Class 22. Novice Bitch (5, 2a)

1st - Whitefield's, Benoveor Ticket to Ride – Very feminine girl with lovely head and pleasing expression. Strong neck, deep chest with good length of body. Well angulated hindquarters with good width of thigh and moved well.

2nd - Johnston's, Nalydris Hakuna Matata

Class 23. Graduate Bitch (6, 0)

1st - Waller's, Isfryn Lady Godiva at Fireglow JW – Two lovely sisters here which I didn't realise till I was writing my critique. My first is a little more mature than her sister and has a lovely typical head and expression. Has strength of neck into well placed shoulders, deep chest with well sprung ribs, Nice width of thigh and well muscled. Moved well.



2nd - Cooper's, Isfryn Lady Grey of Gilstonia – Once again has very feminine head with pleasing eye and expression. Good neck into well placed shoulders. Deep chest and good body with correct angulation with well let down hocks, Not quite as mature as one but still a lovely bitch and I'm sure they will change places frequently.

Class 24. Post Graduate Bitch (14, 1a)

1st - Lancett's, Cwmbeili Madlen – This was a very varied class, but the winner of the class had the very typical Welsh Springer spaniel head I was looking for. Lovely eye shape, colour and gorgeous expression. Very well balanced outline. Good length of neck into well placed shoulders. Deep chest mature body and good bend of stifle. Moved well and kept topline.

2nd - Hills-Page's, Llon Llysiar Hedydd – This bitch has the most gorgeous typical head with such a melting expression. Strong neck into well placed shoulders. Balanced throughout and very feminine. Would like just a little more strength in rear quarters although moved well.

Class 25. Limit Bitch (9, 3a)

1st - Pick's, Llon Blodyn Ymenyn – Once again a lovely head , eye and expression. Just melts your heart, Super neck flowing into well placed shoulders. Deep chest, with plenty of chest room. Good width of thigh and correct length of hock, Moved well and with drive

2nd - Graham's, Ferndel Cover Story about Nyliram JW – Another lovely bitch, with all the requirements needed, but personally I just preferred head of one. Lovely shape standing with good layback of shoulders, deep chest , good angulation and well let down hocks. So attentive and moved well.

Class 26. Open Bitch (7, 0)

1st - Lancett's, Sh Ch Coedybrain Nia at Cwmbeili – Such a well shaped girl, she caught my eye as soon as she came in the ring. Symmetrical and compact with strength and maturity. Such a typical head of correct proportion and chiselled just enough to give that gorgeous kind expression from well shaped dark eyes. Muscular neck into well placed shoulders. Deep chest and good bone. Well coupled with strong and muscular hind quarters. Beautifully presented and moved like a dream with plenty of drive. Delighted to award **Bitch CC**

2nd - Pick's, Sh Ch Llon Lili Bengam – Another beautiful bitch with just the head I've been looking for. Lovely eyes with melting expression, strong neck into well placed shoulders, deep chest, good bone. Good rear quarters and moved well with drive.

Class 27. Veteran Bitch (5, 0)

1st - Ellis's, Glenbrows Fascination with Shannara – Caught my eye in line up immediately and was not disappointed going over her. Beautiful type head with gorgeous eyes and expression. Good length of neck flowing into well laid back shoulders. Deep chest, with well sprung ribs. Good bend of stifle. So well balanced and moved well. Just had to award **RCC**

2nd - Madeley's, Barhi Flaming Star at Maytag – A little bit shorter in body than one but very compact and smart. Feminine head with lovely expression, good neck into well placed shoulders. Good bend of stifle and moved well.



Class 28. Special Beginners Bitch (4, 0)

1st - Cooper's Isfryn Lady Grey of Gilstonia

2nd - Best's, Amblelight Opheilia – Lovely compact outline standing with pleasing head and strong neck into well placed shoulders. Mature body and nice bend of stifle.

Class 29. Special New Members Bitch (5, 2a)

1st - Best's, Amblelight Ophelia

2nd - Clarke's, Crimicar She's Electrick with Tigerrock

Class 30. Special Working Bitch (2, 0)

1st - Cooper's, Isfryn Lady Grey of Gilstonia

2nd - Sutherland's, Ch Julita Rezanella of Jacranell – old fashioned type of welsh . Really classic head and expression. Balanced all over , lovely bone and angulation . Not as tight in movement as 1 today.

Class 31. Mary Payne Special Memorial Stakes (7, 0)

1st - Woodward's, Hinxwood Fire and Ice. – Compact shape and good angulation front and rear . Strong neck into well placed shoulders, Stands four square with deep chest and good spring of rib, kind eye and expression. Moved well

2nd - Attwood's, Kylowen Demelza – A cobby little girl with good bone and muscle. Pleasing head and expression. Good angulation front and rear. Just lost on movement today.

Class 32. Good Citizen Dog Scheme, Bitch (4, 1a)

1st - Sutherland's, Sh Ch Jacranella Symphony – Sturdy. very well balanced bitch with good angulation front and rear , deep chest, and good bone. Loved her head and the softness of her eye giving an endearing expression. Moved steadily

2nd - Attwood's, Kylowen Demelza

Judge, Sue Aston

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