

South Wales 11/10/13

Judge:Mr Martyn Ford

DCC CASAFELICE CHEVIOT (MRS K A GRIFFIN)
RDCC SH CH VANDERS VA VOOM AVEC WROXHAM (MRS E E WALKER)
BCC COURTDOWN BEAUTIFUL DANCER (MRS S BLACKMORE)
RBCC SH CH SHANNONLEE THE SKYLARK JW (MRS J WEBB)
BOB CASAFELICE CHEVIOT (MRS K A GRIFFIN)

Post Graduate – Dog Entries: 4 Absentees: 0

1st CASAFELICE CHEVIOT (MRS K A GRIFFIN)

2nd RUSTASHA RHAPSODY IN RED (MR B J & MRS S A BARRY)

3rd RUSTASHA RED HOT ROYAL AT ANISBRIG (MR B & MRS S PILMER)

Res UNITED SPOTS ROYAL EAGLE (IMP ITA) (MRS Y HOUSBY)

Limit – Dog Entries: 1 Absentees: 0

1st ZYMORE IRISH CREAM (MRS M H DAVIES)

Open – Dog Entries: 2 Absentees: 1

1st SH CH VANDERS VA VOOM AVEC WROXHAM (MRS E E WALKER)

Veteran – Dog Entries: 2 Absentees: 0

1st SH CH CORRANROO CONNEXION (MRS K A GRIFFIN)

2nd VANDERS VITAL FLAME TO CROSSWEST (MRS C PETTIFER)

Junior – Bitch Entries: 3 Absentees: 1

1st SPYEFIRE SEVEN STEPS (MR R W & MRS S J HUMPHRIES)

2nd RUSTASHA ROMANTIC MELODY (MS B OWEN)

Post Graduate – Bitch Entries: 1 Absentees: 0

1st SPYEFIRE SEVEN STEPS (MR R W & MRS S J HUMPHRIES)

Limit – Bitch Entries: 5 Absentees: 0

1st COURTDOWN BEAUTIFUL DANCER (MRS S BLACKMORE)

2nd CORRANROO CELTIC CONECTION WITH ANISBRIG (MR B & MRS S PILMER)

3rd ZYMORE CHRISTMAS ROSE (MRS M H DAVIES)

Res CASAFELICE COMISANA AT SONCARO (MS C S RUSSELL)

VHC SHANNONLEE THE ROCK WREN (MRS J S LOWE)

Open – Bitch Entries: 7 Absentees: 0

1st SH CH SHANNONLEE THE SKYLARK JW (MRS J WEBB)

2nd SH CH CASAFELICE RHOEN AT ROMAUNT (MR J A BARNEY)

3rd SHIREOAK CARAMEL ICE WITH RUSTASHA (IMP CAN) (MR B J & MRS S A BARRY)

Res SH CH TULLAMORE TIGGYWINKLE (MRS Y HOUSBY)

VHC BALLAKINNISH MISCHIEF MAKING COPPERWHITE JW (MRS L R WARD)

Good Citizen Dog Scheme – Bitch Entries: 1 Absentees: 0

1st SH CH TULLAMORE TIGGYWINKLE (MRS Y HOUSBY)

Critique

I am grateful to the SWKA for inviting me to take over judging from the indisposed Barry Gould and I'm sure that we all wish him a speedy recovery. My thanks go to the exhibitors who showed under me. This was the second time I have awarded CCs in this breed and I was pleased with the overall quality of my entry. My general overall impression was that heads, eyes, expressions, mouths and fronts are all in very good order. I had one dog with a slightly misplaced tooth; otherwise all the bites were perfect. I had one shy dog; otherwise all the temperaments were excellent. General condition, muscletone and definition

were, on the whole, excellent. Coats and colour were variable, but with noticeably less ticking than I've seen in the past, they were generally very good. The most noticeable and obvious common problem was the occasional lack of hind angulation, with some straight stifles and close hind movement. I hope that breeders are able to correct this over future generations. My BOB was Griffin's D, Casafelice Cheviot. He took my eye the moment he entered the ring in, what was, the strongest class of the day, PGD. Despite being unsettled and raw, this boy was the outstanding mover of the day. Extremely sound and great angles with driving, flowing movement in profile, sound and accurate both coming and going. A strong, masculine head, with a correct eye and expression. A clear winner for me and I hope, a great future ahead. The BCC went to Blackmore's Courtdown Beautiful Dancer. First out of a very strong Limit class, she was the best mover in her class, with lovely angles in profile. Excellent front, although a little close behind. Well marked with good coat colour and texture. Beautiful feminine head with a lovely eye and expression.

PGD(4) The best class of the day, I had four extremely promising young males to go over. 1 Griffin's D, Casafelice Cheviot CC & BOB. 2 Barry's Rustasha Rhapsody In Red. Beautifully marked dog with excellent coat and colour. Very sound on the move with great angles. 3 Pilmer's Rustasha Red Hot Royal At Anisbrig.

LD (1) 1 Davies' Zymore Irish Cream. A well marked dog with a good head, expression and eye. He was never really happy and therefore didn't settle, and looked stilted on the move.

OD (2) 1 Walker's Sh Ch Vanders Va Voom Avec Wroxham. Extremely well presented and handled, this is a very well put together male with excellent angles. A great masculine head, with a lovely eye and expression, plus a good quality coat, both in texture and colour. RDCC.

VD (2) Two particularly good quality veterans - a joy to see! 1 Griffin's Sh Ch Corranroo Connexion. A well marked dog with good coat, colour and texture. Very sound on the move, but a little upright in shoulder. 2 Pettifer's Vanders Vital Flame To Crosswest. Another sound male with a good coat colour and texture. Not so strong in the head as the First and rather more flecking.

JB (3, 1) 1 Humphries' Spyefire Seven Steps. A super, feminine bitch; well marked with an excellent head, eye and expression. A little tucked-up behind on the move. 2 Owen's Rustasha Romantic Melody. A good feminine head and expression, but a little fine all through. She needs more time. Somewhat straight in stifle.

PGB (1) 1 Humphries' Spyefire Seven Steps.

LB (5) Another very strong class - this time, one of quality bitches. 1 Blackmore's Courtdown Beautiful Dancer. BCC. 2 Pilmer's Corranroo Celtic Connection With Anisbrig. A very sound, feminine bitch with good angles on the move. Moved very well both coming, going and in profile. Nicely marked. 3 Davies' Zymore Christmas Rose.

OB (7) 1 Webb's Sh Ch Shannonlee The Skylark. A wonderful veteran bitch that has been an outstanding ambassador for the breed and this well known kennel for several years with a pile of tickets to show for it. A wonderful bitch who never stopped showing. Always sound and happy with good angles all round, with lovely feminine head, eye and expression. Just missed out on the CC in the challenge where she just lacked the drive of the winner. RBCC. 2 Barney's Sh Ch Casafelice Rhoen At Romaunt. A well marked bitch with good head, eye and expression. Moved exceptionally well and has great muscletone - sound and fit. 3 Barry's Shireoak Caramel Ice With Rustasha (Imp Can).

GCB (1) 1 Housby's Sh Ch Tullamore Tiggywinkle. A well marked bitch with good eye, head and expression. Reasonably sound and accurate movement.