West of England CSC Championship Show – Bitches – 13 October 2019

Thank you to West of England Cocker Spaniel Club's Officers and Committee for their invitation and hospitality, I felt honoured to have been invited to judge bitches at this Championship show. Also thank you to stewards, Wendy Grist and Tom Mitchell and to all exhibitors who brought their lovely cocker girls under my judgement. Pleased to see many promising puppies and will watch their progress with interest. Overall, there was a large number of lovely quality bitches, my decision on placings were made on the day by watching their movement - I love to see a cocker moving out happily with stride and keeping level topline. Congratulations to all top winners and well done to all.

Special Puppy Bitch (5,1) 1<sup>st</sup> Harrison's Lourisma Good Vibes, 9mths blue roan that took my eye on entering the ring, feminine head of equal proportions, dark eyes with tight rims, strong neck of good length flowing on to well-placed shoulders, well-shaped upperarm and plenty of forechest, legs of substantial bone with neat feet, deep ribbed and short coupled body with plentiful coat and well presented, muscle toned rear quarters with ample second thigh, good angulation, short hocks, moved out with stride and kept good topline, BPB & BPIS; 2<sup>nd</sup> Mitchell's Glowhill Snowball, 10mths black & white with sweet feminine head of good proportion with dark eyes, good length of neck flowing on to short well ribbed body, showing good upperarm and forechest, legs of good bone, well muscle toned rear quarters, moved well with a good topline.; 3<sup>rd</sup> Meaker's Kalispell Clamity Jane at Meakwood.

Special Novice Bitch (2) 1<sup>st</sup> Meaker's Kalispell Calamity Jane at Meakwood, 11mths blue roan with feminine head of good proportion with tight rimmed eyes and square muzzle, good length of neck flowing on to short well ribbed body, legs of good bone with neat feet, well-toned rear quarters, moved well keeping topline; 2<sup>nd</sup> Whitehead's Ryallcourt Minnehaha, 13mths black & white with sweet feminine head of good proportion with dark eyes of sweetest expression, good reach of neck, shoulder placement, upperarm and forechest, legs of ample bone, deep ribbed short body with plenty of coat in good condition, used her good muscle tone rear quarters with loads of exuberance but made it difficult to assess her striding movement.

Special Graduate Bitch (5,1) 1<sup>st</sup> Anslow's Shansart Wind In The Willows, blue roan with dark feminine head of proportional size with dark eyes and square muzzle, good reach of strong neck on well-placed shoulders, ample forechest and good upperarm, legs of substantial bone with neat well-padded feet, deep ribbed short body in plentiful coat and well presented, with toned rear quarters and good angulation she moved out with drive while keeping topline; 2<sup>nd</sup> Daniels' Starbourne Calibrachoa, blue roan with feminine head of good proportions with nice tight rimmed eye and square muzzle, shorter length of neck and little heavier on the shoulders than of 1, ample forechest, legs of good bone, deep ribbed body with muscled rear quarters, moved happily; 3<sup>rd</sup> Cowles' Chativore Summer Melody Over Shenjela.

Special Open Bitch (5,2) 1<sup>st</sup> Masters' & Dott's ShCh Gilcar Crystal Blue With Manchela JW, blue roan girl that I've often admired from the ringside and didn't disappoint when going over her, she has a good proportional feminine head with dark tight rimmed eyes, square muzzle, strong neck on well-placed shoulders, ample forechest and good upper arm, legs of substantial bone with tidy feet, deep ribbed short coupled body with strong rear quarters of good angulation with short hocks, plenty of coat and well presented, moved happily with drive keeping good topline, RBCC; 2<sup>nd</sup> Provost's Troubles In Paradise Poulnabrone, orange roan with sweet feminine head of good proportion with dark eyes of sweet expression, square muzzle, good length of neck on well-placed shoulders, ample forechest and upperarm, deep ribbed body with muscled rear quarters in good coat and nicely presented, moved well keeping topline; 3<sup>rd</sup> Hill's Olibond Sunshine Girl At Princehill.

Special Puppy Bitch (2,1) 1<sup>st</sup> Kew's Lujesa Dolly Daydream At Wylyeview, 7.5mths black & tan with feminine head of good proportion with dark eyes of sweet expression, good reach of neck on short coupled body, rear quarters of good muscle and angulation, she cheekily gave her handler some work on the move at first but got there in the end.

Special Novice Bitch (1) 1<sup>st</sup> Taylor's Triveka Moaning Myrtle, black with sweet feminine head of good proportion with dark eyes and square muzzle, good reach of neck on deep ribbed short coupled body in good coat and well presented, legs of ample bone and neat feet, moved out happily but carried tail a little high.

Special Graduate Bitch (4) 1<sup>st</sup> Young's Canyon Could It Be Magic, black with sweet feminine head with tight rimmed dark eyes, good reach of neck flowing on to well-placed shoulders and strong ribbed body in plentiful coat well presented, ample forechest and good upperarm with legs of good bone and neat feet, rear quarters of good muscle tone and angulation, moved happily keeping good topline; 2<sup>nd</sup> Lockwood's Lujesa Daydreamer In Chimewood, black with sweet feminine head, dark tight eyes of gentle expression, good reach of neck, ample forechest and upperarm, legs of good bone with neat feet, deep ribbed short coupled body with muscle toned rear quarters of good angulation, moved well; 3<sup>rd</sup> Hutchings' Beechtops Golden Ticket.

Special Open Bitch (4,2) 1<sup>st</sup> Van Guyse Apers-Horvat's Wigglings Pleased To Meet you (ATC AW01371BEL), black with strong but not coarse feminine head, tight rimmed dark eyes of sweetest expression, strong muscled neck on well-placed shoulders, ample forechest and good upperarm, legs of substantial bone with neat well padded feet, short deep ribbed body in plentiful coat and well presented, muscle toned rear quarters of good angulation that made her move with good stride; 2<sup>nd</sup> Cory's Ottigi Scheherazade, black with good proportional feminine head with dark tight rimmed eyes, good reach of neck on well-placed shoulders, ample forechest and good upperarm, legs of substantial bone with neat padded feet, deep ribbed body with muscle toned rear quarters, moved well.

Veteran Bitch (2) 1<sup>st</sup> Ward's Wensum Some Like It Hot JW, 7yrs black with feminine head of good proportion, dark tight rimmed eyes of sweet expression, strong toned neck on well laid shoulders, ample forechest and good upperarm, legs of good bone and neat feet, strong well ribbed body with plentiful coat and muscle toned rear quarters that she used as she moved out freely keeping topline; Hutching's Beechtops Doubletake JW, 8.5yrs black with strong but not coarse feminine head of good proportion with dark tight eye, square muzzle, ample neck on good shoulders, ample forechest and upperarm, legs of good bone, short deep ribbed body in plentiful coat with muscle toned rear quarters, moved well but not the drive in stride as 1.

Minor Puppy Bitch (7) 1st Parker's Annilann Miss Sweetheart At Weyhill, 8.5mths blue roan with good proportional feminine head with dark tight rimmed eyes, good reach of neck on well-placed shoulders, ample forechest and upperarm, legs of good bone and neat feet, short deep well ribbed body with muscled rear quarters that she used on the move with good stride keeping topline, BMP & BMPIS; 2nd Driver's Annilann Miss Magicstar At Beckaby, 8.5mths blue roan (sister to 1 & 3), sweet feminine head with tight rimmed eyes and square muzzle, good reach of neck, ample forechest and upperarm, legs of good bone with neat feet, short coupled deep ribbed body with good muscle tone rear quarters that she used to move with stride keeping topline; 3rd Ray's & Challands' Annilann Miss Mellow.

Puppy Bitch (4,1) 1<sup>st</sup> Harrison's Lourisma Good Vibes ; 2<sup>nd</sup> Mitchell's Glowhill Snowball ; 3<sup>rd</sup> Kettle's Lujesa Daydream Believer.

Junior Bitch (6,2) 1<sup>st</sup> Hill's Princehill Shining Star, 14mths black & white with sweet feminine head, dark tight rimmed eyes of sweet expression, good length of neck on well-placed shoulders, ample forechest and upperarm, legs of good bone and neat feet, short coupled well ribbed body in plenty of coat and good toned rear quarters, moved well; 2<sup>nd</sup> Craig's Alisma Amiable, 16mths blue roan with good proportionate feminine head, dark tight rimmed eye and square muzzle, good length of neck on well-placed shoulders, ample forechest and upperarm, legs of good bone and neat well-padded feet, deep well ribbed short coupled body with strong rear quarters of good angulation, moved well; 3<sup>rd</sup> Brothwell & Bayliss' Wilanorah Daiquiri.

Yearling Bitch (4,1) 1<sup>st</sup> Share-Jones' Sharemead Bricabrac, 23mths blue roan with strong feminine head and dark tight rimmed eyes and square muzzle, toned neck on well-placed shoulders, good forechest and upperarm, legs of substantial bone with well-padded neat feet, deep ribbed body and rear quarters of good muscle and angulation, moved out well and kept topline; 2<sup>nd</sup> Brothwell & Bayliss' Wilanorah Daiquiri, 15mths blue roan with sweet feminine head, dark tight rimmed eyes, good neck on well-placed shoulders, ample forechest and upperarm, deep ribbed body with toned rear quarters, she moved happily, lacking coat under body today; 3<sup>rd</sup> Eich's Cachel Pop The Question To Meloneras

Maiden Bitch (4,2) 1<sup>st</sup> Bowen's Lararth Fergie Time, 13mths blue roan with sweet feminine head of good proportions, dark tight rimmed eyes, good length of neck on well-placed shoulders, good forechest and upperarm, legs of ample bone with neat feet, deep well ribbed short coupled body and rear quarters of good tone and angulation, coat in lovely condition and well presented, moved out well keeping topline; 2<sup>nd</sup> Eich's Cachel Ask For Me At Kernowlowena, 12mths blue roan with strong but not coarse feminine head, dark tight rimmed eyes, shorter in neck and slightly heavier on shoulder to 1, ample forechest and good upperarm, substantial bone and neat feet, short deep ribbed body with well-toned muscle rear quarters, moved ok.

Undergraduate Bitch (7) 1st Meaker's Meakwood Precious Pearl, blue roan, sweet feminine head with dark tight eyes, good length of neck on well-placed shoulders, ample forechest and upperarm, legs of good bone and neat feet, deep ribbed short coupled body with muscle-toned rear quarters of good angulation and well-presented coat, moved out happily keeping topline; 2nd Hill's Princehill Shining Star; 3rd Brothwell & Bayliss' Wilanorah Soul Sister At Wissant.

Special Beginners (4,1) 1<sup>st</sup> Moutrey's Sunzo Songstar, golden with sweet feminine head of good proportion, dark eyes, good forechest and upperarm with legs of ample bone and neat feet, good length of strong neck on well-placed shoulders, deep ribbed body with toned rear quarters and in a well presented coat, moved happily keeping topline; 2<sup>nd</sup> Brothwell & Bayliss' Wilanorah Soul Sister At Wissant, blue roan with sweet feminine head, dark tight rimmed eyes, good length of neck on well-placed shoulders, good forechest and upperarm, legs of good bone and neat feet, short deep ribbed body with muscle toned rear quarters and good coat presentation, moved well with drive; 3<sup>rd</sup> Hill's Olibond Sunshine Girl at Princehill.

Post Graduate Bitch (5,1) 1<sup>st</sup> Masters' & Dott's Manchela Lady Million JW, black & white with good proportionate sweet feminine head with dark eyes and square muzzle, good length of neck on well-placed shoulders, ample forechest and good upperarm, well-boned legs with neat feet, deep ribbed short coupled body in lovely coat and well presented with muscle-toned rear quarters of good angulation that she used to move with stride keeping topline, lovely to see her back in the ring; 2<sup>nd</sup> Bard's Withiflor Fairy tale JW, golden with sweet feminine head of good proportions, dark tight rimmed eyes, good length of neck on well-placed shoulders, ample forechest and upperarm, good

boned legs and neat feet, substantial body with deep rib and rear quarters of good muscle toned angulation and in well-presented coat, moved away keeping topline; 3<sup>rd</sup> Jarman's Acquelin Elektra.

Limit Bitch (8,2) 1<sup>st</sup> Hillier's Coedcernyw Calendar Girl JW, golden girl that I have admired from ringside, she has sweetest feminine head of good proportion with dark eyes of melting expression, good length of neck on well-placed shoulders, good forechest and upperarm, legs of ample bone with neat feet, deep ribbed body with well-toned rear quarters that she used when moving round the ring well with keeping good topline and holding her head up proud, coat in good condition and presentation, BCC & BIS; 2<sup>nd</sup> Warrington's Zakova Sugarplum, black & tan with good proportionate feminine head, dark eyes and square muzzle, ample length of strong neck on well-placed shoulders, good forechest and upperarm, well-boned legs and neat feet, substantial body with deep rib and rear quarters of good muscle tone and angulation, in superb coat and well presented, moved well keeping topline; 3<sup>rd</sup> Young's Canyonn Classical Music JW.

Open Bitch (2) 1<sup>st</sup> Kettle's ShCh Lujesa Jean Genie JW, black with good proportionate feminine head, dark tight rimmed eyes, well-muscled neck on good strong shoulders, ample forechest and upperarm, legs of good bone with neat well-padded feet, deep ribbed body with strong rear quarters and good angulation, in superb coat and well presented, moved out happily; 2<sup>nd</sup> De Carteret's Kyna Slack Alice With Derrindee, blue roan with dark feminine head of good proportions, dark tight rimmed eyes and square muzzle, short in neck and slightly heavier on shoulders than 1, good forechest and uppearm, substantial boned legs with neat feet, deep ribbed short coupled body with rear quarters of good muscle tone and angulation, well coated and presented, moved well.

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