

I would like to thank my stewards Wendy and Martin, they kept everything flowing with their hardwork. Generally, at the top end the depth in quality of dogs is very good, a few didn't move as well as expected. Tail set and carriage is a worry, but forgivable in an otherwise excellent dog.

VD (6,2) What a class to start with as all are very good examples of the breed, lovely to see such good movement.

1st Barkley's Sh Ch Cherryheath's Mr Mischief JW ShCM. One I have given top honours to before, although now an older statesman, he is all you want to see, really good expression and head, well made body, stands on good legs and feet, moves so well.

2nd Brown's Bowdonia Ozzie VW. Lovely balanced dog in excellent condition, melting expression, clean through the neck, good ribs and couplings, moved out well with purpose, unlucky to meet 1 in such good form.

3rd Rees' Hudolus Rhys Henllys at Typica ShCM.

MPD (1,0)

1st Moores' Eriandylis Heart of Gold Avec Walgoreg. Just 6 months, very unsettled to start, nice head, good body for age, gradually relaxed and moved out happily.

PD (4,1)

1st Stone's Kidenan Mark Time for Merrem. Lovely head with naughty expression, straight front, good spring of rib, well off for coat, a little wide in front, will tighten up on the move with age.

2nd Harrison's Glenbrows Marquis. Very mature for age, good head with dark eye, clean neck and well made but slightly long body, well off for coat, a little wide in front, will tighten up on the move with age.

3rd Lewis's Kidenan Mark Up Von Trannon.

JD (4,1)

1st Graham's Don's As Bold As Brass with Nyliram (Imp SWE) JW. Well chiselled head, dark eye, good neck and shoulder, strong compact body, well angulated and muscular rear, covers the ground well.

2nd Stevenson's Mymmsbrook Matador with Blythway JW. Nice head and expression, developing well through the body, well coated, moved steadily but not the drive of winner.

3rd Bennett's Cerysan Crusader.

YD (1,0)

1st Holley's Ferndel Dare To Dream. Stood alone but very worthy, dark eye and pleasing expression, bodying up nicely, good shoulder and rear angles, steady on the move, one for the future.

ND (4,1)

1st Kidenan Mark Time for Merrem.

2nd Glenbrows Marquis.

3rd Heathcote & Bourton's Kamuntings Buzz Lightyear.

GD (3,1)

1st Gaylor & Robertson's Heniveruce King of Brewers. Smart dog well presented, pleasing head and eye, good front, needs to fill out and mature, a little erratic behind on the move.

2nd Hankins' Julita Rainmaker with Woodelrond. Kind eye in masculine head, well bodied with good spring of ribs, nice legs and feet, not the drive of winner.

PG(4,0)

1st Clarke's Heniveruce Rainbow By Tigerrock NAF. Litter brother of grad winner, dark eye in pleasing head, straight front, well bodied in good coat, good legs and feet, better rear than 2nd, moved very steadily.

2nd Ritchie & Scaife's Waverleyline To Tobermory at Slapestones. Bigger than 1, but still balanced, kind expression, good front, mature body, not as strong on the rear, happy on the move.

3rd White's Mymmsbrook Malbec With Fiergen.

MLD (3,0)

1st Barkley's Chanangel Mr Whodat at Cherryheath JW. Very good head and naughty expression, straight front, deep chest, well made rear, excellent rich colour, moved with reach and drive, would like a lower tail carriage but worthy to be considered for top honours.

2nd Wren's Llon Derwen Dar at Gwynmaren. Have liked this dog from the ringside and doesn't disappoint to go over, pleasing head with good chiselling, well made deep body, well off for bone, good legs and feet, today just didn't move as well as he should have.

3rd Gough's Julita Rukester.

LD (4,0) Strong class.

1st Graham's Nyliram Let's Twist Again JW. Very typy dog from this kennel, dark eye in good head, well made front into strong body, matching rear, moved out well, considered him highly.

2nd Clarke's Tigerrock Magic Woundabout JW. Different to 1. Dark eye in masculine head, strong through the body, nice rear angles, tends to lose topline when stood, moves with drive, unlucky to meet winner.

3rd Phillipson's Menstonia Meteor.

OD (5,0) Quality class who could change places o another day.

1st Sutherland's Jacranella Solo. Smaller built dog but what a package, fits the standard compact and built to work, good head and expression, straight front into well put together body and couplings, excellent feet and legs well muscled rear, excels on the move, power with minimum effort could watch him all day, please to award him CC and therefore BVD.

2nd Harrison's Sh Ch Glenbrows Revolution JW. This dog surprised me, kind eye and melting expression, well angulated front and rear, lovely shape throughout, good for bone, so sound on the move, and gave winner a close run but had to settle for the RCC today.

3rd Jenkins & Willams Cwmbelli Morgan.

ChD (1,0)

1st Millard's Sh CH Ferndel High Command at Rubylea. Standing alone but a worthy champion, pleasing head and expression, well made front and body, moves out well on good feet, can stand badly behind sometimes.

SpBegD (2,0)

1st Heniveruce King of Brewers.

2nd Cerysan Crusader. Nice youngster, well bodied, stands on good legs and feet, moves out well if a little erratic.

SpWorkingD (1,0)

1st Smith's Isfryn Peeping Tom JW. Balanced dog in good condition, nice head, well made body, matching angles front and rear giving good movement coming and going.

SpShootingD (2,1)

1st Smith's Isfryn Peeping Tom JW.

GCD (4,0)

1st Barkley's Cherryheath's Mr Mojito. 7yrs and doesn't look or behave like it, slightly narrower head than 2nd, well off for bone, correct through the body and topline, moves with drive.

2nd Bennett's Helgen Romeo The Lover for Flyboron. Nice head, well made slightly longer body, in good coat, moves steadily a little wide in front.

3rd Caldwell & McDowell's Bowdonia Only The Brave for Cerysan.

In agreement with my co-judge:

BIS Clarke & Sherlock's Sh Ch Crimicar She's Electrick with Tigerrock JW.

RBIS Graham's Nyliram Telling Tales JW.

BPIS Ritchie's Renascent Bleaberry at Slapestones (Imp USA) TAF NAF.

BVIS Thomas & Upton's Sh Ch Bowdonia Seraphina JW ShCM.