

Cavalier King Charles Spaniel Club of NSW Inc.

Baby Puppy Picnic & 85th Championship Show

14th-15th September 2013

Two wonderful days of blue skies greeted me for this appointment. An entry of 23 super Baby Puppies, 115 dogs and bitches and 6 veterans made up the total entry of overall quality exhibits. I would give my thanks to the membership of the club for electing me for this appointment and to the hard working committee and helpers for making the 2 days so enjoyable and of course the exhibitors for giving me the opportunity to judge their lovely dogs and the manner in which they accepted my decisions.

I must also thank my steward Jeneene Ford, who organised the ring so efficiently and kept me right. It was lovely meeting you all and you made Pauline and I so welcome, it was appreciated.

Baby Puppy Picnic

So many lovely quality puppies, I was spoilt for choice. These puppies are the future of our lovely breed and from what I could see you have nothing to worry about.

Class: 1 Baby Puppy Dog

1. M A Madigan MERSEYPORT BATTERSEA – 3 month old Blenheim with very well broken markings, he presented a square outline has a level topline and is short coupled. He has good width to his skull, shallow in stop with good length to ear leathers. He has clean markings on his face, ample cushioning under his dark expressive eyes and black nose pigment. Moderate in bone with a good turn of stifle he has good spring of rib and good reach of neck, BP in Picnic
2. K Camilleri KANDCCAMO BAD LEROY BROWN – 4 month old Blenheim. He is another with well broken markings, lighter in colour with medium in bone throughout and ample width to chest. Level skull, with dark round eyes parted by broad white blaze and dark nose pigment. He moved true around the ring holding his level topline on the move and never stopped wagging his tail.
3. L Archer WANARC FLY ME TO THE MOON – 5 month old Blenheim. Slightly longer in the body than the first and second he has good width to skull, dark round eyes, moderate width to his chest and correct tail set. Another who moved true and showed at all times wagging his tail happily.
4. R R Duffy CAPERWAY KNIGHT ERRANT – 5 month old Blenheim with well broken coat markings. Moderate in bone with ample depth and width to his chest. He has a good reach of neck with well laid shoulders. Balanced in head he has a gently tapered muzzle. He moved true holding his tail level.
5. A & J Gilroy DOUGSBA BEDOUIN – At almost 6 months of age this Blenheim does not have the same head shape of the others his being more rounded in the skull. He is tapered in the muzzle with dark eyes. Lighter in bone he has a level topline and is slightly lacking in body, but he still a baby and I'm sure he will body up given time.

Class: 1A Baby Puppy Bitch

1. M A Madigan MERSEYPORT THE MOVIESTAR (A1) – Another quality puppy from this kennel. At 3 months of age this Blenheim is a very attractive, well balanced girl who is square in

profile, lightly marked and has moderate bone throughout. She has good width to skull, clear face and large dark eyes giving her a soft feminine expression. She has ample reach of neck which flowed into a good layback of shoulder and is moderate boned. Level in topline, she has good rear angulation and moved straight and parallel both ways carrying her tail level. BOP in Picnic

2. M A Madigan MERSEYPORT PITTICOAT LANE – A 3 month old Blenheim, litter sister to the winner of the dog class. Similar in type to the first but with perhaps a little more body. Another who presents a square profile. She has large round dark eyes, is gently tapered in the muzzle with ample cushioning. Moderate depth and width to chest with correct tail set, she moved happily around the ring.

3. K Camilleri KANDCCAMO SWEET GEORGIA BROWN – 4 month old Blenheim who is slightly longer cast than the first and second and heavier marked but that did not detract from her overall profile. Moderate in bone and level in head with good length to her ears she has dark round eyes with well cushioned muzzle and dark nose pigment. Moderate width and depth to chest she has a level topline and moved true both coming and going.

4. C Jack SHAHRAMI GEORGIE GIRL – Another attractive and compactly built little girl, with well broken markings. She is level in topline with a good reach of neck, pleasing in head shape with round dark eyes and well cushioned muzzle. She is moderately boned and moved true.

5. M West DALARA LOOKATME – Slightly longer in the body and higher in the leg than the others she has very well broken markings and is moderately boned throughout. Correct in front and rear angulation she carried her proudly on a neck of ample length. Good length to ears with round dark eyes and dark nose pigment she just lacked cushioning under the eyes.

Championship Show - Conformation Breed Classes

Class: 2 Minor Puppy Dog

1. L Morris CLOORA JAZZAMATAZZ – 7 month old Blenheim dog, Up to size with a level topline presented in good condition and coat. Moderate in bone with a sound body he has ample width and depth to chest. Slightly rounded in the skull he has dark round eyes and nose pigment, a shallow stop with good width to muzzle and good length to ears. He showed well has a happy disposition and moved true both ways, Best Opposite Minor Puppy.

2. K Paul & M Fox LEISUREVIEW SOUTHERN GENTLEMAN – At 8 months of age this Blenheim is darker in colour and displays a nice profile. Slightly narrower in the muzzle than the winner he has dark round eyes, dark nose pigment with good width to his chest. Moderate in bone he moved well,

Class: 3 Puppy Dog

1. Mrs J Humphries LOOKINGGLASS YEOMAN O TH GUARD – A 13 month old Blenheim who has well broken coat markings. He has a level topline and is moderate in bone, he a masculine head shape with ample cushioning under his round dark eyes. With good reach to his neck, he is well-muscled and has a good spring of rib and correct shoulder placement. He moved with drive, covering the ground with ease. Best Opposite Puppy

2. P A Blamire ELVENHOME LUV COMES CALLING – 10 month old Blenheim with a happy disposition. Lighter in coat marking than first he is masculine in head shape with ample taper to

his muzzle. He has moderate bone with ample width to his chest. He has ample spring of rib with a good turn of stifle which allowed him to move with drive around the ring.

3. Mrs K Camilleri ELVENHOME FAIR N SQUARE – At just under 12 months of age this Blenheim dog was presented in full coat for his age. Masculine in head with large dark eyes and well cushioned muzzle he is very well bodied with good bone and he has a level topline. He moved with drive from his rear.

Class: 4 Junior Dog

1. C Darwen ELFKING AGAINST ALL ODDS – A 14 month old Blenheim with nicely broken coat markings. Level in topline he displayed his friendly and happy disposition by constantly wagging his tail both on the move and standing. He has sweeping stifles, straight front legs and is short coupled. He has ample width and depth to his chest and ample bone for his size. Balanced in head he has large round dark eyes a broad blaze and a well cushioned muzzle. He moved with drive covering the ground with ease. Best Junior

2. J Montford ELVENHOME LOVE LOVE ME DO – A 16 month old Blenheim boy who is soundly constructed. Slightly longer cast than the winner did not have the coat of the winner. Level in topline he has a good turn of stifle. Well-muscled with moderate bone throughout, he has a broad masculine head with high set ears of good length. He is well filled under his dark round eyes and has dark nose pigment. His head was carried on a good reach of neck and he too moved true.

3. B Wright BELLJARI CHASING THE SUN – 15 month old Ruby boy of substance, he has medium bone and correct rear angulation. Level in topline showed well for his handler. He has a broad head with dark round eyes, gently tapered muzzle and dark nose pigment. He moved true around the ring.

4. M Morse & W Henderson MATMOR THRILLER – 13 month old Black & Tan, level in topline presented in good coat and condition. He has good rear angulation and is well-muscled with ample depth to his chest. He has a broad masculine head with dark well-spaced eyes, dark nose pigment and well cushioned muzzle

5. D Felton FELTRIDGE ENIGMA – 16 month old Tri-colour who presented a square profile. Slightly narrower in skull he has bright tan markings is dark in eye and nose pigment with pearly white markings and long feathering to his ears.

Class: 5 Intermediate Dog

1. M West & P Dron ANANDA REBEL ROUSER – This 2 year old Blenheim boy took my eye as he strode purposely when entering the ring. He has well broken markings, level topline and is soundly constructed being strong in muscle and moderate in bone. He has a broad masculine head with large expressive dark round eyes and broad well cushioned muzzle. His head was carried on a good reach of neck which is set into well laid back shoulders. He has good width to his chest and well-constructed forequarters. He is short-coupled with a good spring of rib. He moved true both coming and going covering the ground with ease, CC, RBIS & Best Intermediate

2. T & T Clift CH BRENDAMAY HEADLESS GUNNER – Another dog of correct proportions. Well broken in coat markings, he is medium boned, a level topline with a good tail set allowing him to carry it level on the move. He has a good reach of neck which supports a masculine head with a broad skull. He is shallow in stop with a broad blaze separating his large dark eyes. Medium width to his chest and short in loin he was presented in good coat and he moved with drive.

3. L Morris CLOORA FLY ME TO THE MOON – 18 month old Blenheim with rich chestnut markings and good coat length and condition. Large dark eyes, shallow in stop with gently tapered muzzle and high set well feathered ears, moved true, just not as balanced in his body proportions.

4. Mrs M Madigan & Mrs L Hennessy CH CELEN BLACKBERRY – Well bodied Tricolour a in good coat. Masculine in head with large dark round eyes separated by a broad white blaze, heavier in bone, he moved well but favoured his tail on the move.

5. A & J Gilroy DOUGSBA ACROPOLIS – Blen – Soundly made dog, level in topline with a good turn of stifle, good muscle with correct tail set and ample depth to chest, high set ears, shallow stop, not quite the coat of the others.

Class: 8 Limit Dog

1. L Morris & M West COLOORA MASTER COPY – 2 year old Blenheim. The clear winner in this class he being of the correct size and shape. He has a square profile, level topline and well broken markings. Straight in front keeping his elbows close to his body, he has lovely dark round eyes and nose pigment providing his soft expression. A nice lozenge atop his flat skull he has a good reach of neck, is short coupled and has good spring of rib. He moved with drive around the ring covering the ground with ease. Best Limit.

2. Mrs D I Felton LOVETRAC VALENTINO (IMP UK) – Another dog that presented a square profile, level in topline with well angulated rear and a good spring of rib. He has a medium length of neck, slightly heavier in the head than the winner but a he has clear muzzle and broad white blaze which parts his well-spaced eyes, He too moved true and with drive around the ring.

3. B Noakes & T Perkiss COTTERPIN LIMITED EDITION – 19 month old a little up to size but very sound. He is dark in eye with a slightly longer muzzle. Level in topline he has good rear angulation. Slightly longer in the loin he has well broken coat markings and moved and showed well for his handler.

4. W & S L Pabian PABIANPARK HANTS PANTS – Blenheim dog of correct size with a well broken coat. Moderate in bone with ample spring of rib he is finer in the head than the winners but he has that desired soft expression. He moved freely and with ease.

5. L K Stepto INNESVEIL NORTHERN EXPOSURE – Up to size for me and heavier in the head, however he is sound in construction and I could not fault his movement,

Class: 10 Australian Bred Dog

1. Mrs J Montford CH ELVENHOME BRIOS GIFT – 3½ year-old Blenheim presented in full coat and in excellent condition. He has good rear angulation and good bone with a good spring of rib and not too long in the loin. Ample depth and width to his chest he has a nicely crested neck which is set into a good lay of shoulder. Slightly rounded skull, he has dark round eyes, high set and well feathered ears and nicely cushioned muzzle. Level in topline which he held on the move, he took time to settle on the move and when standing. Best Australian Bred

2. L Archer CH LOOKINGGLASS QUARTERMASTER – Blen – Similar in type to the winner, level in topline, slightly longer in the loin than 1, well broken coat, well angulated rear quarters and straight in the front with well laid shoulders and tight elbows. His head had the slightly

rounded skull with a shallow stop, dark in eye and nose pigment, he has good length and width to his high set ears. Again his movement could not be faulted.

3. V B & J A Elsley SUP CH MAXEMIL NORTH POINTE – Blen – Another nice exhibit similar in type to 1 & 2, he has a masculine head with large dark eyes parted by a broad white blaze, dark nose pigment and nicely cushioned muzzle, his head was carried proudly on a good reach of neck which was set into well laid shoulders, his straight front and well angulated rear quarters allowed him to move with drive around the ring.

4. J Mcinnes CH LACELEE LIASON OF LOVE – Blen – Stood four square, he has well broken coat markings, level topline, good spring of rib, straight in front with tight elbows, not overdone in the head he has high set well feathered ears a shallow stop, dark round eyes and nicely cushioned muzzle. His movement was true and with drive.

5. A & J Gilroy DOUGSBA KING CANUTE – Blen – Another soundly built dog, not the coat of the others but he has a nice outline and a level topline and a good turn of stifle. Moderately boned he has a well-constructed front assembly and a moderate spring of rib. Dark in eye with clean face markings his head is carried on a good reach of neck.

Class: 11 Open Dog

1. Mrs J Montford CH ELVENHOME BRIOS LEGACY – 3½ year old Blenheim, litter brother and obviously similar in type to the previous class winner. The difference being, he was more settled than his brother. He is a nicely balanced dog who presents a square outline. His head was held high on a neck of moderate length which flowed into well laid shoulders. He has a level topline, a good spring of rib and has good bone throughout. Sweeping stifles to his rear and straight front allowed him to move freely and with drive. He has a masculine head with high set well-furnished ears; large dark expressive eyes separated by a broad white blaze coupled with his cushioned muzzle gives him the desired soft expression. RCC, Best Opposite Open

2. L Morris & P Nichol CH TORAYLAC MASTERPIECE (IMP UK) – Another who excelled in movement, holding his topline level on the move. Reasonably short coupled with a good spring of rib and medium in bone, he has a broad head with large dark well-spaced eyes is not too deep in stop and good width to his muzzle. Again strong and sound in his movement.

3. M Chalmers & L Morris CH DALVRECK MOONDUST (IMP UK) – 3 year old Blenheim. Another masculine headed dog with dark eyes and nose pigment. Well filled under his eyes and not too steep in the stop. He has medium length to his neck with the correct layback of shoulders; level in topline he is heavier marked than 1 & 2 but has rich chestnut markings. Sweeping stifles to the rear and correct front assembly allowed his true movement.

4. Mrs M Madigan CH CLOPSVILLE JACOBS CREEK (IMP UK) – Heavier marked than others but he presents a square profile. His broad head, high set ears, broad white blaze and clean face markings coupled with his large dark eyes and cushioned muzzle gave him a gentle expression. He is well bodied with good muscle tone and he too moved true covering the ring with ease.

5. W & S Pabian CH PETLEA PATCHWORK PETE – A 6 year old Tri-colour, he has a slight wave to his long silky coat, is medium boned and is of nice overall size and shape. He has high set well-furnished ears, a broad white blaze, and dark nose pigment and is well filled under his eyes. He did not disappoint on the move.

Class: 2A Minor Puppy Bitch

1. M A Madigan MERSEYPORT MINT HUMBUG – Attractive 8 month old Tri-colour whose attractive well broken markings and square outline caught my eye on her entering the ring. Her head is carried proudly on a neck of ample length. She is short coupled with a good spring of rib. Straight in front with well-constructed forequarters and sweeping stifles which allowed her to move freely around the ring, covering the ground with drive. Her feminine head, with dark round expressive eyes, broad white blaze, and cushioned muzzle, high set ears of good length and well feathered all combined to give her the desired soft expression. I was pleased to later award her Best Minor Puppy.

2. C Smith LEISUREVIEW SOUTHERN BREEZE – Well bodied 8 month old Blenheim with a level topline and good spring of rib. Medium boned and not overdone in any way. She has large dark round eyes giving her a gentle expression. Slightly rounded in skull she high set ears of good length, dark nose pigment and moved true around the ring.

3. V B & J A Elsley MAXEMIL FLASH POINTE – 8 month old Ruby, slightly longer in the loin than 1 & 2. She has a good turn to her stifles, a level topline which she held on the move and ample spring of rib. She has well-spaced large dark eyes and dark nose pigment set in her feminine head. Her head was carried high on an ample length of neck set into well laid shoulders. Another who moved true and with drive.

4. V B & J A Elsley MAXEMIL PETIT POINTE – Another 8 month old, this time a Blenheim. Slightly longer cast than 1 – 3, she has medium bone and a level topline. Attractive head with large dark eyes and dark nose pigment with ample cushioning to her muzzle. She has moderate depth and width to her chest, allowing her plenty of heart room and a good turn of stifle which allowed her faultless movement.

5. Mrs L K Stepto CAVCAPER PRIDE OV MISS MARTA – Again, 8 months old and this time a Black & Tan. Similar in size to 4, but not as feminine in the head which needs to develop. She too has dark round eyes and dark nose pigment and has a shallow stop. Her general movement was ok but she needs to tighten up in her front.

Class: 3A Puppy Bitch

1. Miss P A Blamire ELVENHOME FAIR THEODORA – Blen – This was a lovely class full of promising puppies. The first two were very similar in type and shape. Both were to me are the correct size and both moved faultlessly. The first, a Blenheim, at just under 12 months of age has well broken coat markings and is well boned throughout. She has sweeping stifles to the rear and the correct front assembly which allowed her true parallel movement. She has ample depth and width to her chest, a good spring of rib and a level topline. She has a very feminine head with the sweetest expression due to her large dark expressive eyes and her gently tapered muzzle with ample cushioning, her head is framed by high set ears. She was put forward in excellent coat and condition. I was pleased to later award her Best Puppy.

2. J E Mcinnes INNESVEIL NORTHERN BELLE – Blen – I was splitting hairs between the first two as they are both lovely puppies. This charmer, another Blenheim, at 8 months of age is a very pretty and soundly constructed bitch. She has well broken coat markings and showed happily for her handler. Her face is well filled below her large dark eyes and her gently tapered muzzle has ample cushioning and she has clean face markings. Her ears are of good length and width and are set high on her head which is carried on a neck of moderate length. She has a good spring of rib and is short in the loin. Again I could not fault her movement.

3. K Brooksby CAVASHON ANAGRAM – Another who presented a lovely profile. She has well broken coat markings with her tan in all the right places. She has large dark eyes set in an attractive head with a clear white blaze dark nose pigment, shallow in stop and with a gently tapered muzzle. Moderate width to chest she has a good spring of rib and is nicely muscled. I would have preferred her to keep her tail up on the move to complete the picture.

4. V B & J A Elsley MAXEMIL REGINA – A 9 month old Blenheim, slightly longer cast than others, she has well broken coat markings, sweeping stifles and straight in front which allowed her to move freely. Very feminine in her head shape she has large dark eyes and nose pigment and high set ears are of good length and width. She too had true movement.

5. R Brown FARPOR ONCE UPON A TIME – 10 month old Black & Tan, Again this little girl was the correct size and was exhibited with a good length to her coat and in excellent condition with bright tan markings. She has medium bone, is dark in eye and nose pigment I just think she needs to body up and mature which I am sure will come with time.

Class: 4A Junior Bitch

1. J Montford ELVENHOME LOVE ME TENDER – 16 month old Blenheim who is small, petite with lighter chestnut colouring to her well broken coat. Feminine in head with large dark round eyes and dark nose pigment. High set well feathered ears, her slightly arched neck of moderate length knitted into her well laid shoulders. Level in topline and short-coupled in body she has a good spring of rib. Her soundness in construction allowed her to move freely and with drive. Best Opposite Junior.

2. L Morris COLOORA BUCKLE MY SHOE – this 11 month old Blenheim presented a square outline, she has well broken dark chestnut coat markings, has soundly constructed fore and hind quarters, a moderate spring of rib and a level topline. Her face is well filled under her dark round eyes and she has a tapered muzzle set in a head with a flat skull framed by high set and long well feathered ears. She too could not be faulted on her movement.

3. M Morse & W Henderson MATMOR SECRET SOCIETY – Put forward in excellent condition this short-coupled Black & Tan bitch also presented a square profile. Very similar in many ways to the second she has large dark eyes bright tan markings, large dark eyes and nose pigment with long full volumed ears. She has a level topline and moved with drive.

4. K A Rolfe ELCAVEL ROYAL PROMISE – A square shaped bitch with dark chestnut colouring. Sound in front and rear quarters, she has a feminine head which is slightly rounded in the skull with broad white blaze, dark in eye and nose pigment and moved well. Just showed a little white of eye.

5. B Wright BELLIARI MORNING SUN – Slightly longer cast and higher in the leg than 1-4, however she has a level topline good rear angulation, medium spring of rib, nice head with shallow stop and dark pigmentation, she moved freely wagging her tail at all times.

Class: 5A Intermediate Bitch

1. J McInnes CH INNESVEIL NORTHERN DELIGHT – 3 year old well bodied Blenheim bitch, feminine in head with a nicely cushioned muzzle. She is well filled under her large dark eyes and her head is carried on a medium reach of neck. Medium in bone with a good spring of rib, she is straight in front with tight elbows, she has a good turn of stifle and moved with drive holding her topline level. Best Opposite Intermediate

2. A & J Gilroy DOUGSBA SINGAPORE SLING – A 3 year old attractive Tri-colour bitch with well broken markings and bright tan. High set ears of good length set atop a head of medium width which frame her dark round eyes and gently tapering muzzle. With a good reach of neck and medium in bone, she is not overdone in any quarter. Medium spring of rib and level topline she moved gracefully and with purpose around the ring.

3. Morse, Henderson & Wilshier LORANKAS ISNT SHE LOVELY (IMP UK) – Another attractive Tri-colour. Strong yet very feminine in the head with an appealing expression provided by her dark expressive eyes and well cushioned muzzle. As with 2 she had good length and volume to her ears and is well coated. Medium in bone with a level topline, she is a soundly constructed bitch

4. T & T Clift CH BRENDAMAY KEP ME IN YR HEART – This Blenheim bitch has very well broken markings on a pearly white ground and the lozenge. Finer in body than 1-3 she has large dark round eyes and dark nose pigment with a gently tapering muzzle and shallow stop. Medium in bone and medium spring of rib, she has a good lay of shoulder and holds her elbows close to her chest. Just a little close in the rear on the move.

5. L Morris CH COLOORA SO DELIGHTFUL – At just under 3 year old this Blenheim is compact in body. She has good rear angulation and is medium in bone. Medium width to her skull she has an appealing expression with her large dark eyes, dark nose pigment and cushioned muzzle. Medium width and depth to her chest, she has a good reach of neck and well-constructed forequarters.

Class: 8A Limit Bitch

1. S & K Axiak KALIAK GIULIANA – Soundly constructed, this 2 year old Blenheim has a balanced outline. She has a well broken coat with rich chestnut markings and a Blenheim spot. Level in topline she is medium boned throughout. She has ample spring to her ribs and is well muscled with well-constructed forequarters holding her elbows close to her chest. Balanced in the head, she has large dark round eyes and ample cushioning to her muzzle and is not too deep in the stop. She has good width to her well feathered ears and has a medium reach of neck which is set in a good lay of shoulder. She was the best mover in the class. Best Opposite Limit

2. L Hennessy & N Nade CEELLEN PRINCESS BRIDE - Nicely balanced bitch, heavily marked with a lovely head shape with large dark eyes giving a sot expression. Medium in bone with a good spring of rib she is short-coupled. Holding her elbows close to her chest she has correctly angled shoulder placement and straight front legs. She holds her head high on a slightly arched neck of medium length. Level in topline, she moved freely covering the ground with ease.

3. K A Rolfe ELCAVEL ROYAL EMPRESS – 15 month old Blenheim with dark chestnut colouring and reasonably well broken markings, she does not have the body as 1 & 2 however she has a pleasing head with a slightly rounded skull, dark expressive eyes and appealing expression plus the desired lozenge. Her movement was true both ways and she showed happily.

4. A & J Gilroy DUNSFOLD VERONA - Level topline with a sound rear quarters, she has a good reach of neck and balanced head-shape with large dark eyes and dark nose pigment. Good depth and width to chest just needs to tighten up in the front.

5. L Morris COLOORA LITTLE SLICE OF HEAVEN – A very pretty bitch who moved true and showed well for her handler. I just felt her body was not as balanced as the other winners.

Class: 10A Australian Bred Bitch

1. M Morse & W Henderson CH MATMOR LA BOHEME – A very attractive 3½ year old Black & Tan bitch who stands four square. Level in topline with a good reach of neck, she has well angulated rear quarters and straight in front. She has a good lay of shoulders and ample chest room. Balanced in head proportions with long high-set ears she has dark expressive eyes and dark nose pigment. Shallow in stop and gently tapered muzzle. Bright tan markings and put forward in excellent coat, both in length and condition. She moved like a dream. Best Opposite Australian Bred
2. M Madigan MERSEYPORT LA COQUETTE –A compact Blenheim bitch with well broken rich markings on a pearly white ground. Well bodied with a good spring of rib, she is well filled under her eyes which are large round and dark. Her muzzle is well cushioned and her nose, which is well developed is dark in pigment. Level in topline, her tail was well set on and carried level on the move.
3. R Connelly & C Thompson CH MINITURA MASSACHUSETTS – 2 year old Ruby shown in full coat with feathering in all the right places. Good length to her high set ears, level in topline, she is short coupled, has well laid shoulders and sweeping stifles allowing her to move with ease.
4. Mrs J Humphries CH LOOKINGGLASS LUMINESCENCE –Lightly coloured with well broken markings, she has sweeping stifles, straight front and is level in topline with an ample reach of neck which knits into her well laidback shoulders. Balanced in head, she has ample cushioning to her muzzle, large dark eyes and dark nose pigment. Another who moved gracefully.
5. Miss T Perkiss CH PINAROO ALL THAT JAZZ – At 7 years of age this Tri-colour was presented in good condition and certainly enjoyed being shown. Well broken in markings she has a level topline. She has high set ears on a moderately broad yet feminine head. Bright sparkling eyes, slightly deeper in stop and shorter in muzzle than the winners but could not be faulted on movement.

Class: 11A Open Bitch

1. W & J Egan & J & J Weekes CH MELLOWAY MAGNIFIQUE – From this class full of Champions came this Champion of Champions. I could not take my eyes off her from the moment she entered the ring. This 2 year old Tri-colour presented a balanced square profile being short-coupled in body with a level topline and a good spring of rib. Standing four-square she has straight front legs, is tight in elbow with well assembled forequarters and ample width and depth to her chest. She is correctly constructed in the rear quarters which allowed her free driving action. She has large round dark expressive eyes, broad white blaze, shallow stop with the darkest of nose pigment and well cushioned muzzle, all framed by high set long and broad ears which combined to give her the most appealing expression. Shown in full coat and excellent condition I had no hesitation in placing her first in this class and later awarding her the CC & BIS.
2. Mrs J Humphries CH LOOKINGGLASS GEORGIANA – What an act to follow but she did not disappoint. Similar in type to the winner, this 5 year old Tri-colour is also a soundly constructed bitch with good bone throughout. Level in topline and ample spring of rib with medium depth and width to her chest. A good reach of neck carried her head high. She is balanced in her head proportions, having a level skull with high set and well feathered ears, large dark eyes and nose pigment, shallow stop and gently tapered muzzle. Like the winner she never stopped showing, wagging her tail on the move and when standing. Again I had no hesitation in awarding her a worthy RCC.

3. J Montford ELVENHOME YSEULT – Another nice bitch, soundly constructed with a level topline, she is well angulated in the rear and straight in front. Her head is carried high on a medium length of neck which flowed into well laid shoulders. Shallow in stop with gently tapering muzzle, she has lovely large dark eyes, high set ears with ample feathering. Well broken coat markings and she too moved freely with drive.

4. Mrs L K Stepto CH BARAKAH SUN SEEKER – 5½ year old richly coloured Ruby who was presented in good condition. She is level in topline with sweeping stifles, Very feminine in expression being not too deep in stop and well filled under her eyes with dark nose pigment and gently tapered muzzle. She too never stopped showing and moved true both ways.

5. J McInnes GR CH INNESVEIL CLASSIC DESIGN – 6 year old Blenheim – Presented a balanced outline. Level in topline and medium in bone with a good turn of stifle she has good length to her well feathered ears. She has dark round eyes which gave her an appealing expression. She showed no signs of exaggeration and moved well.

Parade of Veterans

From the veterans shown my Judges Choice went to NEUT CH CAVANDRA SWEET CLEO AD JD GD a 12 year old Blenheim bitch owned by N Nade and Ms L Hennessy I just could not resist her appealing expression and the way she enjoyed being shown.

Judge

IAN SIDGWICK

“PAULIAN”