

## South West Hound Club Open Show

**9 August 2015**

### **Whippets**

Thank you to the Show Committee for my invitation; I had a very enjoyable day. The show was held in conjunction with Bournemouth Championship Show which supported my lovely quality entry; many thanks to all exhibitors.

#### **Puppy Dog – 11 entries, 1 absent**

1<sup>st</sup> Whitehead' Citycroft High Society, 11 months pale fawn, mature for age, headed a lovely class of babies. Balanced, elegant, unexaggerated and looks like he could work all day. Correct skull and ears, strong jaw, kind expression matching his temperament. Size, angulation, topline, length and depth of body ticked all the boxes. Front not too wide, straight forearms and sloping pasterns. Good width to second thigh and nicely muscled. Moved true with good extension in profile. In super condition and well presented.

2<sup>nd</sup> Ellis's Railfield Rainknight

3<sup>rd</sup> Runesson's Nattah Echo In The Mist

#### **Junior Dog – 7 entries, 0 absent**

1<sup>st</sup> Timberlake's Chipperlake Sail Away, 17 months fawn & white trim, up to size but well balanced, masculine not course, showing elegance and grace. Good head, correct ears and strong foreface. Nice angles, pleasing topline and underline, stood over a lot of ground. Correct fill and width in front with moderate bone. Free and true front action with good drive from rear, holding topline well. Beautifully presented.

2<sup>nd</sup> Veenstra, Scheerens & Kaltwasser's Shiny Sensations Smooth Mr Fox

3<sup>rd</sup> Manners & Glasspool Moonlake Miles To Go To Mannerpool

#### **Graduate Dog – 4 entries, 1 absent**

1<sup>st</sup> Timberlake's Chipperlake Sail Away

2<sup>nd</sup> Baulch's Doobyave Who Dares Wins

3<sup>rd</sup> Sanford's Erinnis Shades of Silver

#### **Post Graduate Dog – 4 entries, 0 absent**

1<sup>st</sup> Griffith's Pelyma Dashing Duke JW, 2 years, fawn parti, lovely typical head, alert and kind expression, good foreface and underjaw. Nice front assembly with strong neck and good lay of shoulder. Curvy and elegant in outline but topline slopes away slightly. Movement is free and true. Sympathetically handled and presented in great condition.

2<sup>nd</sup> Downs Veredon Vivaldi

3<sup>rd</sup> Butchers Pelyma General Grievous

#### **Limit dog – 7 entries, 0 absent**

1<sup>st</sup> Ellis's Railfield Rainicon In Yialousa JW TAF, 2 years, fawn, so well presented and handled to get the best of him. Admired his elegance and grace of outline. Super for size, type and balance; moderate throughout. Lovely head with correct ears, eyes and mouth; very kind expression. Good

construction, bone and muscle with elbows tucked well under. Moved well from all angles displaying correct width coming and going. Another boy who ticks lots of boxes. Best Dog.

2<sup>nd</sup> Turnbull's Turnstone Prince of Passion JW

3<sup>rd</sup> Howgate & Hull's Palmick Strike It Right JW

#### **Open Dog – 2 entries, 0 absent**

1<sup>st</sup> Veenstra, Scheerens & Kaltwasser's Ger Dut Int Boxing Helena's Kon Ardore, 3 years, black brindle/white trim, showed well. Lovely head, very alert expression, correct ears and jaw. Good angulation and length with nice topline and underline. True coming and going; and very good in profile.

2<sup>nd</sup> Walton Zzan Zanetti

#### **Puppy bitch – 7 entries, 3 absent. A very exciting and challenging class; they will all change places.**

1<sup>st</sup> Harding-Waite's Mulranny Miss Moneypenny At Caderleth, 9 months, blue brindle, loved this girl, have admired from ringside and getting better all of the time. She put in a good performance to head a special class of babies. So feminine with curves in all the right places, sweeping lines and no exaggerations. Typical head and lovely expression, correct eyes and ears; would prefer a bit more underjaw. Smooth shoulder; good for size, bone and muscle, super underline and very well balanced. Moved with drive and long, low front action. Best puppy in breed, reserve best bitch and best puppy in show 3.

2<sup>nd</sup> Morris, Waddell & Donaldson Crosscrop Brown eyed Girl

3<sup>rd</sup> Howgate & Hull Palmick Wish Me Luck

#### **Junior bitch – 3 entries, 0 absent**

1<sup>st</sup> Bayley's Whisterfield As If By Magic, 16 months, fawn, very pretty girl of a type I love. Smooth, curvy and avoiding exaggeration. Good pasterns, flat muscle, long neck, strong hindquarters. Nice daisy cutting action but moved a little close behind.

2<sup>nd</sup> Veenstra, Scheerens & Kaltwasser Shiny Sensations Fantastic Smooth

3<sup>rd</sup> Harding's Copesbury Cream Cracker

#### **Graduate Bitch -8 entries, 1 absent**

1<sup>st</sup> Winkley-Balmer Crosscrop Me and My Girl for Edenwhip, 18 months red brindle parti, very feminine and pretty bitch. Well handled and presented; so enjoys showing. Perfect for size and balance; displaying good breed type and another avoiding exaggeration. Loved her shape, head and condition. Good front movement with low action and strong driving hindquarters.

2<sup>nd</sup> Longhurst's Blue Moon Eclipse

3<sup>rd</sup> Rossiter Mobok Mozambique

#### **Post Graduate Bitch – 5 entries, 2 absent**

1<sup>st</sup> Little's Sasilasy Daisy Dares You by Zenobia, lightly brindled girl of correct size, shape and well balanced. Pretty head with correct ears, eyes and mouth. Nice front assembly, moved ok but needs to strengthen behind.

2<sup>nd</sup> Bunney Jothryn Bjorne To Party With Bunehug

3<sup>rd</sup> Rossiter Mobok Mozambique

#### **Limit Bitch -6 entries, 1 absent. Strong class.**

1<sup>st</sup> Morris, Waddell & Donaldson's April Showers at Crosscrop, golden fawn, exuding breed type. Super angles, length, depth, size and balance. Fitting the breed standard perfectly for general appearance. Pear shaped head, with good ears, eyes and foreface. Sound mover excelling in front extension; could work all day. Beautiful coat and skin and showed her socks off to win best of breed today.

2<sup>nd</sup> Howgate & Hull Palmick en Vogue, close up to 1<sup>st</sup> and called in for RBB challenge but sadly her handler was in another class. Classic girl who fills the eye; not showing with usual enthusiasm today and underline a bit podgy; maybe post season?

3<sup>rd</sup> Turnbull's Turnstone Mamma Mia

#### **Open bitch – 6 entries, 0 absent**

1<sup>st</sup> Richards-Healion Anywhere And When At Ciyneccourt SHCM, pale fawn & white parti, shown in excellent condition. Good for size, nicely balanced but would prefer more length and angulation to the rear. Moved true coming and going.

2<sup>nd</sup> Griffiths Pelyama Princess Lela

3<sup>rd</sup> Little's Zenobia Moon Melody At Sasilasy SHCM

**Helen Johnston**