Scottish Breeds – Judge Mrs Modwena Johnston

"Delighted to be invited to judge at this unique show, always a favourite of mine. I believe the overall entry increased and I wish the Club continued support and success in the coming years. My thanks to my two able stewards Moray and Hazel Thoroughly enjoyed and appreciated my quality entry. As always with this breed temperaments were superb and I had many very fine examples of the breed to judge making decisions very close. Though not a breed to be over presented I felt a little judicial trimming especially neck and shoulders would have greatly enhanced those who excelled here in conformation. Then I was faced with a conundrum when deciding BOB as my eventual winner was today a bit short of coat but her personality won her the day

GD (1) 1 Furythor Orion (Young & Lithgow) Dk Brindle,Correct head proportions, Broad scull, strong muzzle, stop could be more defined. Nice eye, good bite. Stands well over forelegs but would prefer a slightly better lay of shoulder.Good legs, feet. Firm topline, good tailset. Moved true out and back

PGD (1) 1 Lindcoly Outta Sight (Saich) Grey brindle. Today seemed unhappy with surroundings and did not give of his best.. Pleasing head and expression with broad scull, neat ears,good eye, Strong muzzle with correct bite. Correct neck running into well laid shoulders, Well ribbed, strong loin, firm topline with correct tailset and carriage. Moved true just a shade hesitant today

LD (2) 1 Furythor Mr Bojangles by Lentrica (Clarke).CC. Wheaten brindle. Well presented. Most lovely head with correct proportions.Wide scull, strong muzzle with correct dentition, defined stop, expressive eyes, neat well placed ears used to advantage. Good reach of neck running into clean well laid shoulders, good return of upper arm. Well sprung ribs carried well back, strong loin, firm topline held on the move. Correct tailset and carriage, nicely angulated quarters matching forehand construction, short hocks. Moved true holding a good outline showing decent extension and drive
2 Lentrica Mystic Warrior (Munday) RCC. Dk Grey brindle. Discovered later to be same breeding as my CC winner.Larger dog. Another with pleasing head properties with wide scull, good eye, neat well placed ears, correct bite. Correct neck leading into well laid shoulders though a shade heavier than winner. Well ribbed, strong loin, firm topline with good tailset. Moved with reach and drive keeping a good outline. Good textured coat though just at the inbetween stage today

OD (5,1) 1 Tycadno Tom Foolery (Jones & Arnold) Cream. Pleasing head proportions with strong wide scull, nice eye, strong muzzle with good bite. Ear set could be better. Good neck running into well laid shoulders, well ribbed with strong loin and firm topline. Correct tailset and carriage with nicely angulated quarters. Moved true keeping a pleasing outline. Shown in correct harsh jacket just needing a little more time for perfection
2 Ch Good Times Ahead with Oudenarde (Dennis, Waites & Goddard) Worthy champion, Close decision. Dk grey brindle. Lovely head and expression with good eye, ear. Strong muzzle with correct bite. Decent neck running into well laid shoulders, well ribbed, firm topline good tailset and carriage. Moved true keeping a good outline. Winner today a little more alert and energetic on move.
3 Brenndarcy It's Magic (ai) (Shannon, Storr & Middlehurst)

VD (2) 1 Ch Winetta Quest for Fame (Marchant) BV. Previously a CC winner for me and still a lovely dog to handle.Dk Grey brindle Now 7 years shown in lovely coat and condition with excellent presentation. Most pleasing head and expression with wide scull, defined stop, strong muzzle and correct bite. Clean well laid shoulders, well ribbed short strong loin with firm topline held on the move. A most worthy champion and good ambassador for the breed
2 Birselaw Dark Charmer for Macmoon ShCM VW (Lamb & Saltmarsh) Dk wheaten brindle. Now 10 years and a slightly finer dog all over. Again a lovely typical head and expression with good eye, ear and correct bite. Well laid shoulders, firm topline with good tailset and carriage. Moved true out and back

PB (3,1) 1 Lindcoly Singing Angela (Saich) Red brindle. Lovely feminine head and expressions, correctly proportioned, neat well placed and used ears, good eye,strong muzzle with correct dentition. Good reach

of neck running into clean well laid shoulders. Still to develop in rib, short loin, firm topline with good tailset. Nicely angulated quarters. Good legs and feet. Harsh coat well presented. Moved true with drive and extension
2 Svendalens Skye Lantern (Dennis & Waites) Just 7 months and perhaps a little overawed on the day as she could have been a little more settled on the move. Wheaten brindle with most attractive head and expression. Well proportioned head, defined stop, neat ears, good eye excellent bite. Well laid shoulders, well ribbed firm topline with good tailset.. Moved true but just not making the most of herself today

JB (1) 1 Tycadno Star Attraction at Honeyhall (Shaw) CC & BOB & BP So well named. Pale wheaten brindle, coat of correct texture but still to develop. Nothing hidden here, her super construction was there to be seen. From nose to tail she just flowed. Lovely head with mischievous expression, good eye, neatest of ears well used.Strong muzzle, good bite. Pleasing reach of neck running into clean well laid shoulders, good return of upper arm so standing well over her forequarters.Well ribbed, short strong loin, firm topline with good tailset.Quarters angulated to match her front,short hocks. Moved so effortlessly showing drive and extension, dog and handler as one. Delighted to hear she got made up' soon after.

GB (1) 1 Brenndarcy Witches Promise (Shannon & Storr) Wheaten brindle. Pleasing head and expression with neat ears, good eye, correct head proportions. Clean well laid shoulders, well ribbed, firm topline, good tailset. Enough hind angulation. Good legs and feet. Well presented in good jacket. Moved true out and back

PGB (5) 1 Furythor Marvel at Me (Munday) Dk brindle, lovely to handle. Most attractive head with delightful expression, correct head proportions, neat ear, good eye, strong muzzle with good bite. Pleasing reach of neck running into clean well laid shoulders,good return of upper arm so stands so correctly. Well ribbed, strong loin, firm topline with good tailset and carriage. Angulated quarters to match forehand. Good legs and feet. Moved effortlessly as her construction demanded showing drive and extension
2 Dazzle Me at Tribannon (Waugh) Another lovely bitch to handle. Correct head proportions with neat ears, good eye and correct bite. Would just like her to show a little more interest in her expression. Clean well laid shoulder, well ribbed, strong loin, firm topline with good tailset. Well angulated quarters and in good coat, pleasing presentation. Just needs to be a little more assertive on the move
3 Cloverbrook Shining Star over Gethlee (Smith)

OB (4,1) 1 Ch Winetta Frankly My Dear (Percy) RCC. Two very worthy champions topped this class, close decision. Wheaten, Correctly proportioned head with that lovely naughty Cairn expression. Neat ears well used, good eye, strong muzzle with excellent bite. Good reach of neck running into clean well laid shoulders, well ribbed, strong loin, firm topline with correct tailset and carriage. Quarters angulated to match her front and stands well over herself. Moved with drive keeping a lovely outline
2 Ch Glory Daze at Tribannon (Waugh) Dk grey brindle and another so lovely to handle. Most pleasing head and expression with correct proportions. Neat ears well used, good eye, correct bite. Clean well laid shoulders, well ribbed, firm topline, correct tailset and carriage. Again nicely angulated quarters with short hock. Moved true and with drive, winner just keeping a more balance outline on the move
3 Lindcoly Maleficent Mo (Saich)

VB (1) 1 Cannwood Misty Dawn at Gethlee (Smith) 8 years, wheaten. Pleasing head, defined stop, neat ears good eye, strong muzzle good bite. A shade heavy over the shoulders. Well ribbed, strong loin, firm topline with good tailset and carriage Nicely angulated quartrs. Moved true out and back

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