Cairn Terrier Belfast Championship Show

This was such a quality entry with such a sporting set of exhibitors and with a respectable turnout, in this modern day, of 19 actual exhibits with only 2 away.

PD (2)

1. Saich's Lindcoly Golden Bently NAF. 7 months wheaten of a fabulous type throughout, lovely head and eye with well set and used ears, great shape with some neck, correct medium length harsh jacket already, moved out smart and true on excellent feet with gay tail carriage, such promise for a future career.

2. Lamb/Saltmarsh's Tycadno Shining Star around Macmoon. 9½ months wheaten of a heavier build overall, excellent eye and ear, level and medium in body with deep rib, can firm a tad in front but such strong quarters and firm hock, excellent jacket, moved with real propulsion, a promising chap.

JD (2)

1. Saich's Lindcoly Golden Bently NAF. Repeat.

2. Shopland's Sanderfield On The Rocks for Cherrycrack (imp FIN). 15 months brindle with so much to commend, can come together a little more that is only to be expected at this teenage stage, breadth to skull with eyes wide apart and dark, defined stop and good muzzle, harsh and double coated to appear weather resistant, good sound stride with ideal tail and carriage, surely a wise acquisition and potential stud.

LD (1)

1.Thomas' Tycadno Magic Man. 2½ years wheaten, with the word 'quality' underlined in my judging book and one of such consistent breed type under this prefix as shown today, super head and expression, head small proportionate to body, fit and functional looking, excellent body shape plus medium leg length, such a typical double coat, balanced mover with a sound stride and forward reach on excellent feet, would expect to gain his title.

OD (4,1) A great trio.

1. Parker-Tucker's Uniquecottage Grey Borage. All but hitting his 6th birthday, wheaten, he was all I was looking for and kept hitting those breed specific boxes, workmanlike and natural looking, lovely expressive head excelling in eye, ear and muzzle, medium leg and medium back length so as to be balanced, so good to go over, had depth, ideal jacket, strong rear, free moving with reach and drive when co-operating, believe he gained his title, DCC & BOB.

2. Hogarty's Ch/Ir Ch. Cadagio Another Day in Paradise. 2½ years red of outstanding breed type and with a structure that was so good to handle on the table, correctly 'small' in head, expressive facial features, good in neck and angles, firm front, excellent rib, correct tail gaily carried, enviable jacket, soundly active and free moving, just that tad lower as sought to separate them, RDCC.

3. Jones/Arnold's Ch. Tycadno Tom Foolery.

VD (1)

1.Lamb/Saltmarsh's Birselaw Come Dancing with Macmoon OSW JW ShCEx ShCM. 7½ years black brindle, handsome and superbly coated chap being naturally rugged and weather resistant, no mistaking his sex without coarseness, entirely workmanlike, lovely headed scoring in eye and ear plus strength of muzzle, level and well bodied, a tad long in loin, short, well furnished tail that was well carried as he strode out with such purpose.

PB (1)

1.Thomas' Tycadno Winter Star. Wheaten brindle, litter sister of 2nd in PD, instantly appealed for sheer breed type and quality, such well placed and carried ears, great body shape and proportions to give that medium balance, well set on neck, level, angulated, excellent jacket, sound, agile and free standing, clearly due to do some top winning if she continues to develop on these lines.

JB (1)

1.Thomas' Castleline Seren at Tycadno. 11 months wheaten, half sister to LD and PB, my judging book begins with a triple underlined 'outstanding', small proportionate head with definite stop and dark eyes so expressive and well spaced, small well set and carried ear, stood well forward on forepaws, ideal in neck and angles with medium level backline, deep in rib, strong quarters, harsh top coat, also underlined 'very sound' as her foot perfect gait demonstrated both forward reach and rear propulsion, hope to be proved right as to these Ch qualities as I awarded her the RBCC in addition to BP.

NB (2,1)

1.Saich's Lindcoly Singing Angela. 15 months red brindle, simply choc full of classic breed type, excellent eye in an expressive head, medium height plus medium length to give an ideally balanced and proportionate outline, excellent jacket, level, so very sound and functionally agile, this one is only going onwards and upwards. GB (1) 1. Saich's Lindcoly Singing Angela. Repeat.

PGB (2,1)

1.Parker-Tucker's Birselaw Floral Dancer of Uniquecottage. 2 years wheaten of an instant appeal for breed type, size and shape, feminine but with workmanlike strength of form, proportionately small in head excelling in ear, eye and muzzle, level, good both in rib and quarters, harsh outer coat, ran just a tad close in rear but gaited so free with an excellent carriage, will readily be moving up the ranks.

LB (1)

1.Saich's Lindcoly Picture Perfect. Just turned 2 years grey wheaten, absolute quality with an obviously game character, dark wide set eye, small well set ear, well set neck plus well angulated and standing well forward on forepaws, correctly medium body proportions, excellent jacket, strongly muscled thighs with good turn of stifle, moved with reach and propulsion, surely title bound.

OB (3)

1. Shaw's Ch. Tycadno Star Attraction at Honeyhall. Rising 18 months wheaten brindle, half sister to LD, she ticked all those breed specific boxes with quality plus perfect proportions, hence unexaggerated, excellent eye and ear with definite stop, strong jaw, firm front, level, deep rib, strong loin, muscled back end, excellent jacket, carries herself so well off a firm hock with forward reach, a class act with so much top winning ahead of her, immaculately shown, BCC.

2. Hogarty's Ir Ch. Cadagio Lets Get It Started. 20 months red wheaten, just a touch longer but so striking, so typical and so sound, such an expressive face thanks to a textbook eye and ear, excellent conformation, level, short well carried tail, enviable practical jacket, foot perfect with freedom, obvious Ch quality.

3. Smith's Cloverbrook Shining Star over Gethlee.

VB (1)

1. Smith's Cannwood Misty Dawn at Gethlee. 8½ years wheaten, well able to hold her own, choc full of breed type, most lovely head that was one of the best in the entry, outstanding in eye and ear, excellent structure scoring in rib and loin, weather resistant coat, so very free flowing and accurate, fully expected her to be titled such was her type and quality, BV & VG2.

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