

The Northern Counties Whippet Club Open Show

Sunday 4th September 2022

My thanks to the committee for the invitation to judge at their Open Show, also I would like to thank to all exhibitors for their entries which made for a very enjoyable day and the sporting manner in which they accepted my decisions.

Minor Puppy Dog: (3,1)

1st – Nicholson's SUPETA'S HAVE IT YOUR WAY, 7 mth old baby, liked his make and shape, good head and length of neck, good front assembly, nicely balanced body for age, nice topline and underline, nicely muscled quarters, good steady mover, Best Pup Dog & BPIS.

2nd – Furniss's JAZZELLIE REACH FOR THE SKY, liked his head and length of neck, needs to develop in front and chest to drop, good underline and nicely muscled quarters, moved okay.

Puppy Dog: (1)

1st – Mould's WARDEN WILLIAM, another nicely balanced youngster with a good topline and underline, good head and length of neck, good front, well bodied with deep chest, nicely muscled quarters, moving a bit close behind today.

Junior Dog: (5)

1st – Hunter's COLLOONEY WAS MEANT TO BE AT SULAHMARA, nicely balanced youngster who is well put together, good head and length of neck, good body with a well placed shoulder and deep chest, liked his topline and underline, well muscled quarters, free easy mover, Res. Best Dog.

2nd – Sloan & Quince's CROSSCOP CALIFORNIA SUNSET, another nice type with good head and length of neck, good front, well bodied with deep chest, good topline and underline, well muscled quarters, moved steady.

3rd – Mould's WARDEN WILLIAM.

Maiden Dog: (1)

1st - Mould's CROSSCOP WATERLOO SUNSET, well balanced youngster with good head and length of neck, good front assembly, deep chest, nice topline and underline, good legs and feet, well muscled quarters, moved steady,

Novice Dog: (4)

1st – Mould's CROSSCOP WATERLOO SUNSET.

2nd – Nicholson's CROSSCOP LITTLE THINGS FOR BETSYMIRA, pleasing head and length of neck, well bodied with deep chest, good legs and feet, nicely muscled quarters, moved steady.

3rd – Blenkarn's PENWINCOEDS OWN JACK SPRAT.

Spec. Beginners Dog: (4)

1st – Nicholson's SUPETA'S HAVE IT YOUR WAY.

2nd – Searle's QUICK SILVER HE'S THE ONE FOR WHIPSEARLE VW, nice dog with a good head and length of neck, well bodied with deep chest, nicely muscled quarters, steady mover.

3rd – Mould's WARDEN WILLIAM.

Post Grad. Dog: (2)

1st – Winup & Paipala's ROGANSROCK HARVEST MOON, although a taller dog, he was of a nice type and well balanced, good head and neck, well placed shoulder with good topline and underline, well bodied with deep chest, good quarters, just needs to settle in front movement,

2nd – Hope's DEMERLAY ON A PROMISE, pleasing head, neck and front, chest deep, well bodied, well muscled quarters, moved okay.

Limit Dog: (3,1)

1st – Hope's DEMERLAY CHARMING CHARLIE, nice dog with good head, neck and front, well bodied with deep chest, well muscled quarters, steady mover.

2nd – Coleman's ROGANSROCK BORN LUCKY FOR SILURIAN, pleasing head and neck, well bodied, good quarters, moved okay.

Open Dog: (1)

1st – Morris, Waddell, Mycroft & Mitchel's CROSSCOP I WANT YOU TAF, lovely dog who is well balanced and nicely built throughout, good head with a dark eye and rose shaped ears, a long muscular neck flowing into a well placed shoulder, well bodied with deep chest and good ribs, good topline and underline, good legs and feet, well muscled quarters, good mover, Best Dog & RBIS.

Veteran Dog: (2)

1st – Searle's QUICK SILVER HE'S THE ONE FOR WHIPSEARLE VW.

2nd – Coleman's WAKEBARROW WILLOW HERB AT SILURIAN, 9yrs old, small dog but a sound mover, pleasing head and neck, chest deep, nice quarters.

Racing & Lure Coursing Dog: (1)

1st – Blenkarn's PENWINCOEDS OWN JACK SPRAT. Taller dog with a good head and muscular neck, well bodied with deep chest, good legs and feet, muscled quarters, steady mover, Best Racing & Lure Coursing in Show.

Racing & Lure Coursing Bitch: (1)

1st – Third's GOREWATER JURA JOY AT BRUNTSFIELD, nice type with a good head, neck and front, deep chest, nice underline, good quarters, steady mover.

Veteran Bitch: (5,2)

1st – Meakin's OAKBARK MISS BOSSY BOOTS, nice feminine bitch with a good head and length of neck, good front with deep chest, nice topline and underline, good legs and feet, nicely muscled quarters, steady mover, Best Vet, in Show.

2nd – Holland's CROSSCOP BROWN EYED GIRL, another nice veteran who is finer made throughout, good head, neck and body, chest deep, good underline, nicely muscled quarters, moved steady.

3rd – Vaughan-Wall's SHIROTAI GIN SING VW,

Minor Puppy Bitch: (2)

1st – Third's BRUNTSFIELD LOCH MORAR, nicely made bitch with a good head, neck and front, well bodied with a deep chest, good topline and underline, nice quarters with broad thighs, steady mover, Best Pup Bitch & Res. BP in Show.

2nd – Nicholson's SUPETA'S BECOZ I'M WORTH IT, just a raw baby at present and winner of class was more mature, however, liked her make and shape, good head and length of neck, good front with deep chest, liked her topline and underline, nice quarters, moved steady.

Puppy Bitch: (2)

1st – Morris, Waddell, Mycroft & Mitchell's CROSSCOP JUST A NOTION, another nice pup, liked her head, length of neck and front assembly, chest deep, good topline and underline, nicely muscled quarters, moved steady.

2nd – Mason's VEREDON LAURENT PERRIER FOR APHRAEL, nice pup with good head, neck and front, chest deep, good underline, nicely muscled quarters, steady mover, just preferred topline of winner.

Junior Bitch: (5)

1st – Short's COLLOONEY TOMMY GIRL, liked her make and shape, good head and length of neck, well placed shoulder, well bodied with deep chest and nice ribs, good topline and underline, well muscled quarters with good width of thighs, sound mover.

2nd – Nixon & Lynn's AFTERGLOW ROYAL ICING, another nice type with good head, neck and front assembly, well bodied with deep chest, good topline and underline, nicely muscled quarters, steady mover.

3rd – Riding-Smith's COBYCO CREAM SODA.

Maiden Bitch: (5,1)

1st – Third's BRUNTSFIELD LOCH MORAR.

2nd – Mallinson's EDENWHIP VERA, young bitch with good head, neck and front, well bodied with deep chest, good underline, nice quarters, steady mover.

3rd – Riding-Smith's COBYCO CREAM SODA.

Novice Bitch: (3,1)

1st – Nixon & Lynn's AFTERGLOW ROYAL ICING.

2nd – Clifford-Smith's BATNOIR QUEEN ZILLA, good head and length of neck, good front, well bodied, nice underline, fair quarters, moved okay.

Spec. Beginners Bitch: (6,1)

1st – Blake's SILKRIDGE IN A MOMENT, nice bitch who is a sound mover, good head, neck and front, nice topline and underline, good body with a deep chest, nice quarters, moved well.

2nd – Nicholson's SUPETA'S BECOZ I'M WORTH IT.

3rd – Mallinson's EDENWHIP VERA.

Post Grad. Bitch: (5,1)

1st – Winup & Paipala's ROGANSROCK LOVE ME DO, a little unsettled in topline, good head, neck and front, well bodied with deep chest, good underline, legs and feet, good quarters, steady mover.

2nd – Vaughan-Wall's SHIROTAE PAWS FOR A SONG, pleasing head, neck and topline, deep chest, fair quarters, unsettled in front movement today.

3rd – Meakin's OAKBARK MORE THAN MAGIC.

Limit Bitch: (4)

1st – Short's COLLOONEY THE LITTLE TEASE, elegant and curvaceous of excellent type, her outline was smooth and flowed from the tip of her nose to her tail, good head, dark eye and rose shaped ears, muscular neck, well placed shoulder, good body with deep chest and well ribbed back, correct topline and underline, good legs and feet, well muscled quarters with good width to thighs, free easy mover in all directions, Best Bitch & BIS.

2nd – Hempstock's SYLLEKA GIN FIZZ AT BROUGHLAND, another nice bitch with a good head and muscular neck, good front assembly, her body was balanced with a deep chest and good ribs, good topline and underline, well muscled quarters, steady mover.

3rd – Winup, Paipala & Furness's PAGARINI IT'S SNOW JOKE CUM ROGANSROCK.

Open Bitch: (4,2)

1st – Morris, Waddell, Mycroft & Mitchell's CROSSCOP JUST WHAT I NEED, nice type but just felt her topline was a bit flat today, good head, eye and rose shaped ears, muscular neck, good front with nice fill-in of forechest, good legs and feet, well bodied with deep chest and good ribs, good underline, well muscled quarters, sound mover.

2nd – Vaughan-Wall's SHIROTAE SOLO SURPRISE, liked her head and length of neck ,good front, well bodied with deep chest, good underline, well muscled quarters, moving a little close behind today.

Judge: Liz McKnight