# KING CHARLES SPANIELS RICHMOND SEPT. 7<sup>th</sup>

I must say Thank you to all the exhibitors who gave me such a quality entry and to those of you who had spent such a long time on the road travelling to get to the venue all exhibits were well presented, and I thoroughly enjoyed my day with my own breed. I did feel that some of the dogs lacked the necessary substance expected of the breed and there was a distinct lack of coat amongst some, but nevertheless I was pleased with all my winners.

## PUPPY DOG 11(ENTERED) 2 (ABSENT)

1 Anderson & Watt �s Maibee Blue Bayou

Ten month old black and tan with a head that seemed more mature than his age, good tan markings and a dark eye with plenty of cushioning, together with his long ear fringes gave a most pleasing picture. lovely rib and bone presented a picture of a short, cobby young dog. His coat was flat and silky in good condition. He showed well when asked, and although a little wide in the front when standing, this should improve with age, pleased to award him Best Puppy.

#### 2 Gillhespy & Mallows Tucherish Jolyon

eleven month old well marked tricolour, one who I have watched improve over the past months, happy, well presented dog. correct shaped head with complementary dark eyes blackest of noses with cushioning gave the correct expression. short compact body, he stood with a level topline, which never altered when moving. a close decision, but just lacked a little substance of 1.

3 Mochrie s Downsbank Rupert

## **JUNIOR DOG** 7, (2)

1 Southam s Cavella Crackerjack

fifteen month old black and tan, masculine domed head ,with dark eyes and good pigment . correct cushioning giving the lovely soft expression which you would expect , good ear fringes and well groomed silky coat . good bone with a well sprung rib gave a pleasing picture when standing , feels he just needs a little more confidence and will be up with the big boys , moved well.

### 2 Sellen s Levicos George

Seventeen month old well broken happy tricolour, has inherited his father s attitude. Large head, not quite the dome of 1, large black nose which matched his eyes, lovely soft cushioning. good strong well muscled front and rear legs carried him confidently round the ring, his coat although a shade curly covered a well rounded body, loved his outline when standing.

**3** Goodwin**\$**'s Tucherish Stanley Diggle

# POST GRADUATE 10 (2)

## 1 Mochrie s Downsbank Breugal

23 month old blenheim with rich chestnut markings, loved his size. large dark eyes and black nose with plenty of cushioning gave a truly gentle look. Enough ear feathering hanging correctly completed the picture. front and rear legs stood straight and together with a well made body gave him good sound movement.

### 2 Portingale s Tudorhurst Brigadier

23 month old black and tan Large masculine head with good nose placement ,dark eyes and lovely tan facial markings . good bone and body , with a good length of neck gave him an aristocratic look. His coat in good condition, silky and sleek , moved well.

### 3 Stewart s Marchog MacFlannel

### LIMIT 7 (1)

### 1 Coupland s Tucherish Sundown

Four year old black and tan . Large domed head and eyes , good nose placement and good cushioning with correct tan markings . Typical masculine mature male looked everything a king charles should when standing, lovely length of neck gave him a proud look, good solid legs and good spring of rib ,moved well.

### 2 Stewart s Kasamanda Celtic Connexion to Marchog

Three year old tricolour. Well presented, silky coat in excellent condition. Good pigment with large dark eyes and nice dome, good ear feathering. good depth of chest, plenty of bone and level topline when standing, this never changed when moving. sound movement carried him proudly round the ring.

### 3 Rushton s Tiflin Tudor Royal

## **<u>OPEN</u>** 5 (1)

### 1 Mochrie s Maramond Satchmo Downsbank Am (Imp)

Four year old black and tan. First saw this boy at an open show last year and knew he would go the top. Standing gave the picture of a true toy spaniel, short and cobby with a level topline carrying his head proudly. On the table just as much quality, large head, lovely tan markings, dark eyes and the plushness underneath gave him that all important expression, .A well

shaped body and good strong legs completed the picture . He was a little lively on the move but when settled he showed well. Pleased to award him Dog C.C. and B.O.B.

2 Askin s & Askin s Headra S Chocolate Box J.W.

Five year old black and tan. Another typical example of the breed .Have judged him before and he goes on improving .superb masculine head full of character , large expressive dark eyes and correct nose placement, lots of cushioning with long ear feathering .a good straight front, muscular legs and a well sprung rib gives him strong steady movement. So pleased he has already gained his title. R.C.C.

3 Fry & Jackson s Ch. Amantra Choirboy J.W.

### **<u>PUPPY BITCH</u> 8 (0)**

1 Stone s Maynorth Irresistible

Ten month old tricolour . Lightly marked happy young girl , feminine through and through .nice shaped head with dark eyes , lovely nose placement and ears to match , coat in lovely condition and a good covering for one so young . liked her body and sound movement across the ring complete level topline, should be one to watch in the future .

2 Allcock s Amantra Christiania for Sleepyhollow

Eleven month old tricolour. Similar in size to one, pretty head with dark eyes ,liked her ear placement with plenty of feathering , lovely silky coat in good condition , just needs to body up, legs strong , moved and showed well

3 Baker s Cofton Roxyheart

## **JUNIOR** 3(0)

1 Robinson s Nastane Miss Dior Avec Baldragon

Eleven month old tricolour . Lightly marked compact young girl. Good shaped head , complimentary dark eyes and nose to match . nice cushioning gave a pleasing look . good straight front and a level topline ,body just needs to fill out. Showed well, happy and confident.

#### 2 Anderson & Watters Tiflin The Black Pearl At Misyros

Year old Black and tan in fine coat . nice shaped head with correct markings ,dark eyes and nose gave a sweet expression ,good ear placement and fringes to match. Well muscled legs and good body gave a good outline when standing . moved well but just lacked a little sparkle today

3 Allcock s Amantra Chartreuse

## POST GRADUATE 7 (2)

1 Johnson s Lorphil Black Sapphire At Alambra

Seventeen month old black and tan . Could have picked her up and taken her home, so well presented ,silky smooth flat coat , lovely shaped head and rich tan markings, dark eyes and nose ,with plush cheeks and long ears ,such a melting look she gave me. Well shaped body and adequate neck, gave a pleasing outline standing, but did not show at her best today.

### 2 Gurtner s Veryan D ahotep

Three year old tricolour ,lovely size, well marked and well covered .not quite the head of one but quite feminine, soft features with a dark eye and good ear fringes ,sturdy body ,moved steadily round the ring .

**3** Stone s Maynorth twice As Spice Limit 10 (1)

### 1 East s Nastane Sweet Fanny Adams

Two year old well marked tricolour bitch, one I have always liked, lovely short cobby body strong straight legs front and back gave her a level topline and sound movement. correct shaped head with large dark eyes ,good cushioning and black nose gave a sweet looking face, she was so happy and obviously enjoying her day out .A little out of coat today but deserved R.C.C

#### 2 Coupland s Tucherish Henrianna

Five year old black and tan Another girl so well presented . domed head with large dark eyes, markings not so clear cut, but plenty of cushioning and correct nose placement, long flowing ears and coat finished the picture, adequate bone and a short cobby body gave a pleasing picture , moved and showed well.

3 Harvey s Rivermoor Violet

# **<u>OPEN</u>** 6 (2)

1 Essex & Jackson s Ch. Amantra Little Dorrit

Three year old well broken tricolour. I will be honest and say that I have not seen too much of this bitch while I have been at the show rings, but what an eye opener she turned out to be. Typical toy spaniel size but packed everything in. loved her head shape, so feminine, large dark eyes with dark nose and well cushioned cheeks, her body so well formed but not coarse, lovely strong legs,

level topline as she strode so confidently round the ring . so pleased to award B.C.C.

### 2 Allcock s Ch. Tewhit Trilydia To Sleepyhollow

Five year old well marked tricolour bitch. always a favourite of mine having already given her a R.C.C. super head, very feminine ,dark eyes and still lots of cushioning and lovely pigment .Good round body and a level topline. Good shoulder placement and straight legs gave her sound driving movement, although I feel she went a little too fast, A little out of coat but nevertheless a quality bitch. Pity she did not stay for the challenge.

3 Stewart s Marchog Maisie Budwigg

STEPHEN SMITH (Judge)