SKC 2019 King Charles Spaniels

JD (1, 0) 1 Hunter Kasamanda Hamilton At Hooebarton a lovely headed dog with correct dome skull, well set dark eyes and good nose placement. He has a good neck and shoulders and retained a level topline on the move. Still lacking in body and finish of coat but should mature into something really nice.

PGD (3, 0) Poor class 1 French & Traynor Mitapip Elusive Ruby, in good coat of correct texture, has a generous head and good dark pigment. He retained a level topline whilst on the move but was a little close in the rear and was feeling the heat a little. 2 Constable Mitapip Rich Ruby niceish ruby let down by poor movement but he is a good size and excellent colour. With good pigment. 3 Gillhespy Lorphil Red Arrow

LD (1, 0) 1 French & Traynor Celxo Vermouth on Ice well broken Blenheim with rich chestnut markings, pleasing head with good eyes and expression, good nose pigment. A sound mover both back and front. He would benefit from a little more coat and body but a good typical King Charles Spaniel.

OD (4, 0) 1 Bowles-Robinson Rus Ch Descartes Ot Nevskogo Hobbita beautifully presented tri colour. Pleasing head, a little strong in muzzle perhaps but beautiful expression, good nose placement, correct ear set, excellent body proportions. He moved soundly both back and front and is full of confidence. He has a tendency to sit at the wrong time. I was delighted to award him, what I was told, was his second DCC from two shows. 2 Gillhespy & McInally Lorphil Treasure Island JW a lovely King Charles Spaniel, lacking in confidence but made up for that on breed type. Beautiful head with dark expressive eyes, good nose placement, excellent tan markings and good body markings. He moved with confidence back and front. I would like to see him with a little more body and a little more confidence but would make a worthy Champion. RDCC 3 Goodwin Diggle Dandelion JW VD (1, 0) 1 Maddison Celxo Charles Dickens ShCM 7-year-old ruby with a lovely head, good eye and pigmentation. Correct coat texture. I found him a little close in the rear and he lacked body but moved at one with handler.

PB (3, 2) 1 Mochrie Downsbank Snowdrop lightly marked Blenheim with a very pretty head, excellent dome, and delightful expression. Rich chestnut markings, she is firm and good to handle on the table. She needs time to settle but should mature into a really nice King Charles Spaniel. BPIB

PGB (4, 0) 1 Coupland Mitapip Renaissance by Cherish black and tan lovely bitch with a supper head. Gorgeous dark expressive eyes, good neck and shoulders. Level topline, slightly longer in body but a sound and confident show girl. 2 Bailey Toyswood Rising Star at Aldoricka Blenheim well-marked, pleasing head, sound back and front. She lacked body but has a happy outgoing disposition. 3 Constable Mitapip High Hopes Holly

LB (6, 0) 1 Miller & Ryan Cavallibrook Lady Lovelace, I can use the word 'cobby' at last. She could settle a little on the move. She has very good breed type with excellent bone, a pleasing head with dark pigmentation and a lovely expression. More coat would have completed the picture. But I was happy to award her the RBCC on this showing. 2 Bowles-Robinson Baldragon Hold That Thought another lacking in coat and she also needs to settle on the move. She has the most attractive head with excellent neck and shoulders. A tad longer in body than the winner but two nice bitches. 3 Sutherland Mitapip Raindance

OB (3, 0) 1 Miller & Ryan Ch Clussexx Reign It in Cavallibrook (Imp USA) lovely bitch well-marked and balanced throughout. She retained her level topline on the move and on the stance. She has the sweetest head with an excellent dome, has good bone. This is the second time I have judged this bitch, I liked her then and I like her a little bit more today BCC and BOB 2 Constable Mitapip Trudy Doo Dee a cobby little black and tan with a with lovely eye, excellent tan markings and a delight disposition. VB (1, 0) 1 Bailey Maibee Margot At Aldoricka hard to believe this well broken Blenheim is 12 years old. She still retains her soundness and confident movement. She is cobby in body and in lovely condition and I was happy to award her BV

Kevan Berry (Ricksbury)