## **The King Charles Spaniel Club**

## Open Show, 28<sup>th</sup> September 2019

## **The Shealagh Waters Memorial Special Award Classes**

I am extremely grateful to the Club Committee for the opportunity this appointment gave me to go over exhibits from near and far and greatly appreciate the entry from exhibitors which included all four colours in the breed. Many thanks to Club Secretary, Miss Margaret Mallows for her efficient stewarding.

Class SA1: Junior Dog or Bitch (2,0): 1. Mochrie's Downsbank Jeffery. A nine month well-broken Tri dog with a well-developed dome, dark eye and good pigmentation. He has the desirable cobby body and rib with a level topline on the table and when moving. His first was decided on ring presence and steady movement. 2. Mochrie's Downsbank Snowdrop. A nine month Blenheim bitch. She is lightly marked but her dark chestnut patches give her a balanced look. Her head is very promising. She has a good length of neck, is well-bodied and had a good turn of stifle. Moved true.

Class SA2: Post Graduate Dog or Bitch (6,1): 1. Coupland's Ambassador Boy Star Tucherish (imp). A twenty-two month ruby dog who has a well-filled out masculine head and correct eyes. Correct front with deep chest and good rear angulation. Very good movement around the ring. 2. Mr & Mrs Stewart's Marchog Minta Buckle. A twenty-two month old B&T bitch with correct markings. Her eye placement was correct with a pleasing dome and good pigment. She has a good length of neck, deep rib and level topline. Today her movement was more erratic than 1.

Class SA3: Open Dog or Bitch (5,2): 1. French & Traynor's Celxo Vermouth On Ice. A reasonably well-broken Blenheim dog with a masculine fully-developed skull. Has dark eye and filled out face. Good bone and well-balanced body. He moved soundly and was presented well in full coat. 2. Coupland's Winie Od Dvou Orechu and Tucherish (imp). A cobby B&T bitch in full shiny coat. Correct shoulder placement and deep chest. She has the correct dome and good pigmentation. I preferred the movement of 1.

Rafael Salguero (Judge)