Wickford, Basildon & District Canine Society – Open Show – Saturday 14th May 2022

Thank you to the society for the invitation to judge at this wonderful venue. We were blessed with glorious weather and had large flat rings to be able to assess movement properly. Thank you also to the exhibitors, I had a small but quality entry and thoroughly enjoyed my day.

BEARDED COLLIE

PUPPY (0)

JUNIOR (1) - 1. Bird's Irisaddition She's All That With Bridus – 13 month old slate bitch, top size but still so feminine and full of quality, lovely head with attractive enquiring expression, correct bite, dark eye and strong pigment; good reach of neck leading into well laid back shoulders, correct shape and length of rib with short loin, in good coat which enhanced her shape, she moved out very well showing good reach and correct drive from the rear with low tail carriage, I'm sure she has a bright future ahead. BOB

GRADUATE (1) – 1. Bird's Irisaddition She's All That With Bridus

OPEN (1) 1. Harrison & Khawaja's Malandex Xceptional Love At Anfranjo – 10 year old slate dog with a strong, masculine head with good strength of muzzle and broad flat skull. Well laid-back shoulders with nice return of upper arm enabling him to move out well covering the ground with long strides. Good length of rib, and strong top line, I would just like more of him all round; very well presented and handled by his young handler. RBOB

BORDER COLLIE

PUPPY (2,1abs) 1. Dalby's Hidden Bo Fedele Amico For Axernamoon (IMP RUS) NAF – 8 month old well grown black & white dog who looked lovely free standing, so attentive to his handler; balanced head with distinct stop and well used ears, good length of neck, chest still to deepen but good length of rib, balanced angulation front and rear with nice bend of stifle and neat straight hocks, moved well covering the ground with long easy strides. BP

JUNIOR (0)

GRADUATE (1) – 1. Shahmatova's Nashdom One Day In May - Pretty and ultra-feminine 3-year-old black & white bitch with a balanced head and beautiful expression, excellent length coming from rib, strong loin, long tail that was carried low, smooth, ground covering movement, she has a classy look about her with a clean outline, just needs a touch more coat finish to complete the picture. RBOB.

OPEN (4,2abs) 1. Shahmatova's Nashdom Putting On The Style - 4-year-old flashy black & white male presented in super coat and condition with good muscle tone. Masculine head with distinct stop and well used ears, good length of neck leading cleanly onto well laid-back shoulders, deep chest and long rib, strong loin, nicely angulated rear with good bend of stifle and low hocks, moved with long effortless strides holding a lovely outline. BOB

2. Tansley's Bilyara River Ranch ShCM – 12-year-old black & white male in gleaming coat and not looking his age one bit. Super strong head with good stop and dark eyes giving such an appealing expression, lovely length to height proportions, balanced angulation front and rear, covered the ground with ease.

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