Welsh Kennel Club

Alhough the entry numerically was low this did not affect the overall super quality and presentation and the sporting way in which the exhibitors applauded all of the winners. The exhibits were shown in hard condition with good muscle tone and it was a pleasure to judge them

VD (1) 1 Lloyd & Smith's Ch Crumpsbrook Bayleaf von Rulander. At 8 years of age this boy has a pleasing head with correct ear and eye placement. He has plenty of depth His body is of good length with strong back and well set tail. Stands square and true when viewed from front and rear. Shown in good coat and hard condition. Movement was sound and steady. Pleased to award RES DOG CC & BEST VETERAN IN BREED.

PGD (1) 1 Lloyd & Smith Ch Crumpsbrook Galangal von Rulander (ai) Although slightly lacking in depth this boy has balance and maturity. He has a good head shape with nice dark eye and good ear set, lovely reach of neck into well laid shoulder, good angualtion, correct straight front and bone. He has a well sprung rib and good forechest. Good. Strong back with good topline and well set tail. On the move he was sound and steady.

LD (2) 1 Jenks, Albadhu Hidden Potential Well bodied and really sound in construction this boy has the best of heads with strong neck into well laid shoulder. He has a good front assembly with plenty of fore chest, good bone and feet. Good depth and spring with a strong back with short coupling. Tail set on well which he carried well on move. Well turned stifle. Movement was steady and true. 2 Simpson & Johnston Ekkolander Dark Madness At Leriton: Another lovely balanced eye catching dog built on similar lines as winner with good head and neck, well sprung rib with good depth. Moderate turn of stifle with good muscle tone and short from hock to heel. On the move he was sound and steady with purpose.

OD (2,1) 1 Powell & Murrell Crumpsbrook Woodrush: This quality dog has style and is very true to type. In profile he was outstanding. He has a lovely balanced head with dark eye. Good arch to neck into well laid shoulder. His body is deep in brisket with good spring of rib. Straight front with with correct bone feet and pastern. Well angulated both fore and aft with well defined turn of stifle. Short and straight from hock to heel. Well set on tail. On the move his stride was effortless, using his tail and keeping his topline. Shown in good coat and condition. Delighted to award Dog CC

VB (2,1) 1 Darby's Sh Ch Brockchime Besta Both to Incadar RL2 VW CC. At 10 1/2 years she does not look her age. She is really well balanced with the best of heads and good neck into clean well laid shoulder. She has correct bone with good feet and slightly sloping pastern. Sound in body with moderate turn of stifle and a well set tail. On the move she was sound and steady with drive. PB (1) 1 Bargman's Crumpsbrook Alchemilla Very promising 11months of age she she still needs a bit more maturity. She has overall balance, a pretty head with good neck lovely straight front with well arched toes and correct pastern. Good level back and good tail set shown in good coat. Movement was steady.

BEST PUPPY IN BREED

JB (2,1) 1 Simpson & Johnston's Ekkolander Persephone Red at Leriton: At 15 months of age this girl is balanced with feminine head nice dark eye well set ear and kind expression. Well arched neck into clean well laid shoulder level back with strong well developed hind quarters. On the move she was sound and used her tail.

PGB (1) 1 Powell & Murrell's Tureagh Crystal Cider. This lovely girl is really pleasing to the eye. She has overall balance with feminine head lovely eye shape and colour and low set ears. Good reach of neck correct shoulder placement. Plenty of depth with well sprung rib and well ribbed back. Good topline correct tail set, moderate turn of stifle. On the move she was sound and positive moving with drive.

LB (3) 1 Wilkins' Quilesta Simply Exquisite This beautifully balanced bitch stood out. She has the most exquisite head with a lovely reach of neck into well laid shoulders, she has the best of fronts with correct bone, feet and pastern. Well sprung rib with good deep brisket and ribbed well back. She is well angulated fore and aft with correct turn of stifle and good muscle tone. Good level back with strong hind quarters and correct tail set Movement was positive with driving action, pleased to award BCC & BOB which I believe was the all important 3rd. 2 Bargmans Crumpsbrook Molinia Shorter coupled than winner she is beautifully balanced with overall soundness shown in good coat and hard condition. Pleasing head with good neck and shoulder placement, good bone front and angulation with well turned stifle. Moved soundly with drive. 3 Ward's Braccpoint Song of the Wind for Gemlorien

OB (1) 1 Hewitt's SH CH Brockchime Frolicsome This stunning girl is full of quality throughout. She gives the impression of power and elegance with overall balance. She has the best of heads with a lovely reach of neck into well-laid shoulders. She is deep in brisket with correct spring of rib. Well ribbed back, strong quarters and good angulation both fore and aft. She has lovely muscle tone, which showed in her eye-catching movement covering the ground well. Pleased to award Res CC

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