

Boston & District Canine Society

Thursday 5th January 2023

Judge - Miss Trish Jakins

Best of Breed/Best Dog Daithi Shadow Dog With Ferngate (Imp Pol) (Mr S Cook & Mrs A Catton)

Best Bitch Sh Ch Charnborough Charisma Of Danwish JW (Miss T Gardner)

Reserve Best Bitch Roanjora Rioja Crianza (Mr R & Mrs AD McDonald & Miss R McDonald)

Reserve Best Dog Sh Ch Alanea Game Reserve With Danwish (Miss T Gardner)

Best Puppy Laoirebay Drifting Breeze (Mrs S Hutchinson)

Puppy Dog 1 Entry 1 Abs

Junior Dog 1 Entry 1 Abs

Post Graduate Dog 2 Entries 0 Abs

1st Romaunt Lust For Life (Mr J Barney)

2nd Settersay Tornado (Mr A Cornwall & Ms V Licence)

Open Dog 7 Entries 1 Abs

1st Daithi Shadow Dog With Ferngate (Imp Pol) (Mr S Cook & Mrs A Catton)

2nd Sh Ch Alanea Game Reserve With Danwish (Miss T Gardner)

3rd Sh Ch Cornadore Argyle With Copperwhite (Imp Pol) (Mrs L Ward)

Reserve Laoirebay Monte Carlo (Mr M & Mrs W Taylor)

VHC Sh Ch Corranroo Clooney of Annagh (Mrs B Stevens & Miss H Turner)

Special Beginners Dog No Entries

Puppy Bitch 2 Entries 0 Abs

1st Laoirebay Drifting Breeze (Mrs S Hutchinson)

2nd Romaunt Ain't Misbehaven (Mr J Barney)

Junior Bitch No Entries

Post Graduate Bitch 2 Entries 0 Abs

1st Siorrudh Red Velvet (Mrs S Hutchinson)

2nd Laoirebay Gleashleagh From Copperwhite (Mrs L Ward)

Open Bitch 2 Entries 0 Abs

1st Sh Ch Charnborough Charisma of Danwish (Miss T Gardner)

2nd Roanjora Rioja Crianza (Mr R & Mrs AD McDonald & Miss R McDonald)

Thank you to the committee of Boston & DCS for their kind invitation to judge our breed. Movement on some of the exhibits on the day unfortunately resulted in a lower place for some lovely dogs. The breed in general is a concern, losing that athletic appearance and substance in favour for a finer, flashy dog and/or Irish Setter type. I am fearful that we may be at the point of not finding a way back if judging continues in such a way that depicts them as Irish Setters or a red and white coloured dog rather than an IRWS.

Puppy Dog (1,1)

Junior Dog (1,1)

Post Graduate Dog (2)

1st-Barney's Romaunt Lust for Life – Young dog with good balanced head, I hope this does not alter and fine off as he matures, fairly square muzzle with good ear set and dark eye. Good spring of rib, angulation, and tight feet. Well balanced overall with good bone. Moved well once he settled.

2nd-Cornwall & Licence's Settersay Tornado – pleasing had but not that of the winner, good outline when stood, well-muscled. Moved ok.

Open Dog (6,1)

1st -Catton & Cook's Daithi Shadow Dog with Ferngate (Imp Pol) – Lovely sized dog of substance who is quite often overlooked in placings. Slightly longer in muzzle and not as square as I would prefer however it remains balanced and he should be judged on overall appearance and performance, good dark eye and ear set, would like a few more freckles. Good neck into well placed shoulders, deep chest with well sprung ribs, powerful and well-muscled throughout with good strong oval bone. Presented in excellent coat condition. Firm level top line held well on the move. Moved with effortless drive and took ownership of the ring each time he moved on the day.

2nd-Gardner's Sh Ch Alanea Game Reserve with Danwish – Lovely mature male dog with nice balanced head. Well placed shoulders with good depth to chest and spring of rib. Strong body and muscled throughout. Moved well on the day.

3rd - Ward's Sh Ch Cornadore Argyle with Copperwhite (Imp Pol) – A lovely compact dog with good, proportioned head and expression. Strong and well balanced throughout, unfortunately on the day he seemed tired and not as enthusiastic on the move which lost him higher placing.

Special Beginners Dog (0)

Puppy Bitch (2)

1st-Hutchinson's Laoirebay Drifting Breeze – Compact girl, balanced head with lovely expression, dark eye and good ear placement. Well-constructed and balanced bitch throughout. Moved well.

2nd-Barney's Romaunt Ain't Misbehaven – Pleasing girl with slightly finer head than 1st. Neck of moderate length into well placed shoulders. Nice outline. Moved well.

Junior Bitch (0,0)

Post Graduate Bitch (2)

1st –Hutchinson's Siorrudh Red Velvet – A nice looking bitch with a balanced head for her body, good eye and ear set. Presented a nice overall outline with tight feet and good muscle. Moved ok.

2nd – Ward's Laoirebay Glenashleagh from Copperwhite – Well balanced bitch with pleasing head and kind expression, nice angulations. Just needed more confidence in the ring today.

Open Bitch (2)

1st -Gardner's Sh Ch Charnborough Charisma of Danwish JW – Super bitch with lovely outline. Head well balanced in proportion to her body with soft expression. Good neck into well placed shoulders, chest of good depth with well sprung ribs. Correct oval bone and neat feet. Overall, a well-balanced and constructed bitch, moved with drive, very close decision on the day for BOB, unfortunate that the dog on the day just

gave that little extra, could easily change places on another day.
2nd -McDonald's Roanjora Rioja Crianza – My surprise of the day, what a lovely bitch from this kennel, I hope that she does not fine off as she matures. Lovely head that compliments her frame, good dark eye and ear set with soft kind expression. Good neck into well placed shoulders, nice spring of rib with deep chest. Lovely outline overall, well-constructed. A very sound mover, covering the ground well with ease and effortlessly.

Trish Jakins
Judge

