

Leeds Championship Dog Show
Sunday 27th July 2025
Judge: Mr Eric Stephenson

BEST OF BREED: Sh Ch Daithi Shadow Dog With Ferngate (Imp Pol)
(Ann Catton and Stewart Cook)

Dog CC: Sh Ch Daithi Shadow Dog With Ferngate (Imp Pol)
(Ann Catton and Stewart Cook)

Reserve Dog CC: Sh Ch Alanea Game Reserve With Danwish (Tania Gardner)

Bitch CC: Sh Ch Talintyre Winter Spice (Julie Tait)

Reserve Bitch CC: Sh Ch Lovenjoel Sleeping Beauty (Julie Tait)

Best Puppy: Gilliegrae So Berry Excited (Graham and Gill Hart)

Best Veteran: Sh Ch Lovenjoel Sleeping Beauty (Julie Tait)

Special Beginner Dog/Bitch NO ENTRIES

Puppy Dog (1 Entry) Abs 0

1st: Gilliegrae So Berry Excited (Graham and Gill Hart)

Junior Dog (1 Entry) Abs 0

1st: Gilliegrae So Berry Excited (Graham and Gill Hart)

Post Graduate Dog (3 Entries) Abs: 0

1st: Rhoswendale Game Is On Again For Vizaset (Imp Fin) (Stuart and Mandy Martin and Nicola Green)

2nd: Don't Stop Me Now With Rogansrock (Emma Holgate)

Limit Dog (1 Entry) Abs: 1

Open Dog (2 Entries) Abs: 0

1st: Sh Ch Daithi Shadow Dog With Ferngate (Imp Pol) (Ann Catton and Stewart Cook)

2nd: Sh Ch Talintyre Winter Shadow (Julie Tait)

Veteran Dog (3 Entries) Abs: 0

1st: Sh Ch Alanea Game Reserve With Danwish (Tania Gardner)

2nd: Sh Ch Carrick Shadow Dog With Alanea (Imp Pol) (Diane and John Jones and Anita Tattersall)

3rd: Laoirebay Monte Carlo VW (Mark and Wendy Taylor)

Puppy Bitch (2 Entries) Abs: 0

1st: Coolfin Ecstasy Of Gold At Cardilis (Dee O'Kelly and Alan Hancock)

2nd: Coolfin Baltic Turn The Page (Trish Jakins)

Junior Bitch (NO ENTRIES)

1st: Coolfin Ecstasy Of Gold At Cardilis (Dee O'Kelly and Alan Hancock)

2nd: Coolfin Baltic Turn The Page (Trish Jakins)

Post Graduate Bitch NO ENTRIES

Limit Bitch (1 Entry) Abs: 0

1st: Settersay Martell By Corranroo (Graham and Jacque Bayne)

Open Bitch (4 Entries) Abs: 1

1st: Sh Ch Talintyre Winter Spice (Julie Tait)

2nd: Sh Ch Chamborough Charisma Of Danwish JW (Tania Gardner)

3rd: Alanea Savannah (Anita Tattersall)

Veteran Bitch (1 Entry) Abs: 0

1st: Sh Ch Lovenjoel Sleeping Beauty (Julit Tait)

Although this was the first time I awarded CCs in this breed, it is a breed I have long admired and taken an interest in. Thank you to those exhibitors who entered and who accepted my decisions sportingly. Also special thanks to my more than capable stewards.

PD (1) 1. Hart's Gilliegrae So Berry Excited. 8 month old well grown puppy. Broad head with good stop and with good planes. He has dark eye with a friendly expression, well-sprung ribs, good angulation front and rear. Rather 'enthusiastic' on the move, therefore it was difficult at times to assess his movement, but I'm sure he will settle when a little older. BPD and BP.

Jun 1. Repeat of Puppy

PGD (3,1)

1st Martin and Green's Rhowendale Game Is On Again For Vaszset (Imp Fin). Almost 2 years old strong, well built dog. He has a head of correct proportions with a good round eye giving the desired friendly expression. He has a straight front and good rear angulation with sufficient bend of stifle. Covered the ground well and moved with a level topline.

2nd Holgate's Hodgehall Don't Stop Me Now with Roganstock. 2 year old who has a good head and expression. Straight front and good depth of chest. Would prefer a firmer topline and more bend of stifle. Preferred the movement of 1.

OD (2)

1. Catton & Cook's Sh Ch Daithi Shadow Dog with Ferngate (Imp Pol). One that I have judged before. I liked him then but he has improved with age. He has a broad head with good stop. Correctly domed skull and square muzzle. Straight front with strong oval bone. Well-sprung ribs and good depth of chest. He has muscular quarters with good bend of stifle and well let down hocks. Maintained his level topline on the move covering the ground easily. A worthy Champion and I was pleased to award him another CC and BOB.

2. Tait's Sh Ch Talintyre Winter Shadow. Another well deserving Champion and this was a close decision. He has a lovely head, dark eye and kindly expression. Nothing exaggerated at all. Good front and rear angulation. His patches are a lovely chestnut colour. Moved well, covering the ground easily.

VD (3)

1. Gardner's Sh Ch Alanea Game Reserve with Danwish. Well-known worthy Champion who is now almost 9 years old. Appealing head with a fairly square muzzle. He is well grown with plenty of substance. Strong oval bone, good proportions throughout with correct angulation front and rear. Level topline and good tailset. Covered the ground well on the move. RCC.

2. Tattersall and Jones' Carrick Shadow Dog with Alanea (Imp Pol). 7 year old who has a head of good proportions with correct eye shape and colour. He is well off for bone and has a short back. Good rear angulation which enabled him to move with drive. Preferred the overall balance of 1. 3. Taylor's Laoirebay Monte Carlo VW.

PB (2) 2 litter sisters in this class, 12 months old on the 1st day of the Show.

1. O'Kelly and Hancock's Coolfin Ecstasy of Gold at Caradilis. She has an appealing head of good proportions, correct eye shape and colour. Although fairly balanced throughout I feel that for me she lacked the substance which is called for in the standard.

2. Jakins' Coolfin Baltic Turn the Page. Shorter in back than her litter sister. Similar comments apply as her sister. I preferred the overall balance of 1

JB (2) Repeat of Puppy

LB (1)

1. Bayne's Settersay Martell by Corranroo. An attractive bitch now 20 months old. She has

good head planes and skull, muzzle fairly square, well off for bone and straight front. Good depth of chest and spring of rib. She is well angulated front and rear, moved well, covering the ground easily, but carried her tail a little low today.

OB (4,1) 1. Tait's Sh Ch Talintyre Winter Spice. Litter sister to 2nd in OD. Just like her brother she is not

exaggerated at all. Lovely head and kindly expression. Head has a good stop with fairly square muzzle. Good depth of chest with well-sprung ribs. Well-placed shoulders. Level topline which was maintained on the move. Best mover in this class. Pleased to award her the BCC.

2. Gardner's Sh Ch Chamborough Charisma of Danwish. Good head with domed skull and square muzzle. Well off for bone and has good substance. Muscular neck leading to well-placed shoulders. Level topline with good tailset. Preferred the movement of 1.

3. Tattersall's Alanea Savannah.

VB (1)

1. Tait's Sh Ch Lovenjoel Sleeping Beauty. Almost 10 years old but does not look or move like it! She has a very appealing feminine head of correct proportions. Lovely straight front with good front angulation. Deep chest and well-sprung ribs. Carried her tail level with back in a lively manner. Best mover of the day, even in the challenge when handled by a very pleasant young man. Very worthy Champion and I was pleased to award her the RCC.
Eric Stephenson