COCKER SPANIEL CLUB OF LANCASHIRE SUNDAY 23 SEPTEMBER 2012 JUDGE: MRS JACQUI WARD

A lovely entry, all of the dogs were presented in good condition and were very sound, some difficult decisions to make but I was pleased that my top winners who were all similarly bred.

BEST IN SHOW - MARRIS-BRAY "HELENWOOD COULD BE MAGIC"

RESERVE BEST IN SHOW - MARRIS-BRAY "HELENWOOD BLACK ICE"

BEST PUPPY IN SHOW EVANS & PAVEY "WASTENN DORA THE EXPLORA FROM HELENWOOD"

BEST MINOR PUPPY IN SHOW - HOLMES "KENAN KRUMPET"

BEST VETERAN - MARRIS-BRAY "SH CH HELENWOOD IRRESISTABELLE

MINOR PUPPY DOG - ANY COLOUR (5,1a)

1. WEST "SHEIGRA STARGAZER" Well grown 8 month old nice head, good length of neck, well placed shoulders, good bone and substance in good muscle tone, moved well keeping his top line. Just a little long on the leg at the moment.

2. WALSH "BLUEACRE BACK TO THE FUTURE" Another quality puppy at 8 months, loved his head and eye, good coat and condition, very nicely made throughout, very lively on the move and just needs to lose a little weight.

3. HOLMES "KENAN KUMON"

MINOR PUPPY BITCH – ANY COLOUR (5,1a)

1. HOLMES "KENAN KRUMPET" 8 month old bitch lovely make and shape, sweet feminine head, melting expression, good neck and shoulders, firm top line, big ribs, strong rounded quarters, in fabulous coat. Very exuberant on the move and enjoying her day. **Best Minor Puppy.**

2. AMOS-JONES "CASSOM OLIVE OYL" Beautifully presented in excellent coat and condition, good head and eye, good straight front, neck and shoulders, longer cast than 1 and not as settled on the move.

3. WEST "SHEIGRA SHINING STAR"

PUPPY DOG – ANY COLOUR (5,1a)

1. LESTER "QUETTADENE COSMOPOLITAN" So well balanced super outline at nearly 12 months this young dog stood out, loved his head and expression, straight front, good feet, good neck and shoulders, strong top line, big ribs with strong loin, well muscled rear quarters which he used to move so soundly and covering the ground with ease.

2. ANSLOW "SHANSART CHECKERBERRY" 10 month old and another quality sound puppy with correct proportions, good head and eye, in good condition with good muscle tone, a little unsettled to begin with but once he did he moved very well.

3. WALSH "BLUEACRE BACK TO THE FUTURE"

PUPPY BITCH ANY COLOUR (7,2a)

1. EVANS & PAVEY "WASTENN DORA THE EXPLORA FROM

HELENWOOD" 11 month old beautiful feminine bitch pleasing in outline, compact and sturdy, beautiful head and appealing eye, correct stop and ear set, straight front and good tight feet, good neck and well placed shoulders, Well ribbed with strong short loin. Strong nicely rounded hindquarters with good muscle tone and well developed 2nd thigh she moved so true with that typical happy cockery movement. **Best Puppy**

2. WHITELEYS "SNOWGATE PARTI ON" Lovely make and shape not quite as appealing in head as the winner but she has a lot of quality, short cobby body, good coat and condition, moved well keeping her top line and tail set at all times.

3. GLENNERSTER "GLENNTREE PANDORA"

JUNIOR DOG OR BITCH - ANY COLOUR (5,2a)

1. MARRIS-BRAY "WEIRDENE WAKE UP AT HELENWOOD" 14 month old young dog, balanced in outline, pleasing head well chiselled, in excellent coat and condition, well developed fore chest, well ribbed with strong short loin. Moves out well with excellent drive and enthusiasm.

2. NICHOLAS-STEELE & NICHOLAS "MARQUELL McCREADY BY KALRIZIENNE" A very "cockery" 15 month old male just not quite the maturity of 1. Good head and expression. Good legs and feet in super condition moved very well.

3. WEST "SHEIGRA SUNDAE BEST"

SPECIAL YEARLING DOG OR BITCH - ANY COLOUR (5,2a)

1. WEST "SHEIGRA SUGAR DADDY WITH DONMYL" 15 month old male, strong head good expression, straight front, good feet, and well developed chest, good topline, moved well with a strong driving action.

2. NICE & SALMON "KALISPELL WALK MY WAY" Up to size 19 month old male shown in good coat and condition, did not have the ring presence of winner, tail set a little low, sound on the move.

3. FLYNN "ZAREEPIOTT SEA SPRAY"

MAIDEN DOG OR BITCH - ANY COLOUR (2)

1. **GILLESPIE & WILDING "LOCHRANZA FRED FLINTOFF"** 13 month old young dog good overall shape, good head and expression, straight front and nicely padded feet, nice depth of chest good shoulders and topline, just a little longer cast and would prefer less angulation in rear, moved well.

2. MASON "SANDLAUGA LIVE WIRE" 10 month old bitch and she certainly lived up to her name, she was very lively but overall she was very cockery, nicely balanced with lovely head and expression, good body proportions and shown in lovely condition.

NOVICE DOG OR BITCH - ANY COLOUR (2,1a)

1. YATES "ABILOU LUNETTA'S LOVE" Stood alone in this class, this 2 year old bitch had a feminine head, shown in good coat and condition, she was just lacking in chest and I would prefer a little more of her overall.

SPECIAL GRADUATE DOG OR BITCH – BLK, BLK/TAN OR GOLDEN (5,1a)

1. **ROBERTSONS "KASTRIAN ETERNITY JW**" 2 year old bitch that really caught my eye, she is so feminine with the best of outlines, excellent confirmation, she has a beautiful head and expression, lovely straight front with correct feet, good neck and shoulders, correct top line which she maintained at all times good tail set shown in the very best of conditions moved very sound and merry on the move. Seriously considered her for top honours.

2. WEST "SHEIGRA SUNDAE BEST" this 15 month old male was longer cast than winner, good head and forequarters, good bone and feet, Shown in good coat and condition. Moved well.

3. MASON "SANDLAUGA CHAMPERS CHARLIE"

SPECIAL GRADUATE DOG OR BITCH – ANY COLOUR OTHER THAN BLK, BLK/TAN OR GOLDEN (5,1a)

1. GLENNERSTER & NICHOLAS STEEL "KALRIZIENNES ZHEVA

GLENNTREE" Beautifully presented bitch with balanced outline, excellent confirmation, lovely head and eye, good straight front, well developed chest, correct shoulders big ribs, short coupled, well muscled hindquarters moved so true and never stopped wagging her tail, another one considered for top honours.

2. HUGHES "DANDYJAN BLUE MOON" Nearly 23 year old bitch nicely constructed, good head and eye, pleasing in outline, good front and rear angles, could just do to lose a little bit of weight and this reflected in her movement.

3. BURLEY'S "SUEDONS PIPPIN FOR BARNSBUR"

POST GRADUATE DOG OR BITCH - ANY COLOUR (4)

1. SUTTON "KYNA RADIANCE AT SHIREPARK" Another quality exhibit, this 2 year old bitch had a balanced outline, sturdy and compact, with the best of heads, pretty and feminine with a super expression, excellent neck and shoulders, good ribs and loin. Gleaming coat, moved so well. Handler just needs a little more confidence.

2. BEEVER "DANDYJAN WHATS IT ALL ABOUT" 2 year old mature male with pleasing outline, good head and eye with moderate stop, straight forelegs well developed chest, good neck well placed shoulders, strong top line, just lacked width of loin, once settled moved well.

3. WEST "SHEIGRA SUGAR DADDY WITH DONMYL"

BRED BY EXHIBITOR DOG OR BITCH - ANY COLOUR (4,1a)

1. WILDING'S "JAYZANDER MURPHYS LAW JW" 2 year old male in excellent condition, good head neck and shoulders, good straight forelegs and nicely padded feet, well developed chest, slightly longer cast than I would prefer but overall sound and shown in excellent coat and condition. Moved very well keeping his top line at all times.

2. MARRIS-BRAY "HELENWOOD BRING ME SUNSHINE" Another quality exhibit and a very close decision between 1 & 2, super head and expression. Good quarters fore and aft, well ribbed, good muscle tone moved well.

3. WEST "SHEIGRA SUGAR DADDY WITH DONMYL"

NOT BRED BY EXHIBITOR DOG OR BITCH - ANY COLOUR (8,1a)

1. SHINKFIELD "QUETTADENE CAREFREE AT NOTRELLA JW SH CM"

2 year old bitch very stylish quality bitch, good balanced outline, very pleasing head and expression, straight forelegs, good neck and well placed shoulders, good top line and tail set, shown in outstanding condition, moved very well wagging her tail at all times.

2. SUTTON "KYNA RADIANCE AT SHIREPARK" 1st in Post Graduate

3. ROBERTSON'S "CHARBONNEL LAW'N'ORDER AT DARVIEUX JW SH CM"

SPECIAL BEGINNERS DOG OR BITCH - ANY COLOUR (5,2a)

1. **BABESTER'S "KALISPELL SUNDAY GIRL"** 2 year old bitch in super coat and condition, good head with gentle expression, good neck and shoulders, well ribbed with short strong loin. Very good driving rear action and merry attitude.

2. MASON "SANDLAUGA CHAMPERS CHARLIE" 2 year old male with an extremely happy disposition, overall soundness, good head with good neck and shoulders, well presented in a flat silky coat, well ribbed but just a fraction longer in loin than the winner and could just do with tighter feet.

3. ROBERTSON'S "RYALLCOURT TIC TAC TOE AT DARVIEUX

SPECIAL OPEN DOG OR BITCH - BLK, BLK/TAN OR GOLDEN (5)

1. MARRIS-BRAY "HELENWOOD BLACK ICE" 20 month old quality mature male, he's short and compact with a very good head of correct proportions and square muzzle, good neck and shoulders, strong well ribbed body. Good hindquarters which are well muscled with short hocks, moves very well. Reserve Best In show

2. YOUNG'S "CANYONN CLASSIC ILLUSION" Another quality 21 month old male and unlucky to meet winner today, balanced in outline, good head with gentle expression, good neck leading into well laid shoulders, good strong body proportions, shown in first class condition, a little unsettled on the move to begin with but once settled moved very well.

3. SIVITER'S "TRENTSHOME SNO BUSINESS JW"

SPECIAL OPEN DOG OR BITCH - ANY COLOUR OTHER THAN BLK, BLK/TAN OR GOLDEN (2,1a)

1. MARRIS-BRAY "HELENWOOD COULD BE MAGIC" Beautiful sound quality feminine bitch, classic head with kind expression, excellent confirmation with balanced outline, excellent forequarters with good length of neck, good depth of body, well sprung ribs, short strong loin, well muscled rear. Very impressive on the move with a merry, bustling driving action, and although not in her full coat today, she had enough to satisfy me and along with all her other attributes she could not be denied **Best In Show**.

VETERAN DOG OR BITCH - ANY COLOUR (5,3a)

1.MARRIS-BRAY "SH CH HELENWOOD IRRESISTABELLE" I could not believe this bitch is 12 years old. She is so sound throughout and shown in super condition. Beautiful head and gentle expression, well ribbed with short strong loin. Strong well rounded hindquarters, moved so true, really enjoying herself never stopped wagging her tail. **Best Veteran**

2. YATES "ABILOU STARLIGHT OF LUNETTA" 7 year old male in good coat and condition, good overall soundness and construction, just did not have the personality and muscle tone of winner.