COCKER SPANIEL CLUB OF LANCASHIRE 19/8/2017

I would like to thank the Officers and Committee of the Cocker Spaniel Club of Lancashire for the invitation to judge the dogs at their show, and thank them for the hospitality shown to us on the day, also for my beautiful gift. A big thank you to both Colin and Louise my very able stewards for the day.

DOGS

BLACK/BLACK&TAN/LIVER/GOLDEN

SPEACIAL NOVICE (0)

SPECIAL GRADUATE (1) 1. Whiteley's Laveris First Edition At Snowgate, gold, with lovely head and eye, good neck and shoulders, short coupled and in good coat and condition. Moved with style and drive.

SPECIAL OPEN (2) 1. Ellison's Sh Ch Withiflor Rolling Stone JW, red of good breed type, lovely head with gentle expression, a strong neck with well placed shoulders & correct front. Good strong deep body and well sprung ribs, excellent hindquarters. Moved with drive holding correct topline. 2. Jones's Emlimajo Against All Odds, black, not with the conformation of 1, good head and eye and shown in good coat and condition, lovely happy outgoing temperament.

ANY OTHER COLOUR THAN BLACK/BLACK&TAN/LIVER/GOLDEN

SPEACIAL NOVICE (2) 1. Mitchell's Glowhill High Hopes, O/R of good type. He has substance without being overdone, a kind head and expression with good pigmentation. Short coupled with good rib, good angulation, a sound moving dog. 2. Pretty's Timbric Americano By Joaldy, liver roan built on smaller lines than 1. Short compact body with lovely head and eye. Well balanced but lacking coat today to complete the picture. Good outgoing temperament.

SPECIAL GRADUATE (4) 1. Bowen's Charbonnel Rich N' Famous, dark blue of lovely breed type, not the biggest, but with an appealing head and good dark eye. Short well ribbed body, shown in good coat and condition. Good sound mover. 2. Dewhurt's Glowhill Hammer Time At Lapidary, dark blue with good head and eye. Correct size with strong bone and good legs and feet. Very well presented but for me did not have the drive and width behind of 1 today. 3. Walsh's Blueacre Oh Danny Boy

SPECIAL OPEN (1) 1. Amos-Jones's Sh Ch Veratey Vincenzo At Cassom, dark quality blue – so cockery. Dark tight eye, muscular neck flowing into fine slopping shoulders. Compact body with deep chest and good legs and feet. Presented a lovely profile but on the move tended to drop his head carriage, possibly by running him too quickly and then losing his comformation.

ANY COLOUR

VETERAN (3) 1. Bentley's Sh Ch Canigou Rock Star, black/tan of lovely breed type with no sign of aging. Strong short compact body, of correct size. Good head and eye and in

excellent coat and condition. Moved with a merry driving action. 2. Burley's Suedons Pippin For Barnsbur, light blue with good head and eye. Good body proportions, moved really well holding a good topline. Shown in good coat & condition. 3. Potters Chancegate Blue Lancer.

MINOR PUPPY (6) 1. Young's Canyonn Classic Legacy, promising, well presented 7 month black, balanced with good bone and well ribbed body. Lovely head and expression. Moved well, particularly in profile, should mature into a good dog. 2. Hooper's Spendles Spin In Silver, light blue of good breed type with lovely head and eye. Short and ribby dog in good coat and condition but carrying a slight puppy roll. Moved with style and drive. 3. Flowers Totenkopf Dutch Spirit Maker.

PUPPY (4) 1. Glennerter & Steele's Glenntree Gandolfini To Zienne TAF, short dark blue dog of lovely type. Good head with well laid shoulders, good bone with plenty of width and depth. Well angulated rear quarters used well showing his positive movement. B.P.D.2. Tracz's Kyna Holding Hands With Acregate, quite a mature blue puppy in good coat, pleasing size with typical dog head. Well placed shoulders with good front and rear action. Strong short body but carrying a little too much weight on the shoulder. Overall a good outgoing type. 3. Anderson's Cassom Carvaggio At Linchael

JUNIOR (4) 1.Todd & Rahman's Glenntree Tradition, well presented black with excellent profile. Balanced throughout with good bone and well ribbed body, lovely masculine head. Well laid back shoulders with correct angulation front and rear. Level topline with correct tailset and a great outgoing temperament which he continued to show at the end of the day to be awarded B.I.S with the full agreement of my co Judge 2.McBride's Topday Ringo Star, dark blue of a lovely breed type. Liked his pleasing head and expression also compact short body. Well-made throughout with correct conformation, very well presented. Unfortunately today did not have the outgoing temperament of 1, but a very pleasing overall type. 3.Varnum's Rayalidan Sams The Man At Shanaudvarn

YEARLING (7) 1. McBride's Topday Hugo Boss, excellent type blue. Liked his well-made head with good reach of neck and correct angulation. He has quality bone with a short well ribbed body and nicely rounded quarters, so good on the move as he covered the ground well. Presented in excellent coat and condition, he has ring presence and typical cocker attitude R.C.C.2. Beever's Snowgate Parti Over To Danyjan, lovely dark cockery blue which is well constructed. Most lovely head and expression with good neck and shoulders, a deep balanced short body and good angulation. Nicely presented and showing his outgoing temperament 3. Share-Jones Sharemead Gold Bullion J W

MAIDEN (4) 1. Whiting's Marquell Mister Goodnight By Annilann, well presented B/R with pleasing head and eye. Good length of neck and layback of shoulder, deep chest and compact body with substance. Sound mover, well presented. 2. Anderson's Cassom Carvaggio At Linchael, well presented blue presenting a good outline standing. Good head and eye, moderate reach of neck and well placed shoulders. Good legs and feet but needs to body up to complete the picture. Moved merrily with drive. 3. Yilmaz Kalispell Kisim Kelpie

UNDERGRADUATE (2) 1. Palmer's Dreamist Rock'N' Rye At Colmeir, flashy B/W with kind eye and expression. Short and square in overall outline, well made ribs with good bone and substance. Shown in good coat, stylish mover.

POST GRADUATE (10) 1. Glennerster & Palmer's Glenntree Graceland, black of lovely clean lines. Liked his overall shape and balanced outline, lovely head and expression also with good length of neck. Stood on well boned feet and legs with nicely angulated quarters. Lacked a little drive in the challenge, well presented.2. Thomas's Claramand Ziggi Ziggy J W, O/R of good cocker type, not the ouline of 1. Good head and reach of neck, correct angulation and bone. Well ribbed body presented in good coat and condition. Good mover. 3. Mitchell's Glowhill Cotton Eyed Joe

SPECIAL BEGINNERS (4) 1. Yilmaz's Kalispell Kapow, O/R built on strong lines, pleasing head with moderate neck, plenty of bone and substance. In good coat and condition. Sound, happy mover. 2. Torbett's Kirlinjis Made You Look JW, dark blue of good type, well balanced head with moderate reach of neck, compact body with good bone. Did not settle on the move today, but liked his overall type.3. Atkinsonson's Drewrimic Alphamale

LIMIT (9) 1. Pearce-Gudger's Cachel Prince Charming Of Pearkim J W, quality type O/R with good head and eye, ample reach of neck, clean shoulders and compact body. Level topline both stacked and on the move, very good presentation. Good free mover with a happy outgoing temperament. 2. Cox's Gardenstone Pale Rider To Suvern J W, I have judged this flashy B/W dog before at an Open Show where I gave him the Gundog Group. Like his overall type, good depth of chest, short compact body, not quite the head of one. Presented in excellent coat and condition, good free mover. Unlucky to come up against the O/R today.3. Shapland's Deracor Di Nozzo J W

OPEN (8) 1. Todd & Rahman's Sh Ch Lynwater Classic Design, nicely constructed blue with correct shape, a compact, sturdy, merry cocker. Good head shape, well muscled neck leading into sloping shoulders. Well developed chest, good spring of rib. Moved with drive, covering the ground well. 2. Charbonnel Whisky N' Soda, O/R well balanced and compact. Good head and eye, good front, well developed quarters all with correct angulation. Sound movement showing firm topline. Nicely presented. 3. Sutton's Shirepark Starry Eyed

Duncan Craig