

As a last minute judge to replace Mark Johnson owing to family bereavement and quite a good entry on paper, marred by absences in Border Collies.

Border Collie, Special Yearling 4 (2)

1st Harris's Tonkory Tickled Pink, not too happy in the ring. Straight front, feminine head, moved sound, good temperament.

2nd Collier's Wizand Gift for the Nite for Pepperbox

Border Collie, Graduate 6 (3)

1st Garlands's Caristan Dom Perignon BOB What a fine looking dog, well presented not only in coat preparation but also the way he was handled, temperament excellent. Black pigmentation, eyes dark brown of correct size and shape. Elbows tight to body. Good turn of stifle. Moved as one with handler at the correct speed.

2nd Collier's Rosmarinus Rainmaiden of Pepperbox

3rd Harris's Tonkory Tickled Pink.

Border Collie, Open 2 (1)

1st Harris's Tonkory Tickled Pink. Not really enough of her to impress, moved quite well, ears correctly placed on a feminine head.

Rough Collie, Junior 8 (2)

1st Fryer-Clarke, Stanley and Avery's I'm Posh an Smart via Vonarkle an eye catching young bitch, compact sable, just about the right size for me, eyes shape and colour fine. Beautiful feminine head with correct ears. Good rough, front and back legs nice and straight both standing and on the move, tail carriage level on move BOB and BP

2nd Evans's Nutslade Secret Pattie

3rd Booth's Jotars Mystical Love TAF

Rough Collie, Graduate 4

1st Evans's Nutslade Secret Pattie, a very attractive marked tri brown nicely shaped eyes, very alert whilst standing, flat skull, wedge shaped head to dark nose, good bite, well angulated shoulders. Feet oval and well padded, moved very well with a different handler.

2nd Wilson's Valleyhaven Coco Chanel

3rd Scamp's Marketdene The One and Only

Rough Collie, Open Dog 7 (1)

1st Avery's Lynviews Lucas Tri Colour much the same as previous class winner but very masculine body really firm to touch, good turn of stifle, deep chest. Overall a fine looking dog which was handled well, proving his ears were OK.

2nd Wilson's Valleyhaven Crusader

3rd Harvey's Ladnar Mr Bojangles from Brooklynson

Rough Collie, Open Bitch 4 (2)

1st Evans's Nutslade Secret Pattie

2nd Scamps Corydon Prima Zaramba at Marketdene

Judge Ron Rodwell