

Report of The Tibetan Spaniel Club of Scotland Open Show – Sunday 18 September 2022

I was delighted to be invited to judge the Open Show for the Tibetan Spaniel Club on Scotland a breed I have admired for many years from the ringside.

I want to thank the exhibitors for my great entry and the sporting way they accepted my placings and the committee for making me feel so welcome at their friendly show.

My Best in Show - Glencoul Magical Dust

Lovely dog, shown in great condition, moved and showed well. Gold in colour with a great head, lovely eye shape and dark with a good ear set. Kept his topline on the move and had a correctly placed tail. Could not deny BIS today.

Reserve Best in Show and Best Opposite Sex - Tulibell Bad Habits

Feminine bitch with a lovely eye and pretty head, good chin. She is well angulated with the correct tail set and she moved well round the ring.

Best Puppy - Tibwood She Tells Our Story

This bitch did not have a dog to compete against however it would have been hard to deny this award. A pretty feminine bitch, good make and shape and moved well – she will have a bright future I am sure. Sable in colour and well constructed with a pretty head and eye.

Best Veteran - Champion Tulibell Star Struck with Jazpiper

Beautiful bitch, such a worthy Champion, super head and expression with the correct oval and lift to the ears. Shown in super coat and condition, great front and shoulder and extremely well balanced.

Best Vintage - Tibbymills Ace of Hearts

Another lovely Tibbie enjoying the day out. Super parti-colour shown in great condition and coat. Well balanced with a pretty head.

Minor Puppy Dog – no entries

Puppy Dog – dog withdrawn

Junior Dog

- 1 – McLean's Glencoul Magical Dust – as above
- 2 – Bruce's Betranna Aramis – well balanced dog with a great outline. Great coat and masculine head, lovely eye – just preferred 1.

Novice Dog

1 – Cooper & O'Brien's Susumore Than a Prince – lovely dog enjoying his day out, moved well and was well balanced with a masculine head.

1 – Wylie's Balgay Choden – well constructed and balanced dog that moved well.

Post Graduate Dog

1 – Campbell's Teindland Benromach – lovely well balanced dog with a good overall shape and balance and good head. Correct eye and tail set that he carried well.

2 – McLean's Glencoul Brodie – good moving dog with a pleasant head and in good coat and condition.

Limit Dog

1 – Campbell's Teindland Macduff – smaller type of dog, however he has a sweet expression on his masculine head. Good ear set, fringing and carriage. Good mouth and pigment.

2 – Stevenson's Tamrae Timelord at Amadrrew – well balanced pale red dog, good head and expression – well balanced.

Open Dog

1 – McDonald's Balgay Dru Ma – lovely sable parti – great balance and outline, small and masculine head. Lovely eye shape and colour, good mouth. Correct ear set and fringing and a good body.

2 – McDonald's Balgay Tym To Praise – Another lovely dog from this kennel, well balanced and shown in great condition.

McClymont Memorial Stakes Dog

1 – Wylie's Balgay Choden – as above.

Veteran Dog or Bitch

1 – Coughtrie's Champion Tulibell Star Struck with Jazpiper – as above

2 – Thomson & Prentice's Tamrae Back to Rhedd – shown in great coat and condition, well balanced and moved smartly round the ring.

Vintage Dog or Bitch

1 – Campbell's Tibbymills Ace of Hearts – as above

Colour A Particolour Dog or Bitch

1 – Cooper & O'Brien's Susu Princess Spice Parti – small lemon parti female. Great shape, small head and correct ears – good pigment and dark eye. Great carriage.

2 – Campbell's Tulibell Su Pryze Parti – another pretty parti shown in great condition, well balanced with lovely coat and fringing.

Colour B Black and Tan Dog or Bitch

- 1 – McDonald's Balgay First Foot – great deep colour, good size and shape with a super topline. Masculine head with a good mouth and eye shape. Moved well.
- 2 – Bruce's Betranna At Lanta – another sparkling black and tan – moved well and good shape.

Minor Puppy Bitch

- 1 – Abercrombie's Tibwood She Tells Our Story – as above

Puppy Bitch

- 1 – Abercrombie's Tibwood She Tells Our Story- as above
- 2 – Gilling's Princess Mulan Ilharess of Talocan – gold dark masked puppy. Correct eye shape and colour – well balanced head with great pigment.

Junior Bitch

- 1 – Campbell's Tulibell Bad Habits – as above
- 2 – Thomson & Prentice's Sanville Sealed with a Kiss – well balanced pretty bitch, shown in great condition.

Novice Bitch

- 1 – Gilling's Princess Mulan Ilharess of Talocan – as above
- 2 – Clement's Tulibell Diva Paw Patrol – slightly larger type, however was typical and moved well.

Post Graduate Bitch – All absent

Limit Bitch

- 1 – McDonalds Balgay Gong Thuk – well balanced bitch, good head and eye and show in super coat and condition
- 2 – Adams Balgay Then Thuk – shown in lovely condition with a good coat and fringing – moved well.

Open Bitch

- 1 – Cooper & O'Brien's Susu Princess Spice Parti – as above
- 2 – Campbell's Tulibell at Hogwartz – feminine bitch with a pretty head and eye. Good expression and moved well.

McClymont Memorial Stakes Bitch

- 1 – McDonald's Balgay Gya Thuk – lovely shaped bitch with a great topline and moved well around the ring. Pretty head and eye.
- 2 – McDonald's Balgay Gha Ba Bu – very similar to 1 – shown in great coat and condition with a pretty head and eye

Judge – Tom Isherwood