

Introducing our Judges for 2025

Championship Show

Mr Brian Stevenson



In 1961 I joined the Royal Navy and in 1970 I left and began a career in electronics which lasted for about 40 years before retiring. During this time, I met and married Myra and in 1979 we bought our first Tibetan Spaniel, a Black and Tan bitch called Serena. She was followed by a sable bitch, Friarland Kai Lu, who was mated to Balgay Artali and produced 5 puppies. We kept 1 puppy, Shan-Dee of Amadrew, using our affix Amadrew which is a mixture of Amanda and Andrew, the middle names of our children. We then bought a gold bitch, Changilli Lho-La, who eventually became a Champion and held the CC breed record in Scotland for many years with 11 CCs and 13 Reserve CCs. Most of the other dogs with the Amadrew affix or suffix have been owned and showed by Myra. The only other breed I was involved with was Miniature Shetland Sheepdogs as my parents had 2 when I was younger.

I first awarded CCs in 2004 at Driffield and have awarded CCs 5 times in total and I have judged the breed many times at Open shows as well as judging Groups and Best in Show.

I was the Secretary of Border Union Ch Dog Show for 30 years before calling it a day and was a founder member of the TSCS. I currently serve on the committee and act as the Trophy Steward.

Open Show

Tina Quest (Chenrezi)



I was born into a dog loving family, and as a child I was fortunate to be encouraged to show my own dogs, firstly Afghans, then later also my Mother's Toy Poodles. When Gary and I married in 1980 we bought our first German Shepherd Dog and we bred and exhibited them for many years. When I was 30, I was diagnosed with Rheumatoid Arthritis and realised I would need to downsize if I wanted to keep showing. We looked around for a small breed with a big attitude and of course that led us into Tibbies!

Our first Tibbie came in 1994 from the Sharbonne Kennel, Sharbonne Tash-Shah. As so often happens, one Tibbie led to two, then three.... you all know how it goes once this adorable breed takes hold of your heart! We bred our first litter of TS in 1998 under the affix Chenrezi. We have bred four UK champions and three European champions as well as many here with CCs, Junior Warrants and Veteran Warrants. We were the Tibetan Spaniel Associations 'Breeder of the Year' in 2015 & 2016 and owned the TSA's Top Brood bitch in 2015 Chenrezi Solitaire, her daughter Chenrezi Supermodel for Mynapaw was the South Western Tibetan Spaniel Club's top junior in the same year.

We are regular exhibitors in the UK and Ireland, in 2017 our breeders team came 4th overall all breeds at Crufts. In 2018 we exhibited at the WDS in Amsterdam, where we won the BENELUX-W 18 title with our home bred Ch Chenrezi Troublemaker. I have a special soft spot for our veterans; I believe Tibbies are like a fine wine – they get better with age. We currently share our home and our lives with thirteen much loved Tibetan Spaniels, ranging in age from four-month-old Remi to fourteen-year-old Tia.

We both believe in giving something back to the world of dogs, I am the secretary and treasurer of the South West Utility Club, regularly steward for local open shows and I'm Vice President of Exeter and County Canine Society.

I began judging Tibetan Spaniels in 2017. I am always excited at the prospect of judging the breed closest to my heart and would like to thank the Tibetan Spaniel Club of Scotland for inviting me to judge at their open show in 2025. I look forward to meeting your beautiful Tibetan Spaniels