

Thank you to the committee of Marlborough & District Canine Society for the invitation to judge on what proved to be a beautiful warm day. As always, a pleasure to judge this wonderful breed – thanks to the exhibitors for their support.

Puppy Dog/Bitch – 1st Fitzgerald's Immelion Galactica For Beaugem – surely a star for the future! This charming tri-coloured 8-month old bitch has a lovely feminine expression, correct head proportions and good bite. Her length to height proportions are correct which was confirmed by her sound movement and finished with a superb coat to complete the overall picture. Best Puppy in Breed. Delighted to see she also went on to achieve Puppy Toy Group 4

2nd McCallum-Sealy, Carter & Barnett's Pandaprint Better Together – 7-month old white bitch with sweet expression and good bite, movement not as balanced as 1st and preferred the overall picture of the winner.

Junior Dog/Bitch – 1st Westgate's Wizzizz When I Need You – cream dog with correct head proportions, good bite, good front, moved well.

Post Graduate Dog/Bitch – 1st BOB Goddard's Valbecca's Dancing Delight – this lovely bitch really stood out; she has the sweetest expression with good pigment, correct bite and balanced outline with good front. Even in the heat she moved with drive and personality. Best of Breed (BOB). Pleased to note that she went on to be awarded Toy Group 4.

2nd Westgate's Wizzizz Desperado – mature dog with good expression and bite, correct size and body with well sprung ribs, lovely coat and looked great when moving around the ring.

Open Dog/Bitch – 1st RBOB Fitzgerald's Mybeards Valentina – Mature bitch with lovely head and expression, good bite, sound body proportions and rear angulation, a great deal to like about this girl - well deserved Reserve Best of Breed (RBB).

2nd Goddard's Havalag Dance With Rainbows – sable and cream bitch with lovely expression but preferred head shape of first, good body proportions, good front and moved well.