Marlborough & District Canine Society - 2nd May 2016

West Wilts Equestrian Centre, Holt, Wilts. BA14 6QT Judge – Julia Ewart (Beaupippin)

Thanks to the committee for inviting me to come down & judge at your 70th Anniversary Show. I thoroughly enjoyed my day & thank all the exhibitors for entering under me & my 2 stewards for their help.

Flat Coated Retrievers

Junior – 1

1st - Marsden - DUBHBRUJA TAURIEL – 18mth old bitch with lovely femine head set well in neck. Good shoulders with deep chest. Good body with moderate bend of stifle. Legs straight. Well presented gleaming black coat. Gave her handler a hard time on the move looking for food & smells on the arena surface which spoilt her movement but such a happy girl. RBOB

Post Graduate – 3 (1abs)

1st - Weddell - BITCON LUTHER – $2\frac{1}{2}$ yr old black dog who caught my eye on first run around. Super head. Correctly constructed throughout, balanced & with good bone. Hocks well let down & legs straight. Stood 4 square & moved true from powerful rear, flowing around the ring in his gleaming coat he looked a picture. BOB 2nd - Millbank - KVICKSANS EYE OF THE STORM OF LARKSDOWN

Open - 1 (1 Abs)

Golden Retrievers

PUPPY (7 Entries, 2 Absent)

1st Jackson-Haines - ANGUSKYE RUN TO YOU BY LEIGHSHAM – 9mth old golden dog pup. Lovely head with gentle expression & good pigmentation. Good front assembly with straight legs well boned onto tight feet. Short coupled body with good depth of chest. Good stifle with well let down straight hocks. Moved well holding a level top line. BP, PG4

2nd Fry - STORMERICK AMARETTI

3rd Healey -THORNYWAIT JILLAROO

Res Ellis - TENFIELD TAKE COVER

Vhc Rogers -WATAMUSAND ZAFARI ASKARI

JUNIOR (8 Entries, 5 Absent)

1st Ellis -TENFIELD TAKE COVER – Sweet 8 mth bitch with lovely femine head & good pigmentation. Nicely constructed throughout with good bone. Needs time to mature & settle in the ring but best mover of this class.

2nd Matley -MAPLEGOLD AUTUMNAL LEAVES

3rd Hocking - KASPURGOLD ELSA

GRADUATE (11 Entries, 5 Absent)

1st Brown - KADAKA KAMAN AT WESTCOMBE – 23mth Golden boy. Loved this boys head, broad with good stop, gentle expression & dark pigmentation. Strong neck set onto well laid back shoulders. Good upper arm with straight well boned legs. Deep chest, short coupled body. Nicely angulated rear with well let down hocks. Nice tidy cat like feet. Well presented & looked a picture on the move. RBOB

2nd Porter - SHEARSTONE GRACE AND FAVOUR

3rd Woodward - TENFIELD PEPPERS SECRET AT WYLYEVALLEY

Res Brewer - STRADCOT DREAM CHASER

Vhc Matley -MAPLEGOLD AUTUMNAL LEAVES

POSTGRADUATE (3 Entries, 2 Absent)

1st Hurrell - KADAKA KONFIDENTIAL AT GILLANSGOLD – 4yr old darker golden boy. Stood alone in this class. Strong boy, nice head with good deep chest, slightly longer in body, well boned. A little long in stifle for me. Gave his handler a hard time which affected his movement.

OPEN (7 Entries, 4 Absent)

1st Woodward - WYLYEVALLEY ONE STEP BEYOND – My star today. 8 yr old pale bitch in her prime with femine head, good neck onto correct front assembly. Well bodied with strong loin into correct rear assembly. Good bone & feet. Not overdone in any way. Well balanced which showed on the move holding a lovely level top line with plenty of drive.

2nd Brown - KADAKA KAPPA BLEU AT WESTCOMBE

3rd Thurgood - JENAWAY BONNIE PRINCE OF PECOLSTONE