BIRMINGHAM NAT CH SHOW, 06/05/17 - Shetland Sheepdogs

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I was very pleased with the overall entry, but as breeders we must consider the overall expression as I feel there are too many dogs that lack under jaw showing their teeth & have big large round eyes, which detracts from the true Sheltie expression which I feel we are losing.

MPD (4,2a) 1 Isdale's Viewdale Cuddly Dudley, a heavily coated sable of very good type, well structured with good bone & straight front. Head is well proportioned with nicely placed eye & good ears. Moved & showed well; 2 Edwards' Castlerose Northern Soul, good coloured b/m, just coming into coat, of idea size, would like a little more depth in body. Well filled foreface with nicely placed eye & neat ears. Moved with drive. **PD** (7) 1 Bray's Lianbray Lothario, well coated puppy of good size & level topline, stands foursquare & shows well. Good length of tail well developed front with straight legs & good feet. Moved very well. BPD; 2 Miles' Keycharm Heaven Knows of Milesend, merle in good coat of good colour fitting the body well, & of good texture. Head is well proportioned, but slightly shorter than 1st placed. Of ideal size, with good depth of body & good angulation front & rear. Moved well fore & aft; 3 Daniels & Taylor's Pepperhill Cruise Control. JD (3) 1 Aaron's Lafitte De Moorstile Chez Shelridge, appealed for his overall make & shape & typical outline. Head is well portioned with nicely placed ears which he used to advantage. Well placed eye & rounded muzzle giving the desired expression. Body is well developed for this young dog. Good depth of body & heartroom. Cooperated & showed well for handler. Pleased to aware this young dog the CC; 2 L Lothario; 3 Robinson's Sheltysham Nut Box in Alnmac. **YD** (4,1a) 1 Roberts' Malarock Mystery Writer, heavily coated sable of good length & texture covering a well constructed body with good depth of chest & level topline. Head is well proportioned with nicely placed dark eye & neat ears which he used nonstop. Good bend of stifle, which gave him good drive from the rear. Showed very well; 2 Officer's Castlerose A Shropshire Lad, sable of ideal type with very pleasing head, nicely placed dark eye & good ears, which he used to advantage. Good depth of body & straight front level topline & good angulation front & rear. Moved & showed very well. Slightly bigger than 1; 3 Botham's Balidorn Soloman. ND (4) 1 Forster Parish's Milesend Blue Raider at Lowick, b/m of good colour & overall type. Well constructed front & rear, head of good proportions giving the desired expression. Good depth of body & angulation front & rear. Covered the ground with ease; 2 Daniels & Taylor's Pepperhill Cruise Control, another b/m – coat of good texture & colour, body is well proportioned with level topline. Good angulation front & rear, well placed ears which he used to advantage. Moved & showed well; 3 V Cuddly Dudley. **GD** (3) 1 Robinson's Lavika Luminary, appealed for his overall make & shape. He has coat of good texture & length, covering a well constructed body with good angulation front & rear. Well bent stifle, straight front & good bone. Head handles well, with nicely placed dark eye & neat ears, which gave him a true Sheltie expression. Moved & showed well for handler; 2 Haensel's Sherkarl Uptown Funk, another nice dog, which was a difficult decision between 1st. He is well coated of good size, with pleasing head, good depth of body & angulation. Stood foursquare on good legs & feet. Showed & cooperated well with handler; 3 Pattinson's Kyleburn Everlasting Dream. **PGD** (7,1) 1 Stow & Withers' Stanydale Shot In The Dark, appealed for his overall make & shape. Good black coat of correct length & texture. Body is well constructed with good angulation front & rear. Good depth of body & length of tail.

Moved very well fore & aft, & cooperated well with handler; 2 Stafford's Rannerdale Lord Fawlty, well coated sable of good size, well boned with straight front & good legs & feet. Ample length of neck & tail. Head is well proportioned with nicely placed ears & dark eye. Showed & cooperated well with handler; 3 Foster-Cooper's Sheltysham Burnished Gold. LD (10,2) 1 Sonvico's Willowgarth Baileys Gold, appealed for his overall type. His head handles well which is well proportioned, nicely placed ears & good dark eye. Ample under jaw, giving a true Sheltie expression. Good length of neck & tail, good angulation front & rear & drive from a well bent stifle. Moved & cooperated well with handler. RCC; 2 Miles' Sommerville Tri Maccool, heavily coated tri of good size & is well constructed, good bone & straight front. Stood foursquare on good legs & feet, ample length of neck & tail. Moved very well & cooperated well with the handler; 3 Linford's HillHenry Thunderstorm. **OD** (6) 1 Miles' Lavick Time Will Tell at Milesend, pleasing for overall type in coat of good length & texture covering a well constructed body with good angulation front & rear. Good depth of body & straight front ample length of neck & tail & well arched neck, head is well proportioned showed & cooperated well with handler; 2 Pearson's Ch Dancing To The Blues at Edglonian, heavily coated merle of good length & texture, covering a well constructed body. Good angulation front & rear, straight front, good legs & feet with ample bone. Showed very well & moved well fore & aft; 3 Bastiani & John's Ch Hawk Blue Eye Des Romrins De Mayerling joins Auberswell. **VD** (3) 1 Rutterford's Evad Whougonnacall at Stormhead, heavily coated, who carries his age well. Moved & showed like a youngster. Head is well proportioned, carried on a well arched neck. Good length of back & tail. Well angulated front & rear, Moved & cooperated well with handler; 2 Pattinson's Kyleburn Acis, well constructed of ideal size. Ample length of neck & tail. Head is well proportioned with flat skull & well rounded foreface. Nicely placed dark eye, giving the desire expression. Moved & showed well; 3 Holmes & Holmes-Chadwick's The Charmer at Dendor.

MPB (5,2) 1 Robinson's Lavika Black Beauty, tri of good colour & overall type. Coat of good length & texture over a well constructed body. Head is well proportioned with well placed dark eye & neat ears, which she used to advantage, giving the desired expression. Good angulation front & rear & moved & cooperated well with young handler; 2 Ritchie's Murieston Twinkling Star, another promising puppy who is in very good coat for her age, good depth of body & angulation, front & rear. Level topline & good length of tail. Moved & cooperated well with handler; 3 Ritchie's Murieston Make A Wish. PB (8) 1 Pearson's Edglonian Starlet, a very nice puppy appealed for her overall type as she has a very nice outline, with a good length of neck & tail. Head is well proportioned & nicely placed dark eye. Well rounded muzzle & good underjaw, giving a true Sheltie expression. Stood foursquare on good legs & feet, with ample bone. Moved with drive fore & aft. BP – I am pleased to see she was placed 2nd in the group – well done; 2 Stafford's Rannerdale Queen O'The North, another very nice puppy who appealed for her overall outline & profile. In very good coat, of correct texture. Body is well constructed with good angulation fore & aft. Head is well proportioned with well rounded muzzle & good dark eye. Moved well & cooperated well with handler; 3 Foster-Copper's Sheltysham Nut Free. JB (6,1) 1 Walker's Tooralie's Matilda, appealed for her overall make & shape, as her coat is a good black of correct length & texture, covering a well constructed body. She is of ideal height & move effortlessly around the ring. Stood & showed very well for handler, on well boned legs & feet; 2 Fisher's Shellamoyed Heavenly Charm, well coated, covering a well constructed body with good angulation front & rear. Good bone & stood foursquare, moved very well & cooperated well with handler. Just a shade bigger than 1; 3 Pierce's Philhope Just So. YB (10,2) 1 Parkes' Milesend Sweet Whispers at Eljetia, immediately appealed for her outline & overall shape. She is of ideal size & very well constructed, front & rear. Good depth of body, with correct

amount of bone. Head is well proportioned with well rounded muzzle, nicely placed dark eye & neat ears, giving the desired expression. Moved & cooperated well with the handler; 2 Bray's Shelridge Shantilly Lace at Lianbray, another appealing sable of idea size in good coat & very good showgirl. Head is well proportioned with nicely placed dark eye, with neat ears which she used nonstop, giving a true Sheltie expression. Stood foursquare on good legs & feet, moved & showed well; 3 Bastini & John's Auberswell Amber Soliloguy. NB (5) 1 A Amber Soliloguy, sable of ideal size & well constructed, appealing head which is well proportioned, with nicely placed eye & well used ears. Giving a nice expression, just coming into coat. Moved & showed very well for handler; 2 Deveson's Milesend Sea Pearl, of ideal size in very good coat of good length & texture. Good angulation front & rear, stood foursquare on good legs & feet. Head handles well & is well proportioned. Moved & showed well for handler, just preferred the expression of 1; 3 Barrowclough's Jaelis Mystique Topaz. **GB** (6,2) 1 Stockden's Willowgarth Gentle Breeze, heavily coated sable of correct size, appealed for her overall make & shape as she is well constructed front & rear. Head is well proportioned with well rounded muzzle, nicely placed dark eye & neat ears. Giving the desired expression. Stood foursquare, on good legs & feet & cooperated well with handler; 2 Glover-Guest's Doonelodge Demora, another sable in good coat. Body is well constructed with good depth & angulation, well bent stifle & amble bone. Head handles well with neat ears & well placed dark eye. Moved well, little reluctant to show her ears; 3 Jeenes' Ontoco Flirt In A Skirt. **PGB** (8,2) 1 Jones' Lavika Lucky Me, sable in good coat & pleasing outline. Head is of good pattern carried on a well arched neck. Level outline & sweep over loin, well bent stifle giving the required drive from rear. Moved & showed well for handler; 2 Foster Parish's Rosdyke Heavenly Spice of Lowick, pleasing type overall, level topline & sweep over loin. Ample length of neck & tail. Good angulation front & rear, with well bent stifle. Showed & cooperated well with handler; 3 Atkins' Jontygray To Find A Dream. LB (11) 1 Richie's Jaelis Mystique Reflection, immediately appealed on entering the ring as she is an outstanding shape, in full coat or correct length & texture, covering a well constructed body of good depth. Stood foursquare on good legs & feet with ample bone. Moved & showed very well. Pleased to award her RCC; 2 Goodwin's Highbrook Hot Fuzz, ideal size, just coming into coat but appealed for her overall make & shape, as she is well angulated front & rear, with good depth of body. Head is well proportioned with well placed dark eye & neatly placed ears. Showed & cooperated well with handler; 3 Gatheral's Herds Hallucination. **OB** (1) 1 Daniels & Taylor's Ch Pepperhill Kicks 'N Flicks, stood alone in this class but stood & looked as though she owned the ring, as her outline was first class. She has a very good neck & length of tail. Head is well proportioned with nicely placed ears, which she used nonstop. She is of very good colour & textured coat. Body is well constructed with good angulation front & rear, moved very well. Pleased to award her CC & BOB. VB (4) 1 Stafford's Ch Rannerdale Star O' The North, appealed for her overall make & shape as she is of ideal size, with very good profile. In good coat, of correct length & texture, which fitted the body well. Head is well proportioned with nicely placed dark eye & well rounded muzzle, giving the desired expression. Well angulated front & rear, moved very well. Please to award her BV & to see that she went 2nd in the Veteran group – well done; 2 Khawaja & Harrison's Smiddyshaw Rumba Carumba, tri is good colour. Ideal size & well constructed standing on good legs & feet. Good length of neck & tail & sweep over loin. Showed & cooperated well for young handler; 3 Lee's Chalynwood Chumani.

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