

HITCHIN, 15/10/16

DACHSHUNDS – L/H – Y (3) 1 Clarke's Tekalhaus Million To One, this 23 months red bitch was a bit fidgety on the day but presented the best outline stood & moving. Nice long conical head, OK shoulder & front assembly. Excellent topline with good angulation behind. Ribs well back & short loin. Best mover in the class;

2 Burke & Manston's Bonavoir Double 'O' Seven.

O (2) 1 Burke & Manston's Bona Voir James Hobbs, 13 months black dog. Upstanding dog, would have preferred a cleaner head, good shoulder & return of upper arm, good ribbing & short loin, sound mover up & back & in profile. **BOB.**

S/H (1) 1 Burke & Manston's Bonavoir Nulli Secunder, really liked this one, lovely outline at all times, really clean conical head with good expression with almond eye. Ideal size, good front & nice feet, super upper arm & clean shoulder. Mover very soundly from all angles.

W/H – Y (1) 1 Bates & Maes Jones' Derochaise Versace, 9 months puppy dog, such a smart boy, the best of heads & expressions, clean & conical with a lovely dark almond eye. Super front assembly, well ribbed & hind angulation to match front. Moved soundly.

O (1) 1 Bates & Maes Jones' Derochaise Elusia, 9 months litter sister & what a little star. Beautiful outline from all angles stood & on the move. Best of heads, well angulated front with reachy neck, level topline & ribs well set back. Excellent from all angles on the love. The best Dachshund I judged today. **BP, BOB, G2, PG1, BPIS.**

MIN L/H (1) 1 Rothchild's Jumanda's Silver Lace, 13 months dog, nice head, OK front, could be better in topline, good feet, would prefer more width in front & moved OK.

MIN S/H – J (3) 1 Bullis' Goodtry Ruby Tuesday at Amaffrey, 8½ months red bitch, little overweight & would have preferred a tad more angulation both ends, but very good to go over, well ribbed & short in loin, soundest of movers up & back & in profile;

2 Robertson's Ravenwood Simply Exquisite.

PG (1) 1 Phillips' Arbennik St Thomas of Robinsowood, 3 years, lovely smooth outline, clean conical head, eyes slightly round, moved very soundly but a bit overwhelmed.

O (4) 1 Burke & Manston's Radclyffe Zathera, red bitch with a lovely outline at all times, lovely clean feminine head, level topline, better eye & expression than other in class. Front angulation matched both ends, super coat. Moved well. **BOB;**

2 Watkinson's Manakoora Arookanam.

MIN W/H – J (1) 1 Grant's Granhoward Edward, 1 year dog, could be cleaner in skull, nice coat, good shoulder & upper arm. Level topline, nice coat. Would prefer more hind angulation but moved soundly.

PG (2) 1 Flowers' Bingobongo's Red Mijia, red bitch of 20 months. Nice outline stood & moving, bit twee in head with a round eye, enough chest with good angulation both ends, level topline & moved & handled well;

2 Morris' Pennywave Uptown Girl.

O (5) 1 Bingobongo Gregory, a very difficult class with lots of compromise, this dog was a fidget but in the end won on shape & moved in profile. Best head & expression in class, lovely & clean, level topline, good coat, OK in angulation both ends. **BOB**