Hitchin and District Canine Society 16/04/2022

Thank you to the Committee for the invitation to judge at your well run show. My thanks also to my Steward for running our ring efficiently and to the Exhibitors for their entry.

<u>Junior</u>

1st Mrs S, Mrs V and Mr J Critchlow & Francis-Christie - Pavoskas Forest. Wolf Sable. 11 Months.

Excellent type, a handsome male well developed for his age. Head is well proportioned, good stop, good ear set and correct eye shape harmonising with coat, soft expression. Good spring of rib, well set hocks and good tail set. Pleasing in profile, balanced and well angulated, with good bone throughout, coat of correct texture. Well handled. Delighted to learn he went on to win Pastoral Puppy Group 1. (**BPIB**)

2nd Mrs S & Mr P Critchlow – Pavoskas Fuschia. Brown Wolf Sable. 11 Months

Very pretty bitch with a feminine expression. Eyes harmonise well with coat colour, her head is narrow at this age as is her muzzle, and both need time to develop. Ears are well set. Coat of good texture. Good spring of rib and good tail set. Pleasing in profile, balanced and well angulated, moved well, if a little erratic today.

Post Graduate

1st Mrs S, Mrs V and Mr J Critchlow, Francis-Christie - Pavoskas Cancan. Black, Tan & White 4 years.

Very attractive bitch, of good type, with nice dark oval eyes, well set ears, her head and muzzle could be stronger. Well-proportioned body, pleasing in profile, good spring of rib, with good bone and in excellent coat of correct texture, well set tail. Steady on the move.

2nd Miss T Kennedy – Lapponnia Halimede Keyza. Brown, White & Tan.

Another attractive bitch of good type, with a well-proportioned head with a good stop, soft expression, eyes harmonising well with coat, good ear set. In good coat of correct texture, moved well from all angles, but unfortunately carrying too much weight today.

<u>Open</u>

1st Mrs S & Mr P Critchlow – Pavoskas Disco, Wolf Sable. 3 years.

Excellent type, larger bitch. Very good head and stop, with a feminine expression, ears set well, nice dark oval eyes. Strongly made with good spring of rib, longer in loin, good bone throughout. Balanced, with pleasing outline in profile, tail well set and excellent coat of correct texture. Well angulated front and rear, moved soundly. Delighted to learn she went on to win Pastoral Group 2. (**BOB**)

2nd Mrs S B Graystone – Morval Helina Keiju. 4 years

Excellent type, medium sized bitch. Good head and stop, ears well set, a sweet feminine expression, lighter in coat, but has correct texture. Balanced and well proportioned, strongly made, good for bone, good spring of rib, well angulated front and rear, low set hocks, moved soundly in all directions. (**RBOB**)

Mrs Karen Bright (Alkantara)