

## The West Mercia Beagle Club

Open Show Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2014

Judge Ruth Lockett-Walters

**MPD** (10,1) 1 Spavins Dialynne Decaprio, promising youngster that is full of potential, super bone and feet, Lovely head and expression excellent shoulder placement and front, moves true coming and going keeping a nice outline on the move. BPD & RBD. 2 Dawson & Goodall's Janfrey Randal, quality youngster, well put together, rangier in type than the winner, and perhaps more finished, has lovely side gait but not so true in front action. 3 Eardley Drew Peacock. **PD** (5,3a) 1 Firth's Nictoney Scribe, lovely head and expression, good reach of neck, well placed shoulder, felt he could do with a little more width in front comes towards you a little close, has lovely rear drive. 2 Hales Arpege Vindicator, more long cast than the winner and not the length of ribbing. **JD** (4,1a) 1 Jones & Jepson's Eardley Mike Raffone, compact and very correct, won this class with ease but would like a bit more of him for a male. 2 Snedden's Redcap Brentwood, although head is balanced, I feel a little strong in head, good reach of neck, strong quarters that he uses to the full, did not like his tail carriage, won his place on sound movement. 3 Dialynne Forever Holmes. **YD** (2) 1 Clifton's Dialynne Forever Watson, won this class comfortably, t & W in excellent condition and beautifully presented, excellent muscle tone, pleasing head and reach of neck, preferred shoulder which was my deciding factor over 2, moves soundly. 2 Hargreaves Barterhound Tudor For Valsacre, nice head and expression, clean overall outline, good lay of shoulder but short in upper arm which affected his front movement. **GD** (5,1a) 1 May's Janfrey Osborn. Very smart overall outline, pleasing head, good reach of neck, well sprung rib, good shoulder, balanced quarters, moves true coming and going and has lovely extension on the side gait. 2 Forever Watson. 3 Rochalbury Duster. **PGD** (6,1a) 1 Mcbain & Stevens Bondlea Layman 2. Taylor's Deaconfield Governor, I had a problem splitting these two dogs both well balanced and moved out well just preferred the more classic outline on the winner, felt the second dropped off a little over the croup. **LD** (5,3a) 1 Peterson & Banks Tatoonie Zhar At Troopersway, pleasing head and expression, good reach of neck going into well placed shoulders, good length and spring of rib, balanced quarters super bone and feet, moved well. 2 Mitchells Just Jamie Sh.CM well presented, and has good muscle tone, felt he could have done with a touch more body. **OD** (8,1) A quality class. 1 Parker & Stevens Serenaker Figaro. Lovely head of the correct proportions, good depth and width of front, well placed

clean shoulder going into strong rib cage, well coupled, balanced quarters which he used to the full, moves extremely true and has lovely side gait with plenty of reach and drive at the rear BD & RBIS. 2 Spavins Dialynne Breaking News, really handsome dog with true beagle expression, lovely rich vibrant colours, beautiful outline, of a larger mould than the winner, moves soundly. 3 Lansend Carrooa. **VD** (5,2) 1 Caple's Ch Blue Chip By Morsefield, a dog I have always admired and was delighted to get the opportunity to go over him beautifully constructed and can still move effortlessly. 2 Parker & Stevens Ch & Ger Ch Serenaker Devil In Disguise, another nice one I extremely well made just unfortunate to have met the first and a class that I could have done with two first prizes for. 3 Barrvale Excalibur. **MPB** (10,1) 1 Bradley & Burgess Dufosse Northern Star, what a lovely youngster that has quality stamped all over her. True beagle head, beautiful expression clean skull lovely ear set, excels in reach of neck and has lovely clean shoulders and front, level strong topline even at this early age and well off for rear angulation, movement is exceptional sure she will have a bright future. BPIS. 2 Spavins Dufosee Nabrina. I thought they looked like peas out of the same pod and then was delighted to find out they were litter sisters. Same comments apply, the winner had slightly more reach of neck and was a little more mature - sure these two girls will change places a few times as they mature. 3 Canowindra Veritable. **PB** (5,3a) 1 Veritable third in the previous class a promising youngster with excellent rear angulation and drive. 2 Jones & Jepsens Eardley On The Run, nice overall balance but a little stilted in action. **JB** (9,3a) 1 May's Janfrey Pollyanna, very pretty bitch, a little madam played her handler up full of character and attitude. Lovely head of the correct proportions, nice ear set adequate neck, well off for bone well ribbed and well coupled excels in rear angulation and therefore moves out beautifully with a purposeful stride. 2 Peach's Rossut Memory Of Pakowhal, very alike in type as the winner but did not have the rear drive of 1. 3 Redcap Bella Sorella. **YB** (6,1a) 1 Wright & Mitchells Barrvale Ursa Minor At Huntshill, clean compact little bitch with correct front and shoulder, well coupled loin with balanced rear, sound movement. 2 Richmonds Canowindra Ursulina, appears to be rangier in type but it could just be the stage of her maturity well put together could not be denied her place on construction, but she would not co-operate with her handler. 3 Redcap Ice and a Slice. **GB** (8,1a) 1 Bradley & Burgess Dufosee Ivory, has that classic stamp of quality as do all from this kennel beautiful elegant outline, superb head, neck shoulder and front good, strong topline on the move sound coming and going and terrific rear drive on side gait, felt she still needs to mature to complete the picture. 2 Mcbains' & Stevens Redcap Bella Sorella, third in the previous class, soundly made moves true again need to mature. 3

Deaconfield Gingham. **PGB** (5,2a) 1 Woodcock's Roddwood Melody, won this class with ease, very neat, clean overall balance sound mover with good reaching side gait and drive. 2 Murden's Rowsprings High Class Lady, pleasing head of the correct proportions, sufficient reach of neck and well boned. Does not have the shoulder of the winner due to being short in upper arm. 3 Deaconfield Fortune. **LB** (13,5a) 1 Petersons Troopersway Tallulah, pleasing head, well placed ears, going into sufficient neck, super depth of front, well sprung rib and balanced quarters, sound movement. 2 Walden & Thornton's Nedlaw Flaxon With Maplelayne, t&w lovely outline beautifully shown and presented, good driving action but not as sound in front movement as the winner. 3 Shercroft Duchess. **OB** (15,6a) What a lovely class of quality bitches. 1 Spavins Dialynne Electra, she stood out, beautiful head nice clean skull good stop and depth of muzzle, lovely ear set that frames her delightful expression. Good reach of neck superb front and excellent shoulders good length and spring to the ribbing, well coupled loin leading into strong quarters well muscled , well let down hock, movement is as close to perfection that you could ask for and her outline is so clean. **BB & BIS**. 2 May's Janfrey Fame, another lovely quality bitch not quite so fluid in movement as Electra and preferred expression of winner hence my placing, an extremely sound honest bitch **RBB** 3.Serenaker Sunday Girl. **VB** (4,1a) 1 Keepence & Keyte Hollybourne Apple Of My Eye At Alandobel, still in fine form for her age in lovely condition a credit to her owner can still move out well. 2 Chapmans Gemark High Thyme, lovely shape, but looks an old lady now and has not the zest in movement of the winner. 3 Cliffmere Iris.