Thank you to all the exhibitors for their entries. I found some rather soft coats and some well up to size, movement was generally OK although some exhibits were a little erratic and high stepping and some tails were carried too high. Bites were all good.

PD 1 Hewins, Xaver IV v. Böckenhagen NAF: Handsome youngster who needs to fill his frame, he has a good head shape, strong deep muzzle with correct beard and eyebrows, slightly rounded skull with good ear set. He has a kind expression with a good eye colour. Straight front with well arched compact feet, strong bone and his movement is excellent for such a young dog Neck of good length and his topline was firm and slightly sloping, he carried his tail perfectly completing a balanced picture on the move. Super wire coat, he should have a bright future ahead. Best Puppy

JD 1 Gettings, Beechillawn Raspberry Sorbet: What a cracking 15 month old dog he is too, black and white of correct medium size with good bone and substance for his age. He has the best of heads, correctly furnished with beard and eyebrows. He has the darkest of eye which generally always comes with B/W's and they fitted correctly into the sockets, he has a kind intelligent expression. Super neck with tight fitting skin and excellent front assembly with compact feet. Good depth of chest, firm sloping topline and overall slightly longer in body as required. Good rear angles and strong straight hocks, his movement is so true both fore and aft and he has a super long stride on his side gait, he is very together with a perfect tail set and carriage, super harsh tight fitting jacket presented in excellent condition, I loved him and had no hesitation in awarding him the CC

LD 1 Gettings, Beechillawn Tutti Frutti: Litter brother to my CC winner, and another very handsome boy once again with the best of heads, correct beard and eyebrows, darkest of eye and fabulous kind but alert expression. Lovely medium size but with good bone and substance and very much the same stamp as his litter brother, another with an excellent wire jacket covering all of the body. 2 Joseph, Pablo vom Broel: This boy is well up to size, lovely head, strong muzzle, correct stop and slightly rounded skull, coupled with the correct beard and eyebrows. Good bone and substance, chest reaching to elbows and well ribbed back, Tight compact feet and a super harsh unmanaged coat.

OD 1 Joseph, Poldi vom Broel: Lovely type, typical head, strong deep muzzle, dark eye and correct furnishings. Adequate neck, excellent depth of chest, strong bone and close knit feet. Sloping topline, moved out very well with his handler. Fabulous unmanaged coat. Res CC JB 1 Gettings, Beechillawn Mint Chip Jun Ch: This pretty feminine girl should have a bright future like her litter brother who was my CC winner, much the same comments apply to her too. B/W she has a very typical head and with lovely kind eye, excellent neck length with super shoulders and upper arm angle. Great depth of chest, short loin and overall a slightly longer body shape compared to her height. Another with fabulous topline, tail set and carriage. A harsh thick coat covering all of her body, moved very well. 2 Jarman, Shortridge Broadway Belle: Another B/W pretty feminine girl with a lovely head, expression and dark eye, good topline and tail carriage, correct body proportions and well angulated rear, moved out well, her coat would benefit from a bit of a tidy up at this stage.

PGB 1 Jones, Germanus Dutch Delight: Strong workmanlike girl with a super head, correct deep muzzle and lovely kind eye of the correct colour, great furnishings of harsh texture. Adequate neck length and good return of upper arm, well sprung ribs, deep chest to elbows, harsh jacket and extremely well handled by her young handler who certainly gets the best out of her, very well done.

LB 1 Johnston and N Johnston, Glenquin Enyo: correctly sized girl very typical of the breed, lovely head and eye which I preferred over her sister. Good neck length, good front and rear angles and firm sloping topline, excellent unmanaged coat and a super mover but just a bit proud of her tail. 2 Obrien, Luchanalilly Cute Coral of Caldewriver: Pretty girl who is a lovely shape with super angles, moves out nicely with nothing exaggerated, I would just prefer a little more of her and a harsher texture to her coat. Superbly handled as always.

OB 1 Johnston and N Johnston, Glenquin Athena: Strong workman like girl presenting a picture of strength and power, nice head, correct beard and eyebrows of harsh texture, this bitch just stands correctly without any fuss or handling. Excellent angles, super neck into her sloping shoulders correct return of upper arm, well filled chest and well ribbed, presented in excellent condition. Strong firm sloping topline and well angled rear, correct body proportions and a super jacket. She moves with power, reach and drive, delighted to award her the bitch CC and BOB. 2

Donnelly, Beechillawn Ooh Betty: Lovely sized girl with correct body proportions, pretty feminine head with kind eye of good colour. Good length of neck and good return of upper arm, well filled chest reaching to elbows, good topline and good rear angulation, moves with purpose and carries her tail perfectly. Res CC

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