

The English Setter Association Open Show Sunday 14th July 2019

Memorial Classes

The weather was kind to us and provided ideal conditions for an outdoor Show - dry, not too hot and very little breeze, which kept dogs, and exhibitors, comfortable and looking their best.

My thanks go to the show organisers and the ring stewards for their support and smooth organisation.

The Patricia Gardiner-Swann Special Memorial Award Junior (13, 6)

1. Dennis, Harris & Morgan's Gemsett Ice Cold in Alex at Mariglen. 9 month old orange belton bitch. Lovely feminine head of correct proportions, dark oval eye and sweet expression. Well set ears and good length of neck. Very good angulation front and rear and a lovely level top line. Balanced on the move with level, slashing tail, head carried high and strong driving movement from behind. A picture of elegance.

2. Bailey's Ravensett Seville at Gwithian JW 17 month old orange belton dog. Beautiful balanced head carried on an elegant long neck. Good angulation in front and a nice depth of chest. Muscle is building in all the right places, good turn of stifle and well let down hocks. Balanced and energetic on the move with plenty of drive and a well carried, slashing tail.

3. Kelly's Cornsett the Wise One

Jack Bowen MBE Special Memorial Award Open (12, 2)

1. Schoneville & Derry's Hawklawn Khamsin at Balvenie. 2 year old Orange Belton dog. Lovely balanced head with dark, oval, expressive eyes. Long elegant neck into well laid back shoulders. Good depth and width of chest. Strong in loin and level in back flowing into well angulated and muscular hindquarters. Moved with power and grace, driving off strong, well let down hocks. Tail carried level, lively on the move. In lovely coat and condition. A masculine dog but without any coarseness and with plenty of elegance.

2. Taylor's Wansleydale Margarita. 4 year old orange belton bitch. Lovely head and expression with good dark eyes and correctly set ears. Lean and muscular neck into well set back shoulders. Strong and level in back and good angulation in hindquarters. Lively, slashing tail but her movement today was not quite as precise and balanced as 1st.

3. Hartle & Stone's Hartsett All My Lovin

Henrietta Stewart (Judge)