SOUTHERN GOLDEN RETRIEVER SOCIETY - Judge: Suzi Golder (Summeramba) 25th February 2018

SPECIAL VETERAN BITCH (6 Entries, 1 Absent)

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1st Mullett's POUNDMEADOW SOLITAIRE STAR – liked this mid gold bitch a lot – she oozes quality, and loves what she does too. Feminine head with dark pigment, giving a soft expression. Good length of neck onto well layed back shoulders, deep chest and short coupled, standing four square on neat feet. Moves well on strong hind quarters.

2nd Taggart Miss AE ALTINDAN ANYTHING GOES – slightly longer cast bitch, with pleasing head, good angles front & aft , in lovely light gold coat, moved ok.

3rd Hill Mrs M BRIARHAZE BOBBY'S GIRL AT MULLEIN

VETERAN BITCH (8 Entries, 2 Absent)

1st Watchorn's STRALAND SWAN LAKE – have loved this quality bitch from the ringside for sometime, and she was all what I expected when I went over her. Feminine head & sweet expression, good length of neck, superb front angulation with excellent forechest, deep through the heart, slightly longer rib cage but short couplings, her strong back end allowing her to move effortlessly around the ring with the levelist of topline – so at one with handler. Delighted to award her the CC, and thrilled this was her Crowning Glory ! BCC & BOS & BVIS

2nd Tuck - TAMSBROOK TIMOTAE – liked this bitch a lot, looks good from any angle, super front angles with neat feet, short coupled and nice bend of stifle, in glamourous blonde coat, looked a picture.

3rd Walker Ms FA KANTEAL CAMOMILE LAWN OF CARDRONA

MINOR PUPPY BITCH (15 Entries, 3 Absent) - lovely class

1st Wred GOLD CAN TURN TO SAND - 7 month old mid gold bitch, so balanced for her age, pretty head, good angles front & rear, neatest of feet, good bone, moved well with confidence. BPB & BPIS

2nd Douthwaite & Wharfe's GRACEWOOD MAKENZIE - lovely dark pigment and very attentive expression on this youngster. Darker coat with blonde under feathering looked a picture, slightly longer in body but well proportioned. Decent front angulation and bend stifle. Moved well.

3rd Clarkson DRUMKILTY LISDOONVARNA

PUPPY BITCH (18 Entries, 10 Absent)

1st Vandendriessche's - CHEEK TO CHEEK NE ME PAS QUITTE (FRA) – loved this young bitch, although sometimes standing completely wrong, when she stood correctly she was a picture indeed. With plenty of bone, although still feminine, she has dark pigment and soft expression. Super length of neck with correct layback and upperarm. Quite a mature bitch for her age, she has strong hind quarters and moved out really well.

2nd Hanrahan HELSORA HEART OF GOLD – sweet bitch that caught my eye, in glamourous blonde coat with good angles, but handler needs to watch she doesn't push her head back too much while baiting her as she looses her front. Looking quite mature for her age. Correct front and rear angles, level topline and good mover.

3rd Hush Mr W & Mrs S BENROWAN ESPRIT

JUNIOR BITCH (17 Entries, 4 Absent)

1st Keightley's RICHANA TINY DANCER – this young bitch's movement won her this class. Lovely outline, super length of neck on decent front angles. Loved her expression with ears forward, short coupled and good bend of stifle.

2nd Tuck Mrs P TAMSBROOK TOUCH OF CLASS – her tail never stopped wagging ! Sometimes giving her handler a hard time, this sweet bitch was in lovely coat. Balanced bitch with correct front & rear angles, short coupled.

3rd Gerritsen Mrs MP LADYHAWKE VD BEERSE HOEVE (NLD)

YEARLING BITCH (11 Entries, 6 Absent)

1st Taylor's PANDREFT KRYSTAL MAGIC – although not in her best coat yet, could not deny her this 1st. Sweetest of heads, strong neck and layback of shoulders, super hind quarters, moved well.

2nd Hughes' AYMSBURY ARIADNE – feminine head with dark pigment, soft expression, super front angulation, deep chest, short coupled and plenty of bone. Nice mover.

3rd Bowden Mrs JJA GILLBRYAN DARE I SAY

MAIDEN BITCH (14 Entries, 8 Absent)

1st Hanrahan HELSORA HEART OF GOLD

2nd Cooke's SUNFERN CHANTILLY LACE AT SEJJOABY – nice bitch with good front angles, in lovely coat, had strong back end which she used on the move.

3rd Foreman's PUTJADE PURLEHEART FOR AMBERSUN

NOVICE BITCH (13 Entries, 5 Absent)

1st Hanrahan HELSORA HEART OF GOLD 2nd Tuck TAMSBROOK TOUCH OF CLASS 3rd Hughes AYMSBURY ARIADNE

UNDERGRADUATE BITCH (7 Entries, 4 Absent)

1st Hush's BENROWAN ESPRIT – this youngster has blossomed into a lovely bitch , standing four square on neat feet, she has a lovely expression, good length of neck and strong hind quarters. Moved at one with handler

2nd Harding's - EVENINGHILL MAD AS A HATTER – lovely feminine head with good pigment, good length of neck, standing on neat feet, this bitch just needs more body which will come with maturity. Happy showgirl, at one with handler.

3rd Sparrow Mr A & Mrs C HONEYMILL SAFFRON ANGEL

GRADUATE BITCH (9 Entries, 4 Absent)

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1st Pett's LADY IN RED DE AMBERSCLAN OF RUMWOOD (IMP FRA) – liked this blonde bitch, super length of neck, and good layback, standing on tight feet, ample bone good bend of stifle on strong hind quarters

2nd Griggs' MULFIELD AMETHYST –slightly lacking in coat, this lovely bitch had such a feminine expression. Very balanced, good front and rear angles, and moves true holding a level topline.

3rd Todd Mrs P TODDROSA ANNIE POWER

POSTGRADUATE BITCH (14 Entries, 4 Absent)

1st Tracey Mrs S DENICOL CHINESE WHISPERS – although a larger frame, this balanced bitch just oozes quality Sweet head with dark pigment, with super reach of neck, well placed shoulders, deep chest, moved so true with well muscled rear end. Considered for RCC

2nd Seamons MESSANO DOUBLE OR QUITS JW – just loved the overall outline of this pretty bitch – good length of neck onto well layed back shoulders. She stood four square on neat feet, deep chest and short coupled. Moved well on strong hind quarters.

3rd Francis Mrs SM MILLTIMBER MOONBEAM OVER VELVENYA

MINOR LIMIT BITCH (17 Entries, 5 Absent)

1st Jackson-Haines' LEIGHSHAM SOCIETY SPICE – this bitch was in lovely mid gold coat, feminine head, super length of neck with sweeping topline, plenty of heartroom, excellent bend of stifle, moved well.

2nd Towers' ALIBREN TIGGY WIGGY JW – another well turned out bitch, looking a picture, correct angles front & rear, level topline, not overdone in any way, nice mover with handler.

3rd Clarke Mrs VB IVELWELL IMPERIAL FIZZ FROM OUSEVALE

LIMIT BITCH (12 Entries, 5 Absent)

1st Wilson's PEARLBARN PINK GIN – this young lady gives her handler a hard time, but she's worth it. A glamourous bitch with such a pretty head & expression. Reachy neck onto well laid shoulders, superb forechest, short coupled with ample bend of stifles – very balanced indeed. Considered for top honours.

2nd Lane-Ridyard KULAWAND FINAL FRONTIER JW - another quality bitch with decent angles front & rear, such well muscled rear end which allows her to move with ease, holding her level topline.

3rd Ball Mrs SM FIVELMS DREAM ALLIANCE

OPEN BITCH (13 Entries, 4 Absent)

1st Hill & Smith's SH CH MEGARVEY ONCE UPON A TIME JW – worthy of her title, this bitch is so at one with handler ! Her attentive expression demands you to look at her – good angles front and rear, always wagging her tail, moves out well.

2nd Gutierrez Ramirez & De Zutter MAYBE FOREVER ONLY TIME [ESP] – beautiful head on this well balanced bitch, & again, at one with handler, slightly longer cast bitch, goods angles front and rear, well muscled and ever wagging tail.

3rd Leonard Mr N & Mrs P SH CH WYNRITA HOT GOSSIP JW

SPECIAL WORKING GUNDOG BITCH (0 Entries, 0 Absent)

SPECIAL OPEN BITCH (3 Entries, 1 Absent)

1st Maynard's DANTASSIE MOONLIGHT DANCER TO CHINNORDALE - feminine bitch with sweet head, good reach of neck onto super layback of shoulder, deep chest, standing four square on neat feet, she moved effortlessly around the ring !

2nd Morss' DESIDERIO PASO DOBLE – loved the head on this bitch, such a soft expression. Good front assembly, with ample bone, neat feet, short coupled, strong hind quarters. Moved well.

3rd Taylor Mr FJ & Mrs PD PANDREFT HARMONY FOR HATTIE

KC GOOD CITIZEN DOG SCHEME BITCH (11 Entries, 6 Absent) 1st Tuck's RICHANA HARVEST GOLD FOR TAMSBROOK JW - mid gold bitch with lovely expression, decent angles, front & rear, her sound movement won her this class. 2nd Ball's FIVELMS DREAM ALLIANCE –this blonde bitch has a soft expression, in lovely blonde coat, decent front angulation, good bend of stifles, at one with handler. 3rd Pett's STORMERICK HIGH HOPES AT RUMWOOD ShCM