Class: "A"

Judge: Sue Howard

WOW !!!!! What a fantastic day..I feel very honoured to be asked to judge at this inaugural event. Very well done to Fran and her wonderful team for organising this day. All the work and stress over the last 20 months was well worth it.

Huge thanks go to Andrea Bolden, my ring steward and carer !!, Babs Sharp my table steward, Kate Claxton and Marney Wells my minders !! All very efficient and good company.

I loved the presentations at the end, all the competitors from each class came into the ring and the rosettes were given in reverse order with lots of cheering which kept the electric atmosphere going to the end. Each ring party was given an engraved glass and tuggy as a memento. The line-up were all given goodies bags from "Fish4dogs" who were the sponsors of this class.

The standard was high as one would expect at "Championship" level. Congratulations to everyone who qualified and hope you enjoyed yourselves as much as I did.

1st Sarah Delaney with Vanistica Twelth night. BSD. Lovely dog and very well handled. Well done.

2nd Laurel Keeley with Amberslade Commanche ASD. You were very surprised with your place but you deserved it. Well done.

3rd Sarah Delaney with Tazeos Diablo. BC . 2 dogs in the line-up, I think you went home on Cloud 9.

4th Mrs P Wynn with Trajan Datas Bertie. X breed.

5th Susan Amos with Stillrockin Angel Eyes WS. Beautiful handling.

6th Janice Morse with Cories Claret. BC.

7th Loryn Oliver with Barroway Spotchecka. WS

8th Stephanie Woollam with Saartjie Wagtail. WS

9th Joanna Mayston with Mists of Tawny . WS

10th Gill Garraway with Bailstails Bindi. BC.

I really enjoyed my day, tiring tho' it was. Thank you again to all concerned in the organising of this event and I hope it continues to be a success in the future.