Southern Afghan Hound Club, Open show Hickstead Showground 01/09/2024

Judge: Charles Teggart (CHARJAGHAN)

Breed: Afghan Hound

Class 1 Baby Puppy Dog 0 Entries

Class 2 Minor Puppy Dog 0 Entries

Class 3 Puppy Dog 1 Entry 1 absentee

Class 4 Veteran Dog 3 Entries 2 absentees

1st Seamarks & Nemoto: SAYADENA NORTHERN LIGHTS (IMP BEL), cream dog, balanced head, powerful jaws, good length of fore-face, correct bite. Good front assembly. Well boned and ribbed, good loin, prominent pin bones. Good fall away and ring tail. Coat in excellent condition. BVD

Class 5 Junior Dog 0 Entries

Class 6 Yearling Dog 1 Entry 1 absentee

Class 7 Graduate Dog 0 Entries

Class 8 Post Graduate Dog 0 Entries

Class 9 Limit Dog 3 Entries 1 Absent

1st Miss M Hills & Mrs B Thornton, ABSOLUTE AFGHANS DJIBOUTI AT KARNAK JW, (IMP NOR) 3 Yr old Dog, Balanced head, Beautiful oriental expression, scissor bite, well laid shoulder good return of upper arm. Good depth chest, well ribbed, strong short loin, nicely angled rear, good croup, ring tail, good reach and drive on the move maintaining top line, proud head carriage. RBD,

2nd Mrs D Peek- Matar, YANSUKHIM'S SHERBET FIZZ Good length foreface, punishing jaws, good reach of neck, good coat condition, nice fall away prominent pin bones. preferred the muscle tone of no 1.

Class 10 Open Dog 2 Entries

1ST Ms T & Mrs J Gosling, CH AYOUBKAN SILK ROAD JW, 3 yr old cream dog Good Expression, punishing jaws, good bite, good depth chest, well ribbed, strong short loin. Matching angles front and rear, well-muscled and good ground coverage on the move, maintaining good topline. prominent pin bones and ring tail. BD RBIS

2nd Mrs A Boydell : NIGHTWIND YOU CANT STOP THE BEAT JW 7 yr old dog, Balanced head, good scissor bite, punishing jaws, Balanced when stood, Good croup, and ring tail, lacked the reach and drive of no 1 on the day.

Class 11 Baby Puppy Bitch 1 Entry

1st M.A Fairburn & S Della Rocca, WAY UP BOMBAY SAPHIRE (IMP ITA) TAF, Exuberant 5 mth old Brindle bitch, Great scissor bite, good expression, well boned, good pigmentation, stood square, balanced on the move. Promising youngster.

Class 12 Minor Puppy Bitch 0 Entries

Class 13 Puppy Bitch 0 Entries

Class 14 Veteran Bitch 2 Entries

1st Ms V & Mrs C Gunn & Cannon, INT/LUX CH AMAL SALANG HEY I'M THE STAR AT ZUSHKHAN (IMP) Black 9 ½ yr old feminine bitch, balanced head, nice length foreface good pigmentation, scissor bite, good length of neck, well laid shoulder, well ribbed and strong short loin, good croup, well angled rear balanced on the move. BVB & BVIS.

2ND Mrs R Adams GEZENCOL GOOD AS GOLD, 12 ½ gold bitch, Great oriental expression, coat in excellent condition, lacked the pace of no 1 on the move.

Class 15 Junior Bitch, 1 Entries 1 Absentee

1st Mrs A Lorenzo Rivers, PRESTIGIOUS HOW WILL I KNOW, 17 mth old brindle feminine bitch, good bite. Balanced head, Deep chest, strong short loin, well angled rear. Springy gait on the move.

Class 16 Yearling Bitch 2 Entries 2 Absentees

Class 17 Graduate Bitch 2 Entries 1 Absent

1st Ms K Hurst, AYOUBKHAN SNOW CLOUD Feminine bitch, correct bite, good length of neck, well laid shoulder, ring tail, strong short loin, prominent pin bones, was balanced on the move.

Class 16 post Graduate Bitch 2 Entries

1st Mrs J Turner & Mrs Z Hutton NIGHTWIND YOU'RE MY KIND OF CRAZY (IMP GER), 7 year old bitch, beautiful feminine head, dark pigmentation, powerful jaw with scissor bite, good length of neck, well laid shoulder, good front assembly, deep chest, well ribbed, good length of back, broad short loin, good fall away. Well angled rear quarters with good bend of stifle, good reach in front, beautiful head carriage .

2nd Mrs A R Allan, AYOUBKHAN MAGNOLIA AT KABELLA, Feminine bitch, correct bite, good length of neck, well laid shoulder. Good length croup, well set ring tail, was balanced on move. Took longer to settle than no 1.

Class 17 Limit Bitch 2 Entries

1st Ms V & Mrs C Gunn & Cannon, KARAGEZ KARTINA MASLOM AT ZUSHKHAN (IMP), 3 year-old bitch, great expression, good front assembly, Style of high order on the move, Deep chest, well ribbed, good strong loin, croup and tail set. Well angled rear quarters, great drive on the move.

2nd Mr R & Mrs J Parsons , AYOUBKHAN HONEYSUCKLE TO SHUKRIYA JW, well -muscled feminine bitch, was a bit unsettled on the day.

Class 18 Open Bitch 3 Entries 1 Absent

1st Mr I & Mrs M Fisher, SHIMALMA CAMPARI GOES TO IFMARAF, beautifully presented, oriental expression with that faraway look, good punishing jaws, good depth of chest and well sprung ribs, nice strong short loin, good fall away. Good rear angulation. Maintaining good top line on the move, with proud head carriage. BB BIS.

2nd Mrs M Fairburn & Mrs P Roberts of equal quality of no 1 Good expression, correct bite, well laid shoulder, good reach of neck, well angled rear, prominent pin bones. Preferred no 1 on the move. RBB.