

NORFOLK TERRIER CLUB OF GREAT BRITAIN

SPRING OPEN SHOW

at the Bugbrooke Sports & Community Centre,
Bugbrooke, Northants NN7 3RW
on Saturday 16th April 2016
JUDGE: MR TIM BALL

BEST IN SHOW & BEST BITCH: BLAKENS TOOTIE FRUITIE
RESERVE BIS & R BB: WATERCROFT PICK OF THE POPS
BEST DOG: BELLEVILLE SLIPSTREAM
RESERVE BEST DOG: BLAKENS I LOOK TO YOU
BEST PUPPY & BDP WATERCROFT CHILLI PEPPER
BEST BITCH PUPPY BRICKIN DEVOTION
BEST VETERAN CH HOBSONS CHOICE AT MOORTOP

The Norfolk Terrier Club of GB Spring Show took place following the Judges Sub-committee meeting and the AGM at the Bugbrooke Sports and Community Centre in Northamptonshire.

There were 17 dogs entered with four absentees, and 41 bitches printed in the catalogue, but depleted by 15 absent, but it was good to see several new puppies entering for the first time. The catering was excellent and kept everyone happily supplied throughout the day, and the prize winning stand run by **Gina and Dorothy Dorkins** had plenty of customers.

Mr Tim Ball judged the breed. Although his main breed is Shar Peis, he has taken an interest in the breed, and passed at one of our breed judging seminars with flying colours. His choice for Best of Breed was Jackie Phillips' young bitch **BLAKENS TOOTIE FRUITIE**, her breeding must have given Jackie great pleasure, as she is the result of two of her recent champions which she bred, by **Ch Blakens Xpress Yourself** out of **Ch Sugar Candy Kisses**. Reserve

Best In Show was Ruth Gee's **WATERCROFT PICK OF THE POPS** from the bitch Undergraduate Class, she is by **Ch Blakens Pay Back** out of her **Ch Watercroft Top Of The Pops**; she is also a litter sister of Watercroft Pop Picker who was 2nd in the top puppy list last year.

Best Dog was Cathy Thompson-Morgan's red **BELLEVILLE SLIPSTREAM**; he is still a junior, and another who has two champions for parents, being by **Ch Belleville Seduction** out of **Ch Belleville Silk Slippers**. Reserve Best Dog was Mary Atkinson's black & tan **BLAKENS I LOOK TO YOU**, bred and shown today by Jackie Phillips, he is by **Ch Moortop No Choice** out of Vision Express at Blakens, and is a full younger brother of **Ch Blakens Xpress Yourself**.

Although there were only five male puppies here today, the Best Puppy overall came from these, Ruth Gee's **WATERCROFT CHILLI PEPPER**, sired by **Ch Kinsridge Top Gun** out of Watercroft Hot Spice. Amongst the bitches, Minor Puppy Bitch drew seven entries and Puppy Bitch class had nine, including BPB Jill Stevenson's **BRICKIN DEVOTION**, whose sire is her vintage **Ch Brickin Held To Ransom** out of Brickin Away We Go.

Mary Atkinson's grand veteran **CH HOBSONS CHOICE AT MOORTOP** was once again Best Veteran. She was born on 22nd October 2003, so over 12 years old. Bred by Mrs Ferrand she is by Jaeva Duty Free out of Didjim Flycatcher.