

Huge thank you to the society for the invitation to judge, on the whole I really think the breed is going the right way, just need to watch for mouths and loose toplines on the move, but with correct exercise these can be tightened up.

**Baby puppy dog** - 2 1. Mr M Veal's Philoma Houdini I can't wait to see this dog grow up and watch his progress. A lovely eye catching male with everything exactly where it should be just in a raw form, will watch with interest! 2. MS N Rawsthorne - Witcher Blade Another smart baby but needs a lot more time to mature, coat starting to come through.

**Junior dog** - 1 1. Ms G Willetts - Philoma The Professional A smart male, you can clearly see his angles are exactly how they should be with a beautiful front and so nice to go over, groomed and handled well. Being fussy I'd prefer more reach and drive that being said he was true in all directions, very well conditioned and firm topline. Secured best of breed by being more settled on the move. Best dog and BOB.

**Limit dog** - 1 1. Ms C Every - Philoma Sleight Of Hand I believe this to be the litter sibling to my best of breed winner and the attributes are very similar, slightly longer in loin and didn't really handle the small ring well enough to really move out and settle. I really look forward to seeing him in time fully mature as I think he will be topping the males.

**Open dog** - 1 1. Mr M Mrs J & Miss H Houchin - Philoma Simon Templar at Barnsdale A really pleasing dog to go over, turned out to perfection and handled beautifully. A really nice head and dark eye, correct bite. Ok front angles and a lovely rear, needed a much bigger ring to really be able to stride out as you could see he could in glimpses.

**Champion** - 1 1. E Descere. K Desceras & S Pearce - CH Stable masters Twist (Imp FIN) A very picturesque shape with everything where it needs to be, I'd love to see a little more body on him to make him the finished article however he has enough. Moved really well considering the ring again another one you can see has more to give

**Graduate bitch** - 1 1. Mesdames K & E Partner - Draxpark Crowning Glory I saw this girl as a puppy and I truly can't believe how much she's come on, a testament to her owners hard work and dedication! She's got everything in the right place, still needs time to be the full finished package.

**Limit bitch** - 1 1. Mrs J George & V Reeves - Adreana Tribute to Dasval I really like this bitch for type, she oozes Giant Schnauzer, her angles are all correct and a nice head. However she lacks condition for a mature working dog. She ended up reserve best bitch; she in my opinion will be taking top honours once she's muscled up

**Champion Bitch** - 3 1. Mesdames O & J Ellis - CH Philoma Wicked JW I loved this girl, still young and so much more to offer, she has the prettiest feminine head with a correct bite. Angles are all good moved really true, turned out beautifully again one that needed a much bigger ring and when it came to best of breed lost out on steadiness around the ring 2. Mr M Veal - CH Philoma American in Paris a very similar stamp to the winner of this class just a little finer throughout. Moved well covering the ground with ease. Very feminine and turned out beautifully 3. Mr C & Mrs J Clay - CH Philoma Lucia .

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