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## **Editorial**

As the Newsletter editor, Chair of the committee of the PSD Club of GB and also a founder member of the club, I make no apologies whatsoever in concentrating this Newsletter on our 25th Anniversary Celebration weekend. A great deal of time, energy and perspiration went into the planning of the event. Sometimes we wondered if it would all come together. As with all events of this nature there are bound to be some hiccoughs but on the day (sorry both days) it did all come together.

This was a first on a number of different fronts. The first KC registered agility show for the club. This was the first time we had an event spanning a whole weekend. We were able to combine it with the Club Open Breed Show our third held under KC regulations and our first held totally under our own steam. We had the largest number of Pyrenean Sheepdogs ever entered in a breed show in the UK. Something of which we are very proud. Another first was a club show for Face Rase dogs together with a masterclass run by Norbert Gainche on the Face Rase. At the same time we were able to run a number of "Fun" events along side the two main events. Hopefully ensuring that there was something for everyone.

We were able to call upon the expertise of a number of committee members who have had experiences of this nature in the past.

The whole event was geared to giving something back to the membership and those who had supported the club over time.

Twenty five years is a long time and we have seen many changes during that time. However the weekend of 5th and 6th August was a culmination of everything that has happened in the past.

I want to take this opportunity to say:-

THANK YOU to all those who were involved in organising the weekend.

THANK YOU to all those who provided the equipment, the tents and their expertise.

THANK YOU to all those who were involved in setting up, preparing food, selling raffle tickets and merchandise, giving their time, giving raffle prizes, taking photographs and running events.

THANK YOU TO OUR JUDGES.

THANK YOU to our competitors.

THANK YOU to all those who travelled long distances to be there.

Above all THANK YOU to everyone who attended and made it such a memorable celebration

## **Bits and Pieces from the Secretary**

### **Discover Dogs**

Discover Dogs will be held at **ExCel** on **21st** and **22nd October**. As usual, we are looking for members to help us man the breed booth. All expenses will be covered. Hopefully, we will have enough volunteers to man the booth both days.

### **Agility Day**

There will be no Agility Day this year as we had our first KC Licensed Limited Agility show at the 25th Anniversary Celebrations. There will be an Agility Day next year so keep an eye open for details.

### **AGM 2018**

The AGM 2018 will be held on Sunday 11th February at 11.00 at Swannington Village Hall, Leics. Full details will be in the next Newsletter.

## *Latest News from Lily.*



Hi just a few lines to let you all know what I have been up to lately. At the beginning of June I spent two weeks with my friends Sue and Geoff who live near the coast in Norfolk whilst Carla and Klaus went to France for two weeks holiday. I love staying with Sue and Geoff as they take me for long walks on the beach, and Sandringham. We all go to Norfolk two or three times a year so I was very happy there on my own. This time I stayed there the weather became very hot and sunny so Sue thought it would be good to take our morning walk very early when it was much cooler, I am not an early riser and so I do not go for my morning walk until around 10 am. I didn't mind the early start though because I love going to the beach and as the tide had just come in it revealed lots of new items to explore, my favourite being dead fish and dead birds which I love to roll about on. Of course I like to choose the smelliest ones on the beach which have the most impact on keeping my space in the car smelling perfect. At this early hour I found a different set of people and dogs walking along and so I made quite a lot of new friends. Most of the dogs are allowed off their

leads and so we played together and I was able to show off my "Rolling on dead things" technique. Walking in Sandringham was great and because it was hot we were able to walk in the woods which were cooler and again I met new friends to play with. The area around the cafe has water bowls for us and also sometimes I can manage to find cake which has been left under the tables and I make short work of clearing this up.

Sue and Geoff took me to a car boot sale on Sunday mornings so that was a very early start again for me. Geoff was looking for old tools and machinery and Sue told me she wanted to buy vegetables as they were so fresh and had a proper taste to them. Again another exciting day for me as I love veggies, carrots, broccoli (and stalks) are my favourites I have tried others but they are the best for me. As we were leaving I noticed a lady who was selling homemade dog treats so I made a dash for her stall. Sue came running over and told me not to jump up. I'm glad I noticed this before leaving because Sue, who doesn't give in to me too much in the way of treats as Carla does, bought a bag for me to take home.

One day I was taken out to meet Sue's friend Rita and her dog Sophie. I have met Sophie before; she is a very well behaved twelve year old Dachshund. We all went to the garden centre and looked around at the plants. Afterwards Sue and Rita had a meal and Sophie and I sat under the table quietly until they had finished.

When Carla and Klaus came to collect me Sue told them how well I had behaved and also about how well behaved I was while they had their meal, and I thought I heard Klaus say to Carla that he might have to ask Sue if she would like to look after me more often.

Last weekend we were off to spend Saturday and Sunday at the twenty fifth anniversary

celebrations of the Pyrenean Sheepdog Club of GB. We enjoyed two smashing days despite the rain on the Saturday. Carla entered me for the fastest recall; search square, obedience, and behaviour/sociability tests. I received a certificate of Achievement which Carla has put up on the wall in our kitchen.

Well that's all from me for now, Lily.

## ***PYRENEAN SHEEPDOG CLUB OF GREAT BRITAIN 25th ANNIVERSARY.***



On a dry Saturday morning we set off for the biggest event our club has ever put on in its 25 years of existence. We arrived and were greeted by a smart slim Carl Stretton who was on car park duties. Being the first to arrive we had the field to ourselves to pick a spot, and once unpacked we walked into the next field that was holding the activities, and wow what a professional set up greeted our eyes.



Tents, motor homes and vans, around the edge of the field, all neat some with bunting and lights to celebrate the occasion. Walking to the greeting tent we were met by Liz and other members of the committee, offered tea and coffee and given a goody bag by Kim that was full of useful doggie items, a nice start to a fantastic day ahead of us. The main show ring and other activities were all cordoned off, and labelled, all very professional looking, and the smell of bacon also greeted us so it was time to settle down and leave our chairs and belongings for the day. Looking around we spotted in the top right corner of the field our Belgium friends setting up what was known later as the Belgium Pub. It was great to meet up and talk doggie things and drink beer and have a general catch up with what we all have been doing.

As the morning went on judge Norbert Gainche who is an international judge, and breeder of Pyrenean sheepdogs arrived. With bacon cobs eaten and more people settling in Chris Lewis introduced Norbert and outlined the days activities. Lots of dogs were entered in the showing which was interrupted by thunder, lightning and rain.



Carl's protective dome came in handy allowing the show to go on as the rain and thunder came and went twice to eventually give us a bright sunny mid afternoon and evening, allowing some of us to dry off who were not

totally protected, (Carla and myself for one)



After the showing and presentations which was the biggest event for Saturday there was lots of fun things for dogs and owners to do like obedience, fastest recall, search the search square and lots more. All received marks which were added up and the highest marks received certificates of achievement, after a full day of great fun (and beer) Chris Lewis brought out a large iced cake to celebrate the occasion with champagne for us all to toast the 25 anniversary of this fantastic club and a very nice cake it was a big thank you to whoever baked and iced it. In the air there was the smell of the barbecues warming up for the evening feast. We didn't stay for the barbecue so said cheers to our friends to be back the next day. Sunday and beautiful sun we arrived again to be met by Vicky on parking duties, today was agility day and what a fantastic course met our eyes set up by Carl, family and committee members. Again we started the day with a bacon cob supplied by Sarah and family and then to sit down at the Belgium Pub. Judging the agility day was Joy

Brough, an experienced agility judge. This was another very busy day with lots of dogs participating, rosettes being given to the winners of each class. The weather was kind to us, warm and sunny, and after the serious agility had finished novices were encouraged to have a go. There were also many other activities going on similar to Saturdays, a real fun packed day which Carla, Lily and myself thoroughly enjoyed, At the end of the day we said our good byes to all our friends and look forward to another club event,

We would like to say a Big Thank you to the committee and their families for putting on and helping make what was a fantastic anniversary weekend. Thank you all.

Klaus, Carla and Lily

### News from the Kennel Club

#### Breed Records Supplement

##### Transfer of Ownership

*Rambauds Chere Money Penny* from Mrs M Weston to Miss T Chassagne-Dobre & Mr C C A Demilly

*Remmiwoods Moaning Myrtle* from Mrs M Griffiths to Mrs S M Taylor

*Sandytrail Cœur de Lion* from Mr E & Mrs S Flint to Mrs J M Jessop

*Sandytrail Tentatrice* from Mr E & Mrs S Flint to Miss L Osbourne

##### Stud Book Entry

*Merrywood Essien*



Pile of Goody Bags awaiting collection



# PYRENEAN SHEEPDOG CLUB OF GB

Open show 5th August 2017

Judge : Norbert Gainache

**Best in Show** Mr & Mrs E & S Flint – Gastibleza de l'Oustaou de Padel (Imp)

**Res Best in Show** Mrs S Chomant – Ibarolle de la Pastorale D'Auteyrac

**Best Dog** Mr & Mrs E & S Flint – Gastibleza de l'Oustaou de Padel (Imp)

**Res Best Dog** Mr & Mrs C & P Such – Norlyght Biassono

**Best Bitch** Mrs S Chomant – Ibarolle de la Pastorale d'Auteyrac

**Res Best Bitch** Mr & Mrs E & S Flint – Sandytrail Ensorcele

**Best Puppy in Show** Mr & Mrs E & S Flint – Sandytrail Sorceror

**Res Best Puppy in Show** Mrs & Miss R & K Robson – Sandytrail Scherherazade Meslabrit

**Best Junior in show** Miss J Gemmill – Remmiwoods Hip Pip Horray

**Best Post Graduate** Mrs P Varnes – Larrau de la Mesta Pastores (Imp)

**Best Veteran in Show** - Mr & Mrs E & V Van Pelt & Vlerick – Bel CH Foli du Pic de Pioulou

Class 1 Minor Puppy Dog (1)

1 – Mr & Mrs E & S Flint - Sandytrail Coeur de Lion

Class 2 Puppy Dog (1)

1 – Mr & Mrs E & S Flint – Sandytrail Sorceror

Class 3 Junior Dog (0)

Class 4 Special Yearling Dog (2)

1 – Mr J Pattison – Kimrand Master Bertie.

2 – Miss J Gemmill – Remmiwoods Hip Pip Horray

Class 5 Post Graduate Dog (2)

1 – Miss J Gemmill – Bon sooty de la Bella Folie (Imp)

2 – Mrs P Varnes – Larrau de la Mesta Pastores (Imp)

Class 6 Limit Dog (1)

1 – Mrs E Lewis – Geordi de l'Oustaou de Padel (Imp)

Class 7 Open Dog (3)

1 – Mr & Mrs E & S Flint – Gastibleza de l'Oustaou de Padel (Imp)

2 – Mr & Mrs C & P Such – Norlyght Biassono

3 – Mrs S Chomant – Fidjii de l'Oustaou de Padel

Class 8 Veteran Dog (1)

1 – Mr & Mrs E & V Van Pelt & Vlerick – Bel CH Foli du Pic de Pioulou

Class 9 Good Citizen Dog (4)

1 – Mrs E Lewis – Geordi de l'Oustaou de Padel (Imp)

2 - Mrs P Varnes – Larrau de la Mesta Pastores (Imp)

3 - Miss J Gemmill – Remmiwoods Hip Pip Horray

4 - Miss J Gemmill – Bon Sooty de la Bella Folie (Imp)

Class 10 Stud Dog (4) 2 Abs

1 - Mr & Mrs E & S Flint – Gastibleza de l'Oustaou de Padel (Imp)

2 - Miss J Gemmill – Bon Sooty de la Bella Folie (Imp)

Class 11 Minor Puppy Bitch (2)

1 – Mrs & Miss R & K Robson – Sandytrail Scherherazade Meslabrit

2 – Mr & Mrs E & S Flint – Sandytrail Magie Noire

Class 12 Puppy Bitch (0)

Class 13 Junior Bitch (1)

1 – Mr P Keable – Sawara Echo Beach

Class 14 Special Yearling (1)

1 – Mr & Miss F & J Randall – Kimrand Miss Pepper

Class 15 Post Graduate Bitch (6) 2 Abs

1 – Mrs P Buchanan-Hislop – Sandytrail Solitaire avec Ciopar

2 – Mrs P Keable – Sawara Double Trouble

3 – Mrs M Underwood – Sandytrail Superbe Choix

4 – Nr & Mrs J & E Slack – Sandytrail Dona Sabine

Class 16 Limit Bitch (4) 1 Abs

1 – Mr & Miss F & K Randall – Kimrand Pixie Belle

2 – Mrs P Keable – Rambauds Xonville

3 – Ms, Mr & Mrs C C & P Batt & Such – Norlyght Satu Juta

Class 17 Open Bitch (4)

- 1 – Mrs S Chomant – Ibarolle de la Pastorale d’Auteyrac
- 2 – Mr & Mrs E & S Flint – Sandytrail Ensorcele
- 3 - Mr & Mrs E & V Van Pelt & Vlerick – Bel CH Jolie-Joyeuse de l’Oustaou de Padel
- 4 – Mrs M Vercourtere – Lorelei du Pic de Pioulou

Class 18 Veteran Bitch (5) 3 Abs

- 1 – Mrs S Hawkswell – Rozimba Cassia
- 2 – Mr J Pattison – Ivydale Avril

Class 19 – Good Citizen Bitch (1)

- 1 – Mrs M Abbott – Ivydale Marguerite

Class 20 – Brood Bitch (2) 1 Abs

- 1 – Mr & Mrs E & S Flint – Sandtrail Ensorcele

Class 21 Special Veteran Dog or Bitch (2)

- 1 - Mr & Mrs E & V Van Pelt & Vlerick – Bel CH Foli du Pic de Pioulou
- 2 – Miss J Gemmill – Parbrook Yaron

Class 22 – Brace (4) 2 Abs

- 1 - Mr & Mrs E & V Van Pelt & Vlerick
- 2 – Mr & Mrs E & S Flint

Class 23 – Special Working Class Dog or Bitch (9) 2 Abs

- 1 - Mrs P Varnes – Larrau de la Mesta Pastores (Imp)
- 2 - Mrs S Hawkswell – Rozimba Cassia
- 3 - Mrs P Buchanan-Hislop – Sandytrail Solitaire avec Ciopar
- 4 - Mrs P Keable – Rambauds Xonville
- 5 - Miss J Gemmill – Parbrook Yaron



OPEN SHOW IN THE SUN



OPEN SHOW IN THE RAIN



BEST IN SHOW  
GASTIBELZA DE L'OUSTAOU DE PADEL

RESERVE BEST IN SHOW  
IBAROLLE DE LA PASTORALE D'AUTEYRAC



Best Puppy in Show  
Sandytrail Sorceror  
Eion & Shane Flint



Best Junior in Show  
Remmiwoods Hip Pip Hooray  
Jenny Gemmill



Best Bitch in Show  
Ibarolle de la Pastorale d' Auteyrac  
Severine Chomant



**BEST IN SHOW**  
Gastibelza de l'Oustaou de Padel  
Shane & Eion Flint

*Presentation  
of  
Trophies  
by  
Norbert Gainche*



Best Dog in Show  
Gastibelza de l'Oustaou de Padel  
Shane and Eion Flint



Best Veteran In Show  
Bel Ch. Foli du Pic de Pioulou  
Eddie Van Pelt & Veerle Vlerick



Best Special Working Dog  
Larrau de la Mesta Pastores  
Penny Varnes

## PYRENEAN SHEEPDOG CLUB KC LIMITED AGILITY SHOW

As part of the club's 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration Weekend we put on the club first ever Kennel Club Licensed Agility Show.

With 7 classes just for Pyrenean Sheepdogs and 2 open to other breeds we attracted a really good entry – over 100 runs from 35 dogs including 23 Pyrenean Sheepdogs with a good mix of long-haired and Face Rase dogs. Our handlers varied enormously in experience we had competitors who compete at Championship level with international experience to people entering their first ever agility show. Everyone had one thing in common they all had great fun running their dogs.

Our judge was Mrs Joy Brough – Joy has extensive agility experience as competitor, judge and trainer and is also owned by a Pyrenean Sheepdog so she knows the trials and tribulations of competing with them. Joy set some fantastic courses – cleverly designed so that she could quickly increase the difficulty level for higher grade dogs without needing to move too much equipment.

I enjoyed watching all the dogs run but my favourite classes were definitely the Grade 1-3 Agility – a lovely flowing course and it was great to see some fabulous starter combinations make really good attempts at the courses but also I loved watching the pairs competition –it made some handlers turn very competitive trying to save fractions of a second at the baton change.

Best of all we have a glorious few hours of watching dogs and handlers show off their skills and have fun together. We definitely need to do this again.

Congratulations to all the prize winners – especially Jenni and Sooty our Best in Show and many thanks to Joy, our judge and all those who helped with timekeeping, scribing, scoring, booking in and ring party.

Sara Hawkswell

### OVERALL WINNERS

<b>Best Grade One Pyrenean Sheepdog</b>	Norylight Tiga Sembilan
<b>Best Grade Two Pyrenean Sheepdog</b>	Ivydale Marguarite
<b>Best Grade Three Pyrenean Sheepdog</b>	Larrau De La Mest Pastores
<b>Best Grade Four Pyrenean Sheepdog</b>	Sawara Dreamer
<b>Best Grade Six Pyrenean Sheepdog</b>	Tottakai Voin olla Valopilkku
<b>Best Grade Seven Pyrenean Sheepdog</b>	Bon Sooty De La Belle Folie
<b>Best Pyrenean Sheepdog in Show</b>	Bon Sooty De La Belle Folie

**Pyrenean Sheepdog Club of Great Britain**  
**First Limited Agility Show**  
**Sunday August 6th 2017**

**Results**

<b>1</b>	<b>Pyrenean Sheepdog Agility Grades 1-3 Combined (Special)</b>
1 <sup>st</sup>	Jester of Nobel's Kingdom at Cavonscourt handled by Pauline McGeoch
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Larrau De La Mest Pastores handled by Penny Varnes
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Norylight Tiga Sembilan handled by Julie Farrar

<b>2</b>	<b>Pyrenean Sheepdog Agility Grades 4-5 Combined (Special)</b>
1 <sup>st</sup>	Sawara Dreamer handled by Margaret Challans
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Norylight Paul Richard handled by Collette Smith

<b>3</b>	<b>Pyrenean Sheepdog Agility Grades 6-7 Combined (Special)</b>
1 <sup>st</sup>	Ginny de la Patonniere handled by Adam Stretton
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Bon Sooty De La Belle Folie handled by Jenni Gemmill
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Tottakai Voin olla Valopilkku handled by Carl Stretton

<b>5</b>	<b>Pyrenean Sheepdog Jumping Grades 1-3 Combined (Special)</b>
1 <sup>st</sup>	Larrau De La Mest Pastores handled by Penny Varnes
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Geordi de l'Oustaou de Padel handled by Liz Lewis
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Ivydale Marguarite handled by Mary Abbot

<b>6</b>	<b>Pyrenean Sheepdog Jumping Grades 4-5 Combined (Special)</b>
1 <sup>st</sup>	Sawara Dreamer handled by Margaret Challans

2 <sup>nd</sup>	Norylight Paul Richard handled by Collette Smith
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<b>7</b>	<b>Pyrenean Sheepdog Jumping Grades 6-7 Combined (Special)</b>
1 <sup>st</sup>	Ginny de la Patonniere handled by Adam Stretton
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Parbrokk Yaron handled by Jenni Gemmill
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Tottakai Voin olla Valopilkku handled by Carl Stretton

<b>9</b>	<b>Lucky Dip Pyrenean Sheepdog Pairs Jumping Grades 1-7 Combined (Special)</b>
1 <sup>st</sup>	Parbrokk Yaron handled by Jenni Gemmill and Geordi de l'Oustaou de Padel handled by Liz Lewis
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Bon Sooty De La Belle Folie handled by Jenni Gemmill and Sawara Dreamer handled by Margaret Challans
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Ginny de la Patonniere handled by Adam Stretton and Bon Sooty De La Belle Folie handled by Teresa Stretton

<b>4</b>	<b>Open Agility Grades 1-7 Combined (Special)</b>
1 <sup>st</sup>	Bon Sooty De La Belle Folie (Pyrenean Sheepdog) handled by Jenni Gemmill
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Batfink Blazing Bright (Crossbreed) handled by Anne Coogan
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Kilnhurst Kaptan Scarlet (Working Sheepdog) handled by Teresa Stretton
4 <sup>th</sup>	Blazing Bright Hadar (Border Terrier) handled by Anne Coogan
5 <sup>th</sup>	Alban Lucyvon Snukin handled by Catherine Mullen

<b>8</b>	<b>Open Steeplechase Grades 1-7 Combined (Special)</b>
1 <sup>st</sup>	Bon Sooty De La Belle Folie (Pyrenean Sheepdog) handled by Jenni Gemmill
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Parbrokk Yaron (Pyrenean Sheepdog) handled by Jenni Gemmill
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Stardell Virgo (Border Collie) handled by Carol Tyler
4 <sup>th</sup>	Blazing Bright Hadar (Border Terrier) handled by Anne Coogan
5 <sup>th</sup>	Ozzones Witchy Woman (Tibetan Terrier) handled by Collette Smith



*Agility Winners*



Best Grade 3  
Larrou de la Mest Pastores  
Penny Varnes



Best Grade 6  
Tottakai Yoin olla Valopilkku  
Carl Stretton



BEST IN SHOW  
BON SOOTY DE LA BELLE FOLIE  
JENNY GEMMILL



Best Grade 4  
Sawara Dreamer  
Margaret Challans



Best Grade 7  
Bon Sooty de la Belle Folie  
Jenny Gemmill



Grade 6-7 Combined Special  
Winner Ginny de la Patonniere  
Adam Stretton



Best Grade 1  
Norlyght Tiga Sembian  
Julie Farrar



Best Grade 2  
Ivydale Marguarite  
MaryAbbot



Winners Lucky Dip Pairs  
Parbrook Yaron Jenni Gemmill  
Geordi de l'Oustaou de Padel  
Liz Lewis

## Dog of the Day Competition

A very simple challenge open to all Pyrenean Sheepdogs - each day dogs scored points in a variety of activities, the dog with the most points was the dog of the day. It was no good excelling at one thing - to stand any chance you had to be able to be an all rounder.

Points were available in the Breed Show, Face Race Show, Agility Show, Obedience Test, Search Square Challenge, Behaviour and Sociability Test and Fastest Recall race (otherwise known as the 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary 25m dash). The Breed Show and Face Race Show points were there for the taking on Saturday while on Sunday lots of points could be won in the Agility Show.

Each day dogs had to take part in at least two activities to be eligible to compete - but obviously the more you did the greater chance of collecting points. The Obedience and Behaviour Tests graded all dogs from Fair to Excellent – just one point for a Fair and 8 points for an excellent. In the search square and Fastest Recall dogs were judged against

their peers with the Fastest dogs winning 8 points, 2<sup>nd</sup> place 7 points and so on.

Winners in individual classes in the Breed Show, Face Race Show and Agility Show all won 5 points with other places getting lower points respectively. More points were on offer for winners of other awards such as Best Puppy, Best Bitch and winners of Agility Grades.

Lots of dogs took part and it was great to see people trying new activities with their dogs and often surprising themselves with how well they did. On Saturday over 20 dogs competed for Dog of the Day!

Our winners were:

Saturday: Penny Varnes and Ludo

Sunday: Julie Farrar and Scrumpy

Special mention must go to Jeannie Gwilliam and Kheva who were runners up on both days.

As a bonus prize we then had a Celebration Dog – the dog who had accrued most points over the weekend which went to Julie and Scrumpy.



*Penny Varnes*



*Julie Farrar and Scrumpy*

## 25TH ANNIVERSARY WEEKEND

We arrived at Victoria Farm about 9.30 on the Saturday, we managed to get into our room straight away so dropped off our stuff and went to find where the activities were going on....though our main aim at this point was to find the bacon roll that we had ordered for breakfast, as we were starving..

We found the main tent and were handed a bag with some goodies in and our tickets for food, both breakfast and lunch.

Once we had eaten our rolls and had a cup of coffee, we set up our chairs around the ring to watch the Breed Show. The sun was shining and then the clouds started rolling in and yes it rained.

We took shelter in the tents and luckily it wasn't long before we could emerge and start watching the show again...but, the dark clouds rolled in again and yes once again we had to head for the tents as the heavens opened along with thunder and lightning.

We all chatted away in the tents until the rain subsided and we could emerge once again. This time it stayed dry and we could get on with the show and the other activities that were being put on.

The activities included obedience, scent work, sociability test, fastest recall and a novelty dog show.

Scrumpy did well in all the activities though he wasn't one of the fastest in the recall but he did win the most handsome dog in the novelty dog show.

There had been a lovely cake made for the weekend which tasted as good as it looked and champagne to celebrate the 25th Anniversary of the Pyrenean Sheepdog Club of GB

Due to the rain it put things behind so the planned walk and Obedience Display had to be cancelled as time was getting on and there was a BBQ to be sorted out.

We popped back to our room to feed Scrumpy and by the time we got back, the food had just about been cooked (good timing) so we got our plates and sat down with a glass of wine and beer for John and tried to do the quiz that had been set.

All too soon the light started to fade and we had to start clearing up and make our way back to our respective places for the night.

Sunday, thankfully, was a dry day.

We had entered the agility show for beginners and I was most thrilled when he got 3rd place, he's not one of the fastest dogs but we went clear and managed to get placed, fantastic.

The same activities took place again on the Sunday and he did well again in them all. There was also have a go flyball which again he did rather well in.

The day soon went and it was time for the final prizes and rosettes to be given out.

I had been well pleased with Scrumpy getting placed in agility but...there was more to come...he then got best dog in Agility Grade 1 and then he got Dog of the Day and then to round it all off he got Best Dog PSD 2017.....I was gobsmacked...what an end to a lovely weekend.

It was a great weekend and John and I would like to thank the committee and everyone involved in planning, organising and making the weekend such a success.

The time and effort that you all must have put in to get this off the ground must have been enormous – so thank you all again.

Julie, John and Scrumpy Farrar



**SCRUMPY, Dog of the Day (Sunday)  
Celebration Dog**

*Dear Liz,*

*Just wanted to say a BIG  
THANK YOU to you & the Committee  
for a really super, memorable week-  
end. Apart from the thunder storm it was  
perfect & there is not much us mere  
humans can do about that. With our own  
club show looming I know just what has  
to be done but you had so many extra  
touches, it was lovely, lovely, lovely.*

*Best wishes to all & the pooches of  
course,*

*Cheers, Mary, Chris & Daisy (Abbot)  
XX*



**Larrau de la Mest Pastores  
Dog of the Day (Saturday)**

# Viewpoint

News and Views from the Breed Notes



Wow what a fantastic weekend we've just had for our 25 Year Celebrations and I would just like to add my own thanks to everyone that made it possible and so successful. Originally conceived as far back as 2 years ago, a tremendous amount of work was put in by your committee to bring this unique event to fruition particularly over the last few months and the weeks leading up to the event and of course over the weekend itself. All very worthwhile when so many PSDs and their owners (members and non members) turned up to enjoy all the competitions and activities that were available to celebrate the skills and characteristics of our unique little French herders.

As you can see, this "bumper edition" of the magazine is full of lots of reports about the weekend and in this viewpoint article it is perhaps, therefore, not appropriate that I ramble on with my own summary about everything that went on. Instead I would just like to say a few words about one small aspect of our weekend that I think was very important and in its own way was another key milestone for the club.

On the Saturday after the Club's main KC

Breed Show we held a club competition for our various "Face Rase" breeders and owners. As I am sure everyone will know the Face Rase variant of the PSD is not currently recognised by the UK Kennel Club and whilst the last 25 years of the Club have been focused on the long haired variety of the breed the club is also committed to represent and support Face Rase breeders and owners as they strive to increase numbers of the breed here in the UK and achieve full recognition and status with the KC.



When we were planning the weekend we originally thought that we would just offer the various Face Rase dogs present, a small cameo appearance with a parade around the ring for everyone to see. I am so glad that we actually went ahead with what in effect was the first competitive classes for the breed here in the UK. Although not recognised as a competition by the KC this proved to be a very successful event with some fantastic feedback and knowledge provided by our specialist French breeder and judge Norbert Gainche. Prior to the judging of the classes Norbert gave an overview of the the breed and highlighted the key differences in construction between the Face Rase and Long Haired variants and it was great to see so many people gather round to hear what he had to say.

For the competition itself we had 3 classes (Junior D/B, Intermediate D/B and Open D/B) and an entry of 10 dogs in the various classes which was absolutely fantastic given that we

only have about 15/16 dogs in the country at the moment.

So why am I highlighting this aspect of our weekend celebrations as the focus of this viewpoint article? Well for two reasons really. Firstly getting a new breed established here in the UK is no easy task and particularly for the pioneering breeders it is a difficult road that requires much vision, determination and energy, not to mention some deep pockets required to import good stock and invest in sound breeding programmes. In this regard I would just like to highlight and congratulate breeders Vicky and John Wilford (Cavronscourt) and Teresa and Carl Stretton (Notterts) for the fantastic foundations they are laying for the breed here in the UK.



Secondly and probably more importantly our little competition on the Saturday afternoon may not have looked that important but in reality we had one of the world's top Face Rase breeders in the judging ring giving invaluable feedback on the quality of exhibits in front of him, something that you just do not get here in the UK judging scene. Norbert

needs to be thanked and congratulated on a number of levels for his overall contribution to the weekend (the least of which is the way he stuck to his task in some awful weather) but the time he took to give balanced but frank verbal feedback on each dog and his view of the foundations that had been laid here in the UK were absolute "gold dust" for aspiring breeders and owners alike.

It is perhaps not appropriate to try and summarise feedback on individual exhibits here but there were a number of overall points that are worth mentioning. Although Norbert felt that a great start had been made with the Face Rase here in the UK and that some of the individual dogs had some nice qualities, he was concerned that heads were not yet correct (too small and too narrow), body proportions were in the main too long and similar to the longer proportions of their Long haired cousins and he would like to see the squarer proportions that really define a Face Rase. Also he felt that many of our dogs lacked the bone that the breed required. The Face Rase should be a dog of good size and substance. The lack of some of these qualities meant that some of our male dogs were too feminine in appearance. There were other perhaps more



technical areas of feedback to do with rear bone structure and angulation specific to Face Rase as well as discussion around the complexities of coat colours in the breed which perhaps are a bit too detailed for this article.

At the end of judging it was great to see Norbert holding court with a small group of followers where he showed some really interesting photographs of early Face Rase demonstrating where some of the breeds key qualities originated from. It was in this final session that I think Norbert really shared some real “pearls of wisdom” for our UK breeders when he recommended his “blueprint” for improving our UK Face Rase dogs. He recommended a 3 stage approach. Firstly he recommended that we fix the heads first. It is the most difficult to get right and will probably take 2/3 generations of breeding to be successful. Once heads are correct, focus on the body. Getting the substance and bone and squarer proportions was the next key challenge and would likely take a couple of generations to see good results. Finally focus on coats and colours these were easier to fix and with good selection can be improved in one generation of breeding.



**Example of a top quality French Face**

I would just like to conclude this short feature by saying that being a breeder is not an easy task and I think that Vicky and John and Teresa and Carl need to be congratulated for

the foundations they have laid for the breed here in the UK but perhaps more importantly they need to be congratulated for putting themselves on the line and having their dogs so ably and frankly assessed by Norbert. To be a good breeder you need to have a clear vision about true breed type and to have that ethic to constantly improve what you have. Being open to honest feedback about breed quality is key to improving and given the evidence at our little competition on Saturday afternoon I think the Face Rase in the UK is in good hands with Cavronscourt and Notterts Kennels. Well done to them.

Eion Flint

## ***DONATIONS***

We would like to thank the following for the various specific donations they made towards the Celebration.

Carl and Theresa Stretton.

*Agility rosettes, agility equipment, tents.*

Shane and Eion Flint.

*Plaques, Celebration cake on Sunday, work carried out in preparation of blankets.*

Chris and Liz Lewis

*Plaques, Celebration cake on Saturday, bubbly.*

Sara Hawkswell

*Tents and equipment, culinary expertise.*

Steve Phillips

*Picking the judge up from airport and providing hospitality and accommodation for him.*

Margaret Challans

*Fly ball equipment and expertise.*

Vicky and John Wilford

*Making and providing agility jump for raffle. Special Working Class*

Pat Wescott

*Prizes for Name the Dog, Show donation*

Jonathan Pattison

*Show donation*

We would also like to thank Cobbydog, Royal Canin and Fish for Dogs for the sponsorship of various activities during the Celebration weekend. Please excuse us if a donation has not been acknowledged, this is only due to senility and no other reason.

# RESULTS OF PSD CLUB OF GB FACE RASE BREED CLASSES

## Class: Junior Dog/Bitch

1. Notterts Bravo Pan Pan (A. Stretton)

## Class: Intermediate Dog/Bitch

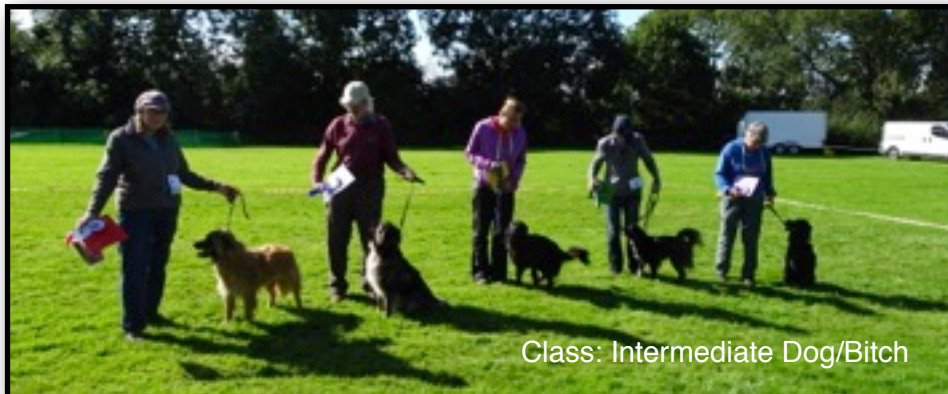
1. Cavronscourt Midas Touch (V.Wilford)
  2. Cavronscourt Minstrel Boy (V.Wilford)
  3. Notterts Alpha Tieva la Diva (H.Broadbank)
- VHC. Notterts Alpha Black Beauty (T Stretton)  
Res. Cavronscourt Mirren (P. McGeoch)

## Class: Open Dog/Bitch

1. Iffa Noire Forges de Thor at Cavronscourt (V. Wilford)
  2. Tottakai Voinolla Vallopilku (C. Stretton)
  3. Jester of Nobels Kingdom at Cavronscourt (V. Wilford)
- VHC. Ginny de la Pattoniere (A. Stretton)

## Best of Breed

Cavronscourt Midas Touch



*25th Anniversary Celebration  
Cake and Bubbly*





BEHAVIOUR AND SOCIABILITY TEST



SEARCH SQUARE



AGILITY TRY OUT



CELEBRATION 25 METRE DASH



OBEDIENCE TEST



FLYBALL TRY OUT

Additional activities ongoing during the weekend

## Comments from Social Media

Had a great weekend .  
Enjoyed all of the activities as well as the open show. I now have a little boy who is very keen to get involved in agility with his dog after coming 3rd in have a go agility. Well worth the 7 hour drive to get there. P B-H

My thanks to everyone as well. It was a memorable weekend and I loved every minute. The committee worked so hard to make it all happen. They should be very proud. I made new friends and there were smiles from everyone. A great venue. PV

GeeGee Dogs are super proud of our haul from the weekend. Nothing from showing but lots from activities. The celebration weekend was really geared towards inclusivity of different activities and we especially enjoyed the temperament testing. What are you planning for the next one ? J G

It was lovely to meet you all yesterday. Thank you for such a warm welcome! Really enjoyed the day and hope to see you all again sometime. All the advice and knowledge I received didn't scare me off but it showed that I need to do a lot more research. C B

We would like to thank the committee and all involved in organising, setting up and helping out, to make the 25th Anniversary PSD weekend such a great success and fun time. The BBQ was great, the cake looked lovely and tasted as good as it looked. It was great seeing all the owners from here and abroad and seeing so many PSD's in one place. Thank you all again, Julie and John.

After my 9 hour journey to the show... I wanted to thank everyone for a smashing weekend and all your hard work. It was great meeting everyone, putting names to faces both human/ canine and look forward to catching up with you all again. JMJ

Great day. Well organised. Nice opportunity for daughter (Cwtch) to meet her father (Fidji).HP

Thank you so much PSDGB for a fabulous weekend !JG

A lovely day at the show today really enjoyed meeting peeps xx Thank you everyone involved in organising...CM

After this great weekend, the return to reality and the resumption of work was difficult this morning. Thank you all for your welcome despite the language barrier. You took time so we could understand each other. Thank you very much!!!! SC

**National Working & Pastoral Breeds  
Golden Anniversary Championship Show  
15<sup>th</sup> July 2017**

**Pyrenean Sheepdogs (Long Haired)**

Judge:- Mrs. V. Wilford

Best of Breed-- Mr C J & Mrs P M Such – Norlyght Biassono

Best Dog-- Mr C J & Mrs P M Such – Norlyght Biassono

Best Bitch-- Mr C J & Mrs P M Such – Jazlyn Du Pic De Pioulou

Reserve Best Bitch-- Mrs R E & Miss K L Robson - Sandytrail Scheherazade Meslabrit

Best Puppy-- Mrs R E & Miss K L Robson - Sandytrail Scheherazade Meslabrit

Best Veteran-- Mr C J & Mrs P M Such – Jazlyn Du Pic De Pioulou

**Junior Dog or Bitch**

1<sup>st</sup>. - Best Puppy & RBB

Mrs R E & Miss K L Robson

Sandytrail Scheherazade Meslabrit

– 7 & ½ months old. Very nice young bitch with excellent head proportions, good dark eyes and excellent ear set and carriage Excellent length of neck. Excellent body proportions, good angulation and excellent low hocks. A natural Bob Tail.

Excellent lively & well balanced movement. A lovely prospect for the future.

**Open Dog or Bitch**

1<sup>st</sup>. & Best Dog

Mr C J & Mrs P M Such

Norlyght Biassono

– 6 years old. Excellent head proportions with excellent dark eyes and good ear set. Excellent length of neck. Good body, very good tail set, very good angulation and movement. Lovely dark fawn coat colour, with good texture and excellently presented in Cadinets.

**Veteran Dog or Bitch**

1<sup>st</sup>. & Best Bitch

Mr C J & Mrs P M Such

Jazlyn Du Pic De Pioulou

– 7 years old. Lovely head proportions with excellent dark eyes and very good ear set. Excellent length of neck, very good body and overall proportions and an excellent tail set and carriage. Very good angulation and excellent low hocks. In excellent condition and looking really well.

The day was blessed with lovely weather, and it was a pleasure and a privilege to Judge at the NW&PBS Golden Anniversary Show. Thank you everyone for making it a day to remember.

# SHOW RESULTS

**WORKING & PASTORAL BREEDS ASS.  
of WALES  
15th April 2017  
Judge(s): MR D CLARKE**

**BD**  
NORLYGHT BIASSONO  
(MR C J & MRS P M SUCH)

**BB**  
FRIPONNE DU PIC D'ESPADE KELLTARA  
(IMP FRA) (MR S R PHILLIPS)

**RBB**  
MIZU DITE MAGGIE DU PIC D'ESPADE  
KELLTARA (IMP FRA) NAF  
(MR S R PHILLIPS)

**BOB**  
FRIPONNE DU PIC D'ESPADE KELLTARA  
(IMP FRA) (MR S R PHILLIPS)

**BP**  
MIZU DITE MAGGIE DU PIC D'ESPADE  
KELLTARA (IMP FRA) NAF  
(MR S R PHILLIPS)

**BV**  
FRIPONNE DU PIC D'ESPADE KELLTARA  
(IMP FRA) (MR S R PHILLIPS)

**Puppy - Dog Or Bitch**  
Entries: 1 Absentees: 0

**1ST**  
MIZU DITE MAGGIE DU PIC D'ESPADE  
KELLTARA (IMP FRA) NAF  
(MR S R PHILLIPS)

**Post Graduate - Dog Or Bitch**  
Entries: 2 Absentees: 1

**1ST**  
INTREPIDE DU PIC D'ESPADE KELLTARA  
(IMP FRA) (MR S R PHILLIPS)

**Open - Dog Or Bitch**  
Entries: 2 Absentees: 0

**1ST**  
FRIPONNE DU PIC D'ESPADE KELLTARA  
(IMP FRA) (MR S R PHILLIPS)

**2ND**  
NORLYGHT BIASSONO  
(MR C J & MRS P M SUCH)

**NATIONAL DOG SHOW  
Birmingham**

**4th,5th, 6th & 7th May**

**Judge: Mr Robin K Newhouse**

**BEST OF BREED** : Friponne du Pic d'Espade  
Kelltara (Imp) Mr S R PHILLIPS

**Best Dog** : Norlyght Biassono  
Mr C J & Mrs P M SUCH

**Res Best Dog** : Bel / Fin Ch Gastibelza de  
l'Oustaou de Padel (Imp) Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**Best Bitch** : Friponne du Pic d'Espade  
Kelltara (Imp) Mr S R PHILLIPS

**Res Best Bitch** : Mizu Dite Maggie du Pic  
d'Espade Kelltara (Imp) NA Mr S R PHILLIPS

**Best Puppy** : Mizu Dite Maggie du Pic  
d'Espade Kelltara (Imp) NA Mr S R PHILLIPS

**Class PD/B (1 Entries) Abs: 0**

1st: Mizu Dite Maggie du Pic d'Espade  
Kelltara (Imp) NA Mr S R PHILLIPS

**Class LD/B (4 Entries) Abs: 1**

1st: Entre Nous Romance Sans Paroles (Fin  
Imp) Mrs S & Mr E FLINT  
2nd: Sandytrail Solitaire avec Ciopar  
Ms P BUCHANAN-HISLOP  
3rd: Intrepide du Pic d'Espade Kelltara (Imp)  
Mr S R PHILLIPS

**Class OD (3 Entries) Abs: 1**

1st: Norlyght Biassono  
Mr C J & Mrs P M SUCH  
2nd: Bel / Fin Ch Gastibelza de l'Oustaou de  
Padel (Imp) Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**Class OB (2 Entries) Abs: 0**

1st: Friponne du Pic d'Espade Kelltara (Imp)  
Mr S R PHILLIPS  
2nd: Bel / Fin Ch Sandytrail Ensorcele  
Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**BATH CANINE SOCIETY**  
26th,27th,28th& 29th May 2017  
Judge:- Mrs T A Cousins-Brown

**BEST OF BREED** : Friponne du Pic d'Espade  
Kelltara (Imp) Mr S R PHILLIPS

**Best Dog** : Bel / Fin Ch Gastibelza de l'  
Oustaou de Padel (Imp) Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**Res Best Dog** : Sandytrail Sorceror  
Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**Best Bitch** : Friponne du Pic d'Espade  
Kelltara (Imp) Mr S R PHILLIPS

**Res Best Bitch** : Bel / Fin Ch Sandytrail  
Ensorcele Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**Best Puppy** : Mizu Dite Maggie du Pic  
d'Espade With Seacourt (Imp)  
Mr S R PHILLIPS

**Class PD (2 Entries) Abs: 0**

1st: Sandytrail Sorceror Mrs S & Mr E FLINT  
2nd: Sandytrail Coeur De Lion (Au1)  
Mrs J M JESSOP

**Class JD (1 Entries) Abs: 0**

1st: Sandytrail Sorceror Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**Class PGD (1 Entries) Abs: 0**

1st: Larrau de la Mesta Pastores (Imp)  
Ms P VARNES

**Class OD (1 Entries) Abs: 0**

1st: Bel / Fin Ch Gastibelza de L' Oustaou de  
Padel (Imp) Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**Class PB (2 Entries) Abs: 0**

1st: Mizu Dite Maggie du Pic d'Espade With  
Seacourt (Imp) Mr S R PHILLIPS

**Class PGB (1 Entries) Abs: 0**

1st: Entre Nous Romance Sans Paroles (Fin  
Imp) Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**Class OB (2 Entries) Abs: 0**

1st: Friponne du Pic d'Espade Kelltara (Imp)  
Mr S R PHILLIPS  
2nd: Bel / Fin Ch Sandytrail Ensorcele  
Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**SOUTHERN COUNTIES CANINE SOCIETY**  
2nd, 3rd, &4th June 2017  
AVNSC Pastoral  
Judge(s): PIRJO AALTONEN [FINLAND]

**BD**

NORLYGHT BIASSONO  
(MR C J & MRS P M SUCH)

**BOB**

NORLYGHT BIASSONO  
(MR C J & MRS P M SUCH)

**Open - Dog**

Entries: 1 Absentees: 0

**1ST**

NORLYGHT BIASSONO  
(MR C J & MRS P M SUCH)

**Veteran - Dog Or Bitch**

Entries: 3 Absentees: 0

**3RD**

JAZLYN DU PIC DE PIOULOU  
(MR C J & MRS P M SUCH)

**THREE COUNTIES CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW**  
8th, 9th, 10th & 11th June

**JUDGE:- MR S R PHILLIPS**

**BEST OF BREED** : Bel / Fin Ch Sandytrail  
Ensorcele Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**Best Dog** : Bel / Fin Ch Gastibelza de l'  
Oustaou de Padel (Imp) Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**Res Best Dog** : Sandytrail Sorceror  
Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**Best Bitch** : Bel / Fin Ch Sandytrail Ensorcele  
Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**Res Best Bitch** : Sandytrail Scheherazade  
Meslabrit

Mrs R E & ROBSON Miss K L ROBSON

**Best Puppy** : Sandytrail Sorceror  
Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**Class PD (1 Entries) Abs: 0**

1st: Sandytrail Sorceror Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**Class JD (1 Entries) Abs: 0**

1st: Sandytrail Sorceror Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**Class PGD (1 Entries) Abs: 0**

1st: Kimrand Master Bertie Mr J PATTISON

**Class OD (2 Entries) Abs: 1**

1st: Bel / Fin Ch Gastibelza de l' Oustaou de Padel (Imp) Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**Class PB (2 Entries) Abs: 0**

1st: Sandytrail Scheherazade Meslabrit  
Mrs R E & ROBSON Miss K L ROBSON  
2nd: Sandytrail Magie Noire  
Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**Class OB (2 Entries) Abs: 1**

1st: Bel / Fin Ch Sandytrail Ensorcele  
Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**BLACKPOOL CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW**

**23-25th June 2017**

Judge(s): ROBIN SEARLE

**BD**

BEL/FIN CH GASTIBELZA DE L'OUSTAOU DE PADEL (IMP FRA)  
(MR E & MRS S FLINT)

**RBD**

NORLYGHT BIASSONO  
(MR C J & MRS P M SUCH)

**BB**

FRIPONNE DU PIC D'ESPADE KELLTARA (IMP FRA) (MR S R PHILLIPS)

**RBB**

MIZU DITE MAGGIE DU PIC D'ESPADE WITH SEACOURT (IMP FRA)  
(MR S R PHILLIPS)

**BOB**

FRIPONNE DU PIC D'ESPADE KELLTARA (IMP FRA) (MR S R PHILLIPS)

**BP**

SANDYTRAIL SCHEHERAZADE MESLABRIT (MRS R E & MISS K L ROBSON)

**BJ**

MIZU DITE MAGGIE DU PIC D'ESPADE WITH SEACOURT (IMP FRA)  
(MR S R PHILLIPS)

**Puppy - Dog**

Entries: 1 Absentees: 0

**1ST**

SANDYTRAIL SORCEROR  
(MR E & MRS S FLINT)

**Open - Dog**

Entries: 2 Absentees: 0

**1ST**

BEL/FIN CH GASTIBELZA DE L'OUSTAOU DE PADEL (IMP FRA) (MR E & MRS S FLINT)

**2ND**

NORLYGHT BIASSONO  
(MR C J & MRS P M SUCH)

**Puppy - Bitch**

Entries: 2 Absentees: 1

**1ST**

SANDYTRAIL SCHEHERAZADE MESLABRIT (MRS R E & MISS K L ROBSON)

**Junior - Bitch**

Entries: 1 Absentees: 0

**1ST**

MIZU DITE MAGGIE DU PIC D'ESPADE WITH SEACOURT (IMP FRA)  
(MR S R PHILLIPS)

**Post Graduate - Bitch**

Entries: 3 Absentees: 0

**1ST**

INTREPIDE DU PIC D'ESPADE KELLTARA (IMP FRA) (MR S R PHILLIPS)

**2ND**

ENTRE NOUS ROMANCE SANS PAROLES (MR E & MRS S FLINT)

**3RD**

SANDYTRAIL SOLITAIRE AVEC CIOPAR (MRS P BUCHANAN-HISLOP)

**Open - Bitch**

Entries: 3 Absentees: 0

**1ST**

FRIPONNE DU PIC D'ESPADE KELLTARA (IMP FRA) (MR S R PHILLIPS)

**2ND**

BEL/FIN CH SANDYTRAIL ENSORCELE (MR E & MRS S FLINT)

**3RD**

JAZLYN DU PIC DE PIOULOU (MR C J & MRS P M SUCH)

**WINSOR CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW**

**29th,30th June, 1st, 2nd July**

**Judge:- Mr Mick Taylor**

**BEST OF BREED** : Bel / Fin Ch Sandytrail Ensorcele Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**Best Dog** : Bel / Fin Ch Gastibelza de l' Oustaou de Padel (Imp) Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**Res Best Dog** : Sandytrail Sorceror Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**Best Bitch** : Bel / Fin Ch Sandytrail Ensorcele Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**Res Best Bitch** : Sandytrail Scheherazade  
Meslabrit  
Mrs R E ROBSON & Miss K L ROBSON  
**Best Puppy** : Sandytrail Sorceror  
Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**Class PD (1 Entries) Abs: 0**  
1st: Sandytrail Sorceror Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**Class JD (1 Entries) Abs: 0**  
1st: Sandytrail Sorceror Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**Class PGD (1 Entries) Abs: 0**  
1st: Kimrand Master Bertie Mr J PATTISON

**Class OD (2 Entries) Abs: 1**  
1st: Bel / Fin Ch Gastibelza De L' Oustaou De  
Padel (Imp) Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**Class PB (2 Entries) Abs: 0**  
1st: Sandytrail Scheherazade Meslabrit  
Mrs R E & ROBSON Miss K L ROBSON  
2nd: Sandytrail Magie Noire  
Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**Class OB (2 Entries) Abs: 1**  
1st: Bel / Fin Ch Sandytrail Ensorcele  
Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**EAST OF ENGLAND AGRICUTURAL  
SOCIETY**  
7th, 8th & 9th July  
Judge(s): MR R KINSEY

**BD**  
BEL/FIN CH GASTIBELZA DE L'OUSTAOU  
DE PADEL (IMP FRA) (MR E & MRS S FLINT)

**RBD**  
SANDYTRAIL SORCEROR  
(MR E & MRS S FLINT)

**BB**  
MIZU DITE MAGGIE DU PIC D'ESPADE  
WITH SEACOURT (IMP FRA)  
(MR S R PHILLIPS)

**RBB**  
BEL/FIN CH SANDYTRAIL ENSORCELE  
(MR E & MRS S FLINT)

**BOB**  
BEL/FIN CH GASTIBELZA DE L'OUSTAOU  
DE PADEL (IMP FRA) (MR E & MRS S FLINT)

**BP**

SANDYTRAIL SORCEROR  
(MR E & MRS S FLINT)  
**Puppy - Dog**  
Entries: 1 Absentees: 0  
**1ST SANDYTRAIL SORCEROR**  
(MR E & MRS S FLINT)

**Junior - Dog**  
Entries: 1 Absentees: 0  
**1ST REMMIWOODS HIP PIP HOORAY**  
(MISS J GEMMILL)

**Post Graduate - Dog**  
Entries: 2 Absentees: 0  
**1ST KIMRAND MASTER BERTIE**  
(MR J PATTISON)  
**2ND BON SOOTY DE LA BELLE FOLIE (IMP  
DEU)** (MISS J GEMMILL)

**Open - Dog**  
Entries: 1 Absentees: 0  
**1ST BEL/FIN CH GASTIBELZA DE  
L'OUSTAOU DE PADEL (IMP FRA)**  
(MR E & MRS S FLINT)

**Puppy - Bitch**  
Entries: 3 Absentees: 2  
**1ST SANDYTRAIL SCHEHERAZADE  
MESLABRIT**  
(MRS R E & MISS K L ROBSON)

**Junior - Bitch**  
Entries: 1 Absentees: 0  
**1ST MIZU DITE MAGGIE DU PIC D'ESPADE  
WITH SEACOURT (IMP FRA)**  
(MR S R PHILLIPS)

**Post Graduate - Bitch**  
Entries: 4 Absentees: 0  
**1ST INTREPIDE DU PIC D'ESPADE  
KELLTARA (IMP FRA) (MR S R PHILLIPS)**

**2ND KIMRAND MISS PEPPER**  
(MR F J & MISS K RANDALL)  
**3RD ENTRE NOUS ROMANCE SANS  
PAROLES (MR E & MRS S FLINT)**

**RES SANDYTRAIL SOLITAIRE AVEC  
CIOPAR (MS P BUCHANAN-HISLOP)**

**Open - Bitch**  
Entries: 3 Absentees: 0  
**1ST BEL/FIN CH SANDYTRAIL ENSORCELE**  
(MR E & MRS S FLINT)  
**2ND KIMRAND PIXIE BELLE**  
(MR F J & MISS K RANDALL)  
**3RD FRIPONNE DU PIC D'ESPADE  
KELLTARA (IMP FRA) (MR S R PHILLIPS)**

**LEEDS CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW**  
21st, 22nd & 23rd July 2017

**Judge: Mr Peter Bailey**

**BEST OF BREED** : Mizu Dite Maggie du Pic d'Espade With Seacourt (Imp)

Mr S R PHILLIPS

**Best Dog** : Bel / Fin Ch Gastibelza de l'Oustaou de Padel (Imp) Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**Res Best Dog** : Sandytrail Sorceror Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**Best Bitch** : Mizu Dite Maggie du Pic d'Espade With Seacourt (Imp)

Mr S R PHILLIPS

**Res Best Bitch** : Friponne du Pic d'Espade Kelltara (Imp) Mr S R PHILLIPS

**Best Puppy** : Sandytrail Sorceror Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**Best Veteran** : Jazlyn du Pic de Pioulou (Imp) Mr C J & Mrs P M SUCH

**Class PD (1 Entries) Abs: 0**

1st: Sandytrail Sorceror Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**Class PGD (1 Entries) Abs: 0**

1st: Kimrand Master Bertie Mr J PATTISON

**Class OD (2 Entries) Abs: 0**

1st: Bel / Fin Ch Gastibelza de l' Oustaou de Padel (Imp) Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

2nd: Norlyght Biassono

Mr C J & Mrs P M SUCH

**Class PB (1 Entries) Abs: 0**

1st: Sandytrail Scheherazade Meslabrit Mrs R E & ROBSON Miss K L ROBSON

**Class JB (1 Entries) Abs: 0**

1st: Mizu Dite Maggie Du Pic D'espade With Seacourt (Imp) Mr S R PHILLIPS

**Class PGB (3 Entries) Abs: 1**

1st: Intrepide du Pic d'Espade Kelltara (Imp) Mr S R PHILLIPS

2nd: Entre Nous Romance Sans Paroles (Fin Imp) Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**Class OB (3 Entries) Abs: 2**

1st: Friponne du Pic d'Espade Kelltara (Imp) Mr S R PHILLIPS

**Class VB (1 Entries) Abs: 0**

1st: Jazlyn du Pic de Pioulou (Imp) Mr C J & Mrs P M SUCH

**PAIGNTON & DISTRICT FANCIERS SHOW**  
5th, 6th, 7th & 8th August

**Judge: Mr T Ball**

**BEST OF BREED** : Intrepide du Pic d'Espade Kelltara (Imp) Mr S R PHILLIPS

**Best Dog** : Sandytrail Coeur de Lion (Au1) Mrs J M JESSOP

**Res Best Dog** : Not Awarded

**Best Bitch** : Intrepide du Pic d'Espade Kelltara (Imp) Mr S R PHILLIPS

**Res Best Bitch** : Mizu Dite Maggie du Pic d'Espade With Seacourt (Imp)

Mr S R PHILLIPS

**Best Puppy** : Sandytrail Scheherazade Meslabrit

Mrs R E ROBSON & Miss K L ROBSON

**Class PD/B (2 Entries) Abs: 0**

1st: Sandytrail Scheherazade Meslabrit, Mrs R E ROBSON & Miss K L ROBSON

2nd: Sandytrail Coeur De Lion (Au1) Mrs J M JESSOP

**Class JD/B (1 Entries) Abs: 0**

1st: Mizu Dite Maggie du Pic d'Espade With Seacourt (Imp) Mr S R PHILLIPS

**Class PGD/B (1 Entries) Abs: 0**

1st: Intrepide du Pic d'Espade Kelltara (Imp) Mr S R PHILLIPS

**Class PB (2 Entries) Abs: 0**

1st: Sandytrail Scheherazade Meslabrit, Mrs R E & ROBSON Miss K L ROBSON

2nd: Sandytrail Magie Noire Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

**Class OB (2 Entries) Abs: 1**

1st: Bel / Fin Ch Sandytrail Ensorcele Mrs S & Mr E FLINT

Dear Friends of Pyrenees Shepherd Dogs

It is already 14 Years ago that the title „World Champion“ could be gotten in Germany - but this year we are proud to invite you again to the Worlddogshow in Leipzig in November 2017.

CBP will be - together with the VDH - an organizer for this show - especially for our Pyrenees Shephard Dogs. One of our members took care for a colorful program to give all exhibitors the chance to get familiar with the historical city of Leipzig, meet other friends of our dogs and have some fun together with these people and their as well as your dogs.

We kindly invite you and your club members to this “Party“ and would be very glad if you can inform them via your Club Magazine on this invitation. Please find attached the full information on this event as well as the registration form for this - feel free to use it for publishing the information.

If you have questions or need assistance - please do not hesitate to contact us.

Looking forward to hear from you and meet you in Leipzig I remain with


Kind regards

Club Berger des Pyrénées e.V.

Gabriele Kagel

*Unfortunately this came in too late for publication in the last Newsletter. Although it is too late to get the cheaper rates it is still possible to apply and enter if anyone would like to attend.*

*Registration forms can be sent electronically. Email editor asap. Ed.*

<p>club berger des pyrénées e.V. Udo Kopernik Büllesfeld 2 a 53773 Hennet (Sieg) GERMANY</p> <p><i>Don't forget return address</i></p> <p>Firstname and Name ..... Street ..... Postal code and City ..... COUNTRY ..... E-Mail ..... name of your dog .....</p>	 <p><b>WORLD DOG SHOW</b> LEIPZIG 2017</p> <p><i>I'll BE THERE</i></p> <h3>Registration for CBP – Program</h3> <p><b>Thursday, 9<sup>th</sup> of November 2017</b></p> <p>Number of persons / dogs</p> <p><b>Bustrip</b> <input type="checkbox"/> x 15,00 € = .....- € <b>Walk through the Auewald</b></p> <p>With stopover in the Tavern <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><b>Friday 10<sup>th</sup> of November 2017</b></p> <p><b>Osteopathic Therapy</b> <input type="checkbox"/> x 40,00 € = .....- € <b>Mantrailing and ZOS</b> <input type="checkbox"/> x 25,00 € = .....- € <b>Exercises, Funparcours</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Walk through the Auewald</b></p> <p>With stopover in the Tavern <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><b>Barbeque</b> <input type="checkbox"/> x 10,00 € = .....- €</p> <p><b>Gesamtbetrag</b> €</p> <p><small>Please calculate total amount of fees for your participation and pay in favor of the account of Club Berger des Pyrénées e.V. At Volksbank Bonn Rhein-Sieg</small></p> <p>BIC GENODE1BRS IBAN DE27 3806 0186 2301 9100 21</p> <p><b>Binding registration til 5<sup>th</sup> of September 2017 required. Please do not forget to fill in senders information on the registration form.</b></p>	 <p><b>WORLD DOG SHOW</b> LEIPZIG 2017</p> <p><i>We love dogs!</i></p> <h3>German Winner Show</h3> <p><b>Wednesday, 8<sup>th</sup> of November 2017</b> <b>Judge: Udo Kopernik</b></p> <p>1. entry close: 23.06.2017 – 55 Euro 2. entry close: 04.08.17 – 65 Euro 3. entry close: 15.09.17 – 75 Euro 4. entry close: 06.10.17 – 95 Euro</p> <h3>World Dog Show</h3> <p><b>Saturday, 11<sup>th</sup> of November 2017</b> <b>Judge: Josef Pohling</b></p> <p>1. entry close: 23.06.17 – 80 Euro 2. entry close: 04.08.17 – 90 Euro 3. entry close: 15.09.17 – 100 Euro 4. entry close: 06.10.17 – 120 Euro</p> <p>Registration, Hotel booking and Reservation for Campers at the Exhibition Centre can be done via the portal</p> <p><a href="http://www.wds2017.de">www.wds2017.de</a></p> <p>Partner Hotel <b>Atlanta Hotel International Leipzig</b> zusammen (<a href="http://www.atlanta-hotel.de">www.atlanta-hotel.de</a>).</p> <p><a href="http://www.cbp-online.de">www.cbp-online.de</a></p>
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# Pyrenean Sheepdog Club of GB

Invites you to a PSD walk on

Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> September 2017

At Old Hunstanton Beach, Norfolk, PE36 6JJ

Meeting in the Car Park at 10.30 -11am

Setting off at 11am for ramble

along the beach, dogs allowed off the lead

(even if the tides in plenty of beach and dunes)



1 hour to 2 hour walk dependant on the weather, if you or your dog do not want to do the full walk turn back and we can all meet up back at the beach café in the car park (all dogs welcome) for refreshments.

For further information contact

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