



THE LITTLE SKIPPER



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EDITORIAL

I would like to wish everybody a Happy New Year.

I don't have too much to say in this editorial as I have been ill since last August and was not able to attend a lot of the shows. Hopefully I will be attending a lot more shows in 2016 and will be able to meet up with friends I have missed.

Here's wishing you all a wonderful 2016 in the show rings.

Linda Fellows - Editor

NEWSLETTER

The deadline for all adverts/articles for the Autumn newsletter will be 31st August 2016. It would however be appreciated if you could book advert pages prior to this date.

The Advert Rates are: -

1 page with one black/white photo £15

1 page with two or more black/white photo's £20

Colour page with one photo £25. Extra photo's price on request

I will be more than pleased to undertake your advert layouts.

FUTURE DATES

17 th October 2016	Club Championship Show – Shenstone Village Hall
13 th November 2016	Club Seminar/Assessment Day - Roade Village Hall
26 th November 2016	Nordic Open Show - Breed Supported show Sports Connexion, Ryton on Dunsmore
26 th March 2017	Open Show/AGM - Nether Whitacre

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This is the official magazine of The Schipperke Club – the views and opinions contained in this edition is not necessarily that of the officers, committee and editor.

Occasionally the editor finds that some articles submitted have to be edited for a variety of reasons.

Chairman's Annual Report

I don't know where this year has gone it just seems to have flown by, I do hope that you have enjoyed the club shows. Both I feel have gone really well, our Open show had a visit from the KC field officer and we had a good report from him. Four silver spoons were on offer to classes that were chosen at random on the day, the lucky recipients were I believe : Mr and Mrs Cheetham, Mrs Massey, Mr and Mrs Peck and Mrs Robjohns!

There was a change from our original judge for the Championship Show, Dr Janus Opara from Poland officiated that day and what an excellent day it was. It was a successful show with a good entry and quite a number of visitors. At this point I would like to say a very big thank you to the very hardworking stewards at both shows. As a club we really appreciate the effort they put into it to help to make it such a smoothly run event. Many thanks too to those people who work behind the scenes and of course officers and committee without whom we couldn't put on a show and for their dedication thought the year attending committee meetings.

At this AGM Peter Tricklebank is retiring from the position of treasurer, he has held this post for 6 years on behalf of myself, the committee and club members I would like to thank Peter for all his hard work. Catherine Hawkins is standing down from the committee after many years of supporting the club . Cathy on behalf of us all many thanks for all your hard work.

Last but not least many thanks must go to Mugs who for a number of years he has organised the layout of the Little Skipper and who then went on to produce an excellent newsletter, well done!

I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate all our members and their dogs who represented the breed in the group ring and to those who were short listed and achieved placings, you certainly fly the flag for our breed!

There has been some concern however with some entries where dogs from abroad do not appear to have been correctly registered and their awards have been rescinded. Please take care if you are importing a dog/entering a dog from abroad that you have the correct documentation. The Kennel Club should be your first port of call!

As a club we look forward to representing Schipperkes at Discover Dogs and by the time you read this Crufts will have been and gone along with many visitors that will have called in at the stand. Some of you may have noticed that Schipperkes were not represented at the November Discover Dogs in London, this was because it coincided with our CH Show, unfortunately this year it falls on the same weekend as the BUBA CH Show. It will also effect all the Utility Group, your committee is looking at ways around it but as yet we have been unable to resolve the matter.

Many thanks to all the members for supporting The Schipperke Club and wish you all the best for the year ahead.

Diane Forknall
Chairperson

Secretary's Report

Where has the year gone!

I would like to start by thanking ALL the committee and officers who have all pulled together after 2014. A big thank you to Cathy Hawkins for the hard work that herself and Guy put in on show days – we will miss you, and to Peter Tricklebank for his work as Treasurer.

Our Chair has commented on the shows however, as far as the open show was concerned the Field Officer attended and we had a good report. I would like to thank Sue Wilkes (some of you will remember her as our previous steward) for transporting Dr Opara from touch down to departure. We had good comments from members about Dr Opara's professionalism and the atmosphere on the day.

Once again I would like to remind you that the MPSIIB Open Register is up and running on the club website and you are invited to send copy's of your dogs test certificates to Ian Millar the Schipperke Health Co-ordinator so that your dogs results can be placed on the Club Register or if your dog/litter is negative by descent then please provide the details so that this too can be inserted on the register so that over time this will help with tracing of the negative stock.

This year has been fairly quiet apart from the group wins/short-listing which was good for the breed however in the annual report you will see gaps in the championship show results this has come about due to the removal of CC's and group placements because care has not been taken in the registration at the Kennel club.

A reminder that Paypal can now be used to pay for membership renewals and club shop items. You just need to go to our website schipperkeclub.co.uk

As from 2019 the Kennel club have allowed Darlington Championship Show to have Schipperke CC's, unfortunately because we do not have sufficient entries to warrant another set of CC's this set has been removed from Border Union. What a shame as it is such a friendly show.

Due to the Kennel Club having moved venues for the London Discover Dogs we have clashed with our breed events/shows. If anyone feels they can help out please feel free to make contact with us.

We will be running a judges assessment day in November so keep a look out if you are interested in learning more about the Schipperke.

Just to keep you all updated here is a reminder of our club contacts:-

www.schipperkeclub.co.uk

<https://www.facebook.com/TheSchipperkeClub>

<https://twitter.com/SchipperkeClub>

Melanie Reed-Peck

Treasurer's End of Year Report

Our income for the year has again decreased which is mainly due to the fact that we incurred additional expenses for our replacement judge for Championship Show. The loss would have been greater had we not generated additional income from our breed seminar and wall hanging. Our expenditure actually reduced slightly and as we are now printing the newsletter "in house" we are able to make further savings in the future. I have also transferred all the outstanding rescue donations in 2015. The increase in the outgoings for Discover Dogs was mainly due to the fact that the Kennel Club stopped providing cash subsistence, but they have now reverted to original plan as a recognition of the educational element the event provides, which complies with the tax laws. The item "presentations" relates to "flower cards" sent to members who have been unwell and tokens of recognition for services to the Schipperke Club.

Although we have had some veterinary fees for our rescue dogs this year our income from donations has more than covered these costs and we have a slight increase in our funds at the end of 2015

We very much appreciate the continued support and financial generosity of our membership.

I will be relinquishing my position as treasurer at the AGM.

Peter Tricklebank

Paying your membership by direct debit

If you wish to pay your club subscription direct from your bank to the Club bank you need to go along to your own bank and set up the Paperwork to pay on the 1st January each year the amount of your subs(£10 joint, £8 single, £1 junior) to the following bank account

Name – The Schipperke Club
Branch No. 60-12-35
Account No. 65205723
Nat. West Bank, (Royal Leamington Spa),
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59 The Parade
Leamington Spa. CV32 4ZX

THE SCHIPPERKE CLUB

ANNUAL HEALTH REPORT 2015

My annual reports have tended to be rather repetitive over the years and this year is no different. Apart from the conditions highlighted regularly in the past, none of them at all prevalent, there are very few health issues associated with the Schipperke. While individual animals can, in common with all living creatures, develop health problems, the breed is free of any constructional exaggerations leading to health complications and most dogs remain fit and well in to a ripe old age.

MPSIIIB

It is disappointing and frustrating that details of the test offered by The University of Philadelphia have yet to be published for peer review. Over a number of years, I have been repeatedly assured by Dr Giger at the US facility that publication is imminent but nothing has materialised. In January 2016, however, he contacted me to say that he now has a draft manuscript which requires some final amendments by a colleague, so this may be an encouraging development. I will continue to remind him regularly.

Nevertheless, we have never, to my knowledge, had a case of MPSIIIB in this country. I am also unaware of any further errors in test results in the last eight years and the status of tested dogs over this period is entirely consistent with that of their parents. Sadly, not all breeders have chosen to make use of the on-line test result registers on the Club web-site but with steadily increasing numbers of dogs now “clear by descent”, there is room for optimism. In order to maintain this healthy position, I would urge all owners and breeders to provide details of their dogs’ status for publication to assist fellow breeders and for the benefit of the breed as a whole.

FINNISH EPILEPSY STUDY

This is progressing steadily. Samples from older (10+ years) dogs are still particularly welcome. I await the next update from Helsinki University.

LEGGE-PERTHES DISEASE

I have heard of no affected animals in recent years.

KC HEALTH CO-ORDINATORS’ MEETING

This was especially interesting this year. Pedigree dogs are frequently in the limelight these days with popular emphasis on undesirable “in-breeding” or “over-breeding”. Schipperkes are a minority breed with a small breeding population and it is important that we keep the gene pool as open as possible if new health problems are to be avoided. Easy to understand data on this topic was provided at the symposium and this was circulated to all exhibitors at the Club CH show last October. Breeders are strongly advised to consider this information when planning matings. The KC’s on-line Mate Select tool is also very useful.

There was also a detailed presentation on canine cancers. It has been suggested to me on several occasions that cancers of various types may be of particular concern in the breed. This is not borne out by the admittedly limited responses to the two health surveys carried out by the Club or by the KC/BSAVA survey available on the KC web-site. The symposium presentation underlined that the overwhelming majority of canine cancers, most occurring in elderly animals, are random and have no hereditary risk component. The committee has concluded, therefore, that there is no compelling evidence to suggest that further exploration is needed at this stage.

I can be contacted in confidence to discuss any health matter affecting the breed.

IAN MILLAR

(Health Co-ordinator)

January, 2016.

Rescue Annual Report

This last twelve months have been quiet as far as dogs received into Rescue, however, there have, on two separate occasions, a dog taken into a Rescue Centre and one into a Vets Surgery both in Scotland requiring rehoming. I am pleased to report that both were successfully found new homes locally.

I have been contacted by an older lady with two Schipperkes concerned about the welfare of her dogs should anything happen to her as she has no relatives. She has been to my kennels with her dogs and I have given her my contact details should she need them. She doesn't live too far away and I have assured her that in any event I will take her dogs.

Ten years ago a gentleman took two rescue dogs who came into Rescue as a pair and they have lived very happily together. Sadly he contacted me regarding a possible serious health problem and he was having investigations. He also was concerned about the welfare of his dogs and I assured him that the dogs would come back to Rescue.

I would like to remind you that all dogs must be micro chipped from April this year. One of the major problems Rescue Centres are reporting are owners not changing contact details when they move. This issue came up at a Kennel Club conference I attended and Petlog said that Breeders could have their details added at the time of implanting and registering the dog as a carer. The Implanter could also be contacted in an attempt to trace the dogs owners as all Implanters are registered and required to keep details of all micro- chips.

I wish you all a successful year with your dogs.

Lesley Thorne
Rescue Co-ordinator

Carolyn Snowdon
Assistant Rescue Co-ordinator

SCHIPPERKE CLUB OFFICERS

PRESIDENTS

1905-1911	G.J. Ross	1970-1975	K. Wilton
1911-1919	R. Preston-Gardner	1975-1980	R. Comerford
1919-1923	E.B. Holmes	1980-1986	E.T. Jackson
1923-1927	J.T. Greenhalgh	1986-1990	C. Perry
1927-1933	E. Threlfell	1990-1995	A. Chadwick
1933-1950	J.F.H. Banner	1995-2004	D. Seaton
1950-1970	W.H. Holmes	2005-	A. Chadwick

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1905-1909	T. Ling	1959-1981	E. Maddocks
1905-1909	J.W. Procter	1959-1964	T. Tucker
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1910-1911	B.J. Kehoe	1965-1975	C. Perry
1911-1911	H.J. Shaw	1970-1975	A. Beale
1912-1918	Mrs Crossfield	1970-1976	A. Chadwick
1912-1918	J.T. Greenhalgh	1971-1973	B. Vickers
1912-1912	T.W. Markland	1974-1976	E. Spann
1912-1912	G.J. Ross	1976-1990	K. Wilton
1913-1918	B.J. Kehoe	1980-1988	G. Langton
1913-1918	Mrs Preston-Gardner	1981-1986	C. Perry
1919-1920	O.A. Edwards	1983-1985	A.M. Smith
1921-1933	M.H. Killick	1985-1990	A. Chadwick
1921-1933	T. Shepherd	1986-2000	E. Vincent
1923-1924	E.H. Stent	1990-1993	B. Elsworth
1924-1949	E. B. Holmes	1990-2000	T. Sadler
1925-1929	W.H. Holmes	1990-1995	D. Seaton
1930-1940	J.A. Yates	1993-1995	R. Archer
1933-1938	J.H.F. Banner	1995-2004	A. Chadwick
1934-1939	L. Ludford	1995-2004	C. Diggines
1936-1969	E.F. Comerford	2001-2002	D. Short
1939-1947	W.H. Holmes	2002-2003	T. Sadler
1948-1955	T. Shepherd	2003-2004	R. Archer
1950-1950	R. Comerford	2004-2014	P. Allington
1951-1969	S. Nisbet	2005-2014	M. Deats
1951-1960	R. Smith	2005-	R. I. Millar
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1957-1970	K. Wilton	2014-2015	D. Forknall
1959-1977	M.R. Coleman	2014-	J. Mance
1959-1962	N. Gifford-Ambler	2015-	L. Thorne

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1977-1981	C. Perry	2001-2002	M. Vincent
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1989-1990	D. Posnett	2003-2004	J. Allington (acting)
1990-1991	R. Archer	2004-2014	J. Allington
1991-1995	R. Baker	2014-2015	D. Peck (acting)
1995-2000	J. Allington	2015-	D. Forknall
2000-2001	M. Vincent (acting)		

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1905-1911	T.W. Markland	1989-1989	P. Ward(Acting)
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1925-1933	E.B. Holmes	1991-1991	D. Forknall(Acting)
1934-1937	T. Shepherd	1992-1997	D. Forknall
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1948-1949	R. Smith	2000-2002	G.M. Olson
1950-1951	T. Shepherd	2002-2003	R. Baker
1952-1975	R. Comerford	2003-2007	J. Holland
1976-1977	M. Keeling	2007-2007	L. Whales
1977-1989	A. Comerford	2008-	M Reed-Peck

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1909-1911	J.T. Greenhalgh	1990-1997	I. Price
1911-1913	W.R. Hutton	1997-2001	D. Forknall
1913-1915	E. Quinn	2001-2004	M. Short
1915-1919	Mrs Kehoe	2004-2010	J Robjohns
1919-1934	M.H. Killick	2010-2016	P Tricklebank
1934-1961	O. MacCarthy	2016-	L. Fellows (Acting)
1961-1962	R. Smith		

ANNUAL TROPHIES (confined to members of the Schipperke Club)

ANNUAL POINTS TROPHIES 2015

SCHIPVILLE PLAQUE	Mrs L Whales - 163 points
MARAME TROPHY	Mrs B Manners - 70 points Mrs C Massey - 47points
SEACROSS SIR HENRY PLAQUE	Mrs C Massey - 158 points
SKIPSGREEN TROPHY	Mrs B Manners - 133 points Mr & Mrs Cheatham - 100 points Mrs L Whales - 91 points

CRUFTS TROPHIES 2014

CHIERICI TROPHY – Best of Breed – Not Awarded

THE SPRINGBOK TROPHY – Best Dog – Not Awarded

THE NEW ZEALAND TROPHY – Best Bitch – Not Awarded

SCHIPPERKE CLUB TROPHY – Best Coloured Schipdale Byron

Owner: Mrs J. Mance

Don't Forget to keep a count of Your dogs points throughout the year to make a claim for the annual trophies. The points' sheets will be in every edition of the newsletter

Further information can be obtained from the Trophy Steward

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NEW CHAMPIONS 2015

CH BAHRAM HIAWATHA AT BROOKWELL D.O.B. 16.08.12

Bred by/Owned by: Mrs B. West

Qualifying Challenge Certificate won at Crufts

CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW RESULTS 2015

* Denotes **Best of Breed**

MANCHESTER

D.CC * Schipdale Lewis

R.D.CC Ch Schipdale Orlando

Mr D. Matthews

B.CC Ch Avidore Hot Gossip

R.B.CC Ch Carozza Last Orders

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R.D.CC Ch. Schipdale Orlando

Mrs L. Wilson

B.CC* Chadbower Bonnie Rye

R.B.CC Ch Byquy Black Carat

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D.CC *Ch/Am Ch Chatelet Aradet Rugby(imp) B.CC Chadbower Bonnie Rye

R.D.CC Aradet Action Man

Mrs M. Mulholland

R.B.CC Am.Ch. Ebonorth Never on Sunday (imp)

S.K.C. (Representative)

D.CC Aradet Zulu Von Zorbaloo

R.D.CC Schipdale Lewis

Mr D. L. Short

B.CC * *****

R.B.CC Zorbaloo Concrete Blonde

BATH

D.CC * Aradet Xtra Addition

R.D.CC Aradet Expert Timing

Mrs L. Wearing

B.CC Roopec Birthday Treasure

R.B.CC Chadbower Bonnie Rye

BORDER UNION

D.CC * Aradet Zeus of Roshaana

R.D.CC Ability Midwinter Snow with Radash

Mr S. Plane

B.CC Ch Avidore Hot Gossip

R.B.CC Abylity Nina's Celtic Queen of Turnlaw (imp)

BLACKPOOL

D.CC * Ch. Schipdale Orlando

R.D.CC Ch/Am Ch Chatelet Aradet Rugby(imp)

Mr K. Sinclair

B.CC *****

R.B.CC Abylity Nina's Celtic Queen of Turnlaw (imp)

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D.CC Ch. Schipdale Orlando

R.D.CC Schipdale Lewis

Mrs M. Reed-Peck

B.CC* Ch Avidore Hot Gossip

R.B.CC Schojan Reve D'or At Avidore

EAST OF ENGLAND

D.CC * Ch. Schipdale Orlando

R.D.CC Aradet Xtra Addition

Mrs B. Banbury

B.CC Ch Avidore Hot Gossip

R.B.CC Nocte Elvira

LEEDS

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Mr A. Wright

B.CC* *****

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R.B.CC Zorbaloo The Black Ice

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A2 Judging List 2016

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TOPS 2015

DOG WORLD TOP DOG

**CH/AM. GR. CH./LUX/IT/CRO CH
BEACHVIEWS OOPS I DID IT AGAIN
CORRECT AT TIME OF GOING TO PRINT**

OUR DOG TOP BREEDER

ARADET

DOG WORLD TOP STUD DOG

**CH/AM CH CHATELET ARADET RUGBY
BREEDER: Mrs C. Luke & Ms M. Deats OWNER - Mrs P. Morley**

DOG WORLD TOP BROOD

**Ch ARADET RUMOUR HAS IT OVER TRIJEM
Breeder/Owner: Mary Deats**

OUR DOGS TOP PUPPY

**ARADET BLACK ORCHID
Breeder/Owner: Mary Deats**

The Schipperke Club Championship Show

18th October 2014

My heartfelt thanks to the Schipperke Club UK Committee for inviting me to judge their Championship Show. I perceive this assignment as a big honour and a sheer pleasure.

On my second time awarding CCs for the breed in the UK my impression is the breed is in a very good shape with true depth of quality. I believe the breed is well off for type, conformation, general soundness & movement. Temperaments & pattern of behaviour of dogs were impeccable – no exceptions. My congratulations to the breeders on their achievements in all of these areas. My sincere thanks for entering and allowing me to go over so many outstanding Schipperkes. I truly mean it and I only regret so many decent dogs had to walk away unplaced. I assure you they were not unnoticed. They all helped to paint a beautiful picture of the breed in your country.

The competition was truly fierce and I was spoiled for choice in most classes as well as in the challenge.

The atmosphere throughout the day was very friendly, the show run very smoothly and my task was so much easier thanks to my experienced & efficient ring stewards – thank you, Christine and Malcolm. I wish to thank all the Club Officers present at the show for their hospitality. I will never forget my meeting the pillars of the breed, Mrs Anne Chadwick and Mrs Angela Reed, whose kindness and words of wisdom will store forever in my memory.

Spending my time with you all was like a wonderful walk back to the time gone by when dog fraternity knew about dogs, friendship & honest competition. Thank you and best wishes for the future to all of you.

Minor Puppy Dog (3,0)

1. Smith's Ristine Black Sabbeth - Small and cobby, displays all the breed essentials and self-confidence of a much older chum. Nicely put together, masculine head, truly foxy expression, straight back, just the right amount of angulation, typical brisk gait. Harsh coat texture, raven-black colour. Friendly, lively and showing to perfection.
2. Massey's Ristine Jack Black - Very pleasing headpiece, neat ears, good expression. A bit soft topline, correct, short stride, lovely coal-black coat of harsh texture, alert and friendly.
3. Peck & Bugg's Komargo Esprit D'Oscar Byquy - Another lovely puppy of great type, masculine head, foxy expression, firm back, strides typically and with attitude, needs to tighten up in feet, harsh coat, reliable temperament.

Puppy Dog (4, 1)

1. Whales' Aradet Ballroom Dancer at Roshaana - Good size, perfect body balance; masculine head, sparkling oval eyes; well placed, firm ears; melting expression; firm topline; positive, not exaggerated stride, correct coat texture & colour, great disposition and ring demeanour BPD
2. Massey's Ristine Jack Black
3. Reed-Peck & Bugg's Leonard Nimoy du Dragon Rouge de Jupiter - Very promising puppy of good type and body shape, expressive head, has to drop down in chest & needs more substance but can move typically and displays correct coat texture & colour, reliable temperament

Junior Dog (2, 0)

1. Whales' Aradet Ballroom Dancer at Roshaana
2. Mance's Mywulf Blue Sapphire - Very attractive & eye-catching male, pleasing head details & expression, a bit short upper arm resulting in a shade sloping topline & too much scope in front; in lovely coat of correct harsh texture, shows well & behaves impeccably

Special Yearling Dog (1, 0)

1. Reid's Catchwell Funtime - Extremely attractive male, masculine head displaying correct eye shape, neat ears and great expression, correct body balance & typical stride, just a shade sloping topline at times, perfect coat texture, lovely disposition and great showmanship

Post Graduate Dog (4, 2)

1. Huyton's Catchwell Do The Dark - Truly great type & body shape, attractive, eye-catching movement with no exaggeration, masculine head, broad enough in skull & fine in muzzle; good expression against a shade rounder eye; stable disposition, shows very well
2. Jones' Roopec Dinky Demon - Beautiful head, excelling in all details and sharp, foxy expression, good body frame but needs more substance all through, coat of harsh texture but not in full bloom, lively, alert & friendly

Limit Dog (9, 1)

1. Cheatham's Aradet Action Man - Gorgeous in all aspects, sound like a bell & oozing breed type and displaying sharp, foxy expression; strong, straight back, strides typically responding perfectly well to his handler; correct, harsh coat of clear colour; self confident, alert & very friendly
2. Fludder's Aradet Xtra Addition - perfect outline & topline, compact body of correct size; firm back ; a bit broader in chest but neat front & moves typically both ends; pleasing coat in both texture & colour; good disposition
3. Philpott's Aradet Expert Timing - Pleasing in head details & expression, firm topline, just a wee bit longer body; moves briskly and truly both ends with no exaggeration; harsh coat, not full yet

Open Dog (9, 1)

1. Morley's Ch & Am Ch Chatelet Aradet Rugby - Small & cobby, sparkling with energy; broad skull, fine but masculine muzzle; sharp, foxy expression; straight, firm back; strides around with self confidence and great ring demeanour without a trace of exaggeration; raven black coat of harsh texture with thick mane, full frill & culottes; friendly & in full unison with his handler; in the pink of condition making it hard to believe his age; one of those once seen never forgotten dogs; DCC, BIS, BVIS
2. West's Bahram Hiawatha at Brookwell - Perfectly balanced body, correct body frame and topline; expressive, masculine head; moves with attitude & briskly in a perfectly coordinated short stride; harsh coat of good colour, just not in full bloom yet; reliable disposition
3. Davis' Altin Tay Maharaja - Attractive, masculine head; typical, sharp expression; a trifle sloping topline, moves perfectly well & shows beautifully; harsh coat, nice temperament

A.O.C Open Dog (4, 2)

1. Wilson's Carozza Cream Casanova - Strong & cobby; plenty of substance but nothing too much and still capable of striding typically; masculine head; correct body balance just a bit soft topline; harsh coat texture of even colour; not quite ideal nose pigmentation but nice, dark eyes enhance typical expression
2. Muggleton's Mywulf Flame of Arnor - Nice, masculine head & typical expression, oval eyes of dark enough colour, needs better nose pigmentation; correct body shape and outline but badly needs more substance, seems to have left his jacket at home

Veteran Dog – Under 10 years (4, 1)

1. Fludder's Aradet Shot In The Dark - Fabulous male in the pink of conditions, beautiful type, very typical headpiece & expression, strong back, correct topline; moves very typically; coat of correct texture
2. Mance's Ch Schipdale Orlando - Outstandingly fit for his age; pleasing head & expression; a bit short upper arm, a trifle too much scope; full coat of correct harsh texture; friendly and showing all the time
3. Manners' Komargo's Crazy Diamond at Roopec - Attractive gentleman, would do better with a bit more substance but looks cobby; moves purposefully without too much lift, harsh coat, thick mane, frill & culottes; very friendly

Veteran Dog – Over 10 years (3, 0)

1. Wilson's Ch Aradet Off The Chart at Lyncathmor - Fulfilling the breed standard's requirements in every single aspect- small & cobby, masculine head, sharp foxy expression & full set of snow white, entirely healthy teeth; firm topline; correct short stride; charming disposition DRCC
2. Whales' Ch Roshaana Hyperion ShCM - Smart body frame, small & cobby; masculine head, lovely expression; thick mane & culottes, harsh coat just a bit off colour; very friendly
3. Muggleton's Mywulf Faramir's Dream - Perfect type & expression; superbly balanced body; movement perfectly coordinated, sound and typical; harsh coat just a bit out of undercoat; great temperament

Minor Puppy Bitch (2, 1)

1. Fegan's Wagaman Black Raven - Very much a puppy with all the charm & antics it takes but already perfectly balanced with feminine head & sharp expression, compact body; strides around the ring with attitude and no exaggeration; raven black, harsh coat; melting temperament BMPIS

Puppy Bitch (3, 1)

1. Deats' Aradet Black Orchid - Truly a breathtaking puppy, absolutely balanced in both head & body, dark brown, oval eyes, neat and firm ears perfectly set on, good brain box, fine muzzle- all these resulting in foxy expression, quite short, full neck, sturdy & cobby body, straight back; matching, moderate angulation, very typical short stride and absolutely true fore and aft; raven black, harsh coat; alert, friendly & in total unison with her handler. BCC, BOS, RBIS, BPIS

2. Fegan's Wagaman Black Opium - Sound as a bell,, beautiful feminine head, pleasing, foxy expression; short- coupled & perfectly balanced for her age; quality coat in both texture & colour; can move very typically, just a bit unsettled in new surroundings but perfectly friendly & reliable disposition

Junior Bitch (3, 0)

1. Deats' Aradet Black Orchid

2. Reed-Peck's Byquy Black Lilly - Lovely female; totally balanced body, eye-catching head with all details as written in the standard and resulting in truly foxy expression; firm back, correct short gait; superb coat texture & colour; needs a bit more substance; friendly

3. Fellows' Nocte Almerina At Blackshuck - Quite sturdy body; a shade longer loins but still well balanced body; steady and perfectly typical movement; harsh coat, still waiting for full undercoat; perfectly friendly but needs more self-confidence

Special Yearling Bitch (5, 2)

1. Millar's Abylity Nina's Celtic Queen of Turnlaw - Eye-catching beauty & real heartbreaker upon closer inspection; totally balanced and displaying a picture of a small, cobby, ultra sound & ultra feminine Schpperke; good width to the skull, fine but firm muzzle; oval dark brown eyes, neat and stiff ears superbly placed and used; ideal topline; matching angulation; moves soundly with no trace of exaggeration; coat of harsh texture and evenly raven black, just not full after recent moult; sweet & reliable disposition; great showmanship & responding perfectly well to her skilful handler; I would be happy to see her in full coat & having more chance in the challenge

2. Muggleton's Mywulf Ruby Red - Beautiful and oozing breed type and quality of high order; lovely, feminine head, smart & sharp expression; firm back & totally balanced body; correct movement; harsh coat of coal black colour, unfortunately not in full bloom

3. Tricklebank's Nocte Atalanta - Nice, expressive head; correct size; nice bone and substance; not enough hind angulation resulting in a bit high rear part; correct front movement, lacks a bit drive from behind; correct coat texture; friendly disposition

Post Graduate Bitch (5, 0)

1. Robjohn's Aradet Amelia Pond - Small and perfectly balanced; very feminine all through; excels in head details and foxy expression; correct topline; very typical gait with just the right amount of scope & drive; raven black, harsh coat; lovely temperament, great showmanship

2. Peacock's Aradet Xpress Delivery to Rosaramark - Beautiful head, very feminine expression; a wee bit longer loins, still seems balanced; correct short stride and adequate drive from behind; harsh coat, clear colour; reliable temperament

3. Massey's Carozza Black Lace at Ristine - Feminine head, good expression; a bit longer body; moves with attitude against a bit straight stifles; gorgeous coat texture & colour; friendly, displaying great showmanship and deep bond with her handler

Limit Bitch (6, 0)

1. Muggleton's Mywulf Dark Dragoness - Perfect body balance; beautiful head & expression; strong, straight back, matching, moderate angulation; absolutely typical and true movement fore & aft; correct, harsh coat of clear colour; showing perfectly, very friendly

2. Donaldson's Zorbaloo Black Ice - Lovely headpiece, sharp, foxy expression; firm back; needs to drop down in chest; sound movement with correct moderate scope and drive; pleasing coat texture & colour; reliable temperament
3. Fegan's Wagman Black Magic - Nice headpiece, typical expression; needs to tighten up in topline but looks balanced; correct movement; abundant & dense coat of good colour; pleasing disposition

Open Bitch (11, 2)

1. Bugg's Ch Byquy Black Carat - Outstanding female, one to be noticed at first glance and admired no end; stunning headpiece & expression; sturdy and compact body; firm, straight back; perfectly coordinated movement, just enough scope & drive; full coat of perfect texture & raven black colour; behaves & shows impeccably
2. Deats' Am Ch Ebonorth Never On Sunday - Very attractive in stance; beautiful body frame; gorgeous headpiece & expression; correct front movement, lacks a bit in hind action; full coat, perfect texture; wonderful temperament & showmanship.
3. Donaldson's Ch Carozza Athena - Excellent type; expressive, feminine head; correct outline; strides with attitude; a bit soft topline at times; top coat condition, harsh coat texture; lovely temperament

A.O.C. Open Bitch (4, 0)

1. Peck's Ch Byquy Lilley The Pink - My first thought was she is a perfect Schipperke and only later on I realised she is a fawn - this is to say she is one of the best coloured I have seen anywhere in the world; totally balanced; oozes breed type and excels in finer breed points including dark brown eyes, full nose, lips & nails pigmentation; harsh coat of even colour; perfectly coordinated movement; beautiful cobby body; perfect topline all the time; alert & showing all the time. BRCC, Best Coloured In Show
2. Donaldson's Zorbaloo Concrete Blonde - Lovely girl in lighter, fawn colour; pretty head & expression, has to improve in nose pigmentation; sturdy body; firm back; very typical movement; correct coat texture; very friendly and showing well.
3. Reid's Roshaana Jocasta - Very feminine; good overall balance; nice head & expression; lacks a lot in pigmentation; correct coat texture; typical & well coordinated movement; pleasing disposition.

Veteran Bitch – Under 10 years (6, 2)

1. West's Ch & Am Ch Shalako's The Last Rose at Bahram - Lovely type; superbly balanced body; pleasing headpiece & expression; firm & straight back; matching angulation; correct stride; dense & harsh coat in full bloom; great temperament & showmanship.
2. Whales' Ch Qwontox Quidnunc by Roshaana - Smaller, very feminine; expressive head; a bit rounder eye; firm back; reasonable movement; harsh coat; friendly & showing very well.
3. Robjohns' Ch Qwontox Quintessential ShCM - Quite sturdy; cobby; perfectly balanced; moves briskly, but doesn't care much about her topline at times; correct coat in texture & colour; reliable temperament.

Veteran Bitch – Over 10 years (4, 1)

1. Forknall's Komargo Appassionata at Avidore - Lovely type; excellent head & expression; superb condition of coat & seems fit enough to stride around for hours and capable of challenging any youngster in this respect; great temperament and showmanship.
2. Muggleton's Rexford Drama Queen at Mywulf - Beautiful headpiece; foxy expression; cobby, perfectly balanced body; still capable of moving soundly and very typically; correct coat texture; lovely temperament; her condition & joie de vivre belie her age.
3. Wearing's Aradet Party Politics - Truly beautiful head; sharp expression; cobby body; a bit sloping topline; can move with attitude & no exaggeration; abundant & thick coat; great temperament & showmanship.

Judge Dr Janusz Opara (Poland)

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Special Yearling D/B 7entries 1 abs

1st Millar's Abylity Nina's Celtic Queen of Turnlaw. Ideal size well balanced body, flattish skull with oval eyes correct stop ideal head proportion and completely feminine and completely feminine, well placed ears, slightly arched neck, level topline, broad deep chest with lighter hindquarters, cat like feet, harsh dense coat, could carry more to advantage, sound easy mover, one with a future

2nd Smith's Ristine Black Sabbath. 8 month dog puppy mature for age, ideal size, masculine appearance, dense harsh coat, wedge shape head, level topline, well angulated current culottes, on the back of thighs sound mover, showed and presented well, unlucky to meet 1

3rd Robjohn's Aradet Amelia Pond for Qwontox. Quality feminine bitch, well balanced head well, placed ears, correct neck, level topline, sound mover not as compact as above and slightly finer all through

Special Limit D/B 7entries 1 abs

1st Philpott's Aradet Expert Timing. Small cobby dog who was alert at all times, no doubts to his sex, fairly broad flat skull ideal muzzle to skull proportions, arched neck, level topline, muscular compact body, small neat feet, harsh dense well presented coat, correct bone, sound steady mover although could be slightly tidier in front movement.

2nd Donaldson's Zorbaloo Black Ice. Quality feminine bitch ideal size, the best of heads & expression with a kind foxy expression, well balanced body with arched neck & level topline perfectly straight legs, well under body, deep broad chest, coat in super condition & well handled, needs to settle a little bit in movement

3rd Fegan's Wagaman Black Magic. Feminine bitch, pretty head & expression, oval eyes medium sized well placed ears, ideal size harsh dense coat, moves all in one piece not as compact as some and her topline could have been better

Special Open D/B 11 entries 3 abs

1st Donaldson's Carozza Too Hot To Handle. One I have judged & admired when he was in his youth, 9 years old still in super condition for age, ideal size & type, correct coat with the correct silhouette & foxy head & expression, square appearance, straight front, well under his body, broad deep chest, well presented a credit to his owner

2nd Fludder's Aradet Shot in the Dark. In super condition for his 9 years super coat, harsh & dense & well presented, ideal head & expression, sound easy mover correct bone, masculine appearance not just as compact as 1

3rd Fegan's Carozza Justa Madam at Wagaman. Feminine well balanced oval eyes, well placed ears, flat skull, straight front, cat feet, deep chest, harsh dense coat a little more would help her silhouette, sound mover.

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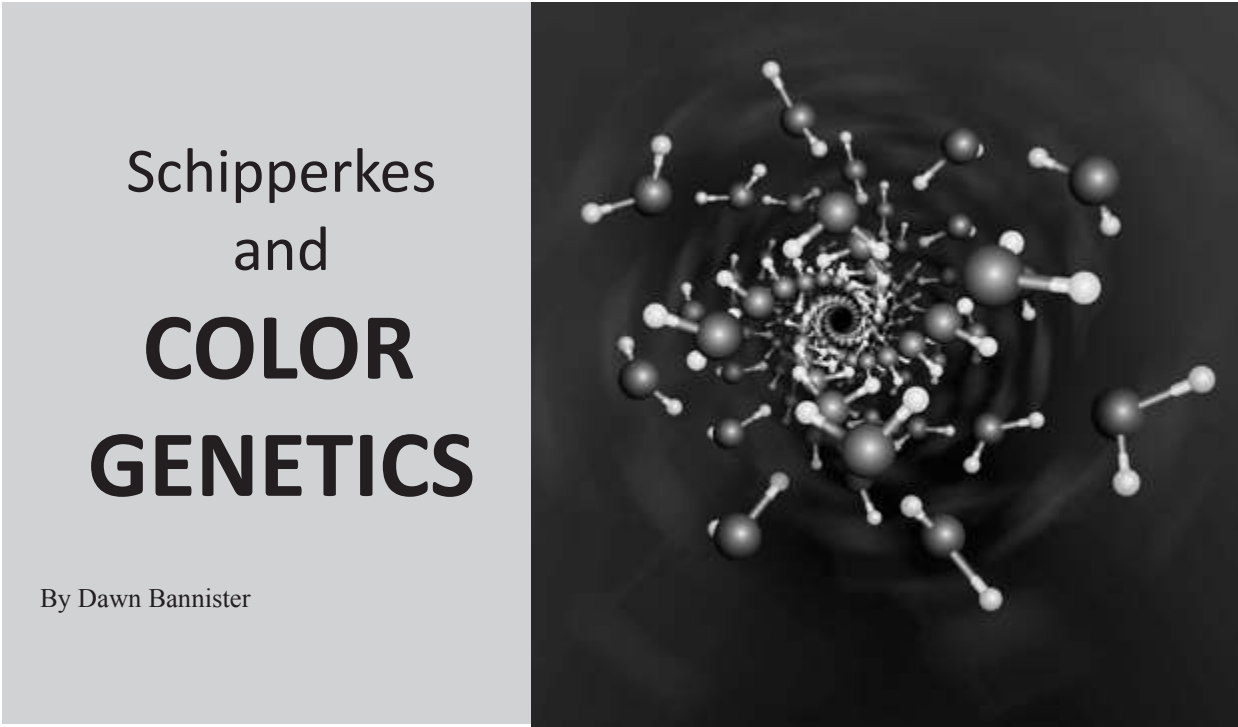
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Recently a litter was born, and as a routine measure I carefully checked the puppies for any signs that one might be a black and tan. I had never produced one at my home, but twice my line has produced this color when outcrossed to other lines. To my surprise, one of the puppies was indeed a black and tan!

While testing had revealed the dam could produce this color, I had assumed the father could not. The father’s mother tested double dominate black or “KK”; his father had produced multiple litters with carrier bitches for a total of 13 black puppies. Subsequently, I tested a few more dogs in my house and at the same time, I set out to learn more about color genetics and what colors have been produced in schipperkes. It is not an easy task. Some researchers blend information where it should not be blended, and most include the color spectrum for every dog breed. The schipperke, I have come to believe, carries only a few of those colors. It can get really confusing, but in this article I will attempt to explain in a manner that is easy enough for everyone to understand yet presents information for those who would like to understand it a step beyond.

In schipperkes, color is determined on six loci. In the field of genetics, locus (singular) or loci (plural), is the specific location or position of a gene, the DNA sequence, on a chromosome. Most loci are identified by a letter of the alphabet, but loci have more specific names as well. It may get confusing after a while because unless you create your own chart, you might think several loci are in discussion when only one is, or vice versa. Dogs, as well as people, inherit a one

set of genes from their father and one from their mother. For every gene or every locus, there will be two genes that come into play. Typically, one type of gene will be expressed over another; these are called dominant. Dominant genes are designated by a capital letter, whereas a matching recessive gene is designated by a lowercase letter. The chart below lists the name designations for the genes involved with color.

LOCUS NAME CHART			
Letter	Scientific Abbreviation	Scientific Name	Common Name
E	MC1R gene	Melanocortin 1 receptor	Extension gene
K	CBD103	Canine Beta-Defensin	Beta-defensin gene
A	ASIP	Agouti-signalling peptide	Agouti gene
B	TYRP1	Tyrosinase-related protein 1	Brown/Liver gene
D	MLPH gene	Melanophilin	Dilute gene
S	MITF gene	Microphthalmia Associated Transcription Factor	White Spotting

While the above chart might look confusing, it is just about the names given to the various loci. Some of the names describe what color they affect. It’s important to understand that all dogs have all

of these loci; the question is, which genes on each locus do they have?

At this point I would like describe each locus -- what they are, what they do, and, as best as I am able, cover why they do what they do. This should help you gain a real understanding of what is happening, color-wise, in schipperkes.

THE E-LOCUS

I am starting with the E-locus, because regardless of your dog's color, this is where your understanding should begin. The E-locus doesn't make a dog all black; it simply determines if there will be any black in your dog's coat. This-locus controls the production of the black pigment called eumelanin. The original gene on this-locus was the "E" gene; however, a mutation in the gene produced the recessive "e" gene which causes the dog to produce only phaeomelanin -- "a reddish or yellowish brown animal pigment related to melanin and common in animals of arid areas" -- turning what should have been eumelanin in the coat to phaeomelanin. Thus, an "E" gene produces black pigment, and "e" produces a reddish or yellowish pigment. Now, as when you were kids and discovered it was easy to cover a yellow crayon mark with a black one, but not the other way around, if a dog has a copy of each gene (Ee), the black or darker pigment will win because "E" is dominant over "e". Two other modifiers are located in

this-locus that I do not believe occur in schipperkes. One is the Melanistic face mask and the other is called "grizzle" or "domino." In the off-chance that a purebred schipperke may show up someday with a color pattern not covered here, I contacted several people, reviewed pictures online, and contacted AKC, but I did not find any of these people to be aware of these color types in our breed.

If your schipperke is "ee" then it is a cream schipperke. This color ranges from white, or nearly white, all the way to a rich, reddish fawn. Pigment on the nose can also range from a black to a brown to a yellow nose. People have used color terms to describe this color as cream, apricot, gold, fawn, red, and white.

If your dog carries at least one E gene (EE or Ee), then you need to understand the K gene.

THE K-LOCUS

It is important to note that in order for the K-locus to matter, the dog MUST carry one E. A recessive "ee" schipperke will be a cream schipperke, regardless of what genes are found on the K-locus. While the E-locus determines if there will be black pigment, the "K" locus determines where the black pigment will be on the dog. There are three known alleles¹ on the K-locus -- KB (dominant black), k(y) Agouti gene, and k(br) brindling gene. It would appear that the original gene was the k(y) gene. This gene allows the A or Agouti gene to express and the alternative color will be solid. (In other words, this could result in a black and tan schipperke). Sometimes this gene is represented as a "k", or N, (which represents Normal) or possibly not applicable. This gene mutated in two different directions, both of which are dominant to the original gene. The first way is k(br), which also allows the Agouti gene to express itself, but the other color will

contain brindle markings, and, to my knowledge, is not found in schipperkes. The second way is K (or KB). Instead of allowing the Agouti gene to express, the KB gene will flood the dog with black pigment, resulting in an all black dog (or, sometimes a mostly black dog.) Understanding which of these genes are dominant is easy if you remember the lesson of the black and yellow crayons: KB is the blackest and most dominant, k(br) brindle contains black markings in the tan, and thus is more dominant to the last gene, k(y), which has the least amount of blackening.

So, as long as your dog has one K or dominant black gene, you will get black puppies, and the Agouti gene will not come into play at all.

THE A-LOCUS OR AGOUTI GENE

The Agouti gene determines if a dog's coat is banded or a solid color. The first thing schipperke breeders should note is that in order for the Agouti gene to matter, the dog in question MUST be NN or k(t)k(t). There are currently four known alleles on the A-locus: a(y), a(w), a(t), and a. The allele a(y) produces a sable or fawn dog, such as a collie coat; however, I do not believe that this gene is found in schipperkes. Our reds and creams are produced on the E-gene. The a(w) allele produces a "wild sable" color in which the hairs switch pigmentation from black to reddish or fawn (such as German Shepherds or wolves). The a(t) allele produces what we call the "black and tan" color pattern in schipperkes, and the last gene is "a," or a recessive black. It appears that on the A-locus we must throw our crayons away

as the darkest color is the least dominant! My personal theory is that we have only the last two alleles in the schipperke breed (black and tan and recessive black), and we likely have a high number of a recessive black genes. My reasoning is that over the years, the black and tans were placed as pets (one hopes), while recessive blacks were kept as a normal black schipperke.

If you have a black schipperke, test the K-locus, and your dog is determined as NN and black, you know the A-gene is "aa," or recessive black. While this may be a good color for showing, you need to understand that the recessive black is recessive to every other allele on the A-gene which means your dog will possibly produce a black and tan puppy if bred to another dog carrying the Agouti gene. This is why I believe it is much easier to test your dog on the K-locus and strive for schipperkes that are double dominant black (KK). Do not worry what is, or is not, found on the A-gene.

I hope I have illustrated that Loci E, K, and A must be seen as steps - 1. E, 2. K, 3. A. Start with E, move to K, and then go to A. The other three genes that I have researched and know can be found in the breed are B, D, and S, and at this point we move away from our 1, 2, 3 pattern of steps.

THE B-LOCUS

The B-locus is: "TYRP1, or tyrosinase-related protein 1, is a protein that plays a role in the synthesis of the pigment eumelanin. In the dominant form of this gene, the "B" allele, normal eumelanin is produced in the coat making the dog's coat appear black in color rather than chocolate. A mutation in the TYRP1 gene can occur causing a change in function which dilutes the black color pigment to a brown

¹ An allele is one of two or more alternative forms (variations) of a gene that arise by mutation and are found at the same place on a chromosome.

color.” Synthesis means the “combination or composition,” so this gene determines how the black pigment itself is built in the dog’s genetic code. The original gene creates a black pigment and, hopefully, a black dog. The mutation is referred to as “b”, and it turns all of the black pigment in a dog to a chocolate, liver or possibly red color. This means you will get a solid brown dog with a brown nose, brown lip pigment, etc. This is why a brown schipperke is always “self-colored” (meaning the pigment matches the coat color). Brown schipperkes exist today and were mentioned in the Chasse et Pêche in the 1800’s.

The B-locus MUST have an E allele in order to express itself which means if your dog is “ee” it will be a cream dog, even if the dog is also “bb”. Interestingly, in this case, the dog will have a yellow or brown nose!

To review, the E connects in one direction to the K and the A-locus and in another direction to the B allele. This is why we needed to start with “E” as it makes a center point in understanding how the others will work.

THE D-LOCUS

Now we will move on to the D-locus which is the Dilute gene. This gene has been defined as “the MLPH gene codes for a protein called melanophilin, which is responsible for transporting and fixing melanin-containing cells.” In other words, it is responsible for the proper distribution of color. The mutation on this gene produced what is labeled the “d” allele, and when a dog carries two copies of this allele (dd) then the color will be distributed, but not properly, and the resulting color will be diluted. This gene is a sort of “wild card,” which means it can affect any color combination. This means you can have a dilute black (grey or blue), dilute black and tan, dilute cream, dilute chocolate, etc.

THE S-LOCUS

The last locus is the S gene. I know the least about the S-locus, and I am only including it because some lines have produced small amounts of white on some puppies. There is a test for the S-locus, but I am not sure it will be effective in the schipperke breed, as it states that “dog breeds with white spotting patterns can be affected by additional mutations in MITF and or other genes that affect coat color deletion and distribution. For example, the Irish spotting pattern seen in many breeds of dogs (such as collies) is not caused by this mutation.” I think it is very likely that schipperkes are affected by Irish spotting. The only way to be entirely sure about this would be to test a large number of schipperkes, or test those dogs that actually have white spots. Unfortunately, such testing would get very expensive very quickly. What this means is that there is a good chance testing for the S-locus is nothing but a waste of money for schipperke breeders.

We have been through the six loci so it is natural to ask: What colors are in schipperkes? AKC lists the following colors: black, apricot, black and tan, blue, chocolate, cream, fawn, grey, red and white. Apricot, cream, fawn, red, and possibly white are likely to be variations of the same color (ee). Any of these colors could be easily affected by the “dd” (dilute) combination; a cream becomes white, red becomes fawn, etc. Blue and grey are also the same color. This reduces the color variations I have been able to find down to five: black, black and tan, cream, blue, and brown. Please understand, though, that there

are also several theoretical colors which the breed could be if certain colors were crossed enough: lilac (dilute brown), chocolate and tan, blue and cream and lilac and cream.

Are you still confused? This chart might help:

What color you are getting?	What locus to test?	What result you want?
Black and Tan	K	KK or KBKB
Cream	E	EE
Blue	D	DD
Brown	B	BB

The Locus A-test is not included here because if you are trying to produce a black dog, testing for this gene is not useful.

What do health results mean then?

- * EE: won’t throw cream, could throw black and tan, chocolate or blue.
- * KK: won’t throw black and tan, could throw cream, chocolate or blue.
- * BB: won’t throw chocolate, could throw cream, black and tan, and blue.
- * DD: won’t throw blue, could throw cream, chocolate, or black and tan.

A TRUE double dominant black schipperke would need to be all of the above: EE, KK, BB, and DD.

So, you tested some dogs, and you are surprised - you carry for color! What should you do? I wouldn’t necessarily test breed stock unless there is a reason to believe that your dog may carry for color, or you are planning on breeding a dog to another that carries for color. You might not even choose to then: we breed and show black schipperkes; if we produce a colored schipperke in a litter, how is that different than risking a bad bite or missing testicles? It is a health issue, and the only scary part about it is making sure your colored puppies get true pet homes and not secret breeding homes. However, if you have a lot of carriers in your kennel, or you suspect you do, color testing is most useful when you will be choosing between two (or more) puppies.

If you have two girls who are equally lovely, knowing one will never throw the color you are concerned about might tip the balance in her favor. It may also make a greater difference if you are deciding whether to keep a nice male. After all, our boys can be used far more often than our girls. Having a boy who does not carry color would be far more useful than having one that does. What I would NOT do is use these color tests as a means to “clean out your kennel.” Our breed has taken enough hits over the years that I would never use such a test to reduce our gene pool yet further. Hence, choosing between siblings is always going to be your best use for such a test.

Should you decide to test your dogs, it is very, very important NOT to take short cuts. Follow the procedure on the next page carefully.

PREPARATION AND TESTING FOR COLOR

1. Microchip your dogs. (Don't spend money on testing without proper ID on each dog!)
2. Clean one plastic crate for every dog you plan to test. Leave no dirt, etc in the crate.
3. Run a wash cloth over your dog, especially the feet, to clean them before placing them in the crate.
4. Leave your dogs in the crate for 2 hours before you test. ONE DOG PER CRATE.
5. Get your swabs ready, plus their jackets, and envelopes to place each dog's sample.
6. Label EACH envelope.
7. After two hours, wash your hands, take out one dog, and swab it (follow instructions, generally 2 to 4 swabs per dog).
8. After swabbing the dog, place the sample inside its individual jacket and then an individual envelope for that dog.
9. WASH YOUR HANDS before getting the second dog out!!
10. Repeat 7 and 8, and if you have more than two dogs, WASH YOUR HANDS between EACH DOG.
11. Place the envelopes inside the shipping container (which may just be a larger envelope).

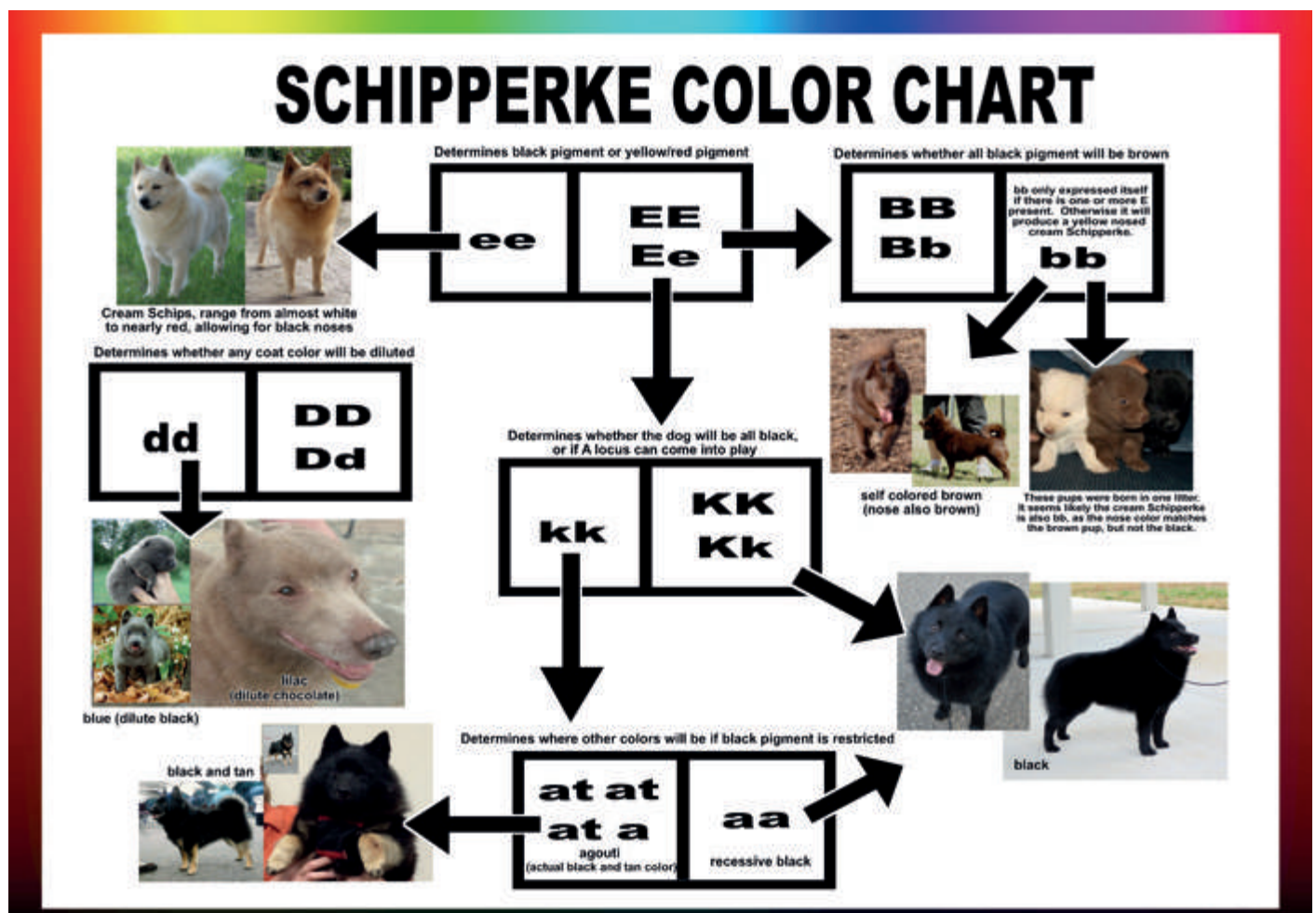
A lot of other genes may come into play in the breed, which either exist untested, or have not yet been discovered. This article is intended

to help breeders understand the basics of color genetics and how these genes apply specifically to schipperkes. Without breed-wide testing, saying an allele does not exist in the breed is merely a theory. Indeed, we could test 100 dogs and not find an allele and yet it might still exist in the breed. Saying for sure how a dog has inherited a color is at best an educated guess. There are several testing labs you can use, and I included a chart to compare prices based on what you are looking for.

I would also like to make a further note here: if you are testing A-locus, please understand that most places you are either testing for whether something is or isn't there. If you test through Animal Genetics, E, B, and D are fairly straightforward. If you are testing the K-locus, the lab will be testing for whether your dog has one copy of the dominant black gene, two, or none. An "n" might better denote "not there" than "normal". If you do choose to test the A-locus, you must make sure that they are testing for at least "at" and "a", and not just the presence of one or the other. For instance, if a dog comes back as "ay/at", this may mean that at least one copy of one of these genes may be present. Since I do not believe schipperkes carry for "ay", this most likely means you know they carry at least one at gene. If you choose to test the A-locus, you really need to know if they have two copies or one copy of the "at" gene or the "a" gene.

Whatever you choose to do regarding your dogs, if you plan to spend the money testing, it is worth taking the time to understand what has been written here and make sure you get your money's worth.

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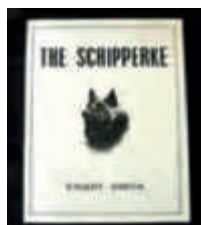
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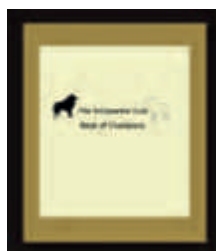


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B.U.B.A	Mr R. Baker	Mr S. Plane
L.K.A.	Mr D. Matthews	Mr D. Guy

*Denotes shows without CC's

! Denotes Awarding CC's First Time in this country



Byquy Paddington Bear

It was with great sadness we had Paddy PTS to save him a lot of suffering.

Paddy was a quiet little dog that loved long walks and a nice bed to go home to. He did agility and was very frustrating in the early years as his nose took over most of the time.

We were at a competition that was held alongside a country fair and he was in a run-off with another dog for 2nd place. The other dog messed up big time so I thought this is it we can do this.

We got 3 jumps from the end and still clear when a man walked past with fish and chips and Paddy joined him doing perfect heal work up the show ground with the man not even knowing he was there.

As he grew older he was more focused and a very steady reliable little lad but was never fast enough to progress up the grades.

He spent a lot of years doing his bit on the Discover Dogs stand at Crufts and Earls Court, it was there Paddy was a great representative for the breed spending hours happily meeting the public being stroked and sometimes hugged by the uncontrolled children, he just loved all the attention.

We have lost a very special little dog that has left us with so many happy memories.
Rest in Peace Paddy Bear

Geraldine and Doug





Rexford Drama Queen at Mywulf

“Bronte”

16th October 2000 - 1st February 2016

Has taken her journey over the Rainbow Bridge

Deeply loved and sadly missed.

Lovingly owned by Jayne & Mugs Muggleton

*My Possessions are few, but I leave them all to you,
my collar and my lead.
I leave you my water dish, half a rubber ball, a torn doll,
and a rubber toy with the whistle missing.
Mostly I leave you memories.*

*The memory of soft eyes, a waggy tail, and a cold wet nose.
I leave you the spot of sunshine on the living room rug
at 4 o'clock on winter afternoons which I used as my own
as I sprawled out on the floor.*

*I bequeath you the sound I made scampering through the carpet
of autumn leaves when we tramped the woods together.
I leave you my devotion and my sympathy when things go wrong.
Without ever speaking a word in my life I leave you lessons in patience,
tolerance, love and understanding.*

Thank you for loving me



PAWS FOR THOUGHT 13

Hi Ollie here again

It's November & brrr its cold. It's the wind, it rattles around here & we are so exposed we feel it more. Although our kennels are nice & snug, it's when we are out for our walk that we feel it. Still, shouldn't complain it could be snowing!! I overheard Mum talking to Edd (the farmer) that he thought it would snow this week, he sounded almost gleeful & according to Mum he enjoys skiing, she doesn't, she hates the snow.

Anyway enough of the weather... I did a VERY silly thing a couple of weeks ago, I tried telling Harry off.

Little pip-squeak had it coming to him. I mean he sits on his little box in the run like he owns the place. So I got cross with him, only this time he retaliated. He caught my bottom eye-lid & I had to go to the vets. They knocked me out to put 2 stitches in. I now know what the caravanners felt like after their nights out!! I was put on painkillers & I felt as high as a kite, the world kept moving & panic, I could only see out of one eye. Apparently I kept shouting, "Help" but the nurses thought I was being cute & just wanted attention. When Mum came to pick me up, boy, was I relieved. Especially when they removed something from my eye (how was I to know it was covered) & I could see again. Anyway I have now fully recovered but although I'm not allowed in with Harry again I can still shout at him. The rotten thing is, I came off worse but HE gets all the sympathy!!! Not fair.

At Christmas we had a great time at Grandma's, plenty of turkey etc & pressies. We also went every day for miles over the woods, Dad got a bit puffed but we all thought it was great fun. Then we had to go back 2 weeks later for a wedding. Us dogs weren't allowed to go, totally unfair I say!! Anyway Mum was backing the van in the driveway & she had an argument with the gate post. The air was "blue", especially as it was Dad that was directing her. She's done it so many times by herself, I'm surprised she took any notice of him!!! We drove home with one headlight taped up.

It's been snowing but unfortunately it froze so it's not much fun to walk on.

By the time you read this Boston/Manchester/Crufts will be over & it'll be the Club Show. So I hope you all have a very good show year.

Happy New Year to everyone.

Ollie xx

NORDIC OPEN SHOW

26th NOVEMBER 2016

AT

Sports Connexion, Ryton on Dunsmore, Coventry

Our Club have kindly been allowed 8 classes
for a "supported breed entry"

Breed Judge. Sue Dykes - Club "B" list

The Schipperke Club offers rosettes 1st - 5th
Best of Breed, Best opposite Sex & Best Puppy
&

Trophy for Best of Breed confined to members of Schipperke Club

Schedules can be obtained from Mrs Brenda Williams
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SKIPSGREEN/SEACROSS SIR HENRY PLAQUE

These trophies are awarded annually to the club members gaining most points in AV/AVNSC classes at **Limit, Open and Championship shows** without cc's during the 12 month period 1st January – 31st December. Claims are limited to any and all Schipperkes owned by the Club Member. The Skipsgreen Trophy is awarded to the winner and the Seacross Sir Henry Plaque to the runner-up.

Claims should be sent to Jan Mance, Keepers Cottage, Langtoft Road, Driffield, E. Yorks YO25 3BJ to arrive no later than 30th January.

Points are awarded as follows:-

Class Wins: 1st = 3pts: 2nd = 2pts: 3rd = 1pt.

Best AV/AVNSC: 5 additional points **Best AVNSC Puppy:** 3 additional points

Shows on Group Systems: Group1=4 additional pts: Group2 = 3 additional pts:

Group3 = 2 additional pts: Group 4 = 1 additional pt.

Puppy Group: as above

BIS = 10 additional pts; **RBIS** = 5 additional pts

BPI = 10 additional pts; **RBPIS** = 5 additional pts.

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SCHIPVILLE PLAQUE/MARAME TROPHY

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BOB: 5 additional points **Best Puppy in Breed:** 3 additional points

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Puppy Group: as above

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