I would like to thank the BCC of GB. for inviting me to judge P.O.T.Y. and V.O.T.Y. A lovely day from the welcome of the committee to the exhibitors; it was a fun packed day with many laughs. Never would believe that I and my Co judge would be in such unison both in marking and views. Though the points system reminded me of judging obedience days ie, rather like fault judging. (Here I apologise to Nick Smith just relieved my error made no difference to the outcome). Puppy bitches far exceeded the puppy dogs not only in expression but in conformation; remember reach is as important as drive. Thank you for the wonderful gift and hospitality second to none, as was the food. Very nice to see Pat Wilkinson after such a long time.

Penny Forster-Cooper