

## **Cavaliers of the Midwest**

**04/21/13, St. Louis, MO**

**Judge: Valerie Harvey (Rivermoor)**

My thanks to the committee for inviting me to judge, also to my stewards and all the various people that helped to make the day run so smoothly. Quality of the exhibits was very good, all presented to a very high standard. There were more small eyes than I expected, a few showing too much white and some light eyes, which gives a hard expression. Heads were variable, a few too long in the muzzle and some lacking cushioning under the eyes. I had a few very good dogs in the younger classes that had wrong mouths, which hopefully in time will go right.

### **Junior Puppy Dog (3)**

**1. Brookhaven Kid Rock** (Ayers/Martz) A very smart 5 month old blen, a lovely head, large dark eyes, good front, neck and topline, well made quarters, moved and showed well for one so young. **2. Cruisin Mr Ted E Bear** (Rackler) 8 month old ruby, good head, dark eyes and soft expression, good pigment, well made body with level topline, good coat, moved OK, very happy. **3. Starmarc Sugar Bear** (Hooper) 7 months blen, well marked, dark eyes, pleasing expression, too long in body, movement needs to tighten up.

### **Senior Puppy Dog (5)**

**1. Elyzian Double Take** (Arnold) Black & Tan with lovely black glossy coat, rich tan markings, pleasing head, dark eyes, good outline, level back, nicely balanced, moved really well with drive. **Best Puppy Dog**  
**2. Bentwood Reason To Believe** (Barton/Harrison) Blen of good type, good head shape, dark eyes, soft expression, short coupled, level topline, well balanced, moved OK but carrying his tail a bit high today. **3. Chadwick Midnight Sun at Hudsonview** (Yassky/Glynn) Nicely marked tri in good coat with bright tan markings, good head, well made body, good bone, good tail carriage, movement needs to tighten. **4. Hiddencreek Hugo Boss, JW** (Green) Heavily marked blen, pleasing head, nice eyes, well made body, good angulation, lacked sparkle today.

### **Graduate Puppy Dog (7)**

**1. Turretbank Magic Spell** (Green/Sloan) B/T. Lovely coat, rich tan, masculine head, lovely eyes and expression, good front and neck, well constructed throughout, correct tail carriage, moved well. **2. Dreamvale Tri Your Luck** (Parker) Well marked tri with good tan, nice outline, level topline, good angulation front and rear, good head and eyes, well balanced, moved well. **3. Jayba Easy Does It, JW** (Lander) Blen, good colour, pleasing head and expression, level topline, good hindquarters, a little loose in front, should tighten up with exercise. **4. Cavilera Perfect Storm** (Gentil) Blen, good head, dark eyes and good pigment, well constructed, needs a bit more body and movement needs to tighten, both should come in time, very promising.

### **Novice Dog (3)**

**1. Clarmarian Covertly Wicked** (Gogol/Young-May) Blen, rich tan, nice size and shape, short level back, good angulation front and rear, masculine head and nice eyes, good bone, moved out well round the ring. **2. Brookhaven Enchanted Dreamer** (Brown) Well broken blen, lovely head, eyes and pigment, short level back and good angulation, moved well when he concentrated on his handler. **3. Numen Bryan** (Sage) Ruby, lovely colour, good head, dark eyes and good pigment, a little long in back and larger than desirable, very happy.

### **Bred By Exhibitor Dog (4)**

**1. Ch Veribas Point Break** (Cusick) Tri, nicely marked, rich tan, lovely head with gentle expression, very good all over construction, short level back and lovely tail carriage, moved and showed well. **Best Bred By Exhibitor Dog** **2. Brookhaven Believe It Or Not** (Ayers/Martz) Well marked blenheim, nice size, pleasing head and expression, well made body with good angulation, well muscled hindquarters, moved well. **3. Canyoncrest Pleasingly Pumpkin** (DuRoss) Very sweet blen, nice outline, good head and eyes but nose a bit off today, needs more muscle, movement needs to tighten. **4. Almeara Kiss The Girls** (Whitmire) Well marked blen, masculine head, good front, too long in the back for me, moved OK.

### **Junior American Bred Dog (3)**

**1. Brookhaven Morgan at Lanmar** (Hubbard) Rich blen, well broken, lovely head and dark eyes, good pigment, good construction throughout, very smart little dog, moved well, great potential. *Reserve Winners Dog, Best Blenheim Dog*

**2. Chewcreek Three Amigos Dusty Bottoms, JW** (DePhillip) Nicely marked blen, carrying his tail too high today but a nice dog, good head and front, stood all four square, moved OK. **3. Dreamvale Olivander** (Sage/Hallsted) Well broken blen showing well, very sound but larger than I like.

#### **American Bred Dog (4)**

**1. Kinglys Clint Black of Bekenhall** (Hall/Herrington) Blen, lovely coat, well balanced, pleasing head, soft expression, short level back, well angulated front and rear, moved and showed well. **2. Clarmarian Classic By Design** (Young-May) Another well marked blen, nice size and shape, good front and neck, back a little longer than #1, very happy, moved well. **3. Quail Garden Tad O Magic** (Barrett) Lightly marked blen with lovely coat and long ears, a nice dog but too large for me, moved well. **4. Sikeleli I Wanna Be A Rock Star** (Nel) Nicely marked tri, well made, good head shape, eyes dark but a bit small and also showed some white which tends to give a hard expression, very happy.

#### **Health & Conformation Dog (1)**

**1. Avia Sgt. Pepper** (Marler) Blen, 6 years old, lovely size and good bone, nose was a little off, nice dark eyes, very compact body, moved freely around the ring.

#### **Special Limit Blenheim Dog (6)**

**1. Althof One And Only** (Hansen) Lovely head, eyes and expression, good front and well made body, level back and good tail carriage, very sound, moved well with drive. **2. Clarmarian Kiss And Cry** (Young-May) Nicely marked, pleasing head, good neck and front, level topline, good tail carriage, moved and showed well. **3. Kaishmar Carlos at Canyoncrest** (DuRoss) Sweet head, dark eyes and good pigment, nice outline, moved well. **4. Turretbank Oliver** (Green) Good shape, lovely front, level back, needs more body, moving close behind today.

#### **Special Limit Ruby Dog (2)**

**1. Stepamgar's Copper Penny** (Ayers/Shreffler) Lovely coat, rich colour, good front, level back, well made body, large dark eyes and soft expression, well balanced, moved well. *Best Ruby in Show* **2. Harana Shakin Stevens** (Bucy) Good head and dark eyes, good neck and front, good coat and ear fringes, moved OK but carrying his tail too high.

#### **Special Limit Black & Tan Dog (2)**

**1. Darane Smooth Criminal at Nightingale** (Mulligan) Lovely beautiful head, good cushioning under large dark eyes giving a gentle expression, well constructed throughout with good angulation front and rear, level topline, correct tail carriage, lovely black gleaming coat, moved and showed really well. *Winners Dog, Reserve Best in Show, Best of Opposite Sex, Best American Bred Dog, Best Black & Tan in Show*  
**2. Brookhaven Bob Bailey** (Schilling) Good coat, well made body, pleasing head but eyes a bit light, good front and neck, good tail carriage, moved OK.

#### **Open Dog (1)**

**1. Ch Angel's Pride Love Vegas of Sumara** (Gentil) Handsome tri, good coat, bright tan, pleasing head and expression, good neck and shoulders, short level back, good hindquarters, well balanced, moved well. *Best Tricolor Dog*

#### **Senior Open Dog (1)**

**1. Margann Archibald Leach** (Boos/Susnis) Very active 13 year old ruby striding around the ring really enjoying his day out, well balanced, nice outline, short cobby body, he is a credit to his owners.

#### **Junior Puppy Bitch (4)**

**1. Kean Ultraviolet** (Keane) 8 month blen, attractive head, dark eyes and sweet expression, good neck and front, level topline, strong hindquarters, correct tail carriage, moved well. **2. Jayba Knockout** (Lander) Blen, good type with typical head, dark expressive eyes, well balanced, good angulation, good potential, showed well. **3. Darane The Neverending Story** (Kates) Nicely marked tri, pleasing head and expression, well made body, moving close behind, very happy. **4. Brookhaven Sexy Sadie** (Ayers/Martz) A very sweet blen, nicely marked, compact, well balanced, movement needs to tighten.

### **Senior Puppy Bitch (5)**

**1. Hiddencreek Juicy Couture** (Green) Attractive blen full of quality, lovely coat, well marked, rich chestnut, very good head, dark eyes, sweet expression, short level back, good construction throughout, moved really well, great potential, good bone. *Best Puppy Bitch, Best Puppy in Show*

**2. Bekenhall You Had Me From Hello** (Hall) Blen of good type, pretty head, neatly made body, good pigment, nice outline, well balanced, moved OK. **3. Bekenhall Rock Star** (Vezina/Hall) Promising blen, sweet head, well constructed, a nice type, just needs to tighten. **4. Midaywin Dances Into A New Beginning** (Fitzgerald/Cusick) B/T, good coat with bright tan, pretty face, well balanced, not quite the substance of the others in this class.

### **Graduate Puppy Bitch (5)**

**1. Cloudbase Porcelain Moon** (Scanlan-Johnson) Very pretty blen with a lovely head and dark eyes with soft expression, good front, neck slightly arched, short level back, stood all four square, moved and showed well, good bone. *Reserve Winners Bitch, Best Bred By Exhibitor in Show*

**2. Almeara Scrumptillyicious, JW** (Whitmire) Attractive tri, good coat, soft and silky with bright tan markings, lovely sweet head, well made body, another puppy with great potential. **3. Veribas Leaps And Bounds** (Cusick) Blen, nice size girl, very pretty, good shape, level back, well made body, moved OK. **4. Kinvaar La Esperanto** (Johnson) Well made blen with sweet head and dark eyes, short coupled, good tail carriage, moving a bit close behind.

### **Novice Bitch (1)**

**1. Veribas Pantomime** (Fitzgerald/Cusick) Blen of good type, pleasing head, dark expressive eyes, nice size and shape, moved happily around the ring.

### **Bred By Exhibitor Bitch (3)**

**1. Ch Starmarc I Believe, JW** (Hooper) Beautiful tri with lovely full head, large dark eyes, good coat with long ear fringes, lovely front, neck and shoulders, level back and strong hindquarters, moved well. *Best Tricolor in Show* **2. Ch Lanmar Pometini** (Hubbard/Beavers) Blen, another quality bitch, nice size, well marked, short level back, good angulation front and rear, moved well. Two worthy champions. **3. Cruisin Minnie Mouse** (Rackler) B/T. Lovely coat and bright tan, good shape head, good conformation, but larger than I like.

### **Junior American Bred Bitch (4)**

**1. Jayba Valentina** (Lyman) Blen, very neatly made, lovely outline, typical head, lovely large dark eyes and good pigment, really good front, well balanced and moved well. **2. Sheeba Royal Expression at Foxcreek** (Johnson) Blen, pretty head, lovely eyes and expression, well made body, short level back, good angulation, moved well, close decision between these two. **3. Darana All About Eve** (Kates) Lightly marked blen, well constructed, sweet head and expression, good pigment, movement needs to tighten. **4. Bentwood Margarita** (Nel/Harrison) More heavily marked blen, very sound, moved well but larger than I like.

### **American Bred Bitch (3)**

**1. Woodsong Clementine** (Kaiser) Blen, lovely coat, very rich colour, pretty head, dark eyes and sweet expression, good front and neck, level topline and strong hindquarters, moved well. **2. Lynsfair Spread The News** (Sams/Fairchild) Heavily marked tricolour, well made body, level topline, good tail carriage, good angulation, moved well. **3. Cloudbase Promise The Moon** (Scanlan-Johnson) Nicely marked blen, good head, well constructed but not showing her best today.

### **Special Limit Blenheim Bitch (5)**

**1. Rockin Rebels Chanel at Turretbank** (Green) Attractive blen of nice type, good head, neck and front, well made body, nicely turned stifles, moved well. **2. Bekenhall Blue Suede Shoes** (Hall/Kent) Well made blen, lovely coat and good ear fringes, sweet head and dark eyes, a very elegant bitch, moved well. **3. Harana Madonna** (Bucy) Pretty blen, good type with typical head, dark eyes, well balanced, nice outline, movement needs to tighten, a very nice bitch. **4. Gayhalo Mosaic** (Ayers/Martz) Heavily marked blen, well balanced, pleasing head and expression, good front, moved well.

### **Special Limit Tricolor Bitch (3)**

**1. Darane Casablanca at ChewCreek** (DePhillip) Good type with pleasing head, lovely dark eyes and gentle expression, good front with well laid shoulders, level topline, strong hindquarters, very happy, free mover. **2.**

**Cavilera Delta Dawn** (Kaiser/Harrison) Well bodied, short level back, good angulation front and rear, nice outline, moved well. **3. First Capital Daisy Mae** (Arnold) Good head and front, level topline, nicely constructed, good bone, moved OK.

**Special Limit Ruby Bitch (2)**

**1. Brookhaven Lucky Penny** (Schilling/Ayers) Sweet head and expression, large dark eyes and good pigment, level topline, good hindquarters, nice straight front, movement OK but a bit close behind. **Best Ruby Bitch 2.**

**Chiyoda Hot Tea In Pot** (Lemon) Pretty head, dark eyes and lovely expression, very happy but carried her tail too high.

**Special Limit Black & Tan Bitch (2)**

**1. Harana Dragonfly Beyonce** (Bucy) Attractive head, large dark eyes and gentle expression, lovely front, level topline, well constructed throughout, moved well, full of quality. **Best Black & Tan Bitch 2. Veribas Wild Horses** (Fitzgerald/Cusick) Good type, pleasing head, sweet expression, well made body, showed well for her young handler.

**Open Bitch (1)**

**1. Hadara Soul Speak** (Koch) Quality blen, beautiful head with large dark eyes and lovely soft expression, very good front with slightly arched neck, short coupled and level topline, good turn of stifle, nice size, good bone, moved well with drive, a great showgirl. **Winners Bitch, Best in Show, Best American Bred in Show, Best Blenheim in Show**

**Veteran Bitch (2)**

**1. Avia Referee's Call** (Marler) 9 year old blenheim, lovely size, very sweet head, short coupled, very happy girl in good condition, moved and showed well. **Best Veteran in Show 2. Sevenwoods Epiphany** (Neumeier) Another 9 year old blen, also in good condition and very happy to be at a show, good head and well made body with good angulation, moved well.