Cavaliers of the Midwest 02/25/11, Irving, TX Judge: Sheila Hindle (Ellisiana)

I would first of all like to thank the Committee, for giving Jeff and I such a wonderful time. Your hospitality was second to none, and we thoroughly enjoyed our visit. I enjoyed judging your show enormously, had some lovely dogs to go over, and I would like to thank the exhibitors for their entries.

Junior Puppy Dog (4)

1. Miletree Carnival (Henry) 6 month old Blen with well broken coat. He showed himself off to perfection. Lovely head with large dark eyes, and excellent pigment. Short in body with good shoulder placement, and spring of rib. Super tail set. Moved well keeping a level top line. Should have a bright future. *Best Puppy Dog, Best Puppy in Show*

2. Canyoncrest Star Blazer (DuRoss) Another lovely puppy with pleasant head. Dark eye, and good pigment. Good body shape. Moved with style, just preferred the eye of 1. **3. TruElegance Raising The Bar** (Cromer) 8 month old well broken Blen. Nice head, with good pigment. Slightly longer in body than 1 and 2, but another lovely puppy who moved well. **4. Seneca Manor Native Dancer** (Gerkin) Well broken Blen with handsome head, and the coveted Blen spot, would have liked slightly more body weight.

Senior Puppy Dog (1)

1. Lanmar Smoochme at Adorme (Sparks/Hubbard/Beavers) 12 month lightly marked Blen. Lovely head with gorgeous large dark eyes. Excellent pigment. Good neck and shoulders. Nice size. **Graduate Puppy Dog (3)**

Forestcreek Brass In Pocket (Cline) Lovely well broken Blen 15 months old. Super eyes and good pigment. He had a good reach of neck, good shoulder placement. Well shaped body with good spring of rib, level top line and good tail set. Well angulated hindquarters, giving him good back movement.
Benchmark Up In The Air (Chan/Mitchell) Heavily marked Blen. Lovely colour. Good neck and shoulders, short in body. Tended to lose his top line on the move.
Benchmark Jet Setter (Compel) Heavily marked tri. Pleasant head. His ear set could have been a little higher. Again dropped his top line on the move.

Bred By Exhibitor Dog (2)

1. Ch Bekenhall Jailhouse Rock (Hall) 4 year old. Well turned out nicely marked Tri. Lovely head with good ear set. Excellent pigment. Good neck and shoulders and lovely top line which he kept on the move. **2. Ch Jayba Pucker Up, JW** (Lander) 2 year old Blen with lovely head. Longer in body than 1st, moved well.

Junior American Bred Dog (4)

Shirmont Password (Henry/Kinser) 14 month old well broken Blen. This dog had a strong head with good pigment and a lovely large eye. Good neck, shoulders and top line. Moved well. 2. Lilium Quince at Crown Rose (Rosenberg) 10 month old well broken Blen. Pleasant head, would have preferred a larger eye. Excellent pigment. Good shoulder placement. Kept a good top line on the move.
Pinecrest Dixieland Band (Scanlan Johnson) Heavily marked Tri, with a super head. Lovely large dark eye and excellent pigment. Lovely size. Short in body with good spring of rib. Unfortunately something spooked him, and I could not assess his movement. 4. Sikeleli Monet at Quail Run (Kornhi) 6 month old heavily marked tri, who was very much a baby and looked it in this class. Had a lovely head, good neck and shoulders. Just needed to mature, and probably would benefit from a bit more weight, which I am sure will come with age.

American Bred Dog (6)

1. Brookhaven Stetson McMath (Hatfield) 20 month old well broken Blen. Handsome headed dog with good dark eye and pigment. Excellent neck and shoulders. Good spring of rib. Good top line and tail set. Excellent mover. **2. Quail Garden Tad O Magic** (Barrett/Geller/Mittelman) 20 month old well broken Blen. Lovely head with nice eye and good pigment. Neck and shoulders were good. Top line tended to dip a little on the move. **3. Briarcrest Star Chaser, JW** (Mitchell) Blen. Nicely turned out, with pleasant head, would have preferred a better eye. Good neck and shoulders. Unsettled on the move. **4. Shirmont Back for More, JW** (Henry/Dodson) Well broken Blen in good coat. Nice head. Slightly longer in back than 3rd. Again unsettled on the move.

Special Limit Blenheim Dog (4) This was a lovely class.

1. Miletree Raoul at Shirmont, JW (Henry) 2 year old Blen. Typical Toy Spaniel of the correct size. I loved the expression from those large dark eyes. Gorgeous head, flat skull, long ear fringes. Excellent size. Good neck and shoulders. Good spring of rib. He is an excellent mover, keeping a level top line,

and showing his super tail set. Winners Dog, Reserve Best in Show, Best of Opposite Sex in Show, Best Blenheim in Show

2. Judyland Magical Fizz (Mittelman) 30 month old Blen. Another lovely dog in excellent coat. Lovely head, with dark eyes, and good pigment. Good shoulders, short in back, good tail set. A close thing just thought my first was more settled, and learning that this dog had just recently come from England, I am sure when he settles in he will take some beating. *Reserve Winners Dog*

3. EngCh Cinderlace Cromwell at Jayba, EngJW (Lander) 3 year old, heavily marked Blen. Lovely colour. Pleasant head, large dark eye, and good pigment. Super neck and shoulders. Good body shape. Moved well. Would have preferred more animation. **4. Pascavale Bronson** (Kinser) 3 year old Blen in good coat. Handsome head. Unsettled on the move, which made him loose his topline. **Special Limit Tricolor Dog**

1. Canyoncrest Luck of the Draw (DuRoss) 3 year old nicely marked Tri Colour. Lovely tan markings. Pleasant head with dark eye, and good pigment. Moved well. **Open Dog**

1. Ch Jayba Don Juan, JW (Lander) 2 year old Blen with a handsome head. Excellent dark eye and good pigment. Good neck, shoulders, and spring of rib. Super top line, which he kept on the move. Considered him for Best Dog. Well turned out. 2. Ch Pascavale Stefano, JW (Cline) 17 month old Blen. Super colour. Another lovely dog with good head. Just missed out on coat today. 3. Felicity Super Trouper (Hill) Lightly marked Blen 2 years old. Pleasant head with good pigment. Lost top line on the move.

Junior Puppy Bitch (9) A lovely class.

1. Woodsong Lolita (Kaiser) Lovely Blen puppy 8 months old. Very pretty head with super large dark eyes and dark pigment. Lovely shape. Short in body with a good neck and excellent lay of shoulder. Good spring of rib, and excellent tail set and croup. Moved round the ring keeping a level topline. *Best Puppy Bitch*

2. Miletree Wendy McKenzie (Henry) 6 month old. Littersister to the Best Puppy Dog. Not quite as mature as my lst, but another super bitch. Well marked with a lovely head and eye. Dark pigment. Short in body with good neck and shoulders. Moved well. **3. Jayba Love Bite** (Lander) 9 month old, well broken Blen. Slightly longer in body than 1 and 2, but a lovely head with good ear set, and flat skull. Excellent reach of neck. Good shoulders and spring of rib. Moved well, and was beautifully turned out. **4. Autumnhill Laker Girl** (Parente) 9 month old lightly marked Blen. Another lovely headed bitch. Good Shoulders and excellent top line. Well turned out.

Senior Puppy Bitch (6)

1. Brookhaven Enchanting Dawn (Ayers/Martz) Another lovely class. 10 month old Blen. Super colour. Very pretty head with flat skull. Lovely eye and good pigment. Lovely shape, and super back angulation. To be hyper critical, I would have liked a little more reach of neck. Lovely mover. **2. Brymarden Over the Moon for Benchmark** (Hoorman) Another lovely bitch 9 months old. Pretty head. Good neck and shoulders. Longer in body than 1. Moved well. **3. Briarcrest Some Bunny To Love** (Van Luchene) 10th month old Blen, with a pleasant head. Lovely eyes. Good pigment. Good neck and shoulders. Needs to mature. Moved well. **4. Roserock Sweet Reflection** (Contreras) 10th month old lightly marked Blen. Pleasant head, would have liked more neck and lay of shoulder. Moved well.

Graduate Puppy Bitch (8)

1. Maibee Just My Imagination of Bentwood (Harrison) 17 month old Blen, beautifully turned out. Pretty head with dark eye and excellent pigment. Long ear fringes. Good neck and shoulders and good back angulation. Moved well. 2. Pinecrest Dixie Melody (Eubank) Beautiful broken Tri colour bitch. Good tan markings. Pretty head with a lovely eye, and good pigment. Super neck and shoulders, short in back, with a level top line which she kept on the move. With a little more body she will take some beating. 3. Shirmont Apple McIntosh, JW (Henry/Dodson) Lovely Blen bitch paler in colour. Again with a lovely head, and good body shape. Good mover. 4. Spindlepoint Hope (Compton) Another lovely Blen bitch. Lovely colour. I was splitting hairs between all four of these bitches. Would have preferred better eye. But she is a lovely shape and moved well keeping a level top line. Bred By Exhibitor Bitch (2)

1. Ch Pinecrest Rockabye Baby (Eubank) Beautiful well broken bitch of lovely size and type. Very pretty head with super eyes and good pigment. Good lay of shoulder and reach of neck. Excellent mover keeping topline. Liked her tail set and croup. *Reserve Winners Bitch*

2. Cloudbase Promise the Moon (Scanlan Johnson) 19 month well broken Blen. Pretty head with good eye. Good shoulder. Would prefer more back angulation.

Junior American Bred Bitch (6)

1. Bentwood Leading Lady (Harrison) 16 month old. A stunning and well turned out Tricolour bitch. Her coat was gleaming. Glorious head with the most expressive eyes. My notes say "Best Eye of the day". Lovely reach of neck, and lay of shoulder. Good spring of rib. Perfect top line. Excellent tail set and croup. Moved with elegance and style. *Winners Bitch, Best in Show, Best Tricolor in Show, Best American Bred in Show, Best Bred By Exhibitor in Show*

2. Pinecrest Dixie Chick (Eubank) 13 month old Tricolour. Pretty head, would have liked a better eye. Excellent neck and shoulders and a lovely size. Needs to mature. Super mover. 3. Redbud One Chance Fancy (Scott) 14 month well broken Blen. Pretty head. Good neck and shoulders. Moved well, just needs more coat. 4. Caddo PC (Dodson/Henry) 16 month old well broken Blen. Pretty head with good eye. Nicely constructed. Would prefer more body weight.

American Bred Bitch (8)

1. Seneca Manor Morning Glory (Gerkin/Richmond) 18 month old Blen. Pretty head with lovely eye and good pigment. Excellent neck and shoulders. Good top line and tail set. Well angulated hindquarters. Moved well. 2. Hadara Easy Does It (Koch) Well broken Blen, 20 months old. Another pretty headed bitch, long ear fringes. Good neck, shoulders and top line. Longer in length than l. Moved well. 3. Sheeba Pennies From Heaven at Chapel Creek (Hensley) Lightly marked Blen, 20 months old. Pleasant head, would have preferred a larger eye. Good pigment. Moved well keeping level topline. 4. Emenkay Orlagh (Peterson) Well marked Blen 3 year old. Another pleasant head with lovely eye. A little unsettled on the move.

Health and Conformation Bitch (1)

1. Pinecrest Lawdy Miss Claudie, RE (Barton) 6 year old blen in excellent condition and of lovely size. Super head with a large dark eye and good pigment. Excellent lay of shoulders, good spring of rib, well angulated hindquarters and a level topline. Moved well.

Special Limit Blenheim Bitch (4)

1. Miletree Crystall at Shirmont (Henry) 2 year old Blen. Lovely head and eye. Would have preferred a higher ear set. Super neck and shoulders, Good spring of rib. Short in back, with excellent top line on the move. Turned out well. **2. Jayba Sweet Tea** (Lander) 2 year old well broken Blen.

Pretty head with a lovely eye. Would like a little more reach of neck, and lay of shoulder. Moved well. **3. Kaishmar Katarina at Canyoncrest** (DuRoss) 2 year old well broken Blen. Pleasant head, with flat skull. Nicely angulated hindquarters. Would prefer a better tail set. **4. Luxxar Justin Case** (Koch/Campanozzi) Blen 19 month old. Lovely head. Dark eye and good pigment. Could have moved better.

Special Limit Tricolor Bitch (3)

1. Pinecrest Whistlin' Dixie (Eubank) 1 year old with a gleaming coat. Very pretty head with a lovely eye. Rich tan markings. Lovely body shape and well angulated hindquarters. Excellent mover, with a good topline and tail carriage. **2. Sheeba Standing Ovation of Windnsea, JW** (Sutton) 2 year old. Another lovely tri well broken. Lovely head, good neck and shoulders would have preferred a little more spring of rib, but she moved well. **3. Bekenhall Good Luck Charm** (Hall/Kent) Well broken Tri 2 years old. Another lovely head with flat skull. Good body shape. Moved well.

Special Limit Ruby Bitch (2)

1. Avia Gardenia (Poti) 4 year old Ruby. Lovely eye. Ear set could have been higher. Good neck and shoulders. A lovely size. Moved well. *Best Ruby in Show 2.* Cruisin Rubicube (Rackler) 17 months. Good colour. Pleasant head with good ear set. Very unsettled on the move. Once **Pitch** (4)

Open Bitch (4)

1. Ch Aranel with Love, JW (Flowers Foster) 2 year old, well broken Blen. A beautiful headed bitch with lovely dark eyes, framed by long ear leathers. A lovely size and shape, with well angulated hindquarters. I considered this bitch in my final line up, but unfortunately she was for me a little overweight, which showed when she was moving. An abundance of coat made her look short in neck when standing. 2. Ch Pinecrest Rockamysoul (Eubank) 3 year old Blen. Another lovely bitch. Very pretty. Good neck and shoulders, and short in back. Moved well, keeping a level topline and good tail carriage. 3. Pascavale Talula (McCaslin) 2 year old Blen. Pretty head, smaller in eye that 1 and 2. Good make and shape. Moved well. 4. Grantilley Moon Lighting of TruElegance (Cromer) 5 year old bitch. Pleasant head, well shaped body, and well turned out. Moved well.

Senior Open Bitch (3)

1. Ch Ricksbury Royal Temptation of Pinecrest (Eubank) 9 year old heavily marked Blen in exceptional condition. Glorious head with those lovely eyes the breed standard asks for. Good neck and shoulders and excellent spring of rib. Short in back. Good hindquarters which gave her plenty of drive on the move. Moved like a two year old. When I looked in my judges book noticed she was one of my favourites when she lived in England, and she did not disappoint today. **2.** Castlemar Sophia Grace, C-RE, C-CD (Barton) Another pretty well broken Blen. Lovely eye and good body shape. Moved

well. **3. Benchmark Tempest, C-CD, C-RA, C-NA** (Teff) An amazing 13 year old well broken tri. Pretty head. She certainly enjoyed her day.

Veteran Dog (2)

1. Ch Sanickro Crusader of Dallarock (Johnson/Gelderman) 11 year old in good condition. Handsome head with a super eye and good pigment. Good construction all round. Moved well. *Best Veteran in Show* 2. Flying Colors Open Sky (Graham) 9 year old. Lovely head and eye. Unsettled on the move.

Veteran Bitch (4)

1. Ch Pinecrest Takes Two to Tango of Bekenhall (Hall) 8 year old Tri with a wealth of sparkling coat. Pretty head and good body shape. Super top line and tail set. Moved well. 2. Castlemar Sophia Grace, C-RE, C-CD (Barton) See Senior Open Bitch. 3. Benchmark Ballerina (Teff) 10 year old tri. Heavily marked. Lovely head. Good shape and super top line. Moved well. 4. Benchmark Tempest, C-CD, C-RA, C-NA (Teff) See Senior Open Bitch.

Brace (1)

1. Luxxar Justin Case & Hadara Easy Does It (Koch/Campanozzi) Moved well together.