

**Cavaliers of the Northeast**  
**03/18/12, Williamsburg, VA**  
**Judge: Mandy Mulligan (Nightingale)**

Thank you to the Cavaliers of the Northeast for asking me to judge the championship show in Williamsburg, Virginia this year. Williamsburg holds a special place in my heart as that is the location of my first ever CKCSC show back in 1991. I have also judged here in the past. Lots of fond memories. Special thank you to my ring steward, Ellen Seidman. She did a wonderful job keeping things moving smoothly in the ring. Thank you to all the others on the show committee for an excellent job. I was thrilled to see so many beautiful exhibits. This was a quality entry, and there were many dogs that left the ring without a ribbon that deserved one. Presentation was excellent. It was nice to see so many lovely bitches. Often times, the boys tend to dominate the show. Don't get me wrong there were many fabulous boys. I love to see a strong bitch line up because I think that really bodes well for their breeder/owner's future.

**Junior Puppy Dog (15)**

**1. Orchardhill Kid You Not** (Venier) This beautiful young man caught my attention immediately. He has the sweetest head and expression. Beautiful large round dark eyes. Pigment is deep. Lovely neck and shoulders, correct topline, well angled. He moves with lots of drive. Very happy in the ring. Tons of coat for his age. He was presented beautifully. *Best Puppy Dog, Best Puppy in Show*  
**2. Linrica Bye Bye Birdie** (Hsiung/Liu) Another lovely blenheim boy with good shape and outline. Pretty head with good expression. I liked his spring of rib and nice amount of bone. **3. Brookhaven Believe It Or Not** (Ayers/Martz) Attractive blenheim boy and I also thought very highly of. He moved well and was presented nicely. **4. Clarmarian Kiss And Cry** (Young-May) Very well made puppy in body and movement. Head not as attractive as the 3 above. Quality boy that should mature nicely.

**Senior Puppy Dog (4)**

**1. Almeara Kiss The Girls** (Whitmire) What a beautiful mover this boy is. Attractive head, correct topline, nice shape and size. Very flashy boy. **2. Bonitos Companeros Kaleo at Diorchavon** (Bialek) This blenheim boy has a gorgeous head. He is well built and well muscled. He was having a hard time keeping all feet on the ground today. **3. Tudorr Apollo** (Mixon) Blenheim boy with correct topline and tail carriage. Nice head with large eyes. **4. Wellsworth Kiss The Girls** (Wells) Sweet boy with a lovely head and expression. He is a nice size, compact body. He was not very happy to be in the show ring today.

**Graduate Puppy Dog (3)**

**1. Chantismere Caruso of Chadwick** (Eckersley) Beautiful head on this boy. Love his eyes and expression. Nice shape, correct topline, moved well. Croup a bit too steep and his tail carriage caused him not to go farther. Shown very well. **2. Autumn Hill Ring of Fire, JW** (Parente) Attractive ruby with lovely bone and structure. He moves with drive. I would prefer a softer expression. **3. Jordanic Luigi** (Gentil) Nice blenheim boy with many good qualities. Not showing so well today for his handler. When he settles, he should do some winning.

**Novice Dog (3)**

**1. Kayangee Barnaby Jones** (Kates) Compact blenheim boy with correct size and good bone. Topline was level. Very sweet head and expression. Rear movement excellent. Very busy boy. **2. Noonvale Firewalker** (Bertron) Very attractive ruby with beautiful pigment and color. Large eyes, attractive head, excellent topline, and moved well. A bit big for me. **3. Charteroak Claude Monet** (Obadowski) Black and tan with a sweet head and pretty eyes. Didn't move as well as the first two.

**Bred By Exhibitor Dog (1)**

**1. Piccadil Peppermint Twist** (York) Lovely blenheim dog with a gorgeous head. Love his eyes, correct length of muzzle, great pigment. Correct size and shape. Loads of coat and presented beautifully. Tail carriage good, tended to roach his topline a bit today.

**Junior American Bred Dog (6)**

**1. Linrica I Dreamed A Dream** (Liu) Wow, this young man impressed me immediately. He is so well built with correct topline, tail carriage, good bone, nice shape. His head is sweet with large eyes and great expression. Lovely neck and shoulders. Rear movement exceptional. One of the best moving dogs of the day. When we got to the Winners Dog competition, he just stuck in my head. *Reserve Winners Dog*  
**2. Harmony Afternoon Tea** (Richmond) Very pretty boy with lovely head and such clean markings. My notes say "stylish". Lovely neck and shoulders. Correct topline. Croup steep and tail carriage not what I like. **3. Mimric Consensus** (Hodges/Perkins) Adorable blenheim baby in the class. What a promising 6 month old. He showed like a pro. Excellent topline and tail. Attractive head with nice eyes. Good neck and shoulders. **4. Denham Dream Boat** (Maddox) Ruby with a beautiful head. I love his sweet, soft expression. Good bone, correct topline. Nice deep brisket. Lots of coat. Tail carriage too high. *Best Ruby Dog*

**American Bred Dog (5)**

**1. Excalibur The Heat Is On** (Arthur) Blenheim boy with nice size, shape, and proportions. Correct topline and excellent tail carriage right off his back. Best mover in the class and looked good from all directions. Pretty head with nice eyes. **2. Chadwick Scotch On The Rocks at Hudsonview, JW** (Yassky/Glynn) Very attractive blenheim boy that I have admired since he was a pup. Dead level topline. Attractive broad head with lovely large eyes. Tailset a bit low. **3. Tassajara Hugh Jackman** (Seidman/Hughes/Berkau) Heavily marked blenheim with deep rich color. Sweet expressive head and eyes. Another great topline. Moved well and presented nicely. **4. Forestcreek Apollo** (Walzer/Cline)

Loved the head on this boy. Correct neck and shoulder placement. Level topline. Movement not true up and back, and he paced a bit in the class today.

### **Special Limit Blenheim Dog (3)**

**1. Kinvaarr's Mile High Club** (Harrison) Beautiful classic Cavalier. Loved his head and sweet expression not overdone in any way. His body was great to go over with a nice deep chest down to the elbow, well sprung ribs, and muscled hindquarter. Plenty of bone. He moved so easily it was great to watch. Shown with tons of coat and well presented. *Winners Dog, Best of Opposite Sex in Show, Best Blenheim Dog*

**2. Aranel Revelation** (Wells) Another stunner with a gorgeous head and huge eyes. Very similar in many ways to the winner. Nice shape, he is a bit more short coupled, great topline and tail carriage. Moved with drive. Well angled and it showed on the move. It was a tough decision between the two, and I was told that all three judges over the weekend felt the same way! **3. Alberica Duke Of Earl** (Crommett) Attractive boy very different in type than the two above. Smaller dog, good proportions and shape. He moved well. Attractive head, would prefer a bigger eye.

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

**1. Dreamvale Smart As The Dickens, JW** (Warshaw/Sage) Adorable short coupled boy with the sweetest head and gorgeous eyes. Nice high ear set. Good reach of neck, shoulder placement, and level topline. Well angled rear, moved with drive. *Best Tricolor Dog* **2. Bozi VH Lamslag** (York) These two couldn't be more different. Another attractive boy bigger than the first. Masculine head, level topline, shown to perfection

### **Special Limit Ruby Dog (3)**

**1. Elyzian Prime Mover** (Davis) Very substantial dog with lots of bone. Well made shape, but he is a bit larger than I prefer. Attractive head with large eyes. Lovely crested neck. Nice color and dark pigment. Best mover in the class and presented perfectly. **2. Tanglewood Rebellion** (Saban/Fairchild) Well made boy with good shape, angles, and proportions. He moved nicely with correct topline. Pigment looked a bit off today. **3. Blackfire Aquavit N Bordeaux** (Lauve) Deep rich color on this boy. Shorter muzzle, he has lovely eyes. Not as strong in movement as above. All three boys carried their tails a bit high today.

### **Special Limit Black & Tan Dog (3)**

**1. Darane Leonardo Da Vinci** (Birbeck) Lovely head with very soft expression. Darkest eyes in the class. Lovely to go over on the table with deep chest and well sprung ribs. Best mover in the class, correct topline, tail carriage. Tons of coat well presented. *Best Black & Tan in Show* **2. Brookhaven Bob Bailey** (Schilling) Another very attractive dog of nice size. Moved well with level topline. Not as much substance as above and I preferred the head on #1. Very showy boy. **3. Taron Brandys Ricky at Carlen** (Close) Very sweet, smaller boy with lovely head and expression. Correct topline. Movement not as strong as above.

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

**1. Ch Pascavale Nathan** (Cline) Small compact blenheim of nice size. Sweet expression and nice eyes. Head not really my type. Level topline, moved nicely. Shown in good coat and beautifully presented.

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

**1. Chadwick Rhumba** (Lauve/Eckersley) This 14 year old blenheim boy is so sweet. I remember seeing him in the show ring for many years. Well he still loves it! Nice head and expression, compact body, and still moves with plenty of pep. Well done to his owner!

### **Junior Puppy Bitch (9)**

**1. Brookhaven In The Garden** (Ayers/Martz) Adorable little blenheim girl with tons of ring presence for her tender age. Sweet face with lovely eyes, high set ears framing face. Lovely neck and shoulders, level topline, good tail carriage. Moved around the ring like she owned it.

**2. Oggbrae Donna Elvira** (Bales) This is a lovely bitch with plenty of bone and substance. She has a lovely head with large dark eyes. Good pigment. Correct topline, and great strong movement. Her rear movement is especially strong. Shown in good coat. **3. Truluv Fashionista** (Nikaci) Sweetest face with great eyes. Very flashy girl. Proportions not that of the two above. Bit long in body and short on leg. Good bone for size. Moved nicely. Good front and rear. **4. Chadwick Papparazzi** (Eckersley) Another real cutey with sweet face and expression. Lovely fill under eyes for the soft expression. Nice neck and shoulders. Well sprung ribs.

### **Senior Puppy Bitch (8)**

**1. Liane's Xaviera** (Mulligan) Wow what a girl! Beautiful ruby so mature for her age. Lovely shape and outline with plenty of bone. Correct in all ways. Moderate. Attractive head, nice eyes, correct length of muzzle. Topline and tailset are just right. She moved with beautiful drive. Well presented. *Best Puppy Bitch, Best Ruby in Show*

**2. Wandris Believe in Me of Sumara** (Gentil) Well made girl with good substance and bone. Attractive head, correct topline, well angled rear. Nice girl. **3. Forest Creek Princess Diana** (Cline) 3 & 4 are two littermates that are so similar. Both have lovely heads, nice eyes, good pigment. Deep rich blenheim color. Move well, but both were hindered by being overweight. Spoiled the look and movement. **4. Forest Creek Pippa M** (Mixon/Cline) See above.

### **Graduate Puppy Bitch (8)**

**1. Jayba Tres Jolie** (Lander) What a beauty. Loved everything about her. Beautiful head, not too overdone, with soft expression and large eyes. Blenheim with very dark pigment, looks like she is wearing eyeliner. Lovely crested neck into well laid shoulders. Level topline, strong rear. Moved great, carried tail correctly. Oh so close for a higher award! **2. Truluv Aria** (Nikaci) Quality blenheim bitch with nice eyes and pretty head. Good topline and tail carriage, strong rear. Seemed a little overweight today. **3. Brookhaven Darbie** (Ayers/Martz) Tri bitch with sweet face and short muzzle. Lovely markings, she is very flashy and gets your attention. Good topline, tailset a bit low. Very happy in

the ring. Lots of wagging! **4. Jordanic Madalaina** (Gentil) Another good quality bitch. Blenheim with attractive head and good pigment. Correct topline, strong rear that showed easily in her movement.

#### **Novice Bitch (5)**

**1. Pied Piper Queen of Clubs** (Saban) Small cobby black and tan girl with a sweet expression and lovely eyes. Level topline, moved and showed well. Very pretty. **2. Excalibur Hidden Camera** (Arthur) Similar shape to winner, small compact body. Adorable head, moved well. **3. Kyneslane Ain't She Sweet** (Paplauckas) Bigger blenheim girl with loads of substance. Nice mover, correct topline, lovely neck. I like her angles. Sweet eyes, but plainer head. **4. Jemanda Chateau Latour** (Weinstein) Blenheim with attractive head. Good ear placement. Topline and movement good. May have been nervous, lots of panting.

#### **Bred By Exhibitor Bitch (4)** Beautiful class!

**1. Rokirk Rave Review** (Kirkland/Hodges) As soon as I saw her, I thought "wow". What a lovely girl. Heavily marked blenheim with deep rich color and dark pigment. Her head is precious with giant dark eyes. Correct length of muzzle and correct stop. Correctly placed ears that were long and framed her lovely face. Crested neck, well laid shoulders, just right spring of rib, short loin. Leading into well angled hindquarters. Carried level topline and correct tail carriage on the move. What a delight! **Reserve Winners Bitch, Reserve Best in Show, Best Blenheim in Show**

**2. Truluv Hugs N Kisses** (Nikaci) Great shape and outline on this compact girl. Lots of bone for size. Excellent mover, great topline and tail carriage. Super flashy. She has a lovely head, but I preferred the winner just a bit. Lovely girl. **3. Jayba Buttons N Bows** (Lander) Another sweetie with the cutest head. Huge eyes, ear set a little low. Lovely neck and shoulders, compact body with level topline standing and on the move. Rear just ok. Beautiful coat and presented to perfection. **4. Lilium Poppy** (Adkins) Well made girl with a lovely head, pretty eyes, and high ear placement. Gives her a real smart expression. Good topline and angles. Moved well. Promising.

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

**1. Orchardhill Indiscreet, JW** (Venier) Young dog that I have admired. Just the sweetest head and expression, great eyes. Neck and shoulders so pretty. Level topline, correct tailset, good bone for size. Movement tops. Presented +++. **2. Darane Casablanca at Chewcreek** (DePhillip) Small 6 month. tri girl with sweet head and lovely eyes. Nice cobby body with good shape. Moved and showed very well. **3. Kyneslane Lil' Miss Daisy** (Paplauckas) Larger blenheim girl with dynamite body. Moved well and showed with enthusiasm. A little plain in head and had her tail up a bit too high today. **4. Charteroak Lady Godiva** (Obadowski) Black and tan girl with sweet head and eyes. Topline okay. Could use more bone and substance.

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

**1. Primrose Hearts Afire** (Lovett) Darling compact blenheim bitch right up my alley. Love her cobby body and overall shape. Topline and tailset good. Sweet head and expression, nice eyes. Lovely neck. Good bone for size. **2. Forestcreek Piece Of My Heart** (Cline) Close second place. Another lovely bitch, just a bit longer in the body. Nice head, pretty eyes. Good movement. Also had nice amount of bone for her size. **3. Almeara Made You Look** (Whitmire) Beautiful head and eyes on this blenheim girl. She is so flashy! Nice topline, excellent movement. Very happy and busy in the ring. Lot to like about her, but today her tail was really high. **4. Blackfire Shows Class** (Weidig/Kennedy) Pretty tri. Like her head, longer in the body than above. Could have stronger front and rear angles.

#### **Special Limit Blenheim Bitch (1)**

**1. Chesham A Minute Of Your Time, JW** (Eckersley/Taub) What a pretty bitch. Standing alone in the class there is so much to like. Good size with nice amount of bone. Plenty of chest and spring of rib. Tail and topline correct. Movement lovely. Pretty head and eyes. Shown in good coat and well presented.

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

**1. Orchardhill Buy Me A Pony, JW** (Venier) I had been very impressed with the overall quality of the bitches as I was going along. Then this stunner entered the ring. I have seen this girl previously, and liked her. She has matured into a beautiful bitch, and had everything put together today. Beautiful head, with the most expressive eyes, everything about her look is soft and sweet, nothing overdone. Beautiful crested neck, lovely shoulders, deep chest, well sprung ribs, short loin. Everything you want to feel as you go over a dog. Well turned stifle and is in great shape. Moved like a dream and showed her heart out. Just the right amount of animation. Top it with a beautifully marked tri and long well presented coat. She was the picture! **Winners Bitch, Best In Show, Best Bred By Exhibitor, Best American Bred, Best Tricolor in Show**

**2. Nickelby Rokirk Remarkable** (Kirkland/Roman) Nice body and shape with good bone. Good movement. Correct topline. Attractive head. Carried her tail a bit up today. **3. Kayangee Hermione Granger** (Kates) Sweet young girl at her first show. Lots to like. Good structure, topline, and movement. Needs maturity, and should develop nicely. **4. Blackfire Trifecta** (Weidig/Kennedy) Larger girl than above. Good topline, moved well. Showed very well. Prefer the heads of the girls above.

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

**1. Brookhaven Lucky Penny** (Schilling/Ayers) Stood out in this class. Lovely girl. I particularly like her head and beautiful eyes. Nice color and good pigment. Good amount of bone for size. Correct topline and excellent movement. Nice girl. **2. Bryndael Carlen Rosie Hart** (Close) Very different type. Like her head a lot. Good color and pigment. Could use more substance. **3. Kalais What's The Buzz** (Hess) Small compact girl with dark color. Liked her size. Movement a bit erratic today.

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

**1. Avia Camellia** (Poti) Pretty girl. Cobby body with nice shape. Love her sweet face and eyes. Pretty neck, level topline, good rear. She

moved well. Tailset a bit low. **2. Lynsfaire Southern Belle** (Gavin) Really pretty girl, it was a close choice. Great head, like her proportions. She was a bit tentative today.

**Open Bitch (1)**

**1. Chadwick Winter Solstice** (Eckersley) Pretty tri girl, I like her head and expression. Compact body very four square. She moved well. Shown beautifully.

**Veteran Dog (2)**

**1. Starwind Magic Moment** (Kates) What a classy tri dog. He is just wonderful. Attractive head, expressive eyes. He has a lovely neck, shoulders, and topline. Moves like a youngster at almost 11. Barely a gray hair! He was jumping around the ring having *the* best time. **2.**

**Chadwick Star Spangled Banner** (Taub/Eckersley) Larger blenheim boy 9 yrs old. Great head with nice eye. Moved well.

**Veteran Bitch (2)**

**1. Ch Chadwick Bewitched at Blackfire** (Kennedy/Weidig) I called this class the “impossible choice”. Two absolutely beautiful ladies. This blenheim girl is almost 11. Somebody needs to tell her! She shows like I am sure she has for years. What a pretty head and everything is still so in place. Good topline and moved like a dream. ***Best Veteran in Show***

**2. Ch Chadwick September Song at Blackfire** (Kennedy) This amazing black and tan will be 15 this year! What a treasure. I have admired her for many years. Another that doesn't know her age, also moves like a dream and in such wonderful physical shape. Their owners have done a wonderful job with these girls, and should be very proud! Congratulations also to their breeder.