

Cavaliers of the Northeast
06/08/12, Danbury, CT
Judge: Ernie Paterson (UK)

Firstly, I would like to thank the Club for the invitation and the hospitality afforded to me during my visit. Many thanks to my ring and table Stewards who kept everything running smoothly. Some general observations regarding the dogs shown under me. Heads were good as was pigmentation and mouths. On the down side size is becoming a problem along with poor tail sets and lack of angulation particularly in the rear. I was also disturbed to find several young males lacking in bone, not good for future stud dogs. As always movement was varied but the majority were sound. I was pleased with both my final line ups and it was interesting to note that all three Judges placed similarly.

Junior Puppy Dog (4)

1. Chadwick Snow Drift at Woodbury (Redniss) Blenheim scores for size and balance, lovely head and eye, clean shoulders, body developing well, excellent top line and tail set. Just enough angulation. Out moved the others in this class. **2. Dreamvale Olivander** (Hallsted/Sage) Not quite as forward in head development as winner, but good body properties, strong quarters and presents a nice outline when stacked and on the move which was positive both ways. **3. Chew Creek Three Amigos Dusty Buttons** (DePhillip) Good size with enough bone and excellent feet, dark eyes but felt he was a little plain in head, good neck and shoulders. Moved well in front but a little close behind. **4. Linrica Bye Bye Birdie** (Liu) Well broken male with dark eyes, good shoulders and body properties, would like him a shade shorter in loin. Needs to put more in on the move, particularly going away.

Senior Puppy Dog (4)

1. Rosehill Cosmic Creation (Ames/Hess) Very pretty head with large dark eyes, excellent pigment, well set ears used well, good neck and shoulders, he scores in body though he is a shade narrow right through at present but once he matures and bodies up this will correct. Moved very well both ways.

Best Puppy Dog

2. Stellar Romancing the Stone at Tycwn (Knauss/Rose) Nice head and markings, top line needs to tighten a little but he has good tail set and strong quarters used well on the move. **3. Blackfire Simple Twist of Fate** (McLaughlin/ Kennedy) Compact youngster who is well put together and presents a clean outline when stacked, has good bone and is well angulated both front and back. Just didn't make any effort when moving today. **4. Charma Mocha Java Too Hot To Handle** (Perini) Stronger in head than those placed over him, he has nice eyes and pigment but loses his top line on the move.

Graduate Puppy Dog (5)

1. Jayba Southern Voices at Autumnhill (Parente/Hayes) Shade heavy in body and would prefer a little less of him all over but he had better balance on the move than the others. **2. Lancers Quincy Adams (LaRoza)** Very pretty head with large eyes, clean neck and shoulders, ok for bone and feet, steady action going away but a little close in front. **3. Autumnhill Spencer** (Parente) Ruby with a lovely head and eye, good ear set, well off for bone and good feet, he moved out well but topline lets him down. **4. Bonitos Companeros Kaleo at Diorchavon** (Bialek) Good head and eye, balanced body but would prefer him shorter in loin and he must make more effort when on the move.

Novice Dog (2)

1. Saintbrides Darane Come Sail Away (Kates) Only a baby, very good outline when stacked and moving, good bone and feet, scores in expression and ear set, steady mover fore and aft. **2. Welmforth These Were the Days** (Lasser) More mature and rather heavily marked though body is balanced and of good proportions, rather proud of his tail and not as positive on the move as the winner.

Bred By Exhibitor Dog (2)

1. Dancasa Cute as a Button, JW (Tiedemann) Very pretty head and eye providing for nice expression, well pigmented, good balanced body, well sprung ribs and strong quarters, moved well both ways. **2. Parkbury Sole Mate** (Parker) Stronger in head but scores for size, particularly good angulation in the rear, would prefer a little less white in terms of markings, steady mover but not quite the reach in front of the winner.

Junior American Bred Dog (3)

1. Orchardhill Kid You Not (Venier) Very nice head properties, excellent pigmentation, well laid shoulders and good neck, strong well made body with a good top line, quarters are good and he moves very well particularly going away. A little proud of his tail. **2. Autumnhill Ring of Fire, JW** (Parente) Has good head properties in terms of balance but a little too much wrinkling on skull, well set and used ears. Good bone and feet along with a firm well made body, good top line and steady mover. **3. Kellene Lets Make A Deal** (Carter) Not the head properties of the winners, is a little long in muzzle and would like a firmer top line. Has good angulation and enough reach and drive on the move.

American Bred Dog (6)

1. Chadwick Scotch on the Rocks at Hudsonview, JW (Yassky/Glynn) Beautiful head and eye providing for a lovely expression, excellent neck and shoulders, good bone and feet. Deep body with good ribbing, firm top line with correct tail set, strong well made quarters with moderate angulation. Presents a very pleasing outline and is so good to go over. The more he moved the better he went and ultimately I was pleased to award him Winners Dog and Best in Show. Delighted that on the Sunday he gained his Championship. **Winners Dog, Best in Show, Best Blenheim in Show, Best American Bred in Show**

2. Piccadill Peppermint Twist (York) Much to commend this dog, masculine outlook yet retains the elegance desired, body is well made though is a little long in loin, firm top line and correct tail set. Another good mover with good front reach and drive from behind. **3. Kellene the Black Orlov** (Carter) Very pretty tri who had left his clothes at home but had nothing to hide, compact well made body with good bone and feet. Steady mover, just a little proud of his tail. **4. Milesip Licorice, JW** (Skidmore) A little long in body, that said he is balanced, very good coat quality, correct top line and tail set, good rear action but a little loose in front.

Special Limit Blenheim Dog (8)

1. Toraylac Bravado for Kean (Keane) A Make Believe son and no denying his breeding, gorgeous eyes dark and expressive, clean through the neck and shoulders with enough bone and excellent feet, deep body with good ribs and firm top line with correct tail set. Strong well made quarters used well on the move which is positive in terms of reach and drive. **Reserve Winners Dog, Reserve Best in Show**

2. Pikanto V.H. Lamslag (Weber/Kebinger) Scores in head which is balanced, good pigmentation and well set and used ears, body is balanced and he moves with purpose, not quite the reach in front of the winner. **3. Truluv Mambo** (Bronowicka/Carter/ Nikaci) Shade long for complete balance but liked his head and eye and his body is firm and well put together, uses himself well on the move. Coat could be a little flatter. **4. Orchardhill Letters Home** (Slusher/Venier) Stronger right through but has good balance to head and body with enough angulation both front and rear, moved well in front but a little close behind.

Special Limit Tricolor Dog (4)

1. Bozi V.H Lamslag (York) Lovely head and eye framed by long heavy leathers, strong neck leading to good shoulders, excellent bone and feet, firm level top line and correct tailset, has good angulation behind which he uses to advantage on the move. A very stylish male unlucky to meet the ultimate winners in such good form. **Best Tricolor in Show** **2. Aubinwood Griffen** (Burke/Gibson) Nice head and expression, good balanced body with excellent shoulders and quarters, good mover both ways, lacked a little of the glamour of the winner. **3. Dreamvale Smart As The Dickens. JW** (Warsaw/Sage) Nice overall shape and balance to body, makes good use of his ears along with a clean neck and well laid shoulder. Moved well going away but a little loose in front. **4. Jardim Azuls August Flower** (Matos) Again a nice shape and outline, good head properties, well set ears, body is strong and balanced, he moves well in rear but rather high stepping front action.

Special Limit Ruby Dog (5)

1. Turretbank Beaujolais (Green) Won on strength of muzzle and general head properties, good front assembly with enough bone, strong body with a good top line, steady mover both fore and aft. **Best Ruby in Show** **2. Grandville Paddington Bear, JW** (Grandemange) Balanced body properties and has a very pretty head but is a little long in muzzle. Moved ok both ways. **3. Stellar Fireball at Tycwn** (Knauss/Gregg) Mature male, stacked looks good as he has good balance to body, well angulated shoulders, well off for bone and feet. Moderate angulation behind, steady action both ways. **4. Kellene Barnaby Jones** (Carter) Has good overall balance with enough bone, shoulders are well laid, body is deep and well made, top line could be firmer and tail set a little low. Good on the move.

Special Limit Black & Tan Dog (6)

1. Darane Leonardo Da Vinci (Birbeck) Excellent head and eye, well set ears, very good pigmentation providing for a nice expression. Body is good with well laid shoulders, good ribbing and excellent top line and tail set. Strong quarters and moved out well both ways. **Best Black & Tan in Show** **2. Lynsfair Country Gentleman** (Hallsted) Lovely head properties, excellent eyes and expression, body is compact and firm with good ribs and quarters, presented a clean outline stacked and moving which is good both ways, just inclined to lift his tail on the move. **3. Darane Smooth Criminal at Nightingale** (Mulligan) Good overall balance, nice head and eye, good neck but a little upright in shoulder which affects his front action, moved well going away. **4. Charteroak Claude Monet** (Obadowski) Not the head properties of those above but has dark eyes and good pigment, bone and feet are ok as are hind quarters, moved with precision.

Open Dog (3)

1. Ch Milkeyn Sheer Inspiration, JW (O'Connor) Lovely head and eye framed by long heavy leathers providing for nice expression, clean neck and shoulders, good bone and feet. Good balance to body and made good use of himself on the move. Pigment a little off today. **2. Ch Chantismere Cast A Spell On Corduke** (Mulligan) Very pretty head and dark eye, would like a shade more neck but is clean through the shoulder and has a well made body with strong quarters, moved well, has enough bone and good feet, deep well made body, enough angulation. **3. Ch Kaceem Jonathan** (Ames) Nice head eye and pigment, would like a flatter coat, has good bone and a deep well made body, firm top line and correct tail set, well made quarters used to advantage on the move.

Junior Puppy Bitch (5)

1. Dreamvale Poppy Pomfrey (Sage) Very smart feminine baby, scored for balance and size, lovely eyes and pigment, excellent bone and feet, good shoulders and top line, tail set bang on and has strong quarters with enough angulation. Very smart mover, head needs to break but feel this will come. **Best Puppy Bitch, Best Puppy in Show**

2. Chadwick Paparazzi (Matos) Bigger bitch all over so hope she has finished her growing, liked her head and expression, clean shoulders and well made body, moved well both ways, not as pretty as winner. **3. Copper Hill Witchy Woman** (Mitchell) Think this one will finish looking the part, she just looked a little raw here, very pretty head and excellent pigment, body developing well, steady on the move. **4. Kalais Pirates Booty** (Hess) Good for size and balance, head needs to develop a little but has nice eyes and pigment, well off for bone and good feet, not so positive on the move. **Best Black & Tan Bitch**

Senior Puppy Bitch (2)

1. Nightingale Kit Kat (Mulligan) Good body properties present a clean outline when stacked and on the move, would like a little more of her all over but felt she was better in muzzle than the second, moved ok both ways. **2. Blackfire Understudy** (Reichardt) Felt she was a little long in body so lacked balance and would have liked more strength in head, that said she made the best of herself on the move.

Graduate Puppy Bitch (4)

1. Liane's Xaveria (Poti) Liked the head, eye and expression on this bitch, very good pigment and presented a lovely outline when stacked and she maintained this on the move. Made good use of her tail which was correctly set and carried. **2. Chareroak Araglyn Godiva Peppermint Kiss** (Obadowski) Size bigger than first and not as balanced as she is a little long in loin, quite nice head and eye with enough neck and well laid shoulders. Moved well in front but rather close going away. **3. Streffield Charlotte Bronte** (Leffert) Very feminine, lovely head, eye and ear set, unfortunately her pigment was off today which cost her a higher placing, very good body properties and has reach and drive on the move. **4. Toraylac Hot Gossip** (Hennessy) Very similar comments to the one above though scores for pigment and expression, she went well in front but her hind action let her down today.

Novice Bitch (3)

1. Kyneslane Lil Miss Daisy (Paplaukas) Well made with plenty of substance but not overdone, has a pretty head and eye, good neck and front assembly with good bone and feet, very smart on the move. **2. Nightingale Gun Powder N Lead** (Mulligan) Very good balance and size but not enough in head, nice front angulation, well made in body properties and has enough angulation used well on the move. **3. Welmforth Standing Ovation** (Lasser) Well balanced and a nice size, front assembly lets her down as she is wide in front and lacks depth to her body, moved well behind.

Bred By Exhibitor Bitch (3)

1. Ch Darane Billie Jean (Kates) Ruby of quality, very well balanced, lovely head and eyes providing for excellent expression, good bone and feet, correct shoulders, neck and top line, well set on tail and good quarters, moved well both ways. Just a little short of coat today. **Best Ruby Bitch** **2. Kalais Ruby Vixen** (Hess) Rich coloured ruby but not quite the head properties of one, she scores in body with good ribs and strong quarters and correct tail set, another good mover. **3. Nightingale Walkin' On Sunshine** (Mulligan) Felt this bitch could shed a couple of pounds to improve her outline, she needs to come up on her front a little to balance her body, she has a nice head and firm well made body, moved well going away but was a little loose in front action.

Junior American Bred Bitch (4)

1. Chadwick Embrace (Eckersley) Loved this bitch, such a pretty head and eye framed by heavy leathers, excellent neck and shoulders, good bone and feet, so well made in body with a firm top line and lovely tail set when stacked and on the move. Very good quarters, coat is well broken and silky texture. She moves steadily with a wagging tail and could not be denied **Winners Bitch, Best of Opposite Sex, Best Bred By Exhibitor in Show** and **Best Blenheim Bitch**. Believe this made her up. A real toy spaniel.

2. Sherah Burlesque (Crommett) Square outline with a lovely head and eye and excellent pigment, deep well made body with good ribbing, moved well behind but is a little wide in front. **3. Streffield Sweet Adeline** (Leffert) Only a baby so giving a lot away in terms of maturity and not as settled on the move but she is developing along correct lines and is good for size and balance, her day will come. **4. Licketysplit Painted Lady** (Geoghegan) Markings let her down a little but she is well made with good bone and quarters, she could carry a little more weight to advantage.

American Bred Bitch (6)

1. Nightingale Sun Kissed Rose of Cantia (Kent) Well broken Blenheim, sweet head with dark eyes, good in neck and shoulders, not overdone in body and has a correct tail set which she uses to advantage, very smart on the move. **2. Castlemaine Sweet Surrender** (Warme) Heavily marked blenheim, has a good outline and a good head though not as good in muzzle as winner, strong body with good ribbing, excellent hind quarters, moved out well both ways. **3. Truluv Giselle of Foxwyn** (Fox) Needs to shed a few pounds to improve her outline as she is well put together with all the essentials and she moves well both ways. **4. Blueday Chelsea** (Gross) Another who could shed a few pounds as she is well put together also and moves well scores for balance.

Special Limit Blenheim Bitch (4)

1. Chesham A Minute Of Your Time, JW (Eckersley/Taub) Another lovely bitch bang on for size and balance, such a pretty head with dark lustrous eyes, scores in neck and shoulders, just enough bone and body, handles well with good angulation both ends. Excellent top line and tail carriage, very good mover both ways, very like the Winners Bitch, she took Reserve Winners Bitch which I believe makes her a Champion. *Reserve Winners Bitch*

2. Orchardhill Indiscreet, JW (Venier) Beautiful head and eye with a melting expression, scored in neck and shoulders along with a well made body, moved well going away but a little high stepping in front. **3. Nightingale Kismet at Kyneslane, JW** (Paplaukas) Good overall balance and has a pretty head and eye, pigment a little off today, good for bone and feet, steady on the move both ways. **4. Meadowlake Miss Daisy** (Swanson) Compact and well put together, head is ok as are body properties, just not the movement of the winners.

Special Limit Tricolour Bitch (2)

1. Prima Quartet Bloody Mary (Bronowicka/Carter) Felt this one scored in front angulation over the second, she has a nice head eye and pigment along with a compact well made body and she moves with precision. **2. Licketysplit Lady of the Lake** (Geoghegan) Nice head and expression, a little wide in front, that said she moved well both ways.

Open Bitch (4)

1. Orchardhill Travel In Style (Venier) Good head and eye with dark eyes and good expression, well off for bone and good feet, scores in neck and shoulders and has a firm topline, moved well behind just a little high stepping in front action. **2. Ch Orchardhill Buy Me A Pony, JW** (Venier) Very glamorous Tri, lovely head and expression framed by heavy leathers, well off for bone and good feet, deep well sprung body and excellent tail set. Moved well in front but not the hind action of winner, handler could move her a little slower. *Best Tricolor Bitch* **3. Copperhill Miss Marcie** (Mitchell) Would like a bit more strength in head but that said she is very well made in body with good front and rear and she gave a good performance on the move. **4. Blackfire Trifecta** (Weidig/Kennedy) Shade strong in head but good make and shape with enough bone and strong quarters, moved well fore and aft.

Senior Open Bitch (1)

1. Ch Chadwick Moonshine (Eckersley) Lovely bitch enjoying her day out and still retains a very pretty head and eye, bang on for size and balance, in full coat and showed her heart out, very sound on the move.

Veteran Dog (1)

1. Stellar Fireball at Tycwn (Knauss/Gregg) Quality ruby with excellent balance, good for bone and deep well made body, lovely head and eye and such a good mover. *Best Veteran in Show*

Veteran Bitch (3)

1. Ch Chadwick Bewitched at Blackfire (Kennedy/Weidig) Excellent eye and expression, lovely ear set, clean neck and shoulders, good body with excellent ribbing, well set and used tail, out moved the others here. **2. Ch Chadwick Moonshine** (Eckersley) See Senior Open Bitch. **3. Angels Pride Nautical Nancy of Chadwick** (Comer/Greak) Not the head properties of the winners but has a strong well made body and was positive on the move.