

CAVALIERS OF THE WEST

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Many thanks to Cavaliers of the West, the Show Committee and stewards, for the honor of judging the first of three specialties this weekend. Although the specialties drew a smaller entry (I'm told there were other shows taking place the same weekend, including another Cavalier specialty on the West Coast), the quality of the dogs and bitches was, overall, very pleasing, with many beautiful and typey Cavaliers from which to choose. Exhibitors were fun, and displayed good sportsmanship, which is a hallmark of CKCSC, USA specialties. It was also a treat to have a few Junior Handlers in the ring, showing their dogs in the regular classes with confidence and kindness. Let's continue to support these young people; they are the future of our breed and, indeed, the sport.

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DOGS

JUNIOR PUPPY DOG (2)

1. **JAYBA MY GUY** (Lander): Handsome, happy boy. Masculine, pleasing head. Good bone. Tail ever wagging—and carried correctly. **BEST PUPPY DOG.**
2. **INTRYNZIK SYMPHONY OF ASPENGLow** (Peterson): Longer-cast boy, Leggier. Some flecking on the face which detracted. Gay tail.

GRADUATE PUPPY DOG (1)

1. **BLUESTARA ALADDIN'S LIGHT** (Parris): Blenheim boy. He and his poised young handler made a nice team. Sweet face. Dark eyes. Stop rather deep. Good bone. Well broken. Flying his tail occasionally. Cow hocks disappointing.

JUNIOR AMERICAN BRED DOG (1)

1. **SORELLA CHEESEBURGER IN PARADISE** (Green): Very attractive Blenheim. Dark eye. Deep stop, with rather a short foreface for my taste. Good bone. Well broken. Topline has a tendency to slope. Nice reach and drive, and I liked his animation.

AMERICAN BRED DOG (4)

1. **DEL SOL MAGIC MOMENT** (Macrae): Nice size. Masculine head with a dark eye and sweet expression. Pleasing outline and proportions. Moved well. **FIRST AWARD OF MERIT.**
2. **CROSSBOW BALOO FROM THE JUNGLE AT BLUESTARA** (Brezine/Alvarez): Masculine dog. Larger than #1. Good head with dark eye. Pleasing proportions. Level topline. Nice mover. **SECOND AWARD OF MERIT.**

3. **ROSEGLLEN GRAND SLAM** (Lofholm/Colombo): Chunkier dog. Could use more neck. Good bone. Nice proportions. Exhibitor came to a stop in each corner of the ring on the go ‘round, which did not allow a smooth performance.
4. **CHADWICK EIGHTEEN CARAT GOLD JW** (Mitchell): Smaller male. Sweet face, with a soft, dark eye. Would benefit from a little more neck. A dip behind the withers and a roached topline. Well-broken markings, and lavishly coated.

SPECIAL LIMIT BLENHEIM DOG (4)

1. **MINGCHEN YUKON RIVER AT HIGH FLIGHT** (Parris): Handsome, masculine boy. Lovely head with a sweet face. Correct proportions. Good bone. Nice mover. Gleaming, straight coat.
2. **COVINGTON RHAEGAL** (Gonyo/Mohn): Masculine and solidly made. Nice head with sweet expression. Good mover. Lavishly coated.
3. **FORESTCREEK THE SHOWMAN AT TUDOR JW, MP** (Mixon/Cline/Marshall): Masculine boy. Well-broken markings. A tad long. Nice mover.
4. **BENTLANE HEAVEN SENT TO QUAIL RUN** (Kornhi): Pretty, well-broken male. Would like more bone and substance. Good proportions. Moved well.

SPECIAL LIMIT TRICOLOR DOG (2)

1. **ORCHARDHILL OVERANALYZED** (Venier): Stylish boy with a masculine expression. Good proportions. Correct angulation front and rear. Lovely mover. Showing with confidence and poise. Gleaming, straight coat. **WINNERS DOG, BEST TRICOLOR DOG, BEST AMERICAN BRED DOG, BEST BRED BY EXHIBITOR DOG, BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX TO BEST IN SHOW, BEST TRICOLOR IN SHOW.**
2. **LINRICA OMEGA CONSTELLATION** (Hsiung/Cheng Liu): Sweet male. Pretty head with soft expression. Nice proportions. Well broken. Good mover.

OPEN DOG (2) “Close competition between these two quality males.”

1. **CH. FALLING SPRINGS JUST YOU WAIT AT CROWNROSE JW, AW** (Rosenberg): Very beautiful male. Gorgeous head with lovely expression. Nice proportions. Happy and confident on the move. Correct tail set and carriage. **RESERVE WINNERS DOG & BEST BLENHEIM DOG.**
2. **CH. SORELLA TWO TICKETS TO PARADISE JW** (Savage Green): Very pleasing male. Nice head with a soft, sweet expression. Good proportions. Nice straight coat. Good mover. Gay tail distracted.

BITCHES

SENIOR PUPPY BITCH (1)

1. **LADY IN BLACK DE LOS URSIDAS KODIAK** (Murphy/Echazarra): Charming little black-and-tan girl. Nice make and shape. Pretty head with feminine expression. Good bone. Carried

herself around the ring like a seasoned pro. **BEST PUPPY BITCH & BEST PUPPY IN SHOW.**

NOVICE BITCH (1)

1. **MARILEE A DASH OF BUTTERS** (Atkinson/Collins): Sweet Blenheim girl, happy to be in the ring. Big eyes, but lacked cushioning which spoiled expression. Nice proportions. Good angulation.

BRED BY EXHIBITOR BITCH (3)

1. **QUAIL RUN MILAN** (Kornhi): Feminine Blenheim. Pretty head and sweet expression. Nice proportions. Up on leg. Moved well. **SECOND AWARD OF MERIT.**
2. **CROSSBOW WHITNEY FLIRTING WITH LIFE** (Schiffman): Another ultra feminine Blenheim girl. Leggy. Lightly marked. Generous, elegant neck. Happy on the move. Noticeably high in the rear.
3. **GYLDEN I'M A BELIEVER** (Ellingson): A more solidly built, blanket Blenheim. Nice outline. Lavishly feathered ears that framed her sweet face nicely. Would like a little more neck.

JUNIOR AMERICAN BRED BITCH (1)

1. **SIKELELI GREAT EXPECTATIONS AT QUAIL RUN** (Kornhi): Solidly built Blenheim girl. Pretty head with a dark eye. Good angles. High in the rear and moving a little close behind.

AMERICAN BRED BITCH (4) **“Very strong, competitive class.”**

1. **DEL SOL BREAKFAST IN BED** (McHenry): Stunning Blenheim bitch. Elegant and confident. Lovely outline. Up on leg. Gorgeous head and expression. Just so girly. Beautiful mover. Correct tail carriage. **WINNERS BITCH, BEST BLENHEIM BITCH, BEST AMERICAN BRED BITCH, BEST BRED BY EXHIBITOR BITCH, BEST IN SHOW, BEST AMERICAN BRED IN SHOW, BEST BRED BY EXHIBITOR IN SHOW & BEST BLENHEIM IN SHOW.**

2. **TUDOR BLUES ALLEY, JW** (Mixon): Another stylish Blenheim girl. Great outline. Beautiful head and expression. Good bone. Nice angles. Pretty on the move. Very close between this bitch and #1. **[RESERVE WINNERS BITCH& RESERVE BEST IN SHOW.](#)**

3. **ROSEGLLEN DIAMOND IN THE SKY** (Colombo): Solidly made Blenheim girl. Nice outline. Pretty head. Could use a touch more neck. Good mover.

4. **CHIYODA JUST MY CUP OF TEA OF GLENELLEN** (Murphy): Longer cast than the others, and high in the rear. Nice head and expression. Moved happily.

SPECIAL LIMIT BLENHEIM BITCH (1)

1. **DEL SOL GOLD DIGGER, JW** (McHenry): Compact little bitch, solidly made. Nice head with feminine expression. Pleasing outline. Super little mover.

SPECIAL LIMIT TRICOLOR BITCH (1)

1. **ONTHEMARK FLOWER POWER** (Chan/Mitchell): Blanket tri. Solidly made. Feminine head. A tad long. Strong, confident mover.

SPECIAL LIMIT BLACK-AND-TAN BITCH (1)

1. **FALLING SPRINGS CROWNROSE BLACK VELVET, JW** (Rosenberg): Spirited girl. Pretty head and feminine expression. A shade long, and also high in the rear. So animated on the move. **[BEST BLACK-AND-TAN IN SHOW.](#)**

OPEN BITCH (2)

1. **PROMONTORY HENLEY** (Green/Solomon) Blanket Blenheim. Pretty head and expression. Up on leg. A little high in the rear. Loved her high spirits on the move. **[FIRST AWARD OF MERIT.](#)**

2. **CH. IVYLINE NOTORIOUS AT GYLDEN** (Ellingson/Giampapa): Another attractive Blenheim. A shade long, and also high in the rear. Pretty head with dark eye. Putty nose distracted. Not as confident on the move.

SENIOR OPEN BITCH (1)

1. **DEL SOL ADORED** (McHenry): Pretty little blanket tri bitch. Sweet, feminine expression. Happy mover. In lovely condition for a veteran.

VETERAN BITCH (1)

1. **DEL SOL ADORED** (McHenry): see above ***BEST VETERAN IN SHOW***