

**Cavaliers of the Northeast**  
**08/17/14, Boxborough, MA**  
**Judge: Susan Brooks (Moonvale)**

Thank you very much for inviting me to judge your Championship Show. I was impressed by the high standard of exhibits and their presentation. I feel that it was part of my role to ensure that all exhibitors had adequate time to show their dogs to their maximum potential and I hope that I fulfilled that aim. The only issues that arose for me were a lot of eyes that could have been darker (not light but could have been darker). I gave them the benefit of the doubt as the lighting in the hall was not complimentary to eyes. On the whole confirmation was very good but exhibitors must not neglect exercise to keep fronts tight and maintain the drive from the behind. I also felt that the heads on some dog exhibits could have been stronger. Although some of my decisions may have been controversial, particularly in the dog classes, it is important to bear in mind that these dogs (and bitches) are your future breeding stock. Not to be honest about the standard of the exhibits does a dis-service not only to the breed but also the exhibitor/breeder. The breed has been going through some hard times so we, as breeders, need to try to produce sound stock while still meeting the criteria of the breed standard.

**Junior Puppy Dog (5)**

**1. Chadwick Paddington Bear** (Eckersley) Well broken, 6 month old blenheim dog. Well cushioned head, dark eye and pigment. Elegant neck, well laid back shoulder, good top line and spring of rib and length of loin. Good turn of stifle and short hocks. Moved well coming and going with confidence. Still a baby but one to watch. **2. Padamere Kindred Spirit** (Miller) 5 month old blenheim. Excellent pigment, good shoulder set. Plenty of bone and substance. Promising puppy who needs a bit more confidence which will come with experience. **3. Lilium Sweet Pepper** (Scanlan) Tri boy of 6.5 months old. Well cushioned head with dark eye and pigment. Good reach of neck and laid back should. Rich tan. Good body. Another promising puppy. **4. Bluegarden Holiday Party at Hudsonview** (Glynn/Matos) 8 month blenheim dog. Up to size. Good nose pigment, high set ears. Ample neck and shoulder. Happy in the ring.

**Senior Puppy Dog (2)**

**1. Angel's Pride Just a Gigolo of Sumara** (Gentil) 10 month old Blenheim. Dark deep pigment, dark eye. Lovely well cushioned head, correct ear set and start of crest on good length of neck. Level top line. Correct tail set. Good turn of stifle and short hock. Moved well coming and going. In excellent coat and presented immaculately. **Best Puppy Dog**  
**2. Foxwyn Woodbury Rise N Shine** (McCarty/Redniss) 10 month Blenheim dog. Dark nose pigment and dark round eye. Well cushioned head. Slightly longer than above. Sound on the move. Presented well.

**Graduate Puppy Dog (5)**

**1. Miletree Joshua at Shirmont** (Henry) 14 month old Blenheim dog. Well cushioned head with dark nose pigment and dark eye. Correct ear set. Lovely length of neck with crest and well laid back shoulder. Good front and length of forearm. Good turn of stifle and short hock enabling correct movement coming and going. Quality coat with first class presentation. Showed well taking the day in his stride. **2. Clopsville Meridian** (Rychlik) 12 month Blenheim dog. Super masculine head. Dark pigment, dark eye. Well sprung rib. Needs to settle to show full potential. **3. How Du Jardin De Claire of Sumara** (Gentil) 13 Month old Ruby dog with lovely soft expression in well cushioned head with correct eye and nose pigment. Good topline and short hock. Needs a bit more time to mature. **Best Ruby Dog**  
**4. Autumnhill Believe In Me** (Parente) Well broken Blenheim in full coat. Good eye and nose pigment, correct ear set and good topline. Well presented.

**Novice Dog (2)**

**1. Castlemaine Woodsman** (Warme) Blenheim dog with well cushioned head with soft expression. Dark eye and deep nose pigment. Correct ear set. Ample length of neck with crest down to well laid back shoulder. Correct length of forearm and good front. Excellent bone, good spring of rib, Level top line and good set of tail. Well turned stifle and short hock. Moved with drive and enthusiasm. Showed himself off in the ring. **2. Rosehill Bears Repeating** (Perini) Tri dog with good pigment, dark eye, rich tan. Good topline and correct tail set.

**Bred By Exhibitor Dog (3)**

**1. Ch Dreamvale Motley Crue** (Sage/Colbert) Well broken Blenheim with soft expression set off with deep nose pigment and lovely round dark eye. Well laid back shoulder placement and adequate length of neck. Straight level topline, good spring rib. Short hock and good turn of stifle. Covered the ground well even though he was a lively chap. **2. Piccadil Dream A Lil Dream Of Me** (York) Tri dog with lovely expression and head. Deep nose pigment, rich tan and dark eye. Correct ear set and carriage. Well laid back shoulder on good length of neck. Well broken quality coat. Short hocks, good turn of stifle. Moved well. **3. Dancasa Cute as a Button, JW** (Tiedemann) Well furnished Blenheim. Good topline, short cobby body, good turn of stifle.

**Junior American Bred Dog (3)**

**1. Chadwick Cheers at Hudsonview** (Glynn) Heavily marked tri dog. Good pigment, correct ear set, dark eye. Good reach of neck. Presented well. **2. Hiddencreek Mason** (Green) Smaller cast Blenheim dog. Good pigment and dark eye. Moved well. **3. Piccadil Yakkity Yak Don't Talk Back** (York) Well broken blenheim dog. Up to size and in profuse coat. Dark pigment and eye. Good lay of shoulder and adequate bone. Joyful temperament. Moved with enthusiasm and drive.

**American Bred Dog (4)**

**1. Canyoncrest Pleasing Pumpkin** (Du Ross/Nechiporenko) Quality Blenheim dog. Correct size. Well cushioned and

gentle masculine head. Lovely dark round eye. Deep nose pigment. Correct ear carriage. Good reach of neck and laid back shoulder. Straight and level topline. Good spring of rib and length of loin, well turned stifle and low hock. Moved well coming and going with a lack of exaggeration and loads of drive and enthusiasm. **Best Bred By Exhibitor Dog, Best American Bred Dog**

**2. Nightingale Wish Upon A Star at Nebyula** (Birbeck) Well broken Blenheim dog. Good set of ears, sweet expression, good bone and topline. Good turn of stifle and set of hock. **3. Castlemaine Harry Potter** (Warne) Up to size handsome Blenheim in full coat. Soft masculine expression, dark pigment, dark eye, good set of shoulder and length of neck. Good top line. Well covered. Moved with enthusiasm and drive. **4. Dreamvale Ollivander** (Sage/Hallsted) Blenheim dog, good pigment and topline. In full coat. Presented well.

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

**3. Windham Lost Sailor** (McCauley/Hashagen) Ruby dog. Good topline, correct tail carriage.

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

**1. Pascavale Kingsley** (Ayers/Martz) Smart little dog. Fully furnished and presented in tip top condition. Lovely head with sweet and masculine. Soft expression with dark eyes and deep nose pigment. Correct ear set. Good length of neck and laid back shoulder. Correct upper arm and good front. Level topline. Good spring of rib and length of loin. Well bodied. Good turn of stifle enabling movement with drive and elegance. Stood alone but worthy winner. **Reserve Winners Dog, Best Blenheim Dog**

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

**1. Chadwick Midnight Sun at Hudsonview** (Glynn) Correct size. Soft expression, rich tan, dark eye and good pigment. Well sprung rib, correct tail set. Well turned stifle and short hock. Moved well enjoying his day out. Quality coat well managed and presented well. **2. Rosehill Recalculating** (Sage/Warshaw) Lovely head with soft expression. Rich tan, good reach of neck and set of shoulder. Level topline. A little erratic on the move but a happy little chap. **3. Blackfire Room Service at Kalais** (Hess/Kennedy/Weidig) Sweet expression, dark eye, good pigment and rich tan. Level and straight topline. Enjoying himself in the ring. **4. Aubinwood Griffen** (Chaples-Burke/Gibson) Rich tan, dark eye and pigment. In good well broken coat. Well boned.

#### **Special Limit Ruby Dog (1)**

**1. Aubinwood Rowen** (Chaples-Burke) Nice size but carrying a bit of weight. Soft expression, dark, good topline, good turn of stifle and short hock. Presented well.

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

**1. Charteroak Claude Monet** (Obadowski) Rich tan, level topline. Strong head, up to size. Moved well. In good coat. **2. Darane Leonardo Da Vinci at Nebyula** (Birbeck) In full coat. Up to size. Moved well with enthusiasm.

#### **Open Dog (5)**

**1. Ch Turretbank Magic Spell** (Green/Sloan) Stunning black/tan. Pleasing expression and head. Rich pigment, and tan, dark round eyes. Good reach of neck, well laid back shoulder, correct length of upper arm. Good front. Level topline, well sprung rib. Good length of loin. Correct tail set. Short hock and good turn of stifle. Moved correctly with drive and elegance. Nice size. A true toy spaniel presented in fabulous condition. **Winners Dog, Best in Show, Best Black & Tan in Show**

**2. Ch Dreamvale Tri Your Luck at Parkbury, JW** (Parker). Tri dog, up to size, ample bone. Strong head, correct pigment, rich tan. Good turn of stifle. Well presented. **Best Tricolor Dog** **3. Ch Piccadil Peppermint Twist** (York) Blenheim dog with soft expression. Well covered, good topline and moved with enthusiasm. **4. Ch Mileslip Licorice, JW** (Skidmore) Quality Black/Tan. Rich tan, correct set of ears. Good level topline, well laid down hock and turn of stifle. Moved well around the ring.

#### **Junior Puppy Bitch (10)**

**1. Iloo Dite Ilan Du Jardin De Claire** (Gentil) Small compact 7 month black/tan bitch. Sweetest feminine expression with dark eye, pigment and rich tan. Good length of neck, level and straight topline. Good length of loin, well let down hock and good turn of stifle. Quality coat very well managed. Moved with drive and lots of enthusiasm. **Best Puppy Bitch, Best Puppy in Show**

**2. Piaffe in the Tulips** (Rychlik) Slightly larger, well broken Blenheim. Soft expression, dark eye and pigment. Long neck, good set of shoulder and adequate length of forearm. Moved with drive and impulsion. **3. Chadwick It's De-lovely** (Eckersley) Small compact Tricolour. Rich tan, good pigment and dark eye. Well covered body. Moved with enthusiasm. **4. Mileslip Pretty Please** (Skidmore) Little Ruby with rich red coat. Dark eye and excellent pigment. Adequate neck and good shoulder placement. Moved well coming and going. Shows a lot of promise. Still a baby at the moment. **Best Ruby in Show**

#### **Senior Puppy Bitch (2)**

**1. Licketysplit Gisele Bundchen** (Geoghegan) Well broken Blenheim of 9 months. Nose pigment good. Moved somewhat erratically. Needs some time to settle. **2. Linrica Flight Of the Bumblebee** (Liu) Small Blenheim. Dark eye, good top line. 10 months old. Happy baby.

#### **Graduate Puppy Bitch (3)**

**1. Foxwyn A Likely Story** (Fox/Comer/Greak) Pretty, small Blenheim with sweet expression. Dark eye and pigment. Good neck length and well laid back shoulder. Correct length of forearm. Good topline and tailset. Well angulated stifle and let down hock. Moved true with drive and impulsion. **2. Dreamvale Guns N Roses** (Sage/Colbert) Larger Blenheim. Very well cushioned head. Good pigment, dark eye. Level topline. Ample bone. Move well coming and going. Mature bitch. **3. Chadwick Lace Nightie** (Eckersley) Reserved Blenheim girl. Needs more confidence. Good

pigment, good angulation and moved well.

#### **Novice Bitch (2)**

**2. Carlen One Singular Sensation** (Close) Small well broken Blenheim bitch. Dark eye, good reach of neck and lay of shoulder. **3. Chiffinch And Vesta Syndicate** (Rubino) Ruby girl in good coat. Excellent pigment and dark eye. Well set ears. Good bone.

#### **Bred By Exhibitor Bitch (1)**

**1. Ch Kean Ultraviolet, JW** (Keane) Lovely well broken Blenheim in profuse coat. Sweet feminine expression, dark eye, dark pigment, well cushioned head. Long reach of neck and lay of shoulder. Well angulated stifle and short hock. Level topline, correct set of tail. Moved well behind. Lovely bitch only let down by her front which needs road work. Stood alone but worthy winner. Beautifully presented.

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

**1. Linrica Honey Girl** (Liu) Well broken Blenheim with sweet feminine expression. Dark eye, good pigment. level topline. Good angulation in stifle. Correct tail set. Moved well coming and going. **2. Chadwick Pimms** (Eckersley) Small Blenheim bitch with dark pigment, dark eyes, correct ear set and level topline. Moved with characteristic Cavalier joy. **3. Sherah Valentinas Alexa Belle** (Havener) Small well broken Blenheim. Dark eye and dark pigment.

#### **American Bred Bitch (5)**

**1. Kalais Never Too Late To Party** (Hess) Black/Tan with sweet feminine expression. Rich tan, dark eye. Well laid back shoulder and length of forearm. Nice size. Good length of loin and turn of stifle. Moved well coming and going. Enthusiastic. **Best Black & Tan Bitch** **2. Licketysplit Maybe I'm Amazed** (Geoghegan) Small well broken Blenheim. Soft feminine expression in well cushioned head. Dark eyes and pigment. Good reach of neck and lay of shoulder. Level topline. Well turned stifle. Moves well in the ring. **3. Nightingale Goldilocks At Nebyula** (Birbeck) Another sweet little Blenheim bitch. Well broken. Good neck and shoulder placement. Good turn of stifle and short hocks. In good coat and well presented. Moved with determination and drive. **4. Mariahrun Spring Breeze** (O'Leary/Cornog) Blenheim with sweet expression, dark eye, correct ear set. Well turned stifle and good topline. Covered the ring well when on the move.

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

**1. Licketysplit Unchained Melody** (Geoghegan) Pretty girl with soft melting expression. Dark eyes and pigment, well cushioned head. Long neck and good lay of shoulder. Good length of forearm. Good topline and tail set. Good length of loin and spring of rib, well turned stifle and short hock. Moved well coming and going. **2. Nightingale Sun Kissed Rose of Cantia** (Kent) Mature Blenheim with dark eye and good pigment. Good topline, well angulated stifle, short hock. Moved well. **3. Dancasa Summer Thyme** (Rubino/Tiedmann) Showy Blenheim. Dark eye and pigment. Correct ear set. Straight and level topline. In full, well managed coat. Moved with drive.

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

**1. Glencross Cailin at Shirmont, JW** (Henry) Delightful tricolor girl. Sweet feminine expression. Well cushioned head, rich tan, dark eye and pigment. Correct ear set. Good reach of neck and length of forearm. Well angulated stifle and let down hock. Moved well. Well presented. Stood alone but worthy winner. **Best Tricolor in Show**

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

**1. Kabaret Lady in Red at Mileslip** (Skidmore/Barrett) Feminine Ruby. Well cushioned head, dark eye and pigment. Well bodied. Good angulation. Level topline and correct tail set. Rich coat color.

#### **Special Limit Black & Tan Bitch (4)**

**1. Tialully Toffifay** (Rubino/Hess) Sweet, small bitch with rich tan, well cushioned muzzle, dark eye and pigment, level topline. Well turned stifle and short hock. Quality coat well maintained and exhibited. Moved with drive and confidence. **2. Aubinwood Glowing Ember** (Leffert/Gibson) Another pretty girl. Sporting rich tan and dark pigment. Level topline, good angulation. Moved well. **3. Tailgate Lucky Charm** (Coffman) Slightly larger but well pigmented. Long reach of neck and good shoulder placement. Moved with enthusiasm. **4. Charteroak Lady Godiva** (Obadowski) Rich tan, dark eyes and pigment. Happy in the ring.

#### **Open Bitch (3)**

**1. Ch Chadwick Leura, JW** (Eckersley) Simply stunning Blenheim bitch. Just over a year old yet holding her own in Open. Very sound, not overdone and very comfortable in the ring. Well cushioned head with sweet expression. Dark eye and pigment, correct ear set, good length of forearm, good front. Ample reach of neck and excellent lay of shoulder. Good length of loin and level topline. Good spring of rib, correct tail set. Well angulated stifle and short hock. Moved straight coming and going. Tail wagging all the time demonstrating Cavalier happy-go-lucky temperament. Happy to give her WB. **Winners Bitch, Best of Opposite Sex, Reserve Best in Show, Best Blenheim in Show, Best Bred By Exhibitor in Show, Best American Bred in Show**

**2. Linrica Femme Fatale, JW** (Liu) Another pretty Blenheim bitch. Well broken. Dark pigment and eye. Level topline, good angulation and short hock. Very enthusiastic and constant on the move. **3. Ch Autumnhill Desire Me, JW** (Parente) Nice Ruby bitch. Dark nose pigment, high set ears, level topline, good angulation. Moved with confidence.

#### **Veteran Bitch (1)**

**1. Angel's Pride Nautical Nancy of Chadwick** (Comer/Greak) 12 year old blenheim in full luxurious coat well maintained and presented. Covered the ground flawlessly. Stood alone but worthy placement. **Best Veteran in Show**