

Cavaliers of the Northeast
06/09/13, Langhorne, PA
Judge: Dennis Homes (Leogem)

I would like to convey my heartfelt thanks to the board of Cavaliers of the Northeast for the way that they welcomed me to their well organized show. Their professionalism and warmth was most appreciated. Without exception, all the dogs that were shown under me were presented in tip top condition. In each class there can only be one winner and I found it so very sportsmanlike that so many exhibitors who I did not place still came up to me for a friendly chat after the judging. I thank you all for your entry and there were indeed some very high quality dogs here on the day

Junior Puppy Dog (3)

1. Darane Frodo Baggins (Kates) 6 month old Blenheim, still quite a baby but has all the required attributes to develop into a first class show dog. Lovely even topline and good shoulder placement. Sweet head, moved with confidence across the ring and then stood four square quite naturally presenting a very pleasing outline. **2. Roi Stings Like A Bee** (Carter/Lessig) Black & Tan of good type and substance, straight front, ample bone and attractive head. **3. Jemanda Rolex Cosmograph** (Weinstein) Blenheim, only just 5 months. Nicely marked with sweet head framed by a nice ear set. Mouth still not quite right but still has time on his side.

Senior Puppy Dog (2)

1. Orchardhill Why Wonder (Venier) A most adorable blenheim with all the desired attributes to go to the very top. Excellent bone, deep ribcage and overall has an excellent make and shape. Retains a firm, even topline when on the move with a correctly held tail carriage. He has the sweetest of heads with a good ear set with amply furnished leathers. Lustrous dark eyes and a nicely cushioned foreface that is not overdone and presents itself as a portrait of softness and beauty but is nevertheless masculine at the same time. **Best Puppy Dog, Best Puppy in Show, Reserve Winners Dog**

2. Copper Hill Big Tuna (Mitchell) Both puppies in this class are of excellent type and this Black & Tan also excels in construction. Very handsome head with expressive eyes. Another good mover.

Graduate Puppy Dog (6)

1. Jayba Easy Does It, JW (Lander) Beautifully constructed Blenheim with good bone, well rounded and deep ribcage and good angulation both fore and aft. Presents a lovely shape both standing and on the move. Attractive head and good neck and shoulders. **2. Truluv Carlos** (Nikaci) Quality Blenheim of good substance, level topline and good spring of rib. **3. Elyzan Double Take** (Arnold) Black & tan with lovely head and correct ear set. Good turn of stifle and moved well. **4. Blackfire Room Service At Kalais** (Hess/Kennedy/Weidig) Tricolour with a very cute expression. Still very babyish, has a good reach of neck and well angulated.

Bred by Exhibitor Dog (5)

1. Brookhaven Believe It Or Not (Ayers/Martz) Blenheim of excellent type with a most beautiful soft silky coat that glistened as he moved effortlessly across the ring. Perfectly proportioned with a gorgeous head so full of expression with such lovely large dark eyes and a well tapered muzzle with just the correct amount of cushioning. As he stood wagging his tail and gazing at his handler he presented a most attractive outline. **Best Bred By Exhibitor Dog** **2. Dancasa Cute As A Button, JW** (Tiedemann) Well coated Blenheim with attractive head, presented in tip top condition. Positive mover with good shape and nice tail set. **3. Ch Piccadil Peppermint Twist** (York) Close decision between 2 and 3. This Blenheim is of a similar make and shape but coat was slightly more wavy. Nice deep chest and good angulation. **4. Chewcreek Three Amigos Dusty Bottoms, JW** (DePhillip) Well broken Blenheim with moderate bone, good shape with a straight front. Lovely large expressive eyes.

Junior American Bred Dog (1)

1. Dreamville Ollivander (Sage/Hallsted) Stood alone in this class. A very happy-go-lucky Blenheim, well broken markings, good bone and well constructed throughout. Level topline and moved with good rear drive. Tail never stopped wagging.

American Bred Dog (4)

1. Nightingale Wish Upon A Star at Nebyula (Birbeck) Very handsome Blenheim with a lovely proportioned make and shape. A good even topline which he retained when on the move. Good reach of neck and correct shoulder placement. Nice depth of chest and well angulated hindquarters. Lovely shiny coat. Moved well. **2. Chadwick Snow Drift at Woodbury, JW** (Redniss) Another well constructed Blenheim that also moved positively. Beautiful head and lots of coat which was slightly on the blow. **3. Brookhaven Jessie** (Parente) All four dogs in this class were good movers and it was a pleasure to see them all move round together. This Blenheim was heavier marked but excelled in head and expression. Nicely constructed throughout. **4. Aubinwood Barkley** (Henderson/Gibson) Well broken Blenheim and of good make and shape with an even topline. Another one whose coat was somewhat on the blow.

Special Limit Blenheim Dog (6)

1. Jayba Southern Voices at Autumnhill (Parente/ Cole) Well broken with ample coat. Nicely muscled hindquarters and good depth of brisket. Lovely flowing outline on the move with good drive and holding his topline and carrying his tail correctly. Very pleasing head and expression with large dark eyes. **2. Orchardhill Letters Home** (Slusher/Venier) Nicely marked with good bone and firm, positive movement. Wish he was just a fraction smaller but overall he is of good construction. **3. Millhill Le Tigious** (Rychlik) Almost five years old but still retains a youthful appearance. Good neck and shoulder and really looked a picture on the move. **4. Chantismere Caruso of Chadwick** (Eckersley) Well marked with a very sweet head. Rolled slightly when on the move and probably needs to move just a fraction faster. Good angles both front and rear.

Special Limit Tricolour Dog (3)

1. Dreamville Tri Your Luck (Parker) 14 month happy tail wagging lad. Very attractive head and a lovely gleaming quality coat with a silky texture. Ample bone and stylish movement with plenty of rear drive. Should have a very bright future. **Best Tricolor Dog** **2. Aubinwood Griffen** (Chaples-Burke/Gibson) Another boy with a most pleasing head that gives a lovely soft expression. Also a very positive mover. **3. JPS Majestic Prince at Always** (Wise/Moore) Well broken, good topline on the move. Well filled muzzle with good eyes and a nice ear set.

Special Limit Ruby Dog (3)

1. Autumnhill Spencer, JW (Weinstein/Parente) Good size and shape with a lovely flowing outline. Coat in excellent condition and overall is graceful and well balanced. Stands himself four square and has a very pleasing head with large dark eyes. **2. Windham Lost Sailor** (McCauley/Hashagen) Another pleasing boy with a good neck, nicely arched onto good shoulder placement. Moved with confidence with his head held high. **3. Numen Bryan** (Sage) Almost ten months and still quite a baby but already up to size. Needs a little more time for his head to fill. He should get quite a good coat when it grows as it is already of a good texture.

Special Limit Black and Tan Dog (6)

1. Mileslip Licorice, JW (Skidmore) Very well coated with plenty of fringing that glistened as he moved across the ring. Lovely head and expression and nicely angulated throughout presenting an eye catching outline and stunning shape that's so well balanced. **Best Black and Tan in Show** **2. Darane Leonardo Da Vinci at Nebyula** (Birbeck) Another good mover with a good make and shape. Coat a fraction more wavier but presented in tip top condition. **3. Turretbank Magic Spell** (Green/Sloan) A beautifully headed boy with a wonderful long shiny coat. Soundly constructed and has so much promise but appeared a little nervous and spooked today which made him hold his tail quite low. **4. Brookhaven Bob Bailey** (Schilling) Happy go lucky boy, constantly wagging his tail and enjoying his day. Nice shape and steady movement.

Open Dog (6) A truly superb class with every dog a fine example of the breed.

1. Ch Royalmark Crystal Blue Persuasion (Barrett) I judged this blenheim dog in Puppy Sweeps at Cavaliers of the West when he was just 11 months old and was quite impressed with him at that time. Going over him again some 9 months later he certainly did not disappoint and I actually think that his best is still yet to come. His well set ears frame a most adorable head with large dark eyes and a nicely tapered muzzle that presents a most gentle expression. He has a good reach of neck descending into correct shoulder placement and a lovely even topline. He has a good depth of brisket and well turned stifles. His whole shape is ideal from his nicely arched neck to his well let down hocks. On the move he presents a lovely flowing outline with his strong firmly muscled hindquarters giving him such positive drive. This lad was indeed my star of the day. **Winners Dog, Best in Show, Best Blenheim in Show, Best American Bred in Show**

2. Ch Bonitos Companeros Kaleo at Diorchavon (Bialek) Well coated Blenheim of top quality make and shape. Nice flowing movement. Stylish head with ample cushioning and large dark expressive eyes. **3. Ch Chadwick Scotch On The Rocks at Hudsonview, JW** (Yassky/Glynn) Nicely marked Blenheim so well balanced with a beautiful coat that really shone. Neatly constructed shape and like the other dogs in this class moved with drive. **4. Ch Benchmark Up In The Air of On The Mark** (Chan/Mitchell) Excellent overall shape with good reach of neck and nicely muscled. Shown and presented well but had a somewhat stained face which rather spoiled his sweet expression.

Junior Puppy Bitch (10)

1. Brookhaven Sexy Sadie (Ayers/Martz) What a sweet little Blenheim this is. At just six months she is still very much a baby but has all the desired requirements for a promising future. Large eyes and a well cushioned foreface. Good neck and shoulder and a lovely even topline and tailset. Well angled at either end. **2. Linrica Femme Fatale** (Lui) Another Blenheim with similar attributes to 1. Well turned stifles, good ear set and large eyes. Very attentive and positive on the move. **3. Shirmont Delightful Caper** (Henry/Rosenberg) Slightly erratic when she first entered the ring, I think that she just wanted to play! Once settled she moved quite well. Good conformation with ample bone and correct angulation. **4. Truluv Eve** (Nikaci) Blenheim with excellent neck and shoulder. Good hind angulation which enabled effortless driving movement. Showed well, head needs a little more time.

Senior Puppy Bitch (5)

1. Truluv Aly (Nikaci) A super little Tricolour puppy with a most attractive head. Lovely dark round eyes and a very sweet, melting expression. All round good proportions with well turned stifles and nice depth of chest. Strong flowing movement keeping a lovely even topline with head held high. **Best Puppy Bitch**

2. Jayba Knockout, JW (Lander/George) Another super puppy, this time a Blenheim. Very graceful on the move enhancing her lovely shape and construction. Well broken with a very sweet head. **3. Copperlee Radiance** (Breuer) Well made Blenheim of ideal shape. Good bone and nice size. Lovely even topline. **4. Aldachell Olympic Flame** (Curly) Well broken Blenheim. Large eyes, well filled muzzle and very cute expression. Positive drive from the rear when on the move.

Graduate Puppy Bitch (2)

1. Copper Hill Witchy Woman (Mitchell) Nicely shaped ruby with a good topline and fluid movement. Very pleasing head but still just slightly undershot. **2. Licketysplit Maybe I'm Amazed** (Geoghegan) Sweet headed Blenheim, nicely marked but a fraction long on the leg. Has a tendency to fly her tail when on the move

Novice Bitch (8)

1. Kissabella Arabella (Bronowicka/Carter) Well constructed Blenheim, nicely proportioned and with positive flowing movement, keeping a very level topline and good tail carriage when on the move. Nice shape with a pleasing outline. Good neck and shoulder placement and deep chest and well angulated hindquarters. Good ear set framing an attractive head. Despite a few freckles on her muzzle she has a very soft expression **2.**

Autumnhill Catching Fire (Parente) Nicely shaped ruby with a firm level topline and overall shape. Was slightly apprehensive when she first came into the ring but then soon settled and then moved quite well. **3.**

Nightingale Bewitching (Mulligan) A very cute Blenheim who is indeed a very happy show girl. Lovely head and expression with nicely tapered muzzle and a good reach of neck. **4. Tailgate Lucky Charm** (Coffman) Black & Tan with a quality shining coat of good texture. A fraction longer muzzle than I would like, but nevertheless an soft expression.

Bred By Exhibitor Bitch (4)

1. Shirmont Apple McIntosh, JW (Henry/Dodson) A blenheim with a wonderful head and expression. Long ear leathers with well furnished feathering. Large lustrous eyes with a most melting expression and a correctly tapered foreface. Good reach of neck that leads to well placed shoulders. Good angulation both front and rear. Good depth of chest and straight front. Maintains a level topline when on the move and her movement is effortless and graceful. **Reserve Winners Bitch, Best Bred By Exhibitor in Show, Best Blenheim Bitch**

2. Nightingale Walkin' On Sunshine (Mulligan) Sweet headed Blenheim with a well tapered muzzle. Nice overall shape and well broken. Moved with ease and was constantly wagging. **3. Copperlee Imagine** (Bruer) 11 month old Blenheim with all the desired attribute to mature into a first rate show dog. Good head and body shape, well angulated and moved with ease. **4. Blueday What's The Rumpus** (Gross) Nice expression on this well broken Blenheim. Slightly high on the rear end when moving.

Junior American Bred Bitch (5) Like the previous class all the entrants were Blenheim.

1. Piccadil Gone With The Wind (York) Well marked with an adorable soft expression. Wagging constantly at her handler. Level topline, good depth of chest and moved with drive, standing herself four square wherever she stood. **2. Dancasa Summer Thyme** (Rubino.Tiedemann) Large dark eyes enhanced the look of this sweet headed girl. Well balanced and maintaining a level topline when on the move. **3. Darane All About Eve** (Kates) Well broken with a very cute expression. Moved true but tended to fly her tail. **4. Kellene Golden Girl** (Marshall) Just a 10 month old puppy but with miles of confidence. Very well constructed and moved true like a pro!

American Bred Bitch (3)

1. Nightingale Kit Kat (Mulligan) A very pleasing outline on this well made Blenheim. Well broken with a most adorable expression. Large eyes and a correct muzzle. Good neck and shoulders and a nice deep ribcage. **2. Blackfire Understudy at Hytea** (Reichardt) Stylish Black & Tan. Slightly undershot but with a very pleasing head. A fraction longer on the leg than I would like but overall of good make And shape. **3. Pinecrest Mountain Dew** (Rosenberg) Sweet headed Blenheim who moved well. Slightly longer in the body.

Special Limit Blenheim Bitch (6)

1. Orchardhill Ever After (Venier) Beautifully constructed with a most divine head. Lovely ear set and nicely arched neck with correct shoulder placement. Good spring of rib, deep chest and strong hindquarters with excellent tail set. **2. Gayhalo Mosaic** (Ayers/Martz) Another girl with a most adorable head. Heavier marked but nevertheless a real beauty. Nice even topline, good depth of chest and well made. **3. Harana Madonna** (Bucy) Nicely proportioned, she looked a real picture standing in the ring with her eye catching outline. Sweet head, nicely angulated with good bone. **4. Blueday Chelsea** (Gross) Lighter marked but of good substance. Sweet expression with a cheeky look. Moved true.

Special Limit Tricolour Bitch (3)

1. Prima Quartett Bloody Mary (Bronowicka/Carter) Well coated and somewhat heavier marked, but through and through she is of excellent type and construction. She has a lovely head and uses her ears well to frame a most soft expressive foreface. Firm topline and nicely angulated. Lovely free movement as she flowed

effortlessly across the ring. **Best Tricolour in Show 2. Bluesday Fly Me Top The Moon** (Gross) Very feminine with a soft, sweet head and lovely expression. Well angulated and another excellent mover. **3. Copper Lee's Velure** (Breuer) Well broken with a quality coat. Great temperament as she never stopped wagging as she gazed adorably up at her handler. Good overall make and shape and pleasing head.

Special Limit Ruby Bitch (2)

1. Darane My Darling Clementine at Chewcreek (DePhillip) Nice shape and of ideal size. Adorable head with large expressive eyes. Good spring of rib, level topline and moved with ease. **2. Kabaret Lady in Red at Mileslip** (Skidmore/Barrett) Nice shape with a pleasing head. Firmly muscled and quality coat.

Special Limit Black & Tan Bitch (3)

1. Harana Dragonfly Beyonce (Bucy) Nicely constructed and well muscled with a good quality coat in gleaming condition and of excellent texture. **Best Black & Tan Bitch 2. Fair Oaks Tomnee Calendar Girl** (Meager) Another well constructed girl. Good bone and a nice size. A real toy spaniel. **3. Rutherford Venus W** (Jones) One more with the desired soft expression. Good ear set and a lovely depth of chest.

Open Bitch (4) A really excellent class with top quality dogs.

1. Ch Grandville Butterscotch Kiss of Infinidad (Laliberte) This beautifully constructed ruby took my eye from the moment that she entered the ring with her graceful and well balanced outline. Ultra feminine with a gleaming coat of the finest texture, she moved effortlessly across the ring with such endearing grace. A most adorable head with large lustrous eyes, well set ears with good fringing and a softly cushioned foreface that gives her a most enchanting expression. She is indeed a real show stopper that just oozes quality. Beautifully proportioned with moderate bone, good turn of stifle, correct spring of rib and a lovely topline that she retains on the move. She is indeed a true picture of elegance. **Winners Bitch, Reserve Best in Show, Best of Opposite Sex, Best Ruby in Show, Best American Bred Bitch**

2. Ch Pinecrest Shirmont Moonlight Madness, JW (Henry) Another quality girl from the top draw. This young Blenheim has an ideal make and shape with good bone and correct angulation all round. I so adore her head and expression and her movement is free flowing and true. Lovely neck and shoulder and quality coat with nice markings on a pearly white background. **3. Ch Chadwick Paparazzi, JW** (Matos) Such a sweet headed Blenheim with large melting eyes, a nicely tapered foreface framed by well set a well furnished ears. Good body shape so well proportioned. **4. Ch Darane Casablanca At Chewcreek** (DePhillip) Beautiful Tricolour with a quality well marked coat, soft expressive head and well proportion body shape.

Senior Open Bitch (1) 1. Angel's Pride Nautical Nancy of Chadwick (Comer/Greak) Almost 11 years old she can still give the youngsters a run for their money! She may be getting a little grey in the face but her expression still has the soft desired look. Body wise she is still quite well muscled and still moves with drive. Above all she seemed to love being in the show ring enjoying her day. **Best Veteran in Show**