Cavaliers Of The West 07/03/2017 Oakland, California Bryan Claydon, Brymardon Cavaliers UK

Many thanks to the Committee for making my time in Oakland so memorable, and to all the exhibitors who made me feel so welcome. I was very pleased with my final line up, both in dogs and bitches, presentation was of a high standard, and the overall quality of the dogs was very good.

Best in Show was Ch & Eng Ch Forestcreek Double O Seven, JW. Reserve Best in Show and Best of Opposite Sex was Brookhaven Simply Southern. Best Puppy in Show was Ivyline Just Like Sugar. Best Veteran in Show was Robin's Nest Witchy Woman.

JUNIOR PUPPY DOG (5)

- Brookhaven I'm A Believer (Ayers/Martz) Well marked Blenheim with a lovely head, well placed ears and appealing eyes. Good reach of neck, firm level topline, well angulated hind quarters, in coat, moved and showed well.
- 2. **Starmark Man About Town** (Rezowalli/Hooper) Tricolour with a pleasing head,dark eyes and in good coat,nicely boned and a nice size for his age,good topline, well presented showed steadily.
- 3. **Intrynzik Blasé** (Goodwin/Goodwin) Blenheim that was very much the baby on the day. Nice overall shape, still needs more fill in foreface, well marked, but in short coat.
- 4. **Glenellen One O One** (Murphy) Tricolour, nice size, in fair coat, needs to firm up in topline to complete the picture.

SENIOR PUPPY DOG (2)

 Glenellen Royal Rookie (Murphy) Blenheim with a pleasing head and eye, nicely balanced with a good spring of rib for his age. Richly marked, in good coat and moved and showed well. <u>BEST PUPPY DOG</u>

BRED BY EXHIBITOR DOG (5)

- Ch Forestcreek Double O Seven, JW (Cline) Quality Blenheim with a beautiful head and expression, in good coat with well feathered ears. Well balanced dog with nothing exaggerated, well bodied, firm level topline, well angulated hind quarters, level topline, well presented, moved with purpose and showed for fun. <u>WINNERS DOG, BEST IN SHOW, BEST BRED BY</u> <u>EXHIBITOR IN SHOW, BEST BRED BY EXHIBITOR DOG, BEST AMERICAN</u> <u>BRED IN SHOW, BEST AMERICAN BRED DOG, BEST BLENHEIM IN</u> <u>SHOW, BEST BLENHEIM DOG</u>
- 2. Veribas Eye Of The Tiger (Cusick) Lovely type Blenheim with a pleasing head, eye and expression, well proportioned throughout, good coat colour, moved okay and showed well.
- 3. Astarring Made With Love (Foster)

Smaller type Blenheim than the first two, but really well proportioned, good head with nicely cushioned foreface, well broken markings, moved confidently and showed well.

4. Del Sol One More Night (McHenry)

Beautiful headed Blenheim with super eyes, nice reach of neck, firm topline and in good coat. Showed nicely, but his movement let him down on the day.

AMERICAN BRED DOG (7)

1. Ch Bentwood Forestcreek Rob Red (Borton/Cline/Harrison)

I could watch this Blenheim boy coast around the ring all day! What an eye catcher on the move, beautiful well proportioned head, with the softest of expressions, good reach of neck, level topline, well bent stifles, nicely marked, in good coat and well presented. <u>RESERVE WINNERS DOG</u>

- 2. Rockcreek Mark Me First At Hiflt, JW (Parris/Parris/Steagall) Quality Blenheim that was very close up to the winner, beautiful head, and so well balanced, good topline, short coupled, a nice size and in good coat, well let down hocks, moved with purpose and showed nicely.
- 3. Legacy Catch Me If You Can (Williams) Lightly marked Blenheim, with a pleasing head, good reach of neck, level topline, well let down hocks, a super mover that has drive from the rear, he was not in the coat to trouble the first two on the day.
- 4. **Briarcrest Going For Baroque** (Katz) Tricolour with a pleasing head, dark eyes, good topline, well let down hocks, in gleaming coat.

HEALTH & CONFOMATION DOG (1)

1. **Ch Briarcrest Burberry** (Katz) Well constructed Blenheim, with a nice head, well feathered ears, in good coat, moved and showed nicely, but overweight on the day.

SPECIAL LIMIT BLENHEIM DOG (5)

- 1. **Belcarra Straight Shot Remington Of Bear River Ranch** (Topefler) Well marked Blenheim with a good head and well placed ears, good reach of neck, well sprung ribs, firm topline, in fair coat, a good mover that showed non-stop.
- 2. Marilee Ray Nitschke (Junk/Collins) Well marked Blenheim, with a good reach of neck, firm topline, in fair coat, moved okay and showed steadily.
- 3. **Shirmont Caddo Balliol, JW** (Henry/Henry/Rosenberg/Rosenberg) Well marked Blenheim with a pleasing head and eye, well cushioned foreface and well placed ears, showed well.
- 4. **Milbu Lovelace At Dulce** (Covell) Richly coloured Blenheim in nice coat, an attentive showman.

SPECIAL LIMIT RUBY DOG (1)

1. Robin's Nest Deuces Are Wild (Prodanovich)

Lovely coat colour on this Ruby boy, a nice size, and a good breed type, pleasing head and expression, an attentive showman that moves well.

OPEN DOG (3)

1. **Ch Brookhaven Here Comes Hogan, JW** (Ayers/Martz/Green) Beautifully balanced Blenheim, lovely head, eye and expression. Well sprung ribs, good topline, well bent stifles, in gleaming coat and well presented, moved out smartly and showed well.

SENIOR OPEN DOG (1)

1. Ch Benchmark Up In The Air Of Onthemark (Chan/Mitchell) Seven and a half years old Blenheim, just what a typical Cavalier should be, so alert and yet so gentle and assured of himself. Lovely head on this boy getting older with grace, still in firm condition, well bodied and a lovely shape and outline, moving well and so much enjoying showing himself off.

JUNIOR PUPPY BITCH (3)

- 1. **Mayfield Miss Winnie** (Mayfield) Well marked Blenheim with spot, appealing head, good neck and shoulders, well proportioned for her age, just the right amount of body, an okay mover that showed well.
- 2. Rockcreek Viva La Diva (Steagall) Blenheim with a good head and dark eyes, nice size and shape, in good coat, another okay mover that showed herself to advantage.
- 3. **Onthemark Moonstone** (Chan/Mitchell) Beautiful headed Blenheim with a super expression, not as balanced as the first two at this stage, but shows promise.

SENIOR PUPPY BITCH (2)

- Ivyline Just Like Sugar (Giampapa) Quality Blenheim that was so ready for the job in hand. Lovely head, eye and expression, good neck and shoulders, level topline, short coupled, well let down hocks, in good coat, a fluent mover and attentive show girl. <u>BEST PUPPY IN SHOW, BEST PUPPY BITCH</u>
- 2. **Sherah Best Dressed** (Crommet) Beautiful headed Tricolour with rich tan markings, a nice size for her age, in good coat, showed well.

GRADUATE PUPPY BITCH (3)

1. **Parlett Pinky Promise** (Williams/Williams) Pretty Blenheim with the most scrumptious of heads, and dark expressive eyes, nice reach of neck, well developed chest, moved smartly with good head carriage and showed well.

2. Delsol Adored (McHenry)

Heavily marked tricolour, with a lovely head and eye, and good tan markings, nicely balanced for her age, moved okay and showed steadily.

3. Sheeba Mile High At Intrynzik (Goodwin/Goodwin) Blenheim that was not as mature looking on the day as the first two, nice size, an attentive showgirl that moved out with drive from behind.

BRED BY EXHIBITOR BITCH (3)

"A nice class and not much between all three exhibits."

- 1. **Benchmark Call Me Maybe** (Hoorman) This Blenheim was the best mover in this class. Beautiful head and the most lovely eyes giving her a soft expression. Good front assembly and well angulated hind quarters, showed well.
- 2. **Ivyline Emma Nem To Laurel Haven** (Bayer/Giampapa) Lovely type Blenheim that is so well balanced throughout, shorter coupled than the winner, but it was the winners super movement that won the day.
- 3. Ch Tudorr La Dolce Angela, JW (Mixon/Mixon/Cline) Beautiful headed Blenheim, in good coat, well marked, nice size for a bitch. I am sure all three of these bitches will change places on another day.

JUNIOR AMERICAN BRED BITCH (2)

- Forestcreek Fantasy Girl, JW (Cline/Cline) Quality Blenheim with the loveliest of heads, good neck and shoulders, lovely for size, well marked, short coupled, good hind angulation, full of ring presence and a nice mover. <u>RESERVE WINNERS BITCH</u>
- 2. **Briarcrest Coco Loves Pearls** (VanLuchene/VanLuchene) Blenheim with a lovely head and eye, nice reach of neck, in good coat, not as ready as the winner, just needs time.

AMERICAN BRED BITCH (8)

- Brookhaven Simply Southern (Toepfer/Martz)
 I just loved this young Bleheim girl, so well proportioned, everything seems to fit as you can observe when she is on the move. Lovely head, good forequarters, just enough neck, level topline, well set tail, nicely marked and a willing show girl.

 <u>WINNERS BITCH, RESERVE BEST IN SHOW, BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX, BEST BLENHEIM BITCH, BEST AMERICAN BRED BITCH</u>
- 2. Rockcreek Bindi At Parlett (Williams/Williams) Heavily marked Tricolour with a lovely head and good tan markings, a nice size for a bitch, short coupled, good topline, I just thought she was carrying too much weight on the day, which made her look a little stuffy. A willing show girl.
- 3. **Ivyline Sugar And Cream** (Giampapa) Richly marked Blenheim with a pleasing head, nice outline, in good coat, showed well.
- 4. Delsol Love In An Elevator, JW (McHenry)

Nice type Blenheim with rich coat colouring, in good coat, moved okay and showed well.

SPECIAL LIMIT BLENHEIM BITCH (1)

1. Windnsea Dancing Queen C-RN (Peterson/Peterson) Blenheim with a good topline and tail assembly, lovely head with a soft gentle expression, in good coat with well broken markings and well feathered ears, a nice mover that showed steadily.

SPECIAL LIMIT TRICOLOUR BITCH (3)

- Benchmark Shameless (Chan/Mitchell)
 At six and a half years of age this girl has lost none of her sparkle, lovely head, good reach of neck, firm level topline, well let down hocks, in good coat, at one with her handler both on the move and standing. <u>BEST TRICOLOUR IN SHOW, BEST</u> <u>TRICOLOUR BITCH</u>
- 2. **Briarcrest Oh So Rococo** (VanLuchene/VanLuchene) A nice size and type, dark eyes, well placed ears, in fair coat, a happy character that showed well.
- 3. **Marilee Reggae** (Collins) Well marked, in good coat, soft expression, dark eyes, short coupled, showed steadily.

SPECIAL LIMIT BLACK-AND-TAN BITCH (1)

 Robins Nest Audrey Hepburn (Prodanovich) Nice type and size, good tan markings, nicely bodied, in fair coat, a willing show girl. BEST BLACK-AND-TAN IN SHOW, BEST BLACK-AND-TAN BITCH

OPEN BITCH (1)

1. **Ch Tassajara Forestcreek Cristal** (Cline) Beautiful headed bitch with softest of expressions and well feathered ears. A good mover front and rear, nicely bodied, good topline and well let down hocks, a quality bitch that was well presented.

SENIOR OPEN BITCH (1)

 Robin's Nest Witchy Woman (Prodanovich) At ten and three quarter years of age I was very impressed with this girl. Gorgeous head, firmly bodied, good coat colour, and good coat quality. Still moving and showing for fun. <u>BEST VETERAN IN SHOW, BEST RUBY IN SHOW, BEST</u> <u>RUBY BITCH</u>

VETERAN DOG (1)

Fourteen and a half years old and in good shape for his age, nicely marked, and still carries enough body to keep a good shape, and gets around the ring easily.