Cavaliers of the Midwest 12/11/2016, Orlando, Florida Michelle Chapman, Ellemich Cavaliers UK

I would like to thank the cavaliers of the Midwest for inviting me to judge this wonderful show in the most amazing setting. I would also like to thank the committee for making us feel so welcome, and to Shawn Barton for helping me keep the ring running so smoothly and making my very first time judging in America so enjoyable.

I would also like to thank all the exhibitors for the way in which all decisions were taken and the lovely sportsmanship amongst you all.

DOGS

JUNIOR PUPPY DOG (0)

SENIOR PUPPY DOG (1)

Truelegance Just Like Fire (Cromer/Cromer)

 11month old tri colour dog, more heavily marked, shown in lovely coat and condition. Pretty head, and lovely eyes. Rich tan in all the right places, level top line, good lay of shoulder, nice reach of neck. Moved well. Shown in lovely condition. Was more the happy to award BEST PUPPY DOG.

GRADUATE PUPPY DOG (2)

1. Tudorose Charlie Bit My Finger (Mixon/Cline)

12 month old Blenheim dog, who is beautifully marked and presents a lovely picture. Very pretty head with expressive eyes. Presented in good coat and lovely condition. Moved and showed well.

2. Bellasins Made Magic (Moser)

16 month tri dog, who clearly was enjoying his time at the show, a real show man. Nice head, with large dark eyes, level topline, and good tail set. Good spring to ribs, well angulated rear. Moved well.

BRED BY EXHIBITOR DOG (2)

1. Ch Jadestone Legend Has It, JW (Peek)

Notes say "Wow! Love him", beautiful head with a well cushioned muzzle. Good reach of neck leading into a well laid shoulder, well sprung ribs. Level top line, moved well driving from his well angulated rear. Shown in fantastic condition, with a beautiful coat that is well broken. Was thrilled to award him <u>WINNERS DOG, RESERVE BEST IN SHOW BEST</u> <u>BRED BY EXHIBITOR DOG, BEST AMERICAN BRED DOG, BEST BLENHEIM</u> <u>DOG</u>.

2. Ch Tudorose Rhythm N Blues, JW (Mixon)

Another lovely dog shown in top condition, lovely head and expression, well laid shoulders, level top line and lovely tail set that was carried correctly. Good reach of neck. Moved and showed well.

JUNIOR AMERICAN BRED DOG (1)

Linrica Milan, JW (Liu)

1. Loved this dog as he came into the ring, may have stood alone, but was more than a worthy winner. Only 12 months old, beautiful type. Nice head, with large expressive eyes. Well laid shoulder, level top line. Good rear angulation. Moved and showed well, presented in lovely condition.

AMERICAN BRED DOG (5)

1. Rock Creek Mark Me First At Hiflt, JW (Parris/Parris/Steagall)

Another dog from the top drawer. Nice head and expression, good reach of neck, well laid shoulder. Level top line. Nice size with correct amount of bone, well sprung rib. Moved and showed well. Presented in tip top condition.

2. Brookhaven The Dream Lives On at Finnickyskye (Utych/Utych)

Another lovely dog who just needs some time to mature. Nice head and expression. Shown in lovely condition, well broken coat. Level top line. Lovely tail set. Moved with drive front and rear.

3. Tudorr Checkmate (Mixon/Mixon/Cline)

A more heavily marked dog, who was a little longer cast than the winner, shown in top condition, with lovely muscle that helped him drive round the ring, level top line, good tail set, nice head and eye. Showed well.

4. Oggbrae Don Ottavio (Bales/Bales)

5 year old dog, who was more than happy to show his socks off, nice head and expression. Shown in good coat and condition. Well laid shoulder and level top line. Moved well.

SPECIAL LIMIT BLENHEIM DOG (3)

1. Mimric American Heartthrob (Bolster/Hodges)

Another beautiful dog, who commanded your attention when he entered the ring. Nice head with beautiful expressive eyes, level top line, lovely lay to shoulder, correct tail carriage. Moved with drive from his well angulated rear. Presented with lovely muscle tone, and shown in lovely condition. Shortlisted for top honours.

2. Torylac Here's Hugo (Cromer)

Another dog that was born to show, moved round the ring with drive, showing off how well he was made. Level top line, well angulated front and rear. His well-broken coat was presented in top condition. Lovely head, lovely dark pigment.

3. Blackfire Exit Poll (Weidig/Kennedy)

What a happy showman, lovely head and expression. Shown with a good coat and in lovely condition. Level top line, moved and showed well.

SPECIAL LIMIT TRICOLOUR DOG (1)

1. Pascavale Dodger (Jacks)

What a lovely little chap, loved everything about him, beautiful head, large expressive eyes, well cushioned muzzle. Spirit level top line. Nice size. Beautiful coat that was presented in top order. Nice lay of shoulder, good spring of rib. Moved with drive front and rear. Shortlisted for top honours. *BEST TRICOLOUR DOG*

Special Limit Ruby Dog (0)

Special Limit Black and Tan (0)

Open Dog (3)

1. Bonitos Campaneros Vanir (Lemon/Lemon)

Another beautiful dog, who ticks all the boxes. Shown in full coat. Beautiful head with a well cushioned muzzle, and large dark expressive eyes. Well broken coat that gleamed. Good front, leading into well laid shoulders. Lovely size. Good turn of stifle. Moved with drive. A true showman. Thrilled to award him *RESERVE WINNERS DOG*.

2. Ch Forest Creek Heart Of Rock And Roll, JW (T Painter & K Cline)

2 year old male, with beautiful breed type, lovely head and large expressive eyes. Good front and rear angulation. Level top line. Lovely tail carriage. Moved with drive. Just lacked some of the animation of the winner.

3. Castlekeep Paloma Sugar Daddy (L Carnes)

6 year old Blenheim dog, ho was loving his time in the spotlight. Nice head and eye. Level topline and nice tail set, moved and showed well. Shown in lovely condition.

SENIOR OPEN DOG (0)

BITCHES

JUNIOR PUPPY BITCH (6)

1. Rutherford Ursuula (Jones)

7 month old Blenheim. Loved this little girl's head. She has large dark eyes and a lovely ear set. Was presented in lovely condition with a nice quality coat. Moved well and clearly enjoyed her job.

2. Stepamgar Parfait At Parkmoor (Fry)

Just a baby, but very well balanced. She is a lovely size for her age. Shown in good coat. Level top line and good tail set. Moved well front and rear.

3. Legends' Bon Appetit! (Carnes)

Pretty tri girl with a quality well broken coat. And rich tan in all the right places.Nice size, with a nice head and lovely large dark eyes. Moved and showed well.

4. Clarmarian Try N Tri Again (Young May)

This Tricolour girl has nice a head, lovely eyes and a lovely ear set. Good top line with nice reach of neck. Good lay of shoulder, moved well and with drive.

SENIOR PUPPY BITCH (4)

1. Nightingale Against The Wind (Grimm Curley)

10 month old little girl with bags of cute appeal. She is a lovely size and with a nice head large dark eyes and well placed ears. Level top line. Good reach of neck. Well turned stifles, moved and showed well. I was more then happy to award her <u>BEST PUPPY BITCH</u> and later on <u>BEST PUPPY IN SHOW</u>.

2. Marjorelle Rumour Has It (Conley)

My notes say what a pretty baby. Lovely head with lovely expressive large dark eyes, well cushioned muzzle. Level top line and good tail set. Nice reach of neck, and well sprung ribs. Moved and showed well for her owner.

3. Blackfire Kodak Moment (Weidig/Kennedy)

11 month old tri girl who is heavily marked with a narrow blaze. Who, again, excelled in head and expression. Presented in lovely condition. Moved well maintaining her level top line at all times. Good reach of neck, well sprung ribs. Nice size and shape.

4. Jemada Autumnhill Copper Penny (Weinstein/Parente)

Ruby girl with a lovely coat of a nice rich colour. Moved and showed well. Good spring of rib. Level top line. Moved well both ways.

GRADUATE PUPPY BITCH (7)

1. Tudorr La Dolce Angela (Mixon/Mixon/Cline)

What a beautiful girl. Pretty head and beautiful eyes, good fill to muzzle. Well placed ears. Good reach of neck, level top line. Nice turn of stifle moved well front and rear. Presented in gleaming condition was one that was a serious contender.

2. Bonitos Campaneros Josephine of Welmforth (P Lasser)

Just one year old and very pretty head. Large dark expressive eyes. Lovely size and shape and presented in good coat. Moved well both ways, holding her top line and tailset.

3. Parkmoor Rendition (D Fry)

A more heavily marked Blenheim. Presents a lovely picture on the stand with her well angulated front and rear. Nice head and eye. Good fill to muzzle. Shown in good condition.

4. Watersedge Mid Summers Nights Dream (Walzer/Walzer/Cline) 16 moth old Blenheim, who again presents a lovely balanced picture on the stand. Moved well with drive. Holding her top line and tail set. Nice head and expression.

BRED BY EXHIBITOR BITCH (2)

1. Ch Kean La Ti Da, JW (Keane)

My notes say, "Wow, love her!" This little lady entered the ring and commanded my attention. The most feminine of heads with large expressive eyes and good fill to her muzzle. And ear fringing that goes on forever. Level top line, good reach of neck, and nice lay to shoulder. Moved well and with drive from her well turned stifles. Shown in beautiful coat that was in gleaming condition. Was more than happy to award her <u>WINNERS BITCH</u> and later, <u>BEST IN SHOW, BEST BRED BY EXHIBITOR IN SHOW, BEST BRED BY</u> <u>EXHIBITOR BITCH, BEST AMERICAN BRED IN SHOW, BEST AMERICAN BRED BY EXHIBITOR, BEST BLENHEIM IN SHOW, BEST BLENHEIM BITCH.</u>

2. Ch Autumnhill Desire Me, JW (Parente)

Another beautiful bitch who excelled in quality and breed type. Very pretty head, and lovely expression. Rich ruby, with a quality coat. Level top line, good spring of rib. Well laid shoulder. Moved well both ways. Showed her little socks off. *BEST RUBY BITCH IN SHOW, BEST RUBY BITCH*

JUNIOR AMERICAN BRED BITCH (5)

1. Rosearbor Bijou (Eckersley)

16 month old Black-and-Tan, has the most endearing head and expression. Quality coat and lovely rich tan in all the right places. Presents a lovely picture when she stood and does not disappoint on the move. Level top line and lovely tail set. Presented in lovely condition and she was a real contender for top honours. **BEST BLACK-AND-TAN BITCH IN SHOW**, **BEST BLACK-AND-TAN BITCH**

2. HiddenCreek Kourtney (Green/Green)

Another bitch which ticks all the boxes for me. Just lets her self down with her nerves, but once these are under control, she will trouble the best. Pretty head, lovely eyes, good fill to muzzle. Lovely size and shape. Lovely coat and condition. Moved well when settled.

3. Forestcreek Keira Knightly (Mixon/Jacks)

Bigger girl than my winners, but still presents the same overall balanced picture. Moved and showed well. Nice coat which is well broken. Showed well.

4. Azalearun Red Hot Valentine (Schilling)

Ruby girl. Again, who was a littler bigger than my winners. Nice head. Level top line and good tailset. Lovely spring to rib. Shown in good coat and condition.

AMERICAN BRED BITCH (3)

1. Mimric Fiddle Dee Dee, JW (Hodges/Perkins)

Another quality bitch, who excels in make and shape. Beautiful front and rear angulation. Nice head with a large dark eye, and good pigment. Level top line, lovely tail set. Good reach of neck. Moved well and with drive.

2. Tudorr Rock Hill Peach Tea (Mixon)

More heavily marked Blenheim, who also presents a lovely picture. Moved well and with drive. Nice head and expression with good pigment. Presented in lovely condition.

3. Oggbrae Donna Elvira (Bales/Bales)

A well broken Blenheim who presents a balanced picture. Moved and showed well. Level topline with a good turn of stifle.

SPECIAL LIMIT BLENHEIM BITCH (0)

SPECIAL LIMIT TRICOLOUR BITCH (0)

SPECIAL LIMIT RUBY BITCH (1)

1. Brookhaven Lucky Penny (Schilling/Ayers)

7 year old ruby who was still able to keep up with any of the youngsters. Beautiful rich colour and coat in gleaming condition. Pretty head with lovely eyes and good fill to her muzzle. Level top line and well carried tail. Moved with drive front and rear.

SPECIAL LIMIT BLACK AND TAN (1)

1. Darane True Colors (Kates)

Lovely size and presents a lovely balanced picture. Shown in good coat that was well presented. Pretty head, with large dark eyes. Moved well holding her level top line, and lovely tail set. Showy girl.

OPEN BITCH (2)

1. Ch Carmas Penne Pasta at Crizwood (Moulton/Wornall)

Another show stopper who commands your attention when she enters the ring. Very feminine girl with the most beautiful head and expression. Nice ear set, with fringing that any girl would be jealous of. Moved well from her well turned stifles. Shown in gleaming condition. Good spring of rib. Was more than happy to award her **RESERVE WINNERS BITCH.**

2. Ch Linrica A Dream, JW (Hsiung/Liu)

Another beautiful bitch who commanded my attention as she entered the ring. So feminine, large expressive dark eyes, good fill to muzzle. Well balanced. Good lay to shoulder, level top line and nice tail set. Moved with drive. Shown in gleaming condition. <u>BEST</u> TRICOLOUR IN SHOW, BEST TRICOLOUR BITCH

SENIOR OPEN BITCH (1)

1. Ch Chesham A Minute Of Your Time, JW (Taub/Eckersley)

Just loved this senior lady. Beautiful breed type. Well balanced and presented in top order. Feminine head and beautiful dark eyes, and still wonderful pigment. Level top line and moved like a youngster. Considered her for top honours.

1. Karvale Brookhaven Finn (Utych/Utych)

8 ½ year old Blenheim boy, who could have given any of the younger dogs a run for their money. Well balanced with a lovely coat that was in lovely condition. Lovely head and expression, large dark eyes and good pigment. Was happy to award <u>BEST VETERAN IN</u> SHOW, BEST VETERAN DOG.

VETERAN BITCH (1)

1. Oggbrae Button Gwinnett (Bales/Bales)

Well what a pleasure to judge this 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ year old bitch, who is amazing for her years. Lovely coat that was in lovely condition. Pretty head with the most soulful eyes. Moved and showed well. **<u>BEST VETERAN BITCH</u>**