

CAVALIERS OF NORTHEAST

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Thank you to the chair and committee for inviting me to judge your show, and for making us feel so welcome. The weather was also very kind to us. I had a lovely time. The welcoming pack was a bonus and Ann and I really enjoyed our tibble.

Thank you to all the exhibitors for the beautifully presented dogs, and for taking my placings so graciously. Some classes I needed 2 first places, others not so much.

I think the movement needs improving on many dogs, with front and hind movement far too close. I found white around the eyes in many dogs and this really can spoil the expression, and many gay tails. Tails should not be carried much above the level of the back and should be straight out if possible.

In saying all that, I was very pleased with my winners and wish them all a great future.

DOGS

JUNIOR PUPPY DOG (3)

1. **DIORCHAVON DOCTOR LOU ON CALL** (Bialek)
Striking dog of quality. Lovely round dark eyes. Correct ear set, and he used them well. Perfect topline. Good reach of neck, moved well both ways. Loved this little boy. I was disappointed he did not stay for the puppy challenge. **BEST PUPPY DOG**
2. **AUTUMN HILL LETS DANCE** (Parente)
Another pretty boy, short-coupled who moved well, nice rich colour and dark eyes. Good angulation.
3. **WATERSEDGE NEW YEARS TREASURE** (Walzer/Walzer)
Five month old baby, he didn't move as well as the others, rich colour and well broken. Pretty head.

GRADUATE PUPPY DOG (2)

1. **ISLEPOSEA WALK ON FERRY** (Hoehn)
Lovely Blenheim boy. Beautiful eyes and head shape, good pigment. Well-broken rich colour, moved well both ways. Should have a promising future.
2. **COBRNIK REED BUNTING** (Tegg)
Nice Ruby boy who moved well. Nice eyes and expression, good shape.

NOVICE DOG (2)

1. **CHEWCREEK FERNANDO** (DePhillip)
Heavily marked Tricolour, with the softest expression. Good strong body, good turn of stifle, correct tailset, moved well both ways.
2. **NIGHTINGALE SUGAR DADDY** (Mulligan)
Nicely marked Blenheim with a soft expression, who also moved well.

AMERICAN BRED DOG (4)

1. **ALMEARA I BELIEVE, JW** (Parente)
Really nice boy, good square shape with lovely expression, dark eyes, good strong hind movement, correct turn of stifle, very happy. Took over the ring with his great ring presence, didn't stop wagging. Happy to present him [**RESERVE WINNERS DOG**](#).
2. **CHADWICK SHOOTING UPWARDS AT CEILIMOR** (McCarty/Eckersley)
Another nice boy, not as happy as #1, rich colour, good shape, short coupled, preferred movement of #1.
3. **PICCADIL DREAM A LIL DREAM OF ME** (York)
Well presented, in good coat, well marked, good turn of stifle and moved well, preferred eyes of first two.
4. **GLENELLEN ROYAL ROOKIE** (Murphy)
Happy, well marked boy, who moved ok, but seemed uncomfortable and wanted to scratch.

SPECIAL LIMIT BLENHEIM DOG (3)

1. **TRUELOVE PRINCE CHARMING** (Nikaci)
What a lovely boy, happy and didn't stop showing. Well broken and rich tan, softest expression with dark eyes, nice reach of neck, correct shoulder placement, good turn of stifle, good tail set and carriage, kept his top line and moved well both ways. Proud to make him my [**WINNERS DOG, BEST IN SHOW, BEST AMERICAN BRED IN SHOW, BEST BRED BY EXHIBITOR IN SHOW, BEST BLENHEIM IN SHOW, BEST AMERICAN BRED DOG, BEST BRED BY EXHIBITOR DOG, BEST BLENHEIM DOG**](#).
2. **DREAMVALE DEVIL WITHOUT A CAUSE** (Perini/Sage)
Another nice one who moved well both ways. Nice neck, good turn of stifle and nice dark eyes. A credit to his owner.
3. **HIDDENCREEK ONE SHOT OF PATRON** (Weinstein/Green)
Happy boy who moved well, good rich colour, good turn of stifle, but I preferred the expression of the first two.

SPECIAL LIMIT TRICOLOUR DOG (2)

1. **CHADWICK CODE BLACK** (McCarty/Eckersley)

Well made tricolour dog with lovely dark eyes and the softest expression. Rich tan, good turn of stifle, beautiful coat, moved well. Just wish he weren't so proud of his tail.

BEST TRICOLOUR IN SHOW, BEST TRICOLOUR DOG

2. **JUST DRESSED TO IMPRESS OF GILLBROOK** (Venier/Venier)

Happy well marked boy. Nice shape, preferred the eyes and hind movement of one, but he has a nice expression.

SPECIAL LIMIT RUBY DOG (3)

1. **KHATIBI ONE IN VEMILLION** (Maddox)

Well made ruby, good square shape, loved the rich colour of this ruby, nice expression, correct tail set and carriage. Good turn of stifle. Moved well.

2. **TOMNEE'S GOLDEN SKY** (Meager/Wise)

Another nice boy, very happy, good shape and turn of stifle, nice neck, prefer colour of #1. Moved well.

3. **CARLEN DANDINI** (Atkinson)

Not quite the shape of the other two, but nice rich colour, would prefer more neck, but correct turn of stifle.

SPECIAL LIMIT BLACK-AND-TAN (1)

1. **KALAIS SHIVER ME TIMBERS** (Hess)

Quality boy, in lovely condition, masculine head, lovely rich colour. I liked his shape, correct turn of stifle, moved well with happy tail.

OPEN DOG (3)

1. **BELCARRA STRAIGHT SHOT REMINGTON OF BEARRIVER** (Toepfer)

A good class of boys, but all proud of their tails. This one has beautiful eyes, is well broken and a lovely rich colour. Nice neck and shoulders and good turn of stifle, moved well.

2. **CH CHADWICK TELLTALE AUTHOR, JW** (Glynn/Glynn)

Another nice boy, good shape and soft expression, good turn of stifle, but again, something was really making them put their tails up today.

3. **CH DREAMVALE FOLLOW ALL MY MOVES** (Perini/Sage)

Nicely marked boy, correct shape, well presented, preferred stronger head of #1.

SENIOR OPEN DOG (1)

1. **CH CHANTISMERE CAST A SPELL ON CORDUKE** (Mulligan)

Nine year old boy, who moved wonderfully, correct movement both ways. Correct tailset and carriage, good top line, lovely shape and was so happy and wagged all the time.

BITCHES

JUNIOR PUPPY BITCH (3)

1. **CHADWICK FREQUENT FLYER** (Eckersley)
Nicely marked puppy, pretty, with good tail-set and carriage, good turn of stifle, moved well.
BEST PUPPY IN SHOW
2. **AUTUMNHILL ALL SHE WANTS TO DO IS DANCE** (Parente/Green)
Real baby puppy, good rich colour, lovely shape, correct tailset and carriage, moved well.
3. **TIBBEDON SILVER BELLES** (Tibbetts)
Another sweet baby, good colour and shape, happy and wagging, but carried her tail rather high.

SENIOR PUPPY BITCH (4)

1. **LINRICA REACH FOR THE STARS** (Liu)
Pretty Blenheim of good rich colour, nice reach of neck, good depth of chest, pretty face, and nice eyes. Moved well.
2. **GRACELYN MAKING WAVES** (Gregory)
Another nice bitch, but preferred expression of #1. Good square shape, good turn of stifle and moved well.
3. **DARANE JANE EYRE** (Hossler/Kates)
Quality Black-and-Tan, bit longer in back, but lovely rich tan, and good movement. Preferred eyes of #1.
4. **DARANE WUTHERING HEIGHTS** (Kates)
Tricolour bitch that needs time to mature, nicely marked and rich tan markings. Good turn of stifle.

GRADUATE PUPPY BITCH (5) “A nice class of bitches”

1. **BONITOS COMPANEROS XAVERIA OF WELMFORTH** (Lasser)
Just loved this bitch. Very nice young bitch, lovely eyes and expression. Square shape, good reach of neck, good turn of stifle, moved well both ways, just needs time to complete the picture.
RESERVE WINNERS BITCH
2. **CHADWICK IN MY OPINION, JW** (Eckersley)
Closely followed, another nice bitch, lovely rich colour, nice neck and shoulders, not as happy as #1, moved well.
3. **ORCHARDHILL GOTTA ADORE ME** (Venier/Venier)
Well presented Blenheim with beautiful dark eyes, not the neck of the first 2, but a quality bitch, good coat, moved well.
4. **PICCADIL SIX PACK GUINNESS BLONDE** (York)
This bitch has a lovely expression, I think she could benefit by a little weight gain, beautifully presented.

NOVICE BITCH (1)

1. **AUTUMNHILL HONKY TONK ANGEL** (Parente)

Pretty baby, ruby puppy, showed well and didn't stop wagging. Nice eyes and lovely expression, lovely square shape. [BEST RUBY BITCH](#), handled by the lovely Ava.

BRED BY EXHIBITOR BITCH (3)

1. **SUNJAYS KISS ME KATE** (Hellman)

Real quality bitch. Very sound, going over her, I could feel the correct space in front, deep chest, good neck, lovely colour, and showed happily. Moved well.

2. **LINRICA KISSED BY AN ANGEL** (Liu)

Pretty Blenheim, nicely marked, but out of coat, nice dark eyes, good turn of stifle

3. **PIAFFE WITH A STELLA** (Rychlik)

Very pretty headed, but just didn't want to behave. Nice expression and moved well.

AMERICAN BRED BITCH (4)

1. **PIAFFE IN THE TULIPS** (Rychlik)

Nice bitch who showed well, lovely shape and big dark eyes, lovely reach of neck, good turn of stifle, moved well both ways and very happy.

2. **CHADWICK OH LA LA OF CHARDOMONT, JW** (Greak/Comer/Eckersley)

Another pretty bitch, but I preferred the shape of #1, and she did not seem that happy. Nicely marked, lovely eyes, good neck, moved well.

3. **LINRICA ROSE PETALS** (Liu)

Another nice bitch, with good eyes, correct turn of stifle, rich colour, but lost her top line a bit on the move.

4. **PICCADIL GODDESS OF VICTORY** (York)

Another very pretty bitch, nice head, dark eyes, in good coat.

SPECIAL LIMIT BLENHEIM BITCH (5)

1. **NIGHTINGALE AGAINST THE WIND AT FALLINGSPRINGS, JW** (Curley)

Another nice bitch who is a lovely square shape and well marked. She has good reach of neck and well laid shoulders. Good turn of stifle, nice front, moved well, lovely expression.

2. **SUNJAYS RUMOR HAS IT** (Hellman)

Beautiful bitch, small square shape, good rich colour. Good turn of stifle, not quite the expression of #1, moved well.

3. **BONITOS CAMPANEROS JOSEPHINE OF WELMFORTH** (Lasser)

Another very pretty bitch, but not long off a litter, so not at her best. Nice eyes and expression, good shape.

4. **CHADWICK SECRET CODE, JW** (Eckersley)

Another nice bitch, lovely coat, good neck and shoulders and dark eyes.

SPECIAL LIMIT RUBY BITCH (1)

1. **CARLEN NUTIN BUT TROUBLE FERGIE** (Close)
Ruby bitch, stood alone, well made bitch with dark eyes, and good rich colour, long ears, good reach of neck. And good shape. Moved well.

SPECIAL LIMIT BLACK-AND-TAN BITCH (1)

1. **DARANE TRUE COLORS** (Kates)
Lovely shape, Black-and-Tan, beautiful shiny coat, she is a lovely shape has good neck and a lovely soft expression. Good turn of stifle and moved well

OPEN BITCH (4)

1. **CH CHADWICK SENTIMENTAL JOURNEY, JW** (Eckersley)
Beautiful Blenheim with the longest ears, I just wish she would lift them a bit more. Lovely square shape with good reach of neck, good turn of stifle, nice level top line, moved well both ways, beautifully presented. Pleased to award her my [**WINNERS BITCH, RESERVE BEST IN SHOW, BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX.**](#)
2. **CH CHADWICK DRAMA, JW** (Hoehn/Eckersley)
Another delightful bitch, rich colour. Nice shape, lovely eyes and moved well.
3. **CHANTISMERE CARRIEANNA** (Tibbetts)
Another nice bitch, not as happy as first 2 good shape, rich colour.
4. **CH FOXWYN A LIKELY STORY OF CHARDOMONT** (Greak/Comer/Baker-Fox)
Another nice bitch, but movement not so good, maybe not so happy, but good shape and everything in the right places.

SENIOR OPEN BITCH (1)

1. **CH DARANE RED SONJA, JW** (Kates)
Nine year old bitch, moved beautifully, well made with nice shape, lovely neck and shoulders and the softest expression. Credit to her owner.

VETERAN DOG (1)

1. **CH CHANTISMERE CAST A SPELL ON CORDUKE** (Mulligan)
Nine year old happy boy, with a soft expression who showed well, lovely shape, neat front, happily wagging all the time. Moved well around the ring. [**BEST VETERAN IN SHOW**](#)

Thank you, every one,

Pam Craig