CAVALIERS OF THE MIDWEST 02/23/2019, LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY ROB SANSOM, BYERMOOR, UK

Many thanks to Cavaliers of the Midwest for the invitation to judge. I thoroughly enjoyed my time in Kentucky and the hospitality was wonderful. The males were quite mixed in quality, bitches were much stronger, that said, I was delighted with my winners in both sexes.

There was one thing very disturbed me that I have never come across this before. On Sunday, when I sat ringside, at the end of the day when finals were being done, when the judge made her decision. someone actually boo-ed! I'm sure this person knows who they are! Everyone is entitled to his or her opinion. If it doesn't go your way, be gracious and accept itbad sportsmanship is not good! Have a moan in the car if you're not happy!

THE DOG CLASSES

JUNIOR PUPPY DOG (4)

- LEGENDCREST FINNICKYSKYE DREAM CATCHER (Utych/Utych) 8 month old Blenheim, good size and shape, pleasing head and eye, good neck and front, nice bone and body, good coat and colour, moved well. <u>BEST PUPPY DOG</u>
- MARILEE BE TRUE TO YOUR SCHOOL (Junk/Collins) Another 8 month old Blenheim, again, pleasing in head and eye, liked his bone and body, good coat, moved well in front, needs to settle in topline.
- LEGENDCREST ANIMAL HOUSE (Gardner/Seidman)
 5 month old Blenheim, good bone and body, good coat, moved well in front, needs to firm up.
- TUDOROSE DRAGONFIRE (Mixon/Mixon) Good sized Blenheim, well-marked, good bone, nice coat, pleasing head and eye, needs to firm up.

SENIOR PUPPY DOG (1)

BLUEDAY MICH E LOB AT CHEWCREEK (DePhillips)
 9 month Blenheim, very pleasing size and shape, good bone and body, he has good eyes, just a little plain in head at the moment, moved very well in profile.

<u>GRADUATE PUPPY DOG</u> (5)

1. DIORCHAVEN DOCTOR LOU ON CALL (Bialek)

17 month very stylish Blenheim, ok for size, head developing well with lovely eyes, excellent neck and front, good bone and feet, moved very well in front, very good body, lovely coat, just needs to firm up behind, that said he's a good dog.

WINNERS DOG, BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX, BEST BRED BY EXHIBITOR DOG, BEST AMERICAN BRED DOG, BEST BLENHEIM DOG

2. SHEEBA SUPERSTITION (Mitchell)

Preferred the size of this stylish Blenheim. He has a lovely head and eyes, good bone and body, moved well out and back just needs to settle in topline.

3. MARJORELLE CATCH ME IF YOU CAN, JW (Conley)

Another well sized Blenheim, very pleasing head and eyes, well developed body, lots of coat, moved well in profile, he was unsettled out and back.

4. WATERSEDGE NEW YEAR TREASURE (Walzer/Walzer)

Good bone and body, he has lovely eyes, but he is a little strong in head for me, in good condition and a very good mover.

BRED BY EXHIBITOR DOG (2)

- SERAPHAVEN RETURN OF THE KING (Gogol)
 3 year old Tricolor, he has a pleasing head and eyes, very good neck and front, nice bone and body, although I would prefer a tad shorter in loin, a good mover and in good coat.
- 2. CHEWCREEK FERNANDO (De Phillips) Pleasing head with very good eyes, good neck and topline, very tidy body shape, needs to firm up, good coat and very pleasing profile.

JUNIOR AMERICAN BRED DOG (1)

 BROOKHAVEN FOREVER YOUNG (Bolster/Ayers) 17 months, very pleasing head and eye, good neck and topline, liked his bone and body, good coat, moved well in front and good behind, kept a good profile.

AMERICAN BRED DOG (5)

- JAYBA JEAN PIERRE, JW (Lander/Lander)
 22 month old Blenheim, he has a lovely head and eyes, loved his size, good neck and front, sound bone and body, lovely profile, moved well in front, needs to firm up behind.
- CANYONCREST AUGUST RENOIR (Du Ross) Black-and-/Tan, very pleasing outline, head and eyes ok, good neck and front, moved well out and back with a good profile, in good coat. BEST BLACK-AND-TAN IN SHOW, BEST BLACK-AND-TAN DOG

3. FOXWYN LOOK NO FURTHER (Baker-Fox)

Very pleasing head and eye, good neck and topline, good front, tidy bone and body, lovely profile and good coat.

4. ALMEARA I BELIEVE (Parente)

Lovely head and eye on this Blenheim, liked his bone and body, went well in front, but unsettled in profile.

<u>SPECIAL LIMIT TRICOLOUR DOG</u> (1)

 CANYONCREST TO THE LEADER OF THE BAND (Du Ross) Pleasing size, head and eye ok, good bone and body, moved very well in front, well-marked coat, a little close behind.

<u>SPECIAL LIMIT RUBY DOG</u> (1)

 KHATIBI ONE IN VERMILLION (Maddox) Liked him for size, pleasing head and eye, good pigment, liked his bone and body, in good coat, moved well in front, but a bit close behind. <u>BEST RUBY DOG</u>

<u>OPEN DOG</u> (2)

- CH BROOKHAVEN THE DREAM LIVES ON AT FINNICKYSKYE (Utych/Utych) Very good type on this Blenheim toy spaniel, he has a lovely head and eye, although his pigment could be better, very good body proportions, liked his bone and body, in lovely coat, unfortunately, his lack of temperament cost him today, when he moved, he was true and a lovely outline. <u>RESERVE WINNERS DOG</u>
- 2. CH CHADWICK CODE BLACK OF CEILIMOR (McCarty/Eckersley) A good sized Tricolour, strong bone and good body, he moved out and back well, he has a very pleasing head, he was unsettled in profile today.

THE BITCH CLASSES

JUNIOR PUPPY BITCH (8)

 WATERSEDGE CURTAIN CALL (Walzer/Walzer)
 7 month old Blenheim, great size and shape, lovely head and eye, good neck and front, she has lovely bone and body, a good coat, she moved well and she was so cute made me smile.

2. CHADWICK FLYING ON CLOUD NINE (Eckersley)

5 month old Blenheim, very similar to #1, just a little less mature, lovely head and eye, good body shape , going to have a good coat and she already has a lovely temperament.

3. NIGHTINGALE OVER THE TOP (Mulligan)

Pretty Blenheim of 6 months, she's a good shape, nice neck and shoulder, good bone and body, nice coat tidy front, needs to firm up.

4. CANYONCREST OH OH OLVIA (Du Ross)

Lovely eyes and pigment, good bone and body, pleasing head, moved well just needs to come together.

SENIOR PUPPY BITCH (5)

- FORESTCREEK AMBLESIDE FLEUR DE LIS AT MIMRIC (Hodges/Cline) 11month old Blenheim, she has a lovely head and very good eyes, liked her in neck and front with good bone, well developed body with good ribs, in very good coat for age, she moved very well fore and aft, just needs to firm up in the middle, but a lovely bitch. BEST PUPPY IN SHOW, BEST PUPPY BITCH
- 2. TASSAJARA THIS IS US WEE (Seidman) Blanket Tricolour, very pleasing head and eye, good bone and body, good bone and front, quarters ok, moved well.
- 3. LINRICA BUBBLICIOUS (Liu) Blenheim of a good size, pleasing head and eye, bone and body ok, moved well out and back, a little unsettled in profile.
- 4. CARLENE CHATEAU STE MICHELLE (Close) Pretty head and eyes, good bone and coat coming, went well, needs to body up.

<u>GRADUATE PUPPY BITCH</u> (4)

 CHADWICK FREQUENT FLYER AT HUDSONVIEW (Glynn/Glynn/Eckersley) This 16 month old Blenheim ticked all the boxes! Perfect size, I loved her head piece, lovely eyes, dark pigment, correct muzzle, excellent neck and front, good bone, just the amount of body you want, good topline and excellent tail set, movement was free and easy out and back and her profile was lovely, in the correct amount of coat, to top this she had a lovely personality! <u>WINNERS BITCH, BEST IN SHOW, BEST BRED BY EXHIBITOR IN SHOW,</u> <u>BEST BLENHEIM IN SHOW, BEST BRED BY EXHIBITOR BITCH, BEST BLENHEIM BITCH</u>

2. NORTHPOINT HEDERA COLCHICA (Mitchum)

12 month old Blenheim, pleasing size, nice head and eye, good bone and front, firm topline, needs to fill in body.

- 3. AUTUMNHILL UNFORGETTABLE AT TIDEWATER (O'Brien, Tatum, Parente) Ruby with a very pretty head and lovely eyes, good neck and topline, in good coat and moved well.
- 4. LINRICA MIRACLE BABY (Liu) Nice eyes and pleasing head, neck and topline good, went ok in front, needs to firm up behind.

NOVICE BITCH (1)

KRYSTLE SWEET AS SUGAR (Torgersen/Torgersen)

 month Blenheim, nice size, head and eyes ok, topline ok, went well behind, but rather slack in front, needs to develop coat.

BRED BY EXHIBITOR BITCH (4)

"All were all lovely bitches, splitting hairs between them."

- CH ASTARRING ALL THE CATS MEOW (Foster/Mohn)
 Loved the size and shape of this Blenheim of just 20 months. Not my type of head, but she had
 lovely eyes, excellent neck and front, good bone and body, great topline and tail, great coat and
 she moved well, especially in profile. Overall a neat and pleasing package.

 <u>RESERVE WINNERS BITCH, RESERVE BEST IN SHOW, BEST AMERICAN
 BRED IN SHOW, BEST AMERICAN BRED BITCH

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- BROOKHAVEN FORBIDDEN FRUIT (Ayers/Martz) Much preferred the head of this bitch, she has lovely eyes, plenty body, good bone, well ribbed, good tail, moved well both ways.
- 3. CH CHADWICK RIOTOUS (Eckersley)

2 year old Tricolour of excellent size and shape, she has a very pleasing head and eye, good bone and body, she moved very well.

CH JAYBA OOH LA LA (Lander/Lander/George)
 20 month old Blenheim, who is so pretty, she has lovely eyes, very good head, good neck and front, moved well, in good coat .

JUNIOR AMERICAN BRED BITCH (2)

- CHADWICK PURPLE PASSION (Eckersley) 8 month old Tricolour, liked her size and shape, pleasing head and eyes, good bone and body, nice rib, coat coming, she moved well.
- BRYREWOOD YOU SEND ME (Torgerson/Baldwin) 16 month old Blenheim with good eyes, good neck with nice bone and body, went ok behind, needs to settle in front.

AMERICAN BRED BITCH (6)

1. LINRICA REACH FOR THE STARS (Liu)

19 month old Blenheim, lovely size, very pretty head and eyes, good bone and body and good coat, moved very well with a good profile.

2. LIVELYOAK PERSUASION, JW (Brokopp/Borton/Harrison)

I was very taken with this Blenheim, very pretty head and good eyes, good bone and body, nice front and good coat, moved well both ways, she was unsettled in topline, but deserves her title .

- CHADWICK SAY YES TO DRESS (Eckersley) A Really Pretty Blenheim with lovely eyes, liked her bone and body, a tad long, ok quarters, she went well.
- KRYSTAL STAR QUALITY (Torgerson/Torgersen) Nice sized Blenheim, head and eyes ok, good bone and body, tidy quarters, went well, lacked coat.

SPECIAL LIMIT BLENHEIM (6)

- 1. **BONITIOS COMPANEROS XAVEIRA OF WELMFORTH** (Lasser) A 2 year old Blenheim whom I have admired before, she has a lovely head and eye, excellent neck and front, good bone and body, liked her quarters and coat, went well out and back just a little unsettled in topline today.
- BROOKHAVEN ARIZONA (Ayers/Martz) Very pretty Blenheim with good eyes, liked her size and good quarters, in good coat, moved well behind, front not as good as #1.
- ANGELS PRIDE KATELYNN (Lemon) Blenheim of good size, lovely eyes, scored in neck, front and topline, good coat, just moved close behind.
- 4. LINRICA ROSE PETALS (Liu) Rich coloured Blenheim of a pleasing size, good bone, nice eyes, head ok, a little unsettled in topline.

SPECIAL LIMIT TRICOLOR BITCH (1)

CHADWICK WISH UPON A STAR (Eckersley)
 2 years old blanket Tricolour, nice size, very pretty head and eyes, good bone and body, neck and quarters good, a little unsettled in topline. <u>BEST TRICOLOUR BITCH</u>

<u>SPECIAL LIMIT RUBY</u> (2)

- BROOKHAVEN I BELIEVE (Ayers/Martz)
 2 years old and a lovely size, liked her body and substance, very pretty head and eyes, good bone and front, moved very well and in good coat.
 BEST RUBY IN SHOW, BEST RUBY BITCH
- 2. **NEMESIS FIDWOR Z CISARSKEHO MLYNA** (Baker-Fox) Pleasing size, head ok with good eyes, liked her bone, very much at the in-between stage.

OPEN BITCH (2)

- 1. **CHADWICK IN MY OPINION** (Eckersley) Very pretty Blenheim of 2 years, lovely size, good bone and body, firm topline and good quarters, went well in front and a good outline, not going well behind .
- BONITIOS COMPANEROS JOSEPHINE OF WELMFORTH (Lasser) Lightly marked Blenheim, pretty head and good eyes, liked her bone and body, a little soft in body, just coming back into bloom.

VETERAN DOG (1)

 KARVALE BROOKHAVEN FINN (Utych) 11yrs old Blenheim, lovely head and eye, good bone and body, in good coat and a very good mover. BEST VETERAN IN SHOW

VETERAN BITCH (1)

1. **CH DENHAM DREAMED ABOUT** (Maddox) 10 years old, Ruby, nice shape, pleasing head and eye, good front, body and coat, went well .

Rob Sansom, Judge