# CAVALIER KING CHARLES SPANIEL CLUB USA NATIONAL SPECIALITY 10/6/19, WOODLAND HILLS, CALIFORNIA MRS. PAT LANDER, JAYBA CAVALIERS, USA

I would like to thank Cavaliers of the West for inviting me to judge at the National Specialty weekend. It was a beautiful show and the Show Committee was exceptional.

The quality of dogs and bitches was truly outstanding. I don't say that lightly. Everyone who judges looks at dogs with their eye, and idea of what constitutes a whole dog which is a sum of all its parts. Breed type, structure, and movement. Then there is the show factor. I must say none of this is easy. It requires a lot of perseverance. We are often not in agreement. I hope that at the end of the day it's the sportsmanship and our passion for the breed that bind us together.

As a breeder and judge I'm very proud of what as a group and Club, improvements have been made in our breed over the years. Your dedication shows. I applaud you one and all.

# Pat Lander

#### **DOG CLASSES**

# **JUNIOR PUPPY DOG** (4)

- 1) **IVYLINE SOMETHING ABOUT HARRY** (Giampapa) Lovely type, really good head and a really neat package at 8 months. He moved with purpose holding a level topline and tail straight off his back. He did everything right today. I'm sure we will see more of this youngster in the future! **BEST PUPPY DOG, BEST PUPPY IN SHOW**
- 2) **LOWLLANI RED LABEL** (Brokopp) A heavier marked Blenheim with very nice breed type. He has a sweet expression, lovely eyes, good structure and strode out nicely.
- 3) **BROOKHAVEN BLACK TIE AFFAIR** (Tegg) I liked this smaller Black and Tan with a very pretty face, dark eyes and deep color. He was true coming and going.
- 4) **COVINGTON RHAEGAL** (Gonyo/Mohn) Another nice Blenheim puppy with good outline, and clean on the move.

#### **SENIOR PUPPY DOG** (5)

- 1) TASSJARA TURN OVER A NEW LEAF (Seidman/Seidman-McDonnell/Carnes/True) A smaller boy with lovely breed type, well made, very pleasing head and eyes. He has excellent movement.
- 2) **DELSOL MAGIC CARPET** (Mcrae/McHenry) another excellent puppy. He will have a beautiful head. His front and rear are good and he moved correctly.

- 3) **ENELRAD MAYBE IT'S TRUE** (White/Taurodo) A well broken handsome Blenheim, who is a little larger puppy, good substance and structure. He moved well.
- 4) **TASSAJARA NEW KID ON THE BLOCK** (Seidman/Seidman-McDonnell) A cute Blenheim who is less mature at this point then the others. He is a littermate to 1st puppy of which he is similar in type, and attributes.

# **GRADUATE PUPPY DOG** (5)

- 1) **FORESTCREEK KEEGAN** (Whitmire/Cline) A very handsome young dog with the deepest chestnut coloring. He's a short-coupled dog, soundly made and with tons of exuberant personality. This is a star on the rise and look forward to seeing him mature.
- 2) **NIGHTHAWK EVERY DOG HAS IT'S DAY** (Mitchell) Opposite in type to number 1. He is at 15 months old a dog that for me might go over the top but having said that he is one to watch with a lovely head, well made and nice movement.
- 3) **SORELLA GOD OF THUNDER** (Castro/Green) A darker Blenheim with a pretty face and dark, round appealing eyes. His outline is nice. Lacking in maturity now.
- 4) **LEGANDCREST FINICKYSKE DREAM CATCHER, JW** (Utych/Utych) A very pretty Blenheim dog who is a really nice package. He is a quality dog who on this day was not showing his best.

# **BRED BY EXHIBITOR DOG** (3)

- 1) **IVYLINE RINESTONE COWBOY** (Giampapa) This is a smaller Blenheim dog, very pretty, lovely coat, well proportioned, good front, and rear. He goes around the ring with a lovely topline and tailset.
- 2) CH CEDARCREEK RISE N SHINE (Owens) Another Blenheim who is a little larger, short coupled dog, really nice head, eyes, and coat. He showed very well.
- 3) CH. CHADWICK BESSED DRESSED (Robinson/Eckersly) A chunky boy with full head and muzzle, dark eyes, deep Blenheim coat. He moved out well.

#### **JUNIOR AMERICAN BRED DOG** (1)

1) **QUAIL RUN FROST** (Kornhi) A well broken Blenheim puppy. He has a nice shape and good angulation front and rear. He carried himself well and moved with a level topline and correct tailset.

#### **AMERICAN BRED DOG** (4)

1) **SHEEBA SUPERSTITION** (Mitchell) A lovely Blenheim, large dark eyes, great expression. He moved very well and showed off nice layback of shoulder and blend of neck into the top line. He looked great on the move. I think he has a promising future.

- 2) **DELSOL DRESS TO IMPRESS** (Macre/McHenry) Blenheim with deep color, nice coat, full masculine head and nice balance. I liked him a lot.
- 3) **DARANE HAPPY SONG AT KYMERITE** (Markjohn/Kates) Black and Tan, who is a very nice dog with full ears framing his face. He has deep rich coat, nice structure and movement.
- 4) MAISONDUSOLELL MARCEL (Schuberth/Schuberth/Mittleman/Subramanian) A two year old Blenheim who in this case didn't know his handler. That's always hard to show and to judge.

#### **SECOND GENERATION AMERICAN BRED DOG** (3)

- 1) HARRINGTON THE BEAR NECESSITIES (Gonyo/Gonyo) 18 month old handsome dog who is put together well except, to be closer in the rear.
- 2) MAYFIELD HERCULES AT HIFIT (Paris/Paris) A very well put together dog. Lovely eyes, and expression. He needs to mature.
- 3) **CLARMARIAN SPOT ON** (Enderwood-Singh) Cute Blenheim dog who liked to bark a bit!

#### **HEALTH AND CONFORMATION DOG** (1)

1) **CH BRIARCREST BURBERRY** (Katz) I just saw his age and he definitely does not show the years. He has always had glamor and I noticed him in the ring. Love good looking older dogs that age well. I look for dogs that do.

# **SPECIAL LIMIT BLENHEIM DOG** (1)

1) **COVINGTON DESIGNED BY TIME** (Mohn) nice full head on a compact dog in good coat and condition. Moved out with level topline and good tail carriage.

#### **SPECIAL LIMIT TRICOLOR DOG** (2)

- 1) **STARMAC MAN ABOUT TOWN** (Rezowalli/Hooper) beautiful full head framed by lovely ears, great coat with rich tan markings, short coupled, clean mover.
- 2) **LAREINA SPLAIN IT TO ME** (Roberts-Espinosa) A smaller boy with pretty face, well made and moved out nicely. He needs to mature and put on coat.

# **SPECIAL LIMIT RUBY DOG** (1)

 CH KHATIBI ONE IN VERMILLION, ENG JW (Maddox) This Ruby had lovely rich color, nice face and was structurally very good.
BEST RUBY IN SHOW

#### **SPECIAL LIMIT BLACK AND TAN DOG** (2)

- AUTUMNHILL SILVER JUBILEE (Woodward/Parente) A really nice dog. Head, eyes, expression great. Shoulder and rear good. A very well balanced dog. He moved well and showing off his nice shape. <u>BEST BLACK AND TAN</u> IN SHOW
- 2) **INTRYNZIK SAUVIGNON** (Goodwin/Cook) A very young dog who needs more time to mature and to add coat. He has a pretty head, large dark eyes and nice temperament.

**OPEN DOG** (9) "A beautiful class of 9 worthy champions and the breed they represent."

- 1) CH & ENG CH PASCAVALE TOMMY (Cline) A dog that I can only praise. Beautifully groomed and presented. He is a flawless delight to go over on the table and a joy to watch. He is, in my eyes, a fabulous example of the Cavalier, a toy dog not lacking for anything. I loved his head, balance, the structure, neck flowing into lovely shoulders, a firm topline into a correct croup and tail set. His rear end and all that entails is one that is a goal for our breed, correct turn of stifle and short well let down hocks on a rear that was still firm and strong. I was very happy and honored to have the opportunity to judge him. BEST IN SHOW, WINNERS DOG, BEST BLENHEIM IN SHOW
- 2) CH CHADWICK CODE BLACK OF CEILLIMOR (McCarty/Eckersley) A lovely tri dog who shows his heart out and is so very hard to ignore in the ring. Very pretty, combined with a very masculine look all in one. A full head, very well marked, great bone, shinning coat. It made me very happy to watch him and his handler turn on the performance. A very worthy Champion. <u>RESERVE</u> <u>WINNERS DOG</u>, <u>BEST AMEERICAN BRED DOG IN SHOW</u>, <u>BEST TRI COLOR IN SHOW</u>.
- **3) CH VALTENYNE THE IRISH TENOR, JW** (O'Brien) Lovely small dog, a true toy spaniel. Short coupled, well balanced with correct movement. He was up there for top honors. He has proven his ability in both UK and USA. He has was well groomed and handled. A worthy Champion with many wins to his credit.
- **4) BROOKHAVEN HERE COMES HOGAN** (Ayers/Martz/Green) On the move hard to ignore his style. He has good structure, lovely head, expression, beautifully presented and great coat. A top Champion. **SECOND AWARD OF MERIT**

#### **SENIOR OPEN DOG** (1)

1) STELLAR ROMANCING THE STONE AT TYCWN (Knauss/Rose) Tri colored boy, well marked, and a young 8 yrs. Really nice head, expression and good movement.

#### **BITCH CLASSES**

#### **JUNIOR PUPPY BITCH** (3)

- 1) MILLHILL LA DIAMANT AT WYNDANCER (Barrett) A very pretty 5 month old tri puppy, with a promising future. Lovely structure, and movement.
- 2) PARLLETT PINK CADILLAC (Williams/Williams) Adorable puppy, good structure. She will be one to watch as she matures.
- 3) **QUAIL RUN ICLYN** (Kornhi/Eckersly) A quality puppy, shape is nice, as is head and carriage on the move.

#### **SENIOR PUPPY BITCH** (3)

- 1) **GRANASIL FLORENTINE** (Gentil) I really liked this 9 month old Ruby. She has nice breed type, pretty head, good structure, she moved great <u>BEST</u> <u>PUPPY BITCH, BEST SENIOR PUPPY IN SHOW.</u>
- 2) GRANDLAUREL THERE WAS THIS GIRL (Gregory/Green) A 11 month old Blenheim who is of a stockier build then the first. She is well marked, with sweet face and expression.
- 3) MAISONDUSOLEIL NOELLE (Schuberth) Pretty little face, structurally nice but not showing well. She was just lacking in confidence. I learned later this was her fist show weekend.

#### **GRADUATE PUPPY BITCH** (6)

- 1) **NIGHTNGALE OVER THE TOP, JW** (Mulligan) Dark liquid eyes, melting expression, beautiful full coat. She moved great because she has super structure.
- 2) **TINTAGEL DE LOS URSIDOS KODIAK** (Williams/Williams/Germenez) Tri bitch with pretty face and eyes. Short coupled with good movement and a firm level topline.
- 3) **NIGHTHAWK FOREIGN AFFAIR** (Mitchell) a well broken Blenheim with nice head and eyes.
- 4) **ALMEARA ONCE SMITTEN TWICE LOVED** (Whitmire) Lots to like about this Blenheim. Pretty head, eyes, lovely neck and shoulders.

#### **NOVICE BITCH** (1)

1) **DULANEY JULIET** (Barnfather/Barnfather) Tri colored bitch, with a pretty face, nice structure, with good movement except for being a little close moving away. She could lose a little weight.

#### BRED BY EXHIBITOR BITCH (4) "A strong class of excellent bitches."

- 1) CH ASTERLING ALL THE CATS MEOW, JW (Foster) A lovely young bitch who had wow factor. Pretty face, lovely size, nice bone, well presented coat and handled perfectly. She did not disappoint on the table and moved out nicely alongside her breeder/owner. RESERVE WINNER BITCH. BEST BRED BY EXHIBITOR IN SHOW
- 2) CH TUDOR SONG OF ICE AND FIRE, JW (Mixon/Mixon) Another lovely bred by bitch who owned the ring. Her handler presented her well and showed off good structure and movement. I really liked her length of neck sloping into well laid back shoulders and solid level topline. I would take either of these girls home, if the owners would let me!
- 3) **BEARIVER CALIFORNIA GIRL** (Toepler) A heavier marked girl of quality with a pretty face and lovely dark eyes. Good structure she too moved well and has good balance on the move. She just needs more coat. Bitches are so hard to keep in coat.
- 4) CH CARLEN CHATEAU STE MICHELLE JW (Close) Ruby girl whose title speaks for itself. She is well made and moved well. I thought that her coat was not at its best, looking rather dull.

# JUNIOR AMERICAN BRED BITCH (3)

- 1) MAYFIELD JUST JULIA (Murphy/Mayfield) A heavier marked tri color girl, just14 months old with a very pretty face and lovely eyes. She is a nice size and shape, very balanced and moves well in all directions. A bright future.
- 2) IVYLINE SHIRLEY TEMPLE AT GYLDEN (Ellingson/Ellingson/Giampapa) Nice girl but she doesn't have the finish of number one. She is only 12 months so time is on her side.
- **3) ROSERIVER LOOK AROUND** (Young) A pretty face on this well marked bitch. She moves well.

#### **AMERICAN BRED BITCH** (3)

- 1) **LINRICA REACH FOR THE STARS** (Liu) A Blenheim Bitch with rich chestnut color. She has very nice coat that was well groomed, dark eyes framed by lovely full ears add to her sweet expression. She has nice balance with good layback of shoulder and correct rear. She looked good on the move. A very nice girl.
- 2) **PARLETT PINKY PROMISE, JW** (Williams/Williams) A smaller Blenheim bitch who is well marked with a pretty, sweet feminine head. A very happy exhibit who has a shorter neck and back with good angulation. Her tail did go up on the move.
- 3) **BROOKHAVEN FIDDLE-DEE-DEE AT BEARIVER** (Toepfer/Ayers/Martz) A small Black and Tan bitch who has really rich markings but lacking in coat. She is wide in the front coming toward you but has a nice level topline with correct tailset.

#### **SECOND GENERATION AMERICAN BRED BITCH** (2)

- 1) **FORESTCREEK IMAGINE IT** (Goodwin/Cline) A heavy marked Blenheim. Her small size and shape very balanced. Her dark eyes with full ears to frame her face is attractive. Moved out nicely with good topline and tailset.
- 2) **DELSOL LOVE IN AN ELEVATOR, JW** (McHenry) There is a lot to like about this bitch. Head, eyes, shape all very nice. On the move her tail was high.

#### **SPECIAL LIMIT BLENHEIM BITCH** (3)

- 1) IVYLANE POWER PUFF (Giampapa) Pretty well marked girl with a sweet face. She is very well shaped which was reflected in how nicely she moved out with correct topline and tail carriage.
  - SECOND AWARD OF MERIT
- 2) **ANGELS PRIDE KATELYN** (Lemon/Lemon) Blenheim who is a quality bitch. She has good breed type.
- 3) **FORESTCREEK ANGELINA** (Cline/Cline/Cline) This is another nice bitch. She is a larger and longer bitch with good structure and movement. Her coat is profuse.

#### **SPECIAL LIMIT TRI BITCH** (3)

- 1) CLOSEBURN BONNY WE KILT (Fairchild) Short coupled mature four year old bitch. Small, cobby and feminine with pretty face and nice expression. She moved nicely with level topline and tail right off her back. I'd like to see more coat.
- 2) TASSAJARA THIS IS US WEE (Seidman/Seidman-McDonnell) A heavy marked tri with a very attractive head and eyes. A little longer girl who moved well. She is beautifully groomed and presented.
- 3) CHADWICK PURPLE PASSION (Eckersly) Heavy marked tri with big pretty eyes. She is a nicely made and held her topline on the move. Well-presented but could use more coat.

# **SPECIAL LIMIT RUBY BITCH** (1)

1) Infinidad Velvet Box (Laliberte) I wrote in my book lovely! She had such nice breed type with a pretty head, expression, lovely coat, dark eyes, nose, good front and rear. She moved out and always had her tail up.

#### **SPECIAL LIMIT BLACK- AND- TAN BITCH** (5)

1) CHIYODA BLACK PERL OF JOY AT FALLING SPRINGS (Curley) A very nice smaller bitch. In good coat she presented a really pretty picture. I liked her head, eyes and expression. She is well made with good front, rear and topline. This bitch moved well, and with her shinning coat made a stylish presentation both standing and moving.

- 2) ROSERIVER LOTTIE SUGAR PLUM (Young) small pretty bitch with a very attractive face and pretty eyes which were framed by full well set ears. Short coupled she was lovely to go over and to watch on the move.
- 3) **DIRANE TRUE COLORS** (Kates) Another really nice bitch with all the good qualities needed to win. I had found out much later this bitch had pups, not long ago, accounting for her being out of coat.
- **4) HYTEA PUDDLE JUMP OF CHARMOUNT** (Greak/Comer) Good Back and Tan bitches in this class. I liked this bitches dark eyes, ear placement, coat, deep color, structure, movement with nice topline and tailset. While she has a pretty face it was not my favorite in this strong class.

#### OPEN BITCH (8)

- 1) **BONATIOS CAMPANEROS TOFFEE** (Magera/Mitchell) What can I say but she is a stunning bitch and one of the best movers I have ever seen. She has the beautiful balance that defines good structure. Her head, eyes, full ears, coat like silk. Watch her move. She strides out reaching with her front and driving off her rear. While standing and moving she is the same, lovely and correct. I was very happy to have her entry. **RESERVE BEST IN SHOW, BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX, WINNERS BITCH**
- 2) CH FORRESCREEK AMBLESIDE FLUER DE LIS AT MIMRIC, JW (Hodges/Cline) Another worthy top winning Champion, with a lovely face, dark eyes, good earset. Her ears are full and frame her lovely face perfectly, giving that sweet Cavalier expression. I really liked her arch of neck which flows into well laid back shoulders. A nice topline and tailset that at all times was carried correctly. She moved out nicely, carrying herself with style. Beautifully groomed and presented. She is a STAR. *FIRST AWARD OF MERIT*.
- 3) **CH BROOKHAVEN FORBIDDEN FRUIT, JW** (Ayers/Martz) I think this young bitch is adorable. She has such a cute face and round open eyes. Her movement was nice and on the table a delight to go over.
- 4) **CH. BENTWOOD FORESTCREEK DIAMOND AND SILK, JW** (Cline) A lovely Champion with many wins to her credit. She has volumes of coat that was well groomed and she was perfectly presented. A glamour girl, very impressive.

# **VETERAN DOG** (1)

1) CH BRIARCREST BURBERRY C-CDX,C-RE,C-RA (Katz) a very handsome dog. He still looks like the young 2 yr old we all remember. He was beautifully groomed and presented. He carried himself proudly.