Paignton & District Fanciers Association Working Breeds Critiques 2022

Alaskan Malamute Bernese Mountain Dog **Bouvier Des Flandres Boxer** Bullmastiff Canadian Eskimo Dog **Dobermann** Dogue De Bordeaux German Pinscher Great Dane **Greenland Dog Hovawart** Leonberger Neapolitan Mastiff Newfoundland Portuguese Water Dog Rottweiler St Bernard Siberian Husky **AVNSC Working AV Import Working**

PD 2(0)

Somewhat of a disparity at this important age for puppies.

1. Ellis-Payne's Chayo Spellbinder. A 9 month old male, good but immature head, balanced overall proportions, well angulated, correct bone, easy ground covering gait.

2. Loades' Whitewalker's Winter Snowolf. A 6 month old male and at this age frankly rather 'gangly' however he has a good head, good strong top-line and parallel ground covering gait.

JD 2(1)

1. Brandenberg/Smith's Chayo It's Kurt for Taronakits. 17 month old male, masculine head, strong top-line, good croup, correct balance of angulation, good tail set and carriage, correct pasterns, good feet, light footed upon the move.

PGD 2(1)

1. Brandenberg/Smith's Chayo It's Kurt for Taronakits.

LD 4(2)

1. Smith's Snowshoes Who Dares Wins. Nice 2 year old male, super head, good reach of neck, powerful shoulders, good bone and balanced on the move, on the out and back he moved a little wide at the outset at a slower pace which is very typical of a lot of sled dogs that work in harness but the movement converges when moved slightly faster.

2. Murray's Snowmischief Burning Love. 5 year old male, very aware of his surroundings on the day, not quite the balance of 1 but has moderate angulation front and rear and a well held top-line, shown in good hard condition.

OD 4(1)

1. Palasinska's Anson Del Biagio. I just preferred 1 on the day for his ease of movement, well balanced male, correct head, strong top-line, good shoulder, correct reach of neck, overall covered the ground with ease, RDCC.

2. Ellis-Payne's Ch. Chayo Cause Celebre. A dog I have had the pleasure of judging before and placed in the Working Group but today he was somewhat cumbersome or laboured on the move and whilst not detracting from his undoubted qualities this did not work to his advantage on the day.

3. Jelfs' Lapema Malizioso.

VD 3(1)

1. Loades' Ch. Snowolf Black Ice Buddy. A superb 7½ year old veteran male, masculine head, correct reach of neck, excellent angulation, good top-line and easy light footed gait, excellent example of the breed and he will remain a credit to the breed for some years to come, DCC, BV & BOB.

2. Nevinson's Ch. Chayo Golden Touch. A significantly larger male but absolutely sound for his veteran years, moderate angulation front and rear, strong top-line and an easy languid gait.

YB 1(0)

1. Jelfs' Lapema Bella Dannata. Very nice 16 month old bitch, lovely feminine head, good bone, strong topline with an excellent parallel and efficient gait, shown out of coat but a very nice prospect.

PGB 2(1)

1. Murray's Snowmischief If I Can Dream. A raw 3 year old who clearly needs some practise but when settled she has potential to progress, balanced angulation, feminine head and expression and plenty of opportunity to progress in the future.

LB 2(0)

1. Ellis-Payne's Chayo Distinctive. Very nice young female, excellent lovely head and expression, good bone, happy disposition, well angulated and easy efficient gait, BCC.

2. York's Chayo Starstruck with Snowstruck. Significantly larger in type but feminine head and expression, moderate angulation, level top-line but not as free and easy on the move as 1.

OB 6(3)

Two very different examples of the breed, I preferred the movement and athleticism of 1, given the origins and characteristics required of the breed.

1. Jelfs' Lapema Gia Visto. Correct bone, excellent angulation and combined with good condition to move to advantage, RBCC.

2. Smith's Ch. Snowshoes The White Witch. Beautifully handled and presented bitch, balanced front and rear, level top-line, lovely head but not the athleticism of 1.

3. Quinn/Harrison's Palasi Snowflake of Alaska Absolutely Victory.

VB 1(0)

1. John's Cristakell April Showers at Chardicea. Very nice 7 year old bitch, lovely feminine head and expression, very well angulated front and rear and an easy gait, just a tad short in the leg for me.

Bouvier Des Flandres

2022

PD/B 1(0)

1. Bruintjes-Schaap's Wyfke-Opale vd Vanenblikhoeve. Very nice 8 month old bitch, good dark eye, well angulated, strong throughout, medium length neck, good top-line, excellent efficient gait, good prospect, RBB & BP.

OD/B 2(0)

2 very nice examples of the breed, just preferred the 4 year old male who displayed more reach and drive on the move.

1. Hill's Ingo-Ushi vd Vanenblikhoeve (imp NLD). Nice dark eye, correct head proportions, good angulation, strong and powerful throughout, very impressive on the move, BD & BOB.

2. Bruintjes-Schaap's Sennah Damy vd Vanenblikhoeve. 3 year old bitch, shown in full coat and good condition, well angulated fore and aft, powerful driving movement when viewed from behind, BB.

SIMON LUXMOORE

Boxer

2022

This was my first time of awarding CC's in our magnificent breed.

The officials, officers, committee, caravan wardens & all involved must be highly praised on delivering an inspiring show, the 3 days had a superb atmosphere with exceptional communication throughout.

I couldn't have been happier with my BOB going WG1. BPIB WG4 & BSpB WG2.

Thank you to the exhibitors giving me the highest working group entry.

Huge thanks to my stewards Elaine & Caz.

MPD (4.1)

1st/ McCarthy & Gethings Boxania Romanoff To Jeddhi

6 mth, B&W

Excellent bone on this stylish young lad, kind temperament, lovely clean male head with soulful eyes & good sized ears, smooth clean neck & short, sharp topline, nicely angled front and back, moved well BPD

2nd/ Mairs Macbarra Kickin Up A Storm at Glenauld

6.5 mth G/B & W

Excellent wide mouth on this handsome puppy, kind, well shaped eyes, clean head flowing neatly into shapely neck & level, short topline. Tidy frame on tight feet, bit unsettled on the move.

3rd/ Cairns Galicar In The Vice

PD (3,2)

1st/ Baily's Highbend Epic Energy

10mth G/B & W

His name certainly suits him!

Nice sized dog, a bit unsettled today on the move and stood, good mouth, powerful male head, short & square in profile.

JD (2)

1st/ Seeneys Sulez Victorious

16mth DkB & W

Quality male, excellent in profile. Tidy skull & balanced throughout his head, width to muzzle, strong jaw & fabulous mouth, intelligent eye with good expression. Parallel front on neat feet, moved out well, in last 4 for CC.

2nd/ Kuech's Boese Jiggerlardo

12mth B&W

Tall male, plenty of bone, short backed, less overall balance to winner. Super head with kind eye, excellent mouth & dentition.

Unsettled for handler today.

YD (3.1)

1st/ Hills Xandene Blue Bayou

2 Yr GB & W shorter in structure, broad muzzle, decent mouth, neat topline and angles, neat underline, low set hocks, moved straight & true.

2nd/ Godwins Sultash Prince Of Hearts

23mth DkB&W

Well sized male, neat tidy head, lovely eye & expression, less mature than 1, would prefer tighter feet.

PGD (5,1)

1st/ Cook & Postance Manic Thinking Out Loud

Almost 3yr GB&W

Balanced male head with pleasing eye, mouth ok, super neck flowing into level topline, good angles front & back which allowed him to move out well in last 4 for CC

2nd/Mairs Glenauld Arthur Shelby

2yr GB&W

Smart male with lovely expression, clean head with well arched neck into level topline, deep ribs, lovely tight cat feet, movement not as level.

3rd Watson & Carpenter-Crooks

Roylark Bootneck

LD (7.2)

1st/Godwins Sultash Cunco

4.5yr DkB&W

Good sized male who I admired as a pup, pleased to see those features followed through to a smart adult, his height is balanced through th body, sharp topline, angles excellent front & back giving him defined full chest and well formed thighs, powerful feet delighted to award him RDCC

2nd/ Longleys Mirror Man

4yr R&W

Medium size dog in excellent condition throughout, very wide mouth & good dentition, kind eye which I'd prefer a bit darker in colour. Moved ok.

3rd/ Richards Markinshell Pombear At Dajoxx

OD (5,1)

Brough & Cairns Ch Galicar Investigating With Limubox

4yr B&W

Another outstanding male I've admired since judging him at 1yr, fabulous outline & in perfect health, not overdone in head with deep soulful expression, evident chin, well defined chest and shoulders, parallel legs on strong bone, so on the ball in the ring, it was a privilege to award him the DCC.

2nd/Huckerby & Dowells Ch Lottalove For Norwilbeck Bellchime

4yr R&W

Handsome headed lad, kind eye with a good mouth, head proportions were very neat with strong flowing nape into level topline, excellent quarters and bang on tail set, moved out well.

3rd/Glenauld Stormzy

VD Abs

The Bitches excelled over the males today with post grad, limit & Open being very strong classes.

SpB (2)

1st/ Pearns Knightcott Ruption Bebop by Bonmac

7.5 yr R&W

Once settled & set up correctly a nice honest bitch, good mover & decent all rounder, lovely neck, short coupled, evident chest moved well. BSpB, SpBG2 & BV

2nd/Brian's Rocvilla Theory Of Love At Sebriville

11mth solid red

Immature bitch, enjoying her day, handler needs to be more positive to achieve the best from her and keep her interest. Well put together, pretty head, parallel legs & well let down hocks.

MPB (7,2)

1st/Thomsons Ashronsha Dream Away at Latchkey

8mth B&W

Still very raw in weight & muscle, good height, balanced throughout. Pretty head with a fabulous mouth and delightful expression, elegant body with smart tidy outline, tight feet & up on her toes, low hocks, moved well, promising youngster.

2nd/Godwins Sultash Charisma

7mth DkB&W

Smart bitch, short backed of a good height, pretty feminine head, evident chest, preferred movement on 1st.

3rd/ Hawkins Mellhawk Tiger Lily

PB (4)

1st/ Huckerby & Dowells Norwilbeck Bellchime Zara

1yr today, B&W

Very smart youngster, full of attitude, excellent balance throughout giving her a square outline, evident chest filling the hand, neat tidy head with cheeky expression and a super mouth. Moved with purpose, drive and enthusiasm at ideal speed. Honour to give her BPB, BPIB & see her go WPG4.

2nd/Hawkins Boese Bubbalicious At Mellhawk

11mth R&W

Kind eye, big open nostrils,head markings can be distracting, smart outline, lacking in chest due to straighter front, Moved out nicely though from behind.

3rd/Tonkin & Pellows Rosanyos Miss Dior

JB (5,3)

1st/ Brough & Cairns Taranut Talented At Limubox

14th DkB&W

Smart in profile with a balanced feminine head,kind eye, mouth okay, good length of neck and excellent topline,adequate chest and strong quarters propelling her around ring.

2nd/Brian's Rocvilla Theory Of Love At Sebriville

Repeat entry

YB (4,1)

1st/Mairs Carkennar Shooting Star Over Glenauld

17mth B&W

Very smart good sized with super topline. Pretty head & width to muzzle, powerful neck & correct angles front and back allowing her to move over the ground with ease, beautiful quality youngster, in last 4 for CC

2nd/Dawes Winuwuk Wannabe At Kaosmaka

17mth DkB&W

Pretty cobbier girl with a fabulous mouth, shorter set than 1, maturing nicely, powerful shorter neck, strong hind angles, good feet, needs to steady on movement.

3rd/Brough & Cairns Tag Team At Limubox

PGB (8,2)

1st/Huggins Manic Picture This For Daervlish

Almost 3yr DkB&W

Elegant, neat bitch, well balanced head, mouth ok, superb neck length into level short topline, good angles front & back, handled to get the utmost from her, In last 4 for CC

2nd/McCarthy & Gethings Jeddhi Firefly

2yr GB&W

Lovely head & eye, Super outline, straight strong bone on tight cat feet, evident chest, correct angulation front and back, difficult decision between the two.

3rd/Godwins Sultash Enable

LB (4,1)

1st/Huckerby & Dowells Norwilbeck Bellchime Love Heart

3yr DkB & W

Quality class of superb bitches

Very neat, smart bitch in excellent condition, lovely head & delightful expression, square picture with correct shape neck into spot on topline and tail set, plenty of bone & muscle supporting her with well let down hocks, super feet which carried her around the ring easily. In last 4 for CC

2nd/Seeneys Maranseen Bespoke

Almost 4yr DkB&W

Eye catching profile with a level flowing topline deep chest of good proportions, stronger hindquarters than 1 with tight feet, preferred steadier gait of 1st.

3rd/McCarthy & Gethings Sungawk Norwatch Lovelace At Jeddhi

OB (5)

Another excellent class

1st/Mairs Ch Vandenrob Vanessa Via Glenauld

4yr B&W

Very smart good sized bitch, fabulous head with superb bite, width and dentition.

Nape flowed through into excellent topline both stood and moving she didn't falter. She was on top form today moving out well, with a steady, ground covering gait using minimum effort to cover the ground and again in the big ring later in day, she gave it her all.

I was honoured to have given this smashing girl the BCC & BOB, thrilled beyond words to see her get WG1 and to watch her perform for BIS.

2nd/Carters Ch Susancar Sheila Spire

Almost 3yr R&W

Lovely typical bitch of good height, balanced through whole body, moved well with elegance.Very happy to award her RBCC

3rd/Carters Susancar Celia Deal

VB (1)

Pearns Kinghtcott Ruption Bebop At Bonmac BVIB

Winner of SPB

Canadian Eskimo Dog

2022

BEST OF BREED : 720 BAILEY, Ms Racheal Qimugta Judas By Akna

Best Dog : 720 BAILEY, Ms Racheal Qimugta Judas By Akna

Res Best Dog : 728 MCKINLAY, Ms Sally & JOHNSON, Mr A AKNA THE HUNT FOR RED OCTOBER WITH ESTJAK

Best Bitch : 717 ATKINS, Miss S M Akna Peechee for Qimugta*

Res Best Bitch : 722 BYRNE, Mrs P A Ir Ch NL Ch Int Ch Harpan Charlotte Bay Irjch Bjch

Best Puppy : 728 MCKINLAY, Ms Sally & JOHNSON, Mr A AKNA THE HUNT FOR RED OCTOBER WITH ESTJAK

Best Veteran : 717 ATKINS, Miss S M Akna Peechee for Qimugta*

A great entry and quality throughout. An absolute joy to judge this breed again.

Class 388 SBD NO ENTRIES

Class 389 PD (2 Entries) Abs: 0

1st: 724 BYRNE, Mrs P A AAVUUTA QIMMIQ AKAIK (IMP CAN) TAF. 7 month substantial male. Lovely head and expression. Good neck and correct proportions; good bone and lovely feet. Very sound on the move.

2nd: 721 BAILEY, Ms Racheal Akna Ice Station Zebra **. 10 months – lighter all through than 1, but lovely bone and feet. In very good body condition. Moved well.

Class 390 JD (1 Entries) Abs: 0

1st: 728 MCKINLAY, Ms Sally & JOHNSON, Mr A AKNA THE HUNT FOR RED OCTOBER WITH ESTJAK. Handsome red pup with the most lovely head. Super proportions, and showing strength all through without coarseness. Very sound on the move. Impressive youngster. BPIB and RBD.

Class 391 OD (3 Entries) Abs: 0

1st: 720 BAILEY, Ms Racheal Qimugta Judas By Akna. 2 year old male I first judged as a puppy. Has matured on so well. Handsome head and good expression. Has a really good front assembly with strong bone and feet. Balanced throughout. In tip top body condition and moved so soundly. BD and BOB.

2nd: 726 HEYES, Mrs Sarah & HEYES, Mr Stephen Arcticice Qimmiq Tlun at Chillipaws (IMP CAN). 6 year old mature male of quality. Handsome with lovely head. Good neck and strong body proportions. Not as muscled as 1, which showed on the move – sound but could use his rear more strongly.

3rd: 725 HEYES, Mrs Sarah & HEYES, Mr Stephen Qimugta Winston At Chillipaws

Class 392 VD NO ENTRIES

Class 393 SBB NO ENTRIES

Class 394 PB (1 Entries) Abs: 0

1st: 727 MCKINLAY, Lady Sally Carlotta di Savoia (IMP IT) NAFTAF (Imp) It. 7 month old, very feminine pup with pretty head and good outline. Sufficient bone. Still very much a baby. Shown in good condition, nicely muscled and moved out soundly.BPB

Class 395 JB (2 Entries) Abs: 0

1st: 719 ATKINS, Miss S M Qimugta Miss Marple. 15 months and typical junior. She has a lovely head with a cheeky expression. Strong in body and nice for bone with good feet. Well muscled. Still needs to tighten up, but very sound.

2nd: 723 BYRNE, Mrs P A XORKANI'S ANESI. Smaller and more overtly feminine bitch, very pretty. A lot to like about her. Moved ok but needs to strengthen in pasterns.

Class 396 OB (2 Entries) Abs: 0

1st: 722 BYRNE, Mrs P A Ir Ch NL Ch Int Ch Harpan Charlotte Bay Irjch Bjch. Super bitch in make and shape. Feminine head, good neck, and really good overall balance and proportions. Coat of correct texture. Well muscled and very sound on the move. RBB.

2nd: 718 ATKINS, Miss S M Qimugta Harpist. 3 year old, maturing well. Not the substance of 1, but a well balanced girl with sufficient bone and good feet. Very feminine in head and expression. Not as fluid on the move as 1.

Class 397 VB (1 Entries) Abs: 0

1st: 717 ATKINS, Miss S M Akna Peechee for Qimugta*. 7 year old who just gets better and better. Lovely head, sufficient neck, very sound body proportions and good overall balance. Shown in super coat and condition. So very sound on the move. Absolutely super girl. BB and BVIB.

Penny Roberts

Dobermann

2022

Thank you to the committee for inviting me to judge Dobermanns at this year's show. I would like to thank the exhibitors for the entry and whilst it wasn't the largest numerically it certainly wasn't lacking in quality. Having not judged the breed for 6 years my main concerns are that we are losing bone and substance, and there are too many lacking rear angulation and losing that all important balance.

Minor Puppy Dog 2/0

1 Massey & MCGeochs' Manzart Zebedee.

Super quality br/r puppy of just 7 months, he has a very clean long wedge shaped head, excellent neck and forequarters, strong round bone and tight feet. He has a slightly sloping firm topline and well angulated rear. On the move he is sound from all angles, I am sure he has a very bright future, BPD well done.

2 Walls' Jarjarjinx It's In His Kiss

Another smart puppy of 7 months, bl/r appealing head with dark almond eye, decent neck, firm topline and balanced angulation. Not as assured on the move today as 1.

Puppy Dog 1/0

1 Tylers' Jojavik Bombs Away at Asteri.

Tall bl/r puppy of 10 months. Appealing head with dark expressive eye. Good neck and topline. Would prefer more bone and substance all through and he just needs time to fill his frame.

Junior Dog 3/0

1 Hutchison & Mycrofts's Supeta's Big Hunk O'love for Debison

I have admired this young bl/r male since I first saw him as a very young baby. I was delighted to be given the opportunity to judge him today. What a powerhouse he is ! I love his head and expression, strong muzzle with good length and depth, he has dark expressive eyes that have that look of arrogance. Muscular neck into correct front assembly, well filled forechest and gun barrel straight front legs, well boned with strong pasterns and well knuckled feet. Firm topline and moves with good reach and drive. I had no hesitation in awarding him the CC, his 3rd congratulations to owners and breeder, one I would be very proud to own.

2 Youngs' Krieger Hunky Dory At Malibray

Br/r and although only just over 12 months he is another masculine powerhouse. He also has a very good head with good length and depth. Arched neck leading to balanced front angulation and well filled out forechest. Parallel legs with round bone and tightest of feet, firm slightly sloping topline, C shaped tail and correctly angled rear. He moved straight with drive and purpose, very well handled. It was very close between these 2 super males he just demanded the RCC. I will watch his career with interest, good luck.

3 Wrights' Kitado Ever So Funky

Post Graduate Dog 2/2

1 Walls' Amazon Leonardo Da Vinci With Jarjarjinx

Square and masculine standard size br/r male with blunt wedged shaped head although a little broad. Strong neck in to well filled out forechest, strong bone and tight feet. Firm topline held on the move. Muscular rear quarters with correct turn of stifle, was a little unsettled on the move today.

2 Evydeanes' Jojavik Snowpiercer At Kateamead

Taller and rangier bl/r he needs time to fill his frame. Decent neck and topline, moderate angulation.

Limit Dog 6/2

1 Goodbans' Diego's Denzel Washington With Keljaygo

Super quality bl/r male, masculine head with level planes and dark eye giving pleasing alert expression, powerful neck correct front angulation well filled out forechest, legs parallel with tight feet, slightly sloping firm topline. Muscular well developed hindquarters, moved with drive and purpose and presented a balanced picture, well handled.

2 Santoriellos' Rafthouse Amulet's Child

Bl/r male, one I have much admired from the ringside, taller than 1 he has a strong masculine head, good eye colour, powerful neck with well developed forechest parallel legs and tight feet, firm sloping topline, correct rear angulation with muscular thighs, moved straight and true with freedom, well handled.

3 Wedgburys' Manzart War Emblem

Open Dog 6/0

1 Taylors' Ch Krieger's Foul Play

Stunning bl/r male, powerful with great ring presence, masculine head with correct headplanes, almond shaped eye giving pleasing expression, convex neck leading to excellent front angulation and well developed forechest, legs parallel with round bone and tightest of feet, strong slightly sloping topline kept on the move, deep well sprung ribs, well developed thighs, muscular and powerful with well bent stifle, moved with drive, purpose and attitude, a powerful male not to be ignored, he pushed hard for the reserve CC but was pipped by his younger half brother who has the stronger head.

2 Mr S J & Mrs A J Tyler, CH Jojavik Bulletproof Bomb JW SHCM.

Another stunning bl/r male,I last judged when he was a promising Junior, I am pleased he fulfilled his potential. Strong masculine head with level planes and good depth of muzzle, darkest of eye, powerful neck, well developed forechest with super angles, parallel legs with round bone and tight feet, strong firm topline, excellent spring of rib, excellent rear angles, muscular thighs, moved with drive and purpose, another powerful male that couldn't be ignored.

3 Jones' Ch Korifey Vanquish

Minor Puppy Bitch 2/0

1 Ingram & Lacks' Jojavik Belladonic Fame

6 month bl/r very pretty baby, balanced head with dark eye giving pleasing expression, good length of neck parallel legs, tight feet, correct front angulation, slightly sloping topline, enough rear angulation, today she was not co operating with her handler but she moved well when settled.

2 Walls' Jarjarjinx Mistletoe Kiss

Another nice baby of 7 months, smart outline and pleasing head, dark eye with good expression. Enough neck and firm topline, she is not so firm in pasterns at the moment. Steady mover.

Puppy Bitch 3/0

1 Jones & Ingrams' Jojavik Unforgettable

Very aptly named bl/r baby of 6 months at her first show. I love her head and expression, super head proportions with dark eye and a look that shouts mischief. Excellent angulation all through, good round bone and the tightest of feet. She moved with good reach and drive I had no hesitation to award her BPB and BPIB, later she put on a fabulous performance and was shortlisted in the quality Working Puppy Group. I could have easily stolen her and will watch her future with interest.

2 Daniels' Tuwos Macy Gray V Mattacane

10 month bl/r girl, attractive head with dark eye giving pleasing expression, good length of neck, adequate front angulation, firm topline with correct tailset. Straight front legs with good feet.

Steady on the move.

Junior Bitch 6/1

1 Bislands' Krieger's Highland Fling

Gorgeous br/r girl from the top drawer, super head, level planes and good eye colour giving very pleasing expression, arched neck, correct front angulation and well filled forechest, parallel legs with round bone and tight feet. Slightly sloping topline, firm and kept on the move, good spring of rib. Correct rear angulation and well developed hindquarters, super mover, straight and true with drive and rotation, very well handled. Well deserved Reserve CC.

2 Wedgburys' Manzart Xtra Special

Super quality bl/r bitch, feminine head with darkest of eye giving pleasing expression, good length of neck, correct front angulation well filled forechest, parallel legs round bone and tight feet, slightly sloping topline, super rear in both angles and muscle, moved with drive and balance, very well handled. Unlucky to be up against 1.

3 Robinsons' Vivat de Vinko Vendetta For Korifey Lux Jun Ch (Imp Rus)

Post Graduate Bitch 0 entries

Limit Bitch 5/0

1 Pardoes' Aritaur Sonnet

Top quality br/r bitch fabulous dark brown coat colour, loved her head, level planes and darkest of eye giving super alert expression .Good length of neck, excellent front very well angled with well filled out forechest, legs parallel with round bone, well knuckled feet, firm slightly sloping topline kept well on the move, good spring of rib, well developed hindquarters with correct angles, very fit girl, muscular whilst maintaining femininity, moved with drive purpose and pushed hard for the Reserve CC . I will watch her career with interest as I'm sure her time will come.

2 Evans' Amazon Show Me Heaven

Another super quality bl/r girl, very curvaceous and has the very best angles both ends. Strong yet feminine head with dark eye, legs parallel with round bone, tight feet, good length of neck, slightly sloping topline, firm and kept on the move, well developed hindquarters, she moved steady and true.

3 Hutchison & Mycrofts' Supeta's Diamonds R'forever Wih Debison JW

Open Bitch 6/2

1 Ingram & Hendersons' Multi Ch Jojavik Devils Ivy JW Osw

The last time I judged I awarded her dam the CC and BOB, so it was no surprise I would like her. Very classy bl/r bitch, gorgeous head, feminine with correct planes, slight stop, tight lips, darkest of eye giving mischievous expression, super length of neck adding nobility. Well developed forechest with correct angles, round bone, strong pasterns and tight feet. Strong topline kept on the move, well developed hindquarters with correct angulation and very well conditioned. She simply flows from her nose to the tip of her beautifully set on tail. On the move she really excels, she has good balance, reach and drive and looks as if she could go all day. I was delighted to award her the CC, BOB and later to see her placed Group 4 in a top quality Working Group.

2 Mycrofts' Supeta's Diamond In The Sky

Another super quality bl/r girl, super feminine head, level planes, good eye colour alert expression. She has a lean neckof good lenth, well developed forechest with correct angles, legs parallel with tight feet and round bone, firm slightly sloping topline kept on the move. Correctly set C shaped tail well developed hindquarters with correct angles and plenty of muscle tone, another super sound mover with good reach and drive.

3 Hicklings' Supeta's Under The Spell Of Evalesco

Lita Lainchbury (Judge)

SPECIAL BEGINNERS DOG/BITCH (1,0)

1)TREGLIA BRINTALA APOLLO –I understand it was first show for the dog and handler and he gave a good account of himself, a leggy dog who still needs to develop in forechest ,a steady mover .

JUNIOR DOG/BITCH (1,0)

1)WITZEND SHADY LADY AT BRINTALA –a rising star , square in her outline and her static outline is breed typical ,excellent hindquarters with the correct roatary action , needs to firm some more in her front action .RBB

OPEN DOG (3,0)

1)DOGIWOGIN DARKER SHADE OF MAGIC FOR BRINTALA –strong male but he is top size, ideal proportions and classic head piece, excellent depth to forechest and such a sound mover .BD

2) GOODSOULS MR BRIGHTSIDE –smaller in size than the winner , draws a good picture stood ,sound movement but just a little soft in topline .

OPEN BITCH (4,1)

1) GOODSOULD RUMOUR HAS IT ITS FALKOR – ideal represtative of the breed, for me she has it all , classic head, high set ears ,elongated skull , slight stop with a muzzle that is deep enough , well developed forechest and so strong bodied and good for outline , a show girl who makes the best of herself and sound and powerful on the mover .BOB

2) HEAVEN IS ON FIRE FOR BRINTALA –so typical in outlook ,she tends to hold her shape better moving than standing , classic head and square in her outline .

VETERAN DOG/BITCH (4,2)

1) LONDONDERRY FOR FALKOR –I liked this male a lot strong developed cheeks a mature dog who has a good head and a finished body ,square outline with a deep chest , balanced mover .RBD

2) INXS CARBON COPY FOR REMIKZ -good parallel head planes , longer cast that what I prefer and needs more drop and fill in front .

Tan Nagrecha

OPEN DOG/BITCH (4,0)

1)SWISS CH .SUNA SANIKS ELECTRIC NOAH OF FENRIRKIN –dog in full bloom , masculine and upstanding, powerful and imposing, he has good proportions and in general moved well , a little wide behind .BOB

2) FENRIRKIN CANT BE LATE –My heart break for today, she is a beautifull bitch who displays type balance and movement, her head is breed typical with such an excellent conformation which gives her that foot accurate movement, sadly she was thread bare to the point that it wouldnot have been sensible to put her in the group to represent the breed. I did love her though . BB

Tan Nagrecha

OD/B 2(0)

1. McLure's Hightimbers Ticket to Dream at Kanukalos. 2 year old bitch, super in profile, excellent angulation, nice forechest, good turn of stifle, good croup, easy ground covering gait, RBB.

2. Allen's Kanukalos Allegro. Lovely veteran male, good dark eye, correct bone, strong top-line, just not quite the get up and go of 1 on the day, BD.

VD/B 3(1)

1. McLure's Kanukalos Burletta. Very nice veteran bitch, excellent angulation, shown in full coat and good hard condition, correct bone, well knuckled up feet, good pasterns and proved to be very impressive on the move, BB, BV & BOB.

2. Allen's Kanukalos Allegro.

Leonberger

2022

A lovely entry for this far down the country thank you. Types are all over the place but most fitting the standard to one degree or another. Heads seem to be improving with less of the angular almost Newfoundland type heads that we were seeing a few years ago. Handlers please watch your topline and angulation when you stack your dogs - the backline should be firm and straight with moderately angulated quarters but so many overstretch their dogs which effectively slopes the topline and loses the rear angles therefore changing the balance and overall shape of the dog.

SBD (0)

PD (4,2) 1 and BPD jumps Benellieson Time Lord very much a baby but so well schooled which allowed me to assess his shape quite easily, head is developing nicely and he has a good mask and eye colour, slightly arched neck and an impressive topline for one so young, correct in rear angulation and standing on parallel hocks, moved out steadily, I would hope he develops a little more bone as he matures 2 Mears Cleon Doofus Dogenius, quite an appropriate kennel name I thought ! A delightful 6mth old with a rich red coat that is to be admired. He has a pleasing head with dark mask that should mature nicely as he grows and he has plenty of bone and a lovely moderate bend of stifle. He is currently all legs and was enjoying himself so much that at times he lost his shape on the stack and his movement was hard to assess but I would rather judge a puppy like that than one who has been pulled into a shape they do not want to be in.

JD (2,1) 1 Readers Lempileijonan Unelmien Prinssi (Imp Fin) cracking youngster of just 12 months whose head shape I loved, he has a medium oval eye which exudes an amenable expression and a calm disposition and displays elegance and strength on the stack, he has an excellent neck and good lay of shoulder with moderate hind angulation, body shows correct 9:10 proportions with a firm level topline and slight tuck up, a sound and easy mover and definately one with a bright future,

PG (4,1) 1 Simmonds Teffills Zalman (Imp Rus) A handsome well coated 3 yr with very good bone and substance, stacked up nicely to show correct 9:10 proportions, head is masculine with dark eye and ears set high enough, strong neck and a good topline, slightly more moderate in hind angulation than some, carries his tail a little high when in motion but I did particularly like his ground covering movement and strong rear drive 2 Walkers Condalf Final Chance another one with very good bone and a handsome head with kind and amenable expression, in profile he is slightly long in body but without compromise to his topline and he is better in hind angulation than the winner 3 Crottys Dacfolke Elton Soullaria

LD (8,2) A very good class with quality down the line 1 Skillings Purple Rain Chico Valuer At Dacfolke (Imp Pol) rather an elegant boy but still masculine, he is very well balanced and body is well proportioned, he has a moderate length of neck which is slightly arched,, straight forelegs and tidy elbows, firm topline to slightly sloping croup and a well furnished tail carried correctly, sound and smooth on the move. He just needs to fill out and develop but overall very pleasing 2 Frances Ivan Leo Vom Zarendorf (Imp Rus) completely different in type to the winner, this boy has huge bone and substance, a strong head of good proportions and is well bodied with width and depth to chest and well muscled hind quarters, when settled he moved with good drive but today not quite as smooth and forward going as 1st. 3 Charwin Shaleodust Firecracker For Debbollinby

OD (4) 1 and DCC BOB Studholmes Corleone Navigator At Kalizmar (Imp Can) a dog I have admired for a while now and he didn't disappoint on getting my hands on him, he was perfectly presented with an abundance of quality coat and furnishings, head is masculine with good mask and lovely dark eye although I would have liked just a fraction more length of muzzle, well off for bone with strong pasterns and good feet, good spring of rib, nicely rounded rump and moderate bend of stifle although handler does tend to overstretch him occasionally but stood naturally I could really appreciate his outline, covered the ground with good reach and drive 2 and RCC Davies CH Amathus One Special Guy From Jarno another one who has so much to like about him, a tad longer cast than 1 but again with good bone and well coated, muzzle has good length and he carries a full dark mask but I would have liked a little more fill under the eyes. Forelegs straight and strong, good depth of chest and powerful hindquarters, movement was sound and ground covering. Walkers Lempileijonan Tulin Voittamaan With Condalf Beg. Ex.

SBB (1) 1 and Best SB Proberts Morwinas Lady Skadi pretty and feminine this girl is very moderate all through, pleasing enough in head with a calm expression, moderate length of neck with slight arch, she stands straight in front and is sufficiently developed in chest and forechest for her age, a steady and sound mover.

PB (6,1) 1 and BP Skillings Dacfolke Delilah's Dream this girl was undoubtedly the best mover in the class, she carries a quality coat and has good bone and substance, head is feminine with reasonable mask and well set ears, very good topline held on the move and shapely quarters with strong parallel hocks, a little more length of leg would give a more balanced outline 2 Amesbury Morwinas Tottinsdottir, I liked this girl a lot, she is very feminine all though with a good mask and dark eye and fabulous ears although her head needs to develop on, neck is clean and of moderate length and shoulders well laid, not in her best coat but she has amazing cream featherings ! Not quite as settled on the move as the winner but lots to admire and I will be keeping an eye on her progress. 3 Morwinas Lady Skadi

JB (3,1) 1 Springels Lionscourt Lady Of The Lake young girl of good size and bone and a pleasing head shape with defined mask, eyes could be a little darker but she uses her ears well which helps her expression, straight well boned forelegs but needs to strengthen in pasterns, firm topline to moderate croup, moved out soundly holding a good topline but does tend to over extend behind on occasion 2 Morwinas Lady Skadi

PG (3,1) Not much to choose between these two 1 Jephcotts Fieldshouse Sunflower 2 yr girl with good bone and reasonable substance, she has a good head and mask with width to skull and proportionate muzzle, straight forelegs and nicely rounded feet, strong body with a good topline and tidy underline, moved soundly but could be more animated 2 Westcombs Fieldshouse Sundancer, a very pretty girl, not quite the bone of the winner and a fraction longer cast, but she too has a good topline which she held on the move, the better mover of the two but I preferred the shape and bone of the winner.

LB (6,2) 1 and RCC Strudwicks Lullaby Moon a striking cream girl who is so beautifully feminine all through; head still to develop on but she has the blackest mask and a very good earset. Straight well boned forelegs with a good depth of chest and moderate spring of rib giving pleasing body proportions, good hind angulation and parallel hocks, Moved with good drive 2 King Chernes Wolfe's Shakira Sunrise. A strongly made girl with excellent bone and substance, maybe not quite as feminine as the winner but she is well put together with good angles front and rear and a firm topline held on the move, presented in well muscled condition 3 Clearys Eternal Summer Ginger Heaven For Benellieson

OB (5,1) On first glance this was a class of good looking girls who all had something to offer on the stack but ultimately movement almost sorted the placings out for themselves, 1 and BCC Springels Lionscourt Heavenly Hana a strong bitch with excellent bone and substance but utterly feminine, I loved her head which is well proportioned with good width to skull and elongated muzzle, her expression is soft and intelligent, she is well developed in forechest and depth of brisket with good angulation front and rear and so very sound all ways, coat is of quality with good furnishings, 2 Coles CH Averkate Kassandra With Simden (Imp Rus) without doubt this 3 yr bitch has a fabulous outline, she is clean through the neck with a near perfect topline and correct croup, she is well boned and has strong shapely quarters which she uses to advantage on the move, there is much to like about her but for me she still needs to finish in coat and head but nevertheless a worthy champion 3 Studholmes CH Leosrus Roxsanda To Kalizmar

Bridgette Bodle

JD/B 2(1)

1. Mafi/Slater-Mafi's Wroxwood Omar's Kumala. Lovely 9 month old bitch, super head and expression, good reach of neck, well angulated shoulder, correct bone, well held top-line, easy languid gait, correct feet, very well handled, nice prospect, BB & BP.

OD/B 2(1)

1. Mafi's Tommaso Goffredo's Taro. 5 year old male who I have had the pleasure of judging on previous occasions, an excellent example of the breed, good masculine head without excess wrinkle, well set ears, powerful front, strong shoulder, good top-line, easy languid gait and an excellent example of the breed. I was subsequently very disappointed to learn that this dog that was my BOB was not passed for the veterinary check because, although meeting all the health requirements, and this is a dog that has undergone and passed 50 or so veterinary checks, on this occasion he did not pass because of a spot that was discovered on his elbow pad but I am delighted to say that all other aspects met the health requirements of the breed, BD & BOB.

Newfoundland

2022

SBD (2 1) 1. Carter Zentaur The Fizz Factor – 12 month black with head developing nicely, strong neck and level top line held on the move. Well-muscled, enjoying his day out therefore very enthusiastic on the move and sympathetically handled, which should settle over time. Please to see him go on to be placed 4th in Working Group Special Beginners.

PD (3 1) 1. Leech Bulawayo Faundland at Mileoak - 11 month white and black with clear markings, and a nicely developing head, with dark brown eyes and square muzzle. Sufficient bone for size, good depth and width of chest. Level top line and another youngster enjoying his day out, but when settled showed parallel limbs which covered the ground well with reach and drive from all angles. Best Puppy in Breed. 2. Stanton Disoranto Frozen In Time - 8 month black with broad skull, small well-set ears, and dark eyes which will hopefully tighten as his head develops. Strong neck, straight legs and correct tail set; covered the ground well but would benefit from a little less weight which caused excessive rolling gait.

JD (4 2) 1. Duff Titanbears Vainglorious – 17 month black, clean square muzzle, correct bite, dark eyes and well set ears. Strong neck, correct tail set and level top line held on the move. I would prefer more bone and width of chest for his size, which will hopefully come as he continues to develop. A little short in upper arm which demonstrated less reach than I prefer on the move. 2. Carter Zentaur The Fizz Factor – see Special Beginners Dog.

PGD (4 1) 1. Payne Newetta's Let's Party at Squestpaws – 20 month white and black, with good markings. Well set ears, dark eyes giving a gentle expression, and clean muzzle. Strong neck, deep chest and level top line. Good muscle tone and angulation with parallel legs supporting how well he covered the ground on the move. I would prefer slightly more width but expect this to come as he continues to develop. 2. Bodman Stelamah Victorious Nico at Acara – 3 year old black, with a masculine head, square muzzle and gentle expression. Sufficient substance for his size, level top line held on the move, with correct croup and tail set. Movement was true coming to, but a little close behind. 3. Cotton Tom's Tender Moment Vom Burgseeli.

LD (2) 1. Stanton Fluffy Avalanch Snow Paw By Fairweather's – Rising 4 year old white and black, with heavier than traditional markings, but for me this did not detract from his quality or ring presence. His head is masculine without being coarse, he has a square muzzle and a kind and gentle expression. Strong neck onto well set shoulders, with a deep, broad chest. His level top line was carried at all times, and correct angulation supported him covering the ground with reach and impressive drive. Beautifully presented and I was very happy to award him Dog CC. 2. Morris Vodahond Chief Of Clan Brody – 3 year old black, masculine head with a broad skull, well set ears and a kind expression. Strong neck with good width and depth of chest, and correct tail set. Good muscle tone however carried a little excess weight which impacted upon his movement today.

OD (2 1) 1. Woodhall Ch. Wyrleybears Peter Pan for Bearhugs JW - 6 year old black, who impressed me with his significant size and substance. Very masculine head with a noble and gentle expression, broad skull, dark eyes and square muzzle. His profile was impressive, supported by his deep chest, being well ribbed, and having a broad back; this was balanced with large well-shaped feet to compliment his frame. Very well-muscled and moved well in profile and going away, however during the challenge did not move as well. Reserve Dog CC.

VD (3 2) 1. McPhail Spirebear Golden Barley – 7 year old brown whose youthful enthusiasm in the ring belies his age. Masculine head with a broad skull, square muzzle, well set ears and eye colour to compliment his coat, with a gentle and kind expression. Strong bone and neck, straight limbs and level top line, and he moved true come in, going away and in profile. Pleased to award him BVIB.

SBB (1 1).

PB (2) 1. Farrar Darkpeak Starlight Express – 9 month old black, with an attractive feminine head and dark well set eyes. Despite her young age, she is developing very well with good width and depth of chest. Her top line was level on profile and on the move, and her correct angulation demonstrated good reach and drive as she powered around the ring. 2. Baldock Spellbound De La Baie De Pempoul – 9 month old black who is currently less developed than 1. She has a beautiful feminine head with well set ears, dark eyes, and a melting expression. She has the correct length of loin, correct croup and tail set. Moved with good reach and drive, although slightly narrow behind when moving away today.

JB (3) 1. Duff Titanbears Wicked Method – 17 month black developing well, with a beautiful feminine head and expression, with a dark eye and shapely muzzle. Strong neck, deep chest and broad back with level

top line, and correct croup and tail set. Impressive in profile and moves well going away however today was a little untidy coming to, as her chest appears a little wider than I prefer. 2. Lloyd-Denman Bears Of The Kingdom Una Paloma Blanca To Stelamah – 12 month old black who is currently less developed than 1. Very pretty, feminine head with dark eyes, well set ears and square muzzle. A little out of coat today, but this did not detract from her level topline, correct angulation and tail set, and over-all shape. A little unsettled on the move today. 3. West Stelamah WildFlower at Wilbears.

PGB (5 2) Baldock Gunnersnewfs Believe In Me – 2 year old black, who immediately caught my eye as she entered the ring. She has a strong but feminine head with a dark eye and melting expression, well set ears and square muzzle. She has a deep chest, broad back, has a correct length of loin, shapely croup and correct tail-set. Her correct angulation supported movement with excellent reach and drive, which was true in profile, coming to and going away. Her coat was the best presented and in best condition today, and I was pleased to aware her Reserve Bitch CC. 2. Mercer Larkharbour Blade – 18 month old black who was a little out of coat today, however this did not detract from her positive attributes. Impressive size and substance, with a strong yet feminine head and gentle expression. She has a deep chest and good width throughout, good muscle tone with a level top line held on the move. 3. Duff Titanbears Wicked Method.

LB (3) 1. Groves Bridgestone Manor Of Groves – 2 year old black who was a little out of coat today, but this did not detract from her overall quality. She has an attractive feminine but strong head, dark eyes and well-shaped muzzle, leading onto a strong neck into well laid shoulders. Sufficient bone for her size, she has a level top line, and correct croup and tailset, and she moved with excellent reach and drive. 2. Franklin Shinglebay I've Gotta Be Me – Rising 5 year old black with impressive size and substance, and in full coat. Strong, feminine but pretty head, dark eye with a kind expression, good reach of neck leading into a level top line and a deep chest and broad back. Unfortunately she appeared a little reluctant to move her best today. 3. Burton Sparkybears A Star Is Born.

OB (6) 1. Woodhall Wyrleybears Wendy For Bearhugs – although this was undoubtedly my strongest class full of quality bitches, my winner took my breath away. This bitch initially impressed me with her size and substance, and overall balance in profile. She has a strong yet beautiful feminine head which is not exaggerated in any way. She has a broad skull, square muzzle, dark eyes and the most gentle and kindest of expressions. Her strong neck led into powerful, well laid shoulders, and she has a deep chest, broad back, is well-ribbed and has a level top line at all times. She is extremely well-muscled, has strong legs and loin, and is clearly capable of powerful activity, being fit for purpose. Her legs are perfectly straight, and her angulation supported not only impressive reach and drive as she powered around the ring, but excellent foot placement from all angles. Her movement appeared absolutely effortless and I had no doubt she could have carried on all day. I had no hesitation in awarding her Bitch CC and Best of Breed and was thrilled to see her short-listed in the Working Group. 2. Baldock Lux Ch/Ch. Gunnersnewfs All Or Nothing JW - 5 year old black. Whilst she did not have the size nor substance of 1, she is beautifully balanced with correct proportions for her size. Her head is strong yet feminine, with the most beautiful dark eye and a melting expression. Her skull is broad and her muzzle square, her neck strong and of correct length, chest deep and well-ribbed. She has a level top line, correct length of loin, a shapely croup and correct tail set, and moved with impressive reach and drive. 3. Farrar Ch Disoranto Juliana Blue at Darkpeak JW.

VB (2) 1. Payne Bridgestone Grande Dunes at Squestpaws – 8 year old white and black in fantastic condition. She has good size, substance and overall balance, with a strong, feminine head not overdone in any way, and a gentle expression. She is well-muscled and clearly fit for purpose, with a strong loin and deep, broad chest. Moved well with drive and enthusiasm. 2. Franklin Shinglebay High Hopes ShCM – 8 year old black, again another in great muscular condition. She has many of the attributes as 1, including her substance, size and overall profile, however today her top line was not as level on the move.

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