

The Northern Boxer Club Championship show

April 9th 2017

Dog judge Jeannine Pye (Burnden)

Thank you to the committee of the Northern Boxer club for inviting me to judge dogs and for their hospitality, I was made to feel very welcome. I was pleased with the quality of the dogs entered.

Minor puppy (7/1)

1. Peck's Manic Keep it Real for Enesha

Tall, dark brindle who, at only 7 months, although is still raw, has so much to come. He is so clean throughout, from his head, beautifully crested neck and shoulders, each part blends smoothly into the next. Level topline is punctuated by a just right tailset and nicely angulated rear quarters. Nice feet too. Moved really well and has a happy attitude in the ring.

2. Griffiths' Lanfrese Cushty

Beautifully boned boy with a very pleasing body shape and nice short back, lovely straight front and well angled fore and aft. At only 6 months, he is still very immature and at the moment he is very loose but I hope that when he grows into his skin he'll be a very nice dog. He has a masculine head with a kind expression and is a happy, amiable little chap.

3. Kelly's Casemates Gandalf

Puppy (10)

1. Brough & Murray's Limubox Fool o'Scotch

Well developed 9 month old with an attractive head, large eyes, broad nose, good mouth and clean skull. Beautifully arched neck, nice front and short back and powerful thighs, well angulated and powerful thighs, lovely feet. Handled and moved well, slightly loose as to me expected at this age. Best Puppy Dog.

2. Burnett & Kelly's Lahaina Sushetime with Casemates

Elegant red 11 month old with a lovely body shape, good bone and shown in great condition. Fab neck and clean shoulders, firm topline and strong quarters. A masculine head, with a good mouth not as strong or typey as 1. but clean and without excessive wrinkling. Moved and handled well.

3. Sadler's Taramarque The Jailbreaker

Junior (7)

1. Parker and Martin's Olleyville Otherston Lad

I saw this boy in a line up a few weeks before I judged and couldn't take my eyes off him and I wasn't disappointed when I went over him. He has the most stunning, sharp outline, totally square and well balanced. I love his head, so typical and masculine. The ratios are correct with just the right amount of wrinkle, broad nose, dark, expressive eyes and well set ears and good mouth. His beautifully arched neck continues smoothly into well laid shoulders. Straight front and solid, round bone and tight, well sprung feet. Short back and well angulated and muscled quarters. Moved well and handled to perfection. Delighted to award him the CC, his second, surely his third won't be far away. Best in Show on the referee's decision.

2. Kay's Seacrest Dodging Bullets JW. Another beautiful boxer, strong and well proportioned throughout, with no exaggeration. Lovely body shape, short coupled with good angulation both fore and aft, straight front and short hocks with well muscled thighs. Very attractive head with super mouth, dark, well shaped eyes, blocky muzzle and nice rise of skull. Moved well. It was a shame he had to come up against 1. in this class, I'm sure his day will come.

3. Johnson & Madin's Farvalley Shoshone via Sonshoby

Yearling (5/4)

1. Hyde's Stothard Pure Didly Dokely JW

Another one that I have admired for some time, a really nice type of boxer. Super elegant, powerful and masculine. Very attractive head, clean with no excessive wrinkle. Well positioned and nicely shaped eyes, blocky muzzle and good rise of skull with clean cheeks and good mouth. Beautifully crested neck and evident forechest, well sprung ribs with good depth of brisket and sweeping underline. Strong, well angulated quarters, beautiful feet and well set tail. Very collected on the move. Very pleased to award him the Reserve CC. Certainly another strong contender for the future.

2. Griffiths' Sandcliffe Cruising at Lanfrese

Nicely put together, compact red. Very attractive head, great ratios. Super, square muzzle and wide, tilted nose and evident chin. Good rise of skull and large expressive eyes and correctly sized, well set ears and clean cheeks. Strong, arched neck, strong, short back and good quarters. Lovely feet and shown in great condition. Get attitude.

3. Mullis' Idleforde Cracker Jack

Novice (5/5)

1. Littlewood and Bowler's Olleyville Stanley Man

I just loved this boy. It would have been so easy to have dismissed him and put up the better schooled dogs in this class as he was quite unruly and his handler is pretty inexperienced but when she got him right, he was just that – right! He's a beautifully made boy, lovely straight front and well laid shoulders, his rear angulation is just right, he just needs a bit of time to mature. Lovely head with kind, dark eyes giving a gorgeous expression. Strong, arched neck and nice short back. I was pleased when told later that he is the brother to my CC winner.

2. Pynegar's Berwynfa Toy Story

Striking red. Attractive, masculine head, nicely tipped up nose and evident chin and good mouth. Gorgeous neck which he used to his advantage, short strong back and good spring of rib with strong, hammy quarters. Round bone and cat like feet. Shown in great condition as you would expect from this kennel and handled to perfection.

3. Burrett and Kelly's Lahaina Sushetime with Casemates

Debutant (1)

1. Carnaby's Tartarian Diamond Dust

Well grown brindle, attractive head with lovely dark, square muzzle and good rise of skull. Clean cheeks, good chin and dark, nicely shaped eyes. Elegant neck and nice long foreleg with good bone and feet. Well sprung ribs, he is now starting to drop in brisket but then he wasn't quite a year on the day, so plenty of time to mature. By the time he got into the final lineup, he settled and his handler had him looking spot on.

Graduate Graduate (3)

1. Rameleon Nights in Harlem

Well balanced, masculine dark brindle. Very attractive head, which is also well balanced, with a very good mouth. Straight front and strong, clean neck and firm topline. Good depth of brisket and well sprung ribs and good feet. Happy temperament and moved well.

2. Clayforth's Casual Affair with Faerdorn

Compact brindle with a typical, masculine head. Short back and an attractive, sharp outline. Hammy thighs and short hocks, good depth of brisket. In great condition, handled and showed very well.

3. Henderson's Taranut Stereotype

Post Graduate

1. Mullis' Idleforde Prime Suspect

Lovely, typey dark brindle. Tall and elegant but with strength and masculinity too. Square and well balanced throughout. Really attractive head, which lacks excessive wrinkle, but is strong, clean and masculine which kind expressive eyes. Fab neck, clean and strong that sweeps nicely into his withers, then firm short back. Good tailset and strong well angulated quarters, round bone and lovely feet. Moved, showed and handled well. A very close decision when I pulled down to my last four.

2. More refined type than 1. but still masculine. Very nice, well proportioned head with super, square muzzle, good rise of skull with well set eyes and ears giving a lovely expression. Arched neck which he really used, he showed his socks off! Evident forechest, good length of foreleg, very nice, strong quarters. Moved and handled well.

3. Beardsell, Van Beck & Fielding's Newlaith The Fugative

Limit (14/13)

This was probably the most difficult class of the day, each time I went over a dog I thought, that's my winner, so was splitting hairs for my final decision.

1. Mairs' Glenauld The Entertainer JW

Beautifully upstanding boy of good type, well balanced and strong throughout. Super head, with wide chin and good mouth, blocky muzzle, good stop and rise of skull with clean, flat cheeks. Good pigmentation and dark, well shaped eyes giving a soft expression. Clean, strong neck, short and wide back and well angulated quarters with well developed thigh and second thigh. Deep brisket and sweeping underline all give a lovely, sharp outline. Handled well and in great condition, moved well. Last 4 for the CC.

2. Cairns' Instinctive at Galicar

Striking dark brindle, strong throughout and really well put together with no exaggerations, so much to like about this boy. Masculine head with great pigmentation, large, dark, well shaped eyes, broad, deep muzzle, broad nose and well filled under the eyes. Wide chin and good mouth, flat cheeks and clean skull. Great body shape, super, well angulated shoulders, evident forechest and straight front with round bone right down to his cat like feet. Short, firm topline with well angulated, powerful quarters which he used to power around the ring. Shown well and in perfect condition.

3. Brough & Murray's Galicar Mac Steamy

Open (9/8)

1. Drinkwater's Ch. Winuwuk Kiss Tag with Sulez

Very smart, unfussy, honest boxer. Well put together and pleasing to go over, beautiful, arched neck glides into good withers and well laid shoulders, straight front and ample forechest and fab feet. Well sprung ribs and tight elbows, firm, wide back and graceful underline and strong, well angulated quarters and spot on tailset all come together to give a pulchritudinous outline. Very nice, masculine head, blocky muzzle, good mouth and chin, dark eyes. Moved fluidly and handled well. Last 4.

2. Kelly's Ch. Casemates Dumbledore JW

Another dog I've admire for a sometime, super clean, elegant red. Beautifully put together, his shoulder, forearm and foreleg are so well balanced that his front

could only be straight. His neck his strong, clean and arched and blends beautifully into his withers and then short strong back and good tailset. His brisket is deep and chest well filled with lovely feet, sweeping underline and nicely angulated, well muscled rear quarters. Clean but balanced head with wide underjaw, large nose and dark eyes with a kind expression. Moved very well and handled well in great condition.

3. Huggins' Ch Daervlish All Because of You JW

Veteran (4/3)

1. Huckerby & Dowell's Ch Struck On You for Bellchime

Just love this boy and at 9 years old has lost none of what made him a champion. Super head, so well balanced with depth and width of muzzle and good rise of skull, which is clean, as are his cheeks. Wide, evident chin and super mouth, nicely tipped up nose and good stop. Well placed, dark, almond shaped eyes give a gentle expression. Super, strong and clean neck, firm topline and shortly coupled. Lovely front and shoulders, strong and well angulated behind, really love his cat like feet. Moved well and never stops showing and of course handled to perfection. Best Veteran in Show.

2. Peck's Enesha Curly Wurly

This boy gives so little away in terms of age, he has a tight brindle jacket and has no exaggeration anywhere. Attractive, masculine head and good pigmentation with very little grey. Nicely shaped, dark eyes and large broad nose. Well shaped muzzle and skull with good proportions. Clean neck and shoulders and short back and strong, well angulated rear quarters. Moved and handled well.

3. Faerdorn Faegan at Sunvalley