

Central Carolina Cavalier King Charles Spaniel Club Speciality

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Judge: Mandy Attwood, UK. (Clentview Cavaliers)

I would like this opportunity to thank the CCKCSC Committee for inviting me to judge at their speciality show and for looking after us so well, special thanks to Heather, Rebecca and Gwen for taking such good care of us. I had some beautiful dogs to judge and would like to thank everyone for their entries and for the immaculate way in which you present your dogs. Tail sets and rear movement is still a problem and we do need to think about this when breeding.

Puppy, 6 & Under 9 Months Dogs (1)

1. Stepamgar Sky's The Limit V Aza (Wolff/Wolff)

6 month old Blenheim boy with well broken rich tan markings. Attractive head with even face markings, correct ear set, dark round eyes and good pigment. Slightly upright in shoulder, kept a level topline on the move with straight parallel rear movement.

Puppy, 9 & Under 12 Months Dogs (4)

1. Fields Edge Riding Shotgun (Slusher/Slusher)

Well balanced Blenheim boy with attractive rich chestnut markings. Moderate head with dark round eyes, well placed ears of good length, good reach of neck into well placed shoulders, level topline and correct tail set, well angulated with moderate bone, moved well both ways.

2. Sheeba Valentino At Ceja (Cahn/Ostmann/Treacy)(Tyler Mills, Agent)

Heavier marked Blenheim with lovely white collar showing off his good reach of neck. Pretty in head with good pigment and large dark round eyes, correct dentition, well sprung rib. I would prefer a little more leg which would make him more balanced, moved and showed well.

3. Tomnee's Blue Jeans (Wise)

Heavy marked Blenheim, pleasing head with dark eyes and pigment, correct bite, slightly longer cast, moved ok.

4. Granlaurel Shotgun Rider (Wicker/Gregory)

Larger Blenheim with rich tan markings well placed. Masculine in head, good reach of neck, well sprung ribs, longer cast with good angulations.

12 & Under 18 Months Dogs (2)

1. Northpointe Spennithorne Thyme After Thyme (Mitchum) (Tyler Mills, Agent)

Blenheim boy with rich chestnut markings, beautiful head with large dark eyes giving that soft expression, long thick ear leathers correctly placed, excellent bone, well angulated, moved well keeping a level topline.

2. Althof The Playmaker (Glisson/Hansen)

Tricolour boy with rich tan markings, pleasing head with good pigment and correct dentition, good reach of neck, nicely sprung ribs, level topline, seemed to be down on his pasterns.

Bred By Exhibitor Dogs (3)

1. Grandville Dance For Joy (Grandemange)

Tricolour boy, masculine in head with dark eyes, nicely marked coat with large white collar & rich tan markings. Nice size with moderate bone, good angulations and level topline.

2. Flyinhi Thru The Cosmos (Eason)

Heavier marked Blenheim boy, rich in colour with attractive head and dark round eyes. Slightly bigger in frame than 1, good bone, well sprung ribs, level topline, slightly close behind, wasn't animated today.

3. Wellington Thunderball Bright One (Landry)

Bigger framed Black and Tan with rich tan markings, pleasing head, long ear leathers, would prefer a little more length of neck, correct tail set and carriage, moved well.

American-Bred Dogs (2)

1. Marque's Pennies From Heaven (Ivester) (Alane Landry, Agent)

Very alert Ruby boy with lovely head and correct ear set, I would prefer a slightly larger eye, good front, moderate chest, level topline, short coupled, slightly close on rear movement.

2. Darane Happy Song BCAT (Markijohn/Kates)

Black & Tan, masculine in head with rich tan markings, moderate neck, level topline, slightly longer than 1, good bone, lost his tail carriage on the move.

Open, Blenheim Dogs (1)

1. Leogem Renaissance (Ayres/Homes/Homes) (Michelle Jones, Agent)

Well balanced Blenheim boy, long silky coat, heavier marked with rich chestnut markings, beautiful head with a gentle expression, not overdone in any way, large dark round eyes, well set ears of good length. Good reach of neck into well laid shoulders, moderate chest, nicely sprung ribs, well angulated, moved well both ways keeping a level topline and correct tail carriage. He looked stunning on the move and in profile.

Winners Dog, Best of Breed & Best of Winners.

Open, Tri-Color Dogs (1)

1. Lanmar Rob Roy (Schrank/Hubbard)

Well marked Tricolor boy with rich tan markings, masculine head, well placed ears and correct bite. Moderate neck, level topline, well angulated and excellent bone, a little close on rear movement.

Reserve Winners Dog.

Puppy, 6 & Under 9 Months Bitches (2)

1. Bombay Adorable For You (James)

Heavier marked Tricolour girl with large white collar and rich tan markings, pretty head with dark round eyes, good reach of neck, moved well.

2. Bombay Adoration (Norton)

Litter sister to 1, well broken Blenheim girl, loved her head, dark round eyes, soft expression excellent pigment. Slightly bigger in size to 1, moderate neck, level topline, good rear angulations, lost out today as she didn't seem very happy.

Puppy, 9 & Under 12 Months Bitches (2)

1. Fields Edge Sugar Magnolia (Slusher/Slusher)

Well balanced, nicely marked Blenheim girl, lovely thick ears framed her correct head, dark round eyes, correct bite and excellent pigment. Lovely size and shape, good reach of neck, level topline, moderate bone and good angulations, moved and showed well. **Best Puppy.**

2. RanLyn Classic Chanel (Bragg) (Michelle Jones, Agent)

Very pretty Blenheim girl, dark round eyes, slightly tapered muzzle, good length of ear leathers, moderate neck, level topline, showed well, just lost out on maturity.

12 & Under 18 Months Bitches (5)

1. Tassajara Riesling (Seidman/Seidman/Frederick) (Jamie Clute, Agent)

Blanket marked Blenheim girl, I would prefer the chestnut markings to be a bit deeper in colour, pretty head with lovely eyes and good nose pigment, lovely size and shape, moderate neck, level topline standing and on the move, nice angulations, slightly close behind.

2. Nighthawk's Ever So Clever (Lovan/Mitchell) (Sarah Janner, Agent)

Very close decision between 1 and 2, small compact lightly marked Blenheim girl, very pretty head, showed slight white of eye, long thick ear leathers, I would prefer a little more length of neck, moderate bone, moved and showed well.

3. Sakurahill Under The Sakura Tree (Woods)

Another pretty Blenheim girl, also showing white of eye, good reach of neck, well sprung ribs, rich chestnut blanket markings, slightly longer in loin, good angulations and level topline.

4. Bombay C Natalia (James)

Heavy marked, pretty Blenheim girl, showed slight white of eye, adequate neck, level topline, moderate bone, moved ok.

Bred by Exhibitor Bitches (2)

1. Grandeville Via Dolorosa (Grandemange)

Attractively marked Blenheim girl, dark round eyes, slightly tapered muzzle framed by long ear leathers, moderate neck, nice size and shape, correct rear angulations, this girl never stopped showing. **Reserve Winners Bitch.**

2. Ingold Lady Bird (Pickett)

Heavier marked Blenheim girl, slightly bigger than 1, I loved her head, large dark eyes, soft expression, moderate bone, moved well keeping a level topline, just no animation today.

American-Bred Bitches (1)

1. Two Rivers Mockingbird Gin Fizz (Adair/Glisson)

Pretty Blenheim girl, large dark eyes, well cushioned with a soft gentle expression. Moderate neck, level topline, short coupled, nicely angulated rear, good bone, attractively marked coat, I would just prefer it to be a little straighter.

Open, Black and Tan Bitches (1)

1. Kingsbridge Sophistigated Lady (Waters)

Black and Tan bitch with rich tan markings, dark eyes, slightly tapered muzzle, I would prefer a little more fill under eye, good bone, level topline, moved ok but lacked animation today.

Open, Blenheim Bitches (1)

1. Brookhaven Sister Act (Ayers/Martz) (Michelle Jones, Agent)

Pretty Blenheim girl not overdone in any way, dark round eyes, slightly tapered muzzle, all framed by long correctly placed ear leathers. Attractively marked coat, lovely size and shape, correct depth of chest, level topline and good angulations, moved and showed well. **Winners Bitch.**

Open, Ruby Bitches (1)

1. Snowbird Gold Dust Woman (Spencer)

Pleasing head, lovely round dark eyes, good length of ears, deep chest, well sprung ribs, moderate bone, dipped slightly in shoulder and I would prefer a little more drive on the move.

Best of Breed Competition (16)

Best of Breed: Leogem Renaissance (Ayers/Homes/Homes) (Michelle Jones, Agent)
(Critique, see Open, Blenheim Dogs)

Best of Opposite Sex: KBPride Scottish Warrior's The Lioness (Manley/Reardon) (Michelle Jones, Agent)

Nicely marked Blenheim girl, large dark round eyes, her forward face markings didn't distract from how pretty she was, correct ear set, lovely size and shape, well sprung ribs, level topline, good angulations, moderate bone, moved well and never stopped showing, well deserved **BOS.**

Select Dog: GCH Tudorose Rhythm N Blues (Mixon/Mixon) (Michael R Pitts, Agent)

Very handsome Blenheim boy, large dark eyes, soft gentle expression, long thick ear leathers, heavy marked with rich chestnut markings, well boned, correct depth of chest, level topline, short coupled, good rear angulations, moved well.

Select Bitch: GCHB Miletree Caprice (Bonfond/Bonfond)

Pretty Blenheim girl, slightly tapered muzzle, dark round eyes, gentle expression, long ear leathers, moderate neck, attractively marked coat, correct bone, good angulations, moved well keeping a level topline.

Best Owner Handled: GCHB Foxwyn Cool Water (Norton/Baker-Fox)

Heavier marked Blenheim boy with rich chestnut markings, beautiful head, well cushioned, large dark round eyes, well set ears, good spring of rib, short coupled, correct angulations, showed and moved well keeping a level topline.

Best Puppy: Fields Edge Sugar Magnolia (Slusher/Slusher)
(Critique, see Puppy, 9 & Under 12 Months Bitches)

Awards of Merit

GCHB Foxwyn Cool Water (Norton/Baker-Fox)
(Critique, see Best Owner Handled)

GCHS Vanderburn Tiger Eyes (Pope/Rosamilia)

Blenheim boy, slightly larger in size, lovely head, well cushioned, dark round eyes and good pigment, correct depth of chest, level topline, well boned with nice angulations, moved well.