

Weimaraner Association

Open Show

28th October 2018

It was a great honour to be invited to judge at the Weimaraner Association Open Show. I would like to thank the committee for such a well organised show and my stewards on the day for maintaining a well organised ring. I would also like to thank the exhibitors for a thoroughly enjoyable day of judging. There were many quality dogs which made some judging decisions close but memorable.

MPD: (1,1a)

PD: (1,1a)

JD: (2,0a)

1. Kerslake's Kuantan Cosworth, substantial 16-month-old dog shown in a fit and well-muscled condition. short and strong through loin. Balanced angulation tight through elbow with ribbing well back. Still to mature and fully to fill his frame. Slightly untidy on the move when giving his handler a hard time but good drive and ground cover when focused.
2. Issitt's Kuantan Quattro with Forgun, 16-month-old dog of slighter build than 1. Clean reach of neck. Straight through front with tight well arched feet. Well-turned stifle and hocks well let down. Ground covering holding his topline on the move. Preferred the depth and rib extension of 1.

YD: (1,0a)

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PGD: (2,1a)

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LD: (2,0a)

1. Stokes' Khamsynn Coast to Coast at Wipfel well balanced dog with pleasing head proportions. Clean through neck with well laid shoulders. Well sprung ribs with strong, firm coupling, level topline with moderate tuck up giving preferred underline. Balanced angulation covering plenty of ground on the move.
2. Mercuri's Weipowa Imperium Moderate sized dog with correct length to height ratio. Straight through forelegs with deep well-developed chest. Kind expression with long ear as required. Level topline held well on move.

OD: (7, 1a, 1w/d)

1. Ruddy's Sh Ch Netherhills Got Talent JW. A dog I have had the pleasure of judging previously and he fails to disappoint. Epitomizing power, balance and stamina. Silver grey Keen expression, correct earset and good skull width to body proportion. Well-developed chest, super front assembly, complemented by equally balanced strong rear quarters. Enjoying his time in the ring (**BD & RBIS**)
2. Clarke's Sh Ch Sireva Crackerjack at Coastedge JW ShCM. Another outstanding male. The professional partnership of handler and dog were exemplary. Ground covering effortless movement around the ring. Correct depth of chest to leg ratio, elbows tight and front straight. Well sprung ribs with strong loin holding a level topline on the move. Close decision but preferred the rear extension and drive of 1. (**RBD**)
3. Moore's Sh Ch Ranaran Galahad at Cavalmist JW

VD: (no entries)

MPB: (4,2a)

1. Batty's Almoor Macey Gray 8-month bitch, very much a baby which was pleasing to see. Silver grey sleek coat. Clean through neck with good angulation. Well-turned stifle and let down hocks. Tail set correct. Lots of potential. Look forward to seeing her as she matures.

(BPIS)

2. Ruddy's Almoor Anastasia at Netherhill. 8-month-old litter sister to 1. Very similar to 1 with same commendable attributes, would expect them to interchange placings as they mature. Slightly more width to chest and frame but preferred depth of chest and ribbing of 1 at this stage in their development.

PB: (5,2a)

1. Batty's Almoor Macey Gray
2. Ruddy's Almoor Anastasia at Netherhill
3. Smith's Gunalt Lustrous

JB: (5,1a)

1. Ruddy's Netherhill Euro Million 13-month-old bitch well handled. Presenting a clean outline with well-balanced angulation. Physically mature for her age with a well-developed deep chest, filled through front and straight. Feminine head, correct ear and set. Ribs extending well back as required. Covered ground effortlessly.

2. Radford's Shonhund Show Dolly 18-month bitch. Keen expression. Well laid shoulders. Ribs extending well back. Moderate angulation through rear. A bit reluctant on the move for her handler today.

3. Finch's Silberliss Summer of Love

YB: (7,1a)

1. Sayer & Wallwork's Braefell Firecrest JW Moderate bitch with kind feminine expression and correct head proportions. Clean reach of neck. Powerful straight front with brisket dropped to tight elbows. Good rib spring and strong loin. Reach and drive on the move

2. Ruddy's Netherhill Euro Million

3. Radford's Shonhund Show Dolly

PGB: (6,2a)

1. McDowall & Rutland's Sireva Hot Line to Khamsynn JW An elegant bitch typifying a combination of physique and femininity. Balanced angulation through front and rear. Ribs deep and extending well back, moderate tuck up. Level topline well held with effortless movement

2. Moore's Kalimor Jazz at Cavalmist. Medium bitch darker in colour to 1. Strong front assembly, straight with deep well-developed chest. Tight through elbows. Clean, moderately long neck to level topline. Correct tailset.

Tending to overpower on her front slightly on the stand for her handler today.

3. Thrasivoulous' Skilaki Born to Move

LB: (6,2a)

1. Holts Meinweg Christmas Fuddle keen expression with round light eye, correct ear set and fold. Well-developed and deep through front. Short strong loin. Effortless movement, reaching and covering plenty of ground

2. Thrasivoulou's Skilaki Its De Lovely JW – Honest bitch with clean outline, correct head proportions. Straight through front and rear with feet compact and well arched. Moderate tuck up. Not quite the reach and ground cover of 1.

3. Anderton's Tatze bewitched at Thrihyrne

OB: (8,1a)

1. Rutland & Jones Sh Ch Sireva Only Connect with Khamsynn Sh CM Catching my eye as soon as she walked into the ring a balanced bitch with correct length to height ratio.

Aristocratic head with kind expression. Balanced angulation front and rear. Well-developed

chest dropping to brisket and ribs extending back. Fit and well-muscled condition. Well-turned stifle and hocks well let down allowing plenty of drive and ground coverage expertly handled (**BB & BIS**)

2. Rutland & Jones Sh Ch Khamsynn Coast Liaison JW Sh CM Round light eye, moderate flew. Clean cut neck and well laid shoulders into level topline maintained on move. Straight through front, compact and tight feet. Drive and reach on the move effortless and coordinated. Pushed 1 hard on movement but preferred angulation balance of 1. (**RBB**)

3. Rodgers Minstergate Cunard JW

VB: (4,1a)

1. Stokes Grandahay Hebe Lemon Quartz (BVIS) Silver grey 8-year-old bitch clearly enjoying the ring and a good rapport with her handler. Aristocratic head with moderate stop and keen expression. Level topline with moderate tuck up. Hocks well let down. Coordinated parallel movement. (**BVIS**)

2. Rutland & Jones Sh Ch Sh Ch Khamsynn Carry on Camping JW 8-year-old bitch clean moderately long neck. Balanced angulation. Chest deep with well sprung ribs. Well-turned stifle.

3. Brown & Filby Sh Ch Desijiem Mary Christmas JW Sh CM

SFTD/B: (no entries)

SWD/B: (no entries)

SOLH D/B: (3,1a)

1. Andertons Tatze Bewitched by Thrihyrne Long haired bitch in excellent condition, metallic sheen through coat. Kind expression with moderate flew. Well-developed chest with well sprung ribs and firm loin. (**BLHIS**)

2. Reads Whitecross Remembrance Long hair bitch with slighter build than 1. Moderately long neck. Straight through front. Correct length to body ratio and level topline.

Junior Handling: (no entries)

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