

The Weimaraner Open Show

27/05/24

Firstly, I would like to take this opportunity to thank the association for my invitation to judge, also all the exhibitors who entered under me and supported me, there was a great vibe around the ring from such a supporting breed. Also my stewards – thank you.

Minor Puppy Dog

1st -SAYER & WALLWORK - Braefell Blackthorn

Pleasing young pale male, appealed in head with the correct ear length and fold, good length of neck with well set shoulders, correct level topline with gentle slope to croup, nice tail set, tidy feet for one so young, moved well, and drove off strong hocks.

Puppy Dog

1st LONGBOTTOM-Gunalt Beehave

Impressive young dog stacked up, displaying a classic outline. Masculine head with correct round eye, well set ears with correct fold, nice length of neck leading into well placed shoulders, level topline with gentle croup, correct tail set and carriage, elbows close to chest wall, he was slightly unsettled today but could see his qualities, drove off strong hocks. BEST PUPPY DOG

2nd- SAYER & WALLWORK - Braefell Blackthorn

Junior Dog

1st - CHARLISH - Gunalt The Hangover JW

I have watched this young dog from the side of the ring with interest, he has really matured now. Classic male head with correct median line, a kind expression, well set ears and correct fold and length, good well arched neck leading to well-placed shoulders, good forechest with elbows meeting brisket. He is the correct length and proportions, gentle croup. Strong rear with good amount of second thigh, strong hocks which helped him power around the ring, always holding his strong topline. RESERVE BEST DOG & RESERVE BIS

2nd CARPENTER - Aschfahl Kepanye

A different type to my winner. A moderate dog with a pleasing head, correct ear length and set, round eye, straight forelegs and level topline, correct tail set, pale coat, lost out in front movement.

Yearling Dog

1st - CARPENTER- Aschfahl Kepanye

Post Graduate Dog

An interesting class to judge with lots of variation on type.

1st - JENNINGS - WALLAROO Romeo JW

Won the class on his balance and movement, an attractive masculine head with plenty of work and desired median line, kind expression, correct ear length, good amount of forechest and strong straight forelegs, ribs extending far back with short loin, muscular rear with correct angles. Good tail set moved positively.

2nd- HILLEN - Britmans Auriol

A smaller male of a different type, attractive head, well placed shoulders, good depth of chest, gentle croup, strong rear and excels in rear movement, pale coat.

3rd - HEUSTON - Parhelis Corrino

Limit Dog

1st - RICHARDSON - Cheyenn Makeeta

This long-haired male impressed me, a moderate head with correct proportions, high set ears with correct fold and length, well set shoulders good amount of heart room, good depth to chest with elbows meeting brisket, correct length of body and good front and rear angles. Correct amount of feathering. Liked his strong driving action which powered him around the right showing true reach and drive. Happy to award him. BEST LONGHAIR IN SHOW

2nd - ISHERWOOD - Gunalt Schweppes At Caleydene

A smaller male of a different style, slightly shorter in back, liked his head and kind expression, round eye, good amount of flew, nice reach of neck and nicely set shoulders. Elbows close to chest wall with strong rear, good mover.

3rd PEARMAN - Weipowa Dentons At Britmans

Open Dog

1s- Burgess - Gunalt Vettel To Hantzburg

Such a pleasing head masculine but not over done with correct proportions, good pigment and ears set high. Good arched neck with well set shoulders, tidy front assembly with tight feet. Good length of back and gentle croup, strong rear and good amount of second thigh, he was moved and stacked perfectly, giving his all to his handler at all times.

2nd- RAZZELL, HAZELTINE & CROWTHER - SH CH Hundwith Checkmate to Corotine JW

This male has really matured, kind expression with correct median line. Ears set high with desired fold and length, correct neck leading to well-placed shoulders, strong straight forelegs good length of back, well bent stifles with hocks well let down. Moved well.

3rd - MUTLOW - Braefell Goshawk JW

Veteran Dog

1st EVANS & PAVEY - SH CH Gunalt Undeniable At Joneva JW

This male isn't showing his age, most attractive aristocratic head, beautiful dark pigmentation with large nostrils, good amount for work in his head with long lobular ears, an attractively long neck, with lovely shoulders, beautiful front assembly with nice amount of forechest, forelegs sitting close to chest wall, tidy feet with strong limbs, correct length of body and gentle croup, tail set and carried nicely. Strong rear with most pleasing angulation, he drives around the ring displaying true reach and drive and was a true showman. BEST IN SHOW & BEST VETERAN IN SHOW

2nd- BEAGRIE - SH Ch Gunalt Audio from Feldhund

Another attractive veteran who was happy and enjoying his time in the ring, again a pleasing head with nicely set shoulders, displaying the desired length of body and height ratio, moved sound and true, handled and shown well.

Special working (MIXED)

1st - RICHARDSON - Cheyenn Makeeta

2nd- CARPENTER - Aschfahl Kepa Secret

A young pretty bitch, with pleasing expressions, would prefer more pigmentation. Good length of ears which were well set. Good length of neck, and moderate length, moved ok.

Special Longhair (MIXED)

1st - RICHARDS - Cheyenn Makeeta

2nd - REAKES - Thrihyrne Love Letters

Really pretty bitch who is showing lots of promise who has matured since I last saw her, she has the correct height to length ratio, in good coat with correct amount of feathering, she moved once settled.

Minor Puppy Bitch

1st - Rowbury - Stormdancer Cattywampus

What a beautiful shape to this eye-catching pale youngster, pretty feminine head with long ears set high, moderately long neck good shoulders and nice forechest, tidy front with elbows tight to body, good length and tail set, strong rear with driving action, such promise.

2nd- SAYER & WALLWORK - Braefell Briar

Litter mate to my minor puppy dog winner and similar in type, displaying the correct length to height ratio, feminine head with moderate stop, good reach of neck with strong straight forelegs, moderate angulation, with balance, sound mover.

3rd - West - Gunalt Frequency (AI)

Puppy bitch

1st - DYER & ODDIE - Sharnphilly Annie Mac

A promising puppy which was so well schooled and handled, attractive head and kind expression, ears set high with correct fold. Good length of neck and shoulders, good amount of forehand with elbow meeting brisket, displaying the correct length of back with gentle croup, and nicely set and carried tail. Strong rear with good amount of second thigh, tight feet, positive mover displaying reach and drive. **BEST PUPPY IN SHOW**

2nd - SAYER & WOOLWORK - Braefell Briar

3rd - Tatze Delirium

Junior bitch

1st- BALCH - Weipowa Severine

This bitch won the class on her overall style and balance, pretty feminine head with round eye, nicely set ears of correct length moderate neck and well-placed shoulders. Good front assembly, elbows meeting brisket, correct length and powerful rear correct reach and drive once settled.

2nd - HOSTLER - Theondale Margot

A bitch of a bigger heavier mould. Again attractive in head, liked her forehand and depth of chest, tight feet with strong straight forelegs, correct front and rear angulation, slightly unsettled on the move.

3rd- MORRIS - Kalimor Tinker JW

Yearling Bitch

1st- HOSTLER - Theondale Margot

2nd- Burgess - Gamepoint Zoom by Hantzburg

Slightly stronger in head than 1st but still remains feminine, round eye with good median line, nice length and fold to ear, level topline with gentle croup, of good length, tight feet. Chest needs to drop and broaden but this will come with age, she moved well and at one with handler.

3rd - CARPENTER- Aschfahl Kepa Secret

Post Graduate Bitch

1st- ROWBURY - Stormdancer Flash Point

What a beautiful bitch, she has so much elegance and style, she caught my eye entering the ring. She has beautiful amber eyes, correct dark pigment which is the perfect contrast to her silver grey coat, so pretty and feminine with a lovely head carriage, good length of neck and nice amount of forechest. Elbows set tightly to body with good depth of chest, correct length of back with gentle croup and correct tail set. Strongly made rear with good turn of stifle with well let down hocks, ribs well sprung and extending far back, correct and moderate tuck up, she moved around the ring with such style and presence. BEST BITCH

2nd - DOBBS- Kalimor Summa Love JW

This bitch is built of heavier lines, stronger in head than winner but did remain feminine, ears of a good length which were well set. Moderate neck with good amount of forechest, elbows close to body, displaying good length of back. Tight feet moved well.

3rd- BURGESS - Gamepoint Zoom by Hantzburg

Limit Bitch

1st- Morris & Randall - Kalimor Dottie

Won the class on her balance and movement, felt she particularly looked good when handler extended the tail. Kind eye, good length of ear, strong pleasing head, good length of neck, well placed shoulders, level topline, straight forelegs and good depth of chest. Thick second thigh, moderate tuck up, a stylish shape stacked up, moved well with drive.

2nd- LONGBOTTOM & MILBY - Gunalt Curtain Call

I have judged this bitch before and she has achieved her promise, sweet headed bitch with correct round eye, ears well set and of good length, nice moderate neck

and good length of back. Strong straight forelegs with good amount of chest, good angles front and rear, moved well.

3rd- Pilatova - Sabsky Svratka JW

Open bitch

1st- WEST- SH CH Gunalt Wavelength JW

A very feminine bitch, with kind eye, correct ear fold and length, moderate stop with median line, good flew, good pigment, moderately long neck with tidy front and strong straight forelegs. Correct length of back, nice tail set and carriage, moved well coming and going and in side profile, displaying reach and drive. RESERVE BEST BITCH

2nd- Hostler - Kalimor Daisy

This bitch stacks into a beautiful shape, with classic length of back, well placed shoulders, good forechest, moderate tuck up, ribs extending well back. Feminine head with kind expression, tight feet and good angles forth and after, moved well.

Judge: Lewis Phillips