MANCUNIAN BOXER CLUB OPEN SHOW 6[™] JUNE 2024

I would like to thank the Committee of the Mancunian Boxer Club for the kind invitation to judge their Open Show in June and for the lovely gifts. My thanks to Wayne Patterson, my steward for the day who kept me right, but most of all the exhibitors for coming out under me and the sportsmanship manner in accepting my decisions.

JUNIOR DOG, 2 entered, 1 ABS

1st Johnson & Pynegar's SASHBOB NEVER WOULD I EVER FROM BERWNFA. Flashy brindle 14-month-old male in top condition, everything flowed. Short level topline with bang on tailset, good width of thigh, tidy tuck up, Plenty of forechest and spring of rib. Straight front and lovely tight feet. Very pleasing head with lovely dark eyes and I'm sure destined for great things. RESERVE BEST DOG.

GRADUATE DOG, 1 entered, 1 present

1st Van Beck's NEWLAITHE RESPECT JW. Tall 18-month-old male. Flashy brindle, presented in excellent condition. Well boned, plenty of substance. Arched neck, straight front with tight feet. Level topline, bang on tailset, Dark expressive eyes, lovely hammy quarters which he used around the ring, Moved and handled well.

LIMIT DOG 7 entered, 3 ABS

1st Huckerby & Dowell's & Boese's BOESE L'AMORE FOR NORWILBECK BELLCHIME. Flashy dark brindle 19-month-old boy who caught my eye the minute he stepped into ring. Well boned, all male with plenty of substance. Lovely head with melting dark almond shaped eyes. Arched neck into well laid shoulders and level topline which he held on the move. He presented a lovely outline when stacked, everything just flowed with him. I was so delighted when he received his first CC the following week. BEST DOG & RESERVE BEST IN SHOW

2nd Godwin's SULTASH PRINCE OF HEARTS. 4-year-old brindle and another who was all male. Tall, well boned, lovely quarters and moved very well. Nice arched neck into well laid shoulders. Firm level topline which he held on the move. Dark expressive eyes and typical head. Well bodied with excellent spring of rib. Very close decision between 1 & 2. On another day it could have been very different.

OPEN DOG, 2 entered, 1 ABS

1st Godwin's SULTASH CUNCO. Six-and-a-half-year-old substantial brindle male. Moved very well, lovely hammy quarters. Pleasing head, wide mouth, nice expressive eyes and nice tight feet. Depth of chest, well bodied level topline which he held on the move.

BABY PUPPY BITCH 1 entered, 0 ABS

1st Fay-Smith's LORROSA MY TYPE ON PAPER. Boy is she ever my type! Absolutely gorgeous dark brindle baby. Very eye catching, hammy quarters and she moved very well for one so young. Lovely arched neck, level topline with bang on tailset. Pretty head with the darkest of eyes. Stunning outline when stacked. Definitely one to watch!

MINOR PUPPY BITCH 2 entered, 1 ABS

1st Pynegar's KAJOBOX LADY BILLION FROM BERWNFA. 7-month-old brindle girl with short level topline. Bang on tailset. Lovely tight feet. Arched neck into layback of shoulder. Pleasing head, almond shaped expressive eyes which cried mischief! Alert and on her toes all the time. Moved and handled very well.

PUPPY BITCH 1 entered, 0 ABS

1st Fay-Smith's LORROSA MISSY ELLIOTT. 10-month-old brindle girl. Just a little bit more together than the minor puppy. Moved well once settled, hammy quarters and nice tailset. Typical head, dark expressive eyes and excellent mouth. Very well handled to get the best out of her. BEST PUPPY BITCH & BEST PUPPY IN SHOW.

JUNIOR BITCH 9 entered, 3 ABS

1st Huckerby & Dowell's NORWILBECK BELLCHIME OLA. 16-month-old girl with so much to like. Beautiful outline when stacked, well bodied with excellent spring of rib, lovely clean lines. Clean and tidy underline. Arched neck into well laid shoulders, firm level topline and bang on tailset completed her picture. Hammy quarters which she used around the ring, moved very well. Lovely head piece and excellent mouth. Alert and on her toes all the time. Very well handled and at one with her handler. Had to settle for Reserve Best Bitch today. But on another day, it could have been very different.

2nd Fay-Smith's ALL THAT SHE WANTS FOR LORROSA. Flashy 15-month-old brindle girl. A shade longer than 1 but still very typey. Well bodied, presents a lovely outline when stacked. Nice head, lovely dark shaped almond eyes with melting expression. Nice wide mouth and good lip placement. Arched neck into lay back of shoulder. Topline firm and level. Her tailset was bang on. Lovely hammy quarters which she used around the ring. I found myself nit-picking between 1 & 2 and in the end I just preferred the cleaner outline of 1.

YEARLING BITCH 2 entered, 2 present

1st Van beck's DIDDLE ON NEWLAITHE . 16-month-old flashy brindle girl. Slightly smaller than 2, very nice head, lovely expressive almond shaped eyes. Alert and on her

toes. Arched neck into well laid shoulders and firm topline. Tailset bang on the end completed her outline. Moved and handled very well.

2nd Pynegar's INI MINI MYNI MO AT BERWYNFA. 14 month old flashy brindle girl. Taller and longer than 1 but still had a firm level topline. Tidy and clean underline. Another who had a nice outline when stacked and well of for forechest. Typical head, good mouth with evident chin, moved and handled very well.

POST GRADUATE BITCH 1 entered, 0 ABS

1st Welch's NEWLAITHE ON THE DIDDLE. 4 year old brindle girl. Pleasing head and good mouth with evident chin. Moved well, but was missing her mummy lol

LIMIT BITCH 3 entered, 2 ABS

1st Godwin's SULTASH CHARISMA. 2-year-old girl who was full of herself. Arched neck into well laid shoulders, firm topline with lovely tailset. Tidy undercarriage and tuck up. Straight front and plenty of forechest. Another who had a lovely outline when stacked.

OPEN BITCH 3 entered, 1 ABS

1st Pynegar's KAJOB BOOM BOOM POW AT BERWYNFA. 2 year old dark brindle girl who captivated me as soon as I seen her. I couldn't take my eyes of her! Very eye catching and presents an absolutely stunning outline when stacked. Having seen her as a baby I thought she was gorgeous then and she still is. So pretty in head with a soft melting expression. Elegant and feminine. Beautiful front, lovely tight feet. The tightest of coats that felt like satin. Arched neck into well laid shoulders and firm level topline which she held on the move. Hammy powerful quarters which she used to her advantage. Her bang on tailset completed her truly stunning outline. I had no hesitation in awarding her Best Bitch & Best in Show. She pushed the male all the way.