

Merseyside Boxer Club
Special Puppy & Junior Event

18th November 2018

I would like to thank the officers and committee of the Merseyside Boxer Club for inviting me to judge the Special Puppy and Junior event at there open show.

I felt very honoured to be asked to judge at this club with it being my local breed club held in my home city. You are always made to feel very welcome and nothing is ever to much should you need help or advice at there shows.

I would also like to thank the exhibitors for such a super entry of 31, unfortunately on the day this was hampered by 9 absentees, due to a recent strain of kennel cough to which I hope all the dogs get better from very soon. It was also nice to see the sporting way in which the exhibitors took my placings of the dogs on the day.

I had some really beautiful youngsters here to judge, especially the puppy bitch 6 – 8 mths class. Which was filled with some absolutely cracking young bitches, which only fairs well for the breed and its future, if this entry is any think to go by. I was extremely pleased with all my main winners and hope to see them go on to greater things in the future.

Special Puppy Dog 6 – 8 Mths

(8, 3a)

1. Griffth's Lanfrese Jalisco, 7 Mth old, R/B with a nice head, large dark eye with good pigmentation, excellent skull and muzzle for his age, well used ears, excellent mouth and dentition, strong well arched neck and withers into well laid back shoulders, good depth of chest, good front assembly with strong bone and nice small arched feet, good rib, short backed to give a lovely square shape, moved well coming and going, showing good drive from the rear with level topline.

2. Griffth's Lanfrese Argento, 7 Mth old R/B and litter brother to 1st, he has similar attributes to his kennel mate but there is slightly more of him in substance, his brother just had the edge on him today as he was more settled on the move, but make to doubt about it give him a few months and he will challenge the best.

3. Clayforth's Tyslee Heatwave

Special Puppy Dog 9 – 10 Mths

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1. Parker & Martin's Olleyville Optimistic Lad, 9 Mth old, B& W, who takes your eye straight away and has a great lively temperament too. He has a stunning head for his age screaming true Boxer too me, super clean skull and well developed cheeks, broad powerful muzzle, showing excellent balance between both skull and muzzle, lovely large dark alert eyes with good pigmentation with dark rims, good strong underjaw, nice mouth with straight teeth with sound yet powerful bite, excellent depth of chest, excellent front assembly with well muscled shoulders, straight parallel forelegs with strong bone finished off with beautiful tight small catlike feet, good ribs and well muscled body with short loin, giving a square appearance in outline, well muscled hind quarters and angulation, moved out well both coming and going, I would not be surprised if he was to join the upper house in the future, BPD.

Special Puppy Dog 10 – 12 Mths

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1. Chippendale's Ross Poldark at Mylicam, B & W of almost 12 mths, lovely clean head and skull with good cheeks and wide muzzle, excellent dark eyes with good broad black nose, good mouth and underjaw, strong neck and nice shoulders, straight forelegs with good bone and tight feet, well ribbed, good rear and moved ok, just needs time to deepen and fill to complete the picture.

2. Pynegar's Berwynfa Byhook Or Bycrook, 8 mth old R/B with a pretty head, but still needs time to widen and fill out to come to it's best, good dark eye and rims, broad nose with correct placement, nice underjaw, good mouth with correct dentition, lovely arched neck and well laid shoulders, good straight front with strong bone, tight feet and well arched toes, excellent depth of chest for his age, well covered ribs, nicely muscled body, good front with well muscled hind quarters, showed and moved well.

Special Puppy Bitch 6 – 8 Mths

(8, 2a)

This class was the class of the day by far, filled with some absolutely beautiful young bitches, who I believe will change places many times over the coming months. There are some definite stars of the future here and I look forward to seeing how they mature and what they achieve in the future.

1. Mair's Vandenrob Vanessa via Glenauld, R/B of almost 8 mths, beautiful type, very pretty headed bitch with excellent balance throughout, clean skull with good cheeks, excellent broad and deep powerful muzzle with well padded upper lip, strong and powerful wide underjaw, excellent straight mouth with correct dentition, good broad nose with wide nostrils, lovely dark alert eyes with excellent pigmentation and dark rims, strong round elegant neck into well laid shoulders, excellent front assembly with straight parallel forelegs and strong bone with lovely small catlike feet, short backed with well defined arched ribs and strong loin, giving a nice square shape, excellent topline which she held both on the move and stance, well muscled hindquarters and good tailset, on the move this bitch comes into her own, as she covers the ground with ease, showing great reach in front with strong and powerful drive from the rear, presented in excellent condition, another I think will easy make the upper house in the future, BPB & BSP.

2. Pearce & Francis's Longsdale's Heart Of Glass, 6 mth old red, of again excellent type, very pretty head with feminine expression, clean skull and good developed cheeks, nice dark eyes with good pigmentation and dark rims, excellent turn up of nose with wide open nostrils, well used alert ears, lovely mouth and underjaw with correct teeth and sound bite, nice round neck flowing into well laid shoulders, straight parallel forelegs, small tight catlike feet and good bone, presents a beautiful square profile outline, short backed with strong loin, nice muscled hindquarters with good angulation, moved well for one so young, gave a little away in maturity today but has a bright future ahead of her I'm sure.

3. McArdle's Redmol Strike A Pose at McArmadale

Special Junior Dog 12 – 15 Mths

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1. Mair's Glenauld Stroller, 13 mth old B & W, very mature lad for his age, who lives up to his name, but once settled did the job in hand, lovely balanced head with all the correct proportions between skull, cheeks and muzzle, being clean, broad, deep and powerful, nice dark alert eyes, broad nose with nice turn up, excellent wide underjaw, straight mouth with good dentition with sound bite, strong well arched neck of ample size, excellent well laid back shoulders and long upper arm, excellent straight parallel forelegs with strong bone and small neat feet with well arched toes, good depth of chest, well arched ribs covering to the rear, strongly muscled, short loin, strongly muscled hindquarters with good angulation, good topline and tailset to complete a lovely outline and shape, moved well, SJD.

Special Junior Dog 15 – 18 Mths

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1. McCarthy & Gething's Koppernox Film Star, 17 mth old, R&W, mature male, nice head with all the correct essential features, dark eye and rims, clean skull with good developed cheeks, nice broad muzzle with dark mask, excellent nose with good open nostrils, well pigmented throughout, strong underjaw and bite with good straight dentition, good neck and shoulders, well muscled hindquarters, good tight feet and bone, moved ok once settled, just needs a little time to finish off and fill out and should do very well in the future.

Special Junior Bitch 12 – 15 Mths

(5,2a)

1. Jones & Charles's Winuwuk Justify My Love at Charlons (Ai), 14 mth old R/B, What a lovely bitch and my star of the day, for me every think a bitch should be and more. She has a lovely head but is still to come to it's best, just needs time to mature and break to be spot on. Good skull and well padded cheeks with broad muzzle to give great balance, lovely dark alert eyes, broad black nose with open nostrils, Excellent pigmentation with dark mask to show correct Boxer expression, nice deep chest for age, excellent front assembly with well laid shoulders and straight parallel front, strong bone, all finished off with small tight catlike feet with well arched toes, well covered ribs extending back to rear, short strong loin, well muscled hindquarters with well defined thighs, strong clean hocks which she used to drive her around the ring, showing excellent reach in front and strong drive from the rear on the move, Excellent topline and tailset. Presents an absolutely beautiful square profiled outline when both standing and on the move and puts me very much in mind of her famous sire. If she gets a fair go in the future should easily make the upper house, a stunning young girl, very pleased to award her SJB & BSEIS.

2. Pynegar's Berwynfa Oh La La, 13 mth old R/B, lovely clean head and skull with good cheeks and wide muzzle, excellent dark eyes with good broad black nose, good mouth and underjaw, nice round neck flowing into well laid shoulders, straight parallel forelegs, small tight catlike feet and good bone, nicely muscled body, good front with well muscled hind quarters, showed and moved well.

3. Law's Walkon Upper Class

**JUDGE:
STEVEN HARRISON**