

THE GRIFFON BRUXELLOIS BREEDERS ASSOCIATION

OPEN SHOW

14TH FEBRUARY 2010

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the Officers and Committee of the Griffon Bruxellois Breeders Association for inviting me to judge at there show, I would also like to thank all the exhibitors for such a super entry too. Also the kitchen team who as usual put on a feast with a wide range of choices of delicious hot meals and desserts.

I found the overall quality of the entry very good, heads have improved a lot being larger in size and having more of the essential features. I did however find that there where a lot of light eyes and pale noses lacking Pigmentation, it is a problem that needs attention.

VD/B (9,3a)

So nice to see so many of are more mature ladies and gentleman, who all seemed to be enjoying there day out.

1. Ogden's **CH. BEAUVIEW OUT OF THE CLOSET B/T/R** 8 Years Old, Who I Have Admired Since A Youngster And Has Been A Valuable Asset To The Breed Siring Many CC Winners, Champions And Helping The Black & Tan Gene Pool Out, He Has A Cracking Head Being Large In Comparison To Body, With Large Dark Round Eyes, Small Ears, Well Placed Large Nose Pad , Good Pigmentation, Excellent Turn- Up Of Chin To That True Monkey Like Expression , Good Front, Well Laid Back Shoulders, Square Outline, Cobby With Good Spring Of Rib, Level Topline, Well Muscled Hindquarters, Presented In Good Coat With Rich Tan Markings, Moved Well, **B.V.I.S.**

2. Barney's **CH. BROOMLEAF BEGUINE TO CILLEINE R/R** 11Years Old, Who I last Judged 16 Months Ago, Who Still Has All The Attributes I Liked Then, Lovely Head With Large Round Eyes, Small Ears, Well Placed Nose Pad , Excellent Turn- Up, Well Laid Back Shoulders, Square Outline, Cobby With Good Spring Of Rib, Level Topline, Good Front, Well Muscled Hindquarters, Presented In Good Coat For Her Age.

3. Posnett's **DREDA RED DRAGON R/S** 8 ½ Years Old, Large Round Eyes, Cheeky Monkey Like Expression, Good Nose Pad Tilting Back To Skull, Nice Mouth, Well Laid Back Shoulders, Good Front, Square Outline, Cobby With Good Spring Of Rib, Deep Brisket, Short Backed, , Well Muscled Hindquarters, Tight Feet, Enjoyed His Day Out.

MPD (1)

1.Swinge's **BALTHAZAR DEVIL IN DISGUISE R/R** 8 ½ Mths Old With The Most Outgoing Temperament, Lovely Large Masculine Head, Round Dark Eyes, Good Nose Pad, Straight Mouth With Good Width Of Jaw, Excellent Turn Up, Monkey Like Expression, Small Ears With Good Width Between, Well Arched Neck, Straight Front, Good Bone, Well Laid Back Shoulders, Well Sprung Ribs, Deep Brisket With Good Width Of Chest, Good Quarters, Short Backed, Low Hocks With Well Bent Stifles, Good Topline, Coat Of Harsh Texture And Good Colour, Sound Mover, **BPD & BPIS.**

PD (2,1a)

1.Thompson's **BEAUVIEW CAN'T BUY ME LOVE R/R** 9Mths Old, Very Outgoing Youngster With A Nice Head, Dark Round Alert Eyes, Large Nose Pad With Good Tilt To Skull, Cheeky Expression, Good Mouth With Wide Jaw, Good Turn Up With Prominent Chin, Good Layback Of Shoulders, Straight Front, Square Outline, Coat Of Good Texture And Colour, When Stood Tends To Loose His Topline When Misbehaving But When He Matures And Behaves Himself Better This Should Improve.

JD (2)

1. Ogden's **BEAUVIEW SHINE A LIGHT BT/S** Of 10 Mths Of Age, Beautiful Large Head With Large Round Dark Sparkly Eyes, Small Ears, Nice Mouth, Neat Lips, Well Placed Nose Pad With Defined Stop, Prominent Chin With Good Turn Up, Straight Front And Good Shoulders, Good Bone For Size, Tight Feet, Strong Neck, Level Topline, Well Muscled Hindquarters, Low Hocks, Moved Well With Drive, Coat In Shining Condition With Rich Tan Markings.

2. Raibin's **DELAMICCI RAVEN BT/S** 13Mths Old, Longer Cast Than 1 And Taller On The Leg, Still A Very Raw Youngster, Needs To Body Up Which I Am Sure Will Come With Maturity, Pretty Head Large In Comparison To Body, Large Dark Eyes, Large Nose Pad, Nice Mouth, Straight Front And Good Shoulders, Needs To Develop In Chest, Level Topline And Well Carried Tail, Enjoyed His Day Out, I Hear That Both Him And His Handler Are New To The Scene And With A Little More Training Should Have Fun In The Future.

YD (2, 1a)

1. Thompson's **TREMALOY SON OF A GUN R/R** Of 19 Mths, Large Head, Large Dark Eyes With Black Rimms, Good Nose Pad With Tilt Back To Skull, Excellent Mouth With Wide Jaw, Small Neat High Set Ears, Straight Front, Good Layback Of Shoulder, Well Sprung Ribs, Short Backed, Square And Well Bodied, Good Topline And Well Carried Tail, Low Hocks With Well Bent Stifles, Muscled Hindquarters, Well Presented Coat Of Excellent Texture And Colour, Moved Very Well With Drive, **RBD**.

PGD (3)

1. Swinge's **BALTHAZAR ROCK STAR R/R** 20 Mths Old, Nice Headed Dog With Good Features, Dark Eyes, Good Nose Pad With Nice Tilt To Skull, Good Mouth, Small Well Used Ears, Straight Front But Can Be A Little High Stepping At Times, Square Outline, Cobby Body, Good Ribs, Short Backed, Coat Of Good Texture And Well Presented, Moved OK, Never Stopping Showing.

2. Rundle's **SALORA HI FIDELITY BT/S** 21 Mths Old Of Great Quality, Super Head, Large Eyes, Good Nose Pad, Nice Mouth, Straight Front, Good Bone, Well Sprung Ribs, Good Brisket And Depth Of Chest, Cobby Body, Level Topline And Tail set, Well Muscled, Low Hocks, Thrown This Class Away As He Refused To Move And Make The Best Of Himself, I Gave Him Another Chance But He Did Not Take It, Hence The Placing.

3. Carpenter's **KLANSTED HARVEST MOON**

LD (6,3a)

1. Spittle & Hewitt's **RHODON CAPTAIN SCARLET R/S** 2 Years Old, Pleasing Head, Good Eyes And Nose Pad But Pigment Could Be Darker In Both, Nice Mouth, Good Turn Up, Good Length Of Neck, Well Laid Shoulders, Good Topline, Nice Ribs, Square Outline, Tight Jacket Of Good Colour, Moved Well, Short listed In The Challenge.

2. Gray's **ASTIROK A TALE TO TELL OF OKAMI R/R** 3 Years Old, Large Headed Dog With Dark Round Eyes, Well Placed Nose Pad, Good Mouth, Can Stand A Little Wide In Front, Square Outline, Cobby Body, Good Topline, Good Rear Action, Low Hocks, Moved OK, Good Harsh Coat Texture And Colour.

1. Spurr's **SANTARRA HIGHLANDER FOR SUTTONELMS**

OD (5, 3a)

1. Fletcher's **MILLBONE WILL SCARLET R/R** 3 ½ Years Old OF Fabulous Type, Super Head, Large Dark Clear Alert Eyes, Small Ears, Large Nose Pad With Excellent Tilt To Skull, True Monkey Like Expression, Best Mouth Of The Day Being Straight With Even Teeth And A Wide Strong Under Jaw, Excellent Front Demonstrating Great Reach, Good Depth OF Chest With Deep Brisket, Good Length Of Neck Flowing In To Well Laid Shoulders, Well Sprung Ribs, Square Outline, Cobby, Level Topline And Tail set, Well Muscled Hindquarters, Low Hocks, Excellent Rear Action With Drive, A True Mover, Excellent Clear Red Coat Colour, Just Coming Back In To Coat After Being Recently Stripped But Was Well Covered With A Thick Undercoat To Take Top Spot, **BD & RBIS**.

2. White's **CH. CILLEINE STRATHSPEY OVER WISTLEYHILL R/S** 6 Years Old Mature Dog, Typical Head, Eyes Large In Proportion To Skull But Would Prefer Them Darker, Good Nose Pad With Tilt To Skull, Nice Mouth And Under Jaw, Good Shoulders, Straight Front, Good Bone, Well Developed Chest With Deep Brisket, Square Outline, Level Topline And Tail set, Well Muscled Hindquarters, Moved Well.

MPB (4)

1. Stanton's **BALTHAZAR RUBY TUESDAY AT MIRA R/R** Of 8 ½ Mths, What A Stunning Little Puppy And Litter Sister To MPD, Showing Teeth At The Moment But Hopefully With Maturity And Her Adult Teeth This Will Right It's Self And If So She Will Trouble The Best, She Has A Beautiful Head, Nice Dark Round Clear Eyes, Excellent Nose Pad With Large Open Nostrils And Dark Pigment, Good Turn Up With Prominent Chin Giving True Monkey Like Expression, Tiny High Set Ears Which Where Well Used At All Times, Nice Ribs Good Chest and Brisket Which With Develop More With Maturity, True Front and Shoulders, Short Backed, Square Outline, Level Topline, Good Hindquarters, Low Hocks, Presented In A Good Harsh Coat Of A Good Colour, BPB , Never Stopped Showing.

2. Swinge's **BALTHAZAR ROXANNE R/R** Litter Sister To First And Similar To Her Sister In Type With Many Of The Same Attributes, Lovely Head, Dark Eyes, Good Nose Pad With Dark Pigment And Good Tilt Back To Skull, Monkey Like Expression, Small Ears Which She Used Well, Well Ribbed, Straight Front, Short Backed, Square Outline, Good Quarters, Low Hocks And Well Bent Stifles, She Had More Coat Than Her Sister Which Was Also Well Presented And Of A Good Texture And Colour, Her Sister Just Had A Little More Spark ON The Move To Edge The Class.

3. Rundle's **SALORA PAINTED ANGEL AT APPLGARTH**

PB (2)

1. Thompson's **BEAUVIEW JUST CAN'T HIDE IT R/S** 9Mths Old, Pretty Head, Large Eyes' Good Nose Pad With Tilt to Skull, Excellent Turn Up With Prominent Chin, Strong Under Jaw, Monkey Like Expression, Good Front, Well Laid Back Shoulders, Square Outline, Level Topline And Well Carried Tail, Good Quarters, Tight Jacket Of Good Colour, Moved Well.

2. Barney's **CICELY CONFIDANTE OF CILLEINE R/S** 9 ½ Mths, Nice Head With Pretty Expression But Could Be Bigger In Comparison To Body, Neat Ears, Dark Eyes, Good Pigmentation, Nice Mouth But Would Like A Little More Width Of Under Jaw, Good Ribs, Well Bodied, Nice Bone For Size, Good Topline, Tight Jacket Of Good Colour, Moved Well.

JB (4)

1. Thompson's **BEAUVIEW POSH NOSH R/R** 15Mths Old Of Fabulous Type And Quality, When Entering The Ring She Took My Breath Away, Glorious Head Which Is So

Balanced, Being Large And Rounded With Dark Round Eyes, Melting Expression, Big Nose Pad With Open Nostrils And Excellent Tilt To Skull, Darkest Of Pigmentation, Excellent Mouth With Wide Under Jaw And Prominent Chin Giving That True Monkey Like Expression, Tiny Neat Well Used Ears, Straight Front, Good Width Of Chest With Deep Brisket, Great Bone, Tight Feet, Good Length Of Neck Flowing In To Well Laid Shoulders, Well Sprung Ribs, Short Backed, Strong Thick Loin, Excellent Outline And Body Shape, Level Topline Which She Held On The Move And Standing, Well Muscled Hindquarters With Well Bent Stifles Showing Excellent Rear Angulation, Rich Red Coat Of Harsh Texture Which Was Immaculately Presented As Where All This Exhibitors Dogs To His Credit, A Sound And True Mover Which Was A Joy Too See, I Would Not Be Surprised If She Gained Her Title In The Very Near Future, A Stunning Bitch, **BB & BIS**.

2. Rose's **RHODON REGAL MAID R/S** 15 Mths Old, Pretty Head, Dark Eyes, Nice Mouth And Well Placed Nose Pad, Straight Front, Good Bone For Size, Nice Shoulders, Good Feet, Short Backed, Good Rear Action, Tight Jacket Of Good Colour, Moved Well, But On The Move She Lost Her Topline And This Spoilt Her Outline.

3. Payne's **CHECAR COZ I'M A STAR**

YB (6, 2a)

1. Ogden's **BEAUVIEW FLY THE FLAG BT/R** 17 Mths Old, Head Large To Body, Dark Round Eyes, Good Nose Placement With Tilt Back To Skull, Small High Set Ears, Good Turn Up With Prominent Chin, Good Neck And Layback Of Shoulders, Level Topline And Tail Set, Short Backed, Square And Cobby, Good Hindquarters And Rear Angulation, Excellent Harsh Coat With Rich Tan Marking, Moved Well.

2. Rundle's **APPLEGARTH MISS SAIGON R/R** Of 19Mths, Large Round Head, Dark Eyes, Neat Ears, Good Mouth With Width OF Jaw, Well Developed Chest And Deep Brisket, Cobby With Good Spring Of Rib, Nice Front, Good Topline, Good Quarters, Presented In Excellent Coat Of Good Texture And Colour, Moved Well, Towards The End Of The Class She Got A Little Bored And That Handed The Class To Her Rival.

3. White's **SANKOFA EUGENIE OF WISTLEYHILL**

PGB (9, 3a)

1. Thompson's **TREMALOY ONE OF THE TROOPS R/R** 19Mths And Litter Sister To Reserve Dog Winner, Large Head, Large Dark Eyes Good Nose Pad With Tilt Back To Skull, Excellent Mouth With Wide Jaw, Small Neat High Set Ears, Straight Front, Good Layback Of Shoulder, Well Sprung Ribs, Short Backed, Square And Well Bodied, Good Topline And Well Carried Tail, Low Hocks, Muscled Hindquarters, Well Presented Coat Of Excellent Texture And Colour, Moved Very Well With Drive, Would Not Settle With Her New Handler In The Challenge To Begin With, But Eventually Did To Take. RBB

2. Chandler's **MENWINNION MOLINA R/S** 2 ½ Years Old, An Old Fashioned Bitch With Lots To Like, Large Head With Dark Clear Eyes, Big Well Placed Nose Pad, Good Mouth With Wide Jaw And Muzzle, Well Constructed, Good Turn Up, Straight Front, Nice Shoulders, Good Topline, Good Quarters, Tight Jacket Would Prefer A Clear Coloured Coat, A Sound Mover.

3. Fletcher's **MILLBONE SCARLET CONTESS**

LB (9,4a)

1. Owen's **SANTARRA LILLIE LAMPLITE R/R** Very Typy With A Super Head, Large Dark Round Clear Eyes, Big Nose Pad With Open Nostrils And Good Tilt To Skull, Wide

Mouth And Strong Under Jaw, Good Turn Up, Pretty Expression, Well Laid Back Shoulders, Deep Brisket And Good Width Of Chest, Straight Front, Well Sprung Ribs, Cobby, Square Outline, Good Topline And Tail Set, Well Muscled Hindquarters, Well Presented Coat Of Good Texture And Colour Moved With Drive.

2. Willsmer's **GAYSTOCK JUST SO R/R** 3 Years Old, Lovely Large Round Headed Bitch With A True Monkey Expression, Large Eyes and Nose Pad, Nice Mouth, Small Ears, Well Laid Back Shoulders, Cobby Body, Good Ribs, Square Outline, Good Tail Set, Coat Of Good Texture & Well Presented, Moved Ok, She Was Let Down Today By Her Topline This Spoilt Her Outline, Hence The Placing.

3. Ogden's **BEAUVIEW BOUNCED CHEQUE**

OB (4,2a)

1. Ogden's **BEAUVIEW SPOT CHECK BT/S** 2 ½ Years Old, Nice Bitch With A Lovely Expressive Head, Well Used Ears, Well Placed Nose Pad, Nice Dark Eyes and Good Turn Up, Straight Mouth, Nice Shoulders, Good Topline, Nice Bone, Good Ribs And Short Loin, Excellent Outline With A Level Topline And Bang On Tail Set, Excellent Tight Coat With Rich Tan Markings, Good Front, Moved Well, Matured Nicely Since I Last Judged Her.

2. Payne's **CHECAR COZ I'M IRRESISTABLE BT/R** 3 Years Old, Nice Headed Bitch, Large Eyes And Nose Pad, Nice Mouth And Good Under Jaw, Good Turn Up, Straight Front, Chest Of Good Width , Well Sprung Ribs, Could Be A Little Shorter In The Back, Nice Shoulders, Good Bone, Well Muscled Hindquarters Coat Of Good Texture With Rich Tan Markings, But Not The Drive Of 1.

SPECIAL OPEN RED ROUGH D/B (6, 2a)

1. Stanton's **BALTHAZAR RUBY TUESDAY AT MIRA**

2. Corrigan's **BEAUVIEW DO NOT ASK R/R** 2 Years Old, , Large Beautiful Head, Dark Eyes, Small Ears, Well Placed Nose Pad , Excellent Turn Up Giving That True Monkey Like Expression, But Still Very Feminine, Darkest Pigmentation, Well Laid Shoulders, Square Outline, Cobby With Good Spring Of Rib, Deep Brisket, Great Topline, Short Backed, Good Front, Tight Cat Like Feet, Well Presented Coat, Moved Well, I Would Prefer A Little More Drive In The Rear.

3. Willsmer's **GAYSTOCK JUST SO**

SPECIAL OPEN RED SMOOTH D/B (5, 1a)

1. Chandler's **MENWINNION MOLINA**

2. Posnett's **DREDA RED DRAGON**

3. Rose's **JAYDEAN MISS TEAK**

SPECIAL OPEN BLACK D/B (3, 2a)

1. Suggitt's **APTRICK GILTHONIEL** 15Mths Of Age, Rough Bitch, Very Nice Head, Good Turn Up, Dark Eyes, Well Used Small Ears, Nice Front, Good Bone For Size, Good Length Of Neck, Alert Expression, Cobby, Square Outline, Could Be Shorter In The Back, Jet Black Coat Of Harsh Texture But Needs A Little Tidying Up, Never Stopped Showing, Moved Well.

SPECIAL OPEN BLACK & TAN D/B (2)

1. Thompson's **BEAUVIEW TROOP THE COLOUR** Rough Male Of Almost 4 Years Old With The Most Striking Old Fashioned Head And In My Opinion The Best Outline In The Breed Today, He Has Large Round Eyes, Great Turn UP And Prominent Chin Giving A Real Monkey Like Expression, Good Large Nose Pad Tilting Back To Skull, Nice Mouth, Good Pigmentation, Good Length Of Neck Flowing In To Well Laid Shoulders, Well Muscled Hindquarters With Well Bent Stifles, Good Ribs And Short Loin, Excellent Outline With A Level Topline And Bang On Tail Set, Excellent Bone And Tight Cat Like Feet, A Little Wide In Front, Coat Of The Harsheset Texture With Rich Tan Markings And Immaculately Presented, In The Challenge He Was Badly Let Down By His Rear Action As He Lacked Drive.

2. Raibin's **DELAMICCI RAVEN**

SPECIAL BEGINNERS D/B (5, 1a)

1. Stanton's **BALTHAZAR RUBY TUESDAY AT MIRA**

2. Gray's **ASTIROK A TALE TO TELL OF OKAMI**

3. Carpenter's **KLANSTED HARVEST MOON**

Judge

Steven Harrison