NORTH OF ENGLAND DOBERMANN CLUB 26/06/21

A massive thank you to the committee for my invitation to be able to award both sets of CC's, I thoroughly enjoyed the day (we finally got there), it was lovely to see so many old friends and make some new ones. A special thanks also to my stewards John and Sylvia who steered me through the current protocols and just as importantly brought the sweets, some of the youngsters were not over keen on (well who does like the hand sanitizer). Thank you for all the exhibitors who gave me the opportunity braving the current restrictions and allowing me to judge your lovely Dobermann's.

Having been away from the breed for a number of years it was good to come back and see what I have missed along with to have a look first hand at what direction the breed is heading? Some changes have taken place within the breed, (I have judged a number of occasions since docking of tails has stopped, this took me a while to get used to, although I am getting there on that issue) I found some good traits and some not so much. I found that the size of a some plus a lack of elegance was evident in a number of exhibits the breed standard states substantial yet elegant' we must bear this in mind moving forward. Generally, the females were more to type whilst some of the males were very varied. Overall, I was pleased with temperaments which have really improved which was good to see along with a good bone density, the depth and spring of ribcage and dentition & bite were generally good. Over angulation also seems a bit of an issue with some exhibits. The weather conditions coupled with the long layoff due to the restrictions set upon us led to a number of exhibits not showing the propulsive rear drive I was looking for although most were sound enough in that department.

Puppy Dog

- 1) Robertson's Cockneyoka Dire Straits 9 months very promising baby, lovely balanced head, nice depth of muzzle, eyes and ears with nice expression, well arched neck, smart in appearance displaying a nice shape, good top-line, correct upper arm & good lay of shoulder, good front and fore-chest, with nice cat like tight feet, correct rear angulation with a good turn of stifle, retained his shape on the move, BPD
- 2) Santoriello's Rafthouse Amulets Child, B&T, slightly taller than 1st, nice rich tan markings, pushed hard for 1st came down to splitting hairs, well-muscled, good front, nice head, well placed shoulders, gently sloping topline, smart appearance, he moved like youngster enjoying his day out
- 3) Edyveane's Jojavik Snowpiercer

Junior Dog

1) Jones & Ushakova's Korifey Vanquish 13 ½ months, quite mature for his age B&T Good head, excellent dark eye, flowing clean neck into a good lay-back of shoulder, good strong front & forechest, tight catlike feet, good top-line & tailset, strong rear, well-muscled quarters. Also won ND.

Yearling Dog

1) Korifey Emporer, 14 months old, a tall brown male with a lovely rich colour, smart outline with good front assembly & forechest, tight catlike feet, nice depth of brisket, well placed shoulders, moved well

Novice Dog

- 1) Jones & Ushakova's Korifey Vanquish (also won Novice)
- 2) Santoriello's Rafthouse Amulets Child, B&T (2nd in PD)
- 3) Dickson's Cockneyoka Status Quo at Dafam

Post Graduate Dog

- 1) Evans & Bloore's Amazon Alcumlow Love is Life Smart looking brown male rich in colour, with nice head and expression, well arched neck leading to correct shoulder placement, Good strong front with tight feet, lovely topline and tail set, with good rear angulation, topped off with lovely round bone.
- 2) Wedgebury's Manzart War Emblem Black & Tan boy with good head, neck & shoulders good topline, not quite as much depth as 1st. still a very good exhibit, as with many classes a
- 3) Robinson's Korifey Ivan

Limit Dog

- 1) Grace's Nerak Wot a Dream, very smart brown & tan standard sized male, well placed shoulders adding to a lovely clean outline, super topline & tailset, good sound front with good forechest, good front & rear angulation. Moved with purpose. Well presented
- 2) Lyon's Newford's Xrated, smart black & tan male, nice head, eye, nice neck, good front & forechest, good shoulder placement, clean outline, not quite as compact as 1st
- 3) Kilgar's Manrio del Dionsysois

Open Dog

- 1) Evans & Butlers Amazon Pure Russian JW, Masculine 2yrs old B&T powerful male with good head, nice expression well arched neck, front assembly well balanced with good round bone & depth, deep forechest providing good heart room, good outline, with good topline & tailset, nicely angled front & rear, this male was sound on the move, well handled CC BOS
- 2) Lyon's Supeta's Witchkraft, lovely square B & T male, sound in front with ample bone, good head and expression, well angled front & back, lovely clean outline.
- 3) Laffard & Groves Lateagain Satisfaction

Champion Dog

1) Reid's CH Korifey Brave JW (AI) Super 5 ½ year old male with a lovely rich tan markings, good head, neck and eyes, good shoulders & neck giving a good topline & tailset, presented a clean outline Res CC

Veteran Dog

1) Gregson's Amazon Blackpark Louis Vuitton – Great to see some of the older statesman, 8 years old Black & Tan still enjoying the day out, good head, and expression, clean silhouette, strong front a well put together specimen, moved with purpose BVD

Minor Puppy Bitch

1) Hutchinson & Mycrofts Supeta's Diamonds Rforever with Debison 8 months old promising feminine Black & Tan youngster, another youngster enjoying her day out, lovely head, eye, plenty of expression, great shoulders, nice spring of rib with good of depth of brisket, sound front with tight feet, soundly put together, pleasing outline, well handled

Puppy Bitch

- 1) Turell's Jojavik Midnight Mistress 11months old Black & Tan B, lovely clean outline, excellent feminine head and expression, nicely arched neck, stood 4 square, presenting a superb topline, good head & neck well placed shoulders, good front and rear angulation another promising youngster BPB
- 2) Hunts Jojavik Express Yourself at Virsco, 10 months B&T B, another well constructed specimen, good front and back angulation pleasing head, sound in front, maybe not as advanced at this stage as 1st but still shows promise.
- 3) Merretts Grafmax Titania

Junior Bitch

- 1) Graham & Mycrofts Supeta's Brown Eyed Girl at Sharhyste (taf) Lovely Brown B, rich in colour, Elegant, well-constructed & balanced in appearance, good bone, sound in front moved with drive on such a warm day
- 2) Weatherall's Kodam Painted Lady, 16 months old sound B&T B, good head, eye and ears, well arched neck, flowing in to well placed shoulders enabling a lovely topline, good depth of brisket
- 3) Webb's Shalissa's Secs on the Beach BIH, Jnr CH

Yearling Bitch

- 1) Bradbury's Jodaseen Bootylicious 21 months very smart in appearance, presenting a lovely outline with good topline & Tailset, good wedge-shaped head, with expression, plenty of forechest, nice and deep brisket, sound fore & aft allowing a flowing movement
- 2) Brough's Sharhyste Maid in The Purple for Aniiraz, Another smart B&T B good front, with a nice head, eye & neck good shoulder placement, well constructed, deep brisket, nice spring of rib plenty of forechest
- 3) Barber's Alcumlow So You Win Again,

- 1) Nicol's Sharhyste Lady Winterfell at Evenjays Pretty 2 yr old B&T B good blunt wedged head, eye shape, clean arched neck, sound front, smart outline with good depth, and angulation fore and aft enabling her to move freely
- 2) Murray & McCall's Grafmax Titania, 16 months good wedge-shaped head, nice shaped eye, good topline & tailset, good front and chest,
- 3) Supeta's Diamonds Rforever with Debison

Graduate Bitch

- 1) Evan's Amazon Show Me Heaven, Lovely Bitch, sound in front with nice straight pasterns and tight feet, pleasing topline and depth, lovely head & expression good shoulder placement, moved with purpose once she settled down
- 2) Diego's Debbie Harry good head & expression, well constructed B moved and showed well in the heat
- 3) Gregson's Amazons Aronista Amore

Post Graduate Bitch

- 1) Kings Nerak Rewrite The Stars Lovely wedge head with almond eyes, uses her ears well, proper feminine 2 year old well balanced exhibit well developed forechest, elegant without being overdone in any way, adequate depth of brisket will improve even more with maturity, super angulation for & aft shows a lovely silhouette with lovely neck, topline & tailset. With a good spring of rib. A well-balanced exhibit, will take some stopping with a little more maturity RCC
- 2) Branan's Supeta's Whole Lotta Rosie with Sharhyste JW, another super exhibit pushed hard for 1st, well constructed throughout, nice rich brown colour, lovely head and eye, compact body shape proportionate throughout, good shoulders and angulation, well muscled
- 3) Bishop's Koprifey Osksana

Limit Bitch

- 1) Sanderson's Jodaseen Cardinal Envy outstanding exhibit presenting a super picture, strong powerful girl up to full size, particularly powerful in front, good head planes, lovely tan markings
- being ultra picky would prefer a spot more width to the second thigh,
- 2) Jones Cara Iz Zoosferry for Korifey JW (IMP) smaller B than 1st, again excellent quality exhibit although not got the overall power of 1st place winner
- 3) Jojavik Modesty Blaise

Open Bitch

- 1) Mycroft's Supeta's Put A Spell On You 2 ½ year old Black & Tan very smart in appearance Well put together Good head, eye & expression, nice neck & shoulders sound exhibit overall,
- 2) King's Neraks Pocket Full of Dreams JW, pushed 1st all the way, nice head shape, good layback of shoulder, deep well sprung ribs carried herself well on the move
- 3) Lateagain Gold Dust

Champion Bitch

- 1) Barber's Ch Amazon Chanel for Alcumlow, Eye catching whilst not exaggerated in any way, smart 4 yr old B&T bitch caught my eye straight away, superb outline elegant with the correct amount of substance, well balanced with great top line & tailset stands 4 square, good head with alert expression, sound in front with ample bone, well filled croup good spring of rib, ample depth of brisket, super angulation F & A showed her socks off well done BCC, BIS
- 2) Ingram & Hendersons CH Jojavik Poison Ivy what a class this was, another high-quality exhibit, splitting hairs for 1st place, slightly taller than 1st, super outline, presenting a lovely picture, very good depth of brisket, well sprung ribs, hocks are strong and well let down, lovely bone, felt she rushed on the move overbalancing her, another superb specimen

Veteran Bitch

- 1) CH Remesca's Reet Petite ShCM lovely 8 ½ years old Brown bitch, again very smart in appearance, excellent topline & tailset, ample depth of brisket with a good forechest, moved well in the heat well done BVB
- 2) Mycroft's Supeta's Spells Trouble JW ShCM very nice 8 ½ years old lovely head and expression nice rich markings a well put together exhibit, Well handled