

## **Midland Boxer Club Open Show 31/07/16, Judge - Gill Henderson (Taranut)**

My first Breed Club open show appointment and I would like to thank the committee for their hospitality, my stewards for running the ring smoothly and the exhibitors who gave me such a superb entry and some very difficult decisions.

VD 1(0) 1.Higgs Reid & Bunyan McWatt He's Charming R&W square dog, deep through chest with well sprung ribs. Powerful quarters, short hocks. Good head proportions, clean skull, large dark eyes. Few teeth left but jaw is straight.

MPD 4(0) 1.Johnson & Martin Farvalley Shoshone via Sonshoby B&W Good square shape with correct substance and the most mature in this class. Deep through chest with good spring of rib, strong loin. Good angulation behind, good tailset. Steady mover. 2.Brown & Hutchings Winuwuk Chance Encounter B&W Much less mature in his development than 1 Good square dog with plenty of elegance. Good topline and nicely angulated quarters. Head still to come but nicely proportioned with large dark eye and intelligent expression, wide straight mouth.

PD 3(1) 1.Griffith's Sandcliffe Cruising at Lanfrese R&W Super smart square young dog well developed in his frame and well muscled. Elegant neck well used, good layback of shoulder, prominent wither, correct sloping topline leading to super tailset. Correct angulation behind and strong second thigh, short hocks. Easy, loping uphill gait. Superb black mask and dark eye, very pleasing head of good proportions, lovely clean skull and excellent lip placement BPD & BD 2.Roberts Montao Glo from Newlaithe R&W much bigger dog than 1 and much less mature. Hasn't quite got full control of himself yet and paced on the move. Large dark eye, wide nostrils. Mouth very wide and straight with large teeth.

JD 3(0) Djuric Minstrel of Galaxy. smart square B&W with sloping topline, strong through back & loin. Good muscletone. Nice dark eyes, clean skull but could do with more muzzle. 2. Hyde Stothard Pure Didley Dokely B&W Presented a nice shape in profile but would like more substance, good neck, topline and nice short hocks. Would prefer a cleaner skull.

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PGD 5(0) Murfin Renshaw & Turner Farvalley Dark Knight B&W another smart square dog, well angulated fore and aft, good neck and topline, head a bit strong on top. 2. Elsworth Misstricks Stand and Deliver B&W. Similar stamp of dog to 1. Deep shoulder, short strong topline, clean skull but lacking upsweep of chin.

LD 3(0) Crooks Maranseen Review N Respect for Uftonponds B&W large sized dog but in proportion. Deep front, good spring of rib, Elegant height of foreleg. Quite clean head with good stop, dark eyes, clean cheeks, very tight bite 2. Palmer Billy Buck Blue via Palerty B&W, Well proportioned dog with deep front, tight feet, good 2nd thigh. Nice topline and good neck. Well proportioned head with wide underjaw and good eye colour.

OD 3(0) Brown & Hutchings Winuwuk Mario Balotelli B&W Strong quality bone, tight feet and short pasterns. sweeping underline but a little long in loin. Really lit up on the move. Parallel front. Well proportioned head which has good rise and is clean on top. Dark eyes, large open nose and good lip placement RBD 2. Godwin Sultash Frankel B&W Well proportioned, square dog, full up on his toes. Excellent neck topline and tailset. Clean head with beautiful dark eyes, wide underjaw and excellent chin and lip placement, didn't want to play the game on the move today.

VB 2(0) Wragg Harmaur Trade Issue B&W in super condition, still holding her shape. Super neck sloping topline and good quarters Excellent parallel front Clean skull well defined stop and good chin, lovely soft expression 2. Jones Kevanor Precedence another lovely bitch looking super for her age. Square bitch with good angulation and a very good front. Dark attractive eyes, well balanced head with visible chin.

MPB 7(0) 1. Huggins Melikki Wild Honey for Daervlish B&W Lovely neck, well set on to well laid shoulders with defined wither. Good movement on this baby. Beautiful head, very clean dry skull with super rise. Absolutely beautiful large dark eyes with alert expression 2. Godwin & Cartwright Tyegarh Negrone B&W Beautiful square bitch, very elegant and feminine, short loin, beautiful expression from dark eyes, wide underjaw, slightly less ready in head than 1 at the moment, a tough class.

PB 4(0) Griffith's Lanfrese Chin Chin, stunning young bitch with a superb outline. Very elegant neck, well used. Short sloping topline and correct tailset. Excellent layback of shoulder, short pasterns and hocks, tight cat feet. Lovely head proportions, correct lip placement, large straight teeth. Dark, intelligent eyes with a hint of naughtiness. Showed her socks off from beginning to end BP & BOB 2. Crooks Uftonponds Making Waves B&W Less elegance and more substance than 1 but also a very well made bitch with a very pleasing outline. Good tight feet and strong pasterns. Appealing head with large dark eyes, good stop, slightly top over bottom lip, tight bite.

JB 7(0) McCarthy & Gethings Sunvalley Heart on Fire at Jeddhi B&W Very elegant bitch with good height of foreleg, good shoulder layback, prominent wither and sloping topline to correct tailset. Well proportioned head with clean skull, well defined stop, dark eyes, good visible chin and large teeth RBB & RBIS 2. Cherry Misstricks Spellcaster for Cherryforge. Slightly heavier built bitch than 1 but very smart and up on her toes. Good neck, withers and topline, strong quarters. Well proportioned head, nice wide mouth.

NB 4(1) Brown & Hutchings Celia Cruz at Winuwuk R&W Impressive, strong bitch with good height of foreleg, well made quarters, a bitch in superb hard condition. Broad strong back, wide hips. Nicely proportioned head, clean cheeks and nice eyes. 2. Phillips Cilemm Queen Isabella at Mejeric B&W Short compact bitch well off for bone. Really not enjoying herself today. Clean skull, good stop. straight teeth.

PGB 7(0) 1. Cook & Postance Manic Heart of Glass Such a smart attractive bitch, totally balanced between substance and elegance. Lovely neck into super layback of shoulder and parallel front, short loin and good quarters. Very appealing clean head and dark eyes, pushed hard for RBB 2. Huxley's Seacrest Beryl the Peril at Blixen B&W not really on her toes today but nevertheless a very smart, well made bitch, excellent front construction, short strong topline and loin, well muscled quarters. Very pleasing head of good proportions with correct chin and straight teeth

LB 3(2) Godwin's Lanfrese Cassini at Sultash B&W Very elegant showy bitch with well used neck, short strong topline, well angulated quarters. Well proportioned head with defined stop and clean skull.

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