

THE GRC of WA club show 2018

It was with great honour I accepted to judge the 45th anniversary show in WA.

I had the pleasure to judge this particular show 25 years ago so I was really looking forward to coming back. During the years I have been fortunate to have several different invitations to judge in Australia and every time I have been impressed by how you managed to keep the correct balance and type combined with substance and strong movement. I realize you are limited for stud dogs so my hat off for your excellent work.

I admire your fabulous showground and the weather was first class so the outdoors rings on grass with the sun shining made the day perfect. I would like to thank the exhibitors for their entries and for accepting my decisions so sportingly. There are no perfect dogs as we all know but we all try hard to breed better and better dogs without being kennelblind. Many thanks also to my excellent stewards who made my judging very smooth. I thoroughly enjoyed my day!

In my mind as a judge you always have to look for the good points of the exhibits and try to find the dogs closest to the breed standard. My winners had what I was looking for and I am sure they could win anywhere in the world.

Junior dog.

1, Fantango Cant Buy Me Love - striking youngster with a bright future, has all the essentials that will bring him to the top, loved his overall balance, length of leg and super outline, the most appealing head & expression, flowing neck into well laid shoulders, dead straight front legs with lovely bone, excellent ribs and deep through the heart, short loin, the best of toplines, correct tailset, strong rear and well let down hocks, beautiful correct and well groomed coat, pressed hard for the top spot, just needs a bit more stride when moving,

Reserve dog Challenge and Runner Up Best exhibit

2, **Aust Ch Happybear A New Beginning**, happy showman who was well handled, mature junior with many good points, masculine head that could be better balanced for my taste, nice neck and front, excellent bone and feet, sound construction throughout, good spring of rib, lovely topline standing, excellent stifles, coat open and not perfect today, needs to tighten on the move and settle in front movement, excellent side gait

3, **Fantango Man in the Mirror**, excellent type, not as mature as 1 & 2 but his day will come as the outline was lovely, pleasing head, nice neck, adequate shoulders, nice bone and feet, good body for age, would prefer a better tailset, well angulated rear, moved well and nice coat

Intermediate dog

1, **Conarhu Meant To Be Bwana**, Powerful upstanding dog who showed his socks off, strong but well balanced head, good neck and front, excellent bone and feet, mature body with plenty of heartroom, level topline when standing, very strong rear, needs to tighten on the move, lovely coat, well handled & presented

2, **Ch Ralun New Look**, lovely young dog who needs a bit more time for top honours, attractive head and expression, excellent neck flowing into well laid shoulders, lovely bone and feet, good substance, strong level topline, a bit proud of his tail, lovely rear with excellent second thigh, moved with stride, shown in beautiful coat,

3, **Bluebreeze Scotlands Guardiann**, nice head, good neck but would prefer more forechest and better layback of shoulders, time is on his side as he needs more spring of rib, topline is a bit sloping, nice rear angulations, moves well, shown in good coat,

State Bred Dog

1, **Waterly Standing Ovation**, well presented young male with plenty of substance, strong head that could be slightly better balanced, nice neck and shoulders, straight front legs, nice feet, excellent ribs, level topline when standing, good stifles, moves Ok but could be in harder condition, beautiful coat,

Australian Bred Dog

1, **Ch Ralun Extraordinaire**, attractive dog with many good points, particularly liked his overall balance , topline and movement, pleasing head & expression, very good neck and shoulders, good bone and feet, mature body with good depth, perfect level back, strong quarters, good coat and well presented

2, **Ch Fantango Westside Story**, very showy and well handled in good condition, strong masculine head, nice neck and adequate shoulders, good bone and feet, well developed body, a bit long in loin and somewhat proud of his tail, excellent rear, moves well, beautiful coat in tip top condition,

3, **Piarki Rocher**, beautiful head, nice neck, would prefer more front angulation, very good bone & feet, needs more time and maturity in body, good topline and stifles, moves Ok but a bit close behind, nice coat,

Open dog.

1, **Ch Giltedge Do You Like Apples**, very impressive mature male in excellent condition, well balanced throughout and shown in very good coat of correct texture. Masculine head, kind expression, very good neck and forehead construction, good timber, full of substance but still elegant, very strong and level topline, powerful rear, short hocks, moved with drive and style, front movement could be firmer, professionally handled and presented

Dog challenge and BOB

2, **Dobro Distinction at Aneiraby**, nice outline on this a bit leggy boy, he needs more time to fill out his frame and get more substance, nice head but would prefer a stronger muzzle, good neck, adequate front assembly, a bit narrow in front, nice bone, excellent topline and rear angulations, moves well, nice coat

3. **Ch Piarki Cleaver CCD RA**, male with plenty of substance but lacking elegance and style, nice head & expression, adequate neck and shoulder angulation, very good bone and feet, excellent spring of rib and level topline, enough bend of stifle, looks heavy on the move and a but close behind, lovely coat condition,

Veteran Dog,

1, **Ch Goldew Southern Son**, high quality veteran of lovely type in excellent condition, well balanced head, very good neck, front and bone, pleasing front construction, level topline and good tailset, strong rear, good second thigh, short hocks, a bit heavy on the move but moves with drive, lovely coat condition, well presented,

Baby Puppy Bitch

1, **Aneiraby Ninianes Charm**, Pleasing puppy with many good points, attractive head, nice neck and front, lovely bone, good substance for age, level topline standing, strong rear with good stifles, movement was good, excellent coat quality, good luck for the future

2, **Wysiwyg I was Made For Loving**, sweet baby with a feminine head, would like more stop at this age, nice neck, upright in shoulders and need more forechest, good bone and feet, could do with more substance, topline not very good today, nice rear angulations, happy mover and nice coat

Minor Bitch

1, **Alubyc Colours of My Life**, puppy of lovely type, nice head and expression, good neck, adequate front construction, well off for bone, good spring of rib, would prefer a stronger topline, nice rear, good coat texture, moves OK but could have more elegance when moving,

Puppy Bitch

1, **Happybear The Cat Whiskers**, sound construction with a lovely outline, lovely head, attractive eyes, excellent neck flowing into well laid shoulders, very good front, bone and feet, short coupled, good ribs, excellent topline on the stack, powerful rear with excellent stifles, not in full coat, moves with plenty of drive but topline not her fortune on the move,

2, **Wysiwyg Thru Tgoldn Looknglass**, nice head and expression, excellent pigment, good neck but needs a better layback of shoulders and more forechest, straight front legs, nice feet, lacking somewhat in depth of body, topline not perfect today, could do with better hind angulations, lovely movement and nice coat

3, **Blazedngold Lace and Whiskey**, most attractive head & expression, very good neck, would prefer a better front assembly, still a bit narrow in front, lovely bone, need more spring of rib and a better topline on the move, strong rear and moves out very well, good coat

Junior Bitch

1, **Giltedge You Watching Me**, quality junior with perfect substance, lovely head & expression, would prefer a better set of neck, Ok front angulation, lovely bone and feet, good body and dead level topline, excellent stifles and short hocks, moves with drive, well presented in good coat

2, **Ralun Paradise**, pleasing head & expression, lovely neck but need a better layback of shoulder, very good bone and feet, correct substance for age, level topline and strong rear, moves well and is shown in good coat, time is on her side

3, **Alubyc Scarlett Ribbons**, feminine head, good neck, front and bone, need better layback of shoulders, well developed body, topline could be firmer, nice rear, lovely coat, could move with more style

4, **Conarhu Poetry in Motion**, lovely head, very good neck but upright in shoulder, a little East/west in front, nice body, good topline standing, good rear, not in her best coat, moves Ok

Intermediate Bitch

1, **Ralun Nerita**, glamorous girl with an appealing outline and very elegant but still with correct substance, beautiful head and expressions, lovely neck, good front assembly, nice bone and feet, excellent ribcage, dead level topline, powerful back, moves with drive and style, nice coat and well handled, will easily go to the top when fully mature

2, **Conarhu African Princess**, attractive female who appeals for her balance, most lovely head, good neck, nice front angulations, well off for bone, short coupled with excellent spring of rib, good topline standing, strong rear, moves with drive but topline not perfect on the move, not in the best coat

3, **Shtar Where Bluebirds Fly**, sweet girl with a pleasing head & expression, nice neck, a bit upright in shoulders, very good bone, excellent body and level topline, strong rear, nice coat, could have more drive and style when moving,

4, **Nugold Charli**, strong but still feminine head, adequate neck and shoulder, nice bone, good ribs but shown too heavy which spoils the outline, would like a stronger topline and backend, moves Ok

State Bred Bitch

1, **Ralun Made in Gold**, a lass from the top drawer who I liked very much and pressed hard for top honours, her overall balance and style is most attractive, beautiful head & expressions, lovely neck and good front assembly, well off for bone, perfect substance, strong topline, lovely backend, moves with drive, shown in lovely coat and never stops wagging her tail, well handled,

2, **Ambermist Serenade**, quality bitch but shown too heavy which spoils the outline, lovely head and expression, very good neck but needs a better layback of shoulder, super bone and feet, excellent substance and dead level topline, well angulated rear but narrow from behind, lovely gold coat, true mover but looks somewhat heavy on the move

3, **Ralun Fashion in Style**, a most attractive female with a superb construction, beautiful head & expression, lovely flowing neck into well laid shoulders, good front, bone and feet, excellent substance, strong well angulated rear, nice coat, true mover but her topline on the move spoils the overall balance

4, **Purengold Summer Sky**, nice head but a bit round in eye, short of neck and I would like a better front assembly, nice bone, excellent spring of rib, good topline when standing, needs a stronger backend and could move with more drive

Australian Bred Bitch

1, **Ch Ralun Lasting Touch**, amazing construction with the most elegant outline, pleasing attractive head and expression, exquisite neck and the best of front constructions, good bone and feet, very good body, a bit long in loin, superb dead level topline, fantastic quarters which she used well on the move, moves with an attractive drive & style, not in her best coat, well presented,

Reserve Bitch Challenge

2, **Ch Parkridge Its All About Me**, lovely head and expression, good neck, adequate front construction, nice bone and feet, excellent ribs and topline, strong rear, moves well, not in her best coat due to recent maternity leave

3, **Ch Aneiraby Its Electrifying**, well balanced feminine head, good neck, front and bone, good substance, strong topline, good stifles but needs to strengthen up in hindquarters, moves ok, not in her best coat

Open Bitch

1, **Ch Giltedge Roll Out The Red Carpet**, what an attractive and well balanced female she is, well chiseled head, nice expression, lovely neck flowing into well laid shoulders, excellent forechest, lovely bone and feet, short coupled, mature body with good depth of brisket, level topline, powerful backend, short hocks, moves with excellent drive but could be in slightly harder condition, shown in beautiful coat, well handled and presented

Bitch Challenge

2, **Ch Aneiraby Ohm Cant Resist**, feminine head, good neck and adequate layback of shoulder, nice bone, excellent substance and topline, well angulated rear, a bit high on hock, moves well, shown in good coat

Veteran Bitch

1, **Ch Aneiraby Diamantina Starr**, lovely veteran of 9 years, pleasing head and expression, nice neck and front, good bone, perfect substance, level topline, strong rear, moves well, coat a bit open and not in the best condition, looks really well for her age

Neuter Dog,

1, **Neut Ch Ambermist Rag Trade**, Solid dog with plenty of substance lacking elegance, masculine head, would prefer more neck, excellent bone, good substance, strong rear, looks heavy on the move, plenty of coat

Neuter Bitch

1, **Ch Ralun A Touch of Silk**, what can I say about this amazing girl except that she epitomizes the breed standard, what a pity this class doesn't compete for the challenge, the most attractive head and expression, expressive eyes, beautiful neck flowing into a lovely front assembly, very good bone and feet, super mature body and strong topline, lovely well angulated quarters, sound and stylish mover shown in super coat and condition. A credit to her owner

Henric Fryckstrand, Dewmist kennel, Sweden.