Limit Show 24th February 2019 DAWN RAYNSFORD (RAYNSTAFF)

Thank you to the Downlands committee for inviting me to judge their limit show. Well done to the committee for a lovely day and on their 1st back to back shows, hopefully the 1st of many.  I would also like to thank John Joyce for the smooth running of the ring and Joe Samby for all his help. Most of all thank you all to all the exhibitors for allowing me to assess your dogs. It was lovely to see so many fit dogs – you can see the hard work the owners put into them. The sun was shining and there was a great atmosphere, I hope everyone enjoyed the day as much as me.

VETERAN DOG 2 (2a)

MINOR PUPPY DOG 3 1st Hammond’s, JOEMIKESTE EYE OF THE STORM, White Pied with red, 8 month old with great ring presence! Lovely head shape with good length of muzzle, good pigment, lovely expression, on his toes at all times, nice tidy feet, straight front, good depth of brisket with good spring of rib, good hind quarters, muscles developing well for age, moved and handled well. Moved well in the challenge and awarded Best Puppy Dog 2nd Breckell’s, CHISWELSTAFF DEJA VU, Black brindle with slight white chest, 8 months old, slightly bigger than 1st, nice head shape with good broad skull, nice dark eyes, good length of muzzle, correct ear carriage, already developing a nice powerful neck, stifles well bent, well padded feet, moved ok once settled.  3rd Wise’s, MONTGOMERY GUARD, Black bindle, 7 month old, another nice boy, nice dark eyes, well padded feet, correct bend of stifles, good hind quarters, good back end, another youngster who was unsettled on the move.

PUPPY DOG 2  1st Cook’s, AARUKABULLS CRACKER LAD, 9 month old, White pied, powerful looking young lad, correct pigment creating nice dark eyes and the darkest of noses, good head shape with pronounced cheeks giving him a lovely expression, stood four square with good front, correct bend of stifles, well padded feet, nice white nails, well muscled, moved carrying a level topline 2nd Wise’s, MONTGOMERY GUARD, see 3rdpuppy

JUNIOR DOG 6 (2a)  1st Funnel’s, POWERPACK KILGOBNE, Black Brindle, 15 month old, what a smart looking dog, I couldn’t keep my eyes off him! Nothing overdone, lovely head shape with nice dark eyes that look straight ahead creating a pleasing expression, good nostrils, correct bite, well-padded feet, stood four square, correct depth of brisket with well laid back shoulders, nice tuck up, good length of back following to a correct set tail, well-muscled back quarters with a good bend of stifle, shown in excellent condition and moved well holding a level topline awarding BIS  2nd Johnson’s, ELLCHANSHA HOTSHOT, Black brindle, 12 month old, another lovely boy unlucky to meet winner, very similar in type, a shade shorter than 1st, lovely expression with nice dark eyes and correct rose ears, good length of muzzle, correct stop, good bite, well-padded feet, enough brisket, good length of back with nice tuck up, good topline leading to well set tail, moved well holding topline, look forward to watching this boy develop.  3rd Gough’s, MANARK MADE TO MEASURE, Red, 15 month old, lovely head shape with nice dark eyes, good length of muzzle with correct stop, good front, correct depth of brisket, nice small tight feet, good tail set, shown in fit condition, shame he played his handler up on the move 4th Rose, ENGLANDIAN GRAN TORINO

MAIDEN DOG 0  NOVICE DOG 1 (1a)

POST GRAD DOG 2 (1a) 1st Mitchell & Ashton’s, OUR LITTLE CRACKER, Blue, top sized dog, great expression with good head shape, good length of muzzle housing a correct bite, nice ears, level topline, good bend of stifles, well-muscled hind quarters, moved well holding his topline, handled well and presented in superb condition

LIMIT DOG 1 1st Shipp & Hammond’s, HAMMYSTAFF HANKY PANKY WITH IDYLLISTAFF JW, Red with slight white chest, nice clean head with enough muzzle, correct bite, dark eyes, nice ears, good straight front with feet correctly turnt out and nice black nails, plenty of bone, lovely muscled hind quarters, well-padded feet, good short coat, correct set tail, level topline which showed on the move and stacked, moved well, shown in lovely condition awarded RBD

OPEN DOG 1 1st Hopkins’, TRUFFLESTAFF PAPINASHUASH JW, Black brindle, broad skull with dark eyes, good ears, enough muzzle, good mouth, correct front, good brisket, well let down hocks, correct bend of stifles, level topline that was held on the move, correctly set tail, good muscle tone

VETERAN BITCH 0

MINOR PUPPY BITCH 1 1st Canavan’s, BOLDSTOCK WHOS BOVERED NOW, Black brindle just 6 months old, she has a lovely head shape with good length of muzzle and correct bite, lovely dark eyes looking straight ahead, good ear carriage, well-padded feet with dark nails, short in coupling, good bend of stifle, good tail carriage, she was everything she should be for her young age, moved well carrying level topline, handled well, awarded BPIS

PUPPY BITCH 0

JUNIOR BITCH 4 1st Johnson’s, ELLCHANSHA ONCE UPON A TIME, 12 month old Black brindle with a beautiful expression, nice head shape, good length of muzzle housing a correct bite, nice tight lips with finishes off her lovely clean head, dark eyes, lovely rose ears, powerful neck leading into well laid back shoulders, good tuck up in the loin, tidy feet with black nails, presented in excellent condition, worked and handled well, she certainly has ring presence, awarded RBIS  2nd Yates’, ELLCHANSHA HAPPY EVER AFTER, Black brindle, litter sister to 1st, another lovely bitch with a great head shape, slightly smaller in size than 1st, lovely rose ears, dark eyes, good front, good mouth with tight lips, nice tuck up, nice tight feet, well developed hind quarters, moved ok. 3rd Templeton’s, JANASTAFF FREYA AT MARUDI, Black brindle, 17 month old, nice head shape with good length of muzzle, dark eyes, good expression, nice front, tight feet, good bend of stifles, good tuck up, level topline, correct tail set. 4th Hopkins’, WINDSTAFF BLACKBERRY AT TRUFFLESTAFF

MAIDEN BITCH 3  1st Hopkins’, RASPBERRY RIPPLE OF SPIRT-STAFFS TO TRUFFLESTAFF (IMP DEU), Red with a lovely dark mask, good ears, good length of muzzle, nice round eye, correct front, deep brisket, tidy feet, well-let down hocks, good bend of stifles 2nd Templeton’s, JANASTAFF FREYA AT MARDUDI, see Junior 3rd Wise’s, LABYRINTH’S PRINCESS, very similar to 2nd, Black brindle, good length of muzzle, nice tight lips, good check muscles, dark eyes, deep brisket, well-padded feet, unfortunately carrying too much weight,

NOVICE BITCH 2 1st Hopkins’, RASPBERRY RIPPLE OF SPIRT-STAFFS TO TRUFFLESTAFF (IMP DEU) 2nd Wise’s, LABYRINTH’S PRINCESS

POST GRAD BITCH 5 (1a) 1st Mitchell & Ashton’s, BLOOMING LOVELY, Brindle with white chest, a lovely bitch that caught my eye, she stood out in her class, lovely expression, nice dark eyes, lovely head shape with correct bite, good length of muzzle, really tidy feet, good front with enough bone, powerful neck leading to well laid back shoulders, good tuck up, shown in hard condition, level topline on the move and stacked, handled very well, awarded RBB 2nd Yarham’s, ENGLADIAN CAN’T BUY ME LOVE, Black brindle with a little more bone than 1st, lovely bitch, nice broad skull, correct stop, good cheek muscles, lovely expression, dark eyes, good front, well-padded feet, good bend of stifles, correctly set tail, well developed muscles, level topline, moved and handled well 3rd Gardner’s, BALLINDONA FAB’U’LUSS FOR LABRASTAF, Black brindle, nice tidy bitch, a shame she had slight swelling to her muzzle which spoilt her face, nice dark eyes with good eye set, correct bite, well-padded feet with nice dark nails, good topline, correctly set tail, good muscle tone, moved well  4th Hands & Freeman’s, SIRIUSTAFF HEART OF GLASS AT SKYESTAFF

LIMIT BITCH 5 (1a) 1st Efreme’s, MILLAMEAR OUT OUT, Black brindle with lots of spirit! This girl was on her toes at all times, nice dark eyes, correct bite, good expression, would prefer tidier ears, nice deep brisket, nice tight tidy feet, powerful neck well laid back shoulders, level topline, well tucked up in the loin, well-muscled creating a powerful back end, handled and moved well, by far fittest bitch on the day 2nd Joyce’s, JANJUJONS DREAM LOVER, Black brindle, taller than 1st, this lady had a lovely alert expression, nice ears, nice dark round eyes, good length of muzzle with good mouth, correct stop, neat ears, short in the coupling, level topline, another fit bitch, slightly unsettled on the move for handler  3rd Jones’, ROUGESTAFF FLAMING ICE, Red and white pied, another lovely bitch with nice head shape, nice dark eyes, good length of muzzle, well developed back end, good front, good tuck up, with level topline, well muscled, walked and handled well 4th Moore’s, SHE’S A ROCKSTAR AT CHEDANSTAFF

OPEN BITCH 1 1st Norris’, DYNASTAFF INDIAN SUMMER AT SONGARIN, Black brindle, nice tidy bitch with lovely expression, enough muzzle, good mouth, well pronounced cheek muscles, neat rose ears, good brisket, tidy feet, good bend of stifles, would like to see a little more tuck up, correct tail carriage, good topline, moved and handled well.