Chesapeake Bay Retriever Club Special Awards classes

17 July 2022

I would like to thank the committee for the opportunity to judge today and the exhibitors for their support in entering under me. This was a well run and friendly show I would recommend to anyone interested in the breed to attend. Temperaments and breed type in abundance here today, the breed looks to be in safe hands for the future, a credit to all.

Junior D/B 7, 2 abs

- 1st Gregory's Run In The Woods, 7 ½ male very typical of the breed, super head proportions, masculine without coarseness correct ear carriage and size, well set eye shape and colour. Strong neck leading to well placed shoulders, ample bone with correct feet shape. Deep chest for his age and short coupled, held his topline and on a side gate looked impressive, coat of correct texture and touch, moved fore and aft and you would expect. One to watch for the future, handled and presented well.
- 2nd Pont's Amore of Ridsome (Imp It) a beautiful 12 month bitch of super type and balance, feminine head and super expression, clean neck and well placed shoulders, super bone and feet, well ribbed and shown with correct oily coat texture, level topline and good tailset, moved around the ring with drive and purpose, another to watch as she matures
- 3rd Broomfield's Glaneils Don't Worry Be Happy

Post Grad D/B 12, 4 abs

- 1st Broomfield's Glaneils Cut Your Groove, feminine headed bitch of correct size and breed type, she had the most appealing head and expression, small ears and good jaw line, medium length of neck leading to well muscled forequarters and well boned. Deep chest with well sprung ribs, short coupled, strong rear and well turned stifles moved with drive
- 2nd Broomfield's Glaneils Count On Me, litter brother to the winner a masculine version, correct head shape and small ears masculine expression without coarseness, muscular neck leading to well laid back shoulders, ample bone and hare like feet, well bodied with spring of rib, short coupled and strong. Coat of correct oily texture and with undercoat. Moved very well.
- 3rd Acheson's Great River Ticino of Eastering (Imp It)

Open D/B 13, 4abs

- Thompson's Arnac Bay Harvest, this bitch headed a quality class, she was well balanced and has plenty of breed type, feminine expression medium size eyes set well apart, neat ears set up on head giving a melting intelligent expression, strong clean neck leading to well laid shoulder and upper arm, good bone and feet, deep through the chest and short coupled, correct topline and tail set, powerful hindquarters which she used moving effortlessly around the ring, lovely type.
- 2nd Mayhew's Sh CH Arnac Weatherdeck Buoy, sire to the above a true picture of a male Chesapeake, full of character, one of the nicest heads with correct eye and ear placement, broad skull with medium stop, strong powerful neck and good shoulders, dep chested and well sprung ribs, coat of correct length and oily texture, ample bone without coarseness good sized feet, moved with drive and purpose.
- 3rd Mayhew's Sh Ch Arnac Bay Flax

Judge: Mr Richard Stafford