

## MANCUNIAN BOXER CLUB OPEN SHOW – 31/07/2022

A big thank you to the committee for inviting me to judge this lovely show, which had sadly been delayed by 2 years due to the dreaded Covid, but wow! Wasn't it worth the wait? A huge entry awaited me with minimal absentees on the day. Thank you to my 2 very capable stewards Callum & John for keeping everything moving swiftly along and to the exhibitors for the super entry, which was full of quality leaving me with some really hard choices and some real nit picking in some classes. Thank you to the exhibitors for the fantastic sportsmanship shown throughout the day.

**VETERAN DOG (4,0)** Cracking class to start the day, all were a credit to their owners

1<sup>st</sup> – Louis, RAMELEON NIGHTS IN HARLEM loved this unexaggerated D/B&W lad of 8 yrs, stood 4 square with excellent bone, straight front & tight cat like feet, well let down hocks, good shoulders into an excellent topline, pleasing head with wide, well padded muzzle, good mouth, lovely dark eye. Moved very well. **BVD**

2<sup>nd</sup> Beardsell & Van-Beck NEWLAITHE BUG ON JW B&W 8 yrs on the day! Medium sized boxer with short back & good topline, bang on tailset, lovely angles front & rear with no exaggeration, good bone & nice feet. Pleasing head with kind dark eye, good mouth. Moved well

3<sup>rd</sup> Beardsell, Van-Beck & Fielding NEWLAITH THE FUGITIVE ShCm

**MINOR PUPPY DOG (3,0)** beautiful class of puppies, I liked them all

1<sup>st</sup> McCarthy & Gething BOXANIA ROMANOFF TO JEDDHI A super stylish baby of just 6 mths with a gleaming D/B&W coat that simply catches your eye as he enters the ring. Compact square body with excellent angulation front & rear. Good bone, tight cat like feet, nice tidy underline. Lovely head with the most appealing of eyes that just melts you, wide muzzle, lovely wide nose with the most excellent nares, moved well for one so young, handled to perfection. Loved him, very pleased to award him **BPD & BPIS**

2<sup>nd</sup> Mair MACBARRA KICKIN UP A STORM AT GLENAULD B&W although slightly longer in loin than 1<sup>st</sup> another stylish lad of just 6 months, holds an elegant outline, well laid shoulders, good topline & correct rear angulation. Lovely head with the softest of expressions, good mouth and another with super nostrils, Handled and moved well

3<sup>rd</sup> Louis BOXANIA OVER THE MOON

**PUPPY DOG (4, 1a)**

1<sup>st</sup> Loasby SASHBOB DOUBLE OH SEVEN WITH BERWYNFA B&W well balanced 10 mth old pup, well off for bone, strong pastern, lovely tight cat-like feet, level topline, good turn of stifle, pleasing head with just the right amount of wrinkling, dark eye of correct shape, good ear placement, good nostrils & mouth. Moved well.

2<sup>nd</sup> Griffiths LANFRESE CARTELLO 10 mth gleaming D/B&W coat, good bone, strong arched neck into well laid shoulders, level topline, correct rear angulation with well let down hocks, tidy underline, pleasing head with kind dark eye, good muzzle & open nostrils. This was a close decision, just preferred the slightly tighter feet of 1<sup>st</sup> place dog today

3<sup>rd</sup> Woods ARKENY CONQUEROR

**JUNIOR DOG (5,0)**

1<sup>st</sup> Taylor NEWLAITHE ABSOLUTE BUG 15 mth lighter B&W square well balanced with pleasing outline, strong neck into slightly sloping topline, short back, good tuck up, well muscled throughout, good rear angulation with well let down hocks, good bone & tight feet, although head was slightly stronger than 2<sup>nd</sup> placed dog it has correct proportions, dark expressive eyes, a good mouth. Moved well

2<sup>nd</sup> Seeney SULEZ VICTORIOUS AT MARASEEN 14 mth, striking D/B&W in excellent condition, catches your eye as he enters the ring, lovely front assembly, evident forechest, good bone & tight cat like

feet, strong arched neck, well laid shoulders into a good topline. The most appealing head, ears set high & wide apart, fine wrinkling when alert, correct stop, wide padded muzzle, beautiful dark eye of correct shape, good mouth. A very close decision here, but felt he just needs to strengthen up in the middle as he appears slightly long in loin today

3<sup>rd</sup> Bee BEEANN COVER STORY

#### **YEARLING DOG (5,1a)**

1<sup>st</sup> Woolliss & Flintoff BOXANIA ROAMIN' AROUND AT RAMELEON D/B&W 22 mths presents a good outline, well balanced and square, strong arched neck into well laid shoulders, firm level topline with the correct slope to a correct tailset, good angles front & rear, well muscled with no exaggeration. Very nice headpiece, good mouth, well padded muzzle, good lip placement, the most kindest of eyes of correct shape & colour. Moved well

2<sup>nd</sup> Lafferty GEENAWELL LORENZO 22 mth golden B&W presenting a slightly finer frame than 1<sup>st</sup> place dog, but he is square, lovely arched neck flowing into good shoulders, nice firm sloping topline which he holds well on the move, good tailset, correct rear angulation with well let down hocks.

Clean head with broad muzzle, good mouth, lovely wide nose & open nares, eyes are dark but I just preferred the shape & under-fill of 1<sup>st</sup> placed dog today. Handled well

3<sup>rd</sup> Lowery DANLOW CHANCE TO DREAM

#### **NOVICE DOG (2,0)**

1<sup>st</sup> Hill XANDENE BLUE BAYOU golden B&W of 2 yrs, compact, square, medium sized dog with no exaggerations, short back, firm topline, slightly sloping with bang on tailset, good bone & nice tight feet, tidy underline, good angles front & back, well let down hocks, a pleasing head, correct proportions with just the right amount of wrinkle, wide muzzle & appealing eye of correct shape & colour. Excitable lad who was handled well to get the best out of him

2<sup>nd</sup> Woods ARKENY BARRISTER 18 mth upstanding B&W a rangier dog than 1<sup>st</sup> clean head of correct proportions, correct amount of wrinkling, nice dark eyes of correct shape, wide muzzle, good mouth, stands on strong legs with good bone & tight feet, nice front assembly, although would prefer lower set hocks and a little more turn of stifle

#### **GRADUATE DOG (4,0)**

1<sup>st</sup> Godwin SULTASH PRINCE OF HEARTS 22 mth D/B&W lovely clean head in correct proportion, with dark expressive eye, broad muzzle, wide nose with lovely open nostril. A nice square dog with strong neck flowing into a level topline, good angles front & rear, good tuck up & strong bone. Moved out well

2<sup>nd</sup> Carter LULLMIRE AARON DAYVUE AT SUSANCAR an upstanding R&W boy of substance, stands 4 square, well laid shoulders, nice front, well off for bone, correct angles front & rear, clean head, dark eye, good mouth, wide muzzle & excellent nostrils. Moved steadily

3<sup>rd</sup> Bell SURSTONE MASTER SPY

#### **POST GRADUATE DOG (4,0)** A very nice class

1<sup>st</sup> Mair GLENAULD ARTHUR SHELBY 2 yr old stylish square B&W with a good front, evident forechest, good bone & nice feet, arched neck flowing into short back with firm slightly sloping topline, bang on tailset, correct rear angulation with well let down hocks which really helps power him round the ring, he has a very nice head of correct proportion, well padded muzzle, dark eye of correct shape & colour. Moved well. Pleased to award him **RBD**

2<sup>nd</sup> Beardsell & Van-Beck NEWLAITHE SUPER NATURAL 2 yr old another eye catching D/B&W stands 4 square on good bone & tight feet, evident forechest, level topline, correct angulation front & rear, good muscle tone, well let down hocks, moved well. He has a pleasing head with everything correct. A very close decision, I just preferred the appeal of 1<sup>st</sup> place head today

3<sup>rd</sup> Lafferty JACINTABOX HARLEQUINN

### **LIMIT DOG (5,0)**

1<sup>st</sup> Cook & Postance MANIC THINKING OUT LOUD 3 yr old red B&W, an honest, square, compact boxer who does not shout look at me, but the more you look, the more you like! He was standing correct every time I looked at him, so well balanced with correct angulation front & back, good muscle tone, well let down hocks & a lovely sloping topline which he held on the move, he has the most kindest of expressions, beautiful dark eyes of correct shape, just the right amount of wrinkling, good mouth & huge nostrils. Pleased to award him **BD** and **Best Opposite Sex In Show**

2<sup>nd</sup> Beardsell, Van-Beck & Fielding NEWLAITHE SUITED N'BOOTED WITH LEFERGO 3 yr old upstanding B&W, super front, well laid shoulders, evident forechest, good bone, nice tight feet, arched neck into flowing firm topline, correct rear angulation, moved well, pleasing head with wide padded muzzle & good nostrils, would prefer a darker eye to complete the picture. Handled well

3<sup>rd</sup> Chippendale & Carpenter Crooks ROSS POLDARK AT MYLICAM

### **OPEN DOG (2,0)**

1<sup>st</sup> Godwin SULTASH CUNCO D/B&W 5 yr old masculine, square, well balanced muscular boxer, strong arched neck flowing into well laid shoulders & short level back, excellent topline, good front, ample bone & tight cat like feet, good turn of stifle, well let down hocks. A nice balanced head with good ear set, appealing dark eyes of correct shape & good mouth. Moved & handled well

2<sup>nd</sup> Loasby BERWYNFA FIFTY SHADZ FREED 4 yr old upstanding mahogany B&W in excellent condition, lovely crested neck flowing into a strong level topline, standing on strong boned legs with tight cat like feet, evident forechest, well angulated rear & good muscle tone. Nice head, correct portions, well padded muzzle, dark eye of correct shape & good open nostrils. Moved & handled well

**VETERAN BITCH (3,0)** another great class of quality veterans

1<sup>st</sup> Murfin FARVALLEY INSTANT LOVE B&W who does not act her 8 yrs one bit! Compact & square, crested neck into well laid shoulders, gentle sloping topline, straight front, good bone & tight feet, well let down hocks giving correct turn of stifle, pleasing head with dark expressive eyes of correct shape, good mouth & lip placement, well padded muzzle. Completely at one with her handler, moved out well. Pleased to award her **BVIS**

2<sup>nd</sup> Carter SUSANCAR HONOR WYNNA 9yrs old red B&W, has the most appealing head with the correct ratios, gorgeous dark eye, correct stop, good mouth, wide muzzle, large open nostrils, just a touch longer than 1<sup>st</sup> but balanced with good front, lovely crested neck flowing into level topline, well let down hocks, good turn of stifle. Moved well

3<sup>rd</sup> Robinson, Huckerby & Dowell NORWILBECK BELLCHIME CANDY

### **MINOR PUPPY BITCH (6,2a)**

1<sup>st</sup> Flintoff BOXNIA MAKE ME SMILE gorgeous D/B&W baby of 6 mths, litter sister to my BPD and pretty much all same comments apply. Compact square body, excellent angulation front & rear, good tuck up, strong bone and again the most appealing head, expressive dark eye, wide muzzle & excellent nostrils. Moved so well even with change of handler & furniture being moved in the hall, it just didn't faze her! Hard to separate the two in the challenge, sadly nit picking really came into it, she just lost out as not quite the feet of the dog today. But I loved her! Pleased to award her **BPB**

2<sup>nd</sup> Murfin & Cobble Dick FARVALLEY MILYON DOLLA BABY 6 mth old baby presented in great condition with a gleaming red jacket, slightly finer frame than 1<sup>st</sup>, square with a lovely crested neck flowing into good shoulders & level topline, correct rear angulation, beautiful head, with correct ear set, great lip placement & expressive dark eye. Moved & handled well

3<sup>rd</sup> Godwin SULTASH CHARISMA

### **PUPPY BITCH (3,0)**

1<sup>st</sup> Griffiths LANFRESE CASHEL 10 mth old, square, well balance, D/B&W short coupled, good muscle tone, evident forechest, arched neck flowing into good shoulder placement, level topline, good tuck up, good rear angulation, tight feet, balanced pretty head, just enough wrinkling, lovely dark eye of correct shape. Moved well

2<sup>nd</sup> Brown & Hutchings WINUWUK PRIVATE AFFAIR 12 mth very pretty B&W, good head with correct ratios, good ear & lip placement, lovely expressive eye of correct shape, crested neck flowing into good shoulders, level topline, evident forechest, good bone, well let down hocks, correct rear angulation, good muscle tone. To be ultra-critical I would prefer slightly shorter in loin. Moved well

3<sup>rd</sup> Payne WILLOW HONEYSUCKLE another very nice puppy who's body I loved. I just preferred the heads of 1&2 today

### **JUNIOR BITCH (7,2a)**

1<sup>ST</sup> Drinkwater SULEZ SMASHER 17 mth D/B&W, substantial with elegance. Classy, crisp outline that demands your attention. Beautiful crested neck that flows so neatly into her withers, short back & excellent topline, lovely forehead, bang on tailset, great muscle tone, good turn of stifle with well let down hocks, tight cat like feet, a nice feminine head with good mouth, well padded-wide muzzle & dark expressive eyes that just melt you. Moves so well holding her topline at all times. She is smashing! Pleased to award her **BB & BIS**

2<sup>nd</sup> Griffitsh MANIC BAD ROMANCE AT LANFRESE 16 mth compact & square D/B&W excellent muscle tone, beautiful crested neck flowing into good shoulders, good topline & short back, well let down hocks, good turn of stifle, well sprung ribs & good tuck up. Although I preferred the expression of 1<sup>st</sup> placed dog, she has clean feminine head of good shape & lovely dark eye

3<sup>rd</sup> McDonald YETEB LITTLE MISS SUNSHINE

**YEARLING BITCH (7,1a)** one of the best classes, all quality exhibits where I needed more place cards

1<sup>st</sup> Mair CARKENAR SHOOTING STAR OVER GLENAULD 17 mth B&W an elegant bitch with a slightly larger frame, stands 4 square, evident forechest, good bone & muscle tone, correct rear angulation, strong firm gently sloping topline, bang on tailset. Appealing head with lovely dark kind eyes, good skull ratio, correct amount of wrinkling, lovely open nostrils. Moved & handled well

2<sup>nd</sup> Morison XANDENE BLUE SAVANNAH A super compact B&W of 2 yrs, lovely crested neck flowing into well laid shoulder, short back, firm topline, bang on tailest, correct turn of stifle, well let down hocks, excellent bone & tight cat like feet. Most attractive feminine head with good mouth, evident chin, wide padded muzzle & correct lip placement. I just preferred the height on foreleg on 1<sup>st</sup> today. Moved & handled well

3<sup>rd</sup> Swansborough BOXATIEL RAVEN BLACK

### **NOVICE BITCH (5,0)**

1<sup>st</sup> Adam CARKENAR BLACK STAR 17 mths, square D/B/W with a good front, evident forechest, slightly sloping topline, neat & tidy underline, well boned, tight feet, pleasing head correct ear placement, wide muzzle & lovely dark eye of correct shape. Moved well

2<sup>nd</sup> Kavanagh ARKENY BURNS NIGHT AT MARBELTON 18 mths gleaming red B/W, stands 4 square, good angulation both front & back, firm level topline, good tuck up well let down hocks, beautiful head with good mouth & expressive dark eye, large nostrils. Moved well

3<sup>rd</sup> Morison XANDENE BLUE VELVET

### **GRADUATE BITCH (6,0)**

1<sup>st</sup> Beardsell & Van-Beck NASHVILLE AT NEWLAITHE D/B/W 2 yr old bitch of substance, but retains her femininity with a lovely square outline, well balanced, crested neck flowing into firm topline with correct amount of slope into a good tailset, good tuck up, correct angulation both front & rear, good

muscle tone, typical boxy head of correct proportions, correct stop, good nostrils and the most mischievous expression with loveliest of dark eyes. Moved well

2<sup>nd</sup> McDonald YETEB LITTLE MISS NONSENSE 16 mth elegant D/B/W lovely crested neck into good shoulders & firm topline, correct rear angulation, good bone & tight feet, well muscled, another with typical head, good ear placement, large open nostrils, wide padded muzzle & kind eye

3<sup>rd</sup> Murfin HARVLIN MYSTERY GODDESS AT FARVALLEY

#### **POST GRADUATE BITCH (5,2a)**

1<sup>st</sup> Huggins MANIC PICTURE THIS FOR DAERVLISH 3 yrs square, short backed D/B/W in great condition, well muscled throughout, strong crested neck into firm topline, good shoulder placement, correct rear angulation, well let down hocks, bang on tailest, neat underline & good tuck up, feminine head with dark eye, kind expression, wide padded muzzle, good ear & lip placement.

2<sup>nd</sup> O'Neill ULVERBOX MYNERIAAYRA 3 yrs another with D/B/W jacket gleaming in the sun, she is slightly longer cast than 1<sup>st</sup> but lots to like, beautiful crested neck flows neatly into withers, firm topline, good front with strong bone & straight parallel legs, good turn of stifle. Clean head with just enough wrinkling, good ear placement & dark eye. Moved ok

3<sup>rd</sup> Loasby SASHBOB SEXY AND I KNOW IT JW

#### **LIMIT BITCH (4,1a) A quality class**

1<sup>st</sup> Griffiths SUNHAWK NORWATCH LETS DANCE AT LANFRESE 2 yr old flashy D/B/W substantial but feminine bitch, presents a nice outline, compact, square, well balanced & well muscled throughout, strong crested neck flowing into strong gently sloping topline, evident forechest, neat underline, good tuck up, good turn of stifle, well let down hocks & well muscled, good second thigh. Pretty head with wide well padded muzzle, correct stop, good lip placement & dark eye. Moved out well.

Pleased to award her **RBB & RBIS**

2<sup>nd</sup> McCarthy, Gething & Banks SUNHAWK NORWATCH LOVELACE AT JEDDHI 3 yr golden B/W with super outline, stylish & compact with lovely crested neck into good shoulders & level topline, good bone, strong pasterns & tight cat like feet, neat underline with good tuck up, pretty head with a beautiful expression, dark mischievous eye, just the right amount of wrinkling. Moved well. A very close decision here, 2<sup>nd</sup> place dog has tighter feet & pasterns than my winner, but 1<sup>st</sup> placed had slightly more rear angulation. I can see these two easily changing places on another day

3<sup>rd</sup> Pynegar CUTTING EDGE AT BERWYNFA a nice bitch on my first look round the ring, but was rather unsettled today, I sadly never really got chance to examine her accurately

#### **OPEN BITCH (5,1a)**

1<sup>st</sup> Brown & Hutchings WINUWUK APHRODITE 2 yr substantial B/W presenting a lovely clean outline in super condition, good muscle tone, lovely crested neck flows neatly into withers, good front, strong parallel legs, evident forechest, gentle sloping topline, correct angulation both front & back, well let down hocks, good bone & tight cat like feet, very pretty head with good mouth, well padded muzzle, good lip placement, lovely open nares, kind eye of correct shape & colour giving a very sweet expression. Handled to perfection, moved out well

2<sup>nd</sup> Beardsell & Van-Beck NEWLAITHE PUREOCO JW 2 yr B/W another quality bitch in firm condition, compact, square outline with good angulation both front & back, strong crested neck flows into short strong back, well laid shoulders & slightly sloping topline, good bone & feet, well down hocks, pleasing head although slightly heavier than 1<sup>st</sup> placed dog, she has a well padded muzzle, good lip placement, open nares & a kind dark eye.

3<sup>rd</sup> Seeney MARASEEN BESPOKE

**JUDGE: Joanne Cole (Myntie)**