

# The Great Dane Club Open Show 2013.

Judge: Sue Garner

## Critique

I would like to thank the committee for this appointment and the exhibitors for their great entry.

Minor Puppy Bitch, Best Puppy Bitch.(4)1abs, 1, Bishton, Primus Caught Ya Looking at Jaydania, A very promising young fawn, her head has very good lines, maturing well, dark eyes and mask giving a true expression. Body well muscled, good bone and feet, moved out well, with drive, keeping the desired outline. 2, Kelleway, Jaemlok's Dannie of Clunton, (Harlequin) Head very much the same as first, just the eyes need to tighten. Body well muscled, good bone and feet, not quite the balance of outline but time will tell. Moved out well. 3. Kingsley, Dainoak Pervenire AD Sidera.

Puppy Bitch, (13) 4abs, This was not the best of classes.1. Tempest, Abbaio Eleganza for Adoreadane, (Harlequin) A pleasing head good lines, strong jaw and good pigment for colour. Very good outline stands over the ground well, strong bone good feet. Very well angulated on the rear just needs a better angle in upper arm, not quite as good in front as the minor pup but moved out well. 2. Wand, Ravendane Forever in Love, Not as mature in head as first, but has a very good outline. It was very close between these two. 3. Burton, Ravendane Enchanting Dream at Elbarevol.

Junior Bitch, (9) 1abs. 1. Chappell, Selmalda The Kiss, Best mover in the class, kept her outline on the move, lazy in the stand but still showing her strength in body and loin and very good feet. Her head has very good lines with good eye shape and colour still has to fully mature. 2, Sharples, Lady Keeva at Jildadan. Came a close second, very much the same held her topline better in stand but her eye colour could be darker. 3. Price, Leamap Iron Maiden.

Yearling Bitch, (6) 1abs. Best head in class, has good lines, correct eye shape and colour. Well constructed body, good bone, feet and strong pasterns. Moved out well to take the class. 2. Pearson, Cisméralda Von Tir Na Nogh at Daneworth (Imp) This is a striking looking Harlequin, Stronger in head than first but very good lines, pigment and eye colour correct. Well constructed body, strong muscular thigh giving him powerful movement, both have the desired outline on the move, very sound. 3. Wheeler, Jaydania Virginia.

Novice Bitch, (10) 3 abs.1, Wilson, Hunt, Carter & Lawson, Droolakiss Hot Gossip. This fawn was VHC in Junior B, Head has not matured as well as body but has good lines. Well constructed body, loin well muscled giving a strong topline, kept outline on the move, would have liked better feet. 2. Stemp, Zefather's Against All Odds of Mydane. Unplaced in a good puppy class. This fawn has very good head well developed, good lines, eye shape and colour correct. Not as mature in body, topline and pasterns need to strengthen. 3. Wand, Ravendane Forever in Love.

Post Grad. (7) 2abs. 1, Gwyn, Vanmore Hi Ho Silver. Very sound Fawn, keeps his outline standing and on the move. Very well constructed, good bone, feet. Head has not reached its full potential, it needs to mature. 2. Bishton, Jaydania Ida Ho, Very much the same as first, could have better feet. 3. Grierson, Jaydania Wyoming.

Limit. (8) 2abs.1. Humphries, Jaydania Georgia of Bengrarton. Res Best Bitch. Head not fully mature but has very good lines, eye colour and shape correct, muzzle broad with good dentition. Neck well arched set on a well constructed body, with good angulation, strong bone well muscled, stands over the ground giving a very elegant outline. moved out well. 2. Brooker, Beizjan Lochsong, Not as balanced in outline as first longer in loin. Would like more width of chest. Head has good lines and is more mature. 3. Hyde, Highesteem Love Affair with Dorneywood, (imp Nor)

Open. 1. Baker, Preveli Selena, Best Bitch & BIS. Head has very good lines, neck well arched set into well laid shoulders. Strong elegant, well constructed sound moving, a joy to watch on the move.

Sp Open Brindle (3) 1abs.1, Drew, Lindeefay Cover Girl. Very good outline standing, and on the move, very sound. Head strong good lines. 2. Lawson & Hunter, Droolakiss Kerfuffle. Not so good on the move as first, needs to tighten in front

Sp Open Fawn,1. Merwick, Saalan Show and Go. Not the best of outline, drops away at shoulders very sound on the move and has very good feet. 2. Vanmore Hi Ho Silver.

Sp Open Black, 1. Heroine De La Legende Des Nymphes Bleues (Imp) Strong head but feminine with very good lines, eye shape and colour correct. Well constructed, muscular with strong bone, good feet, well angulated giving sound movement, moved out well with power and drive.

Sp Open Blue, 1, Price, Leamap Iron Maiden, Had a third in Junior but this win gave her the junior Warrant today. Head has good lines, balanced outline, good feet and bone, moved out well to win this class. 2. Simpson, Renescent L'esperance, Head has good lines but needs to mature. Needs to strengthen in pasterns and topline, sound on the move. Just needs more time. 3. Middleton, Dinahtron Lady Luck From Dornoir.

Sp Harlequin Bitch, 1. Walton, Ravendane Wizadora, Head has good lines, strong jaw and teeth. Body needs more depth and strength in topline. Has a lot of maturing to do and I hope this will improve. 2, Tempest, Abbaio Eleganza for Adoreadane

Open Mantle bitch. 1. Smith, Jorgei Contessa of Lambriei. Not the best of head for a Dane but a very strong body sound moving. Very good bone and feet. 2. Wand, Ravendane Forever in Love. Very much the same.

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Judge.