

Lhasa Apso Championship Show

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It is always a privilege and honour to judge at a breed club show and today I had a fabulous entry of quality dogs, some decisions were very close and in some classes I needed more than 1 1st placed card. It was a really satisfying day as the last time I judged I found a lot of dogs with very broad skulls with round a eye and not giving that all important expression, thankfully on this occasion this has improved overall. Presentation and handling was excellent all round and the quality was outstanding .

MINOR PUPPY DOG (4)

1st . Hornes ,Chanceinns Bonkerz, 81/2 month old red/gold boy , stood out in this class more mature than the other youngsters in this class.Lovely dark eye and pigment with pleasing expression and correct bite. Moved well with style and presence. Could be a little longer in rib

2nd . Yaxleys ,Dardanelles Mars Volta, 6 months old Gold and white,

Beautiful head and expression with dark eye and pigment and correct bite. Well balanced , he is flying his tail at the moment hopefully this will settle. Moved nicely should mature well.

3rd. Watts Catley, Zanamop Easy Tiger , Gold 6 month old baby, Lovely shape and balance, slightly longer in the muzzle than 1 and 2, moved really well full of himself. Level topline kept on the move.

PUPPY DOG(5)

1st . Taylor and Johnsons,Chanceinns Sir Gino Avec Sifrason,11 ½ month old red/gold youngster , he has a lovely balance and all around style and presence. Beautiful expression with correct bite ,dark eye and pigment. Good rear angulation that was used so well on the move . Presented to perfection . Best Puppy Dog and Reserve Best Puppy in Show.

2nd . Jones ,Tarandes Tis That Bear, Gold 11 month old, Lovely balance with good length of rib, nice dark eye and pigment , slightly longer in the muzzle than 1 . Moved out well with strong level topline ‘

3rd.Andersson-Hamill ,Tantras Alexander, Black 10month old boy, He has a lovely balance another quality youngster , dark eye with pleasing expression. Good length of rib and level topline, I have seen him move better than today.

JUNIOR DOG(5)

1st . Cains, Kutani Skyfall, Cream 14 month old boy. He has a lovely balance with a very pleasing head and expression with a dark eye. Good rear angulation that was used so well on the move . moved with purpose and style.

2nd . Taylor and Johnsons, Chanceinns Sir Gino Avec Sifrason, 11 ½ month old red/gold youngster , he has a lovely balance and all around style and presence. Beautiful expression with correct bite ,dark eye and pigment. Good rear angulation . not as mature as 1 in body.#

3rd. Andersons, Zentarr George, Gold in good coat , presented beautifully he has a lovely head and expression just preferred movent and reach of 1 and 2.

YEARLING DOG (5)

1st. Sutcliffe and Fleet , Newcliffe Rameses, 14 month old very sound boy, lovely eye and dark eye.He has a good front and shoulder placement, level topline kept well on the move. Presented to perfection

2nd. Surtees , Rossgilde Georgie at Katay, Gold 18month old boy. Another well constructed boy with correct head and eye with pleasing expression .moved well keeping a level topline at all times. Just preferred the reach of 1.

3rd. Taylors, Jerami First Edition, Gold , Nice correct head and expression, well balanced with good lay of shoulder , have seen him moved better. In-between coats at the moment.

NOVICE DOG(2)

1st . Routs, Cortez Captivated Simuje. Gold 12 month old youngster , slightly longer cast than 2nd , he has a beautiful head , expression and eye . Soundly constructed throughout . good front and shoulder placement . Moved well .

2nd. Chalmers, Chethang Stefano, Gold and White 11 month old. Beautifully presented youngster with a lovely balance , pleasing head and expression. What a shame he decided to give his handler a tough time on the move. A typical apso !!!

GRADUATE DOG(6)

1st. Bradfords, Deelayne Stolen Thunder, Gold 22 months, Lovely balanced youngster with typical apso head and expression , soundly constructed and moved well with purpose and reach . He is full of himself and eventually settled . Beautifully presented.

2nd. Blakes, Fengolas Simply Wonderful , Gold 17 months. Another soundly constructed youngster has the virtues of 1 however preferred the winners head .

3rd. Langfords, Quaytown Hear It For The Boys. Gold 21 months . Another boy who has a correct dark eye and correct expression , move well with purpose . Just preferred balance of the winner.

POST GRADUATE DOG(3)

1st. Seward and Pooles, Rick O'Shay to Domensa JW Grey and White. Loved his balance and outline . Pleasing head eye and expression . So well put together and so sound all through . Typical apso he got better the more he moved out with reach and purpose. RDCC

2nd .Bushells, Jamikasoka Nigel Gearsley. Gold , Lovely head and eye with Pleasing expression , Well presented in good coat, Slightly longer than 1 and preferred winner balance.

3rd. Quelchs , Deelayne Pharare Ardquin. Red Gold / White . again another soundly constructed boy. Moved well , just out of coat at the moment and just preferred the balance of the winner.

LIMIT DOG(9)

These 3 dogs could have changed places today and there was very little to separate the placings

1st . Barnett and Carters , Amdo Quiz Master with Alamiks JW. Gold boy. Has a lovely balance and outline , so sound to go over , Beautiful head , eye and expression giving that arrogant look at me . Good rear angulation that was used so well on the move . moved with purpose and style. Pushed hard for the Rcc today

2nd . Walkers , Shigatse Alex. Gold Beautifully presented has all the attributes of 1 and it was very close between 1 and 2 . Just outmoved by 1 on the day.

3rd. Scarlls , Timazinti Danio, Gold and white. Lovely head and expression again a close call in this class between the 3 boys . just preferred the overall balance of the winner.

OPEN DOG (9)

1st. Locks , Ch Littondale Vallentino JW . Gold Striking and elegant dog with a lovely head and expression. Good arch of neck with a well laid shoulder and level topline kept on the move which is effortless . moved with purpose and style . Beautifully presented. DCC . Best Opposite Sex

2nd . McCosh and Logan , Luekike Diemos to Spyanki JW Sh Ch Gold. Slightly smaller than 1 however he has all the attributes as the winner. He has a lovely eye head and expression, I awarded him the rdcc previously and he is maturing well. Does not have the muscle and compactness at the moment as the winner. Moved with reach and purpose.

3rd. Bromleys . Cossy's Chocolate Chip at Jardene. Gold and White. Lovely head and expression, again a dog that moved well keeping his topline level . Beautifully presented just preferred the balance of 1.

VETERAN DOG(1)

1st. Williams, Simuje Valentino, 7 year old, Grey, Well presented boy , who has a pleasing expression, with correct bite. Stood alone today ,.

MINOR PUPPY BITCH(9)

1st . Torrance's, Sinyul Solitaire. 8 months old. Solid black , Very mature for her age. Lively and outgoing and put all in on the move. Beautiful expression and bite. Well laid shoulder

and a level topline kept well on the move. Lovely balance and outline she owned the ring today and out moved all the opposition . she could not be denied Best Puppy in Show.

2nd . Birches , Wrenwrox's Gwendoline Anne 7 Month old ,Grey Brindle Lovely pleasing head and expression with correct bite.Well balanced with correct shoulder placement and rib . Moved well with good reach. Not as mature as 1 however I am sure she will develop well .

3rd , Yaxley's ,Dardanelles Palma Violets, Gold 6 month old baby. Another youngster at her first show , beautiful head and expression, good front and shoulder placement. Not as mature as 1 however she was full of herself . Her time will come .

PUPPY BITCH(9)

1st , Jones, Tarandes It's That Bear. Gold 11 1/2 month old. Beautifully balanced girl with pleasing expression, dark eye and correct bite.Has good front and shoulder placement , Very mature for her age moved out well keeping her level topline at all times , Beautifully presented.

2nd , Routs, Vivacious Kasara with Simuje , 12 month old Gold girl. This young lady has the same attributes as the winner again soundly constructed, with a beautiful head and expression. Not as mature as 1 , was outmoved by the winner.

3rd , Devereuxs , Labweiler Born to be Wild, 9 month old Black and White. Lovely shape and balance , correct head and expression , soundly constructed throughout, gave her handler a tough time .

JUNIOR BITCH(13)

3 Beautiful girls and I wish I had more 1st placed cards here , very little to choose between them.

1st . Watts-Catley. Zanamop Truly Scrumious Cream Gold 17 months old. Lovely head and eye with the typical appealing look . Beautiful shape and balance , good front and shoulder placement , Level topline keep well as she strode around the ring as though she owned it. I am sure she will mature well.

2nd , Plumsted and Norris, Deelayne Moonlite and Roses, Red Gold 17 month old Another smart youngster in a beautifully presented coat. Nice dark eye and pigment , Good lay of shoulder and soundly constructed and moved how she looked, just preferred the expression on 1 on the day.

3rd . Anderssons and Hamill , Tantras Second Sight. Gold 13 months, Lovely correct head and expression with correct bite. Moved well around the ring . Beautifully presented, Slightly different balance to 1 and 2.

YEARLING BITCH(6)

1st . Scarlls, Narmoak Indee Rose with Timazinti , Cream 19months Well balance youngster , lovely pleasing apso expression with nice dark eye, Well muscled for her age and she used it well on the move . One to watch .

2nd . Watts-Catley. Zanamop Truly Scrumious Cream Gold 17 months old. Lovely head and eye with the typical appealing look. Beautiful shape and balance , good front and shoulder placement , Level topline keep well as she strode around the ring. Not as mature as 1.

3rd . Francis, Mokadream Zinnia Ruffles, Gold 17 Month Lovely correct head and expression with correct bite. Moved well around the ring . Just preferred balance of the winner.

NOVICE BITCH(7)

1st . Allens, Quaymore Second Chance, Gold 12 months, Lovely balanced girl. Correct pleasing head and bite giving a typical expression, More settled in this class and moved well.

2nd . Birches , Wrenwrox's Gwendoline Anne , 7 month old , Grey Brindle Lovely pleasing head and expression with correct bite. Well balanced with correct shoulder placement and rib . Moved well with good reach. Not as mature as 1.

3rd . Paradise, Wrenwrox's Mum's the Word for Shardlow , 7 month old, Another girl who has a correct dark eye and correct expression , move well . Just preferred balance of the winner.

GRADUATE BITCH(3)

1st . Caswells, Farrenmills Bethlehem Babe, Gold with black overlay, Nice head and expression with dark eye , Well balanced and soundly constructed with a good front and shoulder placement. Has good muscle and used it well on the move .

2nd . Clutterbuck and Paju, Siimline Glorious Chic Antoria, Cream, Beautiful head and dark eye with correct bite. She moved well around the ring , present to perfection , Lacking a little body at the moment and preferred the balance of the winner .

3rd . Francis, Mokadream Zigadenus, Gold and White, Nicley balance with a pleasing head, preferred the movement of 1 and 2.

POST GRADUATE BITCH (7)

1st . Saunders , Bellellen Bubbilicious, Gold, Nicley balanced lady with a pleasing typical apso expression , Lovely dark eye and very soundly put together and moved with drive and presence . Still maturing at the moment I am sure she will develop well.

2nd . Hornes , Chanceinns Nutty Tart JW, Red Gold, This girl has a lovely balance and is beautifully presented , pleasing eye and expression, Good lay of shoulder, moves around the ring with style and presence. shorter in rib than 1.

3rd , Torrance, Sinyul Love Me For a Reason. Grey, She has a nice pleasing head with correct eye and expression, Just preferred the movement of 1 and 2.

LIMIT BITCH (7)

Another super quality class , very close between these 3 ladies and could have changed places on another day.

1st , Scarlls , Timazinti Liberty, Gold girl , She has a lovely head and expression giving that apso look. Very soundly constructed throughout with good front and lay of shoulder, She has a level topline and keeps this well on the move which she outmoved today . Beautifully presented as always .

2nd , Allens , Deelayne Etoile Russe with Quaymore JE Sh Ch, Red Gold, Again a lovely balance and outline , with correct dark eye and expression giving that apso arrogance. Very sound in all department s , just outmoved by the winner today. Presented to perfection.

3rd , Kings , Vallena Marla, Gold and White , This lady is so soundly put together and the decisions today between the 3 was very close, She has a typical apso expression with a lovey dark eye , Good front and lay of shoulder and she moved out well around the ring, She is slightly less mature than the other 2 , I am sure her time will come .

OPEN BITCH (7)

A quality class of Apsos throughout and I was very pleased the placing's in this class , Outstanding

1st. Ivanovas , Multi Ch Whisborne Tia Maria. Solid Black, Beautifully balanced lady, took my eye as soon as she entered the ring and she certainly did not disappoint . Has that typical apso head with a melting expression , Lovely dark eye a super pigment. She is so soundly constructed with a good lay of shoulder and length of rib, Well muscled throughout and she put this to good use on the move , She owned the ring today and just got better and better looked a picture in super coat. She could not be denied the BCC and Best In Show an outstanding Lhasa Apso a privilege to have judged her in this country .

2nd , Barnett and Carter , Serb and Swe Ch Stings Make My Day (imp,swe). Grey /Brindle. Lovley well balanced lady who was presented beautifully, Again with a typical apso expression , dark eye and correct bite, Again a so soundly constructed with good front and shoulder placement . I just preferred the overall balance and movement of the winner . RBCC and Reserve Best in Show

3rd. Shand- Clarke, Ch Zentarr Megan at Shanclar , Gold Lovely typical apso head and expression with correct bite , another lady that is so soundly constructed. Beautifully presented as always. Preferred the movement and reach of the winner.

VETERAN BITCH (4)

1st, Plumsteds, Simark Lucy Lockette of Showa. Black, 9 years old. Lovely balance in good coat, Still wanting to show off with her handler. Nice eye and head with pleasing expression, Moves well and still holds her level topline. Best Veteran in Show.

2nd ,Locks, Ch Chic Choix Charisma, Gold 7 1/2 year old , Still in fantastic condition and coat , Lovely balance and outline and moved around the ring with style, Preferred the head and expression of 1.

3rd. Surtees , Rossgilde Thyme to Dream at Katay, Gold 8 year old , :Lovely balance and in good coat , Moved well .

BRACE(2)

1st, Roaches , Anjesics Beaulieu/Anjesics Gypsey Rose, Golds , A lovely balanced pair of apso, moved well together , so obvious that they accompanly each other . Looked lovely together,

2nd, McCosh and Logan , Luekiki Diemos to Spyanki JW / Spyanki Exquisite Sh Ch, Golds, Slight difference in size , their owner tried really hard to keep them together on the move however they enjoyed their time together.

BEST BREEDER IN BREED AWARD (1)

1st. Andersons Zentarr Team, 4 Gold apsos all very together and looked a picture as all the owners and dogs were a team .

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