

Wellingborough & District canine society open show

Sat 13th April 2019

Rottweilers – Tamara Baker (Jabacca)

Thank you to the committee for inviting me to judge at this show.

The show was well run & well organised, and I thank my two fantastic stewards whom kept the ring running efficiently.

The ring sizes were adequate, but the floor was not ideal and was very slippery in places, so exhibits were unable to move the dogs particularly well.

Thank you to the exhibitors for your entry.

Puppy Dog/ bitch - 5 (2 A)

1st Jhava Infinity (Mr & Mrs Adams)

9-month-old lovely young bitch puppy. Feminine head with dark almond eyes and correct ratio of skull to muzzle length. Correct dentition with scissor bite. Nice lay of shoulder leading into straight legs with nice tight feet. Good breadth of chest for a young bitch. Straight topline. Although still slightly loose on the move she had a positive & powerful hind thrust. Well defined markings. Correct tail. Lovely proportions. I must just mention her temperament too – what a fantastic, happy, exuberant puppy. Lovely to see her enjoying her day out. *Best puppy in breed*

2nd Leebees Obi Wan Kanobi (Miss L Young)

8-month-old male puppy. Oh my – what a fantastic male head on such a young puppy. Broad flat skull with correctly set ears. Correct ratio of skull to muzzle length, with level topline. Cheeks well boned. Dark eyes. Darkest of flews with correct dentition and scissor bite. Dry head. Lovely clean markings. Nicely constructed front end with a good fore chest developing and good breadth of chest. Good straight topline. Well-constructed hind quarters with correct angles on stifle and nice tight feet. Two normal, fully descended testicles, correct tail. Loose on the move still and I would like to see a lot more overall substance, which I'm sure will come as he matures, as the structure and bone is there – he just needs to fill out and muscle up. Unfortunately, couldn't get to see him really move out due to the floor issue.

3rd – withdrawn

Junior Dog/ Bitch - 1 (1 A)

Post Graduate Dog/ Bitch – 1

1st Leebee's Just the one JW (Mrs B P Lee)

3-year-old bitch. Beautiful feminine head, with correct length of muzzle. Dark almond eyes with calm gaze. Small, correct ears lying flat against cheek. Lovely dry head. Correct dentition. Beautiful, slightly arched neck free from any throatiness leading into well laid-back shoulders and good straight fore legs. Superb fore

chest and lovely breadth of chest with broad well sprung ribs. Loved the fore end on this bitch – so correct! Good, level topline held on the move. Balanced hindquarters with correct angulation. Correct proportions. Superbly handled and moved freely. Correct tail and fantastic temperament. *RBOB*

Open Dog/ Bitch – 1

1st Shayllarr Avicii ShCM (Miss L Lovelidge)

5-year-old male. Powerful, strong male in good hard condition. Strong masculine head, with good stop and straight, level muzzle. Correct dark almond eyes, correct dentition and lovely dark flews. Strong, muscular slightly arched neck. Would prefer slightly more angle to the shoulders and would like to see more fore chest. Good breadth of chest and deep broad rib cage. Excellent topline held on the move and good underline. Superb hindquarters, strongly muscled, with good bend of stifle and correct hocks. Good width between hind legs and moved straight and true with power, propulsion and thrust. Two normal, fully descended testicles. Good tight feet and nice clean markings. Incorrect tail. Movement and hind end construction got him BOB. Lovely temperament. *BOB*