

It was an honour to be asked to judge the ACT Championship Show. The show ring was perfect for an outdoor show. While it was touch and go, the weather cooperated and we managed to stay dry.

The Australian Bull Terrier owners and breeders were very hospitable. All of our needs were met and exceeded. In the ring, exhibitors were more than willing to perform ring patterns possibly unfamiliar to them. Thank you.

I was grateful that the exhibitors spent their time and resources bringing their dogs to my ring. With such a vast country, I imagine some exhibitors came from hours away. I was so pleased to see many quality dogs; lots of good round bone, great expressions, and correct bites.

Our time in Australia was enchanting; thank you to Mike and Di Cross for willingly hosting a couple of "strangers" after the show.

Thank you to the ACTBTC show committee, my ultra-organized and tireless steward, and the exhibitors for all of their hard work to make this such a special experience!

BULL TERRIER

DOGS

Baby

1st: Jessups' **SARAJENI MAJAK** (Sarajeni XcLent x Sarajeni Solitaire) Heavy boned black brindle boy with a long egg shaped head. His mouth is correct, eyes are triangular and his neck is long. His shoulder is well laid back and his front is straight and his elbows are in and tight. His hocks are well let down and his tail is thick at the base and comes to a tapered point. He has a thick coat with a fine gloss. He has a typical jaunty air and moves correctly coming but a bit narrow going. A nice showman!

Puppy

1st: Brasshead's **CREDEM AVENGER AT BRASSHEAD** (UK Ch Emred Devils Advocate x Ch Brasshead Gothic Witch) Heavy boned black brindle boy with average length of head that is well filled. His mouth is correct and his eyes are dark and triangular. He has a shorter than usual back, and a very slight arch over his loin. He has a good bend of stifle, his tail is set on correctly and it is thick at the base and finishes with a tapered point. He has catlike feet. While he moves correctly coming, he does converge toward center going away. He holds his topline on the move.

2nd: Dowell's **JACAMAR FURY ROAD** (Jacamar The Hurricane x Jacamar Ruby Rose) Well conditioned, masculine red dog sporting a long, filled head with a gentle profile. Correct bite. His ears are thin and on top of his head. His long neck leads to an angled back shoulder and straight front. He moved correctly coming but slightly narrow going away.

3rd: Campbell's **HELLOFABULL THE EXECUTIONER** (Bullpatchy Geronimo x Hellofabull Girl Gone Wild) Moderate boned boy with a long head and correct mouth. His eyes are triangular and his ears are thin and on top of his head. While his front is straight, his right leg appeared to be a bit easty-westy. He also moved correctly coming but slightly narrow going away. He was less mature than his classmates.

Junior

1st: Pinker & Zullo's **BULLACTIV WAKING THE DEMON** (Ch Brasshead Gothic Clown x Bekmar Cher) Well conditioned black brindle boy with a long head and correct mouth. While he has dark, triangular eyes, the placement is slightly off. He does have an arch over his loin. His coat is thick with a fine gloss. He moved correctly coming but very slightly narrow going away. He was expertly handled.

Intermediate

1st: Schofield's **STARDOM DEMONS DISCIPLE** (Stardom Dreaming Demon x Stardom Honey Suckle) Moderate boned white boy carrying red. He has a correct mouth. His best attribute is his short back. He has a slight arch over his loin and his coat is thick and harsh to the touch. He moves jauntily, and holds his topline on the move.

Australian Bred Dog

1st: Pride's Ch **SATORI MAGIC MIKE** (Wynnafred Eye Witness x Satori Champs Elysees) This brindle boy is all male! His long, egg-shaped head has plenty of fill. Reverse scissors bite. His expression is superb with a dark, triangular eye and thin ears placed so his head was almost flat between them. Another strong suit is his neck and shoulder construction; his neck is long, he has backward sloping shoulder, and his front is straight with elbows in and tight. A bit more length of upper arm would be a plus. He has a nice arch over his loin and a graceful upward curve from his brisket to his belly. He has a well-developed second thigh. His coat was thick and had a fine gloss. He moved good coming in and slightly converged to center going away. His superior expression coupled with his overall masculinity left him standing today.

2nd: Wiseman's **BULROARUS WOMANISER** (Glenbull Muchacho x Bulroarus Pin Up Girl) How nice to have another ultra-masculine boy in the ring! This white boy was well conditioned with a long, filled head and a correct bite. His ears did not point directly upward. His neck is average in length and his front straight. He has a small arch over his loin and a correctly placed tail that is thick at the base and leads to a fine point. He has catlike feet. He moved true coming in and slightly converged to center going away. He was not the showman of #1 today, but a very exciting male nonetheless.

Open Dog

1st: Jessups' **SARAJENI XC LENT** (Bilboen Xavier x Ch Sarajeni Joker Jane) Red brindle dog with short, filled head. Undershot bite. Dark eyes and thin ears, though he tended to not hold them directly upward. He is a bit straight in stifle. He moved jauntily, but was a bit narrow coming in and going away.

BITCHES

Baby

1st: Pringle and Holman's **WIDGEE HELL RAISER** (Amatol Joe Joe x Amatol Daddys Diva) White, moderate boned, feminine baby girl. She has a long head with a gentle profile. Bite is correct. Her eyes are dark and triangular. Her thin ears are upright. Her neck is long and her shoulder blade is angled backward. She has an arch over her loin. Her tail is placed correctly and it is thick at the base. She moved correctly both coming and going.

2nd: Healand's **SHIRVIN YOKOMO DONTUKNOW** (Shirvin Quiet Storm x Shirvin Mega Miss) Heavy boned white bitch with a long, filled head. Currently her bite is reverse scissors but she is shedding teeth. She has dark, triangular eyes and thin ears. Her neck is long and her shoulder is angled backward. Her front is straight and she has an arch over her loin. She was a bit overwhelmed today and could not fully assess her movement.

Minor Puppy

1st: Cook's **BULLPATCHY MISS CASSIDY** (Bullpatchy Geronimo x Bullpatchy Silver Lining) Feminine white girl with a long head and gentle profile. She has a correct bite and thin ears. While she converged toward center coming and going, she was able to hold her topline on the move.

Puppy

1st: McMaster's **CREDEM MISS DOUBTFIRE** (Emred Devils Advocate x Brasshead Gothic Witch) Stylish and feminine, this white bitch has a long head and a correct bite. Her neck is long, and while she has a good amount of forechest, she is a bit out at the elbows. She has a good bend of stifle, and her tail is thick at the base. She converges ever so slightly toward center when coming and going.

2nd: Campbell's **HELLOFABULL SHEZ ALL STYLE** (Bullroy The One x Hellofabull Dark Angel) This white bitch has a correct mouth and nice thin ears. She is slightly flat in profile. Her upper arm is a little short. She has a nice arch over her loin, and a very angulated stifle. She moved correctly coming and a little narrow in the rear. She needs more time to fully mature.

3rd: McGowan's **TENAZ DOIN HER STUFF** (Tenaz High Voltage x Tenaz Struttin Her Stuff) Colored bitch with long head and correct mouth. Eyes are triangular, and her ears are thin and upright. Her front is straight looking on. She also moved correctly coming and a little narrow in the rear.

Junior

1st: Sutton & Carter's **BARKINOT GLENYS RULES** (Brasshead Gothic Clown x Barkinot Cider Rules) White bitch with long head and correct mouth. Her neck is long and she has a slight arch over her loin. Her tail is set on correctly. She moved correct coming, a little narrow going but held her topline on the move.

2nd: Wiseman's **BULROARUS WHERES WILMA** (Bilboen Xavier x Brimine Missmuck) Cute red bitch with a short head and gentle profile. Reverse scissors bite. Thin ears. Her neck is a bit short and it appears she has a short upper arm, all of which contribute to a little dip at the withers. She moved correctly coming and a little narrow in the rear.

Intermediate Bitch

1st: Jessup's **MONKROMONY HOT GOSSIP** (Sarajeni Easy Rider x Monkromony Killa Queen) Mature, heavy boned white bitch with a gentle profile and good fill. Her bite is correct and her eyes dark. She has small upright ears, and while her neck is not long, there is a backward slope to her shoulder. Her front is straight and there is a slight arch over her loin. Her tail is thick at the base and ends in a tapered point. She moved correctly coming and a little narrow in the rear. She won the class today because of her superior head fill.

2nd: Cross' **MISSIGAI MYSTY MAID CLEO** (Shirvin Like a Hurricane x Missigai Mangalya) Well conditioned brindle bitch with a sweeping profile, though not the fill of #1. She has a correct mouth, and dark, triangular eyes. She has a long, arched neck. Her shoulder has a backward slope, though it can be disguised by her ample markings on her left side. Her front is straight, she has an arch over her loin and a good bend of stifle. Catlike feet. She converges ever so slightly toward center when coming and going. She needs a little more maturity, but she is a real show girl.

3rd: Bush & Krawczyk's Ch **KUBHAVEN BLACKCADDY** ((Jacamar Dream Time x Ch Bekmar Emmylou Harris) Black brindle bitch with a short head, correct bite and thin ears. She has a straight front and a good bend of stifle. Her coat is thick with a fine gloss. She moved correctly coming and a little narrow in the rear.

Australian Bred

1st: Wiseman's **BULROARUS LOONEY TUNES** (Bullpatchy River Man x Bulroarus Barbie Doll) Black brindle bitch with a pleasing profile and roman finish. Her bite is correct and her eyes are dark and triangular. She has a long neck and straight front. Her back is short and she has a good bend of stifle. She moved correctly coming and a little narrow in the rear.

Open

1st: Cross' Ch **SHIRVIN QUANDO QUANDO** (Shirvin Devils Advocate x Shirvin Funky Music) This beautiful and stylish bitch is ultra-feminine and has plenty of leg under her. She is well conditioned with a long elegant head, smashing profile and roman finish. Her bite is correct save for a tooth, her neck long and arched and her front straight. She has a lovely curve from her brisket to her belly, and she has a good bend of stifle. While her coat has some minor ticking, it is thick. She was beautiful on the move, correct coming and almost always parallel going away too. A showgirl!

2nd: O'Connor's **MONKROMONY CHINESE WHISPERS** (Sarajeni Easy Rider x Monromony Killa Queenofharts) Brindle bitch with a long head and level bite. Her eyes are dark and triangular

and her ears are thin. Her shoulder is well laid back, her front straight and she has a small arch over her loin. She moved correctly coming and a little narrow in the rear.

3rd: Wiseman's Ch **BULROARUS ENTEYESING** (Bilboen Your Eyes Only x Bullmystic Jacinda Jewel) Feminine white bitch carrying red. Her head has a gentle profile and she has thin ears pointing upward. Dark triangular eye. Bite correct. She has a good bend of stifle. She moved correctly coming and a little narrow in the rear.

BULL TERRIER (MINIATURE)

DOGS

Intermediate

1st: Elphick's **STARDOM GOLD RUSH** (Bullypins Kaimos x Stardom Golden Girl) Masculine brindle boy in great condition. His head has a gentle profile and lots of fill. Reverse scissors bite. He has a small, thin ear, and his shoulder has a backward slope. His front is straight, there is an arch over his loin and he has a good bend of stifle. His tail is placed correctly and tapers to a fine point. He moves correctly when viewed from the front and the rear. Appears to be slightly oversized. His great head fill and good construction points left him standing in the breed ring today!

2nd: Ch **CHAYLOTTE CHARMING** (GCh Bullaktiv Spotted Owl x Bullyloaded Black Magic) Brindle boy with terrier features. His head is long and his canines are instanding. His ears are thin and while his front is straight, he appears to have a short upper arm. He has arched toes, and on the move, he converges toward center.

Australian Bred

1st: Sharpe's **AELFHIRE DANCE WITH THA DEVIL** (GCh Bullaktiv Spotted Owl x Avindie Hot Gossip) White male with long head. Bite incorrect. He has great expression with a dark, triangular, piercing eye, and thin upright ears. His front is straight and he has a slight arch over his loin. He has a well-developed second thigh, and his tail is correctly placed and thick at the base. Catlike feet. He moved correctly coming and going. A real showman.

2nd: Kidner's Ch **URBUS GAIUS** (Bullypins Kaimos x Ch Urubu Miss Mardi) White boy with mismark at the base of his correctly placed tail. His head is long and bite correct. His ears are thin, his neck long and his shoulder is well laid back. He has a straight front and an arch over his loin. He moved correctly coming and was a bit close going away. He was exhibited well.

Open

1st: Zullo's GCh **BULLACKTIV SPOTTED OWL** (Sugarbye So Im Finn Mccool x Bullaktiv Walks In Water) Brindle heavy boned dog with a long, filled head with a gentle profile. Reverse scissors bite. His expression is good, with a dark, triangular eye and thin upright ears. His front is straight, his back is a bit long, and he has a good bend of stifle. He moved correctly coming and

was narrow going away. While he is a good exhibit, he was significantly larger than the standard calls for.

BITCHES

Baby Puppy

1st: Manna's **CHERRYPIEAP WEREVER I MAY ROAM** (Ch Bullactiv Ghost Warrior x Cherrypieap Gypsy Diamonds) This feminine nearly solid brindle bitch has a long head with good fill. She was teething, but the teeth remaining and her jaw alignment looked correct. She has a dark triangular eye and thin, upright ears. Her neck is long and her shoulder has a backward slope. Her front is straight, her back short and she has a good bend of stifle. She moved correctly coming and going. She was a little show girl!

2nd: Pringle & Holman's **CHERRYPIEAP THE UNFORGIVEN** (Ch Bullactiv Ghost Warrior x Cherrypieap Gypsy Diamonds) This feminine nearly solid brindle bitch has a long head but not the fill of her sister. She was teething, but the teeth remaining and her jaw alignment looked correct. She has a dark triangular eye and thin ears. She has a good bend of stifle. She moved correctly coming and going.

3rd: Pringle & Holman's **CHERRYPIEAP FADE TO BLACK** (Ch Bullactiv Ghost Warrior x Cherrypieap Gypsy Diamonds) Moderate boned black brindle bitch with a long head. She was teething, but the teeth remaining and her jaw alignment looked correct. She has a dark eye and thin ears. Her shoulder has a backward slope and she has a good bend of stifle. She moved correctly coming and going.

Intermediate

1st: Growden's **CHAYLOTTE REDWOOD ORIGINAL** (GCh Bullactiv Spotted Owl x Bullyloaded Black Magic) This nearly solid brindle bitch has a long head and was expertly handled. She has a reverse scissors bite, dark triangular eyes and thin ears. Her neck is long, and her front is straight with her elbows in and tight. She is a bit long cast and oversized. She moved correctly coming and converged toward center going away.

Australian

1st: Ruch's **SPEIREAD IGOTCHA BLING** (Ch Speiread Igotcha Touch x Speiread Pure Bling) White bitch with a gentle profile, level bite and dark, triangular eyes and thin ears. She has a straight front, a gentle curve upward from her brisket to belly and an arch over her loin. Her correctly placed tail is thick at the base and tapers to a fine point. She has a well-developed second thigh. Her coat is thick and there was a tiny amount of ticking. She very slight converged toward center coming and going. A great package.

Open

1st: Kidner's Ch **URUBU LADY MORGANA** (Bullypins Kaimos x Urubu Miss Mardi) Black brindle bitch with a long head. Her bite is correct. Her eyes are dark and her ears are thin. Her front is

straight and she has an arch over her loin. Her coat is thick. She moved correctly coming in and a bit narrow going away.