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Overview of the 2024 State Breed Exhibition from Judge Ian Urie:

I was pleased to be able to officiate at the GSDCT State Breed Exhibition after being called at short notice to replace Mrs Fay Stokes who was not able to come. Whilst entry numbers were lower than can be expected in the Mainland States, and several classes had only one entry, the quality overall was above average, and I congratulate the breeders and owners of the dogs, who were all able to achieve the highest grading in the younger classes.

In general terms, a fault that I noticed in several animals was that the eye colour should have been darker. Other attributes or faults will be evident from my critiques, but they are on par with the majority of GSDs across the country. Handlers were competent and showed good sportsmanship, with the mutual support between Club members a pleasure to see.

I had only one LSC female in the Open class, but Bodecka Ooh La La is a female of very high quality, representative of her breeding, and was my LSC Siegerin, Excellent Merit.

I was pleased to have the opportunity to judge a large Stock Coat Open Bitch class, with 9 entered and 7 exhibited. The class was of very good quality, and I awarded the Excellent Merit grading to the first three females. Bitches do not have the same opportunities to present large numbers of progeny as males do, and I believe it is justified to award the Merit grading based on quality, performance, pedigree, and a certain amount of "crystal ball gazing" as to the future producing ability of high-quality females. I was very pleased to award the State Siegerin title to Hasenway Dixiechick, a top quality female who is quite typical of her mother Zicke Feuermelder, and is sired by Macho Lamorak (both parents are National Gold medallists). Known locally as "Violet" she produced the second place female Miss Buttercup from Chili Della Valcuvia, and notably "Buttercup" is also very typey to her motherline, so is confidently predicted to pass on her very good genotype and phenotype when she is bred. My third Excellent Merit, Komatzu Extra Hot Ruby needs no introduction, and is a sire-typical daughter of Chili Della Valcuvia, from a known producing motherline. The remainder of the class was graded Excellent.

The Open Dog class comprised three males, and my winner and 2024 State Sieger was the Asap von Aldamar son Obama du Montgison. Obama is well known in Australia and has been highly placed at the last three Nationals. He had only one puppy presented here, who won Baby Puppy Dog SC class, but he has previously presented two National Progeny Groups. He is of correct size, and produces strongly pigmented animals of medium strength with harmonious movement. Congratulations to his owners. My second place male was Rasti vom Gamsetal, a more recent arrival in the country. A correct sized dog with good strength, who has a very good pedigree. Rasti also had a class winning daughter, but I would like to see a larger number of progeny from him before awarding the Merit grading. He is a dog that I like very much, and I wish him well with his stud career. Congratulations to

his owners on well-deserved second place and Excellent 1 today. Third placed and second Excellent was Roxamburg One For the Road, a large dog with very good bone strength, bred from well-known Tasmanian resident animals.

Thank you to the exhibitors from this small but proactive Club, and well done on all of your results. As GSDCA NBC Chair I am happy with the standard of the breed in your State.

Ian Urie

Class 1**Baby Puppy Dog (LSC)**

1 Mr T & Mrs L Massis

ELSASS I MADE YOU LOOK

22 Dec 2023 Bred By: Mr T & Mrs L Massis
Rasti Vom Gamsetal (Imp Deu) x Elsass Ballack Caviar(Ai)

ABSENT

Class 3**Puppy Dog (LSC)**

2 Mr G & Mrs G Cullen & Miss J Cullen AMARADA NOTHIN TOO SEE HERE

30 May 2023 Bred By: Mr G & Mrs G Cullen & Miss J Cullen
Ch. Alwin Vom Haus Nesgen (Imp Deu) x Ch. Castastar Gemeka Hit.

Very large well coloured and pigmented long stock coat male. Good type, slightly stretched proportions, good masculine head. Strong masking, medium eye, well set ears. Well angled neck. High withers, firm back, slightly short croup. Good length of bones in forehand. Upper arm is set a little steep. Good hindquarter. Steps slightly narrow coming, correct going. Stands slightly east west. Shows good movement and good reach and drive.

1st

GRADED: VERY PROMISING

Class 1**Baby Puppy Dog (SC)**

3 John Carter

KARABACH TABANAC RIVIÈRE

12 Jan 2024 Bred By: John Carter
Obama Du Montgison x *Freinhauf Firefly Zoe Az

Very good overall type, strongly pigmented male puppy. Good masculine head, medium eye colour. Well set ears, very good proportions and good underline. Good balanced movement.

1st

GRADED: VERY PROMISING

Class 2**Minor Puppy Dog (SC)**

4 Mr G & Mrs K Hall**ROXAMBURG A LITTLE BIT ROWDY**

12 Oct 2023 Bred By: Mr G & Mrs K Hall

Ch. Gewalt Gran Torino x Ch. Roxamburg Rebel For Kicks

Just above medium size. Black and gold male of good overall type. Slightly stretched proportions, medium eye colour. Well set ears. Slightly upright neck in stance. Level wither, firm back, slightly short croup, good fore chest, slightly short under chest. Good angulation of forequarter. Steps correct coming and going and moves with good reach and drive.

GRADED: VERY PROMISING

1st**5 Mr M & Mrs M Lange****ROXAMBURG BRICK IN THE WALL**

12 Oct 2023 Bred By: Mr G & Mrs K Hall

Ch. Gewalt Gran Torino x Ch. Roxamburg Rebel For Kicks

Above medium size. Slightly stretched, black and gold male of good type. Good head, light eyes, well set ears. Slightly short neck, stands with a high wither, firm back, well angled slightly short croup. Good fore and underchest. Upper arm should be longer and better angled. Slightly deep hind angulations. Pasterns should be firmer. Correct coming and going. Moves with slightly restricted forereach.

GRADED: VERY PROMISING

2nd

Class 5**Intermediate Dog (SC)**

6 Ms L Williams**ALLURALIE ALL OUT WAR**

23 Sep 2022 Bred By: Ms L Williams

Ch. Alwin Vom Haus Nesgen (Imp Deu) x Jarrahaus Take A Gamble

66/31 Very large, strong, masculine black and gold dog of very good type and proportions. Broad head, medium eye colour. Well set ears. Good length and lay of neck. High wither, slight nick behind, firm back, well moulded croup which could be a little longer. Very good chest proportions. Good forequarter where the shoulder blade is slightly steep, upper arm could be a little longer. Steps correct coming and going, firm hocks and elbows. Shows balanced movement with good rear drive and slightly restricted forehead reach.

1st

GRADED: VERY GOOD

Class 1a**Baby Puppy Bitch (LSC)**

9 Mrs J Joseph**BODECKA VENGEANCE**Dec 07 2023 Bred By: Mrs J Joseph
Bodecka Casanova x Bodecka Ooh La La(Ai)

5-1/2 months, well coloured young puppy of very good type and proportions, good eye colour and well set ears. Good top and underline good angulations of fore and hind quarter. Shows good balanced movement.

GRADED: VERY PROMISING

1st**8 Mrs J Joseph****BODECKA VENDETTA**07 Dec 2023 Bred By: Mrs J Joseph
Bodecka Casanova x Bodecka Ooh La La(Ai)

5-1/2 months, well coloured and pigmented young female. Good overall type, good eye colour, well set ears still to firm up. Presented today in slightly heavy condition, good angulations of fore and hind quarter. Foreleg length should improve with further development. Moves with good sequence of steps.

GRADED: VERY PROMISING

2nd**10 Mr T & Mrs L Massis****ELSASS RIVER OF DREAMS**22 Dec 2023 Bred By: Mr T & Mrs L Massis
Rasti Vom Gamsetal (Imp Deu) x Elsass Ballack Caviar(Ai)
Bodecka Casanova x Bodecka Ooh La La(Ai)

ABSENT

Class 3a**Puppy Bitch (LSC)**

33 G & H Mathers & Miss L Mathers**CINDERHOF OLENNAA**16 Aug 2023 Bred By: Miss J Cathie
*Ch Babenberg Valentino x *Ch Cinderhof Khaleesii

ABSENT

Class 2a**Minor Puppy Bitch (SC)**

12 Mr T & Mrs L Massis**ELSASS YEAH BABY SHES GOT IT**12 Oct 2023 Bred By: Mr T & Mrs L Massis
Rasti Vom Gamsetal (Imp Deu) x Elsass Call Me Seniorita

7 months. Above medium size, well coloured bitch of good type and proportions. Feminine head, with good eye colour and well set ears. Good length of neck, normal withers, firm back with a slight rise in the topline. Well laid croup. Good forequarter, with good length of upper arm, slightly deep hind angulation. Very good chest proportions, very good length of foreleg. Steps slightly narrow going and correct coming and shows good ground covering movement.

GRADED: VERY PROMISING

1st

11 Mrs P Eaves-Tennant

KARRAINE KASTERS HAVANA

27 Sep 2023 Bred By: Mrs P Eaves-Tennant

Ch. Kaster Van Contra (Imp Deu) x Karraine Magical Miss Minka(Ai)

7-1/2 months, medium size, slightly stretched black and gold bitch of good type. Medium eye colour, well set ears, slightly short neck, normal wither with a slight dip behind. Firm back, croup is short and set slightly steep. Good length of underchest, upper arm should be longer and better angled. Good hindquarter angulation, steps correct coming and going. Shows balanced movement which could be more expansive.

GRADED: VERY PROMISING

2nd

13 Mr T & Mrs L Massis

ELSASS WHOS SEXY IM SEXY

18 Oct 2023 Bred By: Mr T & Mrs L Massis

Rasti Vom Gamsetal (Imp Deu) x Elsass Sister Act

ABSENT

Class 4a

Junior Bitch (SC)

14 Mr D & Mrs K Fahey

ROXAMBURG ROX TO THE MAX

21 Mar 2023 Bred By: Mr G & Mrs K Hall

Ch. Roxamburg One For The Road x Ch. Roxamburg Harleys Rose(Ai)

61cm/28 Very large well pigmented black and gold female of slightly stretched proportions. Expressive head, medium eye colour, large but well set ears. Good length of neck, normal wither, firm back with a slight rise in topline, well laid croup which could be longer. Should develop a little more in forechest, has a very good underchest. Upper arm should be longer and better angled. Good hind angulation. Steps correct coming and going. Shows good movement, forehand reach is slightly restricted.

GRADED: VERY GOOD

1st

16 Ms L Williams**ALLURALIE HEART OF GLASS**

23 Sep 2022 Bred By: Ms L Williams
Ch. Alwin Vom Haus Nesgen (Imp Deu) x Jarrahaus Take
A Gamble

62/30 A very large, strong female of good type and slightly stretched proportions. Strong expressive head, medium eye colour, well set ears. Well angled neck, high wither with slight dip behind, firm back, well moulded slightly short croup. Good fore and under chest. Slightly long through the loin. Upper arm of good length that could still be better angled. Good hind angulation. Steps correct coming and going with firm hocks, elbows are slightly loose, shows very good ground covering movement.

GRADED: VERY GOOD

1st**17 Jordon Petreski****BRONBOREO ALYSHAS PIXIE AZ**

19 Nov 2022 Bred By: Mr B J Pereira & Mr R Pritchard
Wulkano-Uno Von Schnitzerteam (Imp Hun) x Alisha Team Tomahavk (Imp Srb)

57/26.5 Medium size, well coloured female of very good type and proportions. Feminine head, good eye colour, well set ears. Stands with slight erect neck, good withers, firm back, slightly short slightly steep croup. Good fore chest and slightly short under chest. Forequarter angulation is a little steep, with good hindquarter. Steps slightly narrow going, where the hocks should be slightly firmer. Correct coming. Shows good balanced movement.

GRADED: VERY GOOD

2nd**15 Melody Wright-Brown****KOMATZU HIPPYASTRAM**

25 May 2022 Bred By: Jak Redmond
Wulkano-Uno Von Schnitzerteam (Imp Hun) x Komatzu Di Va Chyka

59.5/28 Large strong female of good type and slightly stretched proportions. Broad head with good masking, good eye colour and well set ears. Slightly short neck, normal wither, firm straight back, croup well angled but could be longer, good fore chest slight short under chest. Slightly steep upper arm of good length, good hindquarter angulation. Steps correct coming and going with good firmness of hocks. Shows balanced movement which could be a little more expansive.

GRADED: VERY GOOD

3rd

Class 11a**Open Bitch (LSC)**

18 Jenny Joseph***BODECKA OOH LA LA (AI) AZ**

11 Oct 2020 Bred By: Jenny Joseph

*Chili Della Valcuvia x *Bodecka Mayhem

61/29 Large strong and substantial well coloured female of very good type. Broad expressive head, medium eye colour, well set ears. Good reach of neck, normal wither, firm back with a slight rise in the topline. Slightly short, slightly steep croup. Very good chest proportions, good forequarter with well angled upper arm, very good hind angulation. Steps slightly narrow going and correct coming. Food firmness of hocks and elbows. Shows correct sequence of steps. Very good ground covering movement. Gun sure. Off lead gaiting with good control, maintaining her topline. A

Ooh La La is a Chili Della Valcuvia daughter of high quality and representative of her bloodlines. She had two daughters in the Baby Puppy Bitch LSC class. Well-deserved LSC Siegerin.

GRADED: EXCELLENT MERIT

1st

Class 11a**Open Bitch (SC)**

20 Mr J Haase*** HASENWAY DIXIECHICK AZ ET.**

04 Sep 2018 Bred By: Mr J Haase

Macho Vom Lamorak Ger. Fh-2. Ipo3. (Imp Deu) x Zicke Vom Feuermelder Ipo I. (Imp Deu)

60.5/30 5 years, A large well coloured female of slightly stretched proportions. Pigmentation could be a little stronger. Expressive head, with medium eye colour and well set ears. Well angled neck flowing into high withers, firm strong back and a well laid slightly short croup. Very good angulation of fore and hindquarters, good fore chest, under chest could be slightly longer. Steps slightly narrow going and correct coming with good firmness of hocks and elbows. Shows very good ground covering movement. Off lead gaiting she retained a firm topline. Gunsure.

A high quality daughter of two National Gold medal winners, who is quite typical of her dam. She has produced a quality litter to Chili Della Valcuvia, and her daughter from that litter, who mirrors her own excellent type, was placed second today and graded Excellent Merit. Dixiechick has had very good results in shows, including 2023 Victorian Siegerin. She is well deserving of the Stock Coat State Siegerin title.

GRADED: EXCELLENT MERIT

1st**Mr J Haase & Mrs G Peacock & Mr R
26 Oar***** HASENWAY MISS BUTTERCUP AZ**

11 Feb 2022 Bred By: Mr J Haase

Chili Della Valcuvia (Imp Uk) x Hasenway Dixiechick ET.

60.5/27 2-1/2 years. A large well coloured and pigmented female of very good type, with slightly stretched proportions. Feminine head, medium eye colour, well set ears. Good length and angle of neck, high withers, firm back, a well moulded croup but could be slightly longer. Good forechest and

very good length of underchest. Upper arm could be slightly longer and better angled. Slightly deep hindquarter angulation. Very good length of foreleg. Steps correct going and slightly wide coming with firm hocks and elbows. Very good ground covering movement, and a well-controlled off lead gaiting performance maintaining her topline. Gunsure.

Miss Buttercup is a Chili daughter of high quality, who is very typical of her mother-line. She has not yet produced a litter, but her phenotype and pedigree suggests her breeding will be very predictable. Well deserving of the Vice-Siegerin title and placed behind her dam.

GRADED: EXCELLENT MERIT

2nd

23 Miss T Beaton

*** KOMATZU EXTRA HOT RUBY AZ**

Bred By: Mrs J L Redmond
Chili Della Valcuvia (Imp UK) x Ambala Playboy
Bunny

27 Mar 2021

59/28 Above medium size, well pigmented feminine bitch of very good type and proportions. Broad head, dark eyes and well set ears. Good length and angle of the neck. Normal withers, firm straight back and a well moulded croup that could be slightly longer. Very good angulations of fore and hindquarter. Good chest proportions. Steps slightly close going and correct coming. Shows powerful ground covering movement and a very good off lead performance where she maintained her topline. Gunsure.

Ruby is a high quality, very sire-typical daughter of Chili Della Valcuvia. She has had very good placings in two National shows, and her dam is also a known producer. Ruby has yet to produce a litter, but I predict she will breed true to her own very good type and is deserving of the top grading today.

GRADED: EXCELLENT MERIT

3rd

24 Mr G & Mrs K Hall

ROXAMBURG CAUGHT IN THE RAIN AZ

19 Jun 2021 Bred By: Mr G & Mrs K Hall

Wulkano-Uno Von Schnitzerteam (Imp Hun) x Ch. Roxamburg Rebel For Kicks

59/27 Well above medium size well coloured and pigmented bitch of very good type and proportions. Good head, medium eye colour, ears set slightly close, underjaw could be a little more developed. Well angled neck, normal withers, firm back, well moulded slight steep croup. Good forequarter, where the upper arm could be longer. Slight deep hind angulations. Steps correct coming and going with firm hock and elbows. Shows balanced movement, the wither could be carried a little higher. Good off lead performance. Gunsure.

GRADED: EXCELLENT

4th

21 Glenn & Kristy Hall

***CH ROXAMBURG REBEL FOR KICKS AZ**

15 Sep 2018 Bred By: ROXAMBURG KENNELS

Hasenway Mongtomery Az Bsc x *Roxamburg Luka Me Az Bsc 1

58.5/27.5 6 years, incisors slightly worn due to age. Above medium size, strong, substantial female of very good type and proportions. Broad head, medium eye colour, well set ears, well angled neck, high withers, firm back, well laid slight short croup. Good forequarter, the upper arm could be longer, very good hindquarter angulation. Very good chest proportions, steps correct coming and going with firm hocks and elbows. In movement she showed good sequence of steps, with slightly restricted front reach. Off lead she fell slightly on the forehand, and control could have been better. Sufficiently firm on gun test.

Progeny shown were placed 1st and 2nd MPB (SC) and Ex 4 Open bitch (SC)

GRADED: EXCELLENT

5th

25 Mr B Rainbird

ROXAMBURG PEPPERDEW

17 Jan 2022 Bred By: Mr G & Mrs K Hall

Wulkano-Uno Von Schnitzerteam (Imp Hun) x Ch. Roxamburg Hot Chill

57/25.5 2-1/2 years. A black and gold female of good type and proportions and correct medium size, who is just medium strong. Feminine head, medium eye colour with well set ears, well angled neck, normal wither with a slight dip behind, firm back, and a slightly short slightly steep croup. Forechest should be a little more developed, good underchest. Upper arm should be longer and better angled. Good hindquarter angulation. Steps correct coming and going. Shows balanced movement where the wither should be carried higher. Off lead performance should have had a bit more control. Gunsure.

GRADED: EXCELLENT

6th

19 Mr G & Mrs G Cullen & Miss J Cullen *CASTASTAR GEMEKA AZ BSC. HIT

28 Dec 2016 Bred By: Mrs A.C. Doyle

*Toby Vd Plassenburg A Ed Sch H111 Gmy x Aust Ch. *Castastar Alexi Az Rn Et Pt

62/30 8 years, a very large strong female of very good type, standing at the limit of size. Presented in very good condition for her age. Good eye colour, slightly wide set ears. Well angled neck which could be longer. Normal withers, firm back with a slight rise in topline. Good length of croup set just slightly steep. Very good forequarter angulation, slightly deep hindquarter, good fore and under chest. Shows good ground coverage and gaiting off lead maintained her topline. Gunsure.

GRADED: EXCELLENT

7th

22 Jenny Joseph

***BODECKA MYSTIQUE AZ**

14 Nov 2018 Bred By: Jenny Joseph

*Ch. Seigen Suris Alfie x *Bodecka Zensation

ABSENT

Class 11a

Open Dog (SC)

**28 Mrs S Parker, Mrs S Bick, Mr J Carter
and Mrs B Blythe**

***OBAMA DU MONTGISON AZ (IMP DEU)**

01 May 2018 Bred By: Mr C Trentenaere

Asap Vom Aldamar (Deu) x Josy Du Montgison (Deu)

64/29.5 6 years old. An above medium size strongly pigmented male of very good type and proportions. Dark masking of the foreface, good eye colour. Broad skull with well set ears. Well angled neck that could be slightly longer. High withers, firm back with a rise in the topline and a well laid croup. Well angled forequarter with good length of upper arm. Slightly deep in hind angulation. Very good fore and underchest and good length of foreleg. Steps slightly narrow going, correct coming, with firm hocks and elbows. Gaiting on lead he showed powerful movement with good reach and drive. At times he tends to lift the front feet a little high, but settled through the class. Very good off lead performance. Gunsure.

Obama is a son of VA Asap von Aldamar, who has been at stud in Australia over two years. He had only one son exhibited in Baby Puppy class at this show, but has produced two progeny groups at National shows, with some very good results from his offspring who have now reached the Open classes. Obama has been highly placed at the last three Nationals, including Bronze medal in 2023. He is the deserved winner of the State Sieger title today.

GRADED: EXCELLENT MERIT

1st

29 Mr T & Mrs L Massis

*** RASTI VOM GAMSETAL A ED**

19 Nov 2018 Bred By: Mr T Teubert

Yack V Del Nando Ipo3. x Odette Vom Markur-Stern Ipo1.

63.5/30 6 years. Just over medium size, a strong masculine male of very good type and proportions. Broad head with medium eye colour and slightly wide set ears. Strong well angled neck, high withers, firm back, and a well laid croup. Well angled forequarter with slightly deep hind angulation. Very good chest proportions and good length of foreleg. Steps correct coming and going with good firmness of hocks and elbows. Good balanced movement with strong drive, where the front reach could still be a little more expansive. Good off lead gaiting performance maintaining a firm backline. Gunsure.

Rasti is a well-bred correct sized male with good strength and very good overall type. He had one daughter exhibited today who was placed first in Minor Puppy class. With limited time at stud at present, I believe he will be able to produce well going forward and as a stud male I would like to see more progeny before awarding the Merit grading, which I am sure he will be able to achieve in the near future. Well-deserving of second place and graded 'Excellent 1'.

GRADED: EXCELLENT

2nd

30 Ms L Williams

CH. ROXAMBURG ONE FOR THE ROAD

16 Oct 2019 Bred By: Mr G & Mrs K Hall

Ch. Tuabu Midnight x Roxamburg Luka Me

66/32 4-1/2 years. A very large, strong, well-proportioned male of very good type. Broad head with dark masking, eye colour should be darker, ears are set slightly wide. A strong well-angled neck, that could be slightly longer. High withers, firm back and a slightly short, slightly steep croup. Very good chest proportions. Good fore and very good hind angulations. Steps correct coming and going, with firm hocks and slightly loose elbows. Shows good movement, where the front reach could still be more expansive. Well-controlled off lead performance, where he tends to lose the wither line. Gunsure.

He had a daughter shown in the Junior Bitch class and is graded Excellent today - third place.

GRADED: EXCELLENT

3rd