



BULLPATCHY– Christine Cook

In a “very short” summary of my 34 years of breeding and exhibiting Bull Terriers, I wish to share these moments.

My love for Bull Terriers started at a young age of 17 years old, when I purchased my first Bull Terrier, a puppy bitch CH Sunsplash Goldon Moon in 1987, in which I showed to her Australian Championship.

In 1988 I obtained my prefix “Bullpatchy”, I had my first litter in 1989, I raised my litter at home in my bedroom at my mother’s house, I was 19 at this time. I was very proud of my first litter to Palooka Harleys Comet, owned by Robyn Auckland from Dantaro Kennels and bred by Morris Smith from Palooka Kennels.

I kept a bitch Bullpatchy Fallen Angel and showed her, she went on to produce CH Bullpatchy Choir Girl -Aka Bonnie (ex Bulldair Aristocrat), CH Bullpatchy Choir Girl, Bonnie was a double up granddaughter of CH Kiljarka Kalpa ROM, she became an important influence on my future breeding, Bonnie went on to produce Bullpatchy Chevelle, who went onto produce CH Bullpatchy Kazbah ROM and Bullpatchy McKenzie ROM, litter brother and sister who have much influence in our breed today both in Australia and overseas. Ch Bullpatchy Kazbah ROM is the dam of Bullpatchy Mercedes ROM, Bullpatchy Leeroy ROM, Bullpatchy Kenzy and the grandmother of Bullpatchy River Man ROM, whilst Ch Bullpatchy McKenzie ROM sired numerous ROMs in his time as well as a Australian Trophy Show winner, he is the only sire to have sired five ROMs in one litter, Bullpatchy McKenzie ROM and CH Bullpatchy Kazbah ROM are behind many of Bull Terriers today.





In more recent times:

- Bullpatchy River Man ROM was the first sire to be used in the UK, by the Javarke Kennel, whom the following year produced the 2018 UK Sandawana Trophy Winner.
- Bullpatchy River Man ROM is the Great grand sire of the 2019 Australian Trophy Show Souperlative Box Winner for bitches.
- Bullpatchy River Man ROM is the grandsire of the UK Trophy Show Regent Trophy and Charlie Girl Cup trophy winner in 2020.
- Bullpatchy River Man ROM is the grandsire of the 2022 UK Trophy Show winner of the Ormandy Jug for dogs and the Sandawana Trophy.
- Bullpatchy River Man ROM is the grandsire of the 2022 Continental European Trophy Show (CETS) Trophy Winner.
- Bullpatchy River Man ROM is the grandsire of the 2022 Australian Trophy Show Ormandy Box and Souperlative Box winner for bitches. Bullpatchy River Man ROM has had a large influence in Australia and overseas in the United Kingdom, Portugal, USA, Poland and Netherlands.



Regent Trophy

Bullpatchy Miss Cassidy ROM achieved her ROM status at 7 months old.

Bullpatchy Rivers Run ROM Obtained her ROM at 12 months old.

- Bullpatchy Violet Moon was the Australian Bi-Annual Trophy Show Souperlative Box winner 2019.
- Bullpatchy Super Souperlative ROM obtained his ROM status at 12 months old also the Best Dog winner of the 2020 Australian Bull Terrier National Show.
- Bullpatchy River Darling won the 2022 Australian Trophy Show, receiving both the Souperlative and Ormandy boxes.
- Bullpatchy Pretty River has achieved her ROM Status at 18 months old.



Bullpatchy River Man ROM

I am proud to say that I am still breeding down from my first Bull Terrier Bitch I purchased in 1987, with selective breeding and understanding of genetics and with the welfare of the breed first and foremost.

Since 1997 I have attended the Australian Bi-Annual Trophy Shows as well as attending Bull Terrier State interstate Championship and Specialty Bull Terrier Club shows, still currently.

I have attended Bull Terrier Specialty shows overseas and take an interest in the progression of the breed overseas.

I have been since 1988 on numerous occasions a servicing Executive member of The Bull Terrier Club of Victoria and currently the Treasurer of The Bull Terrier Club of Victoria executive committee. I am currently The National Bull Terrier delegate for Victoria.



Recognising great Bull Terriers and giving them the accolades, they deserve as virtuous Bull Terriers, no matter who and where they come from, sighting them as what virtues they can pass down for generations to move the breed forward.

It has been an honour for Bullpatchy dogs and bitches to receive a highly prestigious award the ROM status and therefore it would be an honour to award this award to other high-quality Bull Terriers in which are able to move the breed forward should they be given the opportunity.

