

IRISH WOLFHOUND CLUB LIMITED SHOW 2009

I would just like to say a big thank you all the committee and all the exhibitors for making my judging appointment a day to remember, I really enjoyed myself and the exhibits did you all justice. I was very pleased with my winners as with all the exhibits. I would like to apologize for the lengthy wait for the critiques this being due to illness and a faulty computer.

Puppy Dog (1 entry)

1st Pask's BARONGLEN THE KNIGHTWALKER Handsome 11 month old, most impressive standing and remarkably sound on the move, good substance, width & bone, lovely powerful neck & shoulders, good spring of rib and well ribbed back, good depth & strong top line, beautiful head and expression, dark eye, good ears & set, covers the ground soundly & with drive. One to watch in the future. BP & BJ.

Junior Dog (4 entries, 2 absent)

1st Pask's BARONGLEN THE KNIGHTWALKER

2nd Bradley's CAREDIG EMMETT AT GLENGAIL Not quite the substance of 1, nice head with kind expression stands well with lovely front assembly, balanced front & rear, well bodied with adequate angulations, true easy movement.

Yearling Dog (no entries)

Novice Dog (no entries)

Post Graduate Dog (3 entries, 1 absent)

1st Wilkinson's HUNACRES KLARK GABLE A tall masculine boy quite long cast but very shapely, good strong front, nice head and ear carriage elegant powerful neck & shoulders, well ribbed back, nicely muscled hind quarters, lovely balanced angulations.

2nd England's UELLA O'GRADY

Nice head, dark eye & good ears, good general outline, nice harsh coat didn't want to move today.

Limit Dog (4 entries, 2 absent)

1st Wild's FINCORRIE KADOO Well presented dog, pleasing masculine head & expression, good ear and carriage & nicely rosed, lovely long muscular neck and shoulders, well filled fore chest, nicely shaped powerful hindquarters, good width throughout, nice tight feet lovely mover, would have liked just a little more body length. RBD

2nd England's UELLA SAMSON

A heavier boy than 1, nice head eye & expression, good deep chest, lovely harsh coat, well muscled throughout, a little stiff on the move but he is almost 7yrs.

Open Dog (2 entries, 1 absent)

1st Pask's AINSEA MADOC OF BARONGLEN What a cracking boy of wonderful type and size combined with substance and muscle power, very mature for his 2yrs, but he has all the essentials, very well presented and in excellent coat, tall & impressive without the coarseness, beautiful masculine head & expression, lovely long strong neck set into excellent shoulders and front, flowing firm topline which he kept on the move, good wide powerful rear quarters, free positive action, holding his outline & extending well, nicely muscled throughout, excellent movement. BD & BIS

Minor Puppy Bitch (2 entries, 1 absent)

1st Picksley's NIGHTWING SHADOWFLOWER 7mth old, nice feminine head with dark eye kind expression, lovely furnishings, good ear carriage, super little bitch all curves, good forechest with good lay of shoulder, nice muscular neck, well ribbed, strong powerful hindquarters, good length of body, nice topline moved well for one so young.

PUPPY BITCH (2 entries, 1 absent)

1st Braine's HOLLYHENGE MISS KISS 11 mth grey brindle, lovely head & neck, good forechest & lay of shoulder, nice tuck up well muscled, lovely rangey bitch, good length of back, ample bend of stifle and good length of second thigh a little nervous today but moved well once she got the hang of it excellent feet.

JUNIOR BITCH (6 entries, 3 absent)

1st Morris's WINDSPRAY FIRESTORM TO AMARACH Nice shapely little bitch, lovely head soft expression, good spring of rib, nice deep chest, nice topline & tailset, muscular hindquarters, good width throughout, adequate stifle, moved with power & drive.

2nd Sheppard's GOLDSWIFT NIGHTWISH Lovely head, dark eye kind expression, nice depth of chest, good spring of rib & bone, ample width throughout, good length of second thigh, nice tight feet movement free & easy.

3rd Box & Timmins's DRIFTCOT EVITA

YEARLING BITCH (3 entries, 1 absent)

1st Morris's AMARACH RATHNAIT Seen this girl as a puppy & she is maturing well, very shapely, lovely head, eye & expression, ample furnishings, good ear carriage, nice strong neck set into well angulated front, good topline & croup, good width over loin, to nicely angulated hindquarters, good feet, in good harsh condition excellent coat texture, well muscled moved with ease & power.

2nd Heather's RAVENSBEech SYLLA Taller bitch than 1 & longer cast, lovely outline, harsh coat, nice head & neck, good tuck up, ample bend of stifle & good length of second thigh, moved with ease & drive covered the ground well.

NOVICE BITCH (6 entries, 2 absent)

1st Gregory's KILLOUGHERY TEAGAN Nice red/br, well proportioned with good length to height ratio, typical head with alert expression, long nicely tapering muzzle, good neck & shoulder, adequate length of upper arm, front well filled in, long topline with good arch over firm loin, wide croup, nicely muscled rear, good sound mover.

2nd Stayte's GRIFEMY MAGIC CHARM AT CARWENWY

Nice gr/br finer built than 1, nicely proportioned with good length of neck into good shoulder, deep body of adequate width, nice rise over loin, moved soundly

POST GRADUATE BITCH (3 entries)

1st Neal's FIAGAI MITEXI AT CAHMEGA Nice big substantial bitch, pretty head, dark eye & nice ear carriage, good neck & top line which she kept on the move, broad chest, good length of loin, strong hindquarters, ample bend of stifle, good length of second thigh, reasonable feet. Moved with drive.

2nd Trethowan's BRAEWISAN AIBREUN Nice gr/br with good head & expression, eyes a little light, reasonable depth of chest, adequate hindquarters, nice spring of rib & good length of second thigh, well muscled, moved a little wide in front.

3rd Broughton's GRIFEMY MAGIC MIST OVER MONTISACRE

LIMIT BITCH (7 entries, 2 absent)

1st Holder & Howe's MASCOTTS NELLWYNS MISS ELLA Nicely matured bitch, presented in excellent condition, lovely broad hindquarters to fit her well proportioned body, has a really lovely outline while

standing, nice feminine head, strong neck and muscular front, good shoulder angulation, nice deep capacious body, excellent ribbing, nice bend of stifle & good length of second thigh, fine mover keeping her topline all the time. BB.

2nd Lockett's AMARACH AILISE Nice feminine head, dark eye with good pigmentation, lots of bone, strong underjaw, nice size, good body shape, well sprung ribs with lots of heart room, good length of back nice width over loin, good tailset, lovely front with good quarters, moved well.

3rd Sheppard's CAIRSTORM FABLE OF GOLDSWIFT

Res Tebbutt's CAREDIG FFIASCO

VHC Harpwood's KILFENORA SPIRIT OF THE SEA AT FINLOREN

OPEN BITCH (2 entries, 1 absent)

1st Holder & Howe's MASCOTTS MICA RBB a very stylish bitch, nice head, dark eye and nicely rosed ears carried well, having the alert expression we all know & love, well muscled neck set into good angulated shoulders, nice deep chest with good spring of rib, ample length of back with good width and arch over loin, good width and bend of stifle. Moved well and with ease but not quite the drive as my BB.

VETERAN DOG OR BITCH (4 entries, 1 absent)

What a lovely class, they were a credit to their owners. All were presented in excellent condition.

1st Holder & Howe's NELLWYNS MR MIDNIGHT Caught my eye as soon as he entered the ring. Not the tallest of males but of good stature nicely balanced with good angulation front and back. Nice deep chest with good spring of rib well tucked up and plenty of width throughout and still in good muscular condition moved well and with drive. B.Vet

2nd Morris's AMARACH AGNEIS Another golden oldie in excellent muscular condition, good coat texture, nice head and length of neck, good front and well ribbed back, ample rise over loin with good width, nicely balanced covering the ground well and with ease.

3rd Stayte's MALLANIGH LILY AT CARWENWY

Hazel Barnes