

Northern California Terrier Association
Barbury Coast BTC
April 16, 2010
Judge: Dale Schuur

My thanks to the exhibitors and Club for the opportunity to judge this entry. The quality overall, I thought quite high. In-standing canines continue to plague in large numbers. This venue, the Cal Expo, is a great place for a spring show with plenty of space for grooming, walking dogs and generous ring size. It's a great atmosphere and one of my favorites, try it because it's worth the trip.

COLORED

Reserve Winners Dog

Ruppel's **Quicksilver Monster Truck** (Ch. Moxie's Rockabilly Quicksilver ex Quicksilver Just Whistle) Lives up to his name, a thundering heavyweight. Impressive powerful head with very good fill and a nice profile. Heavy bone and plenty of substance. Front is straight, but the shoulder could use a bit more layback. He too moves a bit wide in front, but truly behind. Pressed the WD hard.

Winners Dog, Best Of Winners, Best Of Variety

Dykema & Coy's **Bestuvall Sho' Is Hot** (Quicksilver Showstopper ex Ch. Bestuvall Believe's She's Hot) Impressive mid-size black brindle and white. Sweeping profile, very good fill, very nice eye. Incisors correct, canines too tight. Very good balance, nice neck, shoulder, and short back. Very good bone and substance for size. Moves just a touch wide in front and a bit close behind but with good reach and drive. Won the top spot based on head, expression, neck & shoulder, balance and type.

Reserve Winners Bitch

Ruppel's **Quicksilver Going to Graceland** (Ch. Moxie's Rockabilly Quicksilver ex Quicksilver Just Whistle) Medium sized brindle and white bitch who's typey, well boned and bodied. Pleasing head with a gentle profile, very good fill and a level mouth. Blaze is uneven and makes her appear to have a dip in her profile which isn't there. She pressed WB and while typier just doesn't have quite the neck and shoulder. A high quality competitor none the less.

Winners Bitch, Award of Merit

Myall, Harman & Smith **Magor Islay Passion** (Alecto Kool Barracuda of Kilacabar ex Magor Steel Magnolia of Misk) Stylish red and white bitch. Beautiful balanced and flowing outlines, very good neck and shoulder. Head has a very pleasing profile, nice fill and a good mouth. Stacks beautifully and moves truly

both ways. When she is fully bodied she will win the top spots and presses hard for them now.

Best Of Opposite Sex

Harlamoff & Waynee's **Ch. Soquel Millenium Black Fern** (Ch. Brummagem Spectacular Bid ex Ch Brigadoon's All Black Soquel) Smallish black brindle and white. Has very good bone and body for size. Pleasing profile, very good fill and good mouth. Eye could be a bit sharper. Nice ear set, good neck and shoulder. Well balanced package who was "on and off" today, and was rewarded for those few "on" moments today when she looks a picture.

WHITE

Reserve Winners Dog

Alexander & Harris' **Brigadoon Bellissimo** (Brigadoon The Butler Did It ex Ch. Brigadoon Baronesse Essex) Adolescent male with a pleasing nicely turned and filled head. Bone and body appropriate for his age. Moves OK in front and from the side but a touch close behind. Needs to mature to "play" with the big guys, but he's off to a nice start.

Winners Dog, Best Of Winners

Ruppel's **Quicksilver Roadshow** (Ch. Stellar Quicksilver Showshocker ex Ch. Quicksilver American Idol) Impressive medium sized all white. Head is very well turned, wide and well filled. Tiny well placed eye and good ear set. Mouth good, one tight canine. Short backed, very good bone and body for size. Would like a bit more length of neck and shoulder layback, but a typey high class dog overall. Presented expertly and in beautiful condition. Later gave him a Group I in the Bred-by group.

Reserve Winners Bitch

Johnson-Bowen & Myall's **Iceni Gamepoint At Stronghaven** (Ch. Bullenium Big Bazooka ex Ch. Iceni Point Taken) Another high quality bitch. Head has a nice profile, very good fill and eye. Mouth just a couple of teeth off. Excellent bone and substance. Pretty outline and moves OK both ways. Pressed for WB but just doesn't have quite the neck or shortness in loin of her rival.

Winners Bitch, Award of Merit

Clasen & Ruppel's **Quicksilver San Juan Girl** (Ch. Moxie's Rockabilly Quicksilver ex Quicksilver Just Whistle) Medium sized, very well balanced bitch. Head is feminine with a pleasing profile and enough fill. Mouth and eye are good. Nice neck and shoulder, moves pretty well both ways. Bone and body appropriate for size. Presented very well and in impeccable condition. Won her AoM on her overall quality and balance.

Best Of Opposite Sex

Utt & Gothan's **Ch. Bullards N Ardrys Hot Ice** (Ch. Ardry Desert Heat ex Ch. Jael's Hammer of Bullards) Stylish well balanced girl. Head has strong profile, very nice eye and good fill, mouth good. Lovely flowing body lines, very good bone and body for size. Moves pretty well both ways. A pleasure to award her BOS in strong company.

Best Of Variety

Aron, Foote & Garcia **Ch. Deslynn's Yah Mo B There** (Aricon Easy On The Eye ex Deslynn's Dark Lily At Donnybrook) An outstanding "middle of the road" type. He has a very pleasing masculine head of moderate length, nice profile and good fill. Very nice eye and ear set, mouth good. Excellent length of neck and forequarters, very short back. Well angulated both ends, moves truly and with drive in both directions. Wasn't always cooperating with his handler (was being a bit of a clown) but way too much dog to be denied today. Delighted to give him the top spot today.