

Bull Terrier Club of Tampa Bay
Clearwater Kennel Club
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Winners Dog

Jacobson and Maiers' **UNFORGETABULL LOVE OF A DRAGONS HEART**. (GCHS CH Hawthorn Dragons Heart ex Galactic Love That Action) Pleasing make and shape on this young red dog, with excellent body volume, bone, and angles. Happy and exuberant demeanor. Masculine headpiece with some flatness mid profile. Could wish for more bone under the eye. Gave way to WB's smooth headpiece.

Winners Bitch, Best of Winners

Cournoyer, Wright and Nelson's **GLENTOM THAT OLD BLACK MAGIC** (CH Glentom Change Of Heart ex Moonflower White Shiba). Pretty, dark brindle youngster. Overall well-proportioned with nice angles and a short back. Head is classic and smooth. Not doing herself a ton of favors but seems like a sweet puppy. Adequate bone. I think she still has some maturing to do but, even so, she was a nice package on the day.

Reserve Winners Bitch

Jackson and Baval's **OLD ENGLAND'S MISS INDEPENDENCE**. (Fortifeyed With Beauty At Aricon ex GCH CH Old England's Bombshell At Bristol). Pretty and good-natured brindle puppy who was having none of this "showing" thing today. Angles look good, head is classic, ears on top of her head. Eyes are correct shape but could be smaller. Currently, she looks like a young filly - mostly legs and head - but she's just 6 months old. Promising puppy, she gave way to WB's superior body volume and bone on the day.

Best of Variety

Blackwell, Stafford and Poole's **ROCKY TOP'S CHASING DREAMS** (GCHS CH Hawthorn Dragons Heart ex GCH CH Rocky Top's Sweetest Dream) Fabulous solid brindle bitch that I have judged before. Maturing nicely, I will repeat my previous critique: stunning, cobby, solid brindle nugget, beautiful lines in profile, head unbelievably packed and filled right down to the muzzle with a perfect bite. Head has to be handled to appreciate it; the solid brindle coloring is deceptive. Lovely angles, held her topline and moved accordingly. Bone appropriate for her sex and style. Could wish for better details with the front on expression - a more varminty eye and perkier ears would really complete the picture, but no one is perfect and this is an outstanding bitch.

Best of Opposite Sex

Klein, Arroyo, Schuur and Berez' **GCH CH ACTION KISS MY GRITS FROM OLD FORGE** (GCH CH Formula For A Drama Free Brother CGCU TKA VSWI ex GCH CH Action Kissed By The Divine From Old Forge). Very interesting brindle dog that has to be examined closely from all angles to be appreciated. Happy yet calm dog, unmistakably masculine with very good bone. From the side, he presents a balanced picture with nicely let down hocks and a dramatic profile. He's a three-dimensional dog that presents pleasing body volume from any angle. From the front, his head falls away a bit from the forehead-to-nose center line but at the same time has no dip under the eye and has power all the way down through the muzzle. Good eye size, shape and expression. Tidier ears would complete the picture. Easily carries his mouth fault. The thing that pushed this dog to BOS today was his great body volume and masculinity when viewed from any direction.

Select Dog

Tarcov's **CH ENERAGON CHESS DEVASTATOR** (Teirwgywyn Paper Gansta At Bullyview ex Energon Shining Meteor). Upstanding dog with lovely demeanor and a cracking, fat head. Wonderful head in terms of power under the eye and smooth fill all the way down to the muzzle. Shapely from the side with a short back and excellent angles. He gave way to BOS on bone, rib spring and overall body volume, particularly when viewed from the rear.

Select Bitch

Denton, Poole and Kibler's **CH ROCKY TOP'S DREAM SEEKER** (GCHS CH Hawthorn Dragons Heart ex GCH CH Rocky Top's Sweetest Dream) A lovely brindle with excellent construction and a packed up head with tiny eyes. This young lady was sweet but not keen on showing today. Beautiful in silhouette and lovely body volume from all angles when she chose to stand still. I hope she can be convinced that the show ring is for her!

WHITE

Winners Dog, Best of Winners, Best of Opposite Sex

Cooke and Rodamaker's **LECHMERE HIDDEN SECRETS** (Super Bowl's Amadeo ex CH Lechmere Baby Sister). Exceptional dog in so many ways. Head is masculine and so pretty from any angle, filled and long, eyes tiny and placed high on the head, ears right on top. Easily the best front on expression of any exhibit on the day, it stops you in your tracks. Positive reach of neck, fabulous lay of shoulder, deep brisket, shapely body, lovely angles behind, powerful thighs with good width. Adequate bone for his style. Still presents as puppy-ish but he's matured nicely since the fall and he looks like he's on the brink of coming into his own.

Reserve Winners Dog

Miranda and Jaspers' **NOTORIOUS BREAKING NEWS** (Notorious Fake News ex CH Notorious Atomic Blonde). Another good dog with a completely different set of virtues than WD. More moderately angled, with heavier bone and more body volume than WD. Tiny eyes and nice small ears with a wide and very masculine head. Some flatness mid-profile and the picture would be completed from the front if he carried more width down to the end of his muzzle. Unmistakably masculine fireplug of a dog, he is a good specimen of his type. But, on the day, the more sweeping lines and classic headpiece of the WD prevailed.

Winners Bitch

Bruegger's **KENOS WHISTLE STOP BY FORMULA** (GCH CH Action Devils Apprentice By Formula - CH Formula Auburn Power White Tiger Lady). Fully mature bitch with a positive attitude. Head is lovely in profile, excellent eye, good fill, could use a bit more width of muzzle. Pleasing body volume, moderate but balanced. Strong topline. Presented beautifully. Won this spot on her body volume and condition.

Reserve Winners Bitch

Rios and Wright's **ARAWAK QUEEN OF THE SEVEN KINGDOMS WITH GLENTOM** (CH St. George Mr. Magic Man ex CH Glentom's Figmint Of My Imagination). More terrier style bitch with a very pretty profile and lovely length of foreface. Good front on expression. Good angles, presents as immature. Some issues with coat condition. Gave way to WB on overall condition and maturity.

Best of Variety

Barnes, Berez and Schuur's **GCH ACTION LOVEY DIVINE BY OLD FORGE CGCA TKP** (GCH Formula For A Drama Free Brother CGC ex. GCH Action Kissed By The Divine From Old Forge). Super tidy confection of a bitch. Sweet, yet corky demeanor. I loved her compact body with good angles, short back and round bone. Also loved her three-dimensional quality... she had the same pleasing substance from all angles. Classic profile. Head filled, foreface long and strong. Very good eye shape and color, but a bit large. A quality bitch at the top of her game right now, she presented a smooth, finished package.

Select Bitch

Maddox's **GCH QUICKSILVER STELLAR TEENAGE QUEEN** (Quicksilver Wanted Man ex Quicksilver Moonlit Seas At Diablo). Strapping bitch of a completely different sort - more upstanding, covering more ground than BOV. Pleasing profile, good front on expression. Presented in sparkling condition. Copious body volume, she shows lots of brood bitch virtue.