

**Illiana Bull Terrier Fanciers  
Cornbelt Kennel Club  
Bloomington, IL  
May 25, 2024  
Judge: Theresa Spurr**

It was great to be back to the state from where we welcomed our first Bull Terrier in 1991; thank you to The Illiana Bull Terrier Fanciers for inviting me to judge. This show weekend has always been a favorite of mine due to the hospitality of the clubs! I sincerely appreciate exhibitors spending their time and resources to come and exhibit their animals. The quality in Best of Variety was deep, though there were promising youngsters as well.

**COLORED BULL TERRIERS**

**Winners Dog and Best of Winners**

Whitehairs's **SANDSTONE'S ROCKET'S RED GLARE** (CH Bullymoon Stands For Liberty with Sandstone x GCH CH Sandstone's Honkey Tonk Angel) Very masculine, brilliantly red boy with solid bone. Long, strong, well filled head with sturdy underjaw. His bite is correct. Good reach of neck. Front is straight and ribs are well-sprung. Moved well going but converged to center a bit coming in. Presented in great condition today. A true showman.

**Reserve Winners Dog**

James' **HAWTHORN JESSE JAMES** (Emred Devil's Spy x GCH CH Hawthorn Double Bock) Here was a surprise in the ring today! This ultra-masculine boy has a correct headpiece and good expression. He is dripping with bone and substance. His chest is well-developed, which is amazing since he is not yet age 2. He moved well both coming and going. Now for the other side of the coin – he needs to be in better musculature in order to progress in the show ring. His owner did a great job of showing him today.

**Winners Bitch**

Hopkins and Whitehair's **BROKEN ARROW SANDSTONE APESANAHKWAT** (GCHS CH Hawthorn Dragon's Heart x GCH CH Broken Arrow Dancing with Sandstone Under B) Feminine, black brindle bitch with long, arching head. Strong underjaw. I particularly liked her bodylines; her head, neck, shoulder and topline easily flowed from one to the other. She has good forechest and her back is short for her sex. Her hocks are well let down, which is a great end to an overall pretty picture. Her coat color is rich and she was presented in beautiful condition.

**Reserve Winners Bitch**

Smith and Pichilli's **ENERGON SILVER STORMFRONT** (Silver Bullet the Joker at Javarke x GCH CH Energon Bright Star) Here's a little terrier leaning brindle girl with a whooping profile. She has a tiny eye. Mouth fault. She has a long neck, but her coloring onto her shoulder is a little distracting. Her front legs are right under her where they belong. Her underline has nice tuck up. She showed herself off well today.

**Best of Variety**

Kibler and Poole's **GCH CH ROCKY TOP'S DREAM CHASER** (GCHS CH Hawthorn Dragon's Heart x GCH CH Rocky Top's Sweetest Dream) Substantial brindle and white dog with a head packed with power. Correct bite. He has plenty of forechest and his ribs are well-sprung. Correctly tucked up underline. For his size and substance, his movement was agile and all his pieces held together on the go around.

**Best of Opposite Sex**

Poole and Blackwell's **CH ROCKY TOP'S CHASING DREAMS** (GCHS CH Hawthorn Dragon's Heart x GCH CH Rocky Top's Sweetest Dream) Littermate to BOV, this bitch possesses many of her brother's qualities in female form. She has little white on her, so she's not quite as showy as her brother. Pretty headpiece with sweeping profile. She holds her topline on the move.

**Select Dog**

Rios' **GCH CH GLENTOM KING OF HEARTS AT ARAWAK** (Zappy Zac Timar x Glentom's Queen of Hearts) Mature red and white boy. Nicely profiled, unexaggerated head. He had good bodylines and showed himself off well today.

**Select Bitch**

O'Driscoll's **CH HAWTHORN SHIRLEY TEMPLE** (Emred Devil's Spy x GCH Ch Hawthorn Double Bock) Red and white bitch with an exaggerated profile. Substantial forechest and slight arch over her loin. Moved well, especially, going away.

**WHITE BULL TERRIERS**

**Winners Dog and Best of Winners**

Fukala and Bankus' **ARAGON FLYE ME TO THE MOON** (CH Clansmann Super Flye Guy x GCH CH Bobuddy Neptune)  
White juvenile boy with long sweeping head and strong underjaw. He has a long neck and correct topline. Well-developed second thigh.

**Reserve Winners Dog**

Wendland's **CLANSMANN MASTER BLASTER** (Aricon Fiery Eyes at Clansmann x Clansmann Wicked Upriser) This is another boy similar in type to the boys out this weekend. He has a long head. His strongest suit is his triangular eye. There is plenty of leg under him and moves with reach.

**Winners Bitch**

Whitehair's **SANDSTONES AND TERJOS TOUCH OF MOONLIGHT AND MAGIC** (Terjo's The Vital Spark x Sandstone's Moonlight Over the Maidens With Terjos) Here's a bitch with good bodylines and balance. She has a pleasant, but unexaggerated, profile. Strong forechest, long neck and correct topline. Held everything together while moving.

**Reserve Winners Bitch**

Baxter and Bankus' **ARAGON BORN TO FLYE AT OHANA** (CH Clansmann Super Flye Guy x GCH CH Bobuddy Neptune)  
Here's a really pretty package. She has a pleasing profile and well-placed eye. Perfect bite. Unfortunately, she has little color on her nose, which distracts from her otherwise typical bull terrier expression. Good mover in all directions.

**Best of Variety**

Whitmer and Prater-Piles' **GCH CH FORMULAS ROMAN GLADIATOR AT BRILLIANT** (GCH CH Action Devils Apprentice By Formula x GCH Actions Formula For A Queen) This mature statesman continues to show himself well. He is staying in the ribbons because of his correct egg-shaped head with varminty expression. His back is short, which adds to the overall picture. His movement is better than most with reach in the front and drive in the rear.

**Best of Opposite Sex**

Cremeans, Leonard and Evans' **GCH CH GALATIC BITTERSWEET LEGACY AT IRUKANDJIFDC BCAT CGC TKN** (Mighty Crew Irukandjifdc x Galatic Double Star) Well balanced, feminine bitch with a long head, tiny eye and wicked expression. Bite off. She has plenty of forechest, and a pretty topline. Her topline has a small arch over her loin, and her tailset is correct. She moves out easily coming and going. Exhibited in top notch condition.

**Select Dog**

Smith and Cox's **CH SOME OKIES HOT CLASSY LEGEND OF DEVILS SPY CGC TKN** (CH Kingsfarm's Hot Classy Devil x Some Okies Wicked Witch) Well-made boy with adequate bone. Pleasant profile that is not overdone. Typical expression and good head fill. Liked his construction from the withers back.

**Select Bitch**

Bankus and Frangos' **ARAGON WHEN SPARKS FLYE** (CH Clansmann Super Flye Guy x GCH CH Bobuddy Neptune)  
Feminine girl with plenty of show presence. She has a long, sweeping profile and well-set eye. Pretty bodylines and moves gracefully.