

Bull Terrier Club of New England

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Taunton, MA

Judge: Andrea Gates

I would like to extend my heartfelt thanks to the Bull Terrier Club of New England for the kind invitation to judge at your show. It was a genuine pleasure to spend the day among such passionate exhibitors and quality dogs. The atmosphere was welcoming, the organisation seamless, and the hospitality deeply appreciated, especially the fruit, cheese and coffee to start the day and Mexican food for lunch! It's always an honour to be entrusted with the opportunity to assess dogs that breeders and owners have poured so much care and dedication into. Thank you again for allowing us to be part of your event.

COLORED, 3-1 (2-3)

Winners Dog, Best of Winners, Best of Opposite Sex and Best of Opposite in Breed

Fullwood & Jaspers. **NOTORIOUS FOX AROUND AND FIND OUT** (CH Hawthorn Dragons Heart x Notorious No Fox Given) An 11-month-old brindle and white powerhouse who commanded attention from the moment he entered the ring. His head is truly stunning—deep, fully filled, and supported by a strong, masculine muzzle, though the bite is incorrect. He's well made throughout and undeniably eye-catching, with super strong shoulders and a beautifully constructed front assembly. His straight front, tight feet, level topline, and excellent bend of stifle complete a picture of impressive physicality. Still very much a youngster, his exuberance occasionally got the better of his handler, but never with malice—just youthful mischief. His quality shone through regardless, and I'll be watching his career with keen interest.

Reserve Winners Dog

Corse & Patterson. **HAWTHORN THE GOALKEEPER FOR CORSAIRE** (CH Leo Messi Hooligan's Bull x GCH CH Hawthorn Irish Coffee) A brindle and white dog with an up-on-the-leg frame that gives him a refined, athletic outline. He presents a sweeping profile with enough fill and a correct bite, supported by a neck of high insertion that flows into decent shoulders. Hind angulation is adequate, and he's nicely short-coupled, contributing to a balanced silhouette. While he moved well and tracked cleanly, he lacked true drive and extension on the move, but I think that will come with maturity. Overall, he would benefit from more bone throughout to enhance his overall substance and presence.

Winners Bitch

Jaspers & Vachon. **NOTORIOUS TRYINGLY HOT** (Notorious Regatta De Blanc x Notorious No Fox Given) A tricolour bitch who appeared a little overawed on the day, but nonetheless showed quality and promise. She presents a beautiful, sweeping profile with pleasing fill, though she would benefit from a touch more strength in the muzzle to complete the picture.

Her expression was somewhat muted, as she was reluctant to use her ears, likely due to her nerves. Shoulders sit slightly forward, but she carries good hind angulation and maintains solid substance throughout. Her feet are neat and well-formed, and she moved well—clean and steady, with functional soundness.

Best of Variety

Da Silva Poitras, Fritscher & Jaspers. **CH NOTORIOUS SOLID GOLD** (CH Clansmann Super Flye Guy x Notorious Good As Gold) A red and white bitch with elegant lines. From the outset, she gave an overall impression of quality and correctness, combining substance with femininity in perfect measure. Her head is sweeping and well-proportioned, showing excellent length and fill with a correct bite. While she could use her ears more to enhance expression, they are correctly placed and in keeping with her refined outline. Structurally, she's well put together—correct shoulders and front assembly, complemented by well-angled hindquarters and very good bone throughout. On the move, she covered the ground with ease and efficiency, showing both soundness and style.

Select Dog

Searles & Corse. **GCH CH REQUIEM STAY KHROME PONYBOY**(CH Patterned Head Bull Boot x CH Khromeheart Corsaire From Provokacija) A brindle and white dog, up-on-the-leg, terrier-type frame that gives him a racy, athletic outline. He has a pleasing profile, though a touch more fill would enhance overall head strength and balance. Shoulders are decent, though the upper arm is short. He's a little long in back but carries nice hind angulation that contributes to his overall movement. On the move, he tracked adequately both coming and going, showing functional soundness without exaggerated drive.

Select Bitch

Hess, Hess, Searles & Corse. **CH REQUIEM KAPTIVATING IN KHROME** (CH Patterned Head Bull Boot x CH Khromeheart Corsaire from Provokacija) A tiger brindle and white bitch with a classic terrier outline. She carries a sweeping head with pleasing fill, giving her a balanced and feminine expression. Shoulder and upper arm construction are adequate, though she presents as slightly long cast. Her hindquarters are strong and well-angled, contributing to a steady, clean movement. While she moved well and showed functional soundness, she would benefit from additional bone and overall substance to complete the picture and enhance her ring impact.

WHITE, 1-3 (0-2)

Winners Dog and Best of Opposite Sex

Jaspers. **NOTORIOUS GRANITE AND GRIT** (Alecto Kool Barra Cuda of Kilacabar x CH Notorious Make America Great Again) A 9-month-old white dog with a cheerful, exuberant temperament. His head is plain and would benefit from additional fill to strengthen overall expression and power, small piercing eyes, his bite is correct. He's moderately constructed with decent shoulders, a moderate upper arm, and well-angled stifles. There's a tendency to stand low in the pasterns, which slightly affects his front movement. On the move, he tracked parallel behind but showed looseness in the front. Still very much a youngster, who is sure to improve with maturity.

Winners Bitch, Best of Winners, Best of Variety and Best of Breed

McClamrock, Deevers, Perrott & Migliorie. **APPRENTICE DANCIN THE CHA CHA TKN** (CH Action Headed For Fame x GCH CH Apprentice's Gandy Dancin) An eye-catching all-white bitch who radiates elegance and quality. She possesses a beautiful, feminine head with pleasing turn and good fill, complemented by small, well-placed eyes and ears that together yield an exceptional expression. Her bite is perfect, completing a refined and balanced headpiece. Short-coupled and proportionate, she carries correct bone and substance for her size while retaining a graceful outline. A noticeable roach in her topline was evident both standing and on the move, but did not detract from her overall appeal. Structurally, she shows correct shoulders, a decent front assembly, and excellent bend of stifle supported by a strong second thigh. She moved with ease, covering the ground efficiently, and was presented in immaculate condition.

Reserve Winners Bitch

Da Silva Poitras, Fritscher & Jaspers. **NOTORIOUS FLYE ME TO THE MOON** (CH Clansmann Super Flye Guy x Notorious Ronda Rousey) A white bitch with brindle ears, presenting a beautiful head with pleasing turn and fill, complemented by a correct bite. Her shoulders are well placed, though a touch more length in the upper arm would improve overall reach and balance. She stands over a straight front and is slightly long cast but carries strong hindquarters with a correct bend of stifle that supports her movement. On the move, she tracked parallel in front, a little close behind but with functional soundness, showing a steady and composed performance.

Select Bitch

Whitehair. **CH SANDSTONE AND TERJOS TOUCH OF MOONLIGHT AND MAGIC TKI** (CH Terjo's The Vital Spark x GCH CH Sandstone Moonlight Over The Maidens With Terjos) A mature five-year-old white bitch with black brindle head markings that frame a well-turned and filled head. Her small, well-placed ears contribute to a tidy expression, though her mouth is slightly under. She presents with beautiful bodylines and a level topline, offering a balanced and elegant silhouette. While her feet were somewhat untidy, she moved parallel with steady, composed action. A seasoned lady whose overall quality and structure remain evident.