

Bull Terrier Club of Dallas

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Thank you so much to the Dallas club for inviting me to judge. The entry was lovely, and I'm encouraged by the quality that I saw in the ring. The presentation and condition of the dogs was excellent overall, kudos to the handlers and owners. The hospitality and efficiency of the club was fabulous, as usual.

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Winners Dog

Brewer and Graulau's **GLENTOM SUPER MOON RISING**. (CH Clansmann Super Fly Guy ex CH Glentom Dark Side of the Moon) Brindle and white dog with a beautiful headpiece. Classic profile, lovely length of foreface, Filled right down to the muzzle, nice width to the muzzle, excellent front on expression. Clean front, sweeping body lines, albeit with a touch of softness behind the withers. Could wish for more rib spring but overall a pleasing exhibit.

Reserve Winners Dog

Shelly-Avery and Avery's **TREDECIM KAGUTSCHINOKAMI** (CH Bulroarus Bobby Dazzler ROM ex GCH CH Tredecim Eloquence of Benzaiten). Heavy-boned, masculine red dog. Excellent construction, moved as smooth as glass. A good head, nice profile, decent fill and expression. Gave way to WD on fill under the eye and width of muzzle, but a quality exhibit.

Winners Bitch, Best of Winners

Byzewski and Thomas' **GRABO PAINT THE TOWN RED AT MAGOR** (Rabram Rockstar ex Grabo Bahama Moon). Red puppy with a beautiful head, smooth in profile, filled all the way down to the muzzle, good front on expression. Lovely reach of neck. Gorgeous round bone, pleasingly full body volume from every angle. Excellent spring of rib, nice wide chest from the front. Rear angles excellent, not quite matched in front, could also wish for a touch more length of front leg. This young lass is a sparkling showgirl and really asked for this win.

Reserve Winners Bitch

Jackson, Leonard, and Thomas' **GRABO STRIKE A POSE AT KRUKANDJI**. (Rabram Rockstar ex Grabo Bahama Moon). Littermate to my WB, this is an upstanding brindle and white puppy with a beautiful head and a wicked expression. Smooth in profile, nicely filled to the muzzle, good eyes, ears bang on top of her head. Construction clean with good angles. At this time she has a touch more rise over the loin than is ideal for me. Presented to perfection. Today she gave way to WB on body volume, maturity and construction over the loin, but she has more scope than my WB and plenty of room to mature. One to watch.

Best of Variety

Kline, Arroyo, Schuur and Berez' **GCH ACTION KISS MY GRITS FROM OLD FORGE** (CH Formula for a Drama Free Brother CGC TKA VSWI ex GCH Action Kissed by the Divine From Old Forge) Upstanding, masculine dog with a powerful head. Head is wide and filled all the way to the muzzle, lovely profile, mouth fault. Not a totally smooth head, but very masculine. Gunbarrel front, gorgeous spring of rib, powerful from every angle. As I have commented before, this is a pleasingly three-dimensional dog. An indifferent showman, this is not a dog that grabs you by the lapels, but the more you look at him the more he says quality.

Best of Opposite Sex

Blackwell, Stafford and Poole's **ROCKY TOP'S CHASING DREAMS** (GCHS CH Hawthorn Dragons Heart ex GCH CH Rocky Top's Sweetest Dream). This cobby solid brindle nugget has matured nicely. Beautiful spring of rib, short back, nice angles. Head is turned and filled all the way to the muzzle. Presented beautifully, moved well in all directions. A lot of typey bitch in a nice compact package.

Select Dog

Kibler and Poole's **CH ROCKY TOP'S DREAM CHASER** (GCHB CH Hawthorn Dragons Heart ex GCH Rocky Top's Sweetest Dream). Compact, masculine brindle dog with beautiful bone and substance. Lovely profile, nicely filled, good expression. Of a completely different type than BOV, has the virtue of cobby type together with masculinity.

Select Bitch

Croucher's **GCHB CH OLD FORGE HERSHEY KISSES BY ACTION** (CH Formula for a Drama Free Brother CGC TKA VSWI ex GCH Action Kissed by the Divine From Old Forge) Powerful black brindle bitch with a fat headpiece and plenty of scope. Substantial bitch - this is another one that is a pleasingly three-dimensional animal.

WHITE

Winners Dog and Best of Winners

Croucher and Thomas' **GRABO ACIE NOTHING ELSE MATTERS** (Rabram Rockstar ex Grabo Bahama Moon) Beautiful, powerful dog in a compact package. Lovely head, classic masculine profile, gorgeous fill all the way down to the muzzle. So much bone down the front leg that you can hardly get your hand around it, leading down to super tight cat feet. Shapely

body, excellent rib spring, good topline, nice rear angulation. Still somewhat immature, he's a promising combination of substance and cobbiness. Presented beautifully.

Reserve Winners Dog

Shelly-Avery and Avery's **TREDECIM IZANAGINOMIKOTO** (CH Bulroarus Bobby Dazzler ROM ex GCH CH Tredecim Eloquence of Benzaiten). Upstanding and scopey mature dog. Spot-on angles and construction, he's a great example of form following function – he glides around the ring effortlessly. Good bone, pleasing body volume. Gently turned head, excellent eyes and ears.

Winners Bitch

Blas' **BLAS BULLS LADY OF THE DAWN** (CH Tawnbarr Texas Sunrise ex Brookbully Maria) Beautiful packed up head on this young lady. Classic profile, completely filled from the front, all the way down to the muzzle. Nice bone, Nice neck into shoulders, pleasing body volume. Good angles, could use a touch more leg under her to complete the picture, but a good brood bitch type.

Reserve Winners Bitch

Rios and Wright's **ARAWAK QUEEN OF THE SEVEN KINGDOMS** (CH St George Magic Man ex Ch Glentom's Figmint of my Imagination) Different in style than my WB, this one is a strong upstanding bitch. Beautiful outline, smooth headpiece with a classic profile and good front on expression. More classic proportions than my WB but gave way on head power from the front.

Best of Variety

Thomas' **GRABO SUBTLE AS THUNDER** (Rabram Rockstar ex Grabo Bahama Moon) Stunning white dog that walks into the ring with a swagger and a hail-fellow-well-met attitude. Fabulous head smooth from every angle, punishing little eyes, ears on top of his head. Short back, standing over a lot of ground, gorgeous rear, good front. Wide and strong from every angle, gorgeous spring of rib and a graceful underline. Broad from the front, smooth through the shoulder. Presented beautifully, moved well in all directions.

Best of Opposite Sex

Cremeans and Evans' **GCH GALACTIC BITTERSWEET LEGACY AT IRUKANDJI CGC TKN** (Mighty Crew Irukandji ex Galactic Double Star) Lovely white bitch with a pleasing pro-

file and outline. She is one that catches your eye and you keep coming back to. Lots of bone, classic profile, beautiful fill under the eye. Plenty of power, wide viewed from the front. Presented beautifully, she showed her heart out.

Select Dog

Cooke and Rodamaker's **LECHMERE HIDDEN SECRETS** (Super Bowl's Amadeo ex CH Lechmere Baby Sister) Upstanding, attractive dog. Tiny, wicked eyes, beautiful head, classic male profile. Strapping fellow, deep through the brisket with plenty of rib spring. Lovely angles, elbows tucked up and back on the ribcage, plenty of prosternum. Moved well in all directions, presented beautifully.

Select Bitch

McPeters and Bebb's **GCH SUNNY SKY ST. GEORGE KEEP DRIVING** (CH Lonestar Whole Lotta Hoopla ex St. George Sugar Sugar) Really nice terrier-style bitch. Absolutely classic picture in profile, from her smooth profile to her well-placed shoulders, strong topline shape-ly body and lovely rear angles. Gorgeous ears and eyes from the front. Head not fat but pleasingly filled all the way down to the muzzle. Decent bone, could wish for more width overall. She pushed hard for BOS but, on the day, she gave way to the BOS' width and power.