

The Lancashire Heeler Club Open Show 9th Feb 2025

I would like to thank the committee and the officers of the Lancashire Heeler Club for inviting me to judge this wonderful breed. Twenty-three years ago, when I went to my first heeler show, just to watch, I never thought I would be a judging the Open Show one day. I would also like to thank my two stewards for keeping the classes running so smoothly. And the biggest thank you for to all my entries.

JUNIOR DOG (3,2)

1st Homer BARLEYDUST NORL FOX. 11 month old b/t good head and dark almond shaped eye with correct scissor bit and good angulation. Level top line which he kept on the move, one to look out for in the future.

POST GRADUATE DOG (2,2)

1st Thomas SKIPEST WINTER BLUES. 2 year old male with very masculine head and correct skull and ear set. Good front and well ribbed with a tail set slightly low which showed on his top line. Moved well when he settled.

2nd Lagonegro LANKEELA KRISTI AND EEYORE. 3 year old l/t maturing well. Good head and dentition with good length of neck. Slightly long in the loin and, moves ok shown in good condition.

LIMIT DOG (3,3)

1ST Cooper SWANNDALE WALTER TYBLT What a gentle expression. Lovely dark eye and correct head planes and ear set. Good strong top line and correct angulation, ok tail set. Moved well.

2nd Hughes POOLHEYWOOD BARNEY JW. Correct head with dark eyes and good ear set. Level top line which he kept on the move, slightly long in loin and leg. moved well. very well shown.

OPEN DOG (4,2)

1ST Thwaite CH RIBBLESPRIDE CRAKEMOOR. Very impressive male with a very handsome expression. Correct head and neck, good strong chest and good angulation front and back. Level top line which he kept on the move. An overall show man. Happy to give him BD and RBIS.

2nd Rigby ARENITE SUNDANCE KID. This young man was enjoying his day. Good dentition and ear set, show in good condition moved ok.

VETERAN DOG (2)

1st Lord CH FOXTHYME BRADLEY. 12 1/2 years old this male looks half his age. Very smart compact dog, good front and top line which he kept on the move, shown in good condition. Happy to give him BV BVIS.

PUPPY BITCH (4)

1st Clough & Edwin RIBBLESPRIDE FREYR FENRIR. 11 months lovely quality Bitch, good head and neck, front and back angulation correct, moved well. Really enjoying her day. Happy to give her BPB BPIS

2ND Thwaite RIBBLESPRIDE MASQUERADE. Litter sister to one and another quality Bitch that could swop with one on another day. Lovely head good dentition level top line. Good tail set. Moved ok.

JUNIOR BITCH (2)

1st Griffin DROVERSROCK TIGERS EYE. 14 months old L/T Bitch nice head with good ear set, correct length of neck, slightly narrow in front, good topline and moved ok.

2nd Bowker ROSIE BOUQUET. 17 months old L/T Bitch. Lovely feminine head with good front and back angulation, good length of rib and moved well. Shown in good condition.

GRADUATE BITCH (1)

1st Wiseman FOXTHYME TILLY. A lot to like about this little girl, very feminine head with lovely dark eyes and good ear set, lovely rich tan and well balanced firm level top line. Moved well.

POST GRADUATE BITCH (2,1)

1st Erwin LADY DORA DELIGHT. Good dentition and correct head with a lovely dark eye. Good chest and level topline which was held on the move. moved ok and shown in good condition.

LIMIT BITCH (1)

1st lord CH FOXTHYME MOCHA MILLITTIA. Love this girl, very pretty head with good ear set and correct neck and shoulder. Good front and rear angulation and good tail set, moved well.

OPEN BITCH (4)

1st Howdle CH UTTHANSHAVAN DARLIN DEAR. What a lovely Bitch. She came into the ring and said look at me. Good head correct length of neck, good chest and correct angulation front and back. Level topline which she kept standing and on the move. Moved with drive. Happy to give her BB BIS

2nd Creasey CH VITTADOR GOID DUST FOR LEYSIDE. Another very nice Bitch that could change places with one on another day. Smaller than one but all there, she stands

square with correct head neck and topline. Moved with purpose. Shown in good condition.

VETERAN BITCH (6,1)

1st Lord CH FOXTHYME TRUE COLOUR. Yet another lovely Bitch. Feminine head with a lovely expression and correct ear set going into a correct neck and fore chest. Well ribbed body with good read angulation, moved very well. Happy to give her BVB.

2nd Davies BLACK ROSE AT RONLEYDON. Nice Bitch good head with a lovely kind eye, correct ear set and good length of neck into good shoulder and level topline. Good tail and set moved ok.

SPECIAL CLASS

SPECIAL OPEN LIVER/TAN DOG OR BITCH (5)

1st Lord CH FOXTHYME MOCHA MILLITTA

2nd Davies TAIGWYNION FREYA SADIE IN RONLRYDON.

JOY SMITH MEMORIAL OPEN DOG OR BITCH (6)

1st Thwaite CH RIBBLESPRIDE CRAKEMOOR

2nd Thomas SKIPEST WINTER BLUES

BRACE (3, 1)

1st Thwaite CH RIBBLESPRIDE CRAKEMOOR and RIBBLESPRIDE MASQUERADE

2nd Davies BLACK ROSE IN RONLYDON and TAIGWYNION FREYA SADIE IN RONLYDON

SPECIAL OPEN DOG OR BITCH (9)

1ST Wiseman FOXTHYME TILLY

2nd Thwaite RIBBLESPRIDE MASQUERADE.

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