

DARLINGTON

## LARGE MUNSTERLANDER

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I'd waited a long time for the privilege of awarding CCs in this breed and I was not disappointed. Overall the bitches were stronger than the dogs. Thank you for your entry and your lovely comments after the judging they were much appreciated.

VD (2) Two nice boys, I'm sure have changed places many times. 1 Middleton's Sh Ch Raycris Quite Amazing Von Zelawencdex Udex. 7 year old, fine upstanding dog, well balanced, strong and muscular. Broad skull, softly rounded. Correct eye, dark giving kind expression. Well off for bone, straight front correct tight feet. Good forechest. Good spring of rib, correct length of body. Strong muscular hindquarters. Correct bend of stifle. Moved well, free striding. Pushed hard for the top spot, pleased to award him the RCC. 2 Logie's Sh Ch Albadhu Paws For Perfection. 8 year old, slightly narrower in skull. Not as well developed in forechest as 1. Well off for bone, well developed body lovely spring of rib. Would prefer a bit more bend of stifle. Well muscled hindquarters. Moved well with easy gait.

JD (2,1) 1 Day's Waldo Vom Busshof Mit Alfriston (Imp). 16m old who decided to play his handler up today, really at the very juvenile stage. Nice head, broad skull, good depth to muzzle, kind eye, sufficient layback of shoulder, however would prefer a bit more chest which may come in the future. Good spring of rib, moderate bend of stifle, well muscled. Movement ok certainly worth persevering with.

PGD (1) 1 Draper's Quilesta Just Talented. 22m old. Good shape to head, kind eye and expression would prefer a bit more work in the head. Well off for bone, lovely tight feet, a little wide in front and slightly straight in upperarm. Good length to body. Well bent stifle. Moved well in good hard condition.

LD (2,1) 1 Macgregor's Ekkolander Snowstorm. 2 year old not quite with the big boys but plenty to offer. Nice broad head with a soft roundness to it. Good shape to skull, good depth to muzzle, soft eye expression. Moderate forechest, well off for bone, good layback to shoulder, correct spring of rib. Well muscled hindquarters, good bend of stifle. Moved well with ease.

OD (5) Quality class and so it should be! Liked what I was seeing and had to nit pick! 1 Jenk's Kalabagh Lightning. Typical Munsterlander in size and type. Exquisite head, broad enough for breed type with enough softness to be handsome. Good overall balance, well off for bone, correct length of body, a fraction more layback of shoulder would have been perfect. Good spring of rib. In lovely condition moved well with drive and type. Pleased to award him the CC, I've been told is his 2nd & I'm sure his crown will come soon. 2 Macgregor's Sh Ch Jaudas Fame And Glory. Equally nice dog of excellent quality, lovely typical head with kind expression. Good bone, well muscled body, typical of his breed. Lovely bend of stifle. Moved well, covering the ground. 3 Taylor's Sh Ch Ichbin Jester Of Tattay ShCM.

JB (2) 1 Putnam's Asterpoint Faraday. 17m lovely head very feminine kind expression plenty of work/development to come. Very good forechest, straight forelegs, well off for bone, feet could be a bit tighter. Good spring of rib, correct length to body. Well muscled, moderate bend of stifle but everything still developing. Moved very well, covering the ground with good extension. Not a colour pattern I'd seen before-quite striking! 2 O'Connell's Jaudas Look At Me. Nice solid bitch, plenty to like about her. Slightly lighter in head, kind expression. Not quite the forechest of 1, however did have tighter feet. Lovely spring of rib and bend of stifle. In good coat condition. Movement was a bit erratic but she's a happy girl of good quality and I'm sure will do well.

PGB (2,1) 1 O'Connells Jaudas Look At Me, repeat.

LB (6,1) Some very strong contenders here and I'm sure all will swap places! 1 Robin's Destanli Jeddas Diamond. Very typey, good head with correct width and type, kind eye. Well balanced, a bitch of substance, good shaped body with good spring of rib. Well off for bone. Strong hindquarters, good bend of stifle. Would prefer tighter feet. Moved well with drive and covered the ground easily. A quality bitch that will be good for the breed. Pleased to award her the RCC. 2 Kitchen's Crumpbrook Rather Regal. Another quality bitch, it was very close between these two. This one has a prettier head with a bit more rounded edges. Lovely shoulder placement, good spring of rib but didn't quite have the body and substance of 1 today. Another well muscled bitch with strong hindquarters, moved very well. 3 Logie's Cindy Vom Hundsfeld At Albadhu (Imp).

OB (4) 1 Ogle's Ch Raycris Freya JW. OMG! Outstanding bitch, shouts Munsterlander, fitted the picture in my head, meeting all my criteria. Beautiful head, broad yet feminine, dark soulful eyes, strong enough muzzle, proper big black nose. Head framed with correct earset. Strong shoulders well laid back, excellent bone, super tight feet. Lovely length to back, correct spring of rib, correct depth to loin. Well muscled super bend of stifle. In lovely depth and quality of coat. Owned the ring on the move. Covered the ground easily plenty of rear extension and drive. A benchmark for judging. Delighted to award her the CC, overjoyed that she won the Veteran Group! 2 Butler's Ichbin Jaunty Of Jendellas. Another very typey bitch full of quality. Another lovely head full of breed type, super expression. Good shoulder placement, correct forechest, good spring of rib, well developed body, strong hindquarter. 3 Leeming's Ashlowrick Ladies Day At Iscadu.

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