

LEEDS CH SHOW 14 - Large Munsterlanders

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Very enjoyable judging appointment & I can honestly say that I liked every exhibit. Only minor points separated places such as body, coat & weight. Thanks go to my very able & efficient stewards.

PD (3,1a) 1 Groom's Brockchime Comet of Grunjagen, smart young dog, stunning head, decent neck into well angulated front. Deep chest, good spring of rib & firm topline. Plenty of bone, good bend of stifle when relaxed & developing good musculature. The right weight & condition. Stood over ground well. Very promising & pleased to award BP, sired by BOB; 2 Tordoff's Crumpsbrook Rather Gallant, another smart dog & close up to winner. Dark eye & good head proportions. Good in shoulders & brisket deepening. Tailset appealed. Well let down stifles. Not quite as positive on the move but this will strength so more to come. **JD** (0). **PGD** (2,1) 1 Taylor's Ichbin Jester of Tattay, my notes say very smart. The most handsome head & dark eye. Good neck & shoulders, superb coat & furnishings. Powerful rear & very good hard muscle. Tailset excellent & moved very true especially behind with good width & strong driving parallel movement. Handled very well. Liked a lot & just a bit more maturity will be big trouble for the older boys. **LD** (2) 1 Hewitt's Brockchime Be A Betta Boy, upstanding 2½ year old. Super masculine head, darkest eye, good neck & well angulated shoulders to deep chest. Excellent bone & good rear with well developed thighs. Bit up on his toes & took time to settle. Maturing very well & I liked a lot; 2 Murdoch's Cetaur Loch Glashan, super head, dark eye & good earset. Good length of neck. Deep chest & ribs well sprung. Topline good & moved OK. Have seen him move happier but a pleasing dog. **OD** (5) 1 Hargreaves' Sh Ch/Dutch Ch Ghyllbeck Rapax, superb all male. Attractive classic head, calm appealing expression, good earset. Well placed shoulders, good depth of brisket & great spring of rib. Strong over loin. Stifles well bent & thighs well muscled. Good driving movement, superb in profile, carried tail well. A stallion of a dog at the top of his game. Well handled. Pleased to award CC & BOB. Pleased to hear shortlisted to last 7 in the group; 2 Lloyd & Smith's Ch Paddockridge Rulander, a favourite, great ambassador & personality in the breed. Lovely head, good bone, deep chest, well bent stifles & as expected from a full champion great musculature. Very good on move when settled & very pleased to award RCC; 3 O'Connell & Ogle's Raycris Quite The Charmer. **VD** (1) 1 Waters' Tarkanya Lytas Llewellyn, 8½ years young, good square outline, classic head. Deep chest. Good breastbone, well ribbed up & sound mover over loin, still a good mover for age. Sympathetically handled as always. BV.

PB (5,1) Strong class boding well for the future. All four in class I liked & I'm sure will change places many times. 1 Hewitt's Brockchime Luna, lovely headed, dark eye, slightly arched neck to excellent shoulders. Deepest chest & best bone in class. Well ribbed back & strong over loin. Good bend of stifle & strong on the move when settled. Darker markings & seemed to feel the heat in the puppy challenge; 2 Suchett-Kaye's Cazooska Pixie, pretty feminine head, good earset, neck length & front angulation good. Chest deepening, good turn of stifle, moved OK once settled; 3 Kitchen's Crumpsbrook Rather Regal. **JB** (0). **PGB** (2) Very tough decisions in this class as both appealed, both not much coat but both very typy. 1 Gray & Uherkovichova's Franorst Lady Pamela, beautiful head, earset & neck length appealed. Deep chest & really good turn of stifle. Tailset excellent & just the right amount of weight. Notes say 'in good nick'. Well

handled & moved to advantage; 2 Pilkington's Tarkanya Daisys Daydream of Baycross, loved this little girl & she has improved so much. I know this owner has worked hard to get her into condition. Beautiful head, good length of neck, deep chest, firm & strong over loin. Bend of stifle & tailset excellent. Also moved well. **LB** (5,2) Another strong class. 1 Bargman's Crumpsbrook Acacia, slightly smaller bitch but so well formed, when you put your hands on she is well proportioned & unexaggerated as Standard says. Shoulder angulations very good. Firm loin & strong over rear. Well bent stifle & mature body of perfect weight. Great coat & condition & well muscled. Nearly threw it all away at the end but pleased to award her the CC, her second, good luck for the future; 2 Reader's Kalimna April Fool, classic feminine head, great earset & furnishings. Good bone & well developed in body. Again strong rear & good bend of stifle. Tail well set & carried correctly. Moved & handled well; 3 Tordoff's Raycris Quite Unique at Crumpsbrook. **OB** (2) 1 Ogle & Butler's Sh Ch Raycris Freya, very nice to go over, classic head, deep chest & good shoulders giving great front angulations. Good under the hands. Strong rear angulation & good tailset. In good coat & furnishings. Handler got the best out of her on the move. RCC; 2 Kirkwood's Helydon Bonnia Brisha, really appealed, gorgeous head, correct earset, front & rear angulations strong & complementary. Deep chest & maturing nicely. Just needed more coat. **VB** (4) 1 Reader's Sh Ch Celtaur Atlantic Seal, head appealed, good length of neck, very deep in chest, very good front angulation. Strong bone, excellent strength in thighs & well bent stifles. Tailset good. Very tidy on the move & well handled. Faded in challenge for BV, the heat just got to her; 2 Butler's Gorsebank Baroness Jasmine of Jendela's, beautiful head, good earset & length of neck, deep in chest, good in stifles & tailset & stands over ground well. Not as coated as 1. Moved well when settled, liked a lot; 3 Kirkwood & Thomson's Ir Ch Helydon Knockandhu at Sarcottah.

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