

North East Staffordshire Bull Terrier Club  
September 8th 2023  
Judge: Mr Martin Murphy - Brockmar

Many thanks to all Committee & Officers for the wonderful hospitality shown to myself & family and for the invitation to judge for this great club for a second time. As always, my biggest thank you goes to the exhibitors for their entries and for the sporting way in which they received my decisions.

Special thank you to Courtney Motylinski for going above & beyond for myself & family, it was truly appreciated. I wish the club many years of success and many more great memories.

#### SBT PUPPY 9 & UNDER 12 MONTHS DOGS.

1st. Jenn Irwin & Tatiana Lohr, NightGuard's Pendragon. Very promising young dog with a lot to offer, B/B good head shape in proportion with his body, nicely defined, good stop with a nice dark eye, rose ear, short in back, shown in nice condition.

#### SBT 12 & Under 18 Months Dogs.

1st. Gamalier Felici, Narkya Daredevil. Flashy young dog that is nicely balanced. His head carries many virtues. Good ear carriage, when stood four square he showed off his good profile.

#### SBT Bred by exhibitor.

1st. Joe & Maria Bowie & Luciana Mc Cullough, Bulwark Hard To Stop, Correctly Proportioned well balanced young dog, I liked how alert he was in the class, nothing exaggerated with him, held his top line around the ring, One with a bright future.

2nd. Toni Pawson Amy Rounsaville, Manorview's Captain Fantastic.

Very lively young dog with nice proportions, good head shape with keen expression, level top line and moved well.

#### SBT American Bred Dogs.

1st. Jason, Shabray Matthews & Judith Heller, Moonstruck Meet Me At The Alibi. Very nice expression, good ear carriage, well sprung rib, good top line, good hindquarters, moved well.

2nd. Amy Conrad, Sublime Ciera Purple Dragon TKN VHMA VSWB. Standard size B/B with good balance, clean lipped, straight front, good feet, well bent stifle, moved well.

#### SBT Open Dogs.

1st. Haleigh Mansfield & Maryanne Mack DVN & Berna Welch, Pebwin From Scratch. Red & white dog with a good head shape, good rib, good depth of brisket, strong bone, good feet. moved well.

2nd. Karen Gregor & Dale Porcher, Ciera Thrashers Shoot To Thrill. Nice overall balanced dog. Ample bone and substance, good blend of bull & terrier, Good front, nice turn out of pasterns, moved ok.

#### Bitches

##### 12 & under 18 months Bitches

1st. Gadiel Felicie.,T'Rivers -Of- Babylon De Karysha, lovely head shape with a feminine expression, good dark eye, good amount of bone, good top line from all angles, moved well.

SBT Bred by Exhibitor.

1st.Mary Phalon & Jessica Yeagle. Nocturne Midnight Sun. I liked this bitch a lot, she is strong but feminine too, good ear carriage with a good head shape, pleasing expression, plenty of rib, short in body, with neat waist, good strength in backend, level top line, one that should always be in the cards, moved well.

2nd. Luciana McCullough, Bullwark A Girl Can Mack. Another lovely bitch that pushed 1st all the way, Standard size b/b well balanced bitch with a lovely expression and head, dark round eye, good front, level top line short coupled, moved and handled well.

##### Open Bitches

1st. Linda Ringle, Jane Mcmillan, Jessica Yeagle, Nocturne Poetry In Motion At Brewlin. A nice compact bitch short coupled with a nice bend of stifle, level top line showing a good profile at all times, good front, neat feet, nice head shape with a classy expression, moved well.

2nd.Colleen Bragg & Dion Berry & Jodie West. Willaby's 19 Crimes FCAT TKN. Again a nice tidy bitch longer in body than 1st place, good width of chest and depth of brisket, good front strong backend, moved well.

##### SBT VETERAN,7 YEARS & OVER BITCHES

1st,Jason Nicolai. CH Homebrewed Black Pearl Of Ciera. Sound and well balanced bitch who can still hold her own, lovely profile, good front, nice spring of rib, lovely expression and was happy to move around with ease.

##### Best of Breed Competition

BOB Monica McGrew, GCH Pinnacle's Keyser Soze. Smart young dog with nice substance. His overall balanced ticked my boxes. Smashing expression with piercing dark round eye, good rose ear, straight well bone front, good reach of neck flowing into good shoulders, well sprung, well let down in hocks, he possesses a excellent profile and moves with purpose, A dog with class.

Best of Winners. Mary Phalon & Jessica Yeagle. Nocturne Midnight Sun, see above for critique.

Select Dog. Toni Pawson & Lauren Sorbera, GCH Manorview Lucky Charm. Another smart dog i liked has a lot of qualities i look for in a stafford, Pied dog with a smart head nothing overdone, nice length & depth of muzzle, good depth of brisket tidy front, good topline, strong backend, good expression which he never loses, moved with drive.

SELECT BITCH. Luciana McCullough, Bullwark I'll Always Be Your Girl. B/B with white chest, lovely head shape with a feminine expression, good dark eye, good under jaw, tidy front with good feet, level top line which she held at all times, moved well.

AWARD OF MERIT. J & L Caswell. GCHS CH Wavemaker Nonesuch TT DN CGCA CGCU TKN VHMA VSWB FITG, Class dog with a lot to offer, shown in great condition, defined head shape with good ear carriage, good cheek bumps, dark eye smart expression, nice profile, nice amount of bone, moved well.

All the best  
Martin Murphy  
Brockmar SBT,