

The Northern Great Dane Club Championship Show 2020

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Dog Judge - Mrs J Cottam

I would like to firstly to thank the committee for asking me to judge at this, my first CC appointment. I was honoured as this was the first great Dane show I ever went to nearly 30 years ago; never thinking I would one day be a Thank you to all who exhibited under me with some really lovely dogs.



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Class 1. Minor Puppy Dog. 3 entries 1 Abs

1st Maganaris, Gray & Armour CULSEANDANES NIC CAGE

8 month fawn good head with dark eyes clean neck into well laid shoulders well balanced body sound mover which won him this class. Should do well.

2nd Pocock TAMZDANE SON OF A WICH

I liked this mantle very much but felt he needs time to grow on, strong head but correct lovely dark eyes with a mischievous look, front needs to come but that is a growing thing, sound on the move he should do well if everything comes together.

Class 2. Puppy Dog. 5 entries 2 Abs

1st McGuiness, Nelson-McGuiness & Burns GARSAK SIR BRODICK DINAHTRON

Well I could write about this dog all day, I loved him never thought I would give a puppy top honours but he so deserved his RCC and BPIS, so close to giving him the ticket could have took him home in a heartbeat. Fawn of 9 months old so together at this stage. Good head neck going into correct shoulders elbows well tucked under, good croup and level topline which he kept on the move very sound both coming and going everything I was looking for good luck in the future.

2nd White JUTLANDER'S BEAM ME UP (Imp DNK)

Fawn dog which was unlucky to meet the winner today. Good head planes black mask correct shoulder placement nice croup with a good tail set, bit loose on movement at the minute but only a puppy he will settle down I am sure.

Class 3 Junior Dog. 6 entries 2 Abs

1st Dyson SAMDICE BOND JAMESBOND (AI)

Lovely marked Brindle, Classic head with lovely black mask dark eyes gives the look of dash and dare. Stands four square without much help from handler in very good condition sound on the move should do well.

2nd Henshall & Hocking CALCHAS ZIPPER DE DODAR

Big upstanding Harle needs time to come into his frame. Good head and neck, nicely marked movement let him down today.

Class 4 Yearling Dog, 4 entries 0 Abs

1st Edwards GEORDIEONE JOHANNISBORG

Smart Fawn dog, head of good proportions with a quizzical expression good depth of chest, well tucked under elbows good topline needs to let down behind this will come in time.

2nd Tempest ADOREADANE SUMMER SUNSHINE

Big upstanding Harle, good head planes lovely dark eye level topline and a good croup carrying a bit too much weight for me which spoils the overall picture he moved sound.

Class 5 Maiden Dog, 1 entries 0 Abs

1st Pocock TAMZDANE SON OF A WICH

See 2nd Class 1.

Class 6 Novice Dog 2 entries 0 Abs

1st White JUTLANDER'S BEAM ME UP (Imp DNK)

See 2nd Class 2.

2nd Pocock TAMZDANE SON OF A WICH

See 2nd Class 1.

Class 7 Graduate Dog, 1 entry 0 Abs

1st Pocock TAMZDANE SON OF A WICH

See 2nd Class 1.

Class 8, Post Graduate Dog, 7 entries 2 Abs

1st McGuinness DINAHTRON RAG N BONE MAN

Very nice head, good front well placed shoulders, level topline which he kept on the move, good mover both coming and going.

2nd Dyson SAMDICE NOBODY DOES IT BETTA (AI)

Class 9 Limit Dog, 5 entries 2 Abs

1st Mosvold Geordieone Torpa Stenhus

Fawn dog, not the biggest but well put together stands four square, correct head planes well placed shoulders, firm back and good croup. Won this class on movement.

2nd Donnelly & Toohey PRIMUS BREAKIN RULES

very similar comments as one lost out on movement today. Good shoulders deep brisket elbows well tucked under a very nice dog indeed.

Class 10 Special Open Fawn Dog, 4 entries 3 Abs

1st Dyson SAMDICE MY HERO JW (AI)

Only one in the class but deserved his first place, well proportioned dog good head, nice reach of neck going into good shoulders plenty of angulation good level topline moved soundly.

Class 11 Special Open Brindle Dog, 3 entry 0 Abs

1st Searle DROOLAKISS MIDAS MURRAYVHAYLE

Light coloured brindle well put together pleasing well chiselled head nice drop of lip lovely dark eye, good reach of neck going into well placed shoulders sound on the move coming and going.

2nd Marriott JAYDANIA TIGER BAY

Smaller dog than winner preferred this dogs colour but that is a me thing! Decent head with nice expression dark eye good shape all through movement ok.

Class 12 Special Open Blue Dog, 6 entries 1 Abs

1st MacKenzie CARSAN VINCENT

Lovely Blue dog of good size, good head planes with dark eyes, lovely reach of neck going into well placed shoulders, good depth in front level topline which he keeps on the move and a very sound mover.

2nd Pepper STARLIGHT CRONOS AVEC FOALDOWN

Bigger dog than winner fills his frame well. Strong head dark eye but not course, shown in lovely condition his movement let him down today.

Class 13 Special Open Black Dog, 2 entries 1 Abs

1st Pepper CH DANEMOOR BLACK WATCHE FOR SARAWEN

This Black dog I have judged before and my opinion of him has not changed, shown in tip top condition once again. A worthy champion, correct head planes arched neck into well set shoulders, good depth in front good angulation both front and rear a pleasure to go over.

Class 14 Special Open Harlequin Dog, 3 entries 1 Abs

1st Pocock TAMZDANE OH MY APPLE PIE JW

Strong well balanced Harle with plenty of substance good head planes, strong front well tucked under elbows correct croup and tail set, good rear angulation which gives him his good movement both coming and going.

2nd Henshall & Hocking CALCHAS ZIPPER DE DODAR

See 2nd Class 3.

Class 15 Special open Mantle Dog, 3 entries 1 Abs

1st Burton RAVENDANE DEAL ME IN WITH ELBAREVOL

Good make and shape with lovely head planes good clean neck into well placed shoulders deep brisket elbows well tucked under level topline and a very good mover.

2nd Kelleway DAMARKANN MARQUISITE

Another close decision on these two dogs very similar to one good head planes well balanced all through not has positive on the move as winner.

Class 16 Open Dog, 3 entries 0 Abs

1st Bailey PRIMUS GREAT GATSBY JW

CC and RBIS This dog was what I was looking for, he could do the job that the breed was originally bred for. Impress dog balanced throughout, well chiselled head with correct drop of lip and black mask. Nice width and depth of chest flat bone strong croup very sound on the move well deserved his place today.

2nd Webb CH VANMORE WHAT A GUY

Another impressive dog a lovely Brindle who stands four square without any help from handler, head and ear set correct good tight dark eyes good spring of rib sound on the move just unfortunate to have met winner today a worthy champion.

Class 17 Special Open Veteran Dog, 1 entry 3 Abs

1st Mosvold CH GANTEUS ALFA AMERICANO II DECIMO (Imp DNK)

Quality fawn well proportioned head, good layback of shoulder deep chest elbows well tucked under, level topline which he kept on the move, good croup and tail set a very nice dog indeed, BVIS well done.

2nd Henshall CALCHAS WILLOBEE WISEMAN

Strong headed Harle with correct drop of lip good depth to front, nice outline when stood, lovely angles both front and rear a lot to like about him.