

The Tasmanian Golden Retriever Club Inc.

22nd September 2018

Thank you to The Tasmanian Golden Retriever Club Inc. for what was a lovely day, the weather fine, your hospitality, everyone friendly and respectful a real enjoyment.

Thank you to my driver and Steward Elaine Job, a lovely lady.

I thoroughly enjoy every moment, there was no need to rush which gave me plenty of time to take in your lovely dogs. Some of my classes were hard to choose and could slightly change on a different day. You must be very happy with where you are leading the breed. There are a few different types as expected anywhere, overall the conformation on your dogs is impressive. Thank you for having me.

Critique: Dogs

Baby Puppy dog

1st HEATHBROOK TURN BACK TIME (AI) – Owner JW & DL Wadsley

Very promising young 5 month old. Like the balance of angulation on this boy, good bone, lovely kind expression, correct angulation front and rear, has grown for today's show. Look forward to seeing him in the future.

Puppy Dog

1ST OCEANVIEWS LOUIS RODGERER – Owner Mrs J Bliss

Another promising young male, Head and body proportions are well balanced, soft, kind expression with dark pigment, maturing nicely, good depth and spring of rib, well angulated shoulder, equal in upper arm, balanced stifle, just didn't want to play show dog today.

Junior Dog

Intermediate Dog

1ST FANTANGO REACH FOR THE SUN – Owner Mrs P Middleton

Lovely head type, balanced head proportions, good pigment with kind expression, like his balance front and rear assembly, straight legs and topline, moved with ease. **My Intermediate In Show.**

2ND CH. KAPARLA FROM THE FLIGHT DECK (AI) – Owner Mrs J Laker

Another lovely dog, different type to the 1st boy, good pigment, slightly bigger and longer cast with moderate front and rear balance. On the day I preferred the movement on my 1st place.

State Bred Dog

1ST SUP. CH. TWEEDWATER ROYAL FUSILIER – Owner JW & DL Wadsley

Liked this fellow as soon as he entered the ring, made his presence known, lovely Golden type, strong, Masculine no doubting he is a male, lovely head profile, well chiselled with a kind expression, correct eye colour and shape, dark pigment, a handsome boy. Well balanced, with good shoulders, deep through rib and well sprung, strong topline and balanced turn of stifle. Moved with ease.

My Reserve Dog.

Australian Bred Dog

1ST SUP. CH. KAPARLA GAME PLAN – Mrs H Morrison

Sweet balanced head and kind expression, dark pigment, Moderate front, a litter longer cast, strong rear angulation, and good topline, moved well.

2ND AUST. CH. GOLDLAKE ITS ABOUT TIME CCD RN – J Jeffrey

Another sweet balanced head and kind expression, dark pigment, good bone, moderate front assembly, with adequate rear angulation. I preferred the movement on my 1st place today.

Open Dog

1ST CH. KAPARLA CALL THE COPS (AI) – Owner Mrs P Middleton

This fellow also took my eye as soon as he moved around the ring, reaching out on the move. A strong slightly smaller built cream dog, who stood well for a moment, a little exuberant, he was certainly trying the handler out. ☺ Cupping this boy's head, his expression melted me, soft, kind and loving, well balanced head, lovely dark eye and pigment with correct ear set. His front assembly in my opinion, one of the best, with rear angulation to match, he moved effortlessly around the ring. He stood for a very short period of time, but you can see and feel what angulation this dog has, although he didn't seem to like his tail pulled. **My Dog Challenge & Best In Show.**

2ND CH. TASHANBRUE EAGER TO FLY – Owner Mrs L Rand

Another lovely dog, different in type, soft kindly expression, a slightly bigger boy, good bone, straight legs, good spring of rib, lovely balance with moderate front and rear angulation.

Veteran Dog 7+

1ST KAPARLA READY AIM FIRE TD –Owner Mrs J Laker

Lovely type, a very happy boy who enjoyed himself, with a kind expression, dark pigment, a bigger boy with moderate front and rear angulation and a straight topline. **My Veteran In Show**

Bitches

Baby Puppy Bitch

1ST HEATHBROOK TIME AFTER TIME (AI) – owner JW & DL Wadsley

This puppy is well balanced, very pretty, correct dark eye shape and dark pigment with a kind expression, moderate front and rear angulation with a strong topline, moved well for a youngster, she is altogether today. **My Baby Puppy in Show.**

2ND TWEEDWATER BLUERIVER CLASSIC (AI) – Mrs J Grierson

Another very lovely girl, was a hard class. Sweet expression, dark pigment with a balanced head, moderate front and rear angulation, strong topline, she has grown a little for today's show.

Puppy Bitch

1ST GOLDLAKE HOT SUMMER NIGHT – Owner Mrs J Grierson

Femine very pretty cream bitch with dark pigment, soft kindly expression, correct ear set, straight front legs, front and rear assembly well balanced, good depth and spring of rib, straight topline, very pretty. **My Puppy in Show.**

Junior Bitch

1ST BLAZEDNGOLD WHISKEY LULLABY (AI) – Owner Miss L J Binns

Another close class

A strong gold girl, dark pigment, kind expression, moderate front assembly equally in rear, a short thick double coat, straight topline, moved well. **My Junior In Show.**

2ND OCEANVIEWS METHODE TASMANOISE – Owner Mrs J Bliss

Although my 2nd place, this was a hard class, kind expression, well-shaped dark eye, front and rear assembly balanced, good spring in rib, strong topline. Moved well.

Intermediate Bitch

1ST TWEEDWATER BOHEMIAN RHAPSODY – Owner Mr P Stevenson

Another strong class

This girl is very pretty, a slightly bigger girl with a lovely head type, dark eye and pigment which gave her a pretty appearance. Moderate front and rear assembly, straight legs and topline, moved well.

2ND AUST. CH. KAPARLA SAFE ONWARD JOURNEY (AI) – Owner Mrs H Morrison

equally as pretty as my 1st place, dark eye and pigment, balanced head, moderate shoulders and turn of stifle, straight topline. Moved well.

State Bred Bitch

1ST AUST. CH. KAPARLA LUNAR MISSION – Owner K Gardner

A pretty girl, lovely golden colour, moderate, well balanced in appearance, good head profile with dark pigment, moderate angulation, pretty on the move.

Australian Bred Bitch

1ST OCEANVIEWS THAT'S AMORE – Owner J Bliss

This girl took my eye, a good size bitch, well balanced in appearance, it was hard to pass her, very pretty balanced head with a kindly expression, dark eye and pigment. Like this girl's front assembly shoulder to upperarm, elbows tight, good depth and spring of rib, with a balanced turn of stifle, straight coming and going. **My Bitch Challenge and RU In Show**

2ND NARAGOLD COCO CHANEL (AI) – Owner Mrs J Grierson

A feminine girl, pretty, kind expression with dark pigment. Straight topline, moderate front and rear assembly, slightly longer cast. Moved well.

Open Bitch

1ST AUST. CH. GOLDLAKE HAPPILY EVER AFTER – Owner Mrs J Grierson

This girl just wanted to please her handler, never put a foot wrong, everything about her stood out. A golden colour, Head profile balanced, dark eye colour and pigment, straight legs, strong front assembly balanced with her turn of stifle, slightly longer cast, deep and spring of rib, covered ground easily. **My Reserve Bitch Challenge.**

2ND OCEANVIEWS HOTTER THAN JULY – Owner J Bliss

A pretty golden girl, slightly more compact than my 1st girl, again, dark eye and pigment, moderate angulation front and rear, good bone and Straight topline. Moved well.

3RD CH. BLAZEDNGOLD SCOTTISH MAJESTY – Owner Miss L J Binns

Another pretty cream colour girl, balanced head with dark eye and pigment, moderate angulation front and rear, slightly longer cast, short thick double coat. Moved well.

Neuter Dog

1ST AUST. NEUTER CH. GOLDLAKE CAUSE IM HAPPY – Owner C Grubb

A tough class, both boys of old gold type, my 1st place today was the younger boy, Typical Golden head, kindly expression, who covered ground with ease, moderate angulation.

2ND DUAL CH. (T) T & S Gr. Ch. RALUN ZEN THERE WAS WILSON CD – Owner Mr P & Mrs V Hofto

Such a lovely old gold type of Golden Retriever, Lovely balance of head profile, kindly expression, with moderate angulation, just preferred the movement on the 1st boy today.

Neuter Bitch

1ST GILTEDGE EVITA – Owner J & D Wadsley

A strong Neuter Bitch class

My 1st place, lovely balanced bitch, of good substance, happy, good pigment, equal front assembly, dense double coat, moved well. **My Best Neuter In Show.**

2ND AUST. CH. NARAGOLD GEORGIE GIRL – Owner Mrs J Greirson

A close 2nd, very pretty, lovely temperament, front assembly balanced, slightly longer cast, moved well. **My Reserve Neuter In Show.**

3RD CH. NEUTER CH. KAPARLA TOTAL RECALL – Owner Mrs J Laker

Any of these 3 girls could have won the class, another lovely girl and type, balanced head, good eye colour and pigment, good bone, balanced front and rear assembly, moved well.