



STAFFORDSHIRE BULL TERRIER
CLUB OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA

Sunday 10th November 2024

**11TH ALAN & IRIS SHORT
CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW**

Judge: Mr N Davies (UK)

Ring Steward: A Spencer

Chief Steward: L Gray

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11th Annual Alan and Iris Short Championship Show for the Staffordshire Bull Terrier Club of Western Australia.

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Judge: Mr Nigel Davies (HASBURYSTAFF)

I would firstly like to thank the Officers and the hardworking committee for inviting me to judge at their show on the 10th of November 2024. I would also like to thank my steward, Amy Spencer, who kept the ring flowing as it should. The welcome I received from both the committee and exhibitors will stay with me for the rest of my life, certainly memories were made. On the whole, the dogs I judged were of a high standard. There were a few bad mouths and sometimes fitness came into the question but there were certainly some dogs who would do well in the show ring in the UK. Thank you to each and every entrant.



Baby Puppy Dog : 1,0

1st - #1 Mr D Yates' TIAMOSTAFF SUSPICIOUS MINDS

This 5 month old black brindle dog moved like an absolute dream in the ring. At such a young age, he already shows a lot of strength and structure of bone. I can see a broad chest coming which I like to see. Lovely, level topline which goes into the croup. Stifle well bent showing off a developing first and second thigh. Lovely ear carriage displaying the rose ears as per the breed standard. I see a lot of potential for this dog. Thank you for bringing him.

Minor Puppy Dog : 1,0

1st - #2 Mr S P and Mrs T M Henderson POWERPAWS JUS LIKE JESSE JAMES

This 6.5 month white dog with black markings really impressed me with the way he moved. Fantastic spring of rib and a really nice bend of stifle, showing off the developing

first and second thigh. Level topline. Nice ear carriage showing off correct rose ears as per the breed standard. Correct dentition showing a strong under jaw leading up to a strong head. Plenty of strength in bone structure which I like to see. Strong neck flowing down into the withers which is excellent. Good old fashioned pump handle tail. This is a dog to watch out for in the future! Thank you for bringing him.

Puppy Dog : 2,0

1st - #4 Simpson & Quiring's WESTVIKING READY AIM FIRE

This 11 month old dark brindle dog was unmissable with quality. He was a bit spritely in the ring but as I mentioned, with ringcraft and handling sessions, he is sure to settle down. He had excellent movement in the ring and the handler showed him off very well. Lovely head shape with strong, broad skull, strong neck and a pronounced 2:1 ratio which is per the breed standard. Nice ear carriage showing off the perfect rose ear shape. Good bone structure and strength. Good spring of rib and tuck up into the loin. Stifle well bent showing off a developing first and second thigh. Dentition is good and strong under jaw as well. Level topline flowing down into the croup. Good tail carriage showing off a wonderful old fashioned pump handle tail. Handler presented well. Happy to award this dog Best Puppy In Show. Thank you for bringing him.

#2 - #3 Mr G & Mrs S Stephen's MAGICMINE LEGACY OV ANGELS

This 9 month old black brindle dog was a dog of very good quality. It was a close call between my first and second place but overall I just preferred the head shape of the first. Lovely bend of stifle showing off a developing first and second thigh. Nice spring of rib. Level topline with a slight dip towards the croup, as per the breed standard. Nice, laid back shoulders. Tail carriage set nice, showing off an old fashioned pump handle tail which is what is desired in the breed standard. Movement was good. Handler presented well. Thank you for bringing him.

Junior Dog : 4,1

1st - #6 Mrs D & Mr A Major's KABERE JUST BOUT JAK O YA (AI)

This 11 month old black brindle dog with white paw and white mark on his chest had all the correct attributes of a standard Staffordshire Bull Terrier of that age. Lovely broad chest with shoulders well laid back. Well pronounced brisket. Pasterns were well set and stifles were well bent, showing off a lovely developing first and second thigh. Lovely head shape with the correct 2:1 muzzle to stop ratio and displaying proper ear carriage with rose ears. Looked lovely on the move with no sloping of the topline. Topline level all the

way throughout. Lovely spring of rib. Handler well presented. Overall, a very pleasing appearance! Thank you for bringing him.

2nd - #8 Ms S Graham's AVONCREST ITS NEVER DUCK

This 16 month old black brindle dog with a white chest and sock was unfortunate to meet the 1st. However, these places could easily swap on a different day for a different judge. Presenter was well turned out as was the dog. Good head with a distinct stop, lovely 2:1 ratio. Ear carriage was nice with a good display of rose bud ears. Laid back shoulders into the withers with a strong neck. Nice, level topline which led down into the croup and tail carriage, showing an old fashioned pump handle tail. Stifles well bent displaying the first and second thigh which is starting to develop. Pasterns nice and out-turned slightly. Handled well and overall a very nice dog. Thank you for bringing him.

3rd - #7 Mrs T McCrea's WESTVIKING A COWBOYS GAMBLE

This 11 month old black brindle dog wasn't quite as mature as the 2nd but had a lovely dark eye as per the breed standard. I preferred the ear carriage of the second but still good. Good length of muzzle to stop ratio, good head shape. Nice bone structure and strength. Nice topline leading down to the croup. Tail carriage was good and likened to an old fashioned pump handle. Stifles were nicely bent showing off a developing first and second thigh. Pasterns set and out-turned slightly. He's well developed for his age. Handled nicely. Thank you for bringing him.

Intermediate Dog : 2,0

1st - #9 Ms A Munro's FORMULABLUZ MASK IZ OFF (AI)

This 20 month red dog with white paws and a white chest caught my eye with how well turned out he and his handler were. His coat stood out under the spotlight. Lovely, broad head showing correct dentition and a strong under jaw. Perfect 2:1 muzzle to stop ratio. Shoulders well laid back with the depth of chest lying level with the elbows. Strong neck going into the withers. Level topline leading down to the croup and well-set tail carriage, showing off an old fashioned pump handle tail. First and second thigh prominent with a nice bend of stifle. Credit to the owner for producing such a fit dog who moved with such purpose and drive! Pleased to award him 1st. Thank you for bringing him.

2nd - #10 Mr J & Mrs N Lazzo's CH BOLDHART ACE OF SPADES

This 26 month old black brindle dog had a lovely depth of chest. I preferred the head shape of the 1st but still a very nice dog. Straight front displaying a nice depth of chest and nice pasterns which were slightly out-turned. Well laid-back shoulders leading to a very strong neck and level topline. Tail carriage nicely set with a tail likened to that of an old fashioned pump handle. Stifles well bent and showing off the first and second thigh nicely. Both handler and dog were presented nicely. Thank you for bringing him.

State Bred Dog : 3,0

1st - #11 Mrs M Mclean's CH. ONAHI ATTICUS (AI)

This 23 month old black brindle dog with white chest and white paws was a very well presented dog, as was the handler. Very nice head shape with strong definition of skull and pronounced cheek muscles. Lovely deep brisket showing off a straight front level with the elbows. Stood four square all throughout the time I went over him. Very balanced. Strong neck into the withers and excellent topline with a slight slope into the croup. Lovely set tail carriage with the tail being likened to that of an old fashioned pump handle. Ear carriage displayed lovely rose bud ears. The handler definitely got the best out of him. Very toned and would do very well in England. Happy to award Best In Show. Thank you for bringing him.

2nd - #12 Ms S King's STAFFEGAN FROST BITE

This 19 month old black brindle dog with predominantly white markings was unfortunate to meet the first. He was a bit shorter coupled than the first and lacked the depth of skull of the first. That being said, he's still a very nice dog! Nice dark eye, strong under jaw. Lovely straight front with laid back shoulders. Pasterns slightly out and a nice bend of stifle, displaying first and second thigh muscles. Level topline sloping down to the croup and displaying a nice pump handle tail. Thank you for bringing him.

3rd - #13 Ms T McCrea's WESTVIKING LOCKED N LOADED

This 6 year old dark brindle dog made his handler work! But, she persevered which is commendable. Strong, broad head. Slightly turned out at the pasterns with a good depth of brisket and nice laid-back shoulders. Nice level topline sloping down slightly to the croup showing off a nice set tail. Nice bend of stifle showing first and second thigh. Good spring of rib. For 6 years of age, he's looking very fit. All credit goes to the owner and handler! Thank you for bringing him.

Australian Bred Dog : 1,0

1st - #14 Mr C Smith's STAFFEGAN BULLSEYE

This 18 month black brindle dog with white chest was a very spirited dog that oozed that terrier personality in the ring. He had a very good scissor bite that was set in a very strong under jaw. Nicely tucked in at the loins. Nice ear carriage with lovely rose ears. Lovely straight front with nice strength in shoulders. Strong neck flowing into the withers with a level topline going down to the croup. Good spring of rib and well bent stifle, nicely showing off the first and second thigh. Showing a lot of signs of maturity and in excellent condition. I'm sure this dog will continue to do well in the future. Happy to award him Runner Up In Show. Thank you for bringing him.

Open Dog : 5,3

1st - #15 Koendidda Kennels' CH. KOENDIDDA ONYA BIRRI ET.

This nearly 5 year old predominantly white dog with black markings was a top sized dog of the day. Nice head, with correct scissor bite. Nice, dark eye. Lovely straight front with nice tone in the shoulders. Good bend of stifle, showing off a well muscled first and second thigh. Level topline, leading down to the croup. Tail set nicely, fashioned like an old fashioned pump handle. Moved very well. Due to the dog being predominantly white, muscle tone was visibly more defined. He has a lot of muscle tone for being 5 years of age, all down to the owners hard work. Thank you for bringing him.

2nd - #18 Mrs E P Findlater's CH ARTISINAL PITCH BLACK

This 3 year old black brindle dog had a lovely shiny coat and I have to say it was a hard decision between first and second. The first dog was just that slight bit stronger. That being said, he had lovely laid back shoulders which were well muscled and a lovely bend of stifle showing the first and second thigh muscle well. Good depth of brisket and good tuck up into the loin. Pasterns were nicely set and slightly turned out. Nice, level topline going down to the croup. Stood foursquare, with a lovely dark eye catching my eye. Thank you for bringing him.

Veteran 7+ Dog : 2,0

1st - #20 Ms F Farrugia's CH FARRUGSTAFF TEARDROP OVA CLOWN

This 10 year old black brindle with white chest and white socks was beautiful. Really surprised me with his age of 10 years young! Stood four square and had a lovely spring of rib. Good dentition quality for his age. Good depth of brisket. Really nice quality of first

and second thigh, displayed by a good bend of stifle. Nice level topline with a slight slope towards the croup. Tail carriage set nicely and set like an old fashioned pump handle. An extremely fit dog for his age, all down to his owners credit! Thank you for bringing him.

2nd - #21 Mrs N & Mr J Lazzo's CH. BOLDHART BLAST FROM THE PAST (AI)

This 7 year old black brindle dog was slightly too short in the muzzle for me but nevertheless a very good dog. He had a nice, broad chest with lovely laid-back shoulders. Nice straight front with well set pasterns, turned out slightly. Nice bend of stifle showing off the first and second thigh nicely. Good level topline leading to the croup. These decisions could easily change on another day. Thank you for bringing him.

Neuter Dog : 1,0

1st - #45 Clifton's CH OLECX EIRE WICKLOWE JC

This 4 year old blue dog had a lovely shiny coat and dark eye, as appropriate to the breed standard. Lovely straight front with well relaxed shoulders, leading up to a strong neck and down into set pasterns, slightly out-turned. Lovely strong neck leading into the withers. Lovely level topline leading into the croup where I was met with an old fashioned pump handle tail. Stifles well bent showing off a well developed and muscled first and second thigh. Well let down at the hocks. Correct scissor bite. Handler was well presented as was the dog. Overall, this dog was very fit and a true credit to his owners. Thank you for bringing him.

Baby Puppy Bitch : 1,0

1st - #22 Mr S & Mrs J Meyerkort's SEZANUFF SHEZALLASSNMOR

This 5 month old bitch was a little beauty, and I'm sure in 6 months she'll look an absolute picture. The problem with assessing dogs this young is they can change so dramatically in 12 months; that being said, this black brindle bitch displayed a lot of ring presence, and was so well balanced. Displaying all the nice qualities of a Staffordshire Bull Terrier; lovely strong head with broad skull, good stop, good length of muzzle. Nice, straight front. Pasterns slightly turned out and a nice bend of stifle - hocks are good. Good, level topline. Thank you for bringing her. I look forward to seeing how she does in another 6 months.

Puppy Bitch : 2,0

1st - #23 Mrs E Madrid's EHOSTAFF MOONLIGHT MAKER

An 11 month old red bitch, darkish muzzle and white chest. A nice, dark eye which bears some resemblance to the coat colour as per the breed standard. Eyes round and of medium size. Would have preferred stronger pasterns but I'm sure this will develop over time. Straight front. Strong, broad head, leading down to the withers. Level topline, going down to the croup. Good set on tail, shaped like an old fashioned pump-handle. First and second thigh beginning to develop. Good spring of rib starting to develop. Nails short. Thank you for bringing her.

2nd - #24 Mrs T McCrea's WESTVIKING SUNSHINE LOLLIPOPS

Black brindle 11 month old bitch. Yet another nice, strong head, just preferred the head shape of the first. Distinct stop and straight front. Pasterns are slightly turned out and a good spring of rib. Would have liked a tidier ear carriage. Well tucked up in the loin and we can see the first and second thigh developing nicely. This was a very close decision between the first and second. Thank you for bringing her.

Junior Bitch : 3,1

1st - #27 Ms S Graham's AVONCREST RED RED WHINE

This 15 month old black brindle bitch with white chest was slightly more mature than the second. Straight front and slightly turned out at the pasterns, as per the breed standard. A lovely spring of rib starting to develop. Well let down at the hocks and good bend of stifle. Well tucked up at the loin. The first and second thigh are starting to develop nicely which is good to see. Level topline leading down to the croup. Good head shape with the correct length of head to muzzle ratio (2:1). Dog and handler presented very nicely indeed. Thank you very much for bringing her.

2nd - #26 Mrs R Lopes Lourenco's EHOSTAFF MIRROR MIRROR

This 18 month old red bitch with white socks and white forechest just missed out on the first place. Again, another very good, strong head shape with a strong neck leading down to the withers. Slightly turned out at the pasterns as per the breed standard. She had a level topline leading down the croup. Very nice bend of stifle. Just slightly longer in the back. Presented nicely. Thank you for bringing her.

Intermediate Bitch : 8,1

1st - #30 Ms K Coulson's LILROCK NEVER DA DEVIL JC

This 2 year old black brindle bitch with white chest had a lovely dark eye, appropriate to the breed standard. Distinct stop with a beautiful head to muzzle ratio (2:1). She had a nice chest and broad front as well as a level topline leading down to the croup. Nice spring of rib. Well tucked up at the loin and a nice bend of stifle. The first and second thigh are developing nicely. Strong in bone. The handler got the best out of this dog, no doubt. Shown off to perfection! Thank you for bringing her.

2nd - #31 Koendidda Kennels' CH. JONTHILL BUCKLE UP BUTTERCUP (AI) SWN RA.

This 2 year old's red coat glistened in the sun which I really liked. I just preferred the first's distinct stop. Nice broad chest and straight front. Not quite as strong in the bone as the first. Level topline going down at a 30° angle towards the croup. Lovely tuck up. Nice spring of rib developing. Good bend of stifle showing off the first and second thigh muscles nicely. Handled well. Thank you for bringing her.

3rd - #28 Ms A Munro's FORMULABLUZ GETCHA GUN (AI)

This 20 month old black and white pied bitch had lovely dark eyes and neat rose ears both as per the breed standard. I just preferred the head shape of 1st and 2nd. She's still a very nice bitch. She has a lovely tuck up at the loins with a straight front and lovely pasterns which were slightly out-turned. She has a very nice bend of stifle leading down from the 1st and 2nd thigh. Thank you for bringing her.

State Bred Bitch : 1,0

1st - #36 Ms T McCrea MITNPOWA WHEREVA I MAY ROAM

This was a lovely 3 year old black brindle bitch with a white chest. She had a lovely coat that glistened in the sun. She had a very nice head with a correct occiput to stop ratio (2:1). She had a nice broad chest and this was shown off as she stood fore square. She had a good spring of rib as per breed standard. Lovely level topline slightly sloping down to the croup correctly. She was short in the leg but I was more than happy to award first place to this bitch. Thank you for bringing her.

Australian Bred Bitch : 3,0

1st - #38 Mr S P & Mrs T M Henderson's CH. CALOJO MY LITTLE RAIN CLOUD (AI)

This was a lovely 22 month old white bitch who was shown beautifully by a well presented handler. She had a lovely, dark and round eye which was correct to breed standard. Lovely ear carriage holding beautiful rose ears, as per breed standard. A beautiful strong, straight front leading down to pasterns, slightly bent out as should be. She had a lovely strong neck flowing into the withers and executing a nice spring of rib. Shoulders well laid back. Lovely tuck up into the loins. Stifles are well bent, showing off a very well muscled first and second thigh. Being a white bitch, I examined her extremely carefully as you aren't able to see the definition the same as you are on a black or brindle dog. That being said, very happy to award 1st place to this bitch. Thank you for bringing her.

2nd - #39 Ms J Fegan & Ms A Gray's CH STAFFEGAN SHE BEE STINGIN

This was a 26 month old black brindle bitch who had a good head, just preferred the ratio of the first. Lovely straight front with pasterns out-turned. Well muscled up and tucked up at the loins with a lovely, shiny coat. Good ear carriage displaying correct rose ears. Nice, dark eye. She had a strong neck flowing into the withers with a slight slope going towards the croup. Stifle well bent showing off a well muscled 1st and 2nd thigh. Tail set well like an old fashioned pump handle as per the breed standard. Shoulders well laid back. Thank you for bringing her.

3rd - #37 Mr D Miller's GUNSLINGA ANGEL IN DISGUISE

This 3 year old dark brindle bitch had good bone structure in abundance which, as a judge, I really like. Good head with nice muzzle to stop ratio. Nice, straight front with a broad chest and shoulders well laid back. Nicely tucked up in the loins with slightly out-turned pasterns, as to be expected as per the breed standard. Very strong first and second thigh muscles leading down to well bent stifles. Tail carriage set nicely. Thank you for bringing her.

Open Bitch : 5,0

1st - #41 K Senior's KELTRICE MY FAIR LADY RN

This 3 year old black and white pied bitch owned the ring as soon as she entered it. Her ring presence made her shine like an absolute star. Both the handler and the dog were very well presented, which I appreciated. She was nicely tucked up in the loins and has a lovely, strong head. A perfect 2:1 ratio from muzzle to stop. Broad with good dentition and superb under jaw. Straight front, slightly turned out at the pasterns. She showed fantastic spring of rib, leading down to the stifles which were well bent and executing a well muscled first and second thigh. Truly a bitch that was fit for purpose if I've ever seen one.

Nice ear carriage, displaying neat rose ears. Pleased to award her best open. Thank you for bringing her.

2nd - #43 Mr A Major & Ms D Major AUST SUP CH KABERE YAMADEMEGOFULLNINJA

This 4 year old black brindle bitch wasn't quite as strong as the 1st place winner but still a very nice bitch and there wasn't a lot between the two. Straight front leading down to slightly out-turned pasterns. Nice ear carriage displaying neat rose ears. Strong neck leading into the withers. Lovely, level topline leading to the croup and strong stifles. Stifles show off first and second thigh well. Thank you for bringing her.

3rd - #40 J & N Lazzo's CH BOLDHART THE TRUTH ABOUT LOVE

This 3 year old dark brindle bitch was unfortunate to meet the 1st and 2nd and I did have trouble choosing between 2nd and 3rd so rest assured, on a different day, this could change. She was a nicely presented bitch with a strong under jaw who definitely used her ear carriage to her advantage! Hocks were well let down and pasterns were slightly out-turned. I could see the first and second thigh leading down to the stifle. She had a level topline sloping slightly down to the croup. She had a nice head with a distinct stop with 2:1 ratio. Handler well presented. Thank you for bringing her.

Neuter Bitch : 4,0

1st - #48 Ms J Fegan's Neut Grand Champion, CH STAFFEGAN GEMS PRIDE

This lovely black brindle bitch surprised me with her age. At 8, nearly 9, years old she is extremely fit for her age. Round, dark eye which is exemplary by the breed standard. She eyed up the other dogs in the ring, showing the correct terrier temperament. Nice, broad head and under jaw. Good spring of rib. Level topline, leading down to the croup. A credit to the owner for how fit she is as I could clearly see her first and second thigh which showed off a lovely bend of stifle and nice hocks. Lovely tuck up into the loins. Presented nicely. A pleasure to give this bitch Best Neuter of Breed. Thank you for bringing her.

2nd - #49 Ms L Park's CH STAFFEGAN WILD WEST ROSE

This 5 year old black brindle bitch with a white chest and white paw stood out to me because of how shiny her coat was. Dentition was good with a correct scissor bite. Well laid back shoulder blades leading up to the neck and down into the withers. She had well muscled shoulders and a lovely topline which came down into the croup. Lovely head,

strong under jaw and ear carriage which displayed nice rose ears. Lovely bend of stifle displaying a strong first and second thigh tone. Thank you for bringing her.

3rd - #46 Ms A McLeod's HEAVYWAITBLU OHH LA LA CA

This 8.5 year old fawn bitch with a white chest had a nice dark eye as per the breed standard. Strong neck down to the withers, showing off laid back shoulders. She had strong stifles which showed her first and second thigh muscles. She is fit for her age and credit is due to her owners for keeping her in such a condition. Dentition was good. Thank you for bringing her.

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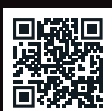
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