

The Golden Retriever Club of New South Wales Inc.
Bill Spilstead Complex for Canine Affairs
Sunday 4th September 2005
Judge Ann Hagger (Fairfield)

It was a great honour to be invited to judge this lovely show at this excellent venue only marred a little by the English weather that I brought with me.

Rain was the order of the day but as exhibitors you were very well equipped and your ringside shelters were both dry and comfortable for yourselves and the dogs.

I would like to thank the committee for putting on a very enjoyable and well-organised show, which was enhanced by excellent stewards, and photographers, which kept an accurate record of the day. The hospitality was exceptional and our welcome was superb.

I was very pleased with my entry both numerically and in overall quality.

There were some excellent dogs that could win well in England and some of which I would love to have taken home.

Dogs

Baby Puppy Dog 12 (2 absent)

1st Elliott's Perrecca Witchdoctor

Good outline on this mid-gold baby who looked just right for his age.

Very nice head with excellent pigment .He was well balanced with good angles. Nicely boned with a level top line. At only just 6 months moved very well with confidence and purpose.

2nd Kaspura's Taransay Silas George

5 - month cream puppy with a super head, kind eye and a lovely expression. Good lay of shoulder and reach of neck. Solid, level top line.. He just needs a bit of time to drop into his quarters. Moved with confidence.

3rd Molnar's Dobro Morse Code

Pale gold 5-month puppy that was shown in excellent coat. Good reach of neck and good angles, which presented a nice outline, I would just prefer a little more upper arm. None the less this was a very nice puppy.

4th Abrahams Fantango Mr Bojangles

Minor Puppy Dog 8 (1 Absent)

1st Wilson's Fetchnpoint Thats Barnaby

Mature puppy with an excellent outline. Pale gold with enough coat to make a pleasing picture. Well shaped head with a good eye giving a kind expression, Excellent reach of neck and lay of shoulder, Good depth of chest for his age. Well-angled quarters which he used very well on the move.

2nd Stuckey's Goldkey Striding Out

Different in type to the winner but full of quality. Well angled at both ends and good bone. I really liked his head with his lovely kind eye and soft expression .He moved well and was well handled,

3rd Upton's Perrecca Unrivalled

Good outline on this puppy. Strong level top-line from a good reach of neck, Shoulder well layed back, Good quarters. I would prefer a little more upper arm but he presented a good picture.

4th Ashiya' Knls Ashiya Quest to Dream

Puppy Dog 4

1st McGrath's Alnclair Gillys Hero

Eye catching outline on this 9-month dog. He was Masculine, cream and glamorous. Well-shaped head and nicely shaped eye with a kind expression. . Excels in reach of neck and layback of shoulder. He was longer cast but had enough quarters, which he used to advantage on the move, he has good reach and drive.

2nd Handley's Giltedge Bring It On

I really liked this young man. . He gave his handler a very hard time but he enjoyed every minute just as puppies should. Shown in full rich gold coat with correct front and rear angles and a good topline. When he settled on the move he was very together.

3rd Buffalo Kennels Shannongold Special Edition At Buffalo

Cream puppy in good coat and who was nicely put together and who moved well He tends to overstretch himself when stacked which spoils his outline.

4th Connell's Giltedge Top Gun

Junior Dog 12

1st Lynch's Yellowfetch What The

This mature young dog is full of quality. He has all the essentials with excellent balance and substance, good shaped head with a lovely dark eye and enough pigment.

Straight front. Excels in front and rear angulations. Short coupled. Moved really well covering the ground effortlessly. He was a happy showman and was shown in full pale gold coat with plenty of feathering.

2nd Smith's Goldfleece Knock on Wood

Mid –gold dog which had enough coat and who presented a very nice picture. Well made for and aft with a strong topline. Very pleasing head and expression. He knew how to move with great style.

3rd Brown's Piarka The Perfect Star

Cream glamorous dog with a beautiful head and expression. Excellent pigment. He excels in forehand construction and has complimentary quarters. Moved well.

4th Jones's Jonesh Charles Darwin

5th Dulke's Dewmit Silver Song

Intermediate Dog 12 (1 Absent)

1st Molnar's Dobro Diamond Edge

Upstanding dog with a good outline, Shown in very good, cream glamorous coat. Long strong neck with an excellent layback of shoulder. And good upper arm. Well ribbed and deep in the chest, Strong level topline. Enough quarters. Super Head, well shaped and masculine without coarseness. kind expression, good pigment .Moved out well and was very well handled.

2nd Handley's Giltedge Black Watch

A dog of a different type but of equal quality, really splitting hairs between first and second. Shown in good Mid- gold coat and shown very well. All the essential angles and looked very balanced. Lovely soft and gentle masculine head with a good dark eye and a nice expression.

3rd Cooke's Avonbreeze McLeod (AI)

Mid-gold dog with excellent for-hand construction, Deep chest, with well angled stifles, longer cast. Well-shaped head. Shown in excellent coat and condition. Moved out well.

4th Smith's Ch Stanroph Shared Assets (imp UK)

5th Temple's Fantango First Knight

Australian Bred Dog 15

1st Dulke's CH Fantango After The Reign

Cream glamorous dog with an excellent outline when he doesn't overstretch himself. He is full of quality. Balanced with substance. Excellent reach of neck into a very well laid shoulder and enough upper arm. Well-angled quarters. Excellent bone. Lovely masculine head of a good shape, I would like his eye slightly darker but he did have a lovely soft and kind expression. Shown in really good coat but still needs a little more feathering to complete the picture. Looked very good on the move, really covering the ground.

2nd Molnar's Ch Dobro Samurai Guy

Another lovely dog who presented a really pleasing and balanced picture.

Masculine but not course in any way. Well-shaped head of good proportions and good depth and width of muzzle. Eye could be slightly darker. He excels in Upper arm and shoulder lay back and has a strong top line. Well-bent stifle, which he used well on the move.

3rd Williams's Ch Learn Touched By Frost

Blonde boy shown in good coat. Good head shape and dark eye with a pleasing expression. Deep chest. Excellent. Fore-hand construction with a good top line. Adequate quarters just needs to mature a little in the loin to complete the picture.

4th Cross's Piarka Statesman

5th Easton's Skybelle's Maurice

Open Dog 14 (1)

1st Cook's Ch Doldew Dream Weaver

A beautiful mature dog of super quality that presents a finished picture when standing and on the move. Mid- Gold dog with excellent substance and a lovely outline. Super well-balanced head with a very kind and appealing expression, all male but not a bit course. Good length of neck into excellent shoulders and plenty of upper arm. Well-angled muscular quarters, deep chest, well ribbed. Excellent bone and good feet. He moved with purpose and drive. It was my pleasure to award him the CC. And Reserve Best in Show.

2nd Molnar's Xanthos Fletcher Christian

Another lovely dog, quite different to the winner but of excellent quality. Presented a lovely picture in outline and I was not disappointed in him when I went over him.

Beautiful cream coated mature dog that has a lovely head with a super expression, which was both appealing and kind. He had very good angles front and rear with a solid, level top line. He was shown in excellent coat and condition. He used his quarters well which showed in his strong driving movement. Covering the ground quite effortlessly.

Very pleased to award him the RCC.

3rd Kaspura's Ch Taransay Siegfried

I liked this boy a lot, He was a bit of a fidget but he felt like a lovely dog even though he tried to hide his virtues when stacked today, Full of quality and had good substance. Nice head with a lovely expression. Well put together.

He is full of mischief but needs to settle a little more on the move.

When he did settle he was moving straight and true.

4th Perry's Ch Perrecca Zig Zag

5th Dulke's Ch Fantango Purple Reign

Veteran Dog 3

1st Conyers Ramgold Radish

A lovely veteran who knew how to move, 9½ years old and shown in excellent full light cream coat, with plenty of feathering and shown in very good condition.

Well made throughout with a very nice head and soft expression. Presents a very balanced picture..He excels in for-hand construction and has well angled quarters, which he knows how to use on the move.

2nd Yoshino's Ch Yellowfetch Olympic Gold

Another 9½ years old who presented a very nice picture. Mid-gold full coat and plenty of feathering. Well angled and short coupled. He has a very nice head and expression but I just preferred the winners. His movement was very good and really belied his age as went round the ring. He is very well balanced and presents a very pleasing picture.

3rd Woodman's Oaklodge Lukes Gold

Rich Gold dog that was also 9½. He has a well-shaped head Good reach of neck and adequate angles, plenty of bone. He did not move well today.

Bitches

Baby Puppy Bitch 14 (2)

1st Buffalo Kennels Dobro Forever Amber

Very feminine baby with lots of promise. Very pretty head with the sweetest of expressions. She is very balanced with good for-hand construction and well-angled quarters. Shown in beautiful pale gold profuse coat. Movement was very good for a rising 6-month-old puppy. This puppy looked lovely in profile and just right for her age.

2nd Dulke's Fantango Wisteria Lane

Presents a very good out-line, making a very pleasing picture. Super reach of neck into well-angled shoulders, short coupled, Good bend of stifle. Pretty head and expression. Well presented and handled.

3rd Molnar's Dobro Fire Crystal

Mid-gold puppy that was nicely put together with a nice outline. She had a beautiful head, which was so feminine, super eye shape that was soft and kind. giving a lovely expression.. Moved and handled well.

4th Buffalo Knls Buffalo Sea Biscuit

5th Jones's Jonesh Peppers Manor

Minor Puppy Bitch 15 (1 Absent)

1st Molnar's Dobro Diamond Magic

I really fell for this lovely puppy. She had an elegant outline and oozed femininity, nicely shaped gentle head of good proportions and a lovely expression.

Excellent reach of neck into correct shoulder and upper arm angulation, straight front Complimentary rear angulation and a strong top-line. Well-shaped feet and good bone. Quite mature for her age but not finished. Moved really well.

When she is older I'm sure she will trouble the very best.

2nd Cooke's Goldew Kokomo

Compact puppy with all the correct angles, Super front, and short coupled with well-shaped quarters. Very pretty head with a lovely soft expression. Shown in full pale gold coat. Looked good on the move. Well handled and presented.

3rd Ashiya Kennels Ashiya Dream Come True

Pale cream puppy that was well put together with correct angles and a good reach of neck. Very pretty head which was very feminine and gentle, lovely soft expression.

Moving well today

4th Lynch's Yellowfetch what a Sheila.

5th Saunders Japorick As Time Flys

Puppy Bitch 12

1st Stephens's Yellowfetch World Vision

Elegant outline on this puppy, Shown in good mid-gold coat and was very feminine. Very nicely shaped head with excellent pigment giving a lovely kind expression.

Excellent reach of neck into correct front assembly, well shaped, muscular quarters. Firm top-line and tail set. A little longer in the couplings but when she moved she carried herself well and moved with drive.

2nd Handley's Giltedge Poetry in Motion

Another lovely puppy but just slightly preferred the head of the winner. However she was very appealing and pretty with a good expression. She was nicely angled with a firm top-line. Plenty of light gold coat. Very positive on the move covering the ground well.

3rd Dulke's Fantango Reign Dancer

Cream puppy that looks very nice in profile. Long reach of neck into good shoulders and level top-line. Well-angled stifle. Can appear over stretched at times when stacked. She had a very nice head with a very mischievous expression and on the move was really enjoying striding out. Moved true.

4th McDonalds Giltedge Sonnet

5th Temple & Molnar's Dobro Flying Higher

Junior Bitch 15 (2 Absent)

.1st Cooke's Goldew Jubilee

Very balanced feminine bitch with substance. She had all the essentials; Her head was beautiful with a well-shaped eye and soft expression. Excellent for -hand construction ,good depth of chest. Nicely angled quarters and a very pretty coat. Would prefer a slightly straighter front but she has many good qualities. Moved really well.

2nd Easton's Montego Vanilla Ice

Very pretty and feminine bitch with a very good outline. Lovely head.

Shoulders had a good layback and enough upper arm. , short coupled. Well-angled quarters which she used to advantage on the move. Shown in full pale gold coat and in excellent condition.

3rd Neill's Goldmatt Brash N Sassy

Blonde elegant bitch that needs a little more maturity to complete the picture. She is only young and this will come. She is very feminine with an excellent eye catching outline. Nicely made with good angulation.. She was good on the move and enjoyed showing herself off.

4th Smith's Goldfleece Glad All Over

5th Handleys Giltedge Lyric

Intermediate Bitch 14 (3 absent)

1st Dulke & Handley's Fantango Centre Stage

Today this beautiful bitch was aptly named, she took centre stage and took the CC and Best in Show and I was later told that this gave her the Champion title, Congratulations to her and her owner. I would of liked to have taken his beautiful young lady home.

She excels in presenting a clean, elegant and balanced outline. Very pretty head with a super soft expression. Long reach of neck sweeping into correctly laid shoulders and excellent upper arm. Strong muscular quarters. Good depth of chest and nicely ribbed, excellent tail set and top line. Moved with great style and drive giving effortless flowing movement that was straight and true. This mid-gold bitch was stunning and it was my privilege to award her the CC and Best in Show.

2nd Atkinson's Montego As You Wish

Well-made mid- gold bitch. Nicely shaped head with good depth and breadth of muzzle, She was pretty with a good eye shape and a very saucy expression, full of fun.

Well-constructed and moved well. Her handler needs to watch her a little more when she is stacked as she can.spoil her out-line.

3rd Hobsonvale Neilla

Lovely blonde glamorous bitch that was different in type to the previous two and bigger

framed. good depth of chest.. She had a lovely quality and an excellent outline She was very feminine. Excellent reach of neck, good shoulder layback. nicely-angled quarters. Level top-line and tail set. Moved and handled very well

4th O'Sheehy's Shtar Our Girl Chelsea

5th Perry's Perecca Rosewood

Australian Bred Bitch 17 (3)

1st Handley's Ch Giltedge Florida Storm

Rich gold mature bitch with a lovely outline. Shown in lovely coat and condition. Gentle , feminine head of good proportions Soft kind expression.. Correct angulations at both ends, Excels in reach of neck and a firm top line. Deep chest, well boned with good ribs. Moved with drive covering the ground and was well handled. Pleased to award her the RCC

2nd Atkinson's Ch Montego Miras Dream CD

Pretty, Short coupled bitch shown in good light gold coat, presenting a very pleasing picture. Very pretty head with a gentle expression. Good lay of shoulder and correct upper arm. Nicely angled quarters. .Really moved out well and looked very stylish.

3rd Ramsay's Ramgold Rumour Raising

Really good outline on this bitch. Shown in full cream coat. Lovely head.with a sweet expression. Nicely angled at both ends with a good top line. longer couplings, Good body properties. Very good on the move and was well handled..

4th Stephens's CH Yelowfetch Splash Fcash

5th Kowalski's Ch Ambervalley Mary O'Argyll

Open Bitch 15 (3)

1st Smith's Ch Goldfleece Pie In The Sky

This bitch is full of quality and very feminine .to be critical would prefer a slightly better tail set but she is lovely and has many other assets. She has a beautiful head with a gentle and appealing expression. She is balanced and feminine with correctly angled front and rear. With a lovely body shape. Excellent bone and neat feet. Moved really well, really covered the ground. Very well handled and presented.

2nd Handley's Ch Giltedge Tara

Another quality bitch who presented a very nice out-line, making a very pleasing picture, She is a lovely shape, clean and elegant . Her angles are very good and she has matured nicely. I preferred the winner's head and today and she was not wearing her best party clothes. Really looked good on the move. Well handled.

3rd McGrath's Ch Alnclair Ann Tacipation

Elegant Cream bitch who looked lovely in profile that showed off her correct conformation. Lovely feminine head, with a soft and gentle expression. Today just needed a bit more coat to complete the picture. Moved and presented very well.

4th Dixon's Euraid Spring Time

5th Easton's Ch Montego Airs & Graces

Veteran Bitch 3 (1)

1st Mackender's GR CH Aubyc Georgia

Lovely 9-year-old bitch in first class condition. I thought She was beautiful very feminine with a beautiful head and expression. Good reach of neck and well laid shoulders complimented by her super quarters, which she used to advantage on the move, she covered the ground with style and drive. And looked very good. She had plenty of glamorous light gold coat and plenty of feathering. Today I feel she would of benefited from having some of the old feathering tidied up to improve her outline. She was very well handled and was at one with her handler. A really super Veteran.

2nd McGrath's Gr Ch Alnclair Maggie May

This young lady was 7 ½ years old .She was very feminine with a soft and gentle head, sweet expression. Nicely put together and not overdone in any way. Presented a very pleasing picture. Sadly today she did not have her best bib and tucker on. So had to give way to the winner.