

## **The Golden Retriever Club of NSW**

**2<sup>nd</sup> day Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> August 2018**

**Judge Mrs Lynne Hennessy.**

I must start by thanking the committee for their hospitality and making my stay an enjoyable one. My hard working stewards made my task somewhat easier. All decisions were accepted graciously. Thank you all for bringing your lovely dogs for me to judge, all decisions were on the day and many exhibits I am sure will change places another time. I feel your best could trouble the best anywhere in the world. Handling and presentation was on the whole very good, of course to the newer exhibitors I can only say we all went to our first show and we all have to start somewhere, so watch and learn and keep plugging away and if your dog is good enough you will get there in the end.

### **DOGS**

#### **BABY DOG**

1<sup>st</sup> SHTAR CAT MAN DO. Mid gold angular puppy of good type, well proportioned with good height length ratio, good neck into well laid shoulders, gentle head, well presented and handled in good mid gold coat.

2<sup>nd</sup> FANTANGO UP UP AND AWAY. Quality compact balanced puppy, super top line and tail set, good dark points, handled to advantage moved well.

3<sup>rd</sup> JAPORIK LUCK OF THE DRAW well balanced, good top line, good pigment, has quality, moved well, just the baby of the baby class.

#### **MINOR PUPPY DOG**

1<sup>ST</sup> CHALEUR U HAD ME AT HELLO What a smasher, at 7 months so stylish on the move so tight and together for one so young, he is hard to fault from his gentle head through his sound conformation, stands on good legs and feet, he was presented and handled to advantage. As his name suggests... he had me at Hello!

2<sup>nd</sup> KENZANNE HOCUS POCUS Nice head, good length of neck, happy confident puppy, needs time and training.

#### **PUPPY DOG**

1<sup>ST</sup> AUST CH HAPPY BEAR A NEW BEGINNING (AI) Very attractive strong dog of good size and substance shown in beautiful full rich gold coat which was immaculately presented. Powerful stylish mover. Ex. dark points stands on good legs and feet, firm level top line. Balanced angulation fore and aft. Soundly made all through.

2<sup>nd</sup> TYASSAGOLD THE KEEPS WATCH. Balanced shapely boy although not in his best coat deserved his place here, moved well, good pigment.

3<sup>rd</sup> CALS RUN WILD AT GOLD STREAM. Liked this boy for type, substance & quality, shown in super coat, just needs to settle in hind quarters as very often will stand a little high at the rear I am sure this will settle with time.

## **JUNIOR DOG**

1<sup>ST</sup> BLUEBREEZE OVER THE MOON. Not a big dog but very easy on the eye, won here on his overall balance and very sound conformation and movement. Sympathetically and quietly handled to advantage.

2<sup>nd</sup> GOLDBRIOR DA VINCI CODE. Midgold angular dog, good neck and forehand assembly, stylish mover, Just lost out to winner on second thigh.

3<sup>rd</sup> IKENTRIEVE KRAKEN GOOD TIME Pale gold smaller type of dog, good dark points, carried his tail high today.

## **INTERMEDIATE DOG**

1<sup>ST</sup> CH SHTAR SEAL OF APPROVAL. Scopey boy who stands over a lot of ground, shown in beautiful rich gold coat which was beautifully presented. Correct angulation fore and aft. Masculine head, good neck. A good size dog of super type.

2<sup>ND</sup> CH FANTANGO WHAT HAPPENS IN VEGAS. Pale balanced boy of smaller type to winner, generally well made showing good out line when standing. Lost out to winner on hind action, expertly handled and presented. A dog with quality.

3<sup>rd</sup> CH BLUEBREEZE HERO OF NEVER LAND. Mid gold, compact, he caught my eye on the first move round. He holds his shape perfectly on the move. His foot fall is excellent, whilst he is slightly light in eye he is such a sound honest dog a real shame he was completely out of coat.

## **AUST BRED DOG**

1<sup>ST</sup> CH GILTEDGE DO YOU LIKE APPLES. Such a lovely type he really appealed. Shown in lovely rich gold coat. Perfectly balanced with correct conformation from nose to tail gentle head and expression. Super top line and tail set, moved well. A strong contender in the challenge.

2<sup>nd</sup> CH BRADLEEN ALL CASHED UP. Similar in type to winner, Pleasing head, shown in rich gold good coat, good substance.

3<sup>rd</sup> BLUEBREEZE DIVINITY UNLEASHED. Balanced pale boy shown in good coat and condition, good dark points good mover.

## **BRED BY EXHIBITOR DOG**

1<sup>ST</sup> JONESH CHAI LATTE. Won on his overall type, substance and masculinity, good body and coat.

2<sup>nd</sup> CH GOLDKEY FREEDOM. Rich gold gentle boy with balanced out line whilst I preferred the overall size of winner I did prefer this boys legs and feet.

## **OPEN DOG.**

1<sup>ST</sup> SUP CH FANTANGO PLAYING THE GAME. Extremely stylish dog right out of the top drawer. Expertly handled and presented to advantage. A masculine pale dog of good size clean neck in to well laid shoulders. Covers his ground with a long easy stride, tail held well on the move.

2<sup>ND</sup> SUP CH CHAELEUR HILFIGER. Liked this dog very much just lacking in tummy feathering today so not quite the complete picture of winner, another chap of good size with excellent conformation. Moved well nice head. Top quality dog.

3<sup>RD</sup> CH GOLDTREVVE WILD MURPHY MAGIC. Good spring of rib, not in his best bib and tucker today.

## **VETERAN DOG**

1<sup>ST</sup> CH GOLD SOUTHERN SON. Hardly a veteran he showed many of the youngsters how it should be done. Shown in super coat and hard fit condition, such a typical golden boy , strong bone, good forehand assembly, good height length ratio, the most perfect top line and tail set, strong hind quarters all of which he used to move around the ring with style and drive. A beautiful dog all round. B.I.S.

2<sup>nd</sup> GRAND CH BURRAGUNDY DUSTY DROVER. Paler boy still moving true fore and aft, gentle boy sympathetically handled.

3<sup>RD</sup> CH TONARA DREAM DEBUT FOR ROSLARACH. Lovely type. Gentle steady temperament, just lost out to 2<sup>nd</sup> dog on hind action.

## **BITCHES**

### **BABY PUPPY BITCH.**

A super class of quality babies.

1<sup>ST</sup> FANTANGO UPTOWN GIRL. Pale baby of quality everything in the right place moved very well. Good dark points, shown in pretty wavy coat, well balanced. Handled to advantage.

2<sup>nd</sup> SANDLEWOOD THE BEEZ KNEEZ AT GLODSHYNE. The most mature of the class and liked her very much, lovely type good angulation level top line. Pretty head, full of quality.

3<sup>rd</sup> FANTANGO WHISPERING SECRETS. The real baby of the class but what a cracker! She has it all!

### **MINOR PUPPY BITCH**

1<sup>st</sup> CHALEUR YOU ARE THE ONE. Top quality youngster with all the essentials to get to the top, blonde in pretty well presented coat. Very easy on the eye, lovely head, soundly made and moved accordingly

2<sup>RD</sup> FANTANGO RAVE REVIEW. Super type and similar remarks apply not quite the front assembly of winner but of course at this tender age they are still developing.

3<sup>RD</sup> CALS HONEY GEM. Could have troubled the two in front of her as there was so much to like, just not settled today.

### **PUPPY BITCH**

1<sup>ST</sup> FANTANGO DO YOU WANNA DANCE. Nice type with quality good top line quarters legs and feet just a little wide if front.

2<sup>nd</sup> HAPPYBEAR THE CATS WHISKERS

3<sup>RD</sup> BIRDWING CHASE THE DREAM

### **JUNIOR BITCH.**

1<sup>ST</sup> GILTEDGE YOU WATCHING ME. Well grown, stands on strong bone, nothing to excess but plenty of everything, overall a very sound bitch

2<sup>ND</sup> MONTEGO EURO DIAMOND DANCER. Pretty bitch with shapely out line has quality but a little unsure today.

3<sup>RD</sup> GLODBRIOR ELSA ON ICE. Light mid well angulated, pretty head and expression.

### **INTERMEDIATE BITCH**

1<sup>ST</sup> CH BLUEBREEZE DIVINE INTERVENTION. Balanced moderate bitch of quality, she explains the saying...everything has a place and everything is in its place.

2<sup>ND</sup> GILTEDGE CATCH MY EYE. Bigger bitch than winner, lovely quarters, over all creates a very nice picture

3<sup>RD</sup> CH BLUEBREEZE ON CLOUD NINE. A smaller type but equally correct.

### **AUSTRALIAN BRED BITCH**

1<sup>ST</sup> CH GILTEDGE ROLL OUT THE RED CARPET. Bigger bitch of nice type, rich mid gold well angulated fore and aft

2<sup>ND</sup> AUST CH RALUN LASTING TOUCH. Another bitch of good size well angulated.

3<sup>RD</sup> AUST CH IKENTRIEVE EL AMOR SOPHIA. Well made moved well.

### **BRED BY EXHIBITOR BITCH**

1<sup>ST</sup> CH BLUEBREEZE COVER GIRL. Really loved this quality bitch, not a big girl, shown in pretty pale coat in super condition, really good in so many aspects to be critical would just prefer a little more leg length, but no one is perfect. A real pocket rocket that makes her presence felt.

2<sup>ND</sup> GOLDSTREAM SHEER MAJIK. Very angular bitch showing shapely outline, just a little long in pastern.

3<sup>RD</sup> GILDENGOLD SPINNING CHORUS. Nice type of puppy but a real baby in comparison to above.

### **OPEN BITCH.**

1<sup>ST</sup> CH CHALEUR HUBBA BUBBA. A lovely bitch from any angle. Lovely head, well grown with substance stands on good legs and feet, good neck going into the best of shoulders, good top line and tail set. A pale gold shown in good coat and condition, she has an indefinable quality that sets her apart. Perfectly presented and handled.

2<sup>ND</sup> FANTANGO CARRY ON DANCING. Super sound construction on this well made bitch of quality, shown in beautiful wavy coat stands on the best of legs and feet, moved well, just preferred head of winner.

3<sup>rd</sup> CH GILTEDGE THERE'S A BUTTERFLY. Shapely strong bitch with ex. spring of rib, moved well.

#### **VETERAN BITCH.**

1<sup>ST</sup> GR CH IKENTRIEVE KINDRED SPIRIT. Light gold feminine bitch that creates a very nice picture standing. Long clean neck going into well laid shoulder.

2<sup>ND</sup> MONTEGO PRETTY WOMAN. A well angulated bitch preferred her hind movement to winner but overall not looking her best today.

#### **OPEN NEUTER BITCH.**

1<sup>ST</sup> CH GILTEDGE CATCH MY DRIFT. Balanced mid gold with firm top line a sound bitch, pigment not so good today.

2<sup>ND</sup> CH JAPORIK MISS ROSEBAY. Good shoulder angulation good neck and good pigment

3<sup>RD</sup> CH TYASSAGOLD CHILE ON TOAST. Sweet typical bitch of the older type.

I apologise for some critiques being a little short but sadly there were not photographs of all the dogs and I had to rely on memory for many of them, not helped by the fact that a few pages of my notes were eaten by one of my youngsters. Sadly I had neither photos or notes for 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> place in puppy bitch.