# **Australian Shepherd Association of NSW Inc**

# Championship Show – 30<sup>th</sup> March 2013

# Critiques

I would like to again take this opportunity to thank the club for inviting me to judge at your specialty show it was an absolute pleasure. I would also like to thank and commend the exhibitors for the overall quality of the exhibits and the presentation of all the dogs which whether in full coat or not they were all presented at their very best. Thank you for your sportsmanship and acceptance of my places on the day. You have some lovely animals and the quality and soundness in movement of the exhibits high. It is always a pleasure to judge at specialist shows and I know I always go home having learned more about the breed I have judged.

### **DOGS**

# **Baby Puppy**

**1 – Emberforde Stirling Idea** – 5 months blue merle of good type and proportions, good head and expression, balanced puppy moves well for his age.

#### **Minor Puppy Dog**

**1 – Crystaleye Heart on Fire** – 7 months blue merle, nice head and expression, balanced angulation fore and rear, starting to go through a rangy stage normal for puppies of this age, balanced movement.

## **Puppy Dog**

**1 – Owjedoo a Road Less Travelled** – 9 months blue merle very good type, nice head and expression, balanced, good proportions and angulations, a bit out of coat, moves well with free and easy gait for this age group.

## **Junior Dog**

- **1 Blueamble My Toyboy is Black** Black beautifully presented dog of very good type, well proportioned clean head with lovely expression. Well balanced with good topline, would like just a little more angle in the upper arm. Moves with balanced free and easy gait that covers the ground.
- **2 Blueamble Leisure Suit Larry** Red dog of very good type, not in full coat, very good head and lovely expression. Balanced dog with very good proportions, correct fore and rear angulations moves with balanced free flowing gait, covering the ground.
- **3- Mysql Worth the Wait** Black dog very well presented, slightly heavier in head but very good expression. Well proportioned but back could be slightly firmer, and upper arm just slightly better angled. He moves with a balanced free flowing movement.

#### **Intermediate Dog**

- **15 Dreamoz Marlon Brando** Beautifully presented well constructed dog. Slightly heavier in head but with good head proportions and lovely masculine expression. Balance dog with very good angulations and a straight back. Balanced movement with good reach and drive who covers the ground effortlessly.
- **18 Ch Dykinta Night Maestro** Blue Merle dog with very good Masculine head and expression. Well balanced fore and rear angulations, straight back, slightly out of coat. Balanced movement covering the ground.
- **16 Nuthinbutt Impressive** Well presented blue merle of good type with good head proportions and expression. Good proportions, correct fore and hindquarter angulations, back could be slightly firmer. Moves with free flowing gait which covers the ground.

### **Australian Bred Dog**

- **1 Ch Crystaleye Kisso Passion** Blue merle masculine dog with well proportioned head with good expression. Well proportioned body with correct angulations and nice reach of neck, firm back. Moves with good reach and drive with a free flowing gait.
- **2 Brandyark The Pendragon** Blue Merle dog of good proportions. Well proportioned clean head with good expression, slightly smaller ears preferred. Correct fore and hind angulations, straight topline. Free easy movement with good each and drive.
- **3- CH Mahteek Caramel Clobber** Red dog, expressive head with good proportions. Balanced dog with correct proportions and angulations, straight topline. Sound, free balanced movement.

## **Open Dog**

- **1 SUP CH Dykinta Hot Property ET** Beautifully presented impressive blue Merle dog of harmonious construction. Masculine expressive clean head with correct proportions. A very well constructed moderate balanced dog of excellent type and proportions, correct angulations and level topline, good bone. Sound free effortless movement with correct reach and drive. A stunning dog which was a great pleasure to award Best Dog and BIS.
- **2 SUP CH Dreamoz Inaugural Boy** Beautifully presented blue merle dog of harmonious construction. Impressive masculine dog with slightly strong head but good proportions and expression. Balanced dog of excellent type with very good angulations and level topline, strong bone. This dog moves with correct reach and drive with sound free effortless motion. Pleased to award him Reserve Dog.
- **3 GR CH Azproudaz Aurora Magic** Well presented blue merle dog, well proportioned masculine head with very good expression. A very well constructed balanced dog with correct angulations, and level back. He moves with good reach and drive and sound free easy movement.

#### **Neuter Dog**

- **1 Dykinta Make My Day CD** Blue merle dog neuter male. Very good expressive head. Well proportioned balanced dog with balanced fore and rear angulations. Sound free balanced movement.
- **2 Leesway Tweed Hope** Black dog neuter male. Expressive head, balanced proportions with very good reach and drive.

#### **BITCHES**

#### **Baby Puppy Bitch**

- **1 Gemelo The New Recruit** black feminine bitch of lovely type. Feminine head and expression well constructed balanced baby with good angles and topline. Moves very well and sound for her age.
- **2 Rozate Onekiss Closertoheaven** Black bitch very good type, feminine. Pretty feminine head and expression. Well constructed baby with good angles. Sound balanced movement for her age.
- **3 Austogo Nullabor Queen** Red merle feminine bitch of very good type. Feminine head and expression, well constructed baby with good angles. Sound balanced movement for her age.

# **Minor Puppy Bitch**

- **39 Aolanis Mai Silva Treasure (Imp USA)** Beautifully presented black feminine bitch of harmonious construction. Pretty feminine head of correct proportions and lovely expression. Moderate well constructed balanced puppy with very good confirmation, correct angles and level topline. Balanced free flowing sound movement with good reach and drive covering the ground.
- **37 Crystaleye Light My Fire** Black feminine bitch. Feminine head and expression, ears a little large and yet to settle. Balanced proportions fore and hindquarters. Going through the rangy stage age group at present and also a little out of coat. Balanced movement with good reach and drive for her age.

## **Puppy Bitch**

**Cuebiyar Dejavu All Over Again** – Red merle well presented bitch of very good type. Lovely feminine head with good proportions and pretty expression. Very well presented balanced bitch with very good angulations. Has free balanced movement but needs a little more training in both her standing and movement, however she is still a puppy.

**Dykinta Royal Blue Doulton** - Blue Merle well presented feminine bitch of good type. Nice feminine head with good expression. Balanced fore and rear angulations with straight back, moves well with free and easy gait for her age.

**Sarbinma Sunny Nova** – Blue Merle feminine bitch slightly out of coat. Good head and expression though a little wary. Balanced fore and rear angulations straight back. Balanced movement for her age.

#### **Junior Bitch**

**Sarbinma Chokerrerouge** – Red bitch, very good type. Well balanced head with nice expression. Very good proportions and angulations with level topline. Free and easy movement with good reach and drive that covers the ground.

**Nuthinbutt Obvious Class** – Red merle bitch, lovely type. Very well presented with feminine well proportioned head and pretty expression. Correct balanced angulations, slightly longer in loin. Balanced movement with good reach and drive covering the ground.

**Blueamble Racy Red Knickers** – Red merle bitch of nice type. Very well presented bitch. Nice head with good expression. Good angulation would like a slightly more level topline but this could still be to firm as only a young bitch. Covers the ground with free flowing gait.

#### Intermediate Bitch

**CH Cuebiyar Chantillylace** – Blue Merle well presented bitch of very good type. Pretty well proportioned head with good expression. Balanced with correct angulations and a level topline. Moves with free easy movement covering the ground with a free flowing gait with good reach and drive.

**Jedabun Gossip Girl** – Black bitch well balanced. Feminine head and expression. Good fore and rear angulation with level back. Moves with balanced free flowing movement.

**Nuthinbutt Dress To Impress** – Blue Merle stronger type bitch. Strong but feminine head with good expression slightly larger ears. Well balanced with correct angulations. Balanced free movement with good reach and drive.

#### **Australian Bred Bitch**

**CH Ripkurle Between the Sheets** – Black beautifully presented bitch of very good type, would like to see her slightly less heavy. Stronger expressive but feminine clean head. Harmonious, balanced with very good angulations and a level topline. Moves with good reach and drive with free easy movement which covers the ground.

**CH Tolazrun Kansas Sunflowa ET** – Red bitch of very good type. Good head and expression. Strong balanced bitch with very good confirmation and correct angles with level topline. Moves with free easy gait that covers the ground.

**CH Dykinta Night Music** – Blue Merle slightly smaller bitch of very good type. Nice head with feminine expression. Balanced angulations with level topline. Balanced movement covering the ground.

## **Open Bitch**

**SUP CH Blueamble Stelaluna** – Blue merle, beautifully presented harmonious bitch of excellent type. Beautiful clean head with correct proportions and pretty feminine expression. Moderate sound well balanced bitch of excellent proportions with correct angulations and level topline. Moves with sound, free agile and graceful movement covering the ground with very good reach and drive. A very beautiful and correct bitch in every way and an absolute pleasure to award her Best Bitch and RBIS.

**CH Milwin Bayshore Memorandum (IMP USA)** – Black bitch of excellent type and condition. Very good head and feminine expression. Moderate balanced bitch of correct proportions and angulations with level topline. Sound free agile gait that covers the ground with good reach and drive. Pleased to award her Reserve Bitch.

**CH Jedabun Hopes N Dreams** – Black bitch of very good type. Feminine head and expression. Balanced bitch with very good angulations. Level topline, set of tail slightly high. Balanced free flowing movement.

#### **Neuter Bitch**

**Neut CH CH Brashelle Dare to Dream** – Red Merle 10 year old bitch of very good type. In excellent condition for her age. Lovely feminine head and expression. Very good angulations and a still firm back. Moves with free flowing gait that covers the ground. This bitch is a credit for her age and it was a pleasure to judge her.