

NORTHERN ENGLAND FLATCOATED RETRIEVER SOCIETY CH. SHOW 3RD NOVEMBER 2019

Thank you for my stewards for all their work making sure the show ran smoothly. I think a hold up on the M6 may have delayed people on their way to the show and maybe some did not make it at all. The show was held in the usual venue with lovely big rings to show the dogs movement off to their best.

VETERAN DOG (6)

1 **STRANFAER MAKUNDU**. 7 Year old boy in tip top condition. Lovely head correct eye colour and shape giving him that correct Flatcoat expression. Well proportioned, good level top line kept well when moving.

2 **SH. CH. BRIGHTMOOR CAUGHT IN THE ACT AT FLATCHARM (IMP)** Another 7 year old boy. Looking great. Lovely head, correct pigmentation. Correct depth of chest plenty of heart and lung room. Level top line moved well.

3 **DOWNSTREAM FACE THE MUSIC**. 7 year boy again looking good. Lovely head and front. Good reach of neck, level top line, correct bend of stifle, moved well. I am sure these three boys could change places at any time.

SPECIAL VETERAN (1).

1 **LLANTRUSSA RUM BA BA AT KARAHOLME**, Stood alone but what a lovely boy. Ten year old boy, who was in great condition. Good head correct eye shape and colour. Good front, lovely bone, correct proportions, level top line. Moved really well.

MINOR PUPPY DOG. (10)

1 **STEELRIVER HIT THE BEACH WITH BUCKLEYHILL** This young boy was just as you expect for his age. Lovely head, good reach of neck, level top line, moved well, took the whole thing in his stride.

2 **TELURN DONT WANNA KNOW**. There was very little to choose between these boys. He had a beautiful head, Adequate bone, level top line. Correct stifle, He moved well. So calm and happy enjoying his day out.

3 **WOODFINCH MASQUERADE**. Lovely head, correct eye shape and colour, good front angulation, level top line kept well on the move for one so young. Hind quarters carrying him well so he moved well.

These boys will meet often in the future and I am sure will change places many times.

PUPPY DOG (5)

1 **GEMSWIN BOHEMIAN RHAPSODY**. This was more mature than some of the others. Pleasing head, good front level top line, correct bend of stifle, adequate bone not overdone, He moved with drive helped by his good hindquarters.

2 STEELRIVER HIT THE BEACH WITH BUCKLEYHILL.

3 **OLLIEART'S THE ALCHEMIST**. Pleasing head correct eye shape and colour, good front. Kept his top line on the move. There was little to choose between these boys.

JUNIOR DOG (5)

1 **FLATCHARM MR BRIGHTSIDE** This boy had a lovely head, correct front, good lay of shoulders, level top line, correct loin to rib proportions, correct stifle, moved well for his age, like all young dogs just needs time to get everything under control.

2 **BLACKLAKE BLACK PRINCE** Another promising boy, taking everything in his stride. Good head correct eye shape and colour, good front, level top line, correct depth of chest, moved well.

3 **BLACKLAKE ANGELO FOR GAYPLUME**. Litter brother to number 2, little to choose between them. Another promising young man. Correct proportions loin to ribs, good hind quarters, level top line, Good head, correct eye shape and colour. Moved well.

YEARLING DOG (7)

1 **LIZZLOG SHOTGUN HARRY**, Lovely dog in great proportions, not overdone in any way., good head eye shape and colour, good reach of neck, correct shoulder placement, level top line, Well muscled upper thigh which showed when he moved around the ring with great drive.

2 **SATINBLAZE CRACKSMAN FOR BLACK TOFT JW. AI**. Another good quality head, good front, reach of neck into well laid shoulders, level top line correct tail set, deep chest plenty of room for heart and lungs. Strong hind quarters moved well.

3 **BLACKLAKE BLACK PRINCE**

NOVICE DOG. (6)

1 **STEELRIVER HIT THE BEACH WITH BUCKLEYHILL**. Winner of minor puppy.

2 **HIGHTYNE UNFORGETTABLE AT BRAEMIST**. Another good dog very little between these boys. Good head, correct front well proportioned. Level top line correct tail set, moved well.

3 **RAVENCRAE GREAT NORTHERN STAR**. A good dog, good head nicely moulded, good lay of shoulder, adequate bone, balanced boy who moved well.

GRADUATE DOG (9)

1 **WISTASTON JET'S LEGACY AI**. Lovely dog classic head, well proportioned. Good reach of neck into well laid shoulders. Lots to like about this dog Moved really well.

2 **STRANFAER GET OVER IT JW**. This dog showed in really good condition, good head, correct front angulation, Level top line correct tail set. Moved well.

3 **RAINESGIFT TRUTH OR DARE** Dog of correct size, well balanced, level top line, strong hind quarters helped him move around the ring with drive.

POST GRADUATE DOG (10)

1. [GO WITH THE FLOW EBONY IN HARMONY AT QLOCONTRAIL \(IMP NL\) JW SHCM.](#)

Very balanced dog, showed in lovely condition, classic head, correct eye shape and colour, good front, good reach of neck, good depth of chest, well muscled hind quarters ensured he moved with drive around the ring. R.C.C

2 [TELURN COME FLY WITH ME TO RIVAGE.](#) Correct head, good eye shape and colour, balanced dog, good front and correct depth of chest. Level top line kept well on the move. Nicely muscled hind quarters moved with drive.

3 [WISTASTON THE BLACK DIAMOND AT HOWLINGALE.](#) Classic head nicely moulded. Well proportioned. Level top line correct tail set. Moved well. Three good dogs.

LIMIT DOG (14)

1 [PLAINFIRE'S THE CAPTAIN OF MY HEART IS STEELRIVER \(IMP. CHE\)](#) This dog for me is the blueprint for a Flatcoat. Correct size, balanced dog, fit for life, fit for purpose. Lovely head, good front, good reach of neck which comes with correct lay of shoulder, level top line. His hind quarters are strong and well muscled without being over done. Great feet. This boy moved so so well, covered his ground, so well put together. D.C.C AND B. O. B

2 [TELURN CAN'T TOUCH THIS](#) Another good dog. Well balanced boy, lovely head correct eye shape and colour. Correct front, well laid shoulders. Level top line, Well set on tail, Hind quarters sound. Moved well. Unfortunate to meet up with number 1.

3 [UP TO THE STARS BLACK BRIANTA TO JETSTARSKI JW \(IMP CZE\).](#) A dog close behind the others, good head correct eye shape and colour. Balanced dog, level top line. Moved well.

OPEN DOG(3)

1 [CASANJAY DEMETRIUS](#) Lovely dog correct front, level top line kept well on the move. Good depth of chest plenty of room for heart and lungs. Best feet of the day Moved really well.

2 [LAURVIC TALKING ITALIAN.](#) This dog presented in lovely condition. Slightly bigger than number one, but balanced. Lovely head and front, level top line kept well on the move thanks to great hind quarter conformation.

3 [CASTLEROCK MAGICAL SHADOW FOR NELLSPACE JW](#) Not far behind the other two. Balanced dog, level top line, good reach of neck, well muscled hind quarters. Moved well.

CHAMPION DOG

1 SH. CH. CACI'S JUST A GIGOLO AT STEELRIVER (IMP SWE) JW.

2 SH. CH. LIZZLOG GRANNY WON'T LIKE IT JW,

3 SH CH BLACKTOFT AMERICAN SMOOTH AT BRAEMIST JW

I HAVE NOT DONE INDIVIDUAL CRITQUES ON THESE THREE DOGS. THEY ARE ALL BEAUTIFUL EXAMPLES OF THE BREED. THEIR OWNERS MUST BE SO PROUD OF THEM AND RIGHTLY SO.

SPECIAL LIVER DOG (3)

1 GEMSWIN RELIGHT MY FIRE JW. Beautiful pigmentation on this liver boy., eye colour and shape correct, level top line, good depth of chest. Moved well.

2 TREVOR SILK GALAXY ALZATO, Good pigmentation, which is so important for this colour. Lovely eyes. Good top line, Well balanced, moved with drive.

SPECIAL WORKING DOG.

1 CASBLAIDD ISLAND IN THE SKY, Stood alone, but looked every bit a working dog. Great head lovely eye shape and colour. Good front, level top line, Well muscled hind quarters, Moved with drive.

SPECIAL MEMBERS STAKES. (8)

1 SATINBLAZE CRACKSMAN FOR BLACKTOFT JW AI

2 LEVELMOOR BLACKADDER

3 BLACK MICA'S LIKES IT HOT AT BLACKTOFT JW (IMP. SWE)

4 LEVELMOOR ACORN ANTIQUES VAI WETNOSES.

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