**Hungarian Vizsla Club**

 **Championship Show**

**24th September 2023**

**It was a privilege to be invited to judge this show. I have admired the breed since they came to the show rings when we began in the 1970’s**

**Over the years now I have followed their development with interest. I have invited many to work with us and other HPR’S on shoots we have managed and I have witnessed first hand the improvement in quality that breeders have steadily demonstrated in areas of work and show.**

**Thank you to the Club for their welcome and good spirits on the day. To my two efficient stewards and their Teamwork and for keeping things running smoothly.**

**Most of all I would like to thank all the sporting exhibitors for their entries and for the generous support they demonstrated to their fellow exhibitors.**

**MP** (2) **1st** Rackett,Rackets & Wilcox **Roughshoot Red Wine of Solencia**

Nice dog standing, just 6 months. Mature for his age . Well bodied, good balance and proportions. Correct type and bone, true coordinated movement. Should have a bright future. **BPIS**

**2nd** Underdown **Bitcon Northern Dancer** Young dog 8 months still learning his craft. Good outline , clean lines needs to mature . When settled presents a promising prospect. Needs to settle into his movement.

**PD** (3) **1st** Rackett,Rackets & Wilcox **Roughshoot Red Wine of Solencia**

**2nd** Porter-Manning &Porter  **Wallaroo Duncan Disorderly** Nice frame, level topline and moderate quarters. Still young and developing , needs to tighten in front and feet and settle on the move but still early days.

**3rd** Savage **Silvestre Here’s The Thing** Another at that early stage in development. Good topline and proportions. Moving erratically today and not the balance yet to compete with my winner.

**JD** (7, 2abs) **1st** DaSilva & Sexton **Amarantos Katana for Ertekes** Best development in the class. Good bone, substance and quarters, moderate angulation and good balance won on his maturity and movement in a class of varying development.

**2nd** Warnes **Debian Deerhunter** A little shallow in front at present but still time for further chest development, decent bone good feet standing well. Nice topline and quarters, just needs that depth to improve his balance, moving freely.

**3rd** Newman **Szajani Vidor**  Pleasing head, good reach of neck, straight front good feet. Correct bone and topline . Good shape and proportions but did not settle on move today.

**YD** (4) **1st** DaSilva & Sexton **Amarantos Katana for Ertekes**

**2nd** Reakes **Vizslanya Varur**  Correct colour ,Quality in head, Pleasing outline moderate angulation standing well up on good feet but needs to tighten. Moving freely just needs to mature.

**3rd** Cavaye **Goviz Spring Tide (AI)** Not settled today. Needs to grow into his frame. A little more preparation and presentation might just improve his fortunes.

**ND** (4) **1st** Porter-Manning &Porter **Wallaroo Duncan Disorderly**

**2nd** Newman **Szajani Vidor**

**3rd** McDonald **Donurie’s Hercules.** Seen dog still young and developing needing further development to reach his potential.

**GD** (3) **1st** DaSilva & Sexton **Amarantos Katana for Ertekes**

**2nd** Reakes **Vizslanya Varur**

**3rd** Cavaye **Goviz Spring Tide (AI)**

**PG** (5,1abs) **1st** Northwood **Vizash Crisanto Del Acquadoro**  Upstanding dog good colour, well off for bone. Good presentation, correct in head, strong flowing neck ,firm topline, correct depth and balance good proportions moderate angulation . Maturing nicely and moving with purpose, good potential.

**2nd** DaSilva & Sexton **Amarantos Katana for Ertekes**

**3rd** Underdown **Bitcon Jackpot at Baratja** Upstanding male ,good construction feet tight, well arched toes. Lighter built than the winner but good proportions, needs to drop a little more to improve his balance. A bit springy on the move ,needs to just settle into his stride but showing potential.

**LD** (5, 1abs) **1st** Roe **Rarog Ruda Szata for Pirospont JW (Imp POL)** Stylish sound dog. Correct outline , Quality in head , good proportions and character, correct expression. Depth in chest , clean neck, well angulated forehand, strong bone and feet. Mature balanced development in body just enough tuck up . Well muscled quarters moving freely with purpose. **Res.Dog CC**

**2nd** Rackett,Rackets & Wilcox **Roughshoot Heaven Sent of Solencia JW**  Striking dog. Excellent quality well balanced in shoulder , Quality in head, strong neck flowing into firm topline. Stands well on nice tight feet and good front. Correct rear angulation well muscled quarters standing and moving well from good hocks. Flashy dog just needs to finish.

**3rd** Savage **Roughshoot Quantum Theory at Silvestre**  Mature and slightly heavier in appearance to the previous dog. Strong head , plenty of bone on forelegs tight padded feet. Firm in back. Muscled quarters moving from strong hocks. Correct depth and proportions. Not presenting as well as his competitors today.

**OD** (10) **1st** Harper **Sh.Ch.Metropolis Patriarch Nexus by Pitswarren (AI)(Imp Aus)** Stood out in this class for his breed type, balance and proportions. Built soundly ,well angled and firm althrough. Lovely clean outline and looked fit for work. Well deserved **Dog CC & BOS**

**2nd** Zafar **Avar Hunter Danube Slovakia**  Another quality exhibit again of sound construction with correct proportions. Nice balance with clean flowing lines. Standing a bit down in front but moved freely covering plenty of ground. Just lacked the sparkle of my winner today.

**3rd** Miles **Sh.Ch. Layman’s Van Winkle JW**  Standing well on good front nice head, good reach in neck well balanced shoulder. Sound proportions, nice well padded feet, excellent quarters. Quality dog, good breed type and construction deserving of his place in a strong class.

**VD** (7, 2abs) **1st** Harris **Szajani Szeder**  8 years still looking well stands with a true straight front on nice tight arched feet. Good outline and construction. Firm to handle quality in head and body and covering his ground with style.

**2nd** DaSilva **Sh.Ch.Bournehouse Crispin** 10 years, showing all his breed qualities. Presented well, classic outline correct for size and depth, good quality in head with balance and expression. Clean flowing lines, complimentary angulation front and rear. Moving freely

**3rd** Porter-Manning &Porter **Wallaroo All That Jazz ShCM VW** Rising 8 years. Alert bright expression good proportions and balance throughout . Good depth in body and well balanced allround. Not the positive movement of the others today.

**FD** (2, 1abs) **1st** Harris **Szajani Szeder**

**MPB** (0)

**PB** (3) **1st** Hardcastle & Bradley **Castledogley Firenze** Pleasing puppy, Still framey but developing nicely. Good outline and proportions. Has the essentials now needs to mature, won the class easily with her presentation and movement. **Res.Bpis**

**2nd** Spavins & Senior **Wallaroo Zendaya**  Short back and good breed type. Quality in head with a good expression. Good angulation on quarters with nice straight hocks, elegant outline. Standing well up on good feet. Not the movement of the winner, needs to tighten up and finish off , good potential.

**3rd** Savage **Silvestre Im Not Perky** Standing a little wide in front, good feet and bone. Kind eye and expression nice flow of neck to topline. Not the quarters of my other two. Difficult to assess movement as she never settled into a true stride. Still only a baby with development to come and things to learn, early days yet.

**JB** (12,3abs) **1st** Coombe **Amarantos Bellaria At Castlefield** Stood out in this class just the right size and development for her age. Lovely clean lines very feminine throughout. Quality in head nice character, good eye and expression. Firm reaching neck with good topline into well developed and muscular quarters, strong straight hocks. Excellent proportions, Still needs to body up to complete her balance. But with her sound construction and free flowing movement was a clear winner in a good class.

**2nd** Wall **Perllandside Fly the Flag**  Quite mature for her age with correct proportions and balance. Well off for bone, correct tight well padded feet with straight front and just enough forechest. Head of good breed type, shoulders balanced and body firm. Not the quarters of my winner and not as positive on the move. Maturing nicely.

**3rd** Hardcastle & Bradley **Castledogley Firenze**

**YB** (9,1abs) **1st** Watson **Oakswarren Light my Fire(AI)**  Solid bitch, deep well bodied all through. Strong straight front , good bone and tight well padded and arched feet. Correct proportions, excellent balance and sound construction. Built for work, moving freely.

**2nd** Challis **Vizslanya Visszater**  Correct type , good outline with flowing lines. Feminine head of character. Sound in construction, correct bone, substance and allround condition with complimentary angulation on shoulders and quarters providing a flowing action on the move. Made for a close decision.

**3rd** Wall **Perllandside Fly the Flag**

**NB** (6,1abs) **1st** Priestley **Eltrym’s Talihina Sky**  Bitch still developing her qualities, has feminine outline of good proportions, sound construction. Clean lines throughout. Moving freely with a good tight action. Just a couple of areas that should be completed with maturity but has the framework and the essentials.

**2nd** Novis **Szajani Ekko at Novapak**  Another at the in-between stage of her development. Many good attributes in place. The fundamental proportions and balance are in place. Bone and substance are all good. Could not compete with the winner on movement today but time will tell.

**3rd** Hussey **Debian Devil On Horseback** This youngster was just enjoying the occasion. Even at this stage of her development shows potential. Good type , construction and balance. Good proportions, well off for bone and substance. Sadly not presenting at her best when standing but to her credit eventually moving with four feet on the ground. Interesting name !

**GB** (4,1abs) **1st** Coombe **Amarantos Bellaria At Castlefield**

**2nd** Challis **Vizslanya Praxis** Close decision between 2 & 3 . Feminine althrough lovely outline, Quality in head. Clean flowing neck, firm level topline. Standing well up on good feet ,correct forearm.

 Good hocks , good proportions, a little more underline would complete the overall balance and shape. Moving with more precision and covering her ground better than three.

**3rd** Price **Chica Queen of Locura At Aldom (Imp CZE)**  Lovely outline, good reach of neck, feminine head just the right forechest, correct bone and feet .Correct proportions with the right balance. Has the essentials but not settled and erratic on the move.

**PGB** (8,3abs) **1st** Rackett, Rackett & Wilcox **Afanleigh Caitlin Rose of Solencia** Elegant bitch, feminine with clean lines. Good head proportions kind eye. Good reach of neck, shoulders well laid, firm topline, quarters well muscled and correct angulation. Chest deep, well bodied with correct underline. Moving freely with a positive clean action.

**2nd** Rutherford **Kincsem Ferrari**  Pleasing to judge two bitches with similarly good construction. Making for a close decision. Sound in bone, good breed head and expression . Strong straight front with well arched tight feet. Correct proportions, well balanced body. Today just not matching the winner when moving.

**3rd** Winkworth & Woodcock **Oxanaember Thai Pumpkin** Did well in this class and deserved her place. Not flashy but honest sound bitch,needs to finish. Just could not provide the drive from her quarters of the other two today.

**LB** (6,2abs) **1st** Gottlieb **Russetmantle Maia(AI)** Lovely bitch needs to settle when standing but then presents a lovely outline. Quality breed head with correct proportions and character. Neck slightly arched flows clean into a firm topline . Shoulders are snug and well balanced, correct forechest, well bodied with lovely balance. Just enough tuck up, quarters muscular , good straight hocks. Moving with purpose covering good ground.

**2nd** Rackett, Rackett & Wilcox **Afanleigh Caitlin Rose of Solencia**

**3rd** McDonald **Donurie’s Quiet Flows The Don (AI)**  Completed a trio of quality bitches. Such was the soundness and quality in this class that despite being of good type ,construction and balance the class was decided on maturity and movement.

**OB** (9,2abs) **1st** Shooter **Sh.Ch.Nevedith Nyari Gail**  Strong class of quality bitches. Winner just stood out. Fits the standard so well correct size, colour, proportions and balance. Whether front,side or rear everything is just right. The fine detail of depth of chest with just enough visible presence of the breastbone. The quality in lay and balance of shoulder combined with her muscular development in quarters. Feminine flowing lines , precision and ground covering action thoroughly deserving her accolades today. **Bitch CC & BIS**

**2nd** Carter **Facanvadasz Banu JW ShCM**  Should not be disappointed to come second in a class of this quality. Has all the assets required to do well. Pleasing outline, strong balanced profile. Clean lines and sound construction. Feminine head of good quality, pleasing expression. Not the ground covering action of the winner but given time should mature well.

**3rd** Hardcastle &Bradley **Vizslanya Sziena JW** Stronger looking bitch with good bone and feet. Mature body well developed throughout . Good head proportions , strong neck and topline. Nice long forelegs with good feet. Quarters muscular strong hocks. Sadly not moving at her best today.

**VB** (1abs) **1st** Layton **Sh.Ch.Layways Lana Del Ray**  Hard to believe this lady is a Veteran, credit to her owner. Similar in many ways to my Open winner. Such a beautiful feminine flowing outline. True size , proportions and lovely balance. Sound althrough, typical breed type with a true head and expression, confident and kind in her eyes. Still covers her ground in a free flowing action. Easy winner in this class and made for a truly close decision in the challenge. Wow ! **Res. BB & RBIS**

**2nd** Bradley **Sh.Ch.Vizslanya Vivmany by Highforce JW ShCM ShCEx VW** Very much a typical vizsla, Liked her on entering the ring and was not disappointed on examination. Has all the qualities necessary to compete at the highest level and even at nine years like my winner to put in such a competitive performance is credit to her owner and to the breed.

**3rd** Rutherford **Kincsem Enna Llatsew** 10 years of age and having to compete against such quality seems hardly fair. Still this bitch held her own, standing still has good proportions, a little more full on the waistline than I was looking for but of sound construction, very feminine and earning her place with good movement.

**FT**(1) **1st** Wall **Ch. Piroseg Mandarin of Perllandside JW** Good breed type, sound in construction. Presenting an outline of good depth and balance. Clearly built for work. Has all the characteristics I expect to see in a strong bitch built for work. Firm to handle, strong bone, body well developed with good muscular definition in hard tone. Covering her ground well.

**Brace** (2,1abs) **1st** Wall  Standing alone but no disappointment. A nice well matched pair of good behaviour, showing and moving well.

**Progeny** (2) **1st** Challis This group demonstrated what good qualities can be replicated from sound stock.

**2nd** Wall A nice group just not as consistent as the winner.

**Judge Kevin J. Grewcock ( Ryanstock)**