

CRUFTS 2022

I thoroughly enjoyed my day, and I thank the exhibitors and their dogs for a lovely entry. Movement was variable, but it is in every breed, but noticeable points are weak pasterns and rear movement was very close and crossing on a couple of exhibits. That 'Springy gait' is difficult to find. Tail sets and carriage varied, but need to be watched. Temperaments were good. Lastly I would like to thank Crufts for a memorable experience at the 'World's best dog Show' – Well Done.

Class Results

2832. Large Munsterlander - Veteran Dog

Entries: 4 Absentees: 2

1ST Sh Ch Albadhu Paws for Perfection (Miss E & Miss M H Logie & Gray) at 12 a credit to his owners and the breed, tidy sound mover, good bone and general body proportions. Head of correct proportions, good nose, medium sized eyes and that intelligent yet knowing expression, had that typical light spring gait. Presented in good condition, still a contender, was in my final four in the challenge. Best Veteran.

2ND Sh Ch Brockchime Be A Betta Boy (Mrs A M & Mr C Hewitt) – another really pleasing dog, super head and expression, just not as tidy in front today.

Another good example still showing that munsterlander spirit.

2833. Large Munsterlander - Puppy Dog

Entries: 3 Absentees: 0

1ST Albadhu Wish Upon A Star (Miss E & F Logie & Braidwood), very pleasing type, well grown with a good head, good bone and body proportions, nicely muscled for age, shows a lot of promise. In the challenge for BP just preferred the bitch's balance and cleaner movement.

2ND Ekkolander Rioja (Mrs S & Mr N Phillips) – just lacked that body fill today, but shows a lot of promise, pleasing head, good eye and nose, good clean movement, all this baby needs is time.

3RD Ekkolander Merlot (Mr M & Mrs C Wakefield)

2834. Large Munsterlander - Junior Dog

Entries: 5 Absentees: 1

1ST Albadhu Walk On The Wildside (Miss E & F Logie & Braidwood) well made youngster, doesn't want to grow much more, but has the qualities to win through, nicely balanced, ok front, decent body proportions, active mover with a good stride.

2ND Albadhu Walk of Life (Mr J & Miss E Waddington & Chick) more a teenager but a tidy young dog, with quality, moved with a decent active stride, just needs some time.

3RD Ekkolander Rioja (Mrs S & Mr N Phillips)

RES Ekkolander Merlot (Mr M & Mrs C Wakefield)

2835. Large Munsterlander - Post Graduate Dog

Entries: 4 Absentees: 0

1ST Crumpsbrook Jay (Mrs J Horton) very pleasing head, nicely proportioned,

nicely balanced any typey dog, when settled he displayed that typical munster gait. He lacked in croup, but overall had decent body proportions, his tail was a little high, when he settled did enough.

2ND Ekkolander Dark Madness at Leriton (Ms C & Mrs L Simpson & Johnston) typey, would like a little more body and his croup was not the best, had a decent stride.

3RD Crumpsbrook Galangal von Rulander (ai) (Miss K & Mr M Lloyd & Smith) – another decent dog, needs to fill but as the essentials, just needs time, good type.

RES Tarkanya Sophies Snowstorm (Mrs J Makins)

2836. Large Munsterlander - Limit Dog

Entries: 5 Absentees: 1

1ST Crumpsbrook Woodrush (Ms J E & Mr A E Powell & Murrell) – presented an alert and energetic picture, well balanced throughout, nicely proportioned head, good eye and nose with that typical intelligent, correct bone and good fill to body, correct topline and tail set, presented in decent coat. Moved out well with a clean free stride displaying that springy gait, close up in the challenge in my final four – I am sure will win through.

2ND Jaudas Let It Rock (Mr A J & Mrs C Gregory) – close up and a lovely type – just not as balanced as one on the move today. When stood had too much slope to topline for me. Shown in decent coat and condition

3RD Tralale Chunky Monkey (Ms A Huggins-Davis) pleasing head and eye, just not as clean as others on the move.

RES Tarkanya Bonnie's Brandy mit Munset (Mrs J Makins)

2837. Large Munsterlander - Open Dog

Entries: 7 Absentees: 0

1ST Abdecker Dancer (Mrs A R Davis-Green) presented a very typical picture stood and moving, well proportioned head with a lovely expression and good eye and nose, good jaw. Good neck into a nicely proportioned frame with a decent spring of rib, a shade longer in loin, but nicely muscled behind clean in hock. Has that typical movement with good head and tail carriage, has correct coat and shown in A1 order. CC

2ND Darkensky Prometheus JW (Miss S J James) another very pleasing dog, most pleasing head and expression, with a good nose and jaw. Correct bone and well made throughout, good spring of rib. Went well just not the balance of one today but a good prospect.

3RD Sh Ch Ekkolander Snowstorm (Mr R & Mr J & Mrs F Macgregor) – was not as co-ordinated as others, has a lot of quality but was not playing today.

RES Quilesta Just Talented (Mrs K Goodley)

VHC Sh Ch Quilesta So Majestic of Rockfest (Miss S Miller)

2838. Large Munsterlander - Field Trial Dog

Entries: 1 Absentees: 0

1ST Ch Crumpsbrook Bayleaf von Rulander (Miss K & Mr M Lloyd & Smith) – lovely type and typical outlook, clean body proportions, correct bone, good backline and tail set and carriage. Super head and eye with good jaw, was close up in the challenge RCC.

2839. Large Munsterlander - Special Working Gundog Dog

Entries: 2 Absentees: 0

1ST NI Ch Seefest Cosmos Clubwinner 21 Hzp (Mr R & Miss A Mentink & Jansen) – heavier in head than I prefer, decent body proportions and moved best in this class, decent coat.

2ND Rokko vom Florbach Imp Deu (Mrs Jm Lane) not the neck and lacked in front, ok topline, nicely muscled.

2840. Large Munsterlander - Good Citizen Dog Scheme Dog

Entries: 2 Absentees: 0

1ST Abdecker Dancer (Mrs A R Davis-Green)

2ND Sh Ch Wonglepong Wills Faramir (Mr P W Disney) this is a really nice example of the breed, just had too much body fill which affected his movement and overall balance. Very pleasing head and expression, had a good coat.

2841. Large Munsterlander - Veteran Bitch

Entries: 3 Absentees: 0

1ST Sh Ch Brockchime Besta Both to Incadar VW RI2 (Mr G T & Mrs J Darby) – 11 years and a credit to owner, lovely typical musterlander, super well proportioned head with a lovely expression. Good neck and front assembly, correct rib and loin and nicely angled behind. Correct back line and tail carriage, shown in good order, moved with that typical springy gait, clean both ways, in my final four for the CC.

2ND Ashlowrick Ladies Day at Iscadu (Mrs M Leeming) another nice active mover, decent head any eye with a good jaw, good fill to body, presented a typical picture

3RD Crumpsbrook Rather Regal von Elkemutt (Mrs H C & Revd I B Kitchen) just not the front of others but has many attributes and clean enough going round.

2842. Large Munsterlander - Puppy Bitch

Entries: 6 Absentees: 0

1ST Albadhu Written in The Stars (Miss Sandi Bisset) very promising pup, lovely typical breed type and correct body proportions for age. Super head and eye. Clean mover coming and going, and going round had that typical balanced gait. Shown well, although tired in the challenge did enough for BP well done.

2ND Ekkolander Persephone Red at Leriton (Ms C & Mrs L Simpson & Johnston) – like any pup just needs to settle has the essentials and a tidy typical pup with a very pleasing head and eye.

3RD Albadhu Reach for The Stars (Ms M & Mr A Holloway & Dunkley) – another very pleasing pup, shows a lot of promise, just not as balanced as other today, but a baby and will come on.

RES Toberworry Peacekeeper at Kalimna (Mrs L Reader)

VHC Toberworry Little Lies (Mrs S J & Mr P & Miss H J Foreman)

2843. Large Munsterlander - Junior Bitch

Entries: 5 Absentees: 0

1ST Albadhu Written in The Stars (Miss Sandi Bisset)

2ND Tureagh Crystal Cider (Ms J E & Mr A E Powell & Murrell) – decent proportioned head, with a good expression and good nose. Decent body proportions for age, just not as co ordinated on the move today.

3RD Tureagh Crystal Chrisma (Mrs M Rea) pleasing type, just needs to settle
RES Albadhu Reach for The Stars (Ms M & Mr A Holloway & Dunkley)
VHC Toberworry Little Lies (Mrs S J & Mr P & Miss H J Foreman)

2844. Large Munsterlander - Post Graduate Bitch

Entries: 10 Absentees: 2

1ST Tarkanya Bonnies Beauty (Mrs H Evans) slightly larger bitch but very typey and well put together, good bone and fill to chest with strength of loin and nicely muscled back end. Good proportioned head with a lovely eye and good jaw and typical expression, lacked a little coat, but that's girls for you. Tidy active mover holding top line and good tail set, has a lot going for her.

2ND Tralale Cuddle Monkey (Ms A Huggins-Davis) pleasing type but not as balanced as one and front movement could have been cleaner. Decent head and expression.

3RD Albadhu Hidden Agenda (J Mckenna) not quite with it today has a pleasing head, but not showing to advantage.

RES Crumpsbrook Molinia (Mrs J Bargman)

VHC Jaudas Miss Grace (Mrs A & Miss E Reed & Baker-Reed)

2845. Large Munsterlander - Limit Bitch

Entries: 5 Absentees: 1

1ST Crumpsbrook Kerria (Mrs J Bargman) - well balanced throughout, active mover with a strong muscular body with typical movement, has that spring. This bitch presented a typical picture so well put together with good bone and strong pasterns, strong back correct croup and tail set and nicely angled at rear with good muscle tone. Super head and eye with that intelligent and mischievous expression with a good jaw and nose. Coat was in good order. Tail carriage at times was a little higher than I would like but when settled presented a lovely musterlander displaying typical breed attributes, that is fit for purpose and it was a pleasure to award her the CC & BOB, looked great in the Group.

2ND Braccpoint Song of The Wind for Gemlorien (Mrs H J Ward) lovely type and good substance, moved well with good balance, holding topline. Most pleasing in head, she lacked the coat and that overall bloom that you need at this level, but a pleasing bitch.

3RD Quilesta Simply Exquisite (Miss V Wilkins) today not as coordinated in movement which affected her overall balance, but another bitch that shows typical breed attributes, and is good to go over and another lacking in finishings today.

RES Asterpoint Faraday at Ebormist (Mrs N F, Mr S R D & Miss J R C Putnam)

2846. Large Munsterlander - Open Bitch -

Entries: 7 Absentees: 1 - difficult class, was splitting hairs in all places.

1ST Quilesta Just Endearing mit Mermilmar (Mr R & Mrs A Prowse) this bitch is one of those bitches you need to go over to appreciate and when she moves has it. Has a very pleasing head and has good fill to body, would prefer a little less length of loin. Nicely angled and muscled rear. Good coat and condition. Very clean coming and going and typical in profile with correct gait. Handler was a bit excited and just didn't get the best from her.

2ND Asterpoint Da Vinci of Rockfest (Miss S Miller) – close up, not as balanced as one on the move but overall very typical with good fill to body. Pleasing well proportioned head, good eye. She held topline and good tail set and carriage. Presented in good coat..

3RD Sh Ch Toberworry Breaking Dawn at Jendella's (Mr D A & Mrs B M Butler) – lovely type and a typical Munsterlander outlook, she was just not giving her all today. Super head and eye with a good jaw.

RES Albadhu Pawsitive Vibes (Miss E & F Logie & Braidwood)

VHC Ir Sh Ch Celtaur Angel Lake Jw17 Cw17 (Mrs M Rea)

2847. Large Munsterlander - Field Trial Bitch

Entries: 2 Absentees: 1

1ST Tarkanya Hippis Hisbiscis (Mrs H Evans) pleasing type, tidy mover and clean coming and going, lacked coat and finish but is very much fit for purpose.

2848. Large Munsterlander - Special Working Gundog Bitch

Entries: 1 Absentees: 0

1ST Quilesta So Special at Cazooska (Mr P W & Mrs C D Trowsdale) – very pleasing head, nicely balanced. Good front and fill to body, nicely muscled and moved out with a decent stride

2849. Large Munsterlander - Good Citizen Dog Scheme Bitch

Entries: 5 Absentees: 0

1ST Sh Ch Toberworry Breaking Dawn at Jendella's (Mr D A & Mrs B M Butler)

2ND Braccpoint Song of The Wind for Gemlorien (Mrs H J Ward)

3RD Ir Sh Ch Celtaur Angel Lake Jw17 Cw17 (Mrs M Rea)

RES Tureagh Crystal Chisma (Mrs M Rea)

VHC Quilesta Just Captivating (Miss A Shemming)