

Irish Wolfhound Club of Canada Regional Specialty Show supported by the BC Members Sunday April 27, 2024

Judge: Andrea Herrmann, Lean do Chroi Irish Wolfhounds



I would like to thank the Committee for the invitation to judge the show and all exhibitors for giving me the opportunity to judge your beautiful Wolfhounds. This was my first time judging overseas and I feel very honoured to judge this important, perfect organized show in your beautiful Country!

Despite the ,slightly wet weather‘ I was deeply impressed about the fantastic prepared event on a most beautiful show-ground near the Fraser River. Such a calm, friendly atmosphere and what a warm welcome from Fran Briscoe and my ring stewards Sandi and Kerry thank you, ladies!

Another big thank you to the show photographer Carol Peterson and Jim Bradbury – this photographs will treasured and great reminder for the wonderful experience in Canada!

Last but not least thank you to Patti O‘Malley and Kris Falkins for your walm welcome in your cosy home during our whole time in Mission, BC.

My overall impression of the hounds was very pleasing, the majority are well balanced, strong Wolfhounds in excellent condition. I saw a lot of typical, long and level heads with dark eyes and wide underjaws. Most of the hounds where perfectly handled on a loose leash and moved very balanced with an easy gait – I was very pleased about this detail!

Andrea Herrmann

A photograph of three women and a large, shaggy dog standing in front of a green lattice fence. The woman on the left, wearing a red cap and a grey raincoat, holds a large red, white, and blue ribbon. The woman in the middle wears a purple raincoat, and the woman on the right wears a purple raincoat and a bucket hat. The dog is a large, shaggy breed, possibly a Mastiff or similar. To the left of the group is a wooden sign that reads "BEST OF BREED" and "CONFORMATION JUDGE ANDREA HERRMANN 27 APRIL 2024". There are two yellow pots with orange and white flowers on either side of the sign.

Nearly 9 years old dark brindle, impressive dog in excellent condition. This Veteran has commanding appearance in a huge frame with a proudly carried, masculine head. Dark eyes with gentle expression, small, rosed ears. Long and strong neck which went cleanly into a well constructed front assembly with correct angulations and long, strong bones. He has a deep chest and a well muscled topline. Excellent angulated hindquarters with good width, low set hocks. This Veteran is still able to stand and move with grace and power. A credit to both breeder and owner! Best Veteran, well deserved BOB.

A photograph of a large, shaggy, grey dog standing on grass next to a wooden sign. The sign reads "BEST WINNERS" and "CONFORMATION JUDGE ANDREA HERRMANN 27 APRIL 2024". Two people, a man in a green jacket and a woman in a purple jacket, stand behind the dog. The background is a green lattice fence.

3-year-old tall, substantial bitch. Lovely breed type with balanced outline. Beautiful head and expression, strong underjaw, rosed ears. Her powerful, long neck is flowing into a well placed shoulder, strong topline. Fabulous depth of chest, well ribbed back, great breadth across hips and width of thighs. This impressive, huge female is covering plenty of ground with a proud carried head and commanding appearance. Well, presented, strong female.



Best Puppy

(202)

DRACARYS OF CELTIC PRIDE

TC-24100006532 10-SEP-23

Breeders: Demian Papo & Zeljko Papo.

By: A Charming Prince of Glenkerka
x Valhalla Vom Alpetal. Elsewhere

Owner: Suzie Valente, Brian Valente

Nearly 7-month-old, beautiful red-wheaten puppy, still a little bit unsure about the show atmosphere. Feminine head, dark pigmentation, correct dentition, nice, folded ears. Well muscled, long tail, correct on feet and already very balanced in front and rear. Typical puppy coat, well cushioned feet.



Best Veteran in Show

(206)

BERRYBRIAR TRIBUTE TO THE PAST OF CNOCCARNE

1135403 07-SEP-2025

Breeders: Mark Berry & Tina Berry & Emma Ross

By: Shellane's Secret Wish For Caraglen
x Cnoccarne Berry Briar Sophie B. Elsewhere

Owner: Emma Ross, Mark and Tina Berry

See Best of Breed



Winners Dog

(214)

CNOCCARNE BERRYBRIAR DAIRAGH

ES753214 20-SEP-17.

Breeders: Emma Ross, Tina and Mark Berry

By: Berrybriar Tribute to the Past of Cnoccarne
x Berrybriar Caraglen Finneagh of Cnoccarne. Canada.

Owner: Katy Albrecht, Jerry Holmes, Emma Ross, Tina and Mark Berry

6.5 old, dark brindle, impressive, old-fashioned type, high on strong and straight legs and well muscled. He has an excellent crispy coat, a long head and muzzle, the darkest eyes and lovely folded ears. Dark pigmentation. Balanced in front and rear with a strong neck and topline, well ribbed back. He stands and moves with grace and power and a correct tail carriage. Another workmanlike hound, very well presented today.



Reserve Winners Dog

(211)

BERRYBRIAR CARAGLEN HALLELUJAH CNOCCARNE

TC-22100003848 30-JAN-22.

Breeders: Mark Berry & Tina Berry & Gretchen Bernardi
& Beverly Stobart

By: Cnoccarne Berrybriar Dairagh
x Caraglen Berwyck Promise Kept. Elsewhere.

Owner: Mark & Tina Berry, Sue Stobart, Katy Albrecht

2 years, grey brindle impressive boy, balanced in front and rear, stands over plenty of ground. Typical head with lovely proportions, strong underjaw, dark eyes with soft expression, small, rosed ears. Strong neck flowing smoothly into his correct shoulder. Balanced and well muscled in front and rear with great width across his thighs. Powerful on the move with long stride and strong topline, but his tail needs to calm down.



Nearly 12-month-old, tall and leggy youngster. What a sweet character with darkest eyes and soft expression. He is in an age where he is standing rather straight at both ends and in pasterns, wished to see more length of body. This Youngster needs time to drop into his curves and width overall. He moved with enthusiasm and a well carried tail. I would like to see him again when he is full developed. Lovely temperament.

3.5 years old, litter brother to 2nd. He is bigger in frame with masculine head and expression, dark eyes with soft expression, correct ears. Strongly muscled neck with a nice crest. Balanced in front and rear with a nice croup. Correct feet. Moving easy and in balance. A handsome boy with lovely temperament.

3,5 years old, medium sized brindle boy, he is a slow maturing boy with a pleasing long head and muzzle. Dark eyes with soft expression, small, rosed ears. Balanced, but I would like to see a little more angulation and strength at both ends. Easy and sound movement. A lovely male with a wonderful character.

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Bred By Exhibitor – Male

1st (211)

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Breeders: Mark Berry & Tina Berry & Gretchen
Bernardi & Beverly Stobart

By: Cnoccarne Berrybriar Dairagh
x Caraglen Berwyck Promise Kept. Elsewhere.

Owner: Mark & Tina Berry, Sue Stobart, Katy Albrecht

See Reserve Winners Male



2nd (212)

CNOCCARNE BENCORRAGH

CK-HW4105838 08-NOV-20.

Breeders: K. Albrecht, J.P. Holmes & E. Ross.

By: Cnoccarne Druid's Temple Agh
x Cnoccarne Amhragh. Canada.

Owner: Katy Albrecht, Jerry Holmes, Emma Ross

3,5 years old, medium sized brindle boy, he is a slow maturing boy with a pleasing long head and muzzle. Dark eyes with soft expression, small, rosed ears. Balanced, but I would like to see a little more angulation and strength at both end. Easy and sound movement. A lovely male with a wonderful character.

3rd (210)

SALISH THE KINGPIN

TC-22100003692 29-NOV-21

Breeders: Belle and Dan McCluskey

By: CH Caraglen Berwyck Bravo
x Salish Shadowcat. Elsewhere.

Owner: Belle McCluskey

2 years old, brindle boy. A massive male with lovely temperament. Ears flat, dark eyes with soft expression. Strong, well muscled neck, wish to see him more angulated in front and rear, straight legs, extra long tail. Easy movement, but his outline was a little spoilt by his tail carriage.

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Open – Male

1ST (214)

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Breeders: Emma Ross, Tina and Mark Berry

By: Berrybriar Tribute to the Past of Cnoccarne
x Berrybriar Caraglen Finneagh of Cnoccarne, Canada

Owner: Katy Albrecht, Jerry Holmes, Emma Ross, Tina and Mark Berry

See Winners Male

2nd (213)

DOOMORE'S DUFF AT LONGDOGFARM

TC-24100006627 30-APR-21.

Breeders: Christina Bergman & Carol Jorczak.

By: Anmchara Dubbel or Nothing of Doomore
x Glenn Eyrie Tia of Santana at Wildwood Doomore.

Owner: Kerri Shandro, James Bouziane

3-year-old, impressive, brindle male. He stands over plenty of ground, but I would prefer more length of forearm. Masculine, medium long head and muzzle, strong level-bite, rather flat ears. Strong, crested neck, balanced angulated in front and rear, but a dippy back both in stand and motion. He moves with a long stride. A handsome character.



Veteran – Male

(206)

BERRYBRIAR TRIBUTE TO THE PAST OF CNOCCARNE

1135403 07-SEP-2025

Breeders: Mark Berry & Tina Berry & Emma Ross

By: Shellane's Secret Wish For Caraglen
x Cnoccarne Berry Briar Sophie B. Elsewhere

Owner: Emma Ross, Mark and Tina Berry

See Best of Breed



Winners Female

(221)

CNOCCARNE DIOGHAISAGH BERRYBRIAR

CK-HW4060361 08-NOV-20

Breeders: Emma Ross, Katy Albrecht, Jerry Holmes

By: Cnoccarne Druid's Temple Agh
x Cnoccarne Amhragh. Canada

Owner: Tina Berry, Mark Berry, Emma Ross

See Best of Opposite



Reserve Winners Female

(223)

TALIESIN'S AUGUST BEAUJOLAIS

TC-22100003727 07-OCT-17.

Breeders: David and Donna Smith.

By: Taliesin's Rhionganedd
x Taliesin's Realta Scauibhe. Elsewhere

Owner: Ellen Kroll, James Kroll

6 years old, brindle female, good breed type, well balanced in front and rear. Feminine head with soft expression, Rosed ears. Long, strong neck flowing smoothly into a lovely front assembly. Long, well ribbed back. Strong, balanced hindquarters, good, cushioned feet, harsh coat. This girl moved soundly and balanced and light on feet.



Jr. Puppy (6-9 Months) – Female

(202)

DRACARY'S OF CELTIC PRIDE

TC-24100006532 10-SEP-23

Breeders: Demian Papo & Zeljko Papo

By: A Charming Prince of Glenkerka
x Valhalla Vom Alpetal. Elsewhere

Owner: Suzie Valente, Brian Valente

Nearly 7-month-old, beautiful red-wheaten puppy, still a little bit unsure about the show atmosphere. Feminine head, dark pigmentation, correct dentition, nice, folded ears. Well muscled, long tail, correct on feet and already very balanced in front and rear. Typical puppy coat, well cushioned feet.







Open – Female

1ST (221)

CNOCCARNE DIOGHAISAGH BERRYBRIAR

CK-HW4060361 08-NOV-20

Breeders: Emma Ross, Katy Albrecht, Jerry Holmes

By: Cnoccarne Druid's Temple Agh
x Cnoccarne Amhragh Canada

Owner: Tina Berry, Mark Berry, Emma Ross

*3-year-old tall, substantial bitch. Lovely breed type with balanced outline. Beautiful head and expression, strong underjaw, rosed ears. Her powerful, long neck is flowing into a well placed shoulder, strong topline. Fabulous depth of chest, well ribbed back, great breadth across hips and width of thighs. This impressive, huge female is covering plenty of ground with a proud carried head and commanding appearance. Well, presented, strong female. **Winners Female, BOW, BOS***



2ND (223)

TALIESIN'S AUGUST BEAUJOLAIS

TC-22100003727 07-OCT-17.

Breeders: David and Donna Smith.

By: Taliesin's Rhionganedd
x Taliesin's Realta Scuaibe, Elsewhere

Owner: Ellen Kroll, James Kroll

See Reserve Winners Female

3RD (224)

CNOCCARNE TAVANAGH

ES753211 20-SEP-17

Breeders: Emma Ross, Tina and Mark Berry

By: Berrybriar Tribute to the Past of Cnoccarne
x Berrybriar Caraglen Finneagh of Cnoccarne

Owner: Emma Ross

6.5 years old, dark brindle bitch, crispy coat. Good breed type. Long head with stop, ears on the larger side, but carried well. Long, strong neck, wished to see a little bit more raise over the loin, otherwise balanced in front and rear. Long tail covered with harsh coat. She moved correctly with a long stride.

4th (219)

GLENN EYRIE ASHFORD'S AFTER THE GLITTER FADES

TC-24100006533 09-JUL-19

Breeders: James and Susan Williams

By: GCHB Glenn Eyrie's Ashford
x CH Cu Muirín Nicks of Eagle at Glenn Eyrie. Elsewhere

Owner: Suzie Valente

4-year-old, brindle bitch. Good type but carrying too much weight. Long head and muzzle, small rosed ears, soft expression. Balanced in front and rear. Massive neck and body. Nice feet. Balanced movement, but I wished to see more enthusiasm today.



Veteran Female

1st (225)

AUGUST GLOWING EMBER

TC-22100003726 25-MAY-15

Breeders: Ellen and James Kroll

By: Riversong's Love to Burn x August Red Hot Salsa. Elsewhere

Owner: Ellen and James Kroll

Nearly 9-year-old, brindle Veteran with a classic head, dark eyes and soft expression. Long, strong neck flows smoothly into her correct front assembly with good fore chest and return of upper arm. Nice tuck up. This Veteran presents a pleasing, strong outline and is still moving soundly and gracefully, kept her shape in motion. A lovely Veteran and a credit to her owners.

2nd (207)

CNOCCARNE AMHRAGH

EG724447 06-APR-17

Breeders: Emma Ross

By: Berrybriar Tribute to the Past o Cnoccarne
x Cnoccarne Teileannagh. Canada

Owner: Emma Ross, Katy Albrecht, Jerry Holmes

7 years old, brindle Veteran in very good, hard condition for her age. Beautiful head and soft expression with darkest eyes and correct bite. Small, correct folded ears. A strong, well balanced Veteran in front and rear with a long tail, deep chested, strong boned and correct shaped feet. Moved sound, but I wished to see a little more enthusiasm. A lovely, strong veteran.



Best Brace

(212)

CNOCCARNE BENCORRAGH,

CK-HW4105838 08-NOV-20.

Breeders: K. Albrecht, J.P. Holmes & E. Ross.

By: Cnoccarne Druid's Temple Agh
x Cnoccarne Amhragh. Canada

Owner: Katy ALBRECHT, Jerry HOLMES, Emma Ross

(216)

CNOCCARNE SLIABH CORCRAGH,

CK-HW4105839 08-NOV-20.

Breeders: Emma Ross

By: Cnoccarne Druid's Temple AGH
x Cnoccarne Amhragh. Canada.

Owner: Emma Ross, Katy Albrecht, Jerry Holmes

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Owner: Emma Ross, Berry Mark & Tina

Owner: Ellen Kroll, James Kroll



Owner: Tina Berry, Mark Berry, Emma Ross

Owner: Suzie Valente

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Best Hindquarter

(218)

AUGUST ICE CRYSTAL

TC-22100003728 07-AUG-19

Breeders: James Kroll, Ellen Kroll

By: O'Coolio of First Avenue
x August Red Hot Salsa, Elsewhere

Owner: Ellen Kroll, James Kroll



Best Gait

(217)

CNOCCARNE EDIEAGH

FC753543 06-FEB-18

Breeders: Katy I Albrecht, Jerry P Holmes, Emma E Ross

By: Berrybriar Tribute to the Past of Cnoccarne
x Cnoccarne Amaragh, Canada

Owner: Katy Albrecht, Jerry Holmes, Emma Ross

Best Baby Puppy (4-6 Months) – Female

(201)

CARAGLEN GO ASK ALICE AT BERRYBRIAR

TC-24100006709 28-OCT-23

Breeders: Mark Berry & Christina Berry & Gretchen Bernardi
& Beverly Stobart

By: Caraglen Travis McGee
x Caraglen Berwyck Promise Kept, Elsewhere

Owner: Mark Berry

Best Altered Male

(229)

WOLFHOUSE ELBERT

TC-24100006617 1ST 11-MAY-18

Breeders: Pernille Monberg

By: Orin of Nutstown x Wolfhouse Zerlina, Elsewhere

Owner: Brian Valente Suzie Valente

Irish Wolfhound Club of Canada

Regional Sweepstakes

Sunday April 27, 2024

Judge: Beate Taschner from Germany



First of all I want to Thank you all for my first invitaion to judge. It was a great honour and I enjoyed every second in the ring desite the rainy wheather. A very special Thank you to Sandi and Kerry, my ringstuarts for guiding me through the show. Thank you to all exhibitors to show under me it was a great pleasure and fun! I am totally overwhelmed about the hospitality at the showground and this very well organized show. A great memory and the many presents I got.

Beate Taschner

Short before 6-month-old lovely bitch puppy, nearly black, lovely head with dark eyes and a sweet expression, small, rosed ears, strong neck and a good shoulder placement, good length in body, well angulated in front and rear, very long tail, moved with self confidence and presence the rounds, she will grow up in a real beauty



Best of Opposite Sex



(200)

DREAMEACRES NORTHERN THUNDER

Nearly 12-month-old brindle male of good size, lovely head and expression, dark eyes, strong neck going into a strong back, slightly short in body, long tail, well muscled for his age. Very well on the move with a good tail carriage. The sweetest temperament in males I saw today. He needs time to show his full quality.

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Sr. Puppy 9–12-month Male

(200)
DREAMEACRES NORTHERN THUNDER

See Best of Opposite

Baby Puppy 4-6 Month Female

(201)
CARAGLEN GO ASK ALLICE AT BERRYBRIAR (F)

See Best of Sweeps



Jr. Puppy 6-9 Months Female

(202)
DRACARYS OF CELTIC PRIDE (F)

7-month-old wheaten Bitch nice youngster. Lovely type and head with a soft expression, well rosed ears of good size, good shape in body, well muscled for her age, well angulated, long tail with good carriage, she moved very well for her age and behaved so good.

12-18 Months Female

1st (204)
WINDSEEKER ECHO (F)

12-month-old red wheaten bitch, lovely head with gentle expression, dark eyes, half rosed ears, strong neck, good length of body, not totally stable in front and slightly toeing in. Today she was impressed with the surrounding, she needs time to grow into her body.

2nd (203)
WINDSEEKER FROST (F)

12-month-old brindle bitch, not too tall, nice head with soft expression, good bone, well angulated in front and rear, good coat, little bit weak in pastern, she will be show a better movement if she gets more ring training

Parade of Veterans

(207)
CNOCCARNE AMHRAGH (F),
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(206)
BERRYBRIAR TRIBUTE TO THE PAST OF CNOCCARNE (M),
1135403, IRISH WOLFHOUND 07-SEP-15.

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By Shellane's Secret Wish For Caraglen
x Cnoccarne Berrybriar Sophie B. Elsewhere.
Owner: Emma ROSS, Berry MARK & TINA