# Midlands & Northern Rhodesian Ridgeback Club

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| Championship Show | July 2002 | Mrs Jenny Morris |

I looked for a handsome active Hound and I do like a dog to look masculine and a bitch to look feminine. I found quite a variance in type, ridges were good and temperaments, with one exception, were excellent. There were too many with flat feet and fronts could be better. Although most exhibits were produced in good condition and shown well, poor handling did fail to make the best of some. There is still greater depth of quality in bitches and I had some large classes where good Hounds did not make the final five.

MPd (5) 1 Ringer's Flametrees The Dophan Of The Glen. Red wheaten with attractive head, good bone and excellent feet, good topline and good bend of stifle. Couldn't assess movement as he was enjoying himself too much; 2 Goodwin and Davis's Nyuki Mask Of Zorro. Good head with deep muzzle, well boned with good feet and good infill of chest, good topline, again movement was difficult to assess; 3 Rowley's Mwali Pure Genius.

PD (9) 1 Whittington's Matabelle Monsonedi. Has everything I look for. He is substantial, well balanced with a lovely outline and moves with a long ground covering stride. Super head with kind expression, good infill of chest, ribbed well back and good angulation. Was pleased to give him BPIS; 2 Bennie's Burncote Nukooroo At Nehando. Another one I really liked, red wheaten with good bone and feet, good length of neck and topline, good bend of stifle and moved out well; 3 Wheeler and Campbell's Nyassa Sadiki.

JD (6) 1 Barnes' Diamondridge Desperado. Big impressive d. Masculine head with powerful muzzle, well boned with good feet, good topline and ribbing, moved out soundly; 2 Cox's Kylini Firecracker. Another good one, handsome and well constructed d. Masculine head with dark eye, good bone and feet, good forechest and ribbed well back, moved woundly; 3 Kirk's Thokozani Hint Of Gold.

ND (4) 1 Cox's Kylini Firecracker; 2 Norrington-Evans' Skypinder Kenmillone Jahman. Strong head with kind expression, good bone and feet, plenty of substance and moved soundly; 3 Edge's Maadfryt Manitoulin.

PGD (4) 1 Parker's Rejan Great Expectations. Red wheaten with dark mask shown in fit condition, good depth of brisket and level topline, tight feet, moved soundly; 2 Hough's Ajali Mungu. Racier than 1. Attractive head, good length of neck, he could carry a little more weight which would improve his outline. Moved soundly.

LD (13) 1 Dunn's Dikulubani Sebakwe To Tukela. Imp. V handsome, powerful d, masculine head with good depth of muzzle. Well boned with good feet, good topline and ribbed well back, balanced angulation. A happy boy who doesn't make it easy for his handler to move him as he's so exuberant, when he settles he moves very well. DCC and RBIS; 2 Coyne's Ozubi's Jonagold. Another one I really like, substantial red wheaten with super temperament, masculine head, good earset, dark eye and powerful muzzle. Well boned with good feet, good depth of brisket and good topline. Moved out well and challenged strongly for the reserve ticket; 3 Henshall's Sansilver Khwebha.

OD (15) 1 Maidment's Ch Mirengo's Mojomo Of Osebeni. Handsome, powerful red wheaten with a lot of quality. Well balanced with good angulation, good length of neck, ribbed well back, strong through the loins with good topline. Moved out soundly. RCC; 2 Craigie's Ch Imbali Kipenzi. JW. Another one with much to like, not quite as masculine as 1. Pleasing head with good eye and earset, good length of neck, good depth of brisket, balanced angulation, good bone and feet. Shown in fit muscular condition, his movement in profile is super, long striding and effortless; 3 Brown's Chrisona Douras.

VD (3) 1 Davis's Imola Iso Lele. Such a handsome well balanced d with a lovely outline. Good head with kind expression, good ribbing and bend of stifle, feet could be tighter. Good muscular condition and moved out so well and with great enthusiasm; 2 Carlton's Umhlandla Idayimani. Another fit, well muscled d in lovely condition, good depth of brisket, well boned with good feet and moving soundly.

MPB (4) 1 Nuttall's Nyuki Kilifi's At Home With Monduri. Feminine well balanced p. Pleasing head, level topline and good bend of stifle, sufficient bone with good feet. Moved out very well; 2 Waddington's Mwenga M'xima. A real baby with so much to like and very confident. Lovely head, good bone and feet, well angulated and moved well; 3 Hicks' Nuthouse Dreams.

PB (10) 1 Simper's Matabelle Moulin Rouge. Strongly made red wheaten with loads of quality. Pleasing head, good length of neck, level topline and well ribbed back, good bend of stifle. Moved out very well. BBP and listter sister to the BPIS; 2 Cairn's Rooinek Tintaglia. Another well made p with good bone and feet, good topline and depth of brisket and moved soundly; 3 Waddington's Mwenga M'xima.

JB (11) 1 Cotterill's Jarhiba Goue Dame. Well grown light wheaten. Lovely head, good earset and eye, good bone and feet, well muscled, good ribbing and moved well; 2 Norrington-Evans Skypinda Kenmillone Ladysmith. Liver nose, more compact than 1. V well boned with good feet, good depth of brisket and good hind angulation. Moved soundly; 3 Street's Mangwe Designer Label.

NB (9) 1 Cotterill's Jarhiba Goue Dame; 2 Norrington-Evans' Skypinder Kenmillone Ladysmith; 3 Cairns' Rooinek Tintaglia.

PGB (18) 1 Hynd's Ekundo Msichana Of Hyndridge. Feminine b with pleasing head and intelligent expression. Good length of neck, good topline, well boned and good feet, balanced angulation and moved freely. She will take time to mature; 2 Storey's Kiromoi Kianga. Different type to 1. Strongly made b with lovely head and expression, very good bone and feet, ribbed well back and good bend of stifle, long striding free moving b; 3 Parsons Touch Of Kryha.

LB (24) 1 Wheeler and Campbell's Rex Ventors Farrah At Nyassa. Imp. She really fits the standard, such a well balanced typical b. Super head and expression, good length of neck, well ribbed back and good topline, well angulated and moves very freely. I loved her. BCC and BIS; 2 Raymond's Diamond Dancing With Sofala. Another super young b. Lovely head with good depth of muzzle, good topline and well ribbed back, balanced angulation, good bone and feet. Moved soundly. Seriously considered for RCC; 3 Storey's Kiromoi Kizazi.

OB (19) 1 Brown and Ringer's Flametrees Ruby Love. Well made soundly constructed b. Typical head with powerful muzzle, good bone and feet, good infill of chest, good ribbing and topline, well angulated and moved with drive. RCC; 2 Barnes' Diamondridge Deja Vu. Most attractive typical b.

Lovely head and expression, good earset and dark eye, good length of neck, good depth of chest, well angulated behind, good bone and feet. Moved out soundly; 3 Webster's Ch Janak Sula.

VB (8) 1 Firth's Ch Mwenga Mgeni. Such a happy b in super condition. Lovely head with dark eye, well balanced with good ribbing and angulation, good bone and feet, a really sound moving b. BV; 2 Coyne's Ozubi's Kumkumbuku Dubu. Stronger made b than 1. Good bone and feet, good depth of chest and ribbing, level topline, well angulated and moved very soundly; 3 Carlton's Nyassa Riia Of Janak.

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