

Griffon Bruxellois Club
of Victoria Inc.
Melbourne Royal Specialty



Friday

27th. September 2023

Judge: Mrs. Carol Mulcahy
(Ireland)

Get to know your judge...

Mrs. Carol Mulcahy (Ireland)

CAROL MULCAHY (IRELAND)

Carol Mulcahy is a third-generation dog person through her father and grandfather, both of whom enjoyed a great passion with the German Shepherd breed. She has been involved in the dog world for her entire life, as a breeder, exhibitor and since 1996 as a judge.



Carol's breed involvement is mainly in the Collie Rough. Along with her husband John, breeding under the 'Kazjs' prefix since 1974. Breeder of over 57 Champions, 2 Supreme Champions, 4 Grand Champions and 5 International Champions is testament to the success of the kennel. Kazjs Collies have won many top awards and a significant number of multiple Best in Show winners, both Specialty and All Breeds – taking over 100 Best in Shows between them.

Carol's judging journey began in her home group – the Working/Pastoral group. Over the years she has progressed through to become an FCI All Rounder, together with being licenced to judge Junior Handlers. Carol is an astute, considerate and knowledgeable judge of high international standing, enjoying appointments across many countries and continents. She had the honour of judging BIS at the prestigious Rose of Kota Show in Finland, together with giving the final BIS nod in Japan and Sweden.

Carol's experience has seen her judging in Australia, New Zealand, Indonesia, Ireland, Denmark, Sweden, Norway, Germany, Belgium, Canada, Croatia, Russia, South Africa, Switzerland, Netherlands, and most recently at the highly acclaimed Kinky International Show in Japan.

Carol was involved with the Judges Training Scheme in NSW and is a past Group Coordinator for Working Dogs. She has presented lectures, mainly on Pastoral/Working Breeds in Australia, Ireland and other regions of the world. She is also renowned for her Collie Rough and Smooth Grooming Seminars in many countries. She had long standing involvement in both the Collie Club of NSW, holding various positions, together with being Patron of the Belgian Shepherd Club of NSW for over a decade.

Since moving to Ireland over a decade ago, Carol's last visit to our shores was to judge at the Dogs ACT Advance Epic Extravaganza in 2019. It will be our absolute pleasure to welcome Carol back to our shores to join the 2024 Melbourne Royal Judging Panel.

Breed Standard

General Appearance:	A cobby well balanced, square little dog, giving appearance of measuring the same from withers to tail root as from withers to ground.
Characteristics:	Smart little dog with disposition of a terrier. Two varieties rough coated, Griffon Bruxellois and smooth coated, Petit Brabancon. Both with pert, monkey-like expression, heavy for size.
Temperament:	Lively and alert.
Head And Skull:	Head fairly large in comparison to body, rounded but in no way domed, moderately wide between the ears. Hair on skull in roughs rather coarse. Nose always black, with large, open nostrils and definite stop between muzzle and skull. Relatively short, wide muzzle, neat lips, with good turn-up. Chin prominent, in roughs furnished with a beard.
Eyes:	Black rimmed, very dark, round, clear, alert and not too large.
Ears:	Semi-erect, high set, the smaller the better.
Mouth:	Slightly undershot with even teeth, not showing teeth or tongue.
Neck:	Medium length, slightly arched, springing from well laid back shoulders.
Forequarters:	Chest rather wide and deep, legs straight of medium length and bone.
Body:	Short back, level from withers to tail root, neither roaching nor dipping; deep; well-sprung ribs; short, strong loin.
Hindquarters:	Well muscled thighs of good length, hocks low to ground, turning neither in nor out, stifles well bent.
Feet:	Small, thick, cat-like with black toenails.
Tail:	Docked: Docked short, high set, emerging at right angles from the level topline. Undocked: High set, emerging at right angles from the level topline. Of moderate length, curved gently over back when moving.
Gait/Movement:	Free with good drive from rear. Moving true coming and going. High stepping front movement undesirable.
Coat	Roughs, harsh, wiry, free from curl, preferably with undercoat. Smooths, short and tight.
Colour:	Clear red, black or black and rich tan without white markings. In clear red, a darker shade on mask and ears desirable. Ideally each hair should be an even red from tip to root. Frosting on muzzles of mature smooths should not be penalised.
Sizes:	Weight: from 3.2-5 kgs (7-11 lbs) most desirable 3.6-4.5kgs (8-10lbs)
Faults:	Any departure from the foregoing points should be considered a fault and the seriousness with which the fault should be regarded should be in exact proportion to its degree and its effect upon the health and welfare of the dog.
Notes:	Male animals should have two apparently normal testicles fully descended into the scrotum.

The Griffon Bruxellois Club of Victoria Inc.

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Championship show

Friday 27th. September 2024

At: The Melbourne Showgrounds, Ascot Vale

To be held under the rules and regulations of Dogs Victoria Inc.,
a copy of which may be inspected at the office of the Secretary of the fixture.

Judge: Mrs. Carol Mulcahy (Ireland)

Ordinary Classes

V.C.A. REP

SHOW SECRETARY

Mr. Frank Tipping

Kathy Grass

ORDER OF JUDGING

Judging commences after the judge completes her Melbourne Royal Assignment,
with the Ordinary Classes, in the following order:

Dogs followed by Bitches,
General Specials

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The Committee welcomes you all and hopes you have an enjoyable day.



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General Specials

Ms Carol Mulcahy (Ireland)

Start Time: _____

Griffon Bruxellois

Class 1 - Baby Puppy Dog

- 1 Dr I T Mitchell: **GRIFFONSBURG FRANCIS BARLOW** 31-05-2024 **Bred By:** Dr I T Mitchell **S:** Grand. Ch. Swedndreams Firefox At Lochtay **D:** Grand. Ch. Griffonsburg Venus Victorious
- 2nd
- 2 Dr I T Mitchell: **GRIFFONSBURG JOSH CHAMBERLAIN** 31-05-2024 **Bred By:** Dr I T Mitchell **S:** Grand. Ch. A2o Ch Swedndreams Firefox At Lochtay **D:** Grand. Ch. Griffonsburg Venus Victorious
- 3rd
- 3 Mr G Egan: **KRUSAYD KNOCK YA SOCKS OFF** 02-05-2024 **Bred By:** Mr G Egan **S:** Ch. Shigriff Sam I Am **D:** Krusayd Griffy Chanting Edina
- 1st*

Class 3 - Puppy Dog

- 4 Mrs R & Mr A Morse: **ARMORGRIF RED HOT REBEL** 15-03-2024 **Bred By:** Mrs R & Mr A Morse **S:** Sup.Ch. Armorgrif Asmodeus **D:** Armorgrif Smooth Criminal
- 1st*
- 5 Mr G Egan: **KRUSAYD KNOW YOUR WORTH** 07-01-2024 **Bred By:** Mr G Egan **S:** Ch. Shigriff Sam I Am **D:** Strongjean Bokatan
- 2nd

Class 4 - Junior Dog

- 6 Mrs T & Miss A Beavis: **CH. SHIGRIFF SPY WHO LOVED ME** 30-04-2023 **Bred By:** Ms M Gurney & Ms C Elder **S:** Ch. Los Chatos Del Norte Rasta Man (Imp Esp) **D:** Shigriff Spare Me The Details
- 1st*
- 7 Ms M Gurney & Ms C Elder: **SHIGRIFF SOUNDS LIKE A PLAN** 30-04-2023 **Bred By:** Ms M Gurney & Ms C Elder **S:** Ch. Los Chatos Del Norte Rasta Man (Imp Esp) **D:** Shigriff Spare Me The Details
- 2nd
- 8 Sally Stewart: **TROUBADOUR DUDLEY DO RIGHT** 05-07-2023 **Bred By:** Exh **S:** Gr Ch Alynga The Terminator **D:** Ch Troubadour Thistle Do
- 3rd

Class 5 - Intermediate Dog

- 9 Dr I T Mitchell: **CH. GRIFFONSBURG ULYSSES S GRANT** 10-12-2022 **Bred By:** Dr I T Mitchell **S:** Sup.Ch. C.I.B. Tzani Zazu Zodiak **D:** Grand. Ch. Griffonsburg Venus Victorious
- 3rd
- 10 Mrs S E Stewart: **CH. TROUBADOUR VOLT E MORTE** 15-09-2022 **Bred By:** Mrs S E Stewart **S:** Ch. Woodover Battries Not Included **D:** Ch. Tzani Helga Hufflepuff
- 2nd
- 11 Natasha Clark: **CH. ARMORGRIF RUFFLED FEATHERS** 17-06-2022 **Bred By:** Mrs R & Mr A Morse **S:** Gr. Ch. Alynga The Terminator **D:** Ch. Armorgrif Up The Ante(Ai)
- 1st*

Class 10 - Australian Bred Dog

- 12 D Norman & M Huisman: **GRAND CH ALYNGA THE TERMINATOR** 28-07-2019 **Bred By:** K & M Huisman **S:** Ch Donzeata Royal Star (Imp Uk) **D:** Alynga Ivy
- 1st
- 13 Ms N Lawrence: **MAJOMARC FIREFLI KAZARI** 18-06-2021 **Bred By:** Mr V Grasso **S:** Ch. Los Chatos Del Norte Rasta Man (Imp Esp) **D:** Spanriever Copperplate
- 2nd

Class 11 - Open Dog

- 14 Mrs E Canavan & Mrs J Waghorn: **CH. AZANDE LITTLE RED WAGON** 01-03-2019 **Bred By:** Mrs E Canavan & Mrs J Waghorn **S:** Grand. Ch. Tzani Neddie Seagoon **D:** Azande Whos The Boss
- 1st
- 15 Ms C Elder & Ms M Gurney: **AUST CH SHIGRIFF SAM I AM** 07-01-2017 **Bred By:** Ms M Gurney and Ms C Elder **S:** Shigriff Sharp Dressed Man **D:** Shigriff Say My Name
- 2nd
- Ch 14 Pts 17 Res 12

Class 2a - Minor Puppy Bitch

- 16 Mrs R & Mr A Morse: **ARMORGRIF TOO HOT TO HANDLE** 15-03-2024 **Bred By:** Mrs R & Mr A Morse **S:** Sup.Ch. Armorgrif Asmodeus **D:** Armorgrif Smooth Criminal
- Absent
- 17 MR GW EGAN: **KRUSAYD KEEPING UP APPEARANCES** 06-02-2024 **Bred By:** GW EGAN **S:** Shigriff Sam I Am **D:** Roxbud Mookiee
- 1st*

Class 4a - Junior Bitch

- 18 Ms M Gurney & Ms C Elder: **SHIGRIFF SWEET LITTLE LIES** 15-07-2023 **Bred By:** Ms M Gurney & Ms C Elder **S:** Shigriff Strictly On The Level **D:** Shigriff Shadeshady Now Prance
- Absent

Class 5a - Intermediate Bitch

- 19 Mrs S E Stewart: **CH. TROUBADOUR MIRTO LAMENTOSA** 15-09-2022 **Bred By:** Mrs S E Stewart **S:** Ch. Woodover Battries Not Included **D:** Ch. Tzani Helga Hufflepuff
- 1st
- 20 Ms R & Mr A Morse: **ARMORGRIF DEVILS FASHIONISTA(AI)** 23-02-2023 **Bred By:** Mrs R & Mr A Morse **S:** Sup.Ch. Statuesque Mudgee Mud **D:** Armorgrif Queen Athaliah
- 2nd

Class 10a - Australian Bred Bitch

- 21 Dr I T Mitchell: **GRAND. CH. GRIFFONSBURG SCARLETT VIVIEN** 04-09-2020 **Bred By:** Dr I T Mitchell **S:** Grand. Ch. Tzani Neddie Seagoon **D:** Grand. Ch. Griffonsburg Venus Victorious
- 1st*
- 22 Mrs L Marshall: **CH. GRIFFLOJI I AM A O K** 05-01-2023 **Bred By:** Mrs L Marshall **S:** Pendlview Smugglers Top **D:** Minminchin Penny Palooza
- 2nd

Class 11a - Open Bitch

- 23 Dr I T Mitchell: **GR CH GRIFFONSBURG VENUS VICTORIOUS** 19-09-2018 **Bred By:** Dr I T Mitchell **S:** Ch Witchgriff Bear Grylls **D:** Ch Griffonsburg Vespers Victory
- 3rd
- 24 Mrs R & Mr A Morse: **CH. ARMORGRIF QUEEN ATHALIAH** 03-10-2020 **Bred By:** Mrs R & Mr A Morse **S:** Sup.Ch. Armorgrif Asmodeus **D:** Grand. Ch. Armorgrif Jezebel
- 2nd
- 25 Ms N Lawrence: **MAJOMARC DONATELLA DEL NORTE** 26-10-2020 **Bred By:** Mr V Grasso **S:** Ch. Los Chatos Del Norte Rasta Man (Imp Esp) **D:** Ch. Los Chatos Del Norte All Of Me (Imp Esp)
- 1st*
- 26 Sally Stewart: **AUST CH TROUBADOUR THISTLE DO** 27-10-2019 **Bred By:** Sally Stewart **S:** Uk Ch Ch Marquant The Lover (Imp Uk) **D:** Ch Troubadour Poison Ivy
- 4th
- Ch 25 Pts 14 Res 21
- BOB 25 Bitch Pts 25 R/Up 21 Bitch

Group 0 - Specials

Best

R/Up

Finish _____ Absent 0

General Specials

Judge: Ms Carol Mulcahy (Ireland)

Best In Show

Pts: 25

25 Griffon Bruxellois

Ms N Lawrence: MAJOMARC DONATELLA DEL NORTE

Runner Up In Show

Pts: 15

21 Griffon Bruxellois

Dr I T Mitchell: GRAND. CH. GRIFFONSBURG SCARLETT VIVIEN

Baby

3 Griffon Bruxellois

Mr G Egan: KRUSAYD KNOCK YA SOCKS OFF

Minor

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Puppy

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Inter

11 Griffon Bruxellois

Natasha Clark: CH. ARMORGRIF RUFFLED FEATHERS

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21 Griffon Bruxellois

Dr I T Mitchell: GRAND. CH. GRIFFONSBURG SCARLETT VIVIEN

Open

25 Griffon Bruxellois

Ms N Lawrence: MAJOMARC DONATELLA DEL NORTE

2024 list of Exhibitors

Melbourne Royal Specialty Championship Show

1. B Canavan & J Waghorn- Mardan, Victoria
2. S Stewart - Wallington, Victoria
3. N Clark – Torquay, Victoria
4. R & A Morse – Blackburn Nth, Victoria
5. M Gurney & C Elder – Mt Gambier, S.A.
6. L Marshall – Cockatoo, Victoria
7. T Beavis – S.A.
8. G Egan – NSW
9. N Lawrence – Queensland
10. Dr I Mitchell – Narre Warren Nth, Victoria

Thank you to all exhibitors for entering our Championship Show.

We value your participation and trust that you have a rewarding and enjoyable day with your dogs and fellow exhibitors.