

## **JUDGES REPORT ON THE BRITISH RAGDOLL CAT CLUB SHOW HELD ON SATURDAY 18<sup>TH</sup> APRIL**

My thanks to the officers and committee for the invite to judge at this happy show and for the excellent hospitality. My thanks go to Nicky Butler who came along to steward for me for the first time I hope it won't be the last Nicky

### **IMPERIAL GRAND CHAMPION MALE**

1 IMP GR CH Haworth IMP GR CH DIZZIIPAWS BRUCE Seal mitted

A super big showy boy and a real gentle giant his paws were needed the whole time and he loved a cuddle and I enjoyed of minute of handling him. A long muscular body with a long silky soft well prepared coat. Nice broad chest supported by medium length legs which were of good bone with large round and tufted paws. Long bushy tail slightly tapered at the tip and reaching to the shoulder blades. Broad head with flat plane between sized ears that had slight tilt forward and were well furnished. Well developed cheeks and muzzle with firm chin and good bite. Large well opened eyes with slightly oblique set and of good blue colour. Medium length nose showing gentle dip to profile head framed by long ruff. Nice seal points contrast.

RES IMP GR CH Davies GR CH RAGSHAVEN BUSTERS LEGACY Blue Bi Colour

This was another gentle well manager boy whose coat was a little shorter than the winner. Who was clean and nicely presented. Nice broad head. Ears of medium size with slight tilt forward and well furnished, flat plane between the ears. Large well opened slightly oblique set eyes which could have been a shade deeper blue. Medium length nose showing gentle dip to the profile with pink nose leather... Nice firm chin with good bite. A nicely balanced V commencing at forehead and covering nose whisker pads and chin. White back legs to the level of the under body Front legs all white. Silky soft bluish white coat with some areas of white. Long tail which tapered at tip and reached his shoulder blades.

### **IMPERIAL GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE**

1 IMP GR CH WITHELD Fitten GR CH FINEARTE ZEPHYR ROSE Blue bi colour

I very attractive girl who I would have liked to be a little larger for her age but she was of good weight. Nice head with flat plane between medium sized ears which had slight tilt forward and were well furnished. Eyes were a little deep set but of lovely blue colour. Profile shows slight dip on medium length nose. Well developed cheeks and muzzle with firm chin and good bite. A nicely balanced white V. All limbs were white. Tail long and tapering at tip and balanced to her body. My reason for withholding the imperial was the preparation on her under parts for an imperial cert the cat needs to be presented in pristine condition. After speaking to exhibitor I was told she does not like to be bathed such a pity.

## **SEAL COLOURPOINTED MITTED (INC AOC DOMINANT)**

### **ADULT MALE**

1.CC Lancashire FILENSIO SOUTHERN COMFORT seal mitted

A lovely soft coat that was a little rusty in colour on the points and ears and his tail was brindled. A long body with medium height legs with large rounded and tufted paws. Long bushy tail tapering at tip and reaching the shoulder blades. Broad head with flat plane between medium sized ears that were well tufted and had slight tilt forward. Profile show gentle dip on medium length nose. Well opened blue eyes set slightly oblique and well apart. Cheeks and muzzle well developed with firm chin and good bite. White chin bin chest and under body. Tidy white mittens. Back legs white to the underbody. He was a gentle but slightly nervous boy who was much happier in the security of his pen.

2.Gladstone HAPPYTYME DIAMONDS FOREVER Seal tabby mitted

A nice well boned long bodied boy of good bone with broad chest. Medium height legs again well boned with broken rings and stripes . Paws large and round and well tufted. A lovely head shape with flat plane between medium sides ears that needed more of a tilt forward but were well furnished. Large blue yes set slightly oblique. Defined M markings on the forehead. Well developed cheeks and muzzle with firm chin and good bite. No evidence of a white chin. Tidy mittens Colour extends to far down on the back left leg. A long tail that was extremely greasy at the base. His feet needed to be much cleaner and more preparation was needed on his tummy. He had a wonderful temperament.

3.Leaper LUVUMCATS KODIAK Seal colourpointed

Although in judges book as a 66 is was in fact a 66W. Very short of coat which on which the colour was very unsettled. Points on head and ears were more chocolate than seal in colour. Broad head with flat plane between medium sized ears. Eyes a lovely shade of blue and large in shape and set slightly oblique. Profile shows gentle dip on medium length nose. Fairly well developed cheeks with firm chin. A long body with a tail that taper at tip and reached to the shoulder blades. A nice white chin the white extending down the bib and chest. Pure white tidy mittens.

4.Breslin HOLLYGRAM FOOLSGOSSIP Seal colourpointed

This boy was very short of coat and needed more show preparation on the flanks. His coat was a nice beige colour. His eyes were to round in shape. Tail fur was very sparse and brindled and it was also very greasy at the base.

**SEAL COLOURPOINTED MITTED (INC AOC DOMINANT)**  
**ADULT FEMALE**

1CC Kopbylska HAPPYTYME LUNA FAIRY Seal colourpointed

A very alert and perky young lady. Not quite a year old and extremely well grown and of good substance. With medium height well boned legs with large rounded tufted paws. A soft but short beige coat with nice seal points. A flat plane on a broad head with ears that were well furnished medium in size and had tilt forward. Eyes deep blue in centre but pale on outer circle large in shape and set slightly oblique... Cheeks and muzzle well developed with firm chin and a level bite. Medium length nose with gentle dip and retrousse tip. Long muscular body with a bush tail that tapered at tip and reached to the shoulder blades. Well boned medium length legs with large round tufted paws. A lovely natured girl

2.Marjason CHICCATS CLOVERWERMARBEAR Seal Mitted

Flat plane medium ears that were medium in size and had slight tilt forward and were nicely furnished. Gentle dip to profile on medium length nose. Well developed cheeks and muzzle with firm chin and a good bite. Eyes large and well opened and set slightly oblique but pale blue in colour. Good body shape with medium height well boned legs, paws round and tufted. Soft beige coat with seal points but more preparation needed on her tummy. Nicely matched mittens on her front paws. White back legs. Long bushy tail that tapered slight at the tip.

3.Preece FILENSO STARGAZER Seal Mitted

Just over a year old and needs to fill out facially as at present she is fine featured facially. Although her eyes were a little bold and round they were of good blue colour. Her top beige coat was silky soft and well prepared however more attention was needed on her under parts especially between the back legs. Flat plane and ears had slight tilt forward and were medium in size. Good body shape and weight. Bushy tail that tapered at tip and reached to her shoulder blades. Back right leg had an area of seal in the white. Front mittens nice and tidy. White chin, bib and chest, also under body white. Sweet girl

4.Westwood FARISLE FANCY FAIR seal colourpointed

Nice seal points against a beige coat. Eyes of good blue colour and set slight oblique and well apart. Medium length nose showing gentle dip to the profile. A flatter plane needed between her medium sized ears that had slight tilt forward. Medium height well bones legs with large round and tufted paws. Long busy tail that taper at tip and was balanced to her body. She needed more attention to the preparation between her back legs. Very nice to handle

BEST OF BREED IMP GR CH DIZZIIPAWS BRUCE Seal mitted

## **AC OR PATTERN BREEDERS ADULT FEMALE**

1 Davies CH RAGSHAVEN SONNYS SUMAMAGIC Blue bi colour

I thought this girl was absolutely gorgeous and presented in excellent condition and excellent show preparation. An extremely well boned girl with a strong muscular body supported by well boned medium height legs with large, rounded and tufted paws. Bushy tail tapering at tip and reaching to her shoulder blades. Lovely type with broad head and flat plane between medium sized ears that had slight tilt forward and were well furnished. Profile shows gentle dip on medium length nose. Lovely large blue eyes set slightly oblique and well apart. Cheeks and muzzle well developed with firm chin and good bite. Silky bluish white coat with some areas of white. All limbs white to the underbody. Balanced inverted V commencing at forehead and extending downwards to cover to cover nose whisker pads and chin. Clear under body. Delightful to handle

2.Salter TAGULA PAPER POPPY Blue tabby

What a wriggler and didn't like her bite being looked at. A soft well prepared coat of bluish white colour. Tail fur a little sparse but tapered at tip and the length reaching to her shoulder blades and showing good rings. Flat plane between medium ears that were well furnished with slight tilt forward. Medium length nose with gentle dip to the profile. Well developed cheeks and muzzle with firm chin and good bite. Nice M to head and thumb prints to ears. Eyes of good blue colour well opened and set slightly oblique.

3.Hainsworth LITTLERAGS TOTALLY Blue colourpointed

A very gentle happy lady of very good bone. A soft bluish white well prepared coat with good blue points. Eyes a nice shade of blue and set slightly oblique and well apart. Medium length nose with gentle dip to the profile. Long body with a long tail that tapered at tip and reached to her shoulder blades. Medium height legs with large tufted round paws. For me she was not typical rag doll type.

4. Fitten GR CH FINEARTE ZEPHYR ROSE Blue bi colour – see imperial female class report

## **AC PATTERN TABBY ADULT MALE OR FEMALE**

1.Adams RAGADEE LOVE-IN-A-MIST seal tabby

An overall nicely balanced female with defined tabby marking to the head and good M on forehead. Ears that were of medium size and had slight tilt forward and were well furnished showed thumb prints. Speckled whiskers. Well developed cheeks and muzzle with good chin and even bite/ Well opened large blue eyes set well apart and slightly oblique. Her medium length nose showed gentle dip to the profile. A long muscular well boned body supported by medium height legs of good bone with large rounded and tufted paws the legs showing good stripes. Bushy tail well ringed tapering at tip and reaching her shoulder blades. A lovely girl

2.Salter TAGULA PAPER POPPY (see previous class 2<sup>nd</sup> placing report

3. Gladstone HAPPYTYME DIAMONDS FOREVER see 2<sup>nd</sup> placing in open class)
4. Preece CHEHAM STARLIGHT Blue tabby female

### **AC OR PATTERN BREEDERS KITEN FEMALE**

#### 1 Groutage RAGSVILLE SPELLBOUND ESMET Seal colourpointed

I liked this kitten very much she had a beautifully prepared beige coat complimented by rich seal points. She had lovely ragdoll type with flat plane medium sized ears that were well furnished and had slight tilt forward. Well developed cheeks and muzzle. Strong chin with even bite. Well opened deep blue eyes set wide apart and slightly oblique. Gentle dip to the profile on medium length nose. Excellent long body of excellent weight with medium height well boned legs, large round and tufted paws. Bushy tail that reached to her shoulder blades. Shown in excellent condition with a temperament to match.

#### 2. Dunstall ELENESSE LUNASTAR Blue colourpointed

Another girl of very nice ragdoll type who was delightful her feeding were kneading the whole time we had her and she loved to be cuddled. Soft bluish white coat with defined blue points contrast. Nice broad head with flat plane medium sized ears that had slight tilt forward and were well furnished. Large blue eyes set wide apart and slight oblique. Gentle dip to profile on medium length nose. Good cheeks and muzzle with firm chin and good bite. A long well boned body with strong medium height legs and large round and tufted paws.

#### 3. Back DORCLISE SWEETASCANDY seal mitted

Her muzzle was a little blunt and her nose a little short thus giving a rather short in the face effect. Ears well furnished and medium in size. Eyes a good shade of blue. She was a good size girl of excellent bones with long muscular body. Lovely bushy tail that tapered at the tip. Well boned medium height legs with large round and tufted paws. Her coat had been beautifully prepared so I was a little surprised to see staining on her back feet...

#### 4. Stacey SNOSPRITE MADAME CHANEL seal colourpointed

### **AC OR PATTERN NOVICE KITTEN MALE OR FEMALE**

#### 1. Dodd PETPURRFECTION ARMANI Blue colourpointed Male

A super boy with lovely type. Broad round head with flat plane between medium size ears that were well furnished and had slight tilt forward. Well opened large blue eyes set well apart and slightly oblique. Well developed cheeks and muzzle with strong chin and level bite. A well developed long muscular body with broad chest. Medium height well boned legs with large round and tufted paws. Long bushy tail reaching to the shoulder blades. A beautifully prepared bluish white coat contrasted by bluish grey on all points. Shown in excellent condition and a superb temperament.

2. RAGSVILLE SPELLBOUND ESMET Seal colourpointed female – SEE PREVIOUS CLASS 1<sup>ST</sup> PLACING REPORT

3. Ryan SARAGGS BY-THE-WAY Blue tortie

**AC OR PATTERN DEBUTANTE NEUTER MALE OR FEMALE**

1. Back DORCUSE SHOOTING STAR Blue bi colour male

Nice big boy with a broad round head and flat plane between medium sized ears that had slight tilt forward and were nicely furnished. Well developed cheeks and muzzle with a good bite. Gentle dip to the profile on medium length nose. Balanced inverted V commencing at forehead and extending downwards to cover nose whisker pads and chin. Large well opened eyes of good blue colour that were set slightly oblique and well apart. A heavy muscular long body with broad chest. A bushy long tapering tail. . Medium height well boned legs the colour extends down onto to the leg a little too much on left front leg, but all other limbs white. A nice boy to handle

2. Cook HIGHVIEW BACKCHAT Seal colourpointed Male

Broad head with flat plane. Well furnished medium sized ears with slight tilt forward. Gentle dip to profile on nose of medium length. Well developed cheeks and muzzle with firm chin and good bite. Eyes of deep blue colour well opened and set slightly oblique. A long muscular body with broad chest. Well boned medium height legs with large round and tufted paws. A long silky quite dark coat with very dark stomach fur. Very defined deep seal points. Long bushy tail tapering at tip. Excellent substance and nice to handle

3. Leigh CHICCATS ZERO Blue mitted Male

4. Hadley TALUBILOU RAGSANDTATTERS Blue mitted male

**I had the pleasure of judging Best in Show Neuter and was pleased to award it to UK AND IMPR GRAND PREMIER CHEHAM CANTONA it was so lovely to see this gentle giant I haven't seen him in ages.**

***CAROL PIKE***