

## **JUDGES REPORT ON THE WEST OF ENGLAND AND SOUTH WALES CAT SOCIETY SHOW HELD ON 28<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2009**

A long time since I have judged at this show. I had some fabulous Persian kittens which gave me a real headache. My thanks to the officers and committee for their invite and extra thanks to Dawn Davies my steward who stewarded for me for the first time and I hope it won't be the last.

### **BIRMAN GRAND CHAMPION MALE**

1GR CH Dawes CH CARRISMOON JACKFLASH Red

Very nice birman type with broad head and medium sized ears that had good width between them. Almost round blue eyes, Profile shows slight dip on medium length nose. Full round cheeks with good chin and bite. Quite a well grown lad for just over 1 year old and of good substance... Legs of medium length with strong paws. Tail would have benefited from a little more length. Gloves a little uneven, nicely matched gauntlets. Pale cream coat with orange matching points. He needs to improve his language.

### **BIRMAN GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE**

1 GR withheld Delaney CH DEENLAY SYRINGA Lilac

Although rather a small looking girl she was of quite good substance. She needs to fill out in the cheeks and she was also brindled around the whisker pads. Medium length nose showing slight dip to the profile. Ears of medium size with good width between them some more attention needed to the grooming around the ears. Almost round blue eyes. Medium length bushy tail that was brindled. Tidy gloves, Gauntlets of matching length and nicely tapered. . Rather dark on the points.

### **NORWEGIAN FOREST KITTEN MALE**

1st Handy NORMYSTIC LORD BURR Brown tabby and white who looked more like a silver tabby in some parts. Good triangular head shape with large ears set high on head and long hairs coming out of the ears. Long straight profile with firm chin and good bite. Well opened alert large eyes set slightly oblique. Almost 4 months and extremely well boned with a long elegant body supported by high stripy legs with large tufted paws. Long bushy tail reaching to the shoulder blades and well ringed. Good tabby markings to the head on this well grown delightful kitten.

There were some really lovely Persian kittens here to day and all 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> placed kittens were worthy of 1<sup>st</sup> placing a real headache but a joy to judge my thanks to their owners for showing these wonderful kittens under me

## **AC PERSIAN DEBUTANTE KITTEN – MALE**

1. Wilson TYTHERTON GIFT OPF THE GAB Black and white bi colour  
A kitten of really lovely type with a broad nicely rounded head and neat little well furnished ears sitting low on head. Short broad nose, large bright copper eyes. Nice full cheeks with good bite. A large cobby body of excellent substance. A long thick soft full of life sparkling predominately white coat with some patches of black around the head and neck. Thick set short legs with large paws the back legs having some patches of black. Short very bushy tail. Beautifully presented and in excellent condition.

2. Burroughs OWLETTS MACAVITY silver Tabby exotic  
Another excellent kitten with such defined tabby markings to the head, the tail well ringed and short thick stripy legs, oysters on his flanks Excellent broad well rounded head. Ears neat well furnished. Full cheeks and strong chin with a good bite. Brilliant copper large round eyes. Short broad nose. A medium sized body supported by short thick legs and large firm paws. Short tail. A lovely fell to his dense plush coat that stood out from the body and was medium in length. Delightful and again in excellent condition

3. Ashman SHAHRIVAR BLUE CELEBRITY A delightful blue

## **AC PERSIAN DEBUTANTE KITTEN – FEMALE**

1. Osmond and Calvagna JUANNRE FIRST EDITION Tortie tabby  
Now this one I could have put in my pocket and taken home she was absolutely fabulous. Head broad and rounded. Short broad nose with good break. Full cheeks and strong chin with a good bite. Neat little ears sitting low on head with long furnishings. Brilliant copper large eyes. A large cobby body with short thick legs and large paws. AS short very bushy tail. A long silky coat with tabby markings overlaid with shades of red and black. I could go on and on about this lovely kitten who was presented in tip top condition with excellent preparation.

2. Sanders CHERMICIAN JUSTGABBANA Tortie and white  
Another take home fabulous kitten shown in excellent condition with wonderful show preparation. Lovely type with broad rounded head. Small ears placed low on head and well furnished. Large round bright copper eyes. Nose short and broad with good break. Full cheeks and good bite. A large cobby body with short thick legs and large paws. Sparkling patches of white and shiny patches of red and black all over except one front leg. A bushy tail that was just a fraction long. I hope will meet these two ladies in the future.

3. Henderson MAVOURNEEN CHRISTABELLE Brown tabby and white

This kitten I would also happily give a first to she too is really lovely with excellent type.

### AC PERSIAN MAIDEN NEUTER – female

1. Burnett IGRCH AND GR PR LOMORAS RUBY TUESDAY Blue Tortie and white  
A girl of good substance with a large cobby body and short thick legs with large paws.  
Tail short and bushy. Neat ears sitting low on head and well furnished. Large round eyes  
that were pale copper in colour. A long soft coat that was full of life and had excellent  
colour pattern.

2. Pepperall and Blanchett PR. ADSETLO LADY LOUISIANA Seal tortie colourpoint  
A smallish girl with a cobby shaped body and short thick legs. Short bushy tail. I would  
have liked a little more type to her. A pale soft coat with the points nicely intermingled.

3. Emery PR. CUSHKA PANSY POTTER Lilac cream colourpoint

I was sorry to disqualify no 42 but the coat was full of powder

### AV SEMI LONG HAIR ADULT MALE

1<sup>st</sup> Baker ROWGARNOR BLUESHADOW Blue silver tabby and white Norwegian  
A well grown boy with a long elegant body supported by high legs the rear being higher  
than the front... Large paws which were well tufted. Triangular head shape with long  
straight profile. Alert well opened eyes set slightly oblique. Large ears set high on head  
with long hairs coming out for the ear. Short of coat at present bur showing a very nice  
silvery white undercoat and defines tabby markings to the head, with stripy marks on  
legs. Tail of good length but needs to be a little bushier. Nicely presented and well  
mannered boy.

2<sup>nd</sup> Clayson LYNDONGRAEY THE SURVIVOR RED tAbby Maine coon  
A very strong bodied boy of excellent bone with substantial legs and large paws with  
tufts of fur appearing from beneath paws. Medium length head with strong square  
muzzle, firm chin and good bite such a looks of arrogance about him. Full round eyes  
spaced well apart with a slightly oblique set. Tall large ears wide at base. A lovely  
glossy rich coloured top coat with good tabby markings. Tail long with profuse flowing  
fur. A little hormonal at present.

3<sup>rd</sup> Gledstone CH ADATELO JOSEPH Seal colourpointed ragdoll

### AV SEMI LONG HAIR DEBUTANTE ADULT

1<sup>st</sup> Holden Ritchie AMORAMIST ZELLA Blue silver tabby Maine coon female  
Only just an adult with a medium length head her muzzle just needs a little more strength. Super ears set high and wide apart with long hairs coming out of the ear. Full round eyes with a slightly oblique set. Chin firm with a good bite. Nose of uniform width showing a shallow curve to the profile. A long solid body covered in a well prepared glossy top coat. A super long well ringed tail with profuse flowing fur. Substantial stripy legs with large paws. Very nice girl.

2.Hunter ACOONAMATATA XENOPHON Blue and white maine coon male  
A real mummy's boy so affectionate. A long strong body supported by well boned legs and large paws. Tail profuse and flowing and the length reaching to his shoulder blades. Slatey blue colour glossy top coat. Head of medium length with square muzzle. Profile show shallow curve on nose of uniform width. Eyes full and round and spaced well apart with a slightly oblique set. Ears tall and large. . He was an extremely alert boy.

3.Chivers CARRISMOON OSCAR Red birman male

### AV SEMI LONG HAIR NEUTER

1<sup>st</sup> withheld

2<sup>nd</sup>. Dawe MIDNIGHTPAWS JUST TIMOTHY Seal coloupoint ragdoll Male  
Such a pity he was such a lovely person of good substance however he had been badly let down by his show preparation his coat was very open and greasy.

### AV SEMI LONG HIAR NON BREEDERS NEUTER FEMALE

1<sup>st</sup> Ashworth UK GR CH AND UK IGR PR EMERISLE DIAMANTE Seal bi colour ragdoll  
Now 9 years old and still looking stunning and as always in excellent condition and beautifully prepared. I have judged her many times she has a lovely head and type with inverted V commencing on forehead and extending downwards covering nose and whiskers. Profile had gentle dip on nose of medium length. Flat plane medium sized ears that are set well apart and have slight tilt forward. She has lovely blue eyes with slightly oblique set. A long body of excellent substance. Long bushy tail. Tail tapering towards tip and bushy. All limbs white expect the back left which has an area of brown in it. Delightful as always

2<sup>nd</sup> Holme PR. JOTUNKATTS AMBIANCE Brown tabby Norwegian  
A lovely big three year old with an long body of solid bone supported by high legs the rear being higher than the front Long bushy tail. Well opened large oval eyes set slightly oblique with an alert expression. For me he was a little to short in the head and he ears also needed to be taller but he was lovely to handle

3<sup>rd</sup> Jones GR PR MERLIESIN ROSHANA Chocolate tortie Somali

### **AV FOREIGN VISITORS NEUTER**

1<sup>st</sup> Farinton Stephens GR. PR. CHAMORE CAPTAINCLOUDY Blue Burmilla male  
A really lovely cat with a fabulous head and lovely eyes. A very powerful appearance to this boy - maybe a little overweight but non the less a very nice exhibit and in excellent condition and very nice to handle

2<sup>nd</sup> Haas PR. KENNBURTY SEA-FAIRIE Blue tabby tonkinese female  
A really lovely feel to this girls coat which was close lying and short with a lustrous sheen. Gently rounded top of head with medium sized ears. Expressive large eyes of almond shaped appearance. Profile shows a slight break .a firm well balanced body of good substance. Slender stripy legs with good muscle. Neat oval paws. Tapering ringed tail of medium length. Nicely presented and in wonderful condition

3. Williams GR. PR. SANTILLO JASMIN Egyptian Mau female

### **AV FOREIGN ARISTOCRAT ADULT**

1. Earnshaw SMOOTHASILK SOFIABELLE Tortie tabby devon female  
This naughty tortie certainly had a wicked expression and it looked like someone had been chewing her crinkly whiskers. A strong muzzle with a firm chin . Nose short showing a stop. High cheek bones with short broad wedge. Green eyes set wide apart and shaped very large and oval sloping towards the outer edge of the ear. Ears large and low set being large at the base. A hard muscular body with slender neck. Tail long and tapering. A short dense rippled coat that was soft to the touch and even in length with good intermingling of colour. Very nice to handle.

2<sup>nd</sup> Shepperd JINNONI DARLING DARCY Brown ticked singapura female  
Rounded skull with short broad muzzle. Pale green y large hazel eyes. Blunt nose with the profile showing a slight stop. Good chin and even bite. Medium sized muscular body. Well muscled legs with barring on inner front leg and back knees, feet small oval feet legs. Slender tail with blunt dark tip. Close lying sort silky coat of an old ivory colour ticked with sepia brown and showing two bands of ticking. I would have liked to see cheetah lines from the corner of the eye.

3. Hobson Kelly CH LELYLA SKYWALKER DEGLI ELFI Brown tortie tabby devon female - This is an aristocrat class so really she should not have been entered in this class unless she was made champion after her entry was sent in.

### ***CAROL PIKE***