

Short-Haired Cat Society 12.04.15

Mrs Val Anderson-Drew

Many thanks to Lynda for the invitation to judge at the Short-haired Show and several of the smaller breed shows. Thanks too for the excellent hospitality. A very busy day with all the different shows including various Best in Show judging to do. I am extremely grateful to Fran Harrison who stepped in to steward on the day. Fran handled the cats with care and helped steer me through all the paperwork and keep me on track. Thanks for all your help Fran and good company.

I had the pleasure of choosing Best Foreign Adult from a long list of exhibits. My choice was the Usual Abyssinian girl GR CH LINCZOZO CAT'S PYJAMAS who later became Best of Variety Foreign and also overall Best in Show at the Abyssinian Cat Association Show. Many congratulations to her proud owner/breeder!

BREED CLASSES

RUSSIAN BLUE NEUTER

BOB STARK'S GR CH & GR PR DUSHENKA TASHABELLA (RUS a) FN 17.12.05

A mature lady of 9 years with a super temperament. Attractive head with a good Russian expression. Prominent whisker pads, lovely deep firm chin & level bite. Tall vertically-set ears though she has a small bit missing from the top of her right ear! Green, almond-shaped eyes. Long body, long limbs & tail to balance. Dense double blue coat with a well-developed silvery sheen though she has a slightly darker spine line. Looking good for her age and easy to handle.

MISCELLANEOUS CLASSES

AC FOREIGN BREEDERS ADULT, FEMALE PART I

1ST LINCOLN'S GR CH LINCZOZO CAT'S PYJAMAS (ABY n) F Usual Abyssinian

A lovely girl of 2½ years with super type. Her head is a modified wedge with well-set ears & large expressive eyes. Elegant & muscular body with limbs & tail to balance. Close-lying dense coat clearly ticked with black on an apricot base. Shown in excellent condition & easy to handle.

2ND STARK'S GR CH DUSHENKA BELUCIA (RUS a) F Russian Blue

A mature lady of 4 years who shows herself very well; she stands proudly on the table. Lovely gentle expression, flat skull, short wedge & prominent whisker pads. Good angle & profile, firm chin that could be a little deeper & level bite. Large well-set ears & green almond-shaped eyes set wide apart & on a slant. Very elegant & muscular body with long slender limbs & small oval paws, long tapering tail to balance. Short blue coat, soft dense & plushy with a well-developed silvery sheen, just a touch uneven & she has a slightly darker spine towards the base of her tail. Shown in lovely condition & very easy to handle.

3RD CHERKAS'S CH JUSARKA DIVINE DREAM MAKER (TAI a 33) F Thai Blue Point

A sweet girl with nice type & coat.

AC FOREIGN BREEDERS ADULT, FEMALE PART II

1ST BRYANT'S CHARLIEGEMS CITRINE (SNO n 05) F Seal Point Snowshoe

A typy girl with a lovely head and typical Snowshoe expression. Expressive blue eyes. Elegant & muscular body with limbs & tail to balance. Lovely close-lying coat with seal brown points. Good show pattern with white inverted "V" on the face & white mittens and boots. Shown in lovely condition.

2ND MISKELLY'S GLENDAVAN DULCE DE LECHE (ABY b) F Chocolate Abyssinian
A young girl of 9 months & hence only just an adult. A typy girl who is developing nicely.
Lovely coat clearly ticked with dark chocolate on an apricot base.

3RD GARRATT & EDWARDS'S CH ADURTSH MISS MOONSHINE (RUS a) Russian
Blue

A young girl of not quite 12 months with an adolescent look and needing to mature. Nice
type with well-set ears & green almond-shaped eyes, OK whisker pads. Elegant body with
limbs & tail to balance. Quite plushy, blue coat that could be softer.