

I thank Chris and the committee for the invitation to judge when they had such a large entry and needed to take some Semi-Longhair side classes off judges. I hope the exhibitors were not too disappointed. I had a very big book and was ably assisted by Alison Reynolds who was very knowledgeable and good company throughout a long day.

AV SLH Breeders Adult: Part A

1 MYLNEK & HAYWARD'S CH MYLWARD XAVIER (13c11) 07/02/13. Just over a year old and what a super example of a Seal Tabby Birman male. His temperament was superb and I melted into his expressive deep blue eyes. His sock, gloves and gauntlets couldn't be faulted and his points colour was almost even, with his legs being a touch paler. Lovely head and body type with a super coat texture that showed just a touch of shading on the body. **2. WILSON'S COONSRUS FREDDIE FLINTOFF** (64 41) 30/03/13. Brown Tabby Maine Coon boy of good type overall with an excellent square muzzle, lovely gold coloured eyes and a shallow concave curve to the nasal bridge. His coat was soft with a glossy waterproof top, good shaggy breeches and belly fur, a frontal ruff and super long ear tufts. His tabby markings were well defined except that his back was a little solid and apart from his head and neck the copper ground colour was a bit on the "cool" side. **3. WILSON'S CH HUAUARAG ETERNAL DAISY** (66 31a) 12/09/11. **Part B: 1 GRANT'S GR CH NOYNAROCK SEVIE** (67 18) 16/06/12. Silver Tabby Norwegian Forest Cat male of super head type with a perfectly straight profile to his nose, expressive eyes and balanced ears. His coat was the required texture with super silver tabby throughout. Lovely temperament. **2. GIBSON & LEIGHTON'S RAGATO TEDDY BEAR'S PICNIC** (66a) 26/02/13. Blue Colourpointed Ragdoll male of good type overall and super to handle. His head showed good type with a gentle dip to his nose but his eyes were just a touch too round which tended to spoil the overall effect. Well prepared coat with not a hair out of place with his body shade a lovely blue-white and complimenting blue-grey points. **3. POOL'S GR CH SARMOYAH PRINCESS AURORA** (13c6) 26/03/12.

AV SLH Adult Non-Breeders:

1. LLOYD'S KASSARO GOODWOOD (64 41) 29/04/13. Brown Tabby Maine Coon boy aged only 11 months and already looking the part. Super large boy with a lovely rectangular body, good strong muscle and bone, a long tail that reached his neck, good square muzzle and a shallow concave curve to the nasal bridge. His green/gold coloured eyes were the required shape and set. He had a level bite with the gums showing a fair bit of redness that I was a little concerned about. He had a super coat with a fantastic glossy top, a quite dense undercoat and perfect tabby markings in black over a mid copper ground colour. Super temperament. **2. FLETCHER'S SURFIN TYGER BRIGHT** (63l) 23/03/13. Usual Somali girl almost a year old and showing lots of promise. She had a good body shape and nice head type with lovely colours to her coat that showed the correct amount of ticking. Fantastic temperament and a joy to handle. **3. COWGILL'S RAGADDICT HERBIERIDESAGAIN** (66a) 27/04/13.

AV SLH Maiden Adult:

1 LISTER'S COON CASA A TASTE OF HONEY (IMP) (64 41w) 17/05/13. Brown Tabby and White Maine Coon female who at 10 months of age is still showing her kitten properties and needs to develop and mature. She had a good body shape and size with a long flowing tail, large ears well set, gold eyes set at a slightly oblique angle, a very shallow concave curve to the nasal bridge and a level bite. Her coat was well presented with a glossy top over a good undercoat with her ruff already quite well grown. Her tabby was well defined in super black over a very warm copper ground colour with clean white patches. **2. JAMIESON'S PARTYPALACE ROSSINI** (66dw) 07/06/13. Red Mitted Ragdoll male who was not at all happy on the day. He had a lovely flat plane

to his head with super expressive eyes of the deepest blue. His coat had a silky texture and was prepared to the last hair. **3. WILSON'S PHATPAWS PILLOW TALK** (66 31a) 02/06/13.

AV SLH Limit Adult:

1. LLOYD'S KASSARO GOODWOOD (64 41) 29/04/13. **2. COWGILL'S RAGADDICT HERBIERIDESAGAIN** (66a) 27/04/13. **3. KAYE'S ALISIKA BETTATHEDEVIL UNO** (64 41) 19/04/13.

AV SLH Limit Kitten:

1 HOLDENS' ISADORYOU PHOENIX (64 41dsw) 07/10/13. Red Silver Tabby and White Maine Coon male with a good size to his body already. His paws were absolutely huge. Long flowing tail to end his long rectangular body. He had a good square muzzle, large ears well placed with long tufts, full deep gold eyes and an almost perfect shallow concave curve to his nasal bridge. His coat was well presented and not too long with the silver ground colour slightly muted with good red tabby markings and clean white patches. **2. JONES' GROOVICATS RAZZMATAZZ** (66) 08/09/13. Seal Colourpointed Ragdoll male with a lovely head type and good profile. Super coat texture and seal points of matching colour. He did have some quite dark shading in a couple of places on his tummy. **3. POWNEY'S WITCHFIRE MOYA** (82 20) 26/06/13.

AV SLH Neuter: Part A

1. DUNN & EVANS' GR PR ELMCOON RAFFLES (TICA SGA) (64 31) 26/08/10. Black and White Maine Coon male with a huge body, quite long and well muscled. Large well placed ears with very profuse tufts, a shallow concave curve to his nasal bridge and a very strong chin. His coat was semi-long with a waterproof top and shaggy breeches and belly fur with a full frontal ruff. The white to his body was a super inverted triangle to his face with black that showed some tarnishing on his flanks. **2. HOLDEN'S GR PR WISCASSET LOOTAH** (64 41ds) 19/06/08. Huge Red Silver Tabby Maine Coon male with a super body shape, a flowing tail that reached his shoulder and a good square muzzle. He had lovely expressive green eyes set at a slightly oblique angle and a shallow concave curve to his nasal bridge. His soft coat was a reasonable length with a full frontal ruff. His tabby markings were well defined in a good red but his silver ground colour could have been better, although his new coat was coming through at the roots. He ran the winner very close on the day. **3. COWARD'S IMP GR PR VALRKATTENS WESTOFTHEMOON** (67 31a) 06/08/10. **Part B: 1. LLOYD'S MIGATOBONITO TRULY SCRUMPTIOUS** (64 41gw) 16/01/13. Blue Tortie Tabby and White Maine Coon female with a super long body shape, good muscle and bone, a flowing tail, large ears set high on her head, super gold coloured eyes and a shallow concave curve to the nasal bridge with a very strong chin. She had a very soft coat with a glossy top, shaggy breeches and belly and a full frontal ruff. Her tabby markings were well defined in blue and overlaid with shades of darkish cream with clean white patches. Super temperament. **2. ANDERSON & BOZOVICH'S PR OLIROSE RORYMACOON** (64 41dw) 27/12/11. Red Tabby and White Maine Coon male of good size overall with very long flowing fur to his tail, an excellent square muzzle, large ears that he tended to flare a little, a very shallow concave curve to the nasal bridge, level bite and strong chin. Soft coat of good length with a nice depth of undercoat and a glossy top. He had clean white to his chin, chest, belly and feet with super well defined classic tabby markings in a deep rich red on a paler ground colour. **3. HOLDEN'S PR ANGELZARKE BLUE JOHN** (64 41aw) 16/12/12.

AV SLH Breeders Neuter, Part A:

1. LANCASHIRE'S CHINNORLEIGH APACHE (66 31a) 02/06/11. Blue Bi-Colour Ragdoll male who was a really huge cat with a super body shape, good head with a dip in his profile and a retousse tip to his nose. He had large expressive very deep blue eyes. His silky coat was

beautifully presented with a balanced inverted "V" of white to his face with good bluish grey points and patches of white within the one-third of the standard. **2. GARDNER'S PR FELLPUSS WOODY** (64 41) 23/06/12. Large Brown Tabby Maine Coon male of good type overall. He had a large rectangular shaped body with good muscle, a tail that reached his shoulder with short fur, a nice square muzzle, large ears placed well apart, green/gold eyes set at an oblique angle, a concave curve to his nasal bridge and a bite that was almost overshot. Soft coat with a waterproof top and dense undercoat with shaggy breeches, belly fur and a frontal ruff. His dense black classic tabby markings were perfectly defined on a super warm copper ground colour. Excellent temperament. **3. JONES' GROOVIECATS BELCANTO** (66) 18/10/10. **Part B:** A very good class of quality exhibits! **1. DUNN & EVANS' GR PR ELMCOON RAFFLES (TICA SGA)** (64 31) 26/08/10. **2. REYNOLD'S KARAMEARAGS BLAZE OF GLORY** (66 31) 06/06/13. Seal Bi-Coloured Ragdoll male, only just 9 months old, who was a lovely boy of excellent temperament with good type. He had a lovely head with a gentle dip and a retrousse tip to his nose, The white inverted "V" to his face was perfectly symmetrical within a deep seal brown face. Super coat texture with hardly a touch of shading to the beige on his body. **3. WILLIAMS' PR ARDENDOLLS HUGO BOSS** (66at) 02/07/11.

AV SLH Non-Breeders Neuter, Male: Part A

1. BURGESS' UK & OSIGP KASSARO CISCOKID (64 41w) 14/05/09. I have judged this super lad in the past and today he looked the best I have ever seen him. I don't think I can say more than he is the perfect Maine Coon. Congratulations on becoming overall BIS and gaining his Olympian Gold title. **2. PENMAN'S PR DIZZIPAWS ROBERTO** (66aw) 01/08/09. Blue Mitted Ragdoll of super type with a lovely head that had a flat plain, gentle dip to the nose ending in a retrousse tip with good eye set and fabulous eye colour. His coat was silky and dense with a ruff and knickerbockers and a bluish white body colour with bluish grey points. Super temperament. **3. LAWSON'S PR OLTOMAINE LITTLE BOY BLUE** (64 41a) 08/05/09. **Part B, Female:** **WILCOX'S CH & IMP GR PR DALTEEMA TIFFANY TRUFFLE** (13C5) 06/02/07. Red Point Birman of super type overall with a lovely head shape, super deep blue eyes, good profile excellent temperament. Her sock, gloves and gauntlets were perfectly matching. Her soft coat was very well prepared with her body a pale cream colour and her points a good red. **2. LLOYD'S MIGATOBONITO TRULY SCRUMPTIOUS** (64 41gw) 16/01/13. **3. ROBERTS' CH BEAUBRIGHT SNOWANGEL** (13c2) 11/12/06.

AV SLH Maiden Neuter:

1. DUNN & EVANS' ELMCOON TABITHA (64 41w) 21/08/12. Brown Tabby and White Maine Coon female of good size with a long rectangular body, good muscle and a tail that reached her shoulder covered by not overlong fur. She had a nice square muzzle, large ears well set and gold coloured eyes at the required oblique angle with a gentle concave curve to the nasal bridge. Her semi-long coat was well presented with a glossy waterproof top, shaggy breeches and belly and a full frontal ruff. She had white to her chin, bell and feet with the rest of her coat well defined classic tabby markings in dense black on a warm copper ground. **2. WILLIAMS' ARDENDOLLS COCOCHANEL** (66at) 02/07/11. Blue Tabby Pointed Ragdoll female who I felt needed a little more dip to her profile and her coat was a touch coarse and woolly on the day. She did have excellent eye shape and colour and was super to handle.

AV SLH Junior Neuter, Part A:

1 DOBSON'S MAYSULA TYEE (13c13) 08/05/13. Very nice Chocolate Tabby Birman with a super temperament. She had the perfect Birman head with lovely matching socks, gloves and gauntlets and the deepest blue eyes. Her silky coat was well prepared with an ivory body colour

and milk chocolate tabby markings on a light bronze background. **2. DUNN & EVANS' ELMCOON TABITHA** (64 41w) 21/08/12. **3. HOLDEN'S PR ANGELZARKE BLUE JOHN** (64 41aw) 16/12/12. **Part B:** **1. REYNOLD'S KARAMEARAGS BLAZE OF GLORY** (66 31) 06/06/13. **2. GARDNER'S PR FELLPUSS WOODY** (64 41) 23/06/12. **3. DAVIES' ANGLEZARKE SUGARSPUN** (64 41gw) 16/12/12.

AV SLH Senior Neuter, Male:

1. BURGESS' GR PR COONARIA EL CAPITAN (64 41) 23/04/09. Wonderful Brow Tabby Maine Coon with a large well-muscled body, flowing tail of good length, an excellent square muzzle with large ears well placed, gold coloured eyes, level bite and a shallow concave curve to the nasal bridge. His coat was presented beautifully with a glossy top over a good undercoat with shaggy breeches and belly fur, a full frontal ruff and super classic tabby markings well defined in black over a warm copper ground colour. Lovely to handle a real softie. **2. WOODCOCK'S CH & GR PR BEARDWOOD LEONARDO DAVINCI** (64 41w) 28/02/09. Huge Brown Tabby and White Maine Coon with heavy bone and strong muscle. Flowing tail that reached his shoulder, well defined square muzzle, large ears set high on his head, green/gold eyes set at an oblique angle, a shallow concave curve to his nasal bridge and a level bite. Good length coat with a waterproof glossy top over a good undercoat with white to his chin, chest, belly and feet. His classic black tabby markings were a touch solid down his back but the ground colour was a warm copper. Super temperament. **3. ANDERSON & BOZOVICH'S PR OLIROSE RORYMACOON** (64 41dw) 27/12/11. **Female:** **1. BURGESS' OSIGP COONARIA SEQUOIA** (64 41e) 23/04/09. Tortie Tabby Maine Coon that I have seen before on a few occasions. Today she looked stunning and I couldn't find anything negative to say about her. Well done to her owners for the presentation to such a beautiful lady. **2. WILCOX'S CH & IMP GR PR DALTEEMA TIFFANY TRUFFLE** (13C5) 06/02/07. **3. ROBERTS' CH BEAUBRIGHT SNOWANGEL** (13c2) 11/12/06.