

Mrs Jenny Jones - Wessex and Wiltshire and District Cat Club Show Reports - 02.7.16

My thanks go to the excellent Robinson team for the invitation to judge, lunch was delicious and I must also thank Heather who travelled especially to steward for me and who handles the cats with great care. We had some beautiful siamese and orientals, I was privileged to judge BOV Oriental, the superb bicolour neuter Johpas From Russia Withlove stood out for me and I was delighted to see he went on to become Best Overall Exhibit.

Breed Classes

Imperial Class - Ac Gr Pr Neuter Male

IMP GR PR to HEMMINGS' GR PR LORICHA REBEL ROUSER (OSH ns 25) MN 12.1.14

A very large mature cat, very shy and retiring but very gentle and looking good today. Medium minimally pinched wedge with very good top of head. Profile with small rise between eyes, neat level bite, firm chin. Expressive oriental eyes, slightly deep set of pale green. Large open based very well set ears. Long substantial body with sturdy limbs and tapering tail, needs length for balance. Fine textured coat, a touch longer than desired with a clear silver undercoat and even black ticked markings. Clear scarab and facial markings, a few leg bars, well ringed tail. Shown in excellent condition, comfortably presented.

Imperial Class - Ac Gr Pr Neuter Female

3 lovely females in this class

Imp Gr Pr to DRUMMOND'S GR PR BUURAPHAA POLLY POCKET (OSH h) FN 23.10.14

A really good sized girl but retaining elegance and femininity with a strong stylish wedge head and wide topline. Broad straight profile, level bite, firm chin. Very expressive oriental eyes of clear green. Large very wide based beautifully set ears.. Elegant neckline, lengthy firm body, slender limbs with tapering tail of balanced length. Short fine coat beautifully mingled throughout with black and rich warm red. A calm gentle cat very well shown and presented.

Res Imp Gr Pr to MILLER'S IGR CH & GR PR PASHTAN RHAPSODY (OSH b) FN 05.08.12

A very different female but also a stylish girl, dainty and fine boned with a neat well balanced wedge head and very good topline. Profile with just a tiny rise, few front teeth but bite look level, deep firm chin. Gentle expression in oriental eyes of yellowy green. Large open at base very well set ears. lengthy fine boned body, slender limbs, tapering tail of balanced length. Short fine coat of warm mid havana brown just a touch unsound at roots. A shy girl who handled well, excellent condition and presentation.

Also considered: HINSON'S GR PR HEMLOCK MEMPHIS BELLE (OSH k) 04.04.13

Another lovely neuter who was unlucky to meet the above two cats today, a big mature girl with a medium wedge head, small pinch and very good topline. Profile almost straight, few teeth but bite level, firm chin. Deep set oriental eyes of a good depth of green. Large open at base very well set ears. Lengthy firm body with slender limbs and tapering tail. Short fine coat of brownish grey blue based caramel well mingled throughout with shades of apricot. Excellent condition, presentation and temperament.

Oriental Tortoiseshell Adult

1st CC BOB POUNDS' SERAPIS QUEENOFHEARTS (OSH f) F 08.5.15

Beautiful young queen, well grown and mature for her age with a strong stylish wedge head and wide topline. Roman profile, level bite, deep perpendicular chin. Very expressive eyes, almond shaped, slanting towards the nose, vivid green in colour. Large very wide at base beautifully set ears. Elegant neckline, long svelte body, long legs with neat paws. Fine tail needs an inch for balance. Very short close lying coat of jet black with delicate breaks throughout, mainly very pale red but some bright red in places. Comfortably presented in her pristine bed, excellent condition, a bright friendly girl to handle.

Considered for BOB: VIGGERS' IGR CH MICHANT FURREVER-LOVE (OSH j) F 17.5.12

Another lovely queen unlucky to meet the winner for BOB today, large and mature with a medium minimally pinched wedge and very good top of head. Small rise on profile, level bite, firm chin. Very deep set oriental eyes of vivid green. Large open based very well set ears. Long plump body, long slim limbs with tapering tail of balanced length. Short fine coat of soft lilac mingled throughout with shades of cream. A gentle calm girl very well shown and presented.

Oriental Spotted Tabby Male

BOB to BROWNS' OBIGC HEMLOCK SPOTTY MULDOON (OSH n 24) M 28.3.14

An easy decision this one, such a large mature and extremely stylish male with a broad strong head and large wide based beautifully set ears. Oriental eyes of pale green. Very lengthy heavy body with strong limbs and tapering tail. Short fine coat of slightly cold ground and black spotted tabby markings, clear head markings, very good body markings with round clear spots on flanks. Good leg barring and well ringed tail. Comfortably presented in his pristine double pen, an absolute gentleman as always to handle and shown in excellent condition.

Oriental Spotted Tabby Female

1st CC DAVIES' SARAMESE MEMPHIS BELLE (OSH b 24) F 04.7.15

Just a year old and quite a dainty female with a medium wedge, pinch and very good top of head. Profile with slight dip, level bite, firm chin. Oriental eyes of olive green. Large ears, open based and very well set. Long firm body, slender limbs, tapering tail of balanced length. Short fine coat with warm pale ground and mid chocolate spotted tabby markings. Clear head markings, 2 broken necklaces, broken spine line with spots along spine, spots on flanks somewhat linked and elongated. Well barred legs and good tail rings. Excellent condition, presentation and temperament.

Oriental Ticked Tabby Adult

BOB to MAY'S GR CH BUURAPHA TICKETY BOO (OSH q 25) F 13.7.13

Lovely queen, not a big girl but all in proportion with a neat balanced wedge head and large wide based ears very well set. Small rise on profile, good bite and chin. Expressive oriental eyes of clear green. Long fine boned body with dainty limbs and tapering tail of balanced length. Superb coat really short and close lying with warm pale ground and rich cinnamon brown ticking, clear and even throughout body with good head markings, some leg bars and tail rings. Excellent condition, presentation and temperament.

Havana Kitten

1st BOB DENSON ST PATRICK (OSH b) 17.3.16

Well grown and developed kitten of good type, shorter wedge with kitten pinch and good top of head. Profile with tiny dip, level bite, firm chin. Eyes of good green colour held rather rounded. Large flared well set ears. Firm baby body, slender limbs

with whip tail. Short fine coat of warm havana brown, at present with ghost markings on back and flanks. A dear gentle baby very well shown and presented.

Oriental Spotted Tabby Neuter

1st (PC & BOB withheld) BROWN'S HEMLOCK SOUTHERN COMFORT (OSH b 24) MN 12.6.15

Very substantial male neuter with a lovely head. Longer wedge with broad topline, small rise on profile, bite marginally over, firm chin. Expressive oriental eyes of clear green. Large open based very well set ears. Long very plump body, strong limbs with tapering tail of balanced length. Short fine coat with warm pale ground and chocolate tabby markings. Fairly clear head markings and well barred legs. My reason for withholding on this otherwise nice neuter is that his body markings are very unclear with few visible spots, the whole full of agouti. Excellent condition, presentation and temperament.

Oriental Ticked Tabby Neuter Male

BOB to HEMMINGS' GR PR LORICHA REBEL ROUSER (OSH ns 25) MN

Oriental Bicolour Neuter

1st PC BOB REED'S JOHPAS FROM RUSSIAWITHLOVE (OSH n 03 33) MN 05.8.15

Superb bicolour neuter of excellent type, so large, lengthy and mature for his age. Strong very stylish wedge head with broad topline, roman profile, level bite and deep perpendicular chin. Slightly deep set oriental eyes of deep bright blue. Large ears very open based and set following the lines of the wedge. Long graceful neckline, lengthy firm body, long slender limbs, long tapering tail. Short fine coat with dark seal points, some shading and pristine white to over 40% on mask, body, under stomach and all four limbs. A real character chatting away to us, very well shown and presented.

Considered for BOB: EMMENS' PR JOHPAS STANISLAV (OSH d 03 33) MN 05.8.15

Such a shame he had to meet his brother as this lovely lad is well worthy of BOB. Large and well grown with a well balanced wedge and broad topline. Oriental set and shape to eyes of a good depth of blue. Large open based very well set ears. Long strong body and limbs, tapering tail. Short fine coat with light tonal shading and red gold points. White to over the required one third in all the right places. Very good to handle, excellent condition and presentation.

Tabby Point Siamese Adult

BOB to HUTCHINGS' GR CH WHALLEYBUSH STARGAZER (SIA n 21) MN 06.6.15

Very handsome neuter I have met many times recently, large and looking mature for his age. Straight strong wedge head with wide topline. Profile straight with good bite and chin. Gorgeous eyes very oriental in set and shape of really deep intense blue. Large wide based ears set following the wedge. Lengthy firm body, long legs, neat paws, long fine tail. Short fine coat with fairly heavy tonal shading and slightly dark blue tabby markings. Fairly clear facial tracings, pale leg bars, tail ringed to almost half. Excellent condition, presentation and temperament.

Apricot Point Siamese Kitten

1st BOB VIGGERS' MICHANT BENTAYGA (SIA em) M 14.11.15

Lengthy well grown kitten of very good type. Medium wedge, small pinch and very good top of head. Straight profile, bite scissored and slightly undershot, firm chin. Oriental set and shape to eyes of deep bright blue. Large open based very well set ears. Lengthy firm body and limbs, long fine tail. Super coat, very short and fine

textured, almost clear with good sandy apricot points colour. A friendly lad who handled well, excellent condition and presentation.

Tabby Point Siamese Neuter

1st PC BEVAN'S ADIFTAM ALEXIS DREAMROSE (SIA b 21) FN 27.9.14
Attractive and feminine neutered female but very tense and difficult to handle today. Shorter almost straight wedge with balanced top of head. Profile with small rise between eyes, level bite, firm chin. Oriental eyes of deep brilliant blue. Large ears, flared and very well set. Firm body with slender limbs and tapering tail, needs an inch with a tiny pip at tip. Very short fine coat with light tonal shading and mid chocolate tabby markings. Thumbprints, clear facial tracings, paler leg bars, tail ringed to almost half. Shown in very good condition, comfortably presented.

Red Point Siamese Neuter

BOB to EMMENS' IGR PR SPICESIAM COOLHAND LUKE (SIA d) MN 31.5.13
Handsome old friend, large and stylish with a broad strong head and large wide based beautifully set ears. Oriental set and shape to brilliant blue eyes. Very long body, strong and well covered, long strong limbs and tapering tail. Coat slightly coarse textured, good length with shading and warm red gold points. A purry friendly cat very well shown and presented.

Miscellaneous Classes

AV Visitors Adult

1st FREEMAN'S PR MESBELLES BLACK BEAUTY (OSH n) F 09.3.15
Beautiful young queen of excellent type, I met her a while ago and was pleased to see she has matured further since then. Lengthy and elegant with a beautifully balanced wedge head and extra large flyaway ears. Oriental eyes of pale green. Elegant neckline, very lengthy firm body, dainty limbs with whip tail. Short sleek coat, sound jet black, shining and glossy. Excellent condition, presentation and temperament.

2nd MAY'S GR CH BUURAPHAH TICKETY BOO (OSH q 25) F

3rd VIGGERS' IGR CH MICHANT FURREVER-LOVE (OSH j) F

AC Siamese/Balinese Tabby, Tortie/Tortie Tabby Pointed (14wks-6mth) Kitten

1st MILLER'S PASHTAN VAVAVOOM (SIA k) F 14.02.16
Really lovely kitten of excellent type already with a strong little wedge head and huge flyaway ears. Expressive oriental eyes of really intense blue. Firm body with slim legs and dainty paws. Whip tail of good length. Short fine coat almost clear with soft lilac based caramel points delicately broken with apricot. A dear purry kitten very well shown and presented, Congratulations on Best of the Best Exhibit.

AC Siamese/Balinese Tabby, Tortie/Tortie Tabby Pointed (6-9) mths Kitten

1st FAIRCLOUGH'S WHALLEYBUSH BLAZE OF GLORY (SIA f) F 10.10.15
Stylish kitten, feminine and fine boned with a medium straight wedge and large wide based very well set ears. Lovely oriental eyes of deep vivid blue. Lengthy slender body and limbs, long fine tail. Short fine coat with dark seal points all well broken with shades of red. Excellent condition, presentation and temperament.

AC Oriental/Oriental LH Breeders Neuter

1st REED'S JOHPAS FROM RUSSIAWITHLOVE (OSH n 03 33) MN

2nd MILLER'S IGR CH & GR PR PASHTAN RHAPSODY (OSH b) FN

AC Oriental/Oriental LH Non-Breeders Neuter

1st DRUMMOND'S GR PR BUURAPHAH POLLY POCKET (OSH h) FN

2nd EMMENS' PR JOHPAS STANISLAV (OSH d 03 33) MN

AC Household Pet without a Title

Two super household pets, hard to choose between them.

1st GORNER'S CHESTER (SLH - Seal Mitted Colourpoint) MN 4yrs

Huge gentle giant with a large rounded wedge head with extra long white whiskers, expressive blue eyes and neat well placed ears. Strong heavy body with sturdy limbs and very well plumed tail. Super coat in excellent condition, fine, well groomed and silky, shaded with dark seal points and pristine white mittens, attractive star on nose and white chin. Slightly shy but handled well, excellent condition and presentation.

2nd BASCOMBE'S ASLAND (SH - Ginger & White) MN 6yrs 4mths

Another very attractive male neuter unlucky to meet the winner. He has a rounded head, lovely pale green eyes, long white whiskers and well spaced neat ears. Firm well covered body with strong legs and balanced tail. Clean well groomed coat of really rich warm ginger tabby and pure white. Super temperament, purring away to us, excellent condition, comfortably presented.

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Breed Class

Oriental Tortoiseshell Neuter

BOB to DRUMMOND'S GR PR BUURAPHAA POLLY POCKET (OSH h) FN

(See Wessex Report