

KENTISH CAT SOCIETY SHOW 2017

JUDGE Mrs V Brooks

Many thanks to Helen, Sue, Sean and all the committee for the very kind invitation to judge. Great fun with the Halloween theme, the show management really go to town! It was lovely to have my old friend Lynne Bull to steward; gave us a chance to catch up on family news – look forward to getting together again, Lynne!

It was a huge honour to be invited to judge the overall Best In Show, a really daunting task with a spectacular line up. My final three were -

Ragamuffin GR PR CHEHAM CHANTILLY LACE; British Blue male KOLINGA BARCLAY and Bengal TYPHAST HURRICANE It was such a difficult choice but eventually I went for that gorgeous Ragamuffin GR PR CHEHAM CHANTILLY LACE
AV IMPERIAL GRAND CHAMPION, Male

OLY GR CH ALGER-STREET'S UK & IGRCH TYPHAST HURRICANE (BEN n 24) 1.6.06
Beautiful boy I've judged before. Large mature boy in excellent condition. Neat head slightly small in proportion to the body, being slightly longer than wide with high cheek bones, large broad nose, with slightly puffed nose leather; broad rounded muzzle with pronounced whisker pads, firm chin and level bite. Small wide based ears following the contours of the face; oval eyes set on a slight slant. Lithe athletic body of excellent size and weight, strong legs and large round feet, long tail rounded to the tip. Gorgeous coat being dense and luxurious with a rich rufus ground colour well glittered and clear well defined patterning; lovely rosettes to the sides, streaks and spots to the legs, he just shows himself so well!

RES OLY GGR CH DENNY'S IGR CH CHESLO NEEDHAM ZAK (BSH n) 2.6.15
An old friend in beautiful condition. Handsome black boy with round mature head with strong underlying bone, neat well set ears, full chubby cheeks and a short broad nose. Large expressive copper eyes. Strong rounded muzzle line with depth to the chin and level bite. Weighty solid body of excellent size and weight with broad straight back heavy thighs low legs and fat feet; short thick tail. Super coat short dense and completely sound in colour.

3 MANSERAY'S IGR CH IRREP TICKED OFF (ASH n 25) 30.4.14

Very elegant ticked tabby; well set ears, short wide wedge, excellent shape and set to eyes. Firm muscular body of good weight and size with elegant legs and neat oval paws. Short silky coat with lovely ticking, gleaming with health - so difficult to choose between these boys

4 GEARY'S UK OSIGC LYNDONGRAEY GRIGORI (SIB n 22) 29.7.10

Handsome classic tabby Siberian male in lovely condition. Short broad wedge with medium rounded ears well set, with low broad cheek bones, broad rounded muzzle, and well set oval eyes. Muscular rectangular body in excellent condition, with substantial legs and large round tufted feet. Long dense resilient undercoat with coarse slightly soft top coat and good classic tabby patterning

AC BRITISH GRAND CHAMPION Male

IMP GR CH GRAVES' GR CH SARGENTA FIRECRACKER (BSH ns 24) 3.1.14

Mature self possessed silver spotted tabby male with heavy well developed head, medium rounded ears set into the line of the head. Good width across the cheeks, short straight nose, deep muzzle with firm chin and level bite. Well set round hazel eyes; thick neck leading to square substantial body, depth to the chest, broad straight back, thick well boned legs and round paws; short thick tail. Good coat texture being short and dense with bright silver ground colour and lovely clear black spotting

AC BRITISH GRAND CHAMPION Female

IMP GR CH McCOY & PEARSON'S GR CH MIBELOMO MAYZEE MAY (BSH g 03)

Large blue tortie and white lady having a bit of a hissy fit so not that easy to assess. However – round well boned head with neat rounded ears set into the line of the head. Broad chubby cheeks, round bold copper eyes; short straight nose, rounded

muzzle with depth to the chin. Solid chunky body with broad back and heavy solid legs, round fat paws and a thick blunt tail. Dense crisp coat with well defined patching of sound mid blue and clear cream, separated with good proportion of pristine white

BRITISH BLACK ADULT

BOB DENNY'S IGR CH CHESLO NEEDHAM ZAK (BSH n) 2.6.15

See Oly Gr Ch class

BRITISH BLUE/LILAC/FAWN TORTIE & WHITE ADULT

BOB McCOY & PEARSON'S GR CH MIBELOMO MAYZEE MAY (BSH g 03) 12.5.13

See Imp Gr Ch class

BRITISH TIPPED ADULT

1 (CC W/H) BENTON'S TEMPLEGATES BELINDA (BSH ny 12) 5.6.16

The cutest miss, a real chocolate box beauty she is so sweet. Rounded head with well set ears, width to the cheeks and a broad straight nose. Square body with depth to the chest and low fat legs but lacking in substance and a very small queen. Coat rather long and soft in texture but nice mantle of tipping but I'm sorry, she is still very small for her age.

BRITISH RED SELF KITTEN

1 BOB HEWITT'S ADMIRARI RUBY SLIPPERS (BSH d) F 4.5.17

Gorgeous chunky solid bundle of fun! Round solid head with neat rounded ears set well apart; lovely full cheeks already, short broad muzzle with a short straight nose, firm chin and level bite. Large bold expressive eyes super orange colour; thick neck leading to square deep body of excellent size and weight for her age with depth to the chest, straight broad back, low heavy legs and round fat feet; short blunt tail. Coat dense and padded of rich red, some ghost markings still visible. I loved her!

BRITISH BLUE KITTEN, Male

1 BOB THEODORE'S ADJULBR JUPITER (BSH a) 15.1.17

Solid weighty young man in excellent condition; medium rounded ears set into the line of the head, cheeks filling out well, good muzzle line with short straight nose, correct chin and level bite. Round deep gold eyes well set. Thick neck leading to square chunky body of good size and weight for his age; depth to the chest, broad back, solid legs and round paws, thick blunt tail. Coat short and dense, sound mid blue in colour.

2 DOWN'S FANBIEKATZ THE MESSIAH (BSH a) 1.5.17

Playful lad with lots of confidence! Round well boned head, cheeks developing well, short broad muzzle with a short nose and firm chin; bite very slightly overshot but I'd expect it correct itself as he matures (I find in British an overshot bite can improve but an undershot bite rarely does – the chin seems to become stronger with maturity and perhaps this is why) Expressive copper eyes of good shape and set. Typical kitten standing a bit high on the leg at the moment, but good bone to the legs and heavy round feet, thick blunt tail. Slightly long kitten coat but sound in colour

3 POINTER'S AMBRIDGE MR BIGGS (BSH a) 24.4.17

Going through that difficult teething stage at the moment, so medium ears held a fraction high, width to the cheeks, teething pinch to the muzzle but firm chin and bite is level. Round deep gold eyes; in this light I wondered if there was a trace of green to the centre but again this often happens when a kitten is teething – could have been the light so nothing to worry about Nice solid feel to him with a chunky body thick legs and heavy feet; blunt short tail. Coat short and dense showing very slight silvering at the moment. A few niggly faults but I think most probably due to teething.

BRITISH BLUE KITTEN, Female

1 MITCHELL'S VALDOSTA NEXT TOP MODEL (BSH a) 16.6.17

A real poppet –tried to bribe me with lots of purring! Still wearing her slightly large kitten ears which she needs to grow into but round full head with chubby cheeks, a

short straight nose and rounded firm muzzle. Expressive deep gold eyes well set; weighty square body of excellent size and weight for her age, substantial legs and round heavy paws; short blunt tail. Coat short and dense good sound blue colour. Delightful temperament!

KOLINGA ALICE BLUE-GOWN (BSH a) 15.4.17

Pretty girl with medium rounded ears set well apart on a solid well boned head. Full cheeks, a short rounded muzzle with a straight nose, correct chin and level bite. Large bold copper eyes well set; weighty substantial body with depth to the chest, straight broad back, strong legs and round feet; tail of good length to balance. Coat a bit long and soft but colour sound to the roots.

3 KOSTJUKOVA'S MATILDA CHIC MYSTICA (BSH a) 24.2.17

Friendly young lady with good proportions to the head; rounded ears which she was holding a shade high, making them look a little close set; good width across the cheeks which are filling out nicely, short straight nose, depth to the muzzle, firm chin and level bite. Round bold copper eyes well opened; good weight and size for her age with square deep body, strong back, well boned legs and round paws. Good length to the tail, coat short and dense, a shade unsound at present.

BRITISH BLACK SILVER SPOTTED KITTEN

1 BOB SARGENTA SILVER IRENA (BSH ns 24) F 28.3.17

Very promising young miss with round open expression, medium rounded ears set into the line of the head; cheeks filling out nicely and large expressive hazel eyes of excellent colour. Broad rounded muzzle with a short straight nose, firm chin and level bite. Sturdy stocky body already super weight and substance to her, with broad deep chest, sturdy legs and round heavy feet; short thick tail. The coat is short and dense with a bright silver ground colour and excellent clear well defined spotting. I'll be watching her progress with great interest!

AOC SPOTTED KITTEN

1 BOB KOLOMEYKO'S ALBALOU ANNABEL (BSH a 24) F 6.5.17

A charming blue spottie girl in excellent condition. Round head with breadth to the cheeks, short straight nose, depth to the muzzle with a firm chin and level bite. Neat ears well set with good width between; round bold copper eyes. Chunky square body of good weight and size with a deep chest, broad back, low thick legs and round fat paws, short blunt tail. Coat dense and padded with blue/fawn base colour and good depth of colour to the blue spotting. Lovely temperament a pleasure to judge

RCT TORTIE/TORTIE TABBY NEUTER

1 (PC W/H) PROCTOR'S MIBELOMO GEMIMNI TWICE ASNICE (BSH g) FN 11/7/16

Big mature female with substantial head, neat rounded ears, good width across the cheeks, large expressive copper eyes, and a broad rounded muzzle. Short straight nose correct chin and level bite. Thick neck leading to square cobby body of depth and breadth; thick short legs, round solid paws and a blunt short tail. Unfortunately a most unusual coat; nicely mingled colours but very long and soft and extremely unsound; the base hairs look almost white, to the extent that I would have queried whether she was perhaps a smoke, although I understand there is no smoke in the pedigree

BROWN TORTIE BURMESE ADULT

1 (CC W/H) PEARMAN'S JOMARC MISS TIZZY WIZZY (BUR f) 28.10.16

Timid little girl with short wide wedge, well set medium ears, good width to the wedge and blunt rounded muzzle. Well set eyes of good shape and set; in profile shows definite nose break and correct chin. Dainty body with elegant legs and neat paws, tapered tail of correct length to balance. However, she is very small, only just adult and it shows, although to be honest I cant see her getting to be a large queen even when she matures.

CHOCOLATE BURMESE NEUTER Male

BOB POWER'S UK OBIGP MAINMAN RAJAH (BUR b) 11.8.03

Experienced laid back gentleman, a very old friend still in amazing condition for his age. Balanced wedge shape to the head with well set ears and good width across the wedge. Good profile line with correct break and level chin. Firm weighty chap with a lovely solid feel to him elegant legs and neat oval feet. Short silky coat fine and close warm milk chocolate in colour. Nice to see him again

CHOCOLATE BURMESE NEUTER Female

1 PC DAVIES' HALAROSA MATILDA (BUR b) 11.2.16

Very pretty female with gently domed top of head, ears set with good width between. Short wide wedge, good width across the hinge, blunt muzzle of depth. In profile shows well defined nose-break and level chin. Typical Burmese eyes for shape and set. Elegant stylish body of good weight and size, with elegant legs and neat paws; tapered tail of good length. Coat short and sleek, lovely satiny texture of warm mid chocolate.

MISC CLASSES

AC BRITISH/SELKIRK ADULT

1 DENNY'S IGR CH CHESLO NEEDHAM ZAK (BSH n)

AC BRITISH/SELKIRK BREEDERS ADULT

1 DENNY'S IGR CH CHESLO NEEDHAM ZAK (BSH n) M

2 GRAVES' GR CH SARGENTA FIRECRACKER (BSH ns 24) M

3 POTTER'S CH KABENBE LORNA DOONE (BSH g 03) F

AC BRITISH/SELKIRK NON-BREEDERS ADULT

1 GRAVES' CH METALLICAT SILVER ROMEO (BSH ns 22) M

2 JORDAN'S FIGARO PASJA (BSH a) M

3 McCOY & PEARSON'S GR CH MIBELOMO MAYZEE MAY (BSH g 03)

AC BRITISH/SELKIRK LIMIT ADULT

1 PAGE'S ADMIRARI MELLO YELLOW (BSH e 03)

AC BRITISH/SELKIRK ADULT Not won CC/IC

1 BROWN'S KOLINGA BARCLAY (BSH a) M

AC BRITISH/SELKIRK ARISTOCRAT ADULT

1 LAMBERT'S ADPIXBR FORTHRIGHT FREDDIE (BSH c) M

AC BRITISH/SELKIRK NON-BREEDERS KITTEN

1 GREENAWAY'S TEMPESTA SILVER UTAH (BSH ns 22) M

2 WILKINSON'S ABALUKI DANMOSO DEVIATION (BSH (ny 12) F

3 TOLHURST'S ADJULBR CINDY MINFY (BSH b) F

AC BRITISH/SELKIRK DEBUTANTE KITTEN (a)

1 THEODORE'S ADJULBR JUPITER (BSH a) M

2 MITCHELL'S VALDOSTA NEXT TOP MODEL (BSH a) F

3 MILES' TUFTON MUDDY STILETTOS (BSH as 22) F

AC BRITISH/SELKIRK DEBUTANTE KITTEN (b)

1 PAGE'S PASTELPAWS COSMOPOLITAN (BSH j) F

2 DALTON'HOBBS' LORASTON MOLLY-MALONE (BSH g) F

3 DUNSTONE'S SHEEPHOUSE HUMMINGBIRD (BSH j) F