

RED, CREAM AND TORTOISESHELL SOCIETY SHOW 30/11/2019 – Judge: Charis White

Thank you to Sandie Holloway who joined me for the day. We haven't seen each other for what seems like ages so it was great to catch up and handle all the lovely cats together. Sandie was her usual excellent stewarding best and handled the cats with care and kindness, as she always does. Many thanks Sandie. You were brilliant and I am looking forward to our next show.

AC NON-SELF EXOTIC CHAMPION MALE

GCC - FISHER'S CH ALMERIANS FURRARI – Red Tabby

25/06/18 He is just a youngster – I would like him a bit bigger all round but he is in proportion and has the weight and he still has a lot of maturing time ahead. His body is reasonably cobby and has some breadth at this stage. Legs are short and fairly thick and he has firm round paws. Short proportionate tail of good shape. Nice broad round head with balance, and neat round tipped ears fitting into the contours. Rounded forehead and cheeks filling out well. Lovely round orange eyes, full in set with an open expression. Short broad nose with stop and fully formed nose leather. Full muzzle and strong chin and jaws. Dense soft plush coat stands out from the body and the red ground colour shows the deeper red tabby markings well. The spinal area is rather solid deep red but he has oysters on his sides and a spotty tummy. Pleasing facial markings with lines and stripes on his face and lines run from the 'M' on his forehead over the top of his head and onto his shoulders. Good pattern on the extremities. A sweet boy.

AC SELF EXOTIC SH KITTEN MALE

1ST, BOB withheld – FISHER & WYLIE'S TRANSCEND OLIGARCH – Cream Self

14/07/19 He is just a baby at four and a half months and he is well grown with weight and bone developing well. The breadth is coming to his body and he stands on good strong legs. Tail is in proportion. Broad round head with the cheeks filling out and he has neat well set ears with good width between. Eyes could be a bit bigger, rounder and bolder to give the full Exotic expression – the colour is muddy at present as it changes but it promises to be good. Very short broad nose with rather small nose leather, although it was fully formed. I understand what one of the owners said to my steward but I still think that the nose leather is a bit too small in proportion for his face – when comparing him with other kittens - and we could hear him breathing quite clearly. I won't say wheezing as that is the wrong sound and implies that something was wrong and there was absolutely nothing wrong with him - but you get my drift. Strong bite and firm chin. His coat is soft, dense and plush and has some life in it. The medium cream is sound but shows very strong tabby markings and while most Creams and Reds have some – and I always make allowances because I have bred both and it isn't easy – his really were rather strong today. He is a sweet boy. Today, I just felt that the eye shape, nose leather and heavy pattern precluded the BOB but he has plenty of time to develop so it will be interesting to see how he goes on!

AC NON-SELF BRITISH CHAMPION FEMALE

GCC – NEWPORT'S CH CARASSACAT ESME - Blue-Cream

21/04/18 She has very pleasing balance and development, considering she is still only halfway to maturity, with a broad deep body and good bone to short strong legs which have large rounded paws. Medium length tail with rounded tip. She has a broad round head with full cheeks – it just ends in a rather square muzzle, probably down to her youth. Medium sized well set ears with good width between. Large round deep gold eyes with pleasing expression. Short broad nose, level bite and firm chin. Her coat is on the soft side but it is short and dense and has a good look to it. The medium blue and cream shades are very well mingled across her whole body and onto her legs and paws. There is very slight cool-toned

paling at the roots on her centre back but otherwise it is sound all over. A very attractive girl – we all liked her!

RES. GCC – BRADLEY'S CH PAWSOME WHITE DSIAMONDS – Blue & White Harlequin
07/10/18 She is only 13 months old so is rather rangy at the moment and it is partly because she has quite a big frame and hasn't grown into it yet – she is very weighty and there is reasonable bone to her legs and slightly small rounded paws. Her tail is too short for her body and it has a tapered tip and shows a number of darker blue ghost rings. Neat round head with fairly small ears – they are just set a little upright. Large round gold eyes with strong expression. Short broad nose, level bite in slightly square chin – she still has the youthful look – and firm chin. She has a super coat – it is her best quality at the moment! – and it is short, dense and crisp. She has the correct proportions of 75% spotless white with clear sound medium blue patches – colour on her face, and head, clearly defined patches on her body and a fully coloured tail. Well shown.

BRITISH LILAC ADULT

BOB – BROWN'S CH KOLINGA PINK CADILLAC – male

17/06/18 He is a super boy with a lovely gentle show temperament. For his age he is really large and weighty but totally in balance with a broad deep cobby body, short strong legs and big round paws; tail is a bit short in proportion, with nice rounded tip, but it does not detract from his overall balance and look. Lovely broad mature head with excellent width between neat ears and full cheeks. He is a bit square on the muzzle as yet but he is still just a youngster – hard to believe, looking at him! Super large round well opened orange eyes. Good profile and level bite. His coat is short, dense and crisp and the Lilac colour sound to the roots – for perfection it could have a slightly more pinkish tone but otherwise it is lovely and he is such a good example of a Lilac.

BRITISH BLUE, LILAC OR FAWN TORTIE ADULT, FEMALE

BOB - NEWPORT'S CH CARASSACAT ESME - Blue-Cream

BRITISH BLACK, CHOCOLATE OR CINNAMON TORTIE FEMALE KITTEN

1ST, BOB – McENTEE'S XZIBIT UP TO TRICKS – Black Tortie

10/07/19 She is a really pretty girl with a pleasing look and good balance. Nice weight to a balanced cobby body which is filling out and she has well developed short strong legs with rounded paws. Medium length tail with rounded tip. Lovely round head with cheeks developing. Her ears are just a bit upright in set but they are neat and there is good width between. Good open expression to large round eyes and they already show a very good shade of orange. Short broad nose, level bite, chin still to firm. Her coat is a little soft but it is short and dense and the colours are sound to the roots. The reds are a little cool in tone but they are beautifully mingled with the jet black. All four paws are broken with the colours. She still has a few deeper red ghost tabby markings on the coat in places but they do not detract from a really well mingled coat and an attractive kitten.

2ND – BRADLEY'S SHEEPHOUSE ESME – Chocolate Tortie

19/03/19 She is almost an adult in age and is really well grown and weighty – at the moment her body looks a bit long for balance and it is just getting ahead of her head in development! Legs are well boned and she has large round paws. Tail balances to body and has a rounded tip. She has a neat round head, currently dominated by rather large open ears which she just tended to prick forward a bit. Her round gold eyes still have a slight green trim.....tell her she's got two weeks!! Short broad nose and level bite in slightly square muzzle, and firm chin. Lovely dense crisp coat of good length and the chocolate is a really pleasing warm rich shade. The coat is well mingled with shades of red, all colours sound at the roots. She is showing a deeper red ghost spotted pattern at the moment but I suspect that will blend nicely away into the Tortie as she grows up. A sweet girl. I think she is going to take time to get her balance right.

3RD – MISKOVIC'S CHUPAVI ECLIPSE ALL YOURS – Cinnamon Tortie

20/08/19 She is the baby of the trio but seemed to take it all in her stride – she certainly had plenty to say and we just wanted to cuddle her! She is a very early work but is of correct balance and weight for her age and her body is of good shape. Bone is coming to her legs and paws. Tail balances. Her head is round with the cheeks starting to develop. Good width between neat ears but they are just held rather upright at the moment. I would like her eyes to be bigger and rounder – they have a slightly flattened top line to the shape which has the effect of making her look worried! The colour is muddy which suggests that it will be good later on. Short broad nose and level bite – she is a bit prominent on the muzzle and whisker pads at the moment and her chin just steps back a bit but she hasn't got her adult teeth yet. Her coat is a bit long but it is crisp. At this stage it lacks density and the typical British quality so hopefully that will develop. The cinnamon brown is of a warm sound shade and it is well mingled with shades of red. I would imagine that this is her first show and it didn't faze her at all, which is encouraging.

BRITISH VAN OR HARLEQUIN, BI-COLOUR, TORTIE & WHITE KITTEN

1ST, BOB – WHITELEY'S ADMIRARI VANESSA PELTZ – Cream Van Female

02/05/19 She is a lovely solid cobby kitten really well grown, weighty and balanced for her age and she has excellent strong legs ending in big round paws. Medium length thick tail with rounded tip. Super round head with full cheeks and rounded top between neat ears. Large orange eyes with a pleasing open expression when she concentrated and they became rounder. Short broad nose, level bite and firm chin – again she also still looks a bit square on the muzzle at this stage of her kittenhood. Excellent dense crisp short coat, of mostly pristine white. She has warm sound cream patches on her face and top of head over her right ear and then she just has a fully coloured tail with a small patch of cream at the base – or it extends slightly from the tail onto her body (take your pick!). Either way she is a very good example and lovely with it, with a solid lively show temperament. Pleasing to see such a nice Van kitten.