

## Manchester & District Cat Club 12th September 2015 - Judge: Rob Wallman

### **Best Non-Pedigree & Overall Best HP – Creaton & Walker's UK & OG IGMC RAINBOWDREAMCATCHER (Tortie & white SH)**

A mature lady in a tortoiseshell coat and splendidly presented in fine physical condition. She had a distinguished symmetrically patterned face with a ginger nose beneath a black cap and honey yellow eyes under contrasting white brow whiskers. From her front to her short-tailed rear her fur was groomed to a silky sheen, and soft to the welcomed stroke.

Her attitude was marvelous, she was charmingly cheerful and very pleased to be at the event – a natural show-girl and showing so well because of it.

### **Best Pedigree Pet – GMC TSARENA ANASTASIA (Brown spotted tabby SH)**

See report below.

## **NON PEDIGREE PETS**

### **AC Non-Pedigree Master Cat Female**

#### **Imp Gr – Wexler's GMC TAMSIN (Black SH) FN 15 yrs**

A lady of 15 years but not at all old in her looks or outlook. She had large yellow eyes, a sculpted nose and fine chin beneath large-ish ears and a dignified expression. Her black fur was sumptuous and with light flecking to her chest top. She was beautifully poised in the pen and while not best pleased to exit she remained calm and helpful to both steward and judge.

She was in amazing physical condition for her age and her show experience shone through in her demeanor. What a charming lady.

#### **Res Imp – Thorpe's GMC OLIVIA (Brown Tabby SH) FN 2 yrs**

A young brown tabby chap with such a friendly manner. His yellow / green eyes were alight with humour, his light whiskers bordered his proud nose in style and his expression was supported by a white chin to underline his smile. He was delighted to meet us and he wanted to play.

A lovely sociable fellow to the degree that I couldn't imagine any cat being friendlier than he was – I can't help but smile whenever I think of him!

### **AC or Pattern SH Kitten, Male**

#### **1st & BIC – Cassidy's BOBBY MN 18 wks**

A tiptop boy kitten presented in a short but lush grey coat with a cheeky hint of blue therein.

He had an enthusiastic manner and his pointy ears were pricked up vertically with intrigue, his eyes were a bright golden yellow. He had a strong proud nose above a slightly set back chin and, while he did try to be grown-up at the show, his kitten mannerisms were evident in his every motion. He was confident, assured, happy-go-lucky and as pretty as a picture - I'll bet he's such a pleasure to live with.

#### **Female**

#### **1st – Cassidy's BETSY FN 18 wks**

A young tortie girl in mixed blue grey and cream with a grey nose stripe between shining yellow eyes. She had charming salt and pepper whiskers and her large ears were set forward on full alert on the day. She was judged late morning and was roused from slumbers for the exercise but was immediately up to speed and happy to be handled and stroked nevertheless. With the confidence of youth, she was totally unfazed by the event and seemed to enjoy every moment – as did I.

## **PEDIGREE PETS**

### **Self LH or SLH Cat, BIC only**

#### **BIC – Creation & Walker's OB IGMC SR JOSHUA PURRKINS MN 8yrs 4mth**

A solid fellow with good weight / musculature and a wonderful shiny rich red curly coat. His large rounded eyes, beneath pert ears and set in his broad face, gave an impression of deep knowledge that was reinforced by his calm and relaxed attitude. His preparation was excellent in all regards, he handled very well and certainly deserved his rewards. Well done that man!

**A.C. (except Red or Tortie) Tabby SH Cat any Pattern, Male**

**1st & MC Evans' KI MN 1yr 6mth**

A youthful fellow and a bold physical specimen in short heavy, black / silver spotted tabby coat with a slightly crisp feel to it – simply lovely to touch and I could have stroked him all day. He had golden / amber eyes, big wide set ears, a notable nose break and a substantial chin with a slight tobacco rinse to his handsome face. He was a tad nervous out of his pen, possibly due to some vocal neighbours close to the section, but he remained perfectly amenable to handling and inspection despite all distractions. His good looks and good attitude made for a successful combination.

**Female**

**BIC – Cheal's GMC TSARENA ANASTASIA F**

A young lady who was initially found to be tucked right up under her blanket - and she was very comfortable there too. She wasn't too keen to be judged in the first instance but when revealed with care she relaxed to the stewards touch, went with the flow, and was found to be a sociable and exceptionally pretty girl with large green / yellow eyes, large ears and a length to her pretty face and fine whiskers that gave her a very elegant look.

Her brown spotted / tabby pelt was absolutely marvelous and had that fantastic, much desired, pearly sheen that speaks of vigorous health and endless grooming. Her preparation was perfect and I was much taken by her looks and manner.

**Also Considered for BIC today were**

**Bower's UK & OSIGMC SANJAY MN 8 yrs**

A brown marbled short-haired tabby with expressions of ginger and black and an attractive white chin and muzzle. He had fur in the fine shining condition, inquisitive large green / yellow eyes and, while just a tad less comfortable out of his pen than in it, he remained cheery and accommodating to the judging process. He was a proper big lad, in tip-top health with a solid muscular build, so I was very grateful for his kind assistance.

**Kidd's OSIGMC EDWIN MN 4yrs**

He was in a blue / silver tabby short-haired coat which shone as silver striped through grey.

He had large golden eyes set beneath pert middling to small ears, a broad nose flanked by pronounced 'colgate white' whiskers and a strong chin. He was wonderful to handle, entirely unfazed and as relaxed out of his pen as in it.

**A.O.C. or Pattern SH Cat, with or without white (Ticked, Tipped, Smoke, Pointed etc) Male**

**1st & MC – Hogan's THE GREAT CATSBY MN 9yrs 6mths**

A short haired gentleman of large physical proportions presented in fine condition in blue point & white markings. He had splendid azure blue eyes set in a grey mask and with a white muzzle, large ears, a well-set chin and a truly delightful pink nose tip (I love that nose).

He was found to be soundly asleep and he had to be roused from his slumbers for judging so he wasn't overly pleased to be handled out of his pen on the day – I would have been very much the same in similar circumstances and I would expect that he'd have been easier with the process if judged earlier in the morning.

**Female**

**BIC – Hogan's OB IGMC LOLA LA BELLE F**

A lovely intelligent looking lady with short-haired seal point & white coat. She had a sculpted bold muzzle and deep blue eyes that twinkled from an intriguing black mask underlined by a black chin spot over a daz-white chest and neck ruff. Her ears were large and alert. She was sat forward upright, self-arranged proudly for presentation in the pen, and she was a pleasure to handle outside the pen. A confident cat, notably relaxed in the hurly burly of the show.

**Also considered for BIC today was**

**Dale's GMC TEDDI MN 3ys 4mth**

A well-proportioned fellow, athletically-solid and heavier than appearances suggested, he carried himself with poise and was all muscle - not at all over-weight. He had a lovely active rexy-curved short black smoke coat that was groomed to submission and silky to stroke. His nose was distinct and his chin was nicely set and his yellow eyes were complimented by their dark surround.

He was somewhat sleepy and relaxed in his pen but politely compliant and easy to handle when removed for judging.