

## **Manchester & District Cat Club - 2015 - Household Pet Section.**

Thank you to the Committee for my invitation to judge at the show this year. Also many thanks to my hard working steward F Elizabeth Evans. It was a great day.

### **Class 977 OLYMPIAN – MALE NEUTER**

Creaton & Walker's OBIGMC SR Joshua Purrkins. Awarded Olympian. A sturdy chap with a fabulous red coat that reminded me of a scrunched 80's perm! Despite the looks to the contrary he was happy to be cuddled and sat on the table taking a keen interest in his surroundings. Gazing out of big golden eyes, this beautiful chap who was well presented, was a winner by a whisker.

Bower's UK & OSIGMC Sanjay. Reserve Olympian. This boy was very striking, with large expressive green eyes and a short glossy coat that glittered in the light. Muscular and in top condition he was not keen on coming out of his pen but once out he did relax and let us fuss him. Only lost by a whisker.

Kidd's IGMC Billy. A large boy who had to be awakened from his slumber to be judged. He was very relaxed and enjoyed the strokes and cuddles. Lovely yellowy green eyes and long whiskers, but unfortunately his coat was moulting quite a bit which let him down on the day.

Hughes's IGMC Mocha. This boy smelt lovely and was beautifully groomed. A striking lad with pale blue eyes; and a chocolate and cream coat colour combination. However would have preferred to have been left sitting in his litter tray than come out for us! He did cheer up though once we made a fuss of him, narrowly missed out on a position in the top two.

Kidd's OSIGMC Edwin. A large, sleepy boy who was happy to come out of the pen to be judged and of course cuddled. He had wide apart amber eyes, long whiskers and a lovely thick coat which was starting to moult. He too narrowly missed out on the places.

### **Class 978 Olympian – Female Neuter**

Hogan's OBIGMC Lola La Belle. Olympian. A large, healthy girl with striking blue eyes and seal points, who was both muscular and lithe. Her coat was short and sleek and well groomed. She was very relaxed with us and happy to sit on the trolley to be judged. A real credit to her owner.

Kidd's OBIGMC Daisy. Reserve Olympian. This medium sized black and white girl had lovely long whiskers and a sweet pixie face with expressive green eyes. Happy for us to handle her she was let down by her coat condition on the day so missed out on the top place.

### **Class 990 – GRAND CLASS – AC PEDIGREE PET MASTER CAT**

Thompson's MC Ferguson. Grand Master Cat. This boy had been beautifully prepared. He had a really thick coat which was beautifully groomed and I have to reward the hard work that has gone into making his coat look so fabulous. Plus he was a handsome chap too, with deep blue eyes who was happy to be handled for judging.

Crook's MC Theo. Reserve Master Cat. A very large lad with feet to match! Super soft fur, lovely long whiskers, greenish gold eyes and tufty ears. A real stunner and only just lost out on the top place.

Thornton's MC Polo. This large boy was very striking, he was pure white with golden eyes and unusually no tail, maybe he hailed from the Isle of Man? Sadly he was unhappy out of the pen so we put him back quickly as we did not want to stress him unduly.

### **Class 985A SH SELF (WITH/WITHOUT WHITE) NON PED CAT MALE**

Lucas's Timmy. Master Cat. A good sized lad; with bright yellowy green eyes and a glossy coat which was in excellent condition. He was reluctant to come out of his pen but once out he relaxed and let us cuddle him. A credit to his owner.

### **Class 985B SH SELF (WITH/WITHOUT WHITE) NON PED CAT FEMALE**

Wexler's GMC Tamsin. BIC. This medium sized old lady was in fantastic condition for her age, she had a glossy black coat with very little moulting. Posed happily in the pen by sitting up and looking regal. Then when we got her out purred whilst we judged and cuddled her.

Kidd's OBIGMC Daisy. Also considered for BIC. See class 978 for critique.

### **Class 987 SH GINGER OR AC TORTIE/TORTIE-TABBY (WITH/WITHOUT WHITE)**

Warburton & Whitehead's Mishka. Master Cat. A short haired tortie tabby girl with a lovely glossy smooth coat that was soft to the touch and in excellent condition. She had medium length whiskers and expressive green eyes. Definitely happier in her pen as she hissed when we took her out and not happy on the table so we did not over handle.

Creaton & Walker's UK & OGIGMC Rainbow Dreamcatcher. BIC. A very pretty medium sized tortie and white girl, with vibrant red, black and white markings. Her coat was soft to the touch and very glossy. The lady herself was super chilled and took everything in her stride. Lovely condition and well presented a real star.

### **Class 992 LH/SLH AC TABBY CAT (EXCEPT RED/TORTIE) OF ANY PATTERN**

Kemps Thundercat. Master Cat. A large semi long haired chap. With great tufty ears and lovely long whiskers. Unfortunately he was reluctant to come out of the pen and grumbled on the trolley so we did not keep him out long. This boy was let down by his grooming especially under his chin and on his tummy and I did consider withholding his MC, however overall an impressive lad.

Crook's MC Theo. BIC. See class 990 for critique.

Collins's GMC Sky. A medium sized boy with expressive green eyes and lovely soft fur, who's coat was in great condition and well groomed. However he was very anxious in and out of the pen so was not over handled.

### **CLASS 996A SH SELF (SINGLE COLOUR) CAT MALE**

Thornton's MC Polo. BIC. See class 990 for critique.

### **CLASS 996B SH SELF (SINGLE COLOUR) CAT FEMALE**

Cross's Bella. Could not handle. This cat was not prepared to come out and it would have been unfair on her to force the issue. This was a shame as this chunky blue girl looked stunning and I would have given her an MC.

### **Class 998 SH RED CAT ANY TABBY PATTERN OR AC TORTIE/TORTIE TABBY CAT**

Hogan's MC Eliza Mewlittle. BIC. A fabulous girl with large golden eyes and an impish expression, short whiskers and a gently rexed coat covering a muscular body. Totally at ease out of the pen and loved being cuddled and fussed, purring away, a real beauty.

### **MISCELLANEOUS CLASSES**

#### **Class 1003 AC JUNIOR ADULT**

Evans's Ki. 1<sup>st</sup>. A large chunky lad with stunning wide apart amber eyes and a short thick well groomed coat. Happy to be handled for judging.

Cheals GMC Tsarena Anastacia. 2<sup>nd</sup>. This girl had a lovely short glossy coat with glitter to it. But was anxious when out of the pen but happy to be stroked in the pen.

#### **Class 1004 AC VETERAN ADULT**

Creaton & Walker's OBIGMC SR Joshua Purrkins. 1<sup>st</sup>. See class 977 for critique.

Wexler's GMC Tamsin. 2<sup>nd</sup>. See class 985B for critique.

Lucas's Timmy. 3<sup>rd</sup>. See class 985A for critique.

#### **Class 1008 AC STRAY OR RESCUE ADULT**

Creaton & Walker's UK & OGIGMC Rainbow Dreamcatcher. 1<sup>st</sup>. See class 987 for critique.

Thorpe & Thorpe's GMC Olivia. 2<sup>nd</sup>. A medium sized girl with big green eyes, long whiskers and a short well groomed coat. Well prepared and happy to be handled.

Lucas's Timmy. 3<sup>rd</sup>. See class 985A for critique.

#### **Class 1011 AC VISITORS ADULT**

Dales GMC Teddi. 1<sup>st</sup>. A good sized muscular lad with a wicked expression and a soft rexed coat. Very cuddly happy to be on the table getting lots of attention.

Hogan's MC Eliza Mewlittle. 2<sup>nd</sup>. See class 998 for critique.

Thompson's MC Ferguson. Joint 2<sup>nd</sup>. See class 990 for critique.

Kidd's OSIGMC Edwin. 3<sup>rd</sup>. See class 977 for critique.

#### **Class 1016 AC STRAY OR RESCUED KITTEN**

Cassidy's Betsy. 1<sup>st</sup>. Attractive blue cream girl. Who still had her baby coat. Very gentle, happy to be held and cuddled. I wanted to put her in my pocket and take her home.

Cassidy's Bobby. 2<sup>nd</sup>. Sweet little blue boy. Still with his baby fur. Slightly more reserved than his sister but would happily pop him in my pocket too! A close class.

#### **Class 1020 AC NON PED ADULT**

Creaton & Walker's UK & OGIGMC Rainbow Dreamcatcher. 1<sup>st</sup>. See class 987 for critique.

Wexler's GMC Tamsin. 2<sup>nd</sup>. See class 985B for critique.

Kidd's OBIGMC Daisy. 3<sup>rd</sup>. See class 978 for critique.

#### **Class 1023 AC PEDIGREE PET KITTEN**

Lucas's George. A very friendly lad, with a short very glossy black coat and a wee patch of white on his tummy. Very loving a real sweet baby. One for my pocket!