

SUPREME SHOW 24.10.2015. CRITIQUE'S FROM YVETTE BARBER

Many thanks to Lesley Szwed for the invitation to judge again at the Supreme. It was a super day, and as always a pleasure to judge all the really beautiful cats entered with me, thank-you to all their owners. My stewards did me proud collecting and handling all the exhibits with love and care, so thank-you to my hubby Ian and my dear friend Paula Sharp.

Class No 1123 SH SELF (Single Colour) WITH OR WITHOUT WHITE Non Pedigree Pet.

1 MC Awarded to Miss I Granville FALCON (MN)

A lovely White young man of 9 months of age. The first thing you notice about this young man is how lovely and fresh he looks, pristine white coat which was soft and plush, it's not easy to keep a white spotless clean so all credit to owners when they do.

Once out of his pen he was confident and happy to be handled. His eyes were alert and busy looking around at the passers-by.

He was a good weight and size for his young age. We had a lovely cuddle together and he enjoyed all the fuss and attention. A super young man with lots of show promise and potential, and it was a pleasure to award him an MC.

CLASS 1126 AC SH KITTEN SHORTHAIRED Non Pedigree Pet Kitten

1ST&BOB Awarded to Mrs J Gummery BERT MCSPICE (M)

What a cutie, a little black and white baby just 5 months of age. Lovely markings on this baby. I just loved the half black half white chin which extended down his chest. He has white paws which were pristine white with long stockings on his back legs.

He was a confident happy little chap, alert and curious about all that was going on around him.

We had a little play and of course a little cuddle. He's a little sweetheart who I could have taken home.

LH/SLH SELF (Single Colour) with or without white Pedigree Pet

CLASS 1133a AC LH/SLH MC

Grand Awarded to Mrs C L Kerner BRANSTON

Fabulous Silver tabby gentleman of 2yrs of age. Very well built, strong and muscular and extremely handsome. Beautiful coat colour and Pattern showing a super display of tabby markings to his face, legs, and body. His coat was silky soft and beautifully presented just gleaming with health.

He had a lovely temperament very happy to stand on the table and show himself off to the onlookers. Despite his size and weight I was determined to have a cuddle and he was very obliging.

A lovely boy congratulations.

2nd Place Miss J Robinson MC THEO

Another very handsome gentleman, Seal tabby boy 1yr and 4months so still a youngster. He carries a good weight, solid and heavy and his overall condition was superb.

He has the most beautiful tabby markings which were so striking against his very pale coat, which his mom had prepared to a very high standard. He has beautiful blue eyes which were bright and alert and busy watching all that was going on around him. He has a lovely temperament, happy to be handled, and of course we had a cuddle and a little chat. It was not an easy decision choosing between these two boys as they are both lovely boys, and on another day the result may well be reversed.

3rd Place Mrs S L Whalley MC BAILEY

A very nice red colourpoint Longhair boy of 3yrs of age. This boy has a very lovely expression, so sweet; I actually could have mistaken him for a female as he has such a pretty look. He was a good size

and weight and overall his condition was excellent. His eye colour is a pale blue. He was a pleasure to handle, and I was so looking forward to a cuddle with him, and he was happy to oblige.

I so loved this boy but his grooming I felt could have been better for the show, which sadly reflected his placing today.

4th Place Mrs L Hanks MC CYRIL THE SQUIRREL

Very good-looking Seal mitted gentleman who is just approaching his 3rd birthday.

He was in super condition, well built with good body weight, all standing on strong legs.

His seal points were deep in colour, and his mittens were pristine white. His coat was beautifully presented soft and silky and in super condition. Really lovely blue eyes which were alert and curious watching as the proceedings unfolded. He was more than happy to come out of his pen and allow us the pleasure of a little chat and snuggle together, such a strong class and unlucky today.

Sadly the 5th exhibit was not a happy boy and despite several attempts to judge him he was having none of it, so sadly I had to mark him as CNH.

LONGHAIR/SEMI-LONGHAIR AOC or pattern (Ticked, Tipped, Smoke, Pointed Pedigree Pet.

Class 1133b AC LH/SLH MC

This was a lovely class of 3 very beautiful girls, very hard to choose between them.

GR & BOB Awarded To Mrs J D P LANT MC ETHEL-MARY

A stunning Blue tabby point lady who is approaching her 8th year. This girl just does it for me, she is so feminine, and has the prettiest of facial expressions. Her condition is wonderful, she is a good size, well built, and is a good weight. Her body coat is pale and her powder blue tabby markings are all evident, and she was groomed to absolute perfection. To top all this off she has the most beautiful sapphire blue eyes which just sparkle at you when you look into her beautiful face.

It was my pleasure to award her the Grand and Best of Breed today, she is Fabulous!

2nd Place Awarded to Mr M J Horler MC TRUFFLE SHUFFLE

A very beautiful L/H Chocolate Tortie lady 2yrs 5 months of age. Another very pretty, feminine girl. Well- built with strong boning and a good body weight. Her coat which was beautifully groomed and presented does display all the colours of a black tortie, vibrant red cream and black, really beautiful. Wonderful big round orange eyes, which peer out at you through her dark face.

She was quite happy to come out of her pen to be judged and of course we had to have a little chat and a cuddle. Lovely girl, who today was unlucky to meet the winner,

3rd Place Awarded to Mrs A Still MC ITSY BITSY

A mature seal-point mitted lady of 8yrs of age, who was just adorable. Her overall condition was excellent, good size and body weight. Her coat was soft full and had been beautifully presented. She has the most wonderful blue eye colour like sparkling sapphires. She was alert and very happy to come out of her pen to be judged. She was confident and happy to share a cuddle with me.

A very beautiful lady. This was such a hard class to judge as I loved all these girls, and on another day the results may well be different.

SHORTHAIR GINGER CAT or AC TortieTabby Cat Pedigree Pet. (BOB ONLY)

Only 2 boys here but what beautiful boys they both were. Making it so hard to choose a winner.

BOB Awarded To Ms B M Bower UK &OSIGR SANJAY

WOW! What a handsome boy. Brown marbled tabby 8yrs of age so really at his best, and today he was just that. Very big well built boy, strong and muscular with fantastic body weight and in wonderful all

round condition. His coat is just stunning in both condition and pattern. Dense and plush, warm in under colour overlaid by strong and striking tabby markings, all painting a beautiful overall picture. He was a joy to handle and head butted me as we chatted about his day out at the show. He was confident and alert and a real pleasure to judge, congratulations a lovey boy.

ALSO CONSIDERED

Mrs S L Miller SUPUK OGIGMC OLLIVANDER

Another wonderful boy, Red 4yrs of age. In wonderful overall condition, good body weight and size. His coat colour is so beautiful, almost soft apricot in colour. Today his coat seemed to lack plushness and sat a little flat but still stunning none the less. He has a wonderful and charming presence about him, super friendly, head butting and nudging, rolling over on the table. A wonderful young gentleman.

Class 1138 LH/SLH AOC or Pattern (Ticked, Tipped, Smoke, Pointed)

MC Awarded to Mrs J H Bennett BEAU JANGLES

A very handsome Blue colourpoint gentleman of 7yrs of age. Lovely big boy, who was in super condition. Good size and body weight. His coat was beautifully presented soft and full of life. Very nice blue colouring to his points, and a lovely pale body coat. Gorgeous blue eyes which were bright and observant, watching everything that was going on. He was lovely to handle, with a very gentle and calm temperament. We enjoyed a big cuddle together, what a lovely boy who well deserved his award today!