

## East Sussex Cat Club – 20/09/14

**Mrs Di Brown**

A very busy day with some excellent cats to judge, many thanks to Barbara and Vanessa for the judging invitation. I was fortunate to have my good friend Mary Janicki to steward for me again, she did a super job and was excellent with the cats, so many thanks Mary and I look forward to the next time.

### **A.C. British or Manx Premier**

**GD PC – Israel's PR SURREPTITIOUS CHAKRA (BRI b 24) MN 09/06/13.** A handsome lad, of very good type, overall compact and cobby. Round head with medium size ears that are nicely rounded at the tips and set well apart with good width to skull, neat cheeks and fairly well rounded muzzle. Gentle curve to brow with short broad nose, chin lines up and the bite is level. Round eyes open and expressive with mid orange colour. Weighty and cobby body with good breadth to chest for a relative youngster, short strong limbs and large round paws, medium length tail to balance. Spotted pattern fairly well defined, well rounded spots with just a little linkage behind the fore limbs, some brindling to warm-toned ground colour. Coat short and very good for density with a little crispness of texture. Excellent temperament and presentation.

### **A.C. Oriental Premier**

**GD PC – Burchell's PR WILLHAVETODO ONECOOLCAT (OSH em) MN 16/05/13.** A strong and overall well balanced young male of very good type. Even medium length wedge with very good width to top line and large open based ears set to follow. Excellent expression to oriental eyes of bright mid green. Strong straight profile with firm chin and level bite. Well defined neck and a long elegant but weighty and firm toned body, long elegant limbs, tail fairly whippy but needs an inch to balance. Overall colour good, although head is typically pale in tone compared to his back and tail which do show the correct hot tones, some light spotted pattern evident, coat short close and very good for texture. A sweet boy who handled well, excellently presented.

### **British Black Adult Male**

**CC & BOB – Evans' EVAVALE LEVI ROOTS (BRI n ) M 08/09/13.** A strong young male with lovely size for his age and showing potential. Round head with cheeks developing well, ears small and neat, rounded at the tips and set well apart. Round eyes with good expression and a mid orange colour that to nit pick, could be a little more intense in tone. Rounded brow, short neat nose, firm chin and level bite. Strong cobby body with excellent size and substance for his age, short limbs and medium length tail. Super short black coat, completely sound to roots, appears to be changing it at the moment and is losing hair, but still managed to be reasonably dense albeit a tad soft in texture. Excellent temperament, a friendly boy excellently presented.

### **British Black Adult Female**

**1<sup>st</sup> CC w/h – Scullard's CRAZYPAWS EMILY (BRI n) F 22/11/13.** This girl is quite small even allowing for her being just 10 months. I remember she was well grown as a kitten so is obviously going through an awkward teenage stage at present.

Good head, nicely rounded with neat cheeks and fairly small ears that were well set. Short nose and deep chin, unfortunately her bite has become worse since we last met and is now considerably undershot, - my main reason for withholding her certificate. Eyes round and open in expression with mid orange colour. Good weight for size to body but rather long and rangy at present, short limbs and neat round paws, medium length tail with rounded tip. Some problems with coat today, probably because she is changing it, it is a slightly dull black and quite unsound, rather long and losing lots of hair. Excellent temperament, a friendly girl, very well presented.

### **British Blue Adult Male**

8 British Blues to sort out and not an easy job, the quality of some of the ladies was particularly good, but all were in various stages of change of coat, so the boy, who had the best coat, took the BOB today.

**CC & BOB – Cox’s LORASTON FLEETWOOD-MAC (BRI a) M 14/06/13.** This chap has excellent size and development for a youngster, with very good British type. Strong round head, full cheeks and fairly small ears set well apart with very good width to skull. Round eyes, expression a touch innocent as yet, colour a deep intense orange. Gentle curve to brow, short broad nose, a good firm chin with level bite. Short strong neck and excellent depth to chest with a masculine cobby body overall, short limbs and medium length tail to balance. Mid blue coat, marginally tipped in places but not extensively so, super for length, density and crispness of texture. Excellent temperament and presentation.

**2<sup>nd</sup> – Brown’s ACRESWAY ERHARD (BRI a) M 06/06/13.** A young male with a lot of growing and developing to do, overall type okay. Fairly well rounded head, good width to skull but he does tend to bonnet his ears which are a touch large for balance. Round eyes with good expression and bright orange in colour. Short nose, firm chin and level bite. Body still rather adolescent and needs to bulk up, fairly short limbs and good tail. Mid blue coat rather unsound today and has some darker blue tipping overall that bears some resemblance to guard hairs in a kitten, obviously changing his coat because it also needs more density. Very sweet boy to handle, needs more time. Very well presented.

### **British Blue Adult Female**

**CC – Crook’s ATOPKAT GRACIE FIELDS (BRI a) F 07/06/13.** A nice sized girl of good British type. Round head with neat cheeks, good width to skull and medium sized ears set well. Short nose, good chin and bite, muzzle could be more rounded. Round eyes with gentle expression, colour a lovely intense orange tone. Body a little long and rangy at present but good for weight and substance, short limbs and round paws, medium length tail to balance. Pretty blue colour to coat some tipping evident at present and thus a touch unsound, slightly long and soft in texture. Excellent temperament and very well presented.

**Also considered for BOB – Larcombe’s CH STEELAWAY MR BRIGHTSIDE (BRI a) M 12/05/13.** A good sized boy. Quite a strong head with full cheeks and good width to skull, ears medium in size and set well apart, very short nose firm chin and level bite, could be a little more rounded in the muzzle. Good round eyes with super deep copper colour. Cobby and weighty body with good breadth to chest and hind quarters, short strong limbs and tail with rounded tip to balance. Mid blue coat

with a good deal of tipping today thus rather unsound, a little long but fairly dense and has some crispness of texture. Excellent to handled and very well presented.

**Krause's GD CH KABENBE PAMMY TICKLE (BRI a) F 31/01/12.** A very attractive lady with a good round head, full cheeks and well rounded muzzle, ears medium in size and set well apart. Short nose, perhaps a tad heavy in the brow and thus eyes a touch deep set but open and round and the colour is a super intense copper. Very good weight and substance to body albeit marginally rangy for a cat of this age, short limbs and good tail to balance. Mid blue coat, lots of tipping to day and unsound, changing coat, losing lots of hair but it is still relatively dense, a little long and soft in texture at the moment.

**Potter's GD CH KABENBE GOTTAHAVE FAITH (BRI a) F 05/11/10.** A big strong girl of very good type. Round head with full cheeks and good width between medium size ears that are set well apart. Gently rounded brow with short nose, firm chin and level bite, tends to puff out her whisker pads and it squares off the muzzle somewhat. Cobby and weighty body, short neat limbs and round paws, medium length tail with rounded tip to balance. Mid blue coat, lots of tipping evident and unsound, also shows what appears to be sun beaching in places, slightly long and soft in texture. A friendly lady, very well presented.

**Warnes' GD CH REVODNA JUST-ISABELLA (BRI a) F 10/07/11.** A cobby and compact lady of very good type. Well rounded head with smallish ears set well apart, full cheeks and a well rounded muzzle. Super eye colour, deep copper, with open expression. Short nose and deep chin. Weighty cobby body with short limbs and round paws, tail rather slender and almost pointed at the tip. Mid blue coat with some tipping and a little unsound it also has a slightly fawnish overtone to it at the moment, reasonably dense and fairly good for length but soft in texture. Another friendly lady very well presented.

**Steele's GD CH COLLINSWOOD STEEL-MAGNOLIA (BRI A) F 27/03/11.** I liked the type of this lady very much and her colouring is lovely. Round apple head with full cheeks and rounded muzzle, ears neat small and nicely rounded at the tips, set following the contours of the head. Rounded forehead and short broad nose, deep chin lines up with the nose tip, unfortunately the bite is undershot. Open expression to eyes of mid orange. Cobby body, stands low on short strong limbs, tail to balance. Pale blue coat, there is a little tipping but overall the colour is genuinely pale and almost sound, it is short and fairly dense just a little soft in texture today. Very sweet tempered and easy to handle. Very well presented.

#### **Black Silver Tabby Adult Male**

**CC & BOB - Hewitt's COUNTRYSTYLE SILVERVINCENT (BRI ns 22) M 24/06/13.** A strong and well developed boy for 15 months and very good for type. Round head with good broad skull, ears neat small, nicely rounded at the tips and set well. Full cheeks and slight jowls, well rounded muzzle, short nose firm chin a level bite Open expression to eyes of gooseberry green. Strong well muscled and fairly cobby body with good depth to chest, short strong boned limbs and tail to balance. Well defined tabby pattern with all key elements in place, good butterfly, large complete oysters that almost match, three spine lines although central one shows a fair amount of brindling, mid silver ground also a little brindled, some light tarnishing

to muzzle and forepaws. Coat short and fairly dense just a touch soft in texture. Excellent temperament and presentation.

#### **Back Silver Tabby Adult Female**

**1<sup>st</sup> CC w/h – Nicholson’s METTALICAT SILVER HUMBUG (BRI ns 22) F 06/05/13.** A neat little queen of good overall type but who is more of a large kitten than adult at present. Round head with fairly good width between her ears although they are a touch large in proportion to the head at the moment, neat cheeks and well rounded muzzle, short neat nose, good chin and level bite. Round eyes with good expression, colour a very strong toned hazel. Body adolescent rangy but with good weight for size, short limbs and neat round paws, medium length tail with a kink near the tip. Tabby pattern on the body pewter grey rather than black but shows all the key elements, butterfly, three spine lines and well rounded oysters on pale silver ground, but lots of brindling throughout and extensive tarnishing to face and limbs. Coat marginally long and soft in texture. A very dear lady to handle, too many problems for the certificate today. Very well presented

#### **Blue/Lilac/Fawn Tortie & White Adult**

**CC & BOB – Macoy & Pearson’s MIBELOMO MAYZEE-MAY (BRI g 03) F 12/05/13.** A good sized girl though somewhat rangy at the moment. Round head with neat cheeks and smallish ears set fairly well apart. Round eyes with good expression and super deep copper colour, short nose good chin and level bite, well rounded muzzle. Body a little long but good for weight and substance, short limbs and medium length tail with rounded tip. Lots of white patches to coat and it could be argued that she possibly had just over the maximum, but she was very difficult to handle and I was not able to see under her tummy, in the end I decided to give her the benefit of the doubt. Darker blue patches sound, mid cream patches almost clear of ghosting, even inverted white “v” to face. Coat good for length but losing hair. Very naughty.

**2<sup>nd</sup> – Abdin’s SHEEPHOUSE SARA (BRI g 03) F 03/07/13.** A nicely balanced queen of very good type, and she would have been my winner but for her bite. Well rounded head with neat cheeks and small ears set well part. Short nose, firm chin, bite unfortunately undershot, well rounded muzzle. Super expression to eyes of deep gold. Short neck and cobby body, stands low on short strong limbs with medium length tail to balance. Mid blue and quite hot toned cream patches, the former showing some tipping and the latter showing some ghosting, white patches to just over the one third and nicely balanced, with even inverted “V” to face, down the neck and across chest, some on all four limbs with tail fully coloured. Coat a little long as soft in texture but fairly dense. Super temperament, very well presented.

#### **A.C. Colourpointed British Adult**

**BOB – Young’s GD CH HARLEME LAVENDER DAZE (BRI c 33) M 02/07/09.** A handsome boy, not the largest of males but overall weighty and substantial. Round head with full cheeks and good width to skull, ears neat small and rounded at the tips, well rounded muzzle. Nose perhaps a touch long, good chin and level bite. Cobby body with good depth to chest, limbs short, tail medium in length with rounded tip. Lilac points pale but slightly blu-ish in tone, tail not quite matching and has a distinct fawnish overtone, excellent clarity to coat with the bare minimum of tonal shading, coat rather long and soft in texture today. Super temperament, a perfect gentleman to handle. Excellently presented.

### **British Ticked Tabby Assessment Adult**

**M & BOB – Chance’s CHARMODEN HECTOR (15 45a) M 30/07/13.** A handsome young male of good British type. Round head with cheeks developing, ears fairly small, set well apart and following the contours of the head, short nose, firm chin and level bite. Open expression to eyes of deep orange colour. Nice cobby body, strong boned limbs, tail with rounded tip to balance. Coat marginally long and could be denser but has a hint of crispness to it. Pale soft blue ticking to coat, shows two bands, with bluish fawn base. Narrow bracelets to limbs and multi rings to tail, blue nose leather and paw pads. Temperament and condition excellent in both respects. A very nice boy.

### **British Smoke Neuter**

**PC & BOB Scullard’s CRAZYPAWS EDWARD (BRI ns) MN 22/11/13.** A young neuter boy with a lot of developing to do but with some very good qualities. Still very much a teenager with neat round head a little small in proportion to his body at the moment, cheeks developing, ears quite small and nicely set apart. Round eyes with good expression and super deep copper colour. Short nose, deep chin bite marginally under, well rounded muzzle. Good weight and substance to adolescent body, short limbs and medium length tail. Good smoked pattern, he has all the appearance of a black cat until the fur is pushed back, with silver undercoat about half way up the hair shaft, and it was nice and short with good density. I did debate over the certificate because of his bite but it was very marginal so his other good qualities decided the matter. Excellent temperament and very well presented.

### **British Tipper Neuter**

**BOB – McEwen’s IMP GD PR GREENDALE TRAVIS (BR ns 12) MN 13/04/11.** A super boy, excellent for type, size and substance. Round head with good cheeks and excellent breadth to skull, ears neat small and nicely rounded at the tips. Such a lovely expression to eyes, a stunning emerald green accentuated by his back eye liner. Short broad nose with brick red nose leather, strong chin and level bite – can puff out his whisker pads at times. but muzzle basically well rounded. Cobby body with broad chest, stands low on short strong limbs, good tail to balance. Light even tipped pattern on pale silver ground, coat a touch long but has reasonable density and a hint of crispness. Handled well just long enough for me to assess him then he made it clear my time was up! Excellently presented.

### **Oriental Lilac Adult**

**BOB – May’s BUURAPHA WINTERS MIST (OSH c) F 28/09/11.** A stylish lady of very good type and substance without sacrificing her elegance. Medium length wedge with very good top of head and large ears set to balance. Straight profile, chin of good depth lines up with the nose tip and the bite is level. Oriental eye shape and set with good expression and mid green colour. Elegant neck and a long well toned and weighty body, tapered tail needs an inch to balance. Mid lilac coat could show a touch more pinkish tone and overall it was rather unsound today, changing coat perhaps? but short sleek and close lying. Excellent temperament and presentation.

### **Oriental Red Kitten**

**1<sup>st</sup> & BOB – Wells-McCullogh’s BUURAPHAA SOLDEMIVIDA (OSH d) M 28/05/14.** A promising baby and well grown. Medium length wedge with very good top of head and large wide based ears set wide. Oriental eye shape and set with lovely expression and vivid green colour. Straight profile, chin rounds of a touch but has good depth and the bite is level. Long firm toned little body, long limbs, whippy tail almost balances. Rich bright red coat shows a fair amount of distinct spotting at present, hopefully this will fade out as he grows and matures, length good, slightly baby fine in texture but lying close. Super temperament and presentation.

#### **Oriental Spotted Tabby Kitten**

**1<sup>st</sup> & BOB – Brown’s HEMLOCK ONLY THE BRAVE (OSH b 24) M 28/03/14.** A beautiful kitten, strong well grown and very stylish. Excellent head, with broad top line, and large ears with super base width, excellently set. Snooty expression to eyes of deep green. Strong profile and firm chin with level bite. Long weighty but elegant body, whippy tail to balance. Darker but warm toned chocolate spotted pattern, spots well rounded and sound to roots, with well broken spine line, there is some agouti invasion evident but acceptable, super short close coat to finish. A lovely boy, who if he keeps his pattern will have a bright future I am sure. Excellent temperament and presentation.

**2<sup>nd</sup> – May’s BUURAPHAA QT PIE (OSH o 24) M 10/03/14.** The older of the two kittens but somewhat less developed than the winner. Type good with well balanced medium length wedge and large ears set very well. Oriental shape and set to eyes of clear mid green, though a little wide eyed and worried today. Almost straight profile with firm chin and level bite. Long elegant body with good weight for size, tapered tail almost balances. Rich warm-toned cinnamon spotting to coat that was minimal for linkage and with many tiny clear spots over shoulders and flanks, sound to roots and with the lightest of agouti invasion. Coat short sleek and very close lying. Very shy today and thus not really doing himself justice, but a very nice boy who just need to grow on and learn how to relax. Excellently presented.

#### **Foreign White Neuter**

**BOB – Campbell’s IMP GD PR SHANTAI SAMURAI BOY (35) MN 30/11/10.** Superior Foreign White lad of stylish type. Longer wedge with excellent top of head and large flared ears very well set. Snooty expression to eyes of deep sapphire blue. Straight strong profile, chin with dear little beard lines up with the nose tip and the bite is level. Long elegant neck and a long weighty but slender body, tail rather short for balance. Pristine white and very well prepared short coat, perhaps a touch harsh in texture down the spine, but short and close to body. Excellent to handle and excellently presented.

#### **Oriental Cream or Apricot Neuter**

**BOB - Burchell’s PR WILLHAVETODO ONECOOLCAT (OSH em) MN 16/05/13**

#### **Caramel Point Siamese Adult Male**

**CC & BOB – Merry’s DOOLALLY ANUBIS (SIA m) M 29/11/13.** Glad to see this lad is now correctly registered. Very good for type and style, he has very good size and substance for a youngster, although he has a slightly boyish look about him as yet. Well balanced medium length wedge with very good top line and large nicely

flared ears set wide. Gentle expression to eyes of correct shape and set with good depth of blue, one eye does tend to wander but only occasionally. Strong profile and firm chin with level bite. Long well muscled body, long limbs, tail needs an inch to balance but is well tapered. Blue-based caramel points, beginning to develop brownish overtones particularly on the tail and forepaws, off-white coat with light fawn-ish blue shading over spine, and excellent for length and texture. Super to handle and excellently presented.

**Caramel Point Siamese Adult Female**

**1<sup>st</sup> CC w/h – Cosgrove’s MAPU SIMONSKI BATCAT (SIA m) F 26/01/13.** A dainty but stylish little queen. She has a very typy head with wide top and very large ears set wide. Snooty expression to oriental eyes with good depth of blue. Profile good and a very strong deep chin, bite missing several incisors and is very much undershot. Long dainty but weighty body with whippy tail to almost balance. Lilac-based caramel points that could show more of a brownish overtone but were acceptable, almost unshaded off-white coat of very good length and texture. An attractive lady with an excellent temperament. Shame about the bite.

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