

## Northern Counties CC – 30/05/15

**Mrs Di Brown**

My sincere thanks to Betty & Loraine and their respective show teams for the invitation to judge at these well run back to back shows. My Olympian class for Durham was a joy and was very closely contested, my thanks to the exhibitors. I had a super day with Jane Walker-Moore as my steward, this was the first time she has stewarded for me but I hope we can repeat it soon.

### **A.C. Oriental Premier Neuter Male**

**GC PC – Masters’ PR ENIGMATIC STANDING OVATION (OSH em) MN 03/06/14.** A stylish and elegant male neuter of excellent type and overall balance. Longer wedge with broad top of head and very large flared ears set wide. Straight strong profile, firm chin that lines up with the nose tip and a level bite. Expressive eyes of olive green. Long neck and body, the latter excellent for weight and tone with long slender limbs and neat oval paws, whippy tail to almost balance. Apricot coat shows only very light pattern, is sound and a nice rich colour, it was also very short and close lying with excellent sleek texture. Handled beautifully and was excellently presented.

**R – Saxon’s PR EIREACHDAIL JUSTA GIGOLO (OSH n 03 21 33) MN 25/02/14.** An other very attractive lad, lost out by a whisker. Medium length wedge with excellent top line, ears large and very well set. Straight profile, good chin lines up and the bite is level. Lovely eye shape set and expression with excellent depth of blue and brilliance of tone for a pointed Bicolour. Long weighty but elegant body with long strong limbs and neat oval paws, tail has a small “pip” at the tip and just about balances. Predominantly white with what appear to be ticked tabby patches, lovely texture to coat, short and very close. Excellent temperament and presentation.

### **Red Self Adult**

**BOB – Prout’s CH FERGAN COPPERFIELD (BRI d) M 10/10/10.** (see Durham report)

### **Cream Adult**

**CC & BOB – Tierney’s RODWAY CLEOPATRA (BRI e) F 30/05/14.** A neat little girl, still quite kitten-like but very nice for type and she has very good weight for size. Round apple head with good width between her medium size ears, neat cheeks and well rounded muzzle, short nose, firm chin and level bite. Round eyes with such a sweet expression and lovely deep orange colour. Medium length deceptively weighty body, a touch rangy as yet and needs to bulk up but that should come as she matures, short limbs and round paws, tail a tad long for balance. Mid rather warm toned cream coat, a touch unsound today and some light pattern evident, coat slightly long but fairly dense with a hint of crispness to it. A friendly lady, excellently presented,

### **Black Silver Tabby Adult**

**CC & BOB – Kidd’s SKIDOOSH SILVER SHOGUN (BRU ns 22) M 26/04/11.** What lovely boy, very handsome indeed. Strong round head with broad top to skull,

excellent full cheeks and neat small ears set to follow the contours of the head. Round eyes, open and expressive with hazel green colour, short broad nose, deep chin and level bite. Excellent weight and muscle-tone to strong cobby body with lovely deep chest, stands low on short strong boned legs with large round paws, tail medium in length with rounded tip. Well defined black tabby pattern on mid silver ground with all key elements in place, even butterfly, three evenly spaced spine lines and large matching oysters, all minimal for brindling. Coat could be marginally denser but was good for length and crispness of texture. A super chap, Best Overall British in both shows I understand, congratulations. Excellent temperament, handled beautifully for an entire of this age and presented in top condition.

### **Black Silver Tabby Kitten**

**2<sup>nd</sup>, 1<sup>st</sup> w/h – Kidd's KRESTA SILVER DIAGONALI (BRI ns 22) F 23/11/14.** A very nice kitten for type and well grown. Rounded head with good width to skull, ears medium in size and nicely set. Round eyes with innocent expression, colour a very strong hazel at the moment. Short neat nose and firm chin, unfortunately the bite, although level, is mal-occluded, where the top set of incisors is wider than the bottom set and thus does not close properly, and I did confer with the duty vet before making my decision to w/h the first prize. Although she has teethed, I understand there is a chance that the bite could still change as she grows so I will keep my fingers crossed. Compact and weighty body with short limbs and round paws, medium length tail to balance. Good clear tabby pattern on pale silver ground, even butterfly, spine lines and well matched oysters, necklaces to chest and wide rings to tail. Coat still a bit long and baby soft. Very sweet tempered and easy to handle. Excellently presented.

### **Blue-Cream, Lilac or Fawn Tortie Neuter**

**BOB – Chandler's UK & OBIGP KOLINGA BLUEBELLA (GRI g) FN 04/06/07.** A beautiful lady neuter with super type, strong and cobby overall. Round head with full cheeks and rounded muzzle, good width between her dear little round tipped ears, set just right. Excellent expression to eyes of vibrant copper. Rounded forehead, sort broad nose, chin lines up and the bite is just about level. Weighty and compact body with short legs, medium length tail with rounded tip to balance. Mid blue coat beautifully mingled throughout in mid cream, sound to roots, perhaps a tad long over the spine but otherwise short dense and reasonably crisp in texture. Slightly tetchy but handled okay. Excellently presented.

### **Oriental Red Neuter**

Not a great deal between these to neuters for the BOB, maturity being the difference today and the result could very well be reversed on another day depending on how the younger lad matures..

**PC – Masters' ENIGMATIC TANGERINE DREAM (OSH d) MN 21/08/14.** An attractive young male neuter, very well developed for 9 months and nicely balanced overall. Medium length wedge with good top of head, ears large and set to follow. Oriental eyes of clear mid green. Almost straight profile with good depth of chin and level bite. Long elegant and firm toned body with long whip tail to balance. Bright mid red coat that was minimal for pattern, short sleek and lying very close to body. A little shy but handled well. Excellently presented.

**BOB – Webster's UK & IGDPR NANPEMA FIDELIO (OSH d) MN 02/05/11.** An elegant and stylish male neuter. Well balanced head of medium length with very

good top-line and large flared ears very well set. Profile a touch uneven with a flat area above the brow and a small dip to nose, good chin and bite. Very good expression to eyes of yellowish green. Long weighty body although could have a little more coverage over the spine, long slender limbs, whip tail needs an inch to balance. Rich mid red coat with light pattern evident, sound to roots and excellent for length and texture. Sweet tempered and very easy to handle, excellently presented.

**Oriental Cream or Apricot Neuter**

**BOB - Masters' PR ENIGMATIC STANDING OVATION (OSH em) MN  
03/06/14**

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## **Durham County CC - 30/05/15**

### **A.V. Imperial Grand Premier Neuter Male**

**O – Harrison’s OBIGC & I GD PR – LEONITARA PRINCE-CHARMING (BRI ns 22) MN 24/03/09.** I love this boy, he is such a joy to handle. Excellent size and type to him with a strong round head showing full cheeks and round smiley-faced muzzle, rounded forehead with short broad nose, chin lines up and the bite is level. Super expression to eyes of good green. Short strong neck, broad chest to weighty cobby body, really short strong limbs and large round paws, medium length tail to balance. Excellent tabby pattern, well defined butterfly with small internal spaces of pale silver, three even and evenly separated spine lines and large round complete matching oysters, multi necklaces and bracelets with spots to toes, just a touch of tarnishing to his muzzle today. Coat very good for length and density with a hint of crispness to it. Big timewaster, made up today I understand, congratulations.

### **R – Wroe’s CH & IGD PR COSITA BRUNO TONIOLI (SIA s 21) MN 23/07/13.**

Not the largest of neuters although he does uncurl considerably longer than he first appears, but excellent for type and colour. Stylish head with excellent width to top, ears large, wide at the based and nicely flared, set to balance – when he is not flattening them in temper! Gorgeous eyes, the deepest brilliant blue sapphire with that real “judge eating ” expression. Strong profile and firm chin with untidy but level bite. Elegant neck-line and long weighty and firm toned body with long whip tail to balance. Pretty blue tabby markings to points with well defined scarab to mask, good rings to tail and paler bracelets to limbs, soft blue/grey paw pads and nose leather. Excellent short close texture to coat that shows some glacial tones to tummy and chest, medium tonal shading to spine and lower back. He really is a people frightener, he seems to think that if he makes enough noise we will go away and leave him alone – didn’t work! Excellently presented.

### **Also considered**

**Brown’s GD CH & IGD PR DALTEEMA DIAMOND DAN (SBI d) MN 26/01/06.** A strong male neuter who retains a lot of his masculine qualities. He has a very nice head with full cheeks and well developed muzzle. Excellent expression to eyes and the colour is good given his age, it must have been lovely when he was younger. Bright tangerine-toned red points, front mits don’t quite match but rear gauntlets do and finish just below the hock. Even pale red shading to coat that was long, silken in texture and beautifully groomed. Excellent temperament

### **Nugent’s UK & OSIGP DUSHENKA ZERACHIEL (RUS a) MN 13/03/10.**

I liked this make neuter very much and he ran my reserve very close indeed. A lovely strong chap with a very good head, a rather relaxed person but I did manage to get him to put his ears in the right place. He has mid blue colouring which showed the desired silvery sheen and he has his double coat, although he also had a slight amount of scurf near his tail today. I would just like his eye colour a little more intense in tone. Handled really well.

**Webster’s UK & IGDPR NANPEMA FIDELIO (OSH d) MN 02/05/11. (see Northern Counties Report)**

**Pearson's IGD PR AMYDAY MERELY A MONARCH (SIA em) MN 18/07/10.**

I have always like this lad, he is the epitome of elegance and style, it was unfortunate that he was so very shy today and did not show himself as well as I know he can. Long head, perhaps a tad too long in the nose but the head top has excellent width and the ears are large and very well set. Oriental eyes of mid blue, slightly deep set. I have seen his apricot points look better so must assume that the lighting is to blame today. In excellent condition with short sleek coat. A gentle boy, just not happy today.

**A.C. British Champion Adult Male**

**GD CC - Prout's CH FERGAN COPPERFIELD (BRI d) M 10/10/10.** A very nice boy for type with a strong round head, full cheeks with slight jowls, good width between his smallish ears that were well set. Gentle curve to brow with short broad nose, firm chin, not very happy to have his bite looked at today but it appeared to be even from the brief glance I had of it, well rounded muzzle. Round eyes fairly open with rich orange colour. Short strong neck, body cobby in type but to nit pick could be a little weightier, short strong limbs and tail to balance. Bright red coat with light pattern evident, good for length and fairly dense, albeit a touch soft in texture. Excellently presented.

**R – Aitken's CH TRIZINCA RUPERT BEAR (BRI c) M 10/04/14.** This male has very good size and substance for his age. Strong head with broad skull, ears medium in size and set well but he was very apprehensive and wearing his “flat cap” today. Full cheeks, muzzle marginally square, deep chin, another lad who was very reluctant to have his bite looked at, appeared level. Round eyes with rich orange colour. Weighty cobby body with short limbs and medium length tail with rounded tip. Pretty pinky toned lilac coat that was almost sound to roots, could be denser and crisper but was reasonably short. Handled well considering he was having a dispute with his neighbour. Excellently presented.

**A.C. British Champion Adult Female**

**CNH – Darling's CH FERGAN DIAMOND DIVA (BRI a) F 09/09/10.** What a pity, a big strong girl of very good type and colouring but although I managed to get her out for a nanosecond, she made it very clear she was having none of it – and I did try several times during the day.

**A.C. British Premier Neuter Male**

**GD PC – Kidd's CH & PR KRESTA SUNUVEDWYNSON (BRI as 22) MN 05/04/12.** An attractive male neuter with good British type and excellent substance. Round head with reasonable cheeks and nicely rounded muzzle. He has good width between his medium size ears and they are well set, short broad nose with a deep chin and level bite. Round eyes with good expression, colour deep gold with a very slight greenish inner ring. Body a little rangy in type but excellent for weight, short limbs and large round paws, medium length tail. Mid blue tabby markings on pale silver ground, showing good clear pattern consisting of a well defined butterfly, three even spine lines and large well matched oysters, a few unbroken necklaces to chest, some slight tarnishing to muzzle and forepaws. Coat a tad long and could be denser but there is a little crispness to it. Excellent temperament and presentation. I understand this makes him a Grand, many congratulations.

### **A.C. British Premier Neuter Female**

**GD PC – Berry’s PR HYSSOPUSS SUGAR RUSH (BRI c 21 33) FN 21/05/13.** A big strong lady neuter of very good type, but not in the best of moods today and quite difficult to assess. Very good head type with broad skull and neat small ears set to follow the contours of the head, short nose and deep chin, bite untidy but just about level. Round eyes with cross expression and clear blue colour. Cobby body weighty and substantial, short strong limbs and good tail. Darker lilac tabby markings with well ringed tail, magnolia coat quite heavily shaded but some contrast still seen, a little bit long and could be denser – she was losing a fair amount of hair, but some crispness of texture evident. Very naughty today, excellently presented.

### **AOC Self Colourpoint Kitten**

**1<sup>st</sup> & BOB – Hunter’s JENZJEWELS SAINT-EMILION (PER e 33) M 23/09/14.** An attractive boy of very good type. Well rounded head with good breadth to his skull, ears neat and round tipped with pale cream furnishings, set well apart and low on the skull. Forehead smooth and nicely rounded, deep break and short broad snub nose with full nose leather, full cheeks rounded muzzle, deep strong chin, bite a mite under. Eyes round and fairly bold in expression with clear blue colour. Short strong neck with very good substance to body of medium length, good bone to short limbs, short well plumed tail to balance. Mid cream colouring to mask and tail, the latter showing a few ghost rings, limbs typically a touch paler in tone, creamy white body colour with minimal tonal shading. Medium length coat that could be fuller and thicker but he has yet to gain his adult coat with texture very baby fine as yet, but very well prepared and presented. Excellent temperament.

### **Black Adult**

**BOB – McColl’s GD CH FERGAN BOOGIE WOOGIE (BRI n) M 03/04/13.** A big lad of very good type, although I felt he could do with a bit more muscle and weight today. Strong round head with full cheeks and well rounded muzzle, small neat ears set well apart, rounded forehead and short broad nose, fairly good chin and level bite. Round eyes with excellent expression and intense deep orange colour. Short neck and medium length body with good depth to chest, strong boned limbs and tail with rounded tip to balance. Coat generally jet black although there is some evidence of sunbathing, virtually sound to roots, generally good for length but a bit sparse in places, lacking in density and crispness thus lying somewhat flat today. Excellent temperament and presentation.

### **Lilac Adult**

**CC – Sutton’s LOTTINA AMETHYST WARRIOR (BRI c) M 16/04/14.** A promising adolescent boy, head somewhat small in proportion to his huge body at the moment, but nicely rounded with good width to his skull and small ears set well, cheeks coming along nicely, short nose strong chin and level bite. Very good expression to eyes, deep orange in colour. Weighty body a little rangy at the moment and he does tend to stand a little tall but should fill out as he matures. Really good coat, short very dense and quite crisp in texture, a touch unsound but has a nice pinkish tone to it. A good natured chap, excellently presented.

**2<sup>nd</sup> – Draper’s DRAPURRS HOLLYWOOD HOGAN (BRI c) M 11/08/14.** This chap is still very much a baby in size and development, although he is surprisingly

weighty for his size. His overall type is reasonable, head could be better with rather wedge shaped muzzle, and with only slight cheeks this is quite evident at the moment, ears are a bit too large and need more width between, short nose, chin recedes, bite just about level. Eyes are round but a tad small, a bright mid orange in colour. Body rather rangy at the moment, short-ish quite slender limbs and medium length tail. Pretty pinky-toned lilac coat that was almost sound but has a fawny overtone today, length good, could be denser but does have some crispness of texture. Very sweet tempered and easy to handle. Excellently presented.

**BOB - Aitken's CH TRIZINCA RUPERT BEAR (BRI c) M 10/04/14**

**also considered - Dents CH UMBRO MISIOWE MARZENIE (BRI c) M 22/01/12.** A big strong male and his type is good, coat colour also good and almost sound, but whereas his coat appears to have very good density this is because it consists of a lot of dead hair that should have been groomed out and is thus somewhat claggy rather than crisp in texture. Excellent temperament.

#### **Blue Adult Male**

**1<sup>st</sup> CC w/h – Gallagher's WINDYMEADOW MISTER BOJANGLES (BRI a) M 26/04/14.** A large well developed boy of very good type. Strong round head with very good width between fairly small well set ears, full cheeks and well rounded muzzle, short nose, deep strong chin but unfortunately the bite is noticeably undershot. Round open eyes of deep gold. Strong cobby body for a youngster with very good depth to chest, stands low on short strong limbs, good tail. Mid blue coat that was reasonably sound, perhaps a touch long but good for density and crispness of texture. Excellent temperament and presentation – shame about the bite.

**2<sup>nd</sup> – Furione's BARONET WALLACE LIONHEART (BRI a) M 29/04/14.** Still very much a baby with a long adolescent body that has a lot of filling out to do. Head well rounded with neat cheeks but skull need to broaden between his medium size ears, rounded forehead and short nose, good chin and bite. Round eyes nice and expressive with deep orange colour. Fairly good for bone, tail medium in length with rounded tip. Darker blue coat showing a good deal of silvery tipping today and thus unsound, rather long and soft in texture. Sweet tempered and easy to handle. Excellently presented.

#### **Blue Adult Female**

**CNH - Darling's CH FERGAN DIAMOND DIVA (BRI a) F 09/09/10.** I tried to handle her again but still no good I'm afraid.

#### **A.O.C. Silver Tabby Adult**

**BOB – Kidd's OBIGC CATYKES EDWINSON (BR as 22) M 16/04/09.** An old friend, very handsome and masculine. Super head with full cheeks and excellent broad skull between his neat small round tipped ears, rounded forehead short broad nose, chin good and bite level, well rounded muzzle. Open expression to eyes, colour deep gold but his slight green inner rim appeared more noticeable today. Short strong neck and beautifully muscled body albeit a tad rangy, good bone to limbs, medium length tail. Mid blue tabby pattern on pale silver ground, very well defined butterfly and spine lines, with large well matched oysters and several necklaces to neck and

chest, a little tarnishing to muzzle evident. Coat really good today, short dense and crisp in texture. A joy to handle as always, such a dear boy. Excellently presented.

#### **Bicoloured Adult**

**1<sup>st</sup> CC w/h – Dents FANBIEKATZ BLUE BELLE (BRI a 03) F 06/06/14.** A neat little queen, still very much a kitten and needs to grow up, with head very small in proportion to the body as yet. Head type fairly good but lacks width between her slightly tall medium sized ears at present, good cheeks and rounded muzzle, good chin and bite. Eyes nice and round with deep gold colour. Medium length body, quite weighty but needs to bulk up, stands a little tall at the moment, good tail. Mid blue and white patches to coat, the former very unsound, the latter to about one third on face legs and tummy, overall coat rather long and soft in texture. Sweet tempered and excellently presented,

#### **Black Silver Tabby Neuter**

**BOB - Harrison's OBIGC & I GD PR – LEONITARA PRINCE-CHARMING (BRI ns 22) MN 24/03/09**

#### **A.O.C. Silver Tabby Neuter**

**BOB - Kidd's CH & PR KRESTA SUNUVEDWYNSON (BRI as 22) MN 05/04/12**

#### **Oriental Cinnamon Adult**

**CC & BOB – Debowska's METEXA COCHISE (OSH o) M 01/03/14.** This lad has some very good qualities so it a pity he does not show himself better. Very good head strength with broad top, ears just about large enough and wide at the base, very well set. Oriental eye shape and set with excellent bright emerald green colour. Strong profile, chin has depth but slopes back a touch, bite level. Long well muscled body and strong boned limbs, whip tail needs an inch to balance. Excellent rich cinnamon coat colouring, a touch unsound on the sides but clear of ghosting on the body, very short and close in texture. Shame he was so tense as he is a lovely boy. Excellently presented.

#### **Oriental Ticked Tabby Adult**

**CC & BOB – Hardy's PIPPASTRO RUDDY GINNISTAM (OSH d 25) MN 22/07/14.** Very good size and type to this young male. Well balanced medium length wedge with good width to top and large well flared ears set to follow. Strong profile with nice fat nose, deep chin and level bite. Very good shape set and expression to eyes of yellowish green. Long weighty adolescent body with long strong limbs and tail to almost balance. Super intense red colour to ticking – cinnamon based perhaps? ticking shows three bands and is sound, some clustering of the ticking into minute spots on the lower sides, something that seems to be very common in a red ticked. Super short close coat with excellent texture. Handled well and presented in tip top condition.

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