

Northern Siamese & Oriental CS – 11/04/15

Mrs Di Brown

A super entry and with an atmosphere that is second to none, it was a real pleasure to be judging at this excellent show again this year, huge thanks to Alice for the invitation.

Siamese/Balinese Grand Premier

1st GD C w/h – Webb's PR TENAJ MERLIN (SIA a) MN 25/05/13. There was a little bit of confusion over this chap as he was down in my book as a Red point which he clearly is not, but we managed to sort it out. Overall he is a nice boy and his points colour is very good, but whereas I was happy to give him the BOB today, due to one or two niggles, I felt that the Grand was a certificate too far. Longer wedge with fairly good top of head, ears are quite large but could be wider at the base and show more flare and the setting is marginally close. Oriental eye shape, rather deep set with haws showing and the colour could ideally be deeper. Profile and good, bite a mite untidy with outer incisors scissored over. Long elegant neck and a long weighty but elegant body with excellent tone, long limbs, tapered tail just about balances. Mid cool-toned blue points that almost match, shows glacial tones to bib and tummy with some light fawny blue shading to body, coat length and texture excellent. A very sweet tempered by, immaculately presented.

Oriental Grand Champion Male

1st GD CC w/h – Ball's CH ALTHISH FIRE CRACKER KING (OSH d) M 01/08/13. Similar to the previous cat in that a CC would be fine and I actually have given him one quite recently, but for me he needs more style and overall balance for a Grand. Having said that he has matured quite a lot since we last met and is now a large well muscled boy. Medium length wedge with good top of head, ears could be a tad larger for balance but are well set, even lines of the muzzle spoiled by a pronounced pinch. Oriental eye shape and set, colour looked rather yellow toned today but there is sufficient green for the SOP. Profile not quite straight and needs more depth to muzzle, chin okay and bite level. Long well muscled body with long limbs, tail to almost balance. Rich red coat with some spotted pattern evident, excellent for length and sleekness of texture. Pity he is so shy and does not show himself, but very gentle and easy to handle nevertheless. Excellent condition and presentation.

Oriental Grand Champion Female

GD CC – Entwistle's CH GABLME LAWAN KANIKA (OSH h) F 26/03/13. An elegant and well balanced female. Good head type with even lines and very good width to top, ears large flared and set to follow the lines of the wedge. Oriental eye shape and set with good expression and bright mid green colour. Profile almost straight, chin lines up and the bite is level. Long slender neck and a long dainty but weighty body, long whippy tail to just about balance. Darker chocolate tortie coat, beautifully mingled throughout in various shades of red including some very nice deep ones, sound to roots and excellent for length and closeness of texture. A friendly lady excellently presented.

Seal Point Siamese Kitten Male (under 6 months)

1st & BOB – Musson's WHALEYBUSH ABRACADABRA (SIA n) M 03/11/14.

This baby has much promise, not completely without his small problems but overall a lovely kitten. Super little head with broad top line and the most enormous jug-handled ears set wide. Inscrutable expression to eyes of very good shape and set, colour is acceptable but ideally could be deeper for a seal. Straight strong profile with deep chin and level bite, small teething pinch to muzzle today. A well grown baby lovely and weighty with very good length to body and a long whippy tail to almost balance. Dark rather cool-toned seal points, pale body colour, again a bit on the cool-toned side but almost unshaded, slightly long, of soft fine baby texture but lying close. A super little boy who shows himself well, excellently presented. Later my choice for Overall Best Siamese.

Seal Point Siamese Kitten Female (under 6 months)

1st – Moore's ARHANTIN ROSETTA (SIA n) F 22/10/14. A well grown kitten of overall good type. Medium length wedge with good width to top, ears of good size and well set. Eyes a tad full in shape, the colour could ideally be a little deeper for a seal but has a good bright tone. Profile almost straight with a good chin and level bite, teething pinch to muzzle. Weighty body of good length with whippy tail to balance. Excellent warm toned seal brown points, pale creamy coat with minimal shading to tone and absolutely gorgeous texture. A very sweet person, beautifully presented.

Blue Point Siamese Neuter

BOB - Webb's PR TENAJ MERLIN (SIA a) MN 25/05/13

Apricot Siamese Neuter Male

PC – Denholme's PIPPISTRELLE FRANGELICO (SIA em) MN 25/04/12. A very shy lad who does himself no favours by widening his eyes and sticking his ears up high on his head. Given time to relax he is nice boy and he excels for points colour - which is the best in the class by some margin. Medium length wedge, top line good and the ears are large and well set. Basic eye shape good and the colour is a bright mid blue. Profile in two planes, it is a little flat above the bridge of the nose where there is a marginal rise and then a long straight nose, chin firm and bite level. Long elegant and weighty body with tapered tail to balance. Rich hot apricot points that almost match, some fairly heavy tonal shading to off-white body colour but still good contrast. evident, coat length and texture excellent. A dear and gentle boy excellently presented.

Both these boys were very nice, in the end I chose the older boy who is slightly more elegant, but it was very close.

BOB – Pearson's IMP GD R AMYDAY MERELY A MONARCH (SIA em) MN

18/07/06. A very elegant and stylish male neuter. Long wedge head but almost balanced out by his very large flared ears that are set to perfection. Snooty expression to eyes of mid blue, perhaps marginally deep set. Excellent straight profile for an older boy, deep chin lines up and the bite is level – still has all his teeth. Long slender body, weighty and well toned with long tail to balance. Warm, peachy toned apricot points, some light tonal shading to off-white coat thus excellent contrast for a cat of this age. Coat nice and short but slightly soft and fine in texture. A shy but gentle lad excellently presented.

also considered – Geddes OB IGDPR FLUTTERBY TROOP THECOLOUR (SIA em) MN13/05/10. A large weighty chap of very good type. Strong broad medium length wedge with very good top line and large open based ears excellently set. Oriental eye shape and set with good expression and mid blue colour. Almost straight profile with a good deep chin, bite a little uneven but basically level. Long strong and weighty body with tapered tail to almost balance. Paler apricot points I would like a little more intense in tone for a mature cat. Fairly heavily shaded off-white coat but contrast still evident, with gorgeous sleek close texture. Handled well and was beautifully presented.

Oriental Black Adult

CC & BOB – Stephen & Johnsons’s BAROUSHKA WICKED WENCH (OSH n) F 19/05/14. A dainty young Miss with stylish type, lots of maturing to do but okay for the certificate today. Medium length wedge, top line good and the ears are just about large enough and well set. Oriental eye shape and set with very good expression and good clear mid green colour. Straight strong profile and firm chin with level bite. Long, very slender but surprisingly weighty body, super whippy tail to balance. Glossy jet black coat that was completely sound to roots, short sleek and very close lying. Very sweet natured and easy to handle, excellently presented.

Oriental Red Kitten (6-9 months)

1st & BOB – Master’s ENIGMATIC TANGERINE DREAM (OSH d) MN 21/08/14. A very well grown kitten of overall good type. Medium length wedge, top line could do with a little more width as his large ears are set marginally close for balance, better when he is relaxed. Straight strong profile good firm chin and level bite. Long weighty body, tail fairly whippy but needs an inch balance. Bright mid red coat, spotted-based pattern very evident at present but length and texture excellent. A friendly and talkative boy excellently presented.

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