

S.C.S.S – 4/07/09

Mrs Di Brown

My thanks the Bruce & Gillian for the judging invitation and excellent hospitality, I enjoyed my stay enormously. David French did an excellent job as my steward and I hope he will steward again for me sometime.

OPEN CLASSES

A.C. Oriental Grand Premier Male

IMP GD PC – Cox's IMP GD PR KHERAF RED HOTSHOT (37d) 26/05/06. A very handsome lad with lovely size and substance without sacrificing elegance. Longer stylish head with very good top line and large well flared ears set to follow. Oriental eye shape and set with wicked expression and good clear green colour. Almost straight profile and good firm chin with level bite. Well defined neck line with long weighty but elegant body, long elegant limbs, tail well tapered but rather short for all that body length. Rich red coat, showing a fair amount of spotted pattern, but sound and red to roots, and the length and texture was excellent. A relaxed and friendly boy excellently presented.

R – McKnight's IMP GD PR THAIRANO AL SKANDER (35) 05/09/02.

Another stylish boy, not quite the size of the winner but not small by any means. Medium length wedge with very good top line and large open based ears set to balance. Oriental shape and set to eyes, colour difficult to see as his pupils were very enlarged today. Marginal dip to nose, firm chin and level bite. Elegant neck, body has good length but was rather rotund which had the effect of making it look shorter than it actually was. Superb coat qualities, wonderfully short and sleek, the best coat I had all day, pristine white and very well prepared for the show. An easy boy to handle and beautifully presented.

Lilac Point Siamese Adult Male

1st CC w/h - Bryson's ADATEAM UP FOR IT 30/07/08. A big strong boy with excellent maturity for age. Head type good, a broad medium wedge with very good top line, ears could be a touch larger for balance but were very well set. Oval shape to eyes well set but colour could be a good deal deeper and he tends to squint. Almost straight profile and good chin, bite level. Long strong and very well muscled body for a youngster, long strong limbs and oval paws, tapered tail needs an inch to balance. Points colouring incorrect for lilac, they were dark and rather sludgy with no pinkish tone evident, the paw pads were dark and more in keeping with caramel. Given his youth this is undoubtedly what he will eventually end up, but, in the available lighting, I was not prepared to wrong colour him today. He was probably very unlucky to be next door to the female who was a good lilac and thus made the difference very obvious. Coat texture generally good, it was also almost clear with just a small amount of shading over the hips. Handled well and was very well presented.

Lilac Point Siamese Adult Female

Judged for BOB only and awarded – Mason's CH GENETTA ISLAYMIST 12/11/07. Neat and dainty little queen who was much more substantial than she first

appeared. Nicely balanced medium wedge with good top and large ears set to follow. Lovely eyes for shape, set and expression with deep brilliant blue colour. Good profile, chin could be a touch firmer, bite untidy and missing a couple of incisors but looked level. Long weighty body with a very good tone to it, long slender limbs and spoon paws, tail need length to balance. Soft grey points with a hint of a pinkish overtone and well matched. Magnolia coat of very good length and texture with the lightest of shading to tone. Excellent temperament and presentation.

Tortie Point Siamese Adult Female

CC & BOB – Watson’s ADATEAM MIAMO (32b8) 16/05/08. An attractive and quite dainty lady of very good type. Medium length wedge with very good top of head and large flared ears set to balance. Oriental eye shape and set with very good colour and sweet expression. Straight profile and good chin with level bite. Long and slender body, well covered and firm toned, long dainty limbs and neat paws, tail rather short for balance. Lilac based caramel tortie points showing good brownish over tones to mask and tail, points well broken in pale and mid apricot, with interesting very pale tip to tail. Lightly shaded coat of very good length and texture. A very gentle lady, beautifully presented.

2nd – Watson’s ATATEAM ELJAIMO (32b2) 16/05/08. Litter sister to the winner and a somewhat larger girl, also of very good type but of somewhat dubious colouring. Balanced head with very good top and large wide based ears set wide. Basic eye shape good but held wide, she was also a little nervous so this didn’t help either, thus expression not quite oriental, but colour very good. Almost straight profile, deep strong chin and level bite. Excellent substance to long firm toned body, long limbs and tail to balance. Points almost navy blue in places with a hint of brown on the mask and tail, the tortie mingling was very pale and I would have liked to have seen some richer tones to be sure she was blue based caramel rather than blue. As it was I decided to accept her as blue but I think as she ages it will become clear she is not, particularly as her pads are mauve and not blue. Coat of lovely sleek texture but quite heavily shaded overall. Shy but gentle, beautifully presented.

Oriental Black Adult Female

CC & BOB – Hull’s MAZPAHS CHANA BLACK 05/03/08. An elegant female of good type and style. Medium length head with good top and proportionate ears well set. Eyes a little full in shape but colour very good, a clear mid green. Almost straight profile good chin and level bite. Long well covered body, long slender limbs, whip tail almost balances. Excellent coat qualities, sleek glossy black, completely sound to roots. Sweet tempered and easy to handle, excellently presented.

Oriental Bicolour Adult Female

1st – IC w/h – Michie’s FISEPO BLUE SOLEIL (48 40n) 12/07/08. This was the hardest decision that I had to make all day. A lovely female for type and her colouring was most attractive. Super head for style and balance, wide top and large open based ears wide set. Oriental eye shape and set with snooty expression, colour could be a touch deeper but proximity of white probably a factor. Good profile and very firm chin, unfortunately the bite was very undershot and this was my only reason for withholding the certificate on what was otherwise a very worthy winner. Well defined neck line, long elegant and firm body, long slender limbs, tail needs a touch more length and has a tiny “pip” at the tip. Blue based caramel tortie points, very

dark brownish blue with large apricot patches, has more than the required one third white which shows on legs, almost completely underneath and a small smidge on the mask. Coat length and texture very good, lightly shaded. Excellent to handle and excellently presented.

Oriental Cinnamon Kitten

DNC - Hewson's EMERPUS DANTE 14/11/08. This boy was a real enigma and even a conversation with his breeder after judging did not explain the problem. A very well grown boy of good type. Longer wedge that could ideally be a touch wider between his large ears which were set slightly tall. Oval shape to eyes of medium green. Dip to profile centre nose, chin and bite okay. Well developed body of good length, with long limbs and tail. Coat pattern very puzzling, his head is typical for a self - albeit showing quite extensive ghost tabby markings, but his body is almost in keeping with a spotted tabby, even down to the paler ground and slight agouti invasion of the pattern areas, thus the Does Not Conform. Very good length and texture to coat. A friendly boy who handled well despite all the fiddling about to make sense of his appearance. Very well presented.

Oriental Spotted Tabby Kitten Female

1st & BOB - Harvey's FIORDILISO TIGERLILY (38n) 14/03/09. Now this I liked very much, a very promising baby with a super clear well defined and sound spotted pattern - a joy to see and I keep my fingers crossed that she stays that way. Stylish little head with very good top and large nicely flared ears set to balance. Very good shape and set to eyes with an inscrutable expression and good green colour coming through. Tiny baby dips to profile as yet, firm chin and level bite with very teeny incisors. Really solid little body of promising length, long spidery limbs and tiny paws, whippy tail to balance. Spotted pattern shows clear well rounded spots with minimal linkage and at present no agouti invasion, spine line almost broken, the whole completely sound to roots. Colour very attractive, brownish lilac-based caramel with paler ground and bluish sheen to the tabby markings on the head. Coat texture very good for a baby, very short and close. Super to handle, a very self assured young miss, excellently presented.

Oriental Bicolour Kitten Male

1st & BOB - Samphier's EIREACHDAIL AINT MISBEHAVING (48 38d) 24/02/09. A very promising little boy for type, showing a very good balance between base colour and white. Stylish head with very good top line and large wide based ears excellently set. Oriental eye shape and set with olive green colour. Tiny dip to nose, firm chin and level bite. Long body, well covered and firm toned, long limbs and super long whip tail to balance. Rich red colouring to spotted pattern, spots generally good and well defined, spine line a touch solid as yet. White shows in all the right places to just over the required one third, on all four limbs and completely underneath with attractive inverted "v" on the nose. Coat texture soft and baby fine as yet but lies fairly well. Excellent temperament and presentation.

2nd - Debowska's METEXA MONDADORI (48b) 04/02/09. A well grown kitten of overall good type. Shorter wedge with very good top and large ears that although well set he tends to bonnet. Oval shape to eyes, straight set at present, colour a good clear green. Good profile and chin with level bite. Very long body, quite slender, with long limbs and long whip tail. Very dark cool toned chocolate colouring to coat,

white areas good and in all the right places to at least one half, although the effect was somewhat spoilt by the extensive amount of bleeding of white hairs into the base colour, coat length and texture very good. A very sweet boy to handle, and beautifully presented on a throne bed.

3rd – Samphier’s EIREACHDAIL ORINOCO (48 43n) 24/02/09. This boy was beautifully grown for his age. Strong head for a baby with very good top and large ears very well set. Super shape set and expression to eyes with mid green colour. Tiny dip centre nose, firm chin and level bite. Long well developed body with excellent substance, long strong limbs and long tail, unfortunately the latter has a visible and fixed deviation – albeit small. It was a great pity as he would have been placed higher in his class. Shaded pattern “classic” based and quite well defined for a baby, with tabby markings on the top third of the hair shaft and a paler undercoat on the remainder. White area good with well over the one third required, coat texture excellent, short and very close. Super temperament, a very friendly boy. Excellently presented.

Oriental Bicolour Kitten Female

1st – Denholm’s FISEPO PIPISTRELLE PEARL (48 40bt) 29/01/09. Neat baby of good type. Good head and top line with large ears well set. Almond shaped eyes well set and of good green colour. Slight dip to nose, good chin and bite. Dainty but firm toned body of good length, dainty limbs and whip tail to balance. Darker but warm tabby markings with good tail rings, points well matched for tone, white areas very hard to discern, she has the barest smidge on the muzzle, there appears to be some over the back and across the chest, the underneath appears white but with a pointed chocolate who knows at this stage, however, this will all become clearer as she matures. Coat texture excellent. A sweet baby excellently presented.

Oriental Shaded Kitten Male

WP – Fyfe’s EIREACHDAIL SLINKI MALINKI (43a) 06/03/09. A lovely baby for type, very stylish and well grown, but unfortunately not a Shaded. Super head with wide top line and large fly away ears excellently set. Oriental eye shape and set with a hint of a squint at present – teething perhaps? but very good vivid green colour. Baby growth dips to profile, good chin and level bite. Long and slender but nice and weighty body, elegant limbs and whip tail. Mid blue coat shows spotted pattern that is sound to roots, even allowing for the fact that the coat is very short, there is no hint of a paler undercoat at present. The pattern does show a little linkage and slight agouti invasion of the pattern areas, the length and texture is very good. I do think he should be re-registered. A happy little boy excellently presented.

Havana Neuter Male

Judged for BOB only and awarded – Woolley’s PR GENTANTIQUE ATHOLDORN 12/09/07. A large person of good type. Fairly well balanced medium wedge with good top line, the ears could be marginally larger but they were well set. Oval shaped eye, setting okay, colour yellowish green. Good profile and chin, bite untidy with several incisors missing - appeared level. Body of good length but looked shorter due to his waistline which was rather more comfortable than ideal, medium length limbs and tail that almost balances. Darker but warmish Havana coat, marginally unsound today but okay for the certificate, length and texture good. An easy boy to handle, excellently presented.

Foreign White Neuter Male

Judged for BOB only and awarded - McKnight's IMP GD PR THAIRANO AL SKANDER (35) 05/09/02

Oriental Lilac Neuter Female

PC & BOB - Fyfe's BETABIL MY FAIRLADY 05/08/08. A good sized lady, quite stylish. Medium length wedge with good top of head, and largish ears well set but which she can top at times. Eye shape a little on the full size but better when she relaxed, colour pale green. Good profile and chin with level bite. Very good substance and tone to long body, long elegant limbs, well tapered tail almost balances. Lilac coat looked marginally dark when I judged her in the morning but when she went across the BIS table later in the day her colouring looked much better. It was a touch unsound but acceptable for the certificate, length and texture excellent, short and very sleek. A little shy but handled well, excellently presented.

Oriental Cinnamon Neuter Male

Judged for BOB only and awarded – Hamilton's EMERPUS HOCUS POCUS 12/05/06. A large but elegant neuter boy of very good type. Longer wedge but top line very good and ears large enough to almost balance. Oriental eye shape and set with hazel green colour. Good profile and chin, muzzle rather square and could be finer, bite level. Long elegant but weighty body of good length, long elegant limbs and oval paws, long tail to balance. Good warm toned cinnamon coat, some tabby ghosting evident and marginally unsound but acceptable for this colour, length and texture generally good. Rather a shy person but handled well. Excellently presented.

MISCELLANEOUS CLASSES

A.C. Maiden Adult

1st – French's PALMIRA BEAUJANGLES M (24b) M 05/09/08. A promising young male, he still has a fair amount of maturing to do but is reasonably in keeping with age at the moment. Lovely head type, ear size and set, he is also a good warm mid chocolate colour. I will be interested to see how he matures. Excellent temperament.

2nd - Bryson's ADATEAM UP FOR IT 30/07/07.

A.C. Breeders Kitten

1st – Harvey's ENIGMATIC TAKEACHANCEONME (32b1) F 19/11/08. A well grown and stylish baby. Super head type with broad top. Eye colour very good. Points rather black and white in effect at present with cool toned seal and pale red mingling. Sweet tempered.

2nd – French's NEXIS ENRICO (24b) M 26/11/08. A well grown boy of goodish type. Head a touch unbalanced, he needs more top width and the ears could ideally be a little larger. Very good points colour, soft warm chocolate. A dear boy to handle.

A.C. Siamese Non Breeders Kitten

1st – Evans' ROCHEVALLEY BELLEOTHEBALL (24n) F 20/10/08. A very attractive girl for type, although a touch on the small side for her age. Strong head for

a female with huge wide based ears she can bonnet at times. Eyes a little straight set at present but very good colour. Points promising with good sludgy overtones. Not the happiest of bunnies today, coming into call perhaps?

2nd – Fox's PLEZETOBE PAPER CHASER (24b) F 6/12/08. I liked this little female very much for type. Stylish head with wide top and lovely size and set to ears. Excellent shape set and expression to eyes of super brilliant colour. Would have been my winner but for her rather dark and slightly cool toned points. Super to handle.

3rd – Brown's FISEPO THISTLEWAY AURORA (32t8) F 3/12/08

A.C. Neuter – Not a CC winner.

1st – Rothwell's RIVANESS PRINCESS SHADOW (32/8) FN 01/08/08. An attractive lady of good type and style. Good eyes for shape and set but colour could be a tad darker. Very good pattern with super tail rings. Coat heavily shaded for a youngster but texture excellent. Handled well.

2nd – Rankin's KHERAF RED SENTINAL (32a) MN 25/09/08. A large elegant neuter of good type and style. Head marginally long for balance but ears size and set good. Eye colour good. Points rather pale but reasonably bright in tone. A friendly boy.

A.C. Neuter – CC winner

1st – Pages' PR ASHJOLEX ZACHARYBINX (32/1) MN 27/04/07. He is such a lovely boy, very stylish indeed, albeit a touch long in the head. His eyes are very exaggerated for shape and set but it gives him such a snooty expression and he has a temperament to die for. Coat of lovely sleek texture.

2nd – Mather's GD PR STATIONARY SCARLET SHADOW (32a) MN 07/07/05. Another stylish boy, very good head with wide top and very large well set ears. He has excellent red points, rich and bright in tone, an impressively pale coat, but a very short tail for such a long cat. Excellent to handle.

3rd – Rothwell's CH & PR SIMPLYSIAM STARTARUMOUR (24a) FN 03/06/06. A pity this lady is so dark as she is very stylish indeed. However she did look a lot better going across the table later in the day so the lighting must have been to blame to some extent. Coat very heavily shaded and appeared rather brownish, but pad pads correct for blue. Excellent to handle.

A.C. Oriental Breeders Adult

1st Hamilton's GD CH TRELGANDORF BURNT SIENNA (29) F 24/05/0. Very good type and colouring to this lady. Head stylish and well balanced with good eye shape, set and colour. Bite appeared marginally under. Coat a touch harsh in texture today. Super temperament.

2nd – Gibson's GD CH KHERAD ENDOFHERAINBOW (37e) F 26/05/06. Also stylish with fairly good green eyes. Attractive coat of dense glossy black with a good deal of mid and pale red mingling overall, the texture was excellent, short sleek and close lying. Easy to handle.

3rd – Boddy’s EMERPUS BLUE DANUBE (37a) F 10/09/08. Of overall good type, although the wedge is marginally long and the top of head a touch narrow for true balance, he also tends to puff out her whisker pads which doesn’t help the overall appearance. Super coat for length and texture, and mainly sound to roots. Handled well.

A.C. Oriental Non Breeders Adult.

1st – Harvey’s FIRODILISO CUBA (29) M 26/08/08. Extremely stylish lad, maturity in keeping with age. Very good head type with lovely eye shape, set, expression and vivid green colouring. Havana coat appeared on the dark side, possibly due to lighting but it was warm toned and very sound, length and texture good. A promising boy who handled very well.

2nd - Hull’s MAZPAHS CHANA BLACK 05/03/08.

A.C. Oriental Debutante

1st - Samphier’s EIREACHDAIL AINT MISBEHAVING (48 38d) 24/02/09.

2nd - Debowska’s METEXA MONDADORI (48b) 04/02/09.

WP – Fyfe’s EIREACHDAIL SLINKI MALINKI (43a) 06/03/09.

A.C. Oriental Kitten under 6 months

1st - Harvey’s FIORDILISO TIGERLILY (38n) 14/03/09.

2nd - Samphier’s EIREACHDAIL ORINOCO (48 43n) 24/02/09.

WP – Fyfe’s EIREACHDAIL SLINKI MALINKI (43a) 06/03/09.

A.C. Oriental Kitten 6 – 9 months

DNC - Hewson’s EMERPUS DANTE 14/11/08.

Radius Neuter

1st - Woolley’s GENTANTIQUE ATHOLDORN 12/09/07.

2nd – Rankin’s DEAMCATCHER CHEROKEE (38b) MN08/12/07. A stylish boy and I did prefer his overall type to the winner, however pattern problems put him down to second today. He has a very solid spine line which is incorrect re the SOP, his shoulder spotting is very good with small well rounded clear spots, but the remainder of his spotting is very linked. In top condition and easy to handle.

Visitors Neuter

1st - Cox’s IMP GD PR KHERAF RED HOTSHOT (37d) 26/05/06.

2nd - Hamilton’s EMERPUS HOCUS POCUS 12/05/06.

3rd - Fyfe’s BETABIL MY FAIRLADY 05/08/08.

A.C. Oriental Kitten

1st – Hull’s BURNTHWAITES BEDAZZLED (35) MN 22/05/08. A very promising and stylish little boy with very good head type and large well set ears. Super coat, beautifully short and sleek for a baby, “persil” white and perfectly prepared. Very self-confident.

WP – Fyfe’s EIREACHDAIL SLINKI MALINKI (43a) 06/03/09.

A.C. Visitors HHP

1st – McRae & Gabb’s ALI (Back Classic Tabby & White) MN 4yrs. A lovely large Classic tabby bi coloured boy in super condition. Love his clear green eyes, they have a very sweet expression. Excellent temperament.

2nd – Stewart’s MUNGO (Black) MN 1yr 2 months. This chap was rather fed up, possibly the heat, when I got to him. He had a good spit at me and as I didn’t want to upset him further he had the minimum of handling. I did note he had lovely coat texture, very silky and fine.

END OF REPORT.