

JUDGES REPORT ON THE SCOTTISH CAT CLUB SHOW HELD ON SATURDAY 12TH FEBRUARY 2011

My thanks to the officers and committee for the invite to judge at the happy friendly show. My thanks to Celia Langford for her company over the weekend and for her excellent handling of the Cats.

AV SEMI LONG HAIR IMPERIAL GRAND CHAMPION MALE

1 IMP WITHELD Wright GR CH POWERKATZ EVOLUTION Silver tabby and White Main Coon

When I looked at this magnificent boy I thought I have a winner he looked immaculate until I saw his feet they were badly stained and for this reason I could not award such a high title. Very regal showy boy with medium length head and strong square mizzle with firm chin and good bite. Fairly full cheeks and high cheek bones. Nose of uniform width with shallow curve. Large tufted ears and well feathered. Large bright eyes set slightly oblique. A long rectangular shaped body supported by well boned legs and large tufted paws with tufts of fur appearing from under the paw. Tail fur profuse and flowing and the length reaching to his shoulder blades. A silvery beautifully presented coat with black tabby markings A purrfect gentleman

2. Keeping GR CH BAYGAZER MCTAV'S SON Blue Birman

I Have judged this boy a few times in the past the last being the supreme and he has always been beautifully presented and lovely to handle however today he certainly didn't have the sparkle, nor the temperament he had at the Supreme. His medium length tail was extremely brindled, his feet were grubby and his belly needed more show preparation. An extremely well grown boy with a large heavy body with thick medium height strong legs and large paws. Lovely head although his profile has now got a rather prominent dip then slight dip. His eye colour also looked paler today but were of almost round shape. Ears of medium size and spaced well apart, Coat a little shady. Tidy gloves, nicely shaped gauntlets. I do hope the next time I meet him he is back to his old self.

AV SEMI LONG HAIR IMPERIAL GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE

1 IMP GR CH Doble GR CH BULLAMOOR POENIEROSE SEAL TORTIE BIRMAN

Like the last time I judged her a very showy female. She was beautifully presented with lovely birman type. Ears of medium sized and spaced well apart. Medium length nose shows slight dip to then profile. Almost round blue eyes. Cheeks full and round with well developed chin and good bite and nice white teeth. A large body of excellent substance with medium height thick legs and strong paws. Tail medium in length and well balanced and very bushy. A long soft coat. All seal points well intermingled with

shades of light and dark red. Left gauntlet nicely shaped the right gauntlet needed a little more conformation. Tidy gloves and good socks. She was delightful with excellent manners. My nomination for best in show and I understand that she became best in show semi long hair – congratulations. I think this is the 2nd time I have nominated her and she has won best in show well done.

RES IMP GR CH MCGowan GR CH BULLAMOOR SKY DREAMER Blue birman
Another girl I have had the pleasure of judging in the past. Excellent birman type, lovely head with medium sized ears spaced well apart, full cheeks and chin with level bite. Profile shows slight dip on medium length nose. Almost round deep blue eyes. Head framed by nice ruff. A bluish white silky soft coat with delicate blue points contrast. Good body shape with medium height thick legs. Tail bushy and well balanced. Snowy white tidy gloves, good socks, nicely matched tapering gauntlets. Beautifully presented and delightful to handle.

SEAL BIRMAN ADULT MALE

1cc Mellor CH BULLAMOOR BRAVEHEART

A silky soft well prepared long coat with lovely seal points. Nice head shape with medium sized ears spaced well apart. His eyes appeared a little bold but were of nice blue colour. Profile shows slight dip on medium length nose. Full cheeks and well developed muzzle. Long well boned body with medium length bushy tail. Left gauntlet a little shorter than right and has blunt rather than tapered finish. Nice sparkling white gloves. Tail bushy and medium in length. A very gentle rather shy boy.

SEAL BIRMAN ADULT FEMALE

1CC BOB Kaplan KLAWNIQUE PHEONIX STAR

Only ten months old and her tail slightly brindled however I thought she was gorgeous. Such a lovely texture to her beige coat which was compliment by rich seal points on her head and legs. Lovely birman type with broad rounded head. Ears spaced well apart and medium in size. Medium length nose showing slight dip to profile. Full cheeks and good chin with a good bite. Almost round eyes of lovely blue colour. Excellent substance to her body which was supported by medium length thick set legs and strong paws. Tail nice and bushy and medium in length. Sparkling white tidy gloves, even length tapering gauntlets. She was my 2nd placed for Best in show and I loved her to bits

2.McGowan CH BULLAMOOR DARK SECRET

Another very nice girl who had a large heavy body and excellent birman type. Broad head with medium sized ears that were spaced well apart. Full cheeks and good chin with even bite. Slight dip to profile on medium length nose. Lovely blue almost round eyes but extremely brindled around her eyes which spoilt her overall appearance. Tail bushy but needed to be a fraction longer. Full coat that was a little shady and felt a little coarse she also had a knot under her arm. Gloves not quite matching. Nicely shaped gauntlets. Excellent temperament.

BLUE BIRMAN ADULT FEMALE

1CC Black BAYGAZER LIZZARABLUJEANS

A little short of coat at present but coat bluish white in colour and silky to touch. Even blue points contrast. Good width between medium sized ears. Almost round blue eyes. Slight dip to profile on medium length nose. Fairly full cheeks. Good body shape. An excellent length to her bushy tail. Tidy gloves although the left runs up to just below the stopper pads. Nicely shaped matching gauntlets and all feet sparkling white. Lovely temperament and very nicely presented.

BEST OF BREED GR CH MCGowan GR CH BULLAMOOD SKY DREAMER

SEAL POINT BIRMAN KITTEN MALE

1 BOB Mc Gowan DYFRIG TAM O SHANTER

7 months old and going through a very difficult age at moment he is all ears with a very brindled tail streaky tail. He has a good body shape and weight. His eyes were a little pale in colour and large in shape and he needs to develop in the muzzle, bite good. Correct slight dip to profile on medium length nose. A clear soft beige coat. Quite tidy loves and gauntlets. Very easy to handle he just needs to come together.

BLUE POINT BIRMAN KITTEN MALE

1 BOB Lamb INGAMAE SAPPHIRE SPIRIT

I loved this kitten he was gorgeous and such defined points on one so young. Excellent birman type with broad round head. Ears of medium size and spaced well apart. Medium length nose showing slight dip to profile. Almost round deep blue eyes. Very full cheeks and muzzle with good bite. Nicely balanced body shape with a bluish white silky soft well prepared coat. Medium height thick strong legs and large paws. Tidy gloves, even length gauntlets. Very good tail length and busy. I was concerned about the left gloves as to whether the white runs past it but today gave him the benefit of the doubt as he is really lovely.

AOC MAINE COON KITTEN MALE

1ST WITHELD

2. McKay SNOOZICOONZ ABRACATDABRA red classic tabby.

I had no alternative but to withhold the 1st place on this kitten due to his lack of show preparation. His bib, tail, and tummy were extremely greasy. Such a pity as he had a lovely head shape.

AOC MAINE KITTEN FEMALE

1 BOB Wood PURDYPAWS GOTHIC GILR Black

A very alert kitten with lovely expression. Medium length head with square muzzle and firm chin, good bite. Profile shows shallow curve on nose of uniform width, fairly full cheeks and high cheek bones. Round eyes that could have been a little fuller spaced well apart with slightly oblique set. Large tall ear well furnished and good tufts to tips. Good body shape with a long tail reaching to shoulder blades. Substantial legs and large paws with tufts of fur appearing from under the paw. She still has some of her grey baby fur, for her age she had a good frontal ruff with shaggy breeches and belly fur. She was very relaxed.

2. Kempell NAMBRIB CHAMPAGNEBUBBLES Cream silver shaded

This kitten was not at all happy and had a very greasy coat. Lacked typical Maine coon type, but had lovely ears being large and tall and well tufted. Good body shape and weight with a long tail reaching to shoulder blades.

RED CREAM OR TORTIE BIRMAN NEUTER MALE

1 PC BOB McGowan CH BULLLAMOOR SUNBURST Red birman

The naughty boy from last year who has mellowed a little since he has been neuter. Massive body of excellent substance supported by thick medium height legs with strong paws. Wonderful birman type, Medium, sized ears spaced well apart. , . Profile shows slight dip on medium length nose, almost round blue eyes. Well developed cheeks and good chin with good bite. Medium length bushy tail. Even gloves and socks. Almost matching gauntlets. A silky soft pale cream body with light red points,

BROWN MARBLED BENGAL ADULT

1CC BOB Robertson and Richardson MACENVI GALAXY SWIRL OF HUBBLEBUB

An extremely alert and vocal boy with a powerful long muscular large body of wonderful substance. Medium length strong legs with large rounded paws. Thick tail with rounded black tip and medium length. A broad head with high cheek bones which appeared small in proportion to the body. Broad nose showed a concave curve to the profile and had slightly puffy nose leather. Full round muzzle with strong chin and pronounced whisker pads. Oval shaped eyes a little oblique. Small ears with wide base and rounded tips and perfectly placed on head. Neck thick and muscular. An excellent golden glistening coat very dense and luxurious to feel. Wonderful coat pattern and lovely spotty tummy. Tail thick and even and medium in length with rounded black tip.

Only just over 1 year old and so well grown. He was my nomination for best in show foreign which I am pleased to see he won well done

AC MAINE COON, NORWEGIAN OR SIBERIAN BREEDERS ADULT

1.Johnsonstone SCARLETT SANDRA'S ARTIC silver Tabby Norwegian female
A very relaxed elegant and attractive girl with very expressive large pale green eyes that were set slightly oblique. Triangular head shape with long straight profile. Long hairs out of the ears which were well set but needed to be a little larger. Long well built body supported by high legs. Long bushy tail reaching to the shoulder blades. Woolly undercoat covered by a smooth top coat which showed excellent tabby markings. A nicely presented girl with excellent manners

2.Forbes WEESAMS DOLLY DAYDREAM Tortie and white Norwegian
An elegant lady with long body and triangular head shape. Ears large with good width at base. Long straight profile. Large oval well opened eyes with an oblique set. A lovely long bushy tail. A lovely coat pattern however she needed more show preparation on her tummy and around her ears they were quite a few bald areas around her ears where I presume knots were removed. She was a real sweetie with very sweet expression

3.Davidson SHAWCOON DUSK TILL DAWN Tortie tabby and white main coon

AC MAINE COON, NORWEGIAN OR SIBERIAN NON BREEDERS ADULT

1. Macmillan JULESCOON MARLEY MAC Brown tabby Maine coon Male
A nice big boy sitting there looking like a young lion with a soft expression. Medium length head with good square muzzle and firm chin. Fairly full cheeks and high cheek bones. Shallow curve on nose of uniform width. Large tall ears with good tufts and featherings. Full round eyes spaced well apart with a slightly oblique set. A long rectangular shaped body of excellent substance with a long tail with flowing profuse fur the length reaching to the shoulder blades. Substantial legs with large round paws with tufts coming from under the paw. A richly coloured glossy top coat showing good black tabby markings. Very nice to handle

2. McKay CH KASSARO Diredancer Tortie and white Maine coon
A very well grown female with a little masculine appearance. At present she is a little short of coat but her coat was beautifully patterned. Head medium in length with square muzzle and firm chin. Nose of uniform width with shallow curve to the profile. Pale green full round eyes spaced well apart and set slightly oblique. Tall large tufted at tip ears which were nicely feathered. A solid long body of excellent substance supported by substantial legs with large paws. Long tail reaching to shoulder blades. Very nice just needs a longer coat.

3. McKay CARRAMAZZA ISO BELLEBLEU Blue tortie silver tabby and white Maine Coon

AV SEMI LONG HAIR ADULT

1. Gregson CH JULESCOON KAPUAI Brown tabby and white Maine coon Female
A very lovely sweet girl who had been beautifully presented her undercoat was covered by a glossy golden colour coat with defined black tabby markings. A long strong rectangular shaped body supported by substantial legs with large paws which had tufts of fur appearing from under the paw. Profuse flowing fur to tail which reached to shoulder blades. Excellent head being medium in length with strong square muzzle and chin and good bite. Ears wide at base and well furnished also large and tall with tufts at tip. Pale green full round eyes wide apart and set slightly oblique. Shallow curve to the profile on nose of uniform width. Lovely to handle and lovely example of the breed

2. McGowan GR CH BULLAMOOR SKY DREAM (see res imp report)

3. Lamont CH CATTITUDE DÉJÀ VU seal colourpoint ragdoll Female

AV PERSIAN/SLH ADOLSCENT ADULT

1.Kaplan KLAWNIQUE PHEONIX STAR Seal birman female (See open class winner report)

2.Wood RAGALYN UNA Blue mitted Ragdoll female

Nicely presented exhibit with nice points colour against a silky soft bluish white coat. White chin, bib, chest and under body. White mittens to front paws, Back legs white to the under body. Broad head with flat plane between medium sized ears that had slight tilt forward and were well furnished. Large well opened eyes set slightly oblique and well apart pale rather than deep blue in colour. Medium length nose showing slight dip to the profile. Cheeks and muzzle well developed with firm chin and good bite. Long muscular well boned body with medium height strong legs and large round and firm paws which were well tufted. Long bushy tail that tapered towards the tip and was in proportion to the body. Excellent temperament.

AC SOMALI OR RAGDOLL NON BREEDERS NEUTER

1.Russell PR. SUPATTOFT SILVER SUNRISE Sorrel silver Somali Male

A lovely soft dense coat lying flat along the spine giving an overall impression of silvery peach ticked with cinnamon. Ticking cinnamon colour with a silvery white chest and belly, inside of legs and under tail. A moderate wedge with a pleasing expression on a well balanced exhibit. Good muzzle, firm chin and level bite, Slight nose break to the profile. Ears set wide apart, wide at base and large, nicely cupped and tufted with long hairs out of the ear. Almond shaped oblique eyes which were very expressive with short dark pencil lines at the edges. A firm muscular body of excellent substance with Long legs and oval shaped feet that had tufts of fur between the toes. Nicely furnished long tail that was broad at base and tapered at tip. Beautifully presented with lovely temperament.

2. SOUTHALL GR PR GOWLAREN SILVER MARCUS Silver Somali

I have met this young man several times on my visits to Scotland as usual the grooming on this exhibit was superb. A lovely silver coat ticked with black but quite a bit of tarnishing on his body and head. A very firm and muscular supported body by long legs with oval shaped paws which had tufts of fur between the toes. Long well furnished tail which was broad at the base and silvery white fur colour under the tail as was the chest belly and breeches. A little narrow around the whisker pads, Ears set wide apart and broad at base and nicely cupped and tufted. Large almond shaped eyes with a lovely expression. He needed to show more nose break. Lovely to handle.

AOV FOREIGN NON BREEDERS NEUTER

1.Spence PR ELMYRA DARKZAR Bombay

He was our last cat of the day and I think he had had enough by the time we got to him as he was not at all happy and was being difficult. A shining jet black satin like coat on his slender body which was lithe and muscular. Legs medium in height and elegant with neat oval paws. Tail of medium length and thickness tapering to a rounded tip. Lovely head shape, gently rounded between his large ears that were broad at the base with rounded tips and set well apart. Large copper coloured eyes set well apart. Firm chin and level bite. A very attractive exhibit.

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