

Three Counties Cat Society 15.08.09

Mrs Val Anderson

Thanks to Sheila & Ivor for the invite to my local show. The new venue appeared to be a success though it did get very hot during the afternoon. Many thanks to Sue Amor for stewarding and being great company. We had an eventful day which added interest to the proceedings but we made it through to the end!

OPEN CLASSES

RUSSIAN BLUE ADULT MALE

1ST CC & BOB CAMPITELLI'S SERNIK MISCHARIMSKY (16a) M 14.09.08

An extremely well-grown young man of only 11 months shown in lovely condition. Head with a flat skull & good profile but the angle could be more developed. Short wedge & level bite but his chin could be deeper & I would prefer more prominence to his whisker pads. Large ears with a broad base & set to follow the lines of his head. His eyes are a little deep set & could be more almond in shape, the colour still developing. Strong muscular body, long & elegant with long limbs and oval paws. Moderately long tail, tapering but rather thick at the base. Dense double coat of an even blue with good colour at the roots, the silvery sheen still developing. He had a little grumble but was easy to handle. I hesitated over the certificate as he does have some faults but his overall condition & balance won me over.

RUSSIAN BLUE ADULT FEMALE

1ST (CC WITHHELD) WHEELER'S WARWICK KAILANI (16a) F 11.11.08

A young girl only just into adulthood & still very much a kitten in appearance. Head a little narrow and rather fine on the muzzle though she does have prominent whisker pads. Flat skull but scooped profile plus a small nose bump. Good chin and level bite. Tall ears set vertically to the head and large eyes, a good green colour developing but they could be set a little wider apart. Elegant body with long limbs & tapering tail that could do with a little more length for balance and showing some faint rings. Double coat but it could be denser and a little harsh in texture. Well-developed silvery sheen but darker tail. She was a little upset by her neighbour but not a problem to handle. Certificate withheld because of her immaturity and narrow muzzle.

2ND MORAN'S ZIPPYKITTY ENCHANTA MISTIQ (16a) F 20.08.08

A slightly older girl of not quite 12 months who initially came out quite happily but then became rather naughty and so not fully assessed and mainly judged in her pen. Head with a short wedge & broad between the ears but her whisker pads could be more prominent. Large ears with a broad base but set a little too wide apart. Very large eyes of rounded almond shape – looking rather full but probably because of her mood. Elegant body with limbs & tail to balance. Even blue coat colour plus a silvery sheen. This girl became very agitated and I had her withdrawn from her other classes for her own protection – she was in a double pen and this may have increased her anxiety, I think she would have preferred the security of a single pen?

BROWN SPOTTED BENGAL ADULT, MALE

1ST CC & BOB BOIZARD-NEIL'S BAMBINO SEA PRINCE (76 30) M 02.07.08

A well-grown young man of only 13 months with a lovely clear coat pattern. Head a medium wedge slightly longer than wide with good width between the ears. Large nose but his muzzle could be a little broader though with pronounced whisker pads.

Slight curve to the profile, shallow chin and level bite. Well-set ears of medium size and large oval eyes set on a slant. Strong body, long sleek & muscular with limbs to balance. Medium length tail that tapers a little. Short soft coat with a very distinct pattern of rosetted spots on a buff base with paler ground colour on the underparts. Good head markings and complex scarab marking. Spotted tummy, spots & bars on the limbs and ringed tail with a dark tip. Shown in lovely condition and easy to handle with a gentle nature.

2ND ALGER-STREET'S TYPHAST GREATBALLSOFIRE (76 30) M 02.03.06

A large mature boy of 3 years with a gentle nature, apparently it was his first show but he wasn't phased by the occasion. Mature head, a medium wedge slightly longer than wide with a large nose though his muzzle could be broader. His ears are a touch large but well set with a broad base and rounded tips. Large eyes, almost round with lovely depth to the green colour. Strong & muscular body, long & sleek with depth of flank. Muscular limbs of medium length and good tail of medium length, it tapers a little. Warm overall colour but wearing his summer coat & moulting so lacking density and the pattern could be more distinct. Large rosetted spots on the body, complex scarab marking and several necklaces on the chest. Spotted tummy & well-marked limbs with spots & bars and ringed tail with a dark tip.

ALSO CONSIDERED FOR BOB:

ALGER-STREET'S GR CH TYPHAST HURRICANE (76 30) M 01.06.06

Unfortunately this lad managed to escape from his pen and was in his basket when I reached him whilst his pen was repaired! He was a little distressed as he was reluctant to come out of his basket and then determined to get out of his pen again. Despite the ordeal he was very good-natured and just wanted a cuddle! A handsome fellow who I have judged before but his coat was not at its best on the day being rather thin, especially down the spine.

SNOW SPOTTED BENGAL ADULT

1ST CC & BOB EYRE-BROOK'S GAYZETTE SPARKLER (76b 30) F 12.05.08

A young girl of only 12 months who needs to mature. Head a medium wedge longer than it is wide with a slight curve to the profile. Her muzzle could be a little broader but the whisker pads are pronounced. Rounded chin that could be a little stronger and level bite. Medium-sized ears that are a little tall but set wide apart. Large eyes of rounded oval shape & set on a slant, a lovely blue colour when she was out of the pen. Long sleek body with limbs of medium length but they could be a little stronger & I would prefer a thicker tail. Large spots on an ivory base, they could be more distinct but her coat was probably not at its best because of the time of the year. Good head markings with lovely long mascara lines on the cheeks. Spotted tummy and lovely clear leg markings of spots & bars. Ringed tail with a dark tip. Just good enough for a certificate, her sweet charming temperament won me over!

BROWN SPOTTED BENGAL NEUTER

1ST PC & BOB WILLIAMS & KENNEDY'S TYPHAST JELANI (76 30) MN
13.05.08

A young boy of 15 months but well-grown with a strong muscular body. Head a medium wedge slightly longer than wide with a large nose & rounded contours. Slight concave curve to the profile, level bite and deep firm chin. His ears are a little large but set wide apart. Large eyes of oval shape set on a slant. Long, sleek muscular body with strong limbs to balance & large rounded paws. Moderately long tail with a rather bony tip. Beautiful coat of gorgeous overall colour and lovely feel to

the touch, soft dense and luxurious. Clearly spotted with large distinct rosetted spots on a warm golden base. Spotted tummy and ringed tail with a dark tip. A gentle lad shown in excellent condition.

2ND EYRE-BROOK'S WOTHORPE WICKHAM (76 30) MN 27.03.08

A very well-grown young lad of 16 months, strong & masculine. Head a medium wedge longer than wide but a little out of balance at present. Good width between the ears but his muzzle could be a little broader though with pronounced whisker pads. Concave curve to the profile & level bite but his chin could be a little stronger. Moderately large but slightly tall ears set wide apart. Large oval eyes set on a slight slant. Long muscular body with strong limbs to balance and moderately long, slightly tapering tail. Soft dense coat with large spots on a buff base though they could be more distinct and some linkage in places. Spotted tummy, well-marked limbs and ringed tail with a dark tip. Easy to handle and shown in super condition.

3RD WILLIAMS & KENNEDY'S TYPHAST JALAL (76 30) MN 13.05.08

Litter brother to the winner but with not such a rich colour to his coat. Head a medium wedge slightly longer than wide but his muzzle could be a little broader. Concave curve to the profile, level bite and good chin. His ears are a little tall and set a fraction high. Lovely expressive eyes of good shape & set. Long muscular body with limbs to balance & moderately long tail that tapers a little and is rather bony at the tip. Soft dense coat and clearly spotted with large spots but not so much clarity to the base coat as his brother's. Spotted tummy, good leg markings and ringed tail with a dark tip. Shown in lovely condition and easy to handle.

THAI BLUE POINT/THAI LILAC NEUTER

1ST IC & BOB CHERKAS'S JUSARKA FUNTIME FRANKIE (34 40 2) MN 05.01.01 Thai Blue Point

A mature gentleman of 8 years with a gentle nature. Heart-shaped head with good width between & across the eyes gently curving to a well-developed muzzle. Large flat forehead & deep stop to the profile but his chin could be stronger and deeper. His teeth are a little stained but all present with a level bite. Large ears with a broad base, set high with an alert expression. Large luminous eyes of a good blue colour and held wide open. Well-grown body, strong, muscular and semi-cobby with limbs to balance. Tail of medium length and heavier at the base. Ideally his coat could be more single and close-lying but with blue points & some shading on the body in tone with the points. Some silver tipping on his face and ears. Looking good for his age.

SPHYNX NEUTER

1ST IC & BOB DEAN'S AMAROGUE MORRIS MINOR (84 31) MN 03.11.07

A lovely black & white boy of 21 months who was very easy to handle. Head a modified wedge with rounded contours and slightly longer than wide. Distinctive whisker break and prominent whisker pads. Slight stop in profile, level bite and shallow chin. Huge ears with a broad base and set at a slight angle to the head. Large lemon-shaped eyes. Long neck & muscular body with a rounded chest & abdomen but he is only young so needs to fill out. Muscular limbs with oval feet and long slender toes with thick pads. Long fine tail. Typical absence of coat with a fine down on the skin giving the desired soft warm chamois leather feel. Slightly thicker down on the nose & muzzle. This was his 3rd certificate so congratulations to his owner & breeder.

MISCELLANEOUS CLASSES

AC MAINE COON ADULT

1ST BARLETTA'S COONTASTIC COPACOBANA (64 41ew) F Tortie Tabby & White

A young girl only just an adult but well-grown with a strong muscular body. Broad balanced head slightly longer than wide with a well-placed nasal bridge. Uniform width to the nose & square muzzle. Shallow concave curve to the profile, chin broad & deep but could be a little stronger as it rolls off a fraction at the tip. Level bite. High cheek bones & fairly full cheeks. Large ears with a broad base and set high but wide apart. Inner feathering and tufts at the tips – black on one ear & red on the other! Expressive eyes, full & round in a slightly oblique aperture and set. Long rectangular body of a good weight for her size with strong limbs & large round feet with tufted toes. Long flowing tail well-furnished with profuse fur. Beautiful coat with excellent preparation and lovely colouration with bright tortie colours of black & shades of red contrasting with sparkling white. High white with patches of tortie tabby – the tabby pattern swamped by the rich tortie colouration but a red tabby “M” on the forehead, pale fur around the eyes and a hint of a butterfly marking across the shoulders. A very gentle girl shown in excellent condition.

2ND CARDEN'S SHEERCLASS MOONSHINE MISSY (64 41w) F Brown Tabby & White

Another young girl, just 2 months older than the winner but although she has the correct rectangular body shape she needs to fill it out. Well-proportioned head of medium length slightly longer than wide but her muzzle could be a little broader & squarer. Shallow concave curve to the profile, deep chin and level bite. Uniform width to the nose, high cheek bones and quite full cheeks. Large tall ears with a broad base & set high but wide apart. Lovely ear tufts & long inner feathering. Large eyes, full & round in a slightly oblique aperture and set. Rectangular body with strong limbs to balance & large feet with tufted toes. Long tail but rather bushy, it could flow a little more. Well-groomed silky coat, a shorter length on the body with a slight ruff. Clear classic tabby pattern with black markings on a pale copper agouti base, richer colour down her back. Butterfly marking across the shoulders and oyster markings on the flanks. White on her chest & tummy, front feet and back legs. Shown in lovely condition and easy to handle.

3RD WHITMARSH'S LYNDONGRAEY KIRI TECOONAWA (64 20a) F Blue Tabby

AOV SEMI-LONGHAIR JUNIOR ADULT

1ST BROWN'S SILKIESTAR VICTOR ADAM (82 19) M Siberian

A young man of only 13 months with a very gentle nature. Head in proportion to the body, a short broad wedge with low broad cheek bones. Level bite but his chin falls away. Medium ears set wide apart & large eyes of a slightly oval shape. Moderately long body with limbs & tail to balance. Large feet with well-developed toe tufts. Medium length coat with a soft dense undercoat covered by a coarser topcoat. Slight ruff at present. No points for colour but lovely bright red tabby colouration. Shown in lovely condition and easy to handle.

AV FOREIGN MALE ADULT

1ST TURNER'S CH ELMYRA KINABALU (72) M Bombay

A strong masculine fellow with lots of presence. Mature head, a quite short, balanced wedge with width at the cheek bones tapering to a blunt muzzle. Quite good nose

break in profile. Well-set ears of medium size and large greeny-coloured eyes. Strong muscular body with muscular limbs & medium length, slightly tapering tail. Short close-lying coat of glossy black. Shown in superb condition and easy to handle, I loved his snooty look!

2ND BOIZARD-NEIL'S BAMBINO SEA PRINCE

3RD KEATES'S GR CH STICKYBICKY JUMPN JAKFLASH

AC ABYSSINIAN OR REX ADULT

1ST KEATES'S GR CH STICKYBICKY JUMPN JAKFLASH (33a 36b) M Devon Rex

A mature chocolate smoke boy just one day off his 5th birthday. Broad masculine head with a short nose though I would prefer a little more stop in profile. Large low-set ears with a broad base & large eyes set wide apart though they are a little full. Muscular body of medium length with long legs & long tapering tail. Soft well-rexed coat with good ripples on the body & well-covered apart from a small patch of stud tail. Shown in lovely condition and easy to handle.

2ND ARNOLD'S PAPAVER ANDROMEDA (33 31s) F Cornish Rex

A very sweet black smoke & white girl with lovely type. Head a medium wedge narrowing to a slightly square muzzle. Straight profile & deep chin that could be a fraction stronger. Large ears set rather high and expressive eyes of oval shape. Very elegant with a muscular body of medium length carried high on long slender limbs. Long fine tail. Well-covered with a soft silky coat with lovely feel to the touch. Clearly rexed but her coat could be denser and she was moulting on the day so probably changing. Lots of presence to this girl, her black & white colouring emphasises her look.

3RD ARNOLD'S PAPAVER ARTEMIS (33 36) F Cornish Rex

AV FOREIGN NON-BREEDERS ADULT

1ST FLAY'S CH THICKTHORN TIKAMASALA (73c) F Lilac Ocicat

A lilac girl of not quite 2 years. Lovely head with typical wild look, a modified wedge longer than it is wide with a moderate whisker pinch and square muzzle that is longer in profile. Slight dip in profile & level bite but her chin could be a fraction stronger & deeper. Moderately large ears with a broad base and set at a 45° angle. Lovely expressive eyes, large almond-shaped and a clear green in colour. Long body with substantial bone development, calling on the day and hence a little lightweight. Muscular limbs to balance and compact oval paws. Fairly long tail, broad at the base and slightly tapering. Close-lying coat but ideally it could be more satiny in texture. Subtle spotting with lots of small lilac spots on a pale dove-grey agouti base though a little gingery in places. Tabby "M" on the forehead and lines over the back of the head breaking up into spots. Spotted tummy, barred limbs and ringed tail with a lilac tip. A very gentle girl shown in lovely condition despite being in full call.

2ND DAVIES'S PHILOKALIA BAD PENNY (33a 36a) F Devon Rex

A young blue smoke girl of only 10 months, of a good weight for her size but she could be a little larger. Head a short broad wedge with a short nose. Large ears with a broad base set wide apart. Large eyes of oval shape set wide apart and on a slant. Long neck & muscular body of medium length with long slender limbs and long tapering tail. Well-covered with a short soft coat that is waved but of an uneven length on the body

3RD ADRIAN-GROVES'S AMAROGUE SAFARI (84 31) F Sphynx

AV FOREIGN ARISTOCRAT ADULT

1ST SANDERSON'S JANAMEL DRASNIAN JELITA (77) F Singapura

A mature girl of 4 years shown in lovely condition. Good head with a rounded skull and width at outer eye level. Definite whisker break, medium short, broad muzzle & blunt nose. Very slight stop in profile plus a small nose bump. Shallow chin and level bite. Moderately large well-set ears wide open at the base. Large eyes held wide open & of a greeny colour. Muscular body with elegant limbs & small paws. Moderately long slender tail. Short fine & close-lying coat clearly ticked with sepia brown. Soft warm overall colour & slightly darker spine line. Distinct inner leg barring on the front limbs but only faint smudges on the back knees. Mid salmon-coloured nose leather outlined with dark pigment. Brown spurs on the lower back legs. A very sweet girl who was easy to handle.

2ND HOOKEY'S MIKKAR LADYLYNX (23) F Usual Abyssinian

A very wriggly girl of 2 years with a lovely coat. Head a moderate wedge with rounded contours. Good width between the ears tapering to a rounded muzzle. Cupped ears set wide apart but her eyes were a little full. Muscular body of medium build with limbs and tail to balance. Short fine & close-lying coat with good density. Clearly ticked with black on an apricot base and rich overall colour.

3RD EYRE-BROOK'S GAYZETTE SPARKLER

AV FOREIGN LIMIT ADULT

1ST DARBY'S SILVERSMOKE YVETTE (23) F Usual Abyssinian

An elegant girl with lovely type, marked as 10 months in my book but I believe she was actually a little older! Head a moderate wedge with good width between the ears tapering via a whisker indentation to a rounded muzzle that could be a little broader. Large cupped ears set wide apart & large expressive eyes of a greeny colour & a rounded almond shape. Elegant & muscular body with long legs and tapering tail. Dense close-lying coat clearly ticked with black on an apricot base & rich colour down the spine. Faint well-broken necklet.

2ND DAVIES'S PHILOKALIA BAD PENNY

3RD CHERKAS'S JUSARKA KARNCHANA KAMALA (34 40 2) F Thai Blue Point

AV FOREIGN BREEDERS KITTEN MALE

1ST PEARCE'S BARIJKA RUPERT (76 30) M Brown Spotted Bengal

A young boy of only 4 months with a very sweet nature. Head a medium wedge longer than wide with a shallow concave curve to the profile. Ears a little tall but large expressive eyes. Body developing, tail moderately long and reasonably thick. Short dense & soft coat, large distinct spots on the flanks the pattern just a little fuzzy down the spine at present. Shown in lovely condition and easy to handle.

AV FOREIGN BREEDERS KITTEN FEMALE

1ST COLEMAN'S PIXYTENE MYGIRL (33a 36) F Devon Rex

A well-grown sweet girl of 5 months. Head a short broad wedge with a short nose, whisker break and reasonably strong muzzle. Good stop in profile & level bite. Large ears set wide apart & large oval eyes. Long neck & muscular body of medium length carried high on long limbs. Quite long, tapering tail. Well-covered with a soft coat of an even length on the body. Well-developed rexing for her age and curly tummy. A promising kitten.

2ND EYRE-BROOK'S WOTHORPE RUBY TUESDAY (76 30) F Brown Spotted Bengal

An older kitten of 7 months & well-grown and a good weight for her size. Nice head, a medium wedge slightly longer than wide with a large nose & broad muzzle. Well-set ears and large eyes of oval shape. Long muscular body with limbs & tail to balance. Soft dense coat clearly spotted with large rosetted spots though I would prefer a richer overall colour and more clarity to the ground coat. Shown in lovely condition with a charming temperament.

3RD BOIZARD-NEIL'S BAMBINO BEAUTIFUL (76 30) F Brown Spotted Bengal
A baby girl of only 3 months with a lovely feel to her coat. Head small in relation to her body, a medium wedge slightly longer than wide. Well-set ears and large eyes of oval shape set on a slant. Body with lots of developing to do, medium length tail. Soft dense coat clearly spotted with large rosetted spots & lovely clear leg markings. Super temperament & shown in lovely condition.

AV FOREIGN RADIUS KITTEN

1ST COLEMAN'S PIXYTENE MYGIRL

2ND SELLMAN'S SKAMPAWS MAGGIE MAY (72 45sq) F Brown Silver Asian Ticked Tabby

A young kitten of only 4 months & lots of developing still to do. Head a little out of balance at present; gently rounded top but very slight nose break in profile & her chin could be stronger. Large ears set well apart but her eyes could be larger, the colour changing at present. Slender body of medium length with limbs & tail to balance. Lovely coat, short fine & close-lying and clearly ticked with seal brown on a paler silvery brown base. Barred limbs. Easy to handle.

AV FOREIGN ADOLESCENT NEUTER

1ST CHAPPLE'S ANTIKPATINA LOGIBEAR (74b) MN Chocolate Tonkinese

An extremely well-grown strong & muscular body of only 12 months. Head a slightly long wedge with a definite whisker pinch. Gently rounded top of head & slight nose break in profile. Well-set moderately large ears & large expressive eyes of a lovely greeny-blue colour. Strong firm & muscular body with slender muscular limbs and tapering tail of medium length. Dense close-lying coat. Chocolate points developing, paler colour on the limbs and darker tail. Points merging with paler body colour though darker colour down his back but clearly pointed. Slight rings on the tail and faint tabby "M". Super condition and temperament, the only one in the class but well worthy of the first.