

O.C.A. – 19/06/10

Mrs D Brown

Another excellent show again this year, a lower entry but some very good cats to judge, congratulations to Jane & Irene and many thanks for the invitation.

OPEN CLASSES

Oriental Black Male Kitten

1st & BOB – Constable's NUTROSTAR ZALTAN 05/02/10. A very well grown little lad of very good type. Longer wedge but top line has very good width and his ears are large enough to virtually balance. Oriental eye shape and set with a slightly worried expression, colour baby muddy green. Almost straight profile with just a slight bump near the end of the nose, good firm chin and level bite, tiny pinch to muzzle. Promising length to body with a good strong feel to it and strong limbs, good tail with a slightly blunt tip. Super coat, dense glossy black with excellent texture for a baby, sound to roots. A little bit shy but very sweet natured. Excellently presented.

Oriental Black Female Kitten

1st – Hirst's TOGHAR PUTASPELL ONYOU 31/10/09. Another well grown kitten, overall type very good. Medium length wedge with good width between her large ears, although the setting is tending to upright rather than following the lines of the wedge. Good eye shape set and colour. Dip to profile centre nose, good chin and level bite. Nicely covered body of good length, long slender limbs and whippy tail to balance. Dense black coat, marginally long but glossy and close lying, a touch unsound on the lower sides today. Excellent temperament and presentation.

Oriental Lilac Male Neuter

Judged for BOB only and awarded – James-Hart & James' GD PR KRISTOPHE LITTLEWILLOW 27/01/06. A big strong lad of very good type. Medium length wedge with good top, ears of good size, though a touch narrow to the base and could be more flared, set to balance. Oriental eye shape and set with excellent vivid green colour. Small dip to nose, chin good but bite scissored over, slight pinch to muzzle. Long really weighty and substantial body, long limbs and tail. Lilac coat good, albeit a little fawnish at the edges today, but clear of ghosting and sound to roots. Overall length good and texture excellent, seems to have a fair amount of undercoat and thus has quite a lot of "body" to it, but manages to lie close. Super temperament, a real time waster. excellently presented.

Also judged for BOB – Roper's PR POLLYBEE SILK EMPEROR. Overall an attractive lad, not the largest or most masculine of boys but has good weight for size. Neat medium wedge with good top line and large ears set to follow. Excellent eye shape, set and expression with very good green colour. Marginal dip to nose, firm chin and level bite. Well covered body of good length, long-ish tail to balance. Lilac coat has a slightly dingy overtone to it and is almost fawn in places, and I do wonder if the lighting was giving this effect, or maybe it is just the time of year. Coat length and texture good and close lying, sound to roots. The sweetest temperament, a very friendly boy. Excellently presented.

MISCELLANEOUS CLASSES

A/V. Self Breeders Adult

1st – Tarbox’s IM GD CH TIJANMEEK MCLAREN (37fn) M 23/08/07. A large masculine boy of very good type. Longish wedge with a tiny occipital bump on the back of the skull now, top line very good, ears large and very well set. Oriental shape set and expression to eyes of good green. Excellent coat in hot matte apricot with minimal pattern evident and coloured to roots, short sleek and close lying. Excellent to handle for a full male.

2nd – Partidge’s NUTROSTAR MAMMA MIA (37) F 18/06/08. Neat little female, not the largest of girls but well covered, overall type good. Eye shape a touch full, two tone green in colour. Excellent coat, beautifully glossy and sleek, sound to roots – her very best feature today. Easy to handle.

3rd – Cassar-Simmonds’ GD CH FIORDILISO INFIDELITY (29) 15/01/09. A lovely boy for type who should have won this class. However, he appeared rather out of sorts today, his coat was long and unsound, there was also a fair amount of scurf over the lower back. We can all have an off day and this was one of his I think.

A.V. Senior Adult

1st – Willis’ LEBRETON FINLAY (48 40b) M 28/02/08. A super lad, very stylish with long head and wide top line. Beginning to lose his chin now, it slopes back to quite a degree, although his bite is level. Super warmth of tone to points for a bicour, he has almost half white, in all the right places, and his eye colour is also good, particularly given the proximity of white. Excellent to handle.

2nd – Hatchett’s NUTROSTAR IMPERIALISTIC (37n) M 07/11/06. A great big lad with excellent coat colour. Head type slightly foxy looking, he really needs more top width. Eyes tend to lack oriental expression, but the colour is excellent. Dingy brown coat with excellent soundness and clarity, slightly fine in texture. Super to handle.

A.V. Non-Self Adult

1st – Simpson’s CH KATTILAN VOLTAIRE (45b) M 23/01/08. I do wish this lad was more masculine, and carried more weight and muscle tone to his very long slender body. He has an ultra stylish head with huge ears and excellent wide top line. Very short coat, ticking clustering together to form tiny spots on the lower sides. An easy boy to handle, very relaxed.

A.V. Non-Breeders Non-Self Kitten

1st – McDouglaa’s NUTROSTAR JOE’S-SMOKEYSKIES (42) M 14/01/10. Good to see a smoke kitten again, they seem to be like hens teeth these days! Promising for type, really well grown and solid. Head type good, eyes a touch full but he was a little overawed today, colour two tone green. Coat shows a lot of smoking showing through the top coat on the sides and there is a fair amount of ghosting to it at present, but the coat is very short at the moment so hopefully this will improve with a bit more length. A very sweet boy

2nd – Constable’s NUTROSTAR TORTALINA (37e) F 14/01/10 A well grown little girl of good type. Sister to the previous lad and similar to him in some ways, with good head type, although she has a small pinch to muzzle. Slightly mournful

expression to eyes at present, but there is a very good green coming through. Jet black tortie coat with lots of rich red mingling, - most attractive, and sound. A sweet babe.

3rd – McDougal’s NUTROSTAR PUMPKIN PIE (38fn) M 14/01/10. Another litter sibling, this one is overall longer in the head and body, and unfortunately he has a very sharp, pronounced manubrium. Super apricot colour to coat but pattern needs to be better defined, with spine line almost solid. He also seems to have a very pale undercoat with some indication of the presence of silver. A happy boy.

A.V. Self Kitten

1st – Fletcher’s MAZPAHS MUSTANG SALLY (29) F 29/11/09. A very promising little female but she was much too cross for such a young baby. Very good type and lovely warm rich Havana colour, although at present the coat is interspersed with some lighter ticked hairs in places, and mummy really should have tidied up the odd white hairs in the groin area... Super eye colour. I hope she enjoys her next show a little better.

2nd – Constable’s NUTROSTAR ZALTAN 05/02/10

3rd – Hirst’s TOGHAR PUTASPELL ONYOU 31/10/09

A.V. Maiden Neuter

1st – Ford’s CH SARNAU REDELLA (37d) FN 22/04/02. A mature quality lady in super condition for an 8 yr old. Well balanced overall with good head type, oval shape to eyes with colour still good. Profile a little uneven but chin firm – no incisors or canines but gums looked level. Coat of lovely rich red colouring, coloured to roots with minimal pattern and very good length and texture. A dear lady – good to see her again.

A.V. Veteran Neuter

1st – Ford’s CH SARNAU REDELLA (37d) FN 22/04/02

Congratulations Class : Oriental Bicolour Adult, Kitten or Neuter

1st – Finn’s PALANTIR SNOWSTRIPE (48n) MN 02/11/07. Long time no see this lovely boy. Excellent head, very stylish indeed. Very good brownish tones to lilac based caramel coat and sound, white areas correct to well over the one third required, pristine clean and well prepared. Rather shy and not doing himself justice today.

2nd - Willis’ LEBRETON FINLAY (48 40b) M 28/02/08.

ex 2nd - Whiston’s MIYOKO CHIQUITITA (48 45bs) FN 21/11/08. A most attractive lady, very even and well balanced overall. Very nice balance between white and base pattern, approximately half white, on head, limbs and under tummy, very dark chocolate ticked areas with clear silver undercoat just over half way up the hair shaft, shows some tarnishing to muzzle. Excellent to handle.

3rd – Whiston’s LEBRETON CHEYENNE PLAINS (48 40) MN 06/07/06. A very large lad of lovely type, he has an excellent head with super eye colour for a Bicolour. White does show in all the correct places, just not enough of it, which is a pity. Excellent to handle and he really does need his double pen!

4th – Dinsdale's APPLEJACK VANILLA-SKY (48b) 26/05/07. A big strong girl in top condition, but somewhat lacking in Oriental type and expression. Predominately white with small very dark chocolate patches on head and shoulders and a chocolate tail. Rather cross.

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