

## Somerset CC – 05/06/01

**Mrs Di Brown**

My thanks to Elaine, Lisa & John for the judging invitation, the hospitality was second to none as always. I had a busy and enjoyable day with some very good cats to judge.

### OPEN CLASSES

#### A.C. Siamese/Balinese GD CH Adult Female

**IMP GD CC – Pounds' GD CH JOMESE JENNY MANYDOTS (32b1) 03/08/07.**

A well balanced and very stylish lady. Super head with wide top line and large nicely flared ears set to balance. Oriental eye shape, marginally straight set, colour could be deeper for a seal tortie. Straight profile and good firm chin, bite missing a few top incisors but looks level. Well toned body, long and slender, long elegant limbs and spoon paws, long whip tail to balance. Dark seal tortie points with a good deal of mid red mingling on all points, some richer tones show on the ears in particular. Coat quite shaded overall but some contrast still evident, it was also short and close with very good texture. A super lady to handle, very friendly, beautifully poised and presented on a blanket throne.

**2<sup>nd</sup>, R w/h – Harper's GD CH LYNNOX JEZABELE (24a) 26/06/08.** A beautiful lady for type. Stylish medium wedge with excellent top of head and large open based ears following the lines of the wedge exactly. Excellent eye shape and set with very haughty expression, colour mid blue that was marginally dull in tone. Almost straight profile, such a deep pugilistic chin that it makes you have a good look at her bite, and unfortunately it was very undershot as I suspected. Such a pity because in every other respect she is lovely. Long well defined neck and long firm toned body, slender limbs and long whip tail to balance. Cool toned mid blue points almost matching, coat shows good glacial tones to bib and tummy with fairly heavy blue shading over the back, length and texture very good. Another very friendly girl – such a shame about her bite. Beautifully presented.

#### A.C. Oriental Champion Adult Male

**GD CC – Will's CH COCOBA KNIGHT RIDER (37) 22/05/07.** A stylish and masculine boy of very good type. Broad medium wedge with lovely top and large ears set to balance. Very good shape set and expression to eyes with mid green colour. Good profile and chin with level bite. Long body, would have preferred him to carry a touch more muscle tone, but some entire males do tend to run up light and he was a reasonable weight for size, long strong limbs and good length tail. Jet black coat that was a touch long and fine in texture, but lying close to body, sound to roots. Excellent to handle and very well presented.

#### A.C. Oriental Champion Adult Female

**GD CC – Will's CH KASSALIC FRAGGLES SECRET (37e) 20/07/07.** A dainty lady of stylish type. Medium length wedge with very good top of head and good sized ears set to follow. Oriental eye shape and set with good green colour. Straight profile and good firm chin of depth, bite lacks most of the incisors but looks level. Long and firm toned body, deceptively weighty for size, dainty limbs and long whip that almost balances. Jet black coat beautifully mingled with super rich red in the

main, very sound to roots and of excellent sleek texture. The sweetest temperament and excellently presented.

**2<sup>nd</sup> , R w/h – Dawe's CH BARBECCO AMIDALA (37h) 23/02/09.** For size, type and maturity I did prefer this lady of the two, but unfortunately her eye colour is very poor indeed now, and I could find no hint of green. Well balanced medium wedge with very good top line and large flared ears set wide. Oriental shape and set with excellent expression, but the colour is yellow bordering on amber. Dip to profile centre nose, firm chin and level bite, marginal pinch to muzzle. Excellent substance to long well muscled body, long limbs, tail needs a touch more length to balance. Rich warm tones to mid chocolate tortie coat, very well mingled overall in mid and rich red, sound to roots and of excellent close texture. Super temperament, handled beautifully, a shame about her eye colour but the lighting took no prisoners today. Excellently presented.

#### **Oriental Tortoiseshell Neuter**

**PC – Lee's WILLHAVETODO WINNIETHEWITCH (37e) 27/05/06.** A really good sized girl of very good type. Medium length wedge with good top of head and fairly large open based ears well set. Oval shaped eyes well set, with two tone green colour. Straight strong profile and good chin, just the three top incisors remaining but bite looks reasonably level. Excellent substance to good length body, long elegant limbs, tapered tail needs a little more length for balance. Super glossy black coat very well mingled overall in mid and pale red, with wonderful close sleek texture, completely sound to roots. I understand that this makes her up to Premier, congratulations. A very vocal lady excellently presented.

**Judged for BOB only and awarded – CH & UK IMP GD PR WILLHAVETODO OUIJAH BOARD (37p) 27/05/06.** An extremely old friend who never seems to change, I have little to add to numerous previous critiques. Excellent type, super coat colour and eye colour, what else is there to say? – I would just like her a tad braver. Beautifully presented.

#### **Oriental Bicolour Male Neuter**

A difficult class with little between these two lads.

**PC & BOB – Willis' WILLHAVETODO PINTSIZEPINTO (48 40) 16/05/08.** A handsome chap of very good type, not the largest of boys but he does have a mature look to him, which was the decider for the placings in the end. Well balanced head with very good top line and large ears very well set. Oriental eye shape and set with super expression and good depth of blue colour, particularly given the proximity of white. Excellent strong profile and very firm chin with level bite. Good length and substance to firm toned body, elegant limbs, tail needs a touch more length to balance. Dark dense seal points with very good warmth of tone for a Bicolour, amount of white just on the one third required with complete slightly narrow line down the tummy, plenty across the chest, on all four limbs and an attractive inverted 'v' outline to mask. Super short coat of very good texture, with warm toned medium shading over back. A very friendly boy to handle and excellently presented.

**2<sup>nd</sup> – Taylor's JADEVYN BRYCHAN TROEDMAWR (48 40bt) 19/05/08.** A very attractive lad slightly bigger than the winner but he still has a slightly effeminate look about him. Very stylish head with wide top line and large ears set to follow.

Oriental eye shape and set with mid blue that was marginally dull in tone. Almost straight profile with firm chin and level bite. Very good weight and substance to body of very good length, slender limbs, tail a little short for all that body length. Very nice balance of white to pattern to this lad, he has about one half white in all the correct places and dark chocolate tabby markings to points including well ringed tail. Short coat perhaps a touch too fine in texture but lying close, shaded overall with tiny pale chocolate spots. A very sweet boy to handle. Excellently presented.

#### **A.C. Oriental Longhair Male Neuter**

**Judged for BOB only and awarded – Perkins’ GR PR APRIKAT SUMMERHEAT (62 15d) 03/11/07.** A large handsome and imposing boy of strong type. Strong head with excellent top line and ears of good size, nicely furnished and set to balance. Snooty expression to eyes of oriental shape and set with very good green colour. Strong profile and deep chin with level bite. Very long substantial body, excellent weight yet still elegant, long strong boned limbs and large fringed paws, tail needs an inch to balance. Rich deep red coat colour, red to roots but slightly paler at the lower edges where it frills somewhat, coat length excellent and flows beautifully, texture very fine and silky, plume very well furnished. A lovely boy to handle, really friendly and outgoing. Excellently presented.

#### **Seal Point Siamese Neuter**

**PC & BOB – Grice’s MANTINES LOOKWHOSTALKING 27/06/09.** Supremely elegant lad of very good type and style. Longish wedge but top line wide enough to balance it out, ears very large and flared, set wide. Excellent vibrant blue to eyes of oriental shape set and expression. Almost roman profile with a tiny dip to nose, good chin and level bite. Long well defined neck, very long slender body with a good tone to it, elegant limbs and neat spoon paws, super whippy tail to balance. Very dark but warm toned dense seal points. Warm fawn coat with medium shading which was heavier than ideal for such a young cat, coat length and texture good. Super to handle, purred the whole time. Beautifully presented.

### **MISCELLANEOUS CLASSES**

#### **A.C. Siamese/Balinese Breeders Adult**

**1<sup>st</sup> – Webster’s SPICESIAM ANISE STAR (32a) F 17/06/09.** Quite dainty but very stylish lady. Nicely balanced head with very good sized ears. Excellent eye shape and set with vivid blue colour. Profile, chin and bite good but showing a small pinch today. Firm little body of good length with whip tail to balance. Super rich bright red points with minimally shaded coat of very good length and texture. Lovely to handle.

**2<sup>nd</sup> – Lloyd’s RIDESTAR AFRICAN VIOLET (61dt) F 29/03/09.** A good sized and solid girl of very good type. Strong head with nicely furnished ears that were just about large enough. Oriental shaped eyes well set, colour mid blue. Almost straight profile and deep strong chin with level bite. Excellent substance to body with tail that almost balances. Bright red tabby marking, tail rings not easy to see but just about show when shaken out. Good coat length and texture with well furnished plume. Excellent to handle.

**3<sup>rd</sup> – Cockwell’s CARBEILE PAIGE CHERRY (32/5) F 22/06/09.** A stylish lady for type. Head well balanced with large well flared ears. Very good eye shape and set but colour could be a little more brilliant in tone. Good profile and chin but bite very untidy and appeared marginally undershot. Bright red tabby markings and virtually un-shaded coat of very good length and texture. Super temperament.

#### **A.C. Siamese/Balinese Non-Breeders Adult**

**1<sup>st</sup> – Parry’s CARBEILE OH SO GRACEFUL (32b8) F 22/06/09.** A typy young queen. Well balanced head with very good top line. Sweet expression to eyes of very good shape and set, with very good depth of colour and brilliance of tone. Almost straight profile and good chin but bite scissored under. Well toned body of good length and tail that almost balances. Blue-based caramel points, the colour is quite a soft colour for caramel and looks more blue than caramel in places, however, the tortie mingling shows hot gingery tones and as she is still very young, so I am happy to accept her as caramel today. Short slightly fine coat, shaded overall to tone. Excellent to handle.

**2<sup>nd</sup> – Thompson’s FELTZER SPRINGCHARMER (24c) M 20/02/09.** A big strong boy of overall good type. Longer wedge head with fairly good top, ears of good size but with the tendency to hold upright. Oval eye shape – better when relaxed, colour mid blue with a hint of a squint. Strong body of good length and longish tail. Points colour appeared to be more lilac-based caramel than lilac, they were quite dark and slightly brownly toned in places. Coat rather long soft and fine still, shaded over the hips in fawnish tones. A sweet boy.

#### **A.V. Novice Adult**

**1<sup>st</sup> – Rudge’s ROZANDEN YUKI (35) F 01/08/09.** An attractive girl, still quite kittenish in looks but not unreasonably so for 10 months. Typy head with very good top and large flared ears set to balance. Very good eyes for shape set and colour. Dainty but fairly weighty body with neat limbs and paws, good tail. Pristine white coat, beautifully prepared, excellent for length and texture. Excellent to handle.

**2<sup>nd</sup> – Berry’s BESAKIH’S HERCULES (IMP) (61c) M 29/05/09.** Rather a large person of very good type. Good head with fairly large well furnished ears set wide. Eyes a touch open and the colour needs to be considerably deeper. Long weighty body and strong limbs with large paws, good length well furnished plume. Coat needs a little more length down the sides but texture excellent. Points a soft pale lilac – very pretty. A sweet lad.

**3<sup>rd</sup> – Button’s BETHANE BARNABY (24a) M 06/08/09.** A young lad of overall good type but still very much a baby in appearance at the moment. Medium length wedge with fairly good top, profile almost straight, chin and bite good, showing a pinch to muzzle today. Eye shape a touch full but colour very good. Blue points dark and rather dingy toned, coat shows quite heavy shading for a youngster. A dear boy to handle.

#### **A.V. Aristocrat Adult**

**1<sup>st</sup> – Rudge’s MAGICAL MOONLIGHTSONATA (32/8) M 04/05/08.** A well developed lad of very good type. Strong broad wedge with very good top line and large open based ears set to balance. Very good profile and chin with level bite.

Oriental eye shape and set, colour needs more depth. Strong body of very good length with good tail. Excellent lilac-based caramel tabby markings, showing very good tail rings and with a bluish sheen to the scarab marking. Good length and texture to coat, shaded overall to tone. Excellent to handle.

#### **A.C. Oriental/Oriental Longhair (6-9months) Kitten**

**1<sup>st</sup> – Storr's BARBECCO PADME (37e) F 25/10/09.** A well grown baby of very good type. Stylish head with very good top and large flared ears. Eye shape good, a little straight set, with good green colour. Firm little body of good length, whip tail needs a touch more length. Super, short, glossy jet back coat, beautifully mingled throughout with mid and dark red, completely sound to roots. Overall a promising girl – but mummy really should tip her claws!

#### **A.V. Local Kitten**

**1<sup>st</sup> – McDermid's BARBECCO TARIA (37k) F 27/09/09.** A stylish girl who has improved since we last met. Even medium wedge head with good top, super green eyes, really vivid in tone. Good profile and chin, bite level-ish. Impressive coat, rich warm cinnamon, remarkably free from ghosting and virtually sound, beautifully short and close lying. Easy to handle.

**2<sup>nd</sup> – Lloyd's RIDESTAR SANDALWOOD (61ft) M 20/01/10.** Thumping great kitten, simply enormous for 4 and a half months, type good with strong head and good eye colour. Good colour developing to tabby markings with tail rings beginning to show. Coat length promising for age with beautifully silky texture. Sweet tempered.

**3<sup>rd</sup> – Cockwell's BARBECCO CHIEF CHIRPA (37d) MN 25/10/09.** A very typy lad but he is at the moment rather small for 7 months, particularly a boy. Stylish head with very good top and he has lovely vivid green colour to his oriental shaped eyes. Vibrant red colour to coat, although at present he has a spotted pattern with a clarity and definition that an oriental spotted would envy – even down to the tiny spotting over the shoulders, hopefully this will clear somewhat as he ages. Super coat texture. A friendly boy.

#### **A.V. Visitors Kitten**

**1<sup>st</sup> – Dawe's METEXA ZAFIRO (37a) F 23/01/10.** A super little girl, promising for type, with very good green eye colour and a very sound mid blue coat that had excellent length and texture for a baby. A very sweet person to handle.

**2<sup>nd</sup> – Bennett's ABICASA SUPER TROUPER (32/3) M 09/10/09.** A lovely boy with very good head type and super large flared ears. Good eye shape set and colour. Dark chocolate tabby markings – ticked based by the look of it, with blurred scarab, single ribbons and minimal tail rings. Good coat with light ticked shading overall. Monorchid at present. Handled well.

**3<sup>rd</sup> - Storr's BARBECCO PADME (37e) F 25/10/09**

#### **A.C. Oriental/Oriental Longhair Self Neuter**

**1<sup>st</sup> – Lodwig's WILLHAVETODO VOODOO MAJIC (37) MN02/08/09.** A gorgeous boy for type and very well developed for age, it is such a pity he is so bad tempered, even though it does give him a really evil look which I do like. Strong head

with excellent top and he has very good green colour to his oriental eyes. Excellent coat qualities, glossy black and sound with short close texture. A very naughty person.

**2<sup>nd</sup> – Ceci's PR TOLEMAC TIGHTSQUEEZE (37a) MN 25/02/04.** A very sweet boy of good type. Longer wedge with fairly good top and ears that are set marginally close for balance. Coat good today, mid blue, virtually sound and ghosting free. Good tempered.

#### **A.C. Siamese/Balinese Junior Neuter**

**1<sup>st</sup> - Hutchings' PR MAFDET MACARTHUR (32/8) MN 23/04/09.** This boy has really lovely type with a beautifully balanced head and super eye shape set and colour. He also has very good tabby markings in fudgy toned lilac-based caramel, with extremely well ringed tail. If I were to nit pick, I would like him a little more masculine looking, but I suppose he still has time on his side. Wonderful temperament – a huge time waster.

**2<sup>nd</sup> - Grice's MANTINES LOOKWHOSTALKING (24) MN 27/06/09**

#### **A.C. Siamese/Balinese Senior Neuter**

**1<sup>st</sup> – Pounds' GD PR JOMESE THE JOKER (32fn) MN 26/07/04.** An old friend, looking rather good today. He is a bit overlong everywhere but it does give him a very imposing look and his points colour is excellent. Not without his little problems but overall a very handsome lad. A joy to handle as always.

#### **A.V. Aristocrat Neuter**

**1<sup>st</sup> – Crumpler's SARNAJES SULTANOF SWING (24b) MN 03/02/08.** A stylish boy although he still has a rather adolescent look to him. Points colour very dark but there is a modicum of warmth to them. Excellent coat contrast, virtually un-shaded. Easy to handle.

#### **Any Siamese/Balinese Adult, Kitten or Neuter Born January – June.**

**1<sup>st</sup> – Pounds' JOMESE JENNI LOTSASPOTS (32b1) F 29/01/10.** I do like the look of this very promising baby. She has such a strong little head with super broad top and very large butterfly ears set wide. Eyes of good shape but a touch large in proportion to the head at present and although the colour has very good depth it lacks brilliance of tone. Seal tortie points rather black and white in appearance at this stage, hopefully some richer red tones will develop as she grows. A really solid and well grown baby. Super temperament.

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