

Linda Vousden's Judge Reports
LH, SLH & All Breeds CC Show, 6th October 2018

Many thanks to Carol and to her ever efficient team for inviting me to judge at this friendly and well run show. I was delighted to see such a good number of entries. I also thank my husband Mike for his usual efficient and gentle stewarding.

Breed Class 531, Tonkinese Colourpointed Pattern Neuter, one in class for BOB only.

BOB W/H – Walker's Pr TONKYWAY SABA (TOS b 33) MN 18-09-17 – I was very sorry to withhold the BOB from this male unfortunately he has a notable bump on his nose, which is a withholding fault. Otherwise he is lovely cat with good type, good warm chocolate colouration and a superb example of a chocolate CPP. His eyes are a deep, clear blue and his coat is close-lying with a soft satin texture. A very nice natured cat and beautifully presented.

Misc. Class 798, AV Senior Section 4 Foreign Adult, one in class.

1st - Hicks's Ch NEFRAEL MOONLIGHT (SPH a 33) F 04/05/16 – Overall good size, weight type and balance. A very nice expression of the pointed pattern with the blue of her points a deeper tone of the blue torso and the characteristic restriction of colour over her neck and shoulders. Her head is a moderate wedge shape with high cheeks, rounded muzzle and definite whisker pinch. She has good ear set, slight nose break and somewhat shallow chin. A rather untidy bit showing some missing teeth. Well-set lemon shaped eyes of the palest blue tones. Strong elegant body with slim tapering tail to balance. A good tempered female, easy to handle and well presented.

Misc. Class 801, AV Visitors Section 4 Foreign Adult, two in class.

1st – Hadley's Ch RHODIC CARAMAC OF LIGHTPAW (BEN n 24 32) M 28/01/17 – A very impressive AOC eyed snow spotted male. Excellent size, weight and muscle tone and in lovely condition. His head is a good broad medium wedge with gently rounded contours and high cheeks. The ears are medium-small, broad based, pricked forward and with round tips. A good profile with a slightly concave curve from the bridge of the broad nose to the leather. A level bite and chin of good depth. His muzzle is broad and gently rounded with well-defined whisker pads to give his muzzle a puffed appearance. He has slight jowling that doesn't detract from the proportions of his head. He has very pale green eyes with a hint of blue, appropriate for his Tonkinese restriction coat-pattern. He has a strong muscular neck; the body is elegantly proportioned with strength and depth of chest and flank. His paws are strong and rounded. He has a clear and intricate scarab on his forehead, a good spotted coat-pattern in shades of black and dark brown over a warm ivory ground. He has well-defined markings with just a hint of agouti invasion on the flanks. A well-spotted belly and a well-ringed tail ending in a rounded tip of very dark brown. The coat is soft and sleek. He is eager to get back into his pen but very easy to handle and good natured. Beautifully presented. One of my 'take home' favourites today.

2nd - Hicks's GrCh GATODOURO BLISSFULLY BLUE MERLINI (SPH a 31) F 07/09/16 – a large female of good overall type and even toned blue colour consistent with the Burmese colour restriction pattern. She has a medium wedge shaped head with rounded high cheeks and a well define muzzle, chin of medium depth, slightly untidy bite. Appealing lemon shaped eyes of good set in a pale milky green colour. Good head, the clean lines of which are slightly affected by a bump on her nose. Lovely condition, well-presented and good natured.

Misc. Class 802, AV Section 4 Foreign Kitten, three in class.

1st - Elliott-Jenkins's SCARLETT-ROSE SERENDIPITY (DRX) FK 27-03-18 – A very sweet black tortie Devon Rex with clean and bright colours, well-mingled over her coat. Overall of good type and muscle-tone. Her head is a short wedge with broad high cheeks, a slight whisker pinch and broad gently rounded muzzle. A good nose break, and depth of chin. Ears just a fraction small to balance the head. Yellow-green eyes held quite open in her excitement today. She has good coat coverage with firm rippled texture, soft to touch. A good set of

stubby whiskers. Aside from the little red bald patch on her lower left back leg she is in lovely condition. She has the most wonderful temperament and I found it difficult to put her back in the pen.

2nd – Hope’s HYPNOS STELMOFIRE (BEN n 24) MK 14/04/18 - Overall a very nice young brown spotted male with promise. A good size, weight and muscle tone for his age. He has a medium wedge-shaped head with rounded contours, high cheek bones, his forehead curves gently down to the bridge of his broad nose. His profile is good with a slight concave from the bridge of his nose, level bite and chin of medium depth. He has a defined whisker pinch and broad gently rounded muzzle. His medium-short ears are pricked forward and well set, with rounded tips. He has nicely oval shaped yellow-gold eyes. His body strong and well proportioned, long slender limbs and rounded paws, a tail of good shape and length to balance the torso. His coat-pattern is good and in a rich dark brown colour with signs of glitter developing, showing no white patches or agouti invasion. Sleek and close lying. The tabby markings are all correct including the belly spots and random medium sized rosettes. A little feisty and eager to get back into his pen but handled well and nicely presented.

3rd – Hadley’s QUEENANNE YARA OF LIGHTPAW (BEN n 24) FK 22/02/18 - A very feminine brown spotted little cat. Of overall good type, her muzzle looks a little pointed and her chin a fraction shallow, but otherwise she has a well-shaped head with light yellow green lustrous eyes Good body proportions and muscle tone. A well-spotted coat with a good scarab and cheek ribbons, nicely spotted belly, some slight agouti invasion over the rosettes on her torso, the pattern is a fairly brown tone. Her coat appears to be a little soft and fluffy today. A chatty young female, friendly and showing signs of coming into season. A pleasure to handle and nicely presented.