

**SIAMESE & ALL BREEDS CAT CLUB SHOW. 16 Oct 16.**

Sincere thanks to **Ronnie** for so kindly inviting me to judge at this prestigious show & first time back-to-back event with the GCCFI Dublin CC show held at the Royal Dublin Society Exhibition Centre as part of their Pet Expo. Everything seemed to go very smoothly, so if there were any hiccups they were quickly smoothed over. There was so much for the public to see & there seemed to be an excellent gate, which would have been added to by another 150 who would have come in to see the cats had there been a crèche for their dogs! Thanks also **Ronnie** for the lovely hanging stained glass which now catches the sun in our south facing lounge. We will treasure it. Colin & I had a wonderful time & particularly enjoyed seeing something of Co Dublin as well as the fair city itself. Being rather fond of Guinness it was fantastic to be able to drink it in its ancestral home (though' these days I gather it's owned by Coates Gamers, the "Babycham" magnates). To **Simone Roper** my friend & steward, a million thanks for so kindly making the journey across the water specially to assist me & for bringing **Chelsea** to help the show team. You are real troopers & the Cat Fancy could do with more folk like you, so thank you both (& Colin too).

**ASIAN SELF or TORTIE (inc. BOMBAY) ADULT. 1 present.**

**1<sup>st</sup> CC & BoB**

**LENIHAN's COOMAKISTA REALTNAH OICHE.** ASH n. Female. 17 months.

Immature head type as yet - short blunt wedge of good width, top of head is wide & gently rounded, large ears are well shaped & set. Profile shows rounded brow & forehead, break to short nose needs more definition, firm level chin & level bite. Rather deep set gold eyes are of acceptable size & well set but are of incorrect round shape thus lack the desired expression. Immature lass looking unbalanced today & who I'd prefer a little larger at this stage has a well shaped muscular body with fit, firm feel, shapely limbs, well shaped tail balances. Fairly short coat with satin texture & highly polished finish is of ebony black, virtually sound to the roots & bar free. A shy little lady in good condition who although not showing to her best advantage is well worthy of the Certificate & BoB today.

**HHP – GINGER or GINGER & WHITE CAT. 1 present.**

**1<sup>st</sup> & BoB GALIGAN's TIGGY. Ginger & White SH MN. 7 years.**

A very handsome chap in “fab-u-lous” condition who positively shone with health, his coat of autumnal rusts & russets ablaze against the white of summer clouds. The sweetest cuddliest chap who gets a purrfect 10 from me for cuddle-ability & presentation. He must be a joy to own as he certainly was a joy to judge. Thanks for letting me see him. He does you great credit.

**ANY COLOUR MALE KITTEN 4 – 9 MONTHS. 1 present.**

**1<sup>st</sup> & BoB HAYDE's SPOT. GINGER & WHITE LH. 4 months.**

What a poppet! Dear little man in top physical condition & beautifully presented this irresistible little purrson, albeit somewhat overwhelmed by the crowds, totally stole my heart & almost got popped into my steward's pocket, but I caught her in time!

**ANY COLOUR FEMALE KITTEN 4 – 9 MONTHS. 1 present.**

**1<sup>st</sup> WELDON's GLENDA. Black SH. 4 ½ months.**

A little darling of very good size & in very good condition, her raven's wing black coat shining with health. It was just such a shame that this little treasure was even more overwhelmed by the crowds than the little boy mentioned above.

**Report ends.**

***Dorothy A Stone***