

Spéciale d'élevage Siamois, orientaux, balinais, mandarins, peterbald

Descriptif

Lieu : *Castelmaurou* Date : *9 septembre 2017*
 Club de race organisateur de la spéciale : *AFAS - Association Féline des Amis du Siamois*
 Représenté par/ responsable sur place : *Véronique Dubos*
 Club organisateur de l'exposition : *Amobs Star*
 Juge(s) de la spéciale : *Yvonne Kleijn*
 Élève-juge :
 Nombre de chats présents : *34*

- **Nombre et répartition des chats en jugement individuel**

	Nb d'adultes	Nb de neutres	Nb de 6/10 mois	Nb de 3/6 mois
Mâles	8	6	2	2
Femelles	11	1	1	3

Variétés représentées : 13 siamois, 18 orientaux, 3 mandarins

- **Nombre et répartition des classes spécifiques**

	Nombre
Lots d'élevage - trois fils ou filles d'un même reproducteur (mâle ou femelle) - examiner la qualité et l'homogénéité de la descendance.	1
Lots 3 générations - trois sujets (ex : père, fille, petit-fils) issus de trois générations successives - examiner la qualité et la transmission des caractères morphologiques.	0
Vétérans (+ de 6 ans) - individuel, chats de plus de 6 ans - examen au jour J + mise en perspective (évolution avec l'âge, évolution du type de la race dans le temps)	2

Siamese :

My general impression is that the group shown was homogeneous and almost all looked alike. The type was correct but modest. I had no real reason to withhold certificates but had wished for a little more extreme type.

All profiles were straight, with good chins. Some had lovely wedges, but not all had long wedges. All had good earsets, but in most cases I would have preferred larger and more open ears. Most Siamese had round eyes which in my opinion takes away the typical look of the Siamese. Some had even big round eyes. Colour needs attention, most Siamese did not have deep blue eyes, in fact I strongly believe people do not remember the "violet blue" eyes of the old Siamese. Selection when breeding is the only way back to darker eye colours.

All bodies were nice, long and tubular, with elegant refined legs, good tails. (but not great tails). Some had very lovely musculature and good body weights. A number of Siamese I found rather small.

Overall very nice soft and silky and tight coats, some a little long but because of the tightness it was not obvious.

Very lovely point colours, in kittens especially very promising regular point development.

Lovely clear body colours, quite exceptional actually in two tortie points of 5 and 4 years. Their bodies were still ivory and clear without spotting or discolouring.

Overall a lovely group, but as was shown in my top 10, the better cats were the Orientals.

Orientals :

The overall quality of the Orientals, and especially the tabbies, was very impressive. Although my very best top cat was a stunning solid Havana.

Headtype in 90 percent of the Orientals was super. Lovely long, strong and refined wedges, super long noses, so important for the balance in a head. Excellent topheads with very lovely big open, and well set, ears. Excellent straight profile and nice chins.

Lovely eyeshapes and lovely green eye colours (with one or two exceptions) in most cases.

Excellent tubular bodies, some cats took my breath away with their style, their strong musculatures - horse-like solid strength really - giving them a very healthy feel to the body.

Long refined and elegant legs forming a beautiful complete overall balance. Super tails to Finnish. The coats were sublime of almost all of them. Nrs 128.122, 120, 50, 141 and 117 had spectacular short coats. Something to hold on to with breeding, selecting on coats like that will eventually breed out the sometimes woolly undercoats.

Ticking and spotting was spectacular, even a lovely cream blotched tabby with loads of contrast. Colour especially in the brown tabbies needs attention. The base colour needs to be warmer in tone, however they all had spectacular glossy coats which I find such an asset.

Almost all in super show condition, a wonderful healthy and strong group.

My top 10 was

1. 128
2. 122
3. 120
4. 50
5. 141
6. 117
7. 76
8. 142
9. 24
10. 160

Date : 13 septembre 2017

Signature du/des juge(s) :