

London Championship Show Society

Challenge – Mr Derek Medlock

Very much a unique event for me, never dreamed through this virus we would be down to judging our rabbits from a photograph.

Have had to leave behind natural instincts of judging.

By the entry this has appealed to many of you. But do hope this is only temporary.

When speaking to a retired rabbit person last week, I told her I was judging 4 rabbits by photographs, “You can not be serious “ was her reaction, well we have done it, as I say, a unique event.

My critique below, thought the Tan excelled in all points you could see.

Well done to the London young ladies Emma,, Hanna and Stevie for putting this together.

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Challenge		Pen No.		Critique
Challenge AA ()	1	211	Albany Stud	<p>Tan</p> <p>Showing very good type when sitting naturally, looking very fit in coat, good sheen. Excels demarcation, good chest edges and sides, very good shape and coloured triangle, tanning looks even and rich, very good winner.</p>
	2	433	S & H Elliott	<p>STEEL BUTTERFLY FRENCH LOP.</p> <p>Certainly has a classic head, very good ear shape, carriage and drop, also crown. Butterfly markings good, real rich Steel colour, was not told it's age but feel it needs to mature more in body and fill out slightly more on shoulder.</p>
	3	622	S & H Elliott	<p>ALASKA</p> <p>Looks in prime condition, colour and coat very good, touch strong on ears, and could really do with a more solid/mature body shape.</p>
	4	831	Spencer Bartle (Junior)	<p>MINI ORANGE REX</p> <p>Type and size look very good, undercolour well down, certainly a plus. Ears strong enough, touch dark shading on body and mask distracting of the overall colour.</p>

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Good effort by the Juniors, these are the Fanciers who could take to this system, as I am told this keeps them interested in our hobby while we are going through these desperate times. Hope you can be bringing them out to proper BRC Shows before long, so again thank you for your enthusiasm.

Challenge		Pen No.		Critique
Junior AA ()	1	395	Victoria Brown (Junior)	<p>MINIATURE LOP.</p> <p>A lot to like about it especially size, body type, good well positioned head, broad skull, ear carriage, coat hard to assess from a photo.</p>
	2	133	Katana Smith (Junior)	<p>BELGIAN HARE.</p> <p>A good point is it's fine bone, head and ear carriage, even in colour where finished, fair arch to body.</p>
	3	619	Cedarhouse Stud (Tru Byble) (Junior)	<p>ALASKA.</p> <p>Can only assume it's a youngster, certainly not bold enough to be a full adult, skull and ears no problem there, little hard to assess from photo shown.</p>
	4	831	Spencer Bartle (Junior)	<p>MINI ORANGE REX.</p> <p>(See Grand Challenge) Type and size look very good, undercolour well down, certainly a plus, ears strong enough, touch dark shading on body and mask distracting of the overall colour.</p>

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