



Organised by Bradford Small Livestock Society

**Normal Fur Section
Judge: Mrs Donna Nicholson**

Total Exhibits: 87

General Comments

In a time when we are all wondering when we will see one another again, I am thrilled to see that for once the fancy is pulling together to keep one another's spirits high and in general, using social media in a positive light. Rabbit shows take a very back seat to our health, and the BRC were quick to respond when the government's guide lines came out, for which they should be commended. It is also good to see how the *Fur & Feather* team has responded, helping clubs with adverts and trying to publish articles which will give us something to read through the long months ahead. They still need your help though, so maybe it's time for the critics to stop moaning and put pen to paper for once!

I was therefore only too delighted to help judge the Bradford Easter Online Competition. Mind you, once I'd got going, I did wonder what I'd let myself in for!! "How hard can it be?" you may ask. Let me tell you.... it is a lot harder than you realise! Not being able to see into a coat or under, or even run your hands through the coat ... it makes you use every ounce of standard knowledge you possess in order to make a fair assessment of the image in front of you. It also makes you realise the importance of type in EVERY breed and the need to pose the rabbit according to its standard.

Anyway, thank you for the honour of judging your Online Fur Section. My best was a super looking Silver Fox, followed by a chunky teddy Blue Vienna. Two very smart rabbits. A lovely looking Alaska won the u5 class. Well done to all the winners, whoever you are.

I hope we can have another show soon Foxy, so I can enter next time! Well done for organising this. Keep smiling everyone and most importantly – stay safe!

Argente Crème Adult (2) CC

1st 208 Master H Bartle - Young adult judging from its face; very neat type, good top colour and even silvering; clean and fit.

2nd 209 Master H Bartle

Argente Crème u5 (1)

1st 210 Master H Bartle - Fair type; looks to have a rich under colour; fair top, still to even up. Promising.

Argente De Champagne Adult (2) CC BOB

1st 211 O Pike - Grand stamp of a cham; lovely bold head, great chunky legs and broad shoulders; even top colour and wealth of coat.

2nd 212 Cedarhall Stud

Argente De Champagne u5 (1)

1st 213 O Pike - Lovely shape from the angle of the photo, bold head and broad shoulders; Good colour under, still to cover top.

Argente Noir Adult (4) CC

3rd 214 K Hussey

2nd 215 K Hussey - Neat type; Even top, looks to have fair under colour; touch on ears to clear.

1st 216 Delcombe Stud - Lovely shape; Very even top silvering, good ears and head; just to clear smut; looks fit and ready!

4th 217 Delcombe Stud

Argente Noir u5 (2)

1st 218 K Hussey - Lovely neat type; good even top; looks to have a good wealth to coat and undercolour; just to clear on ears and smut.

2nd 219 Delcombe Stud

Argente St Hubert Adult (2) CC

2nd 220 Mrs T Carey - Nice typey rabbit, but flash has not shown the colour well.

1st 221 K Hussey - difficult to assess as the photos did not them justice. Wins on correct silvering top and can see some of the under colour. Good size.

Havana Adult (1) CC

1st 222 ThePros - Lovely type; rich, even top where clear, just a touch on the shoulder and nape to clear; would like a feel of that coat!

Sable Ac Adult (1) CC

1st 223 N Woods - Fair type, touch narrow fronted; Warm colour to head & ears; Clean points; Fair saddle and shading.

Sable Ac u5 (2)

2nd 224 Mrs J Stuart

1st 225 Mrs J Stuart - Both very narrow fronted, but this doe has a more promising back end, so front may follow; Fair colour head & ears; feet are grubby under and to clear on top; white hairs in ears spoil.

Satin AC Ad (1) CC

1st 226 Mrs J Stuart - Difficult to see the satinisation from the image and colour looks a little darker than ideal; touch untidy on chest. Neat type, may fill out;

Miniature Satin Ivory Adult (1) CC

1st 227 Rameybec Stud - Fair type; Fair colour; well satinised; water mark from jowl may clear as the rabbit develops; looks clean under.

Silver Fox Black Adult (2) CC BOB

2nd 228 Mrs J Stuart

1st 229 Purdy & Smith - Excels in all departments. Lovely bold type; Clean, bright points; High ticking; Fit.

Silver Fox Black u5 (1)

1st 230 Winckles Family - Fair type (he might have moved when the picture was taken!); bold head; clean points; fair ticking; looks to be in baby coat at the moment, but should make up well.

Silver Fox Lilac Adult (1) CC

1st 231 Misfit Stud - Nice type; Looks an even colour from the photo; fair ticking; clean under; just breaking on smut and head.

Smoke Pearl Ac Adult (2) CC

2nd 232 N Woods - Shoulders & sides either clearing or just going. Nice though.

1st 233 N Woods - Although not posed well, the rabbit has type (I imagined!); Good colour head, ears and feet; clean points; clear shoulders and saddle.

Deilenaar Adult (1) CC

1st 234 Delcombe Stud - Using my imagination again - looks to have good type if posed correctly; Rich top and good mackereling; touch moulty on chest.

Hulstlander Adult (1) CC

1st 235 Mrs J Wallace - Fair type; Nice head and eye, good ears; Good colour; very moulty.

Perlfée Buck Adult (5)

1st 236 Botany Stud - Lovely even top colour; clean points; just needs posing correctly to show its type off

2nd 237 J Brown

3rd 238 Mr & Mrs W Wright

5th 239 Mr & Mrs W Wright

4th 240 Miss E Hines

Perlfée Doe Adult (8) CC

241 J Brown

242 J Brown

3rd 243 J Brown

4th 244 J Brown

245 Mr & Mrs W Wright

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1st 247 Mr & Mrs W Wright - Lovely type; Even top; Clean points and fair front feet.

2nd 248 Mr & Mrs W Wright

Sallander Adult (1) CC

1st 249 Broadoak Stud - Lovely size and good type; Good shadings and colour to sides; fair feet and head; fit.

Thuringer Adult (2) CC

2nd 250 Broadoak Stud

1st 251 ThePros - Good shape; Good top colour and sides; Bold head, good ears and feet.

Vienna AC Adult (8) CC

252 Miclin Stud

253 Cedarhall Stud

4th 254 Tibbar Stud

3rd 255 Tibbar Stud

1st 256 Tibbar Stud - Lovely size; bold type; Lovely head and ears, strong front; Even colour; Just looks like a big teddy bear!

2nd 257 Tibbar Stud - Another lovely looking rabbit, not quite the boldness of type as winner; lovely colour.

258 Tibbar Stud

259 Tibbar Stud

Alaska Adult (2)

2nd 260 Cedarhall Stud

1st 261 ThePros - Lovely bold head; Good colour.

Alaska u5 (5) CC

1st 262 Miss A Germany - Little beaut; lovely type, strong shoulder and bone; good head; even colour. Fit.

2nd 263 Miss A Germany - Liked this a lot, would like to see it sat to really show its type off. Super colour. Fit.

5th 264 Cedarhall Stud

4th 265 Cedarhall Stud

3rd 266 Cedarhouse Stud

Beveren Blue Adult (1)

1st 267 Mrs J Wallace - Fair type from image; good even colour, even though he's a little moulty chap.

Beveren White Adult (2) CC BOB

2nd 268 Mrs J Wallace

1st 269 Mrs J Wallace - Good length, size and type; Good colour & eye; Clean.

Californian Ac Adult (1) CC

1st 270 Bluezak Stud - Fair type; looks to have a good smut & ears; good front feet; touch moutly in coat.

Chinchilla Giganta Adult (2) CC

1st 271 Mrs J Stuart - Good type; even top; good colour; fair front feet.

2nd 272 Mrs J Stuart

Chinchilla Giganta u5 (1)

1st 273 Mrs J Stuart - Promising baby; Good type; Even top; Good colour. Just to clear.

New Zealand White Adult (2)

1st 274 Winckles Family -

2nd 275 Winckles Family

New Zealand White u5 (3) CC

2nd 276 Winckles Family

1st 277 Winckles Family - Bold head, good ears; Good colour; Can see the wealth of guard hair in the coat.

3rd 278 Winckles Family - My handbag rabbit!

New Zealand Black u5 (1) CC

1st 279 Winckles Family - Good rich colour; fair type;

New Zealand Red u5 (2)

1st 280 Mrs J Winckles - Well up to age; Rich, even colour; solid type; Fit.

2nd 281 Mrs J Winckles - I'll take this one home as well!!

Continental Giant White Adult (1) CC

1st 282 Doubledee Stud - Good length to body; strong head, ears, shoulder and legs; Fair coat and colour; Immaculate.

Continental Giant Steel Adult (3) CC BOB

1st 283 Doubledee Stud - Excels type; Lovely head, ears and strength through shoulders, legs and body. Good colour & length.

2nd 284 Doubledee Stud - Very close to winner

3rd 285 Ms L Dobson

Continental Giant Agouti Adult (2) CC

1st 286 Doubledee Stud - Good type; good head, ears and shoulder; Nice colour.

2nd 287 Ms L Dobson

Continental Giant Agouti u5 (2)

2nd 288 Doubledee Stud

1st 289 Doubledee Stud - Two very promising babies - I hope they grow into their ears to fulfil that potential. Good bold head; strong front and shoulder; good colour.

Continental Giant Aoc Adult (3) CC

1st 290 Ms L Dobson - Nice type; bold head and ears; Good front & colour.

2nd 291 Ms L Dobson

3rd 292 Ms L Dobson

Normal Fur Grand Challenge Adult (64)

- 1st 229 Silver Fox Black - Purdy & Smith
- 2nd 256 Vienna Ac - Tibbar Stud
- 3rd 283 Continental Giant Steel - Doubledee Stud
- 4th 222 Havana - ThePros

Normal Fur Grand Challenge u5 (21)

- 1st 262 Alaska - Miss A Germany
- 2nd 277 New Zealand White - Winckles Family
- 3rd 263 Alaska - Miss A Germany
- 4th 280 New Zealand Red - Mrs J Winckles

Best Normal Fur - 229 Silver Fox Black Adult - Purdy & Smith

Unstandardised Section

Holicer Blue Adult (2)

- 2nd 293 BB Stud
- 1st 294 Tibbar Stud - Smart looking rabbit; good shape; even colour; touch on chest.

Best Unstandardised Normal Fur - 294 Holicer Blue Adult - Tibbar Stud