



# **The Aqua Eye**

## **2025 Photo Contest Winners**



**Fransisco**

**3.5-month-old Platinum Point Male**

**Owner: Lisa Smith**

**Breeder: Bonnie Brooks**



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## 20th Annual Photo Contest Winners



### Best Kitten Photo

**Starfire**

**Champagne Point Kitten**

**Breeder/Owner:**

**Chelsea Parker (Seaflower)**

### Best Adult Photo

**Hot Rod Lincoln**

**3-years-old**

**Platinum Mink Neuter**

**Owner: Nona Morgan**

**Breeder: Deborah & Clinton Parker  
(Seaflower)**



## 20th Annual Photo Contest Winners-Continued



### Best Photo Showing Personality

**Stargazer and Moon Angel**

**3 and 5-year-old**

**Blue Point and Platinum Mink**

**Owner: Felicitie Bell**

**Breeder Jane Barletta (B'ssa) and  
Claire and Bob Dubit (Wan-Lea)**

### Best Photo Showing Sociability

**Misha**

**3-Year-Old**

**Natural Mink Female**

**Owner: Joanne Simeone**

**Breeder: Robert Hallead  
(Beritas)**



## 20th Annual Photo Contest Winners-Continued



### Best Photo Showing Humor

**Oliver**

**4-year-old**

**Champagne Solid Neuter**

**Owner: Kaori Motoyoshi**

**Breeder: Hisano Yamashita  
(Supersweet)**

### Best Photo Showing Creativity

**Tie**

### And Highest Scoring Photo

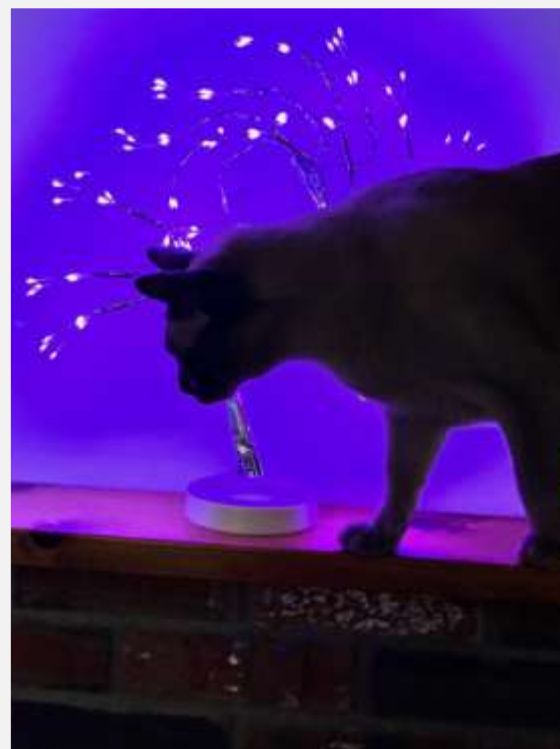
**Marco**

**5-year-old**

**Champagne Solid Neuter**

**Owner: Carol Thomas**

**Breeder: Lynn Jordan  
(Takrai)**





## 20th Annual Photo Contest-Continued

### Best Photo Showing Creativity

tie

**Dusty**

2-year-old

Platinum Mink Neuter

Owner: Deb Spanos

Breeder: Nancy Mikita  
(Minkitty)



### Honorable Mention



### HM Best Cover Photo

**Milo Hagerstrom**

3-years-old

Champagne Point

Owner: Ann Hagerstrom

Breeder: Lisa Smith  
(Machick)

**"I'm blending with the new sofa!"**

## 20th Annual Photo Contest Honorable Mention-Continued



### HM Best Cover Photo

**Ziva Anne Kennedy**

**1-years-old**

**Blue Solid Spay**

**Owner: Suzanne Kennedy**

**Breeder: Charles Dore & Beatrice Dore  
(Saimbalirags)**

**“Ziva’s beautiful face and focused  
eyes!”**

### HM Best Kitten Photo

**Jessie and Kirby’s Litter**

**four-5-week-old kittens**

**Champagne Point Kittens**

**Owner/Breeder: Barbara Reed  
(Verona Blue)**



### HM Best Kitten Photo

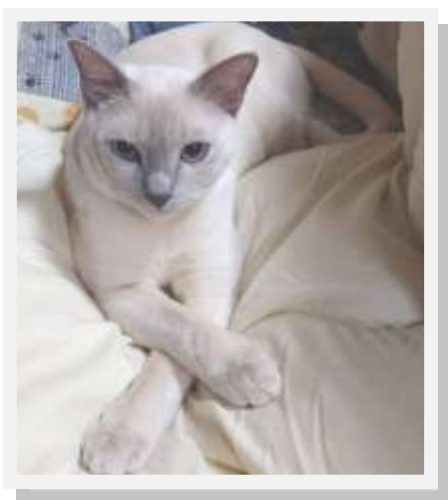
**Lexi**

**1-year-old**

**Platinum Point Male**

**Owner/Breeder: Deborah and Clinton  
Parker  
(Seaflower)**

## 20th Annual Photo Contest Honorable Mention-Continued



### HM Best Adult Photo

**Lebon**

**2-year-old**

**Platinum Mink Male**

**Owner: Wakako Shimizu**

**Breeder: Hisano Yamashita  
(Supersweet)**

### HM Best Photo Showing Personality

**Dusty**

**2-year-old**

**Platinum Mink Neuter**

**Owner: Deb Spanos**

**Breeder: Nancy Mikita  
(Minkitty)**

***"Did Santa Come"***



### HM Best Photo Showing Sociability

**Prince Andrew**

**2-year-old**

**Champagne Mink Neuter**

**Owner: Grace Cheung**

**Breeder: Hisano Yamashita  
(Supersweet)**

## 20th Annual Photo Contest Honorable Mention-Continued

### HM Best Photo Showing Sociability



Murphy, 15-years-old, Natural Mink Neuter,  
Maxximillion, 6-years-old, Blue Point Neuter,  
Trixie, 17-years-old, Champagne Mink Spay and  
Miranda, 6-years-old Blue Solid Spay

Owner: Felicitie Bell

Breeder: Felicitie Bell (WysEyes) and Jane  
Barletta (B'ssa)

*"Reveling in a warm afternoon on the lanai"*

### HM Best Photo Showing Humor

Squirt

2-year-old

Platinum Mink Neuter

Owner: Sherry Fisher

Breeder: Linda & Carmen Martino  
(Vivatonk)



### HM Best Photo Showing Humor

Nisi

6-month-old

Natural Point Spay

Breeder: Monika Wernli  
(Nashira)





## 20th Annual Photo Contest Editors Choice-Continued

### Editor's Choice

In no particular order and for no particular reason other than I liked the photo



#### Kita & Mina

Kita, 8-year Platinum Mink  
Mina 16-year-old Champagne Mink

Owner: Ian Lessing  
Breeder: Chi Kwok (Paul) Lee  
(Amimao)  
*"Bathe-in-the-sun"*

#### Simon-Eyes

2-years-old

Natural Point Neuter  
Owner: Corky Thacker  
Breeder: Laura A. Hunt  
(Innocentia)



#### Astrud

Owner: Sheila Anderson  
Breeder: Linda & Carmen Martino  
(Vivatonk)

## 20th Annual Photo Contest Editors Choice-Continued



**Milo**

**3-years-old**

**Champagne Point Neuter**

**Owner: Ann Hagerstrom**

**Breeder: Lisa Smith  
(Machick)**

**Spirit**

**10-months-old**

**Natural Point Neuter**

**Owner: Shoshana Shay**

**Breeder: Deborah & Clinton Parker  
(Seaflower)**



**Mochi and Miso**

**3 & 7-months-old**

**Blue Mnk Neuter and Blue Point Spay**

**Owners: Michael Ginshpun & Cameron Hill**

**Breeder: Lynn Jordan  
(Takrai)**



**To everyone who submitted photos and to all the members who voted  
in TBA's 2025 Photo Contest, Thank You!!**