



Mid-Island Cat Club Inc

OFFICIAL SHOW SCHEDULE ANNUAL CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW Saturday 27 May 2017

**2017
Theme
'KIWIANA'**

Venue: Otorohanga Club Inc 107 Maniapoto Street, Otorohanga

This Show is held under the Rules of the New Zealand Cat Fancy Inc and Mid Island Cat Club Inc and all exhibitors having completed any one or more application to enter this show will agree to be bound by such rules. Your attention is drawn to the New Zealand Cat Fancy Inc Show Rules. A copy is available on the download page of the NZCF website www.nzcf.com or contact the EC Secretary (C Lowe 07 5334247) email: secretary@nzcf.com)

New Zealand Cat Fancy Awards: Top Ten Pedigree Cats, Pedigree Kittens and Neuter/Spay Pedigree Cats, and Top ten Neuter/Spay Pedigree Kittens; Ring 1: food sponsored from Pet Direct. Ring 2: Club Prizes. Ring 3: Club prizes. Ring 4: Cards. Many special prizes allocated during the day. **Supreme Awards** are based on points awarded over each of the rings entered on the day. (Refer Show Bylaw 14.3 (c).

Supreme Awards are presented at the end of the show

Decorate your Cage – Theme is “KIWIANA”

You are only limited by your imagination for Interpretation !

JUDGES

Group	Ring 1 <i>Sponsors Food & Rosettes</i>	Ring 2 <i>Club Prizes & Rosettes</i>	Ring 3 <i>Club Prizes & Rosettes</i>	Ring 4 <i>Club Cards & Rosettes</i>
All Pedigree exhibits	Alan Davies <i>NSW Australia</i>	Valerie Cashman <i>NSW Australia</i>		
Longhair Pedigree exhibits			Roy Griffiths <i>Christchurch NZ</i> <i>Entire Cats & Kittens</i>	Samantha Pratt <i>Wellington NZ</i> <i>All LH Cats & Kittens</i>
			Sharon Jose <i>Te Aroha NZ</i> <i>N/S Cats & Kittens</i>	
All Shorthair Pedigree exhibits			Roy Griffiths <i>Christchurch NZ</i>	David Scadden <i>Owhata NZ</i>
Group	Ring 1 <i>Sponsors Food & Rosettes</i>	Ring 2 <i>Club Prizes & Rosettes</i>	Ring 3 <i>Club Cards & Rosettes</i>	
All Domestic and Companions	David Scadden <i>Owhata NZ</i>	Samantha Pratt <i>Wellington NZ</i>	Sharon Jose <i>Te Aroha NZ</i>	

FOR YOU TO DECIDE - Trainee Judges may be working on the floor.

Please indicate on entry form if you do not want your cat handled for Training.

ENTRIES CLOSE – POST MARKED no later than WEDNESDAY 10th MAY 2017

NOTE: Maximum Show Cage numbers available may be reached before this date.



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Show Manager: Jan Gray Ph: 027 449 4301 email: pepperboxpersians@hotmail.com
Show Secretary: Sue Ford Ph: (07) 8719157 email: skford49@gmail.com
Post All Entries to: **Ian Gray** **Entry Clerk:** 417 Parklands Road, RD 1, Te Awamutu 3879. Ph: 027 449 4300 email: pepperboxpersians@hotmail.com
Show Day Entry Clerk Jacquie Scadden
Trophy Steward: Megan & Michelle Harland
Health & Safety Officer: Sue Ford Ph: (07) 8719157 mob 027 342 3949 email: skford49@gmail.com
Floor Warden's: Jan Gray & Wayne Morris, Tim Russell.

If you are unsure how to complete your entry form, contact MICC Show Secretary

SHOW TIMETABLE

Doors Open	Benching	Vetting Commences	Judging Commences	Open to Public	Show Closes
8.30am	8.30-9.45am	8.30 - 9.45am	10am	11.00am	4.30 or earlier at the show manager's discretion

REMEMBER please our Show starts Judging at 10am

Admission to Show: One Free Pass per Exhibitor - all others charged.
 Adults \$ 5.00 Senior citizens \$2.00 Children \$ 2.00 Family (2A + 2C) \$10.00.

ENTRY FEES 2017

Early Bird payments must be received no later than FRIDAY 5th May 2017 (no later)

	Non Club Members \$14.00 <i>Early Bird \$13.00</i>	Club members \$13.00 <i>Early Bird \$12.00</i>
First Entry per Ring		
Additional entries per ring	\$11.00 <i>Early Bird \$10.00</i>	\$10.00 <i>Early Bird \$9.00</i>
NZCF Benching Fees	For each ring \$5.00. Paid on your first exhibit in the Ring	

NOTE: Joint ownership is one exhibitor. Different owners at the same address are separate exhibitors and a separate NZCF Benching Fee must be paid. If your first cat is entered in three Rings (say 1-3) then any subsequent cat entered in the forth Ring for the first time then it is due to pay a Benching Fee. Any questions please contact our MICC Show Secretary.

Pay Entry Fees: Please make all cheques payable to: - "Mid-Island Cat Club Inc" or deposit in account WESTPAC 03 0418 0101837 00 with your name and details.

Where Fees are NOT paid before Show Day; the Club Committee reserves the right to refuse Entry. See Rule #3 below.

Catalogue Prepaid \$ 6.00
 At the Show (if not already sold) \$ 7.00

Membership: **Mid-Island Cat Club Inc**
 Full/Associate - Single \$ 15.00
 Full/Associate - Double \$ 25.00
 Junior (under 17 years) \$ 5.00

Membership is for the period January to December in each year; to pay by 31 January

Membership: Your application must be completed on the form available from the Club Secretary. Also see the forms
 Sue Ford: Ph: (07) 8719157 email: skford49@gmail.com

Schedule of Registered Classes

Class	Male Class No	Female Class No	Neuter Class No	Spay Class No
BREED CLASSES				
In classes 1 - 76 exhibits compete against ONLY those of the same colour or breed code and a separate class shall be provided for each colour or breed code.				
Open Cat (Challenge Class)	1	21	41	61
Open Kitten (No Challenge)	11	31	51	71
TYPE CLASSES				
In class's 101-171 longhair/shorthair breed/ type exhibits compete against all other longhair/shorthair breed/ types irrespective of colour or breed code. Judging takes into account only the shape or type of each exhibit, but not coat, colour, condition, or eye colour.				
Open Type Cat	101	121	141	161
Open Type Kitten	111	131	151	171
BREEDERS AWARD OF MERIT (BAM)				
A Breeders Award of Merit is offered by the NZCF Inc. to the breeder of the exhibit which, in the opinion of the judge, is most worthy of the award. One Breeders Award of Merit will be offered in each entire pedigree cat and entire pedigree kitten division, and a combined certificate to the neuter/spay pedigree cat – neuter/spay pedigree kitten divisions.				

Domestic Classes

Domestic Exhibits will automatically be entered into all eligible classes available.

Companion Classes

Companion Exhibits will automatically be entered into all eligible classes available.

All Domestic and Companion exhibits must be de-sexed.

Special Notes for Exhibitors

1. You do not have to be a member of a cat club to enter a show.
2. To win National Award points you must be a member of the NZ Cat Fancy Inc.
3. You bring to the Show:
 - Your exhibit's **Vaccination Certificate**.
 - Your exhibit in a secure ventilated box or carry cage.
 - Sufficient bedding to keep your exhibit warm and comfortable.
 - A plain white towel for the judging table.
 - A shoe box or plastic toilet tray.
4. The Club will provide:
 - The show cage for your exhibit.
 - Litter for the exhibits toilet tray.
5. Only give your cat or kitten a small breakfast on Show Day.
6. Do not feed with milk during the day.
7. Brush and comb your cat/kitten thoroughly prior to the show – it will look and feel good.
8. If ever in doubt about what to do feel free to ask the Show Manager, Show Secretary or a committee person.
9. Exhibits must be **free of fleas** and **well groomed**.
10. **All** your exhibit's claws must be clipped.
11. All exhibits remain in their cage from start of Judging till the Judge has announced the Top Ten result.
12. The Judge usually asks the Handler to bring your exhibit out to be judged. Judging can be done in the cage.
13. Please have cell phones on mute or off during judging.
14. **Do read our Show Rules. Enjoy the Show.**

Support our Sponsors Please



Exhibitor's Please Note

Workers / Helpers on Show Day: As with all shows we need workers - stewards, scribes, handlers, vet assistant, door keepers, meet and greet people. Please indicate, on your entry form, if you would like to work at the Show and in what capacity. The Show Secretary plans to notify all workers before the Show. If you are working on the Show Floor you will be required to wear a clean smock or apron supplied by the club.

Helpers for setting up: Help is needed on Friday, 26 May. We will start setting the cages up at 4.00 pm. Cages will be dismantled on Saturday evening. Helpers, please contact Show Mgr prior to Friday, 26 May.

Towels: Exhibits may be presented to the judging table on a **plain white towel** with no distinguishing marks or other identifying objects to be placed on top of the cage during Judging. It is a good idea to put a spare white towel on top of your cage for the Handler to use when your cat is put on the judging table as this saves disturbing the bedding you have set up for your exhibit.

Feeding: During judging all water and food containers must be removed from cages.

Cage Curtains: The Mid-Island Cat Club cages do not have solid walls; please bring your cage curtains if you have them. MICC cardboard dividers may be used if you do not have curtains. Cages are 61 cm (24 inches) wide by 54 cm (21 inches) high by 46 cm (18 inches) deep.

A PRIZE will be awarded for **Best Decorated cage**, theme this year is "KIWIANA".

Influencing Judging: Be mindful to avoid any attempt to identify yourself as the owner of a particular exhibit when speaking to the judges and their helpers until after judging has been completed as to do so may be regarded as attempting to influence the judging. The Judge's Steward is the Ring Manager and can answer your questions.

Good Sportsmanship: Anyone, including children, behaving in an unseemly manner will be asked to vacate the venue.

Disputes: During Show Day on paying \$10 to the Club you may in writing formally raise your dispute through the Show Manager to the Committee. The Committee will hear your dispute at the Show and make a decision. If not satisfied, only after this dispute process is followed to its conclusion may you refer the matter to NZCF for review.

Entry Forms: The details on your exhibit's registration certificate are what you need to put on the entry form. If you have any problems or questions completing your entry form please contact the MICC Entry Clerk or Show Secretary.

Catering: There are limited resources for catering at this year's venue but the Club will endeavour to have food available at or near the Show venue. Enjoy the tasty offerings.

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Colour Chart



SOLID COLOUR GROUP

All Black, All Blue (grey)
All White, All Red (ginger)

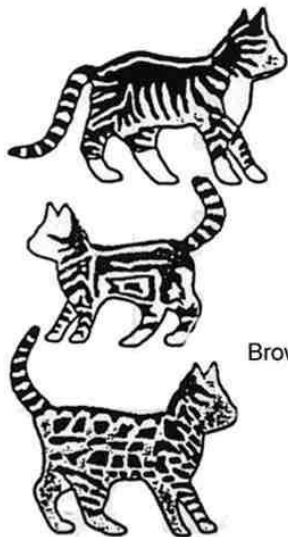


BROKEN COLOUR GROUP

Black & White, Blue (Grey) & White, Tortoiseshell,
Tortoiseshell & White, Blue-Cream, Blue-Crem & White,
Smoke, Smoke & White, Black with a few White Hairs,
also

any solid colour with a white locket or tummy spot, (eg: Red with White Locket)

White with Black Patches, White with Blue (Grey) Patches,
White with Red (Ginger) Patches. White with Cream Patches,
White with Tortoiseshell Patches, White with Blue-Cream Patches.

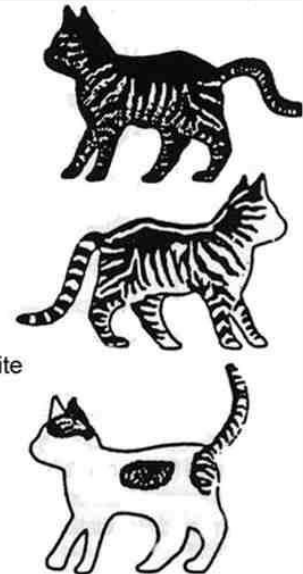


TABBIES GROUP

Blue (Grey) Tabby, Blue (Grey) Tabby and White
Silver Tabby, Silver Tabby and White
Cream Tabby, Cream Tabby and White
Red (Ginger) Tabby, Red (Ginger) Tabby and White,
Brown Tabby, Brown Tabby and White
Tawny Tabby, Tawny Tabby and White,
Smoke Tabby, Smoke Tabby and White,
Tortoiseshell Tabby, Tortoiseshell Tabby & White,
Brown Tortoiseshell Tabby, Brown Tortoiseshell Tabby and White

Any other colour Tabby.
ALSO, any Tabby with a White Locket or tummy spot,
(eg - Brown Tabby with Locket)

Please state colour of Tabby Patches.



ANY OTHER COLOUR GROUP

If your cat or kitten will not fit
into any of the other colour groups,
then it belongs here.



TAILESS OR STUMPY



any colour allowed

Stumpy -
with a bob tail

Accommodation for You?


Matariki Motor Lodge

425 Kihikihi Road Te Awamutu 3800
07-280 7610

Rosetown Motel

844 Kihikihi Rd State
Highway 3

07-871-5779

 Get directions

Otorohanga & Waitomo Motels



Otorohanga & Waitomo Motels offer comfortable motel accommodation in Otorohanga. Accommodation consists of 12 fully self-contained ground floor units with rural outlook (quiet units available)...

Otorohanga Motels & Motor Lodges

Otorohanga Holiday Park



Self-contained units, ensuite units, standard cabins, power/tent sites. Communal facilities with kitchen/dining, laundry, TV lounge, barbecue, 3-channel Sky Digital TV, wireless internet. Onsite...

Otorohanga Holiday Parks & Camping Grounds

Other Motel options can be found at - See:

<http://www.waitomo.org.nz/waitomo-accommodation/> See also:

http://www.teawamutuinfo.co.nz/company_category/accommodation/?s&cat=accommodation&where&search_simple=search&orderby=date&order=ASC

Travel ideas to expand your MICC Cat Show visit - Waitomo Caves and Hobbiton

<http://www.hobbitontours.com/stay-play/farmstay/>

<http://www.waitomo.com/>

GENERAL RULES AND CONDITIONS FOR ALL EXHIBITORS

**** PLEASE READ CAREFULLY ****

1. This Show is held under the Rules and Bylaws of the New Zealand Cat Fancy Inc and the Mid-Island Cat Club Inc, and all exhibitors are deemed to have agreed to abide by such regulations.
2. The term 'cat' here includes any kitten. The term 'exhibit' refers to any cat or kitten. The term 'exhibitor' refers to any member of the NZFC or a club member who has completed and had accepted application to enter their exhibit/s in our show.
3. The Show Committee reserves the right to amend prize lists and refuse any exhibit entry/s without giving any reason.
4. Exhibitors requiring receipts must send a stamped self-addressed envelope for return of receipt. All cheques are to be made payable to "**Mid-Island Cat Club Inc**" and crossed. Post dated cheques, Money Orders or late entries will not be accepted.
5. Female pedigree cats that are obviously in kitten, entire pedigree male cats without both testicles palpable beyond the stomach wall, de-clawed or de-voiced cats or kittens, or cats/kittens with any body parts pierced for the purpose of applying an embellishment shall not be eligible for entry in any section.
6. Domestic and/or Companion exhibits must be de-sexed.
7. No refunds will be given. No Credits will be given.
8. Exhibits must be brought to the Show in a secure container. Show Rules require that carry cages be left below exhibition cages in the hall to facilitate evacuation of exhibits in the event of an emergency.
9. All exhibits must have **clean ears and coats free from ringworm, mange, fleas, etc.**
10. No exhibitor shall exhibit a cat which to their knowledge, at the date of the show, has been exposed to **ringworm** within the period of **90 days prior to the date of the show**, and no other cat may be exhibited if the exhibitor has had ringworm in their cattery or home during that period.
11. No exhibitor shall exhibit a cat which, at the date of the show, has been exposed to any **infectious or contagious illness** within the period of **21 days prior to the date of the show**, and no cat may be exhibited if the exhibitor has had any such illness in their cattery or home during that period. For Feline Infectious Peritonitis or Feline Leukaemia the quarantine period shall be 90 days.
12. The cage number and exhibitor passes are to be obtained from the Entry Clerk before exhibits are caged.
13. Exhibitors are responsible for their exhibits and placing them in their correct classes and cages. Only exhibits registered with the NZCF Inc. or those with prior approval are eligible to enter registered classes for this Show.
14. At least one qualified Veterinary Surgeon will be in attendance to examine each exhibit after benching. All exhibits entering the hall will be vetted, and once in the hall may not be removed without the permission of the Show Manager. If, in his opinion, any exhibit is not fit to remain at the Show, the exhibit/s shall be removed from competition and removed from the hall **immediately**. Other exhibits and the exhibitors may also be removed as the Veterinary Surgeon sees fit. The examining Veterinary Surgeon's decision shall be final.
15. Any exhibit presented at a NZCF Inc. show with a veterinary certificate (non-contagious) shall be thoroughly examined by the officiating Veterinary Surgeon. The examining Veterinary Surgeon's word is final.
16. It is **your** responsibility to present any certificate to the Veterinary Surgeon and then the Show Secretary. Certificates must be original (photocopies are not acceptable), and must include the date of examination. When your exhibit has been passed by the Veterinary Surgeon a mark will be put on your exhibits cage card.
17. Entry fees will be forfeited if an exhibit is declared unfit for exhibition upon examination by the Vet officiating at the show.
18. A copy of the Vet's rejection sheet shall be sent by the Show Secretary within 48 hours to the National Secretary, who shall notify any club holding a show within the isolation period that the owner and their exhibits shall **not** be eligible for exhibition and/or attendance at that show.
19. The Club will supply cages and litter. Exhibitors to supply toilet trays (white plastic trays or shoe boxes) and/or covered hot water bottles for their own exhibit. Coloured bedding may be used, but please provide a white towel on the **top** of the cage for the judging table. Clear plastic or Perspex cage fronts may be attached to the cage door only. Judges may bypass any cage where access to the cage is limited.
20. The Club reserves the right of admission, and persons behaving in an unseemly manner will be asked to leave the venue. Unsupervised, unruly children will be removed from the Hall.
21. Aerosol sprays and kitty litter must **not** be used in the Show Hall.
22. After vetting and once judging commences **no** exhibit may be removed from its cage other than by the Judge or by express permission of the Show Manager, except for handlers taking the exhibit to and from the Judges Cages.
23. **No** exhibit may be removed from its cage or from the Show Hall before the close of the Show except at the discretion of the Show Manager.
24. If entering a registered cat note NZCF Show Bylaw 4.3(a)(i): " Any registered cat exhibited at a Show held pursuant to these Show Bylaws shall be entered in the Show in the name of its breeder or the person or persons to whom it has been transferred or leased, prior to the date of the Show, as exhibitor."
25. The Privacy Act requires your consent before we print your address in the catalogue, which are for sale. If your postal address is a Box number please supply a contact telephone number.
26. **Vaccination Certificates:** Vaccination certificates are required for **all** exhibits and must be presented to the Entry Clerk prior to benching – certificates must be at least 7 days old.
27. **All exhibits claws must be clipped prior to the Show.**
28. No cat or kitten shall be delivered to or collected from the show by a prospective purchaser. No "For Sale" notices are permitted on cages; however Breeders advertising, photos etc may be placed on cages after judging is completed.
29. The Club accepts no responsibility for loss or damage to exhibits or property but will endeavour to see that all care is taken.
30. **Consumption of food is confined to the kitchen/dining area.** Smoking is not permitted within the venue boundaries.