

THE BURMESE CAT CLUB OF NEW ZEALAND INC - CENTRAL REGION

PROUDLY PRESENTS THEIR

41st ANNUAL CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW

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Saturday 10th March 2018

Barber Hall, Waldegrave Street, Palmerston North

<u>SHOW SCHEDULE</u>

This Show is held under the Rules of the New Zealand Cat Fancy Inc and the Burmese Cat Club of New Zealand Inc. All exhibitors are deemed to have agreed to abide by such rules.

A copy of the New Zealand Cat Fancy Inc Show Rules and Bylaws is available to be downloaded from the NZCF website www.nzcf.com

This will be a 4 Ring Open Show, with in cage Vetting, Cage Judging, club appointed handlers.

NZCF Scoring will be as follows: Entire Cats, Entire Kittens, Neuter/Spay Cats & Neuter/Spay Kittens, Companion Cats/Kittens, Domestic Cats/Kittens - 10

This show is open to All Shorthair Breeds, Companion and Domestic

Ring One will be a specialist ring open to Burmese and Related Breeds only

<u>PLEASE NOTE:</u>

During judging no exhibit may be removed from the cage, other than by the Judge or appointed assistant or with the permission of the Show Manager.

Show bylaw 10.9: No exhibit shall be removed from the Show hall before the scheduled closing time without prior permission of the Show Manager or Show Secretary. See form attached to this schedule which is to be used for this purpose.

ENTRIES CLOSE: 10/2/18 (post) or 17/2/18 (e-mail)

JUDGES

	PRIZES	JUDGE	
RING 1 Open to Burmese, Mandalay, Burmilla LH & SH, Tiffany & Tonkinese	Sponsor's product & Rosettes	Sue Ford Pirongia	
RING 2 Open to All Shorthair Breeds, Domestics & Companions	Sponsor's Product & Rosettes	Barbara LaRocca QLD, Australia	
RING 3 Open to All Shorthair Breeds, Domestics & Companions	Outright Wins	Janis Christison QLD, Australia	
RING 4 Open to All Shorthair Breeds, Domestics & Companions	Refurbished Rosettes	David Scadden Rotorua	
Please note: whilst there will be Top 10 awards in each section, prizes and rosettes will be awarded for Best In Show down to 5 th Best In Show only			

CLUB SUPREME AWARDS

There will be Supreme Exhibits awarded as follows:

Supreme Burmese or Related Breed	Based on Rings 1 - 4		
Supreme Pedigree Exhibit			
Supreme Domestic Exhibit	Based on Rings 2 - 4		
Supreme Companion Exhibit			
NB: Supreme Exhibits are awarded on points accrued across each ring from Top 10 placing.			
Minimum of 5 cats per section to be eligible for Supreme Awards.			

<u>CLUB TROPHIES</u>

Club Trophies will be awarded to Burmese or Related Breeds only.

Each trophy will be awarded based on points tallied from Rings 1 - 4:

Best Entire Best Neuter/Spay Best Veteran

Recipients of these trophies in 2017, please ensure that you return trophies to the Show Secretary in a polished state, preferably prior to the show, otherwise on Show Day.

<u>SHOW TIMETABLE</u>

Show Hall Opens 7.30 am	Benching 7.30 - 8.15 am	Vetting 7.45 - 8.15am	Start of Judging 8.30am	Show Opens to Public 10.00am	Show Close 4.30pm
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PHONE NUMBER FOR SHOW DAY EMERGENCIES: 027 457 9633

SHOW CONTACTS

Show Manager	Mushfik Yeung
	Phone 027 457 9633
Show Secretary / Ribbon Coordinator	Genevieve Rogerson
	E-mail <u>geneviever@xtra.co.nz</u>
	Phone 027 446 7051
Entry Clerk	
·	E-mail <u>casirenner13@gmail.com</u>
Prize Coordinator	Christine Yeung
	E-mail <u>burmese@cairistona.co.nz</u>

CENTRAL REGION SHOW COMMITTEE

Regional Chairperson	Christine Yeung
Regional Representative	Genevieve Rogerson
Regional Treasurer	Mushfik Yeung
Honorary Veterinarian	Dr Genevieve Rogerson BVSc BSc Cahill Animal Hospital
Health & Safety Officer	Debbie Perrins
Show Committee	Julie Hansen, Rex Hansen, Christa Krey, Shirlene Nagy Marie Pearce, Debbie Perrins, Casi Renner, Trish Steel

<u>HELPERS</u>

To help make our show a success, we are in need of helpers! Any help on show day will be greatly received:

- Morning tea & lunch will be provided for all workers
 - There will be a worker's raffle
- Experience is not necessary guidance will be provided

Please contact the Show Secretary to advise if you are able to provide assistance, or note on your entry form. We are in need of people to assist with the following jobs:

Job	No Required	What is involved?	Time?
Stewards	4	Completing book work for the judge	8.30am – end of judging
Handlers	4	Bringing cats to the judge & returning to cage after judging	8.30am - end of judging
Scribes	4	Completing certificates for each cat & attaching ribbons. Distributing to cages after judging	8.30am - show close
Runners	2	Collecting paperwork from each judge & delivering to Show Secretary	8.30am - end of judging
Prize distributers	2 - 3	Writing cage numbers onto prizes & distributing to cages after judging	Approx 1.00pm - 3.00pm
Front Door /	3 - 4	Admitting public through the door,	10.00am - 12 pm
Information Desk	(1 - 2 hrs	provision of information to public & selling	12.00am - 2.00pm
	each)	of raffle tickets	2.00pm - 4.00pm
Tally Clerks	2	Admitting of exhibitors to the show, checking vaccination certificates	7.30am - 8.15am

SPECIAL AWARD PRESENTATIONS

Once judging is complete and all paperwork has been checked we plan to hold at approximately 4pm a special award presentation.

This will include Special Awards from throughout the day along with Supreme Awards.

Note that while our Supremes are awarded on points, top exhibits will be judged prior to announcement of the awards only if time allows.

DONATIONS

Any donations will be greatly received, you will receive acknowledgement in the Show Catalogue.

SHOW DINNER

Saturday 10th March, 7.00pm - Monsoon Asian Kitchen, 165 The Square, Palmerston North.

Please indicate numbers on your entry form.

<u>NEW MEMBERS</u>

New members are very welcome, please contact BCCNZ Club Secretary:

Gordon McIvor, Ph 03 327 3331 or e-mail gordonandpaul@xtra.co.nz

CATERING FOR EXHIBITORS

Early morning tea/coffee & toast will be available for \$2.00 donation. No other catering is available for exhibitors (unless of course you register as a helper ©). A great selection of Café's are nearby on George St.

<u>STALL SPACE</u>

Space is available for stall holders at cost of \$20 per stall. Please contact the Show Secretary to organise or for further information.

SHOW SET UP & TAKE DOWN

The Show Committee would be most appreciative of help from exhibitors to set up the show on Friday afternoon from approximately 1.00pm and also after the show.

please contact the Show Secretary for further information.

VACCINATION CERTIFICATES

Vaccination Certificates for all Kittens must be shown to the Tally Clerk before benching. These should be at least seven days old and not more than six months old. Certificates for adult exhibits to be presented if requested.

<u>DOMESTIC / COMPANION</u> <u>EXHIBITS</u>

PLEASE NOTE: ALL DOMESTIC/COMPANION CATS/KITTENS MUST BE DESEXED - THIS MUST BE CERTIFIED ON THE VACCINATION CERTIFICATE BY YOUR VET.

Failure to produce a valid certificate will mean your exhibit will be refused admission to the Show.

<u>STUDENT JUDGES</u>

Student judges, handlers, and stewards may be on the floor doing practical assignments. If you do not wish to have your cats/kittens included in a hands on assignment, please notify the entry clerk by noting this down on your entry form.



<u>ENTRY FEES</u>

PEDIGREE, DOMESTIC & COMPANION				
Ríng	ng 1* Exhíbít 2 nd Exhíbít 3 rd & Subsequent Exhíbíts			
1 - 4	\$17.00/ring, inc NZCF benching fee	\$12.00/ring	\$6.00/ring/cat	

Show Catalogues	\$7.00 (if paid with entries)	\$9.00 (if paid on show day - limited nos avail.)
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Catalogue	\$5.00 per half page / business card
Advertising	\$10.00 per full page
*Business Card to be	sent with entries (will be scanned for inclusion). Adverts to be sent
electronically to Show	v Secretary if at all possible.

Toll calls relating to entries will be made collect, or via e-mail if address provided on entry forms.

If help is required in filling in you entry form, please don't hesitate to call any of our Show Committee.

PLEASE ENSURE ALL DETAILS ARE CORRECT BEFORE SENDING IN YOUR ENTRY FORM.

RECEIPTS will be forwarded on receipt of a self addressed, post-paid envelope. Otherwise these will be available for collection on show day.

<u>ENTRIES CLOSE</u>: 10th Feb 2018 (post) 17th Feb 2018 (e-mail)

Late entries will only be accepted at the discretion of the Show Committee

<u>E-MAIL ENTRIES TO:</u>

casirenner13@gmail.com

Confirmation of e-mailed entries will be by return e-mail if requested

<u>POST ENTRIES TO:</u> Entry Clerk Casi Renner 1 Spilman Place, Awapuni Palmerston North 4412

ACCOUNT NUMBER FOR ONLINE PAYMENT: 01-0505-0472249-000

Please provide a reference when you make your payment (eg Show Entries & your name). Please also state on your entry form that payment has been made to our bank account. IF possible a copy of the Internet Banking receipt would be appreciated. No entry will be processed until payment is

confirmed.

PLEASE MAKE ALL CHEQUES OUT TO: Burmese Cat Club of NZ Inc (Central Region)

NOTES FOR NEW EXHIBITORS

We are here to help you - if you need help to fill in your entry forms please ask!

<u>Preparations Prior to show day:</u>	<u>Show Day:</u>
 Nails must be clipped, ideally prior to show day 	¥ You must be at the show hall no later than
 Vaccinations must be up to date 	8.15am & you can't take your cat home until the
🖌 Treated for worms & fleas	show manager delcares the show closed in the
✓ Your cat must be well groomed, flea free, in the	late afternoon
best of health (and not pregnant!)	No collars allowed to be worn at the show
 Cage furnishings - should be clean and not too bulky, allow easy viewing & access to the cat 	Refreshments for your cat - include food when judging is all done, water must be in a non-spill dish
	Interaction with the judges is fine, do not in any way identify your cat to the judge unless judging has been completed and all award announced.

OFFICIAL SCHEDULE OF BREED CLASSES

In classes 1-74 Exhibits compete against only those of the same colour or Breed Number and a separate class shall be provided for each colour and Breed Number.

	CLASS NUMBERS				
<u>Cat Classes</u>	Male	Female	Neuter	Spay	
Open Cat (Challenge Class)	1	21	41	61	
Junior Cat (9mth - 2 yrs)	2	22	42	62	
Intermediate Cat (2-5yrs)	3	23	43	63	
Senior Cat (5-7yrs)	4	24	44	64	
Veteran Cat (over 7 yrs)	5	25	45	65	
NZ Bred Cat	6	26	46	66	
<u>Kitten Classes</u>					
Open Kitten (No Challenge)	11	31	51	71	
Kitten (4-6 months)	12	32	52	72	
Kitten (6-9months)	13	33	53	73	
NZ Bred Kitten	14	34	54	74	

OFFICIAL SCHEDULE OF TYPE CLASSES

In Classes 101-171 Shorthair Breed/Type exhibits compete against all other Shorthair Breed/Type - irrespective of colour or breed code. Judging takes into account only the shape or type of each exhibit, but not coat, condition or eye colour.

	CLASS NUMBERS			
	Male	Female	Neuter	Spay
Open Type Cat	101	121	141	161
Open Type Kitten	111	131	151	171

BREEDERS AWARD OF MERIT

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 the Entire Cat section, the Entire Kitten section and to the Neuter/Spay Cat and Kitten Sections combined.

DEFINITION OF TERMS USED

Cat	a cat of either gender aged nine calendar months or older on show day
Kitten	a cat of either gender aged less than nine calendar months on show day
Kitten 4-6 mths	born between three and six calendar months prior to show day
Kitten 6-9 mths	born between six and nine calendar months prior to show day
Open	a class in which all exhibits of the same gender and breed compete
Junior	a cat 9 months or over but less than 2 years old on show day
Intermediate	a cat 2 years or over but less than 5 years on show day
Senior	a cat 5 years or over but less than 7 years on show day
Veteran	a cat 7 years or over on show day
Longhair	has a coat MORE than 3cm long (approximately 1 inch) and stands out from its body
	when brushed forwards. Hair on tail may stand out like a plume
Shorthair	is not easily brushed forward, may be flat and sleek or dense but not flowing

<u>IF YOU REQUIRE HELP FILLING OUT YOUR ENTRY FORMS PLEASE</u> <u>DON'T HESITATE TO CONTACT ANY COMMITTEE MEMBER!</u>

GENERAL RULES, REGULATIONS AND INSTRUCTIONS

ALL KITTENS must be at least four (4) calendar months old on show day, and have had at least two vaccinations, 3-4 weeks apart with the last dose having been administered at least 7 days before show day. (Must include cover for Feline Rhinotracheitis, Feline Calicivirus & Feline Panleukopaenia.) Vaccination Certificates must be produced before benching. Failure to produce a valid certificate will mean that your Exhibit is refused entry.

NO EXHIBITORS shall exhibit a cat/kitten which to his or her knowledge at the date of the show has been exposed to any infection or contagious illness within the period of twenty one (21) days or a period as specified by the NZCF Inc rules to the date of the show. No cat shall be exhibited if the exhibitor has had such illness in his/her cattery or household during that period. Any exhibitor who in the opinion of the show committee shall have made a false declaration in respect of the above shall be liable to severe penalties under the powers of the National Executive of the NZCF Inc.

WITHDRAWAL OF ENTRIES - See below under Show rules.

ALL EXHIBITS should be brought to the Show in cages and NOT in a blanket or on a lead. Exhibits are received at the Show only on condition that the Club should not be responsible for any loss or damage to cages etc. THE CLUB ACCEPTS NO RESPONSIBILITY FOR EXHIBITS BUT WILL ENDEAVOUR TO SEE THAT ALL CARE IS TAKEN.

ALL EXHIBITS must have clean ears, clipped claws (to prevent injury to handlers and judges) and coats free from ringworm, mange and fleas.

CAGES AND LITTER will be supplied by the Club.

CLEAN BEDDING in the cage for each exhibit's comfort is a requirement, (exhibits that do not meet this requirement may not be judged). An unmarked toilet box, drinking water (recommended in a container fixed to the door) may be included.

VETTING – At least one Veterinarian will be in attendance at the show, and will examine each cat/kitten in its cage after benching. Exhibits may be lamped for ringworm. Please stay in sight of your cage/s in case the Vet has a query about your cat or kitten.

When your exhibit has been vetted, a coloured sticker will be placed on your exhibit's cage card. Only those exhibits cleared by the Vet may remain in the Show Hall. Any exhibit declared unfit for exhibition will receive a NZCF Veterinary Rejection Certificate and must be removed from the Hall immediately. The examining Vet's written rejection is final. NO correspondence will be entered into.

No entry fees will be refunded for exhibits declared unfit by the examining Vet/s on the day of the Show. If you have a Vet's Certificate for any reason, show it to the Vet and when your exhibit has been passed, you must then give the Certificate to the Show Secretary.

In the event of unforeseeable illness before show day, where a certificate of illness from a Vet is in the hands of the Show Secretary by 5:00 pm on Friday 24th March 2016, entry fees will be refunded less 25% for the bookwork involved.

Female cats which are obviously in kitten, or lactating, entire male cats or kittens without both testicles palpable beyond the stomach wall and cats or kittens which have been declawed or devoiced shall be disqualified by the Veterinarian/s, or a Judge and a Veterinary Rejection Certificate will be completed as in Bylaw 9.4.

CARRY CAGES must be stored underneath the show cages and any means of identification obscured prior to judging. This is to comply with NZCF safety precautions.

SALE OF KITTENS – No exhibitor has permission to sell cats or kittens on Show Day within the confines of the venue or car park. Information can be provided at the Show.

PRIVACY ACT – If you do not wish to have your address appear in the catalogue please specify on your entry form. Note if neither YES nor NO has been circled we will not publish your details as this means no authority has been given for us to do so.

SUPREME EXHIBITS – For Supreme Exhibit to be awarded in a section there is required to be a minimum of five exhibits in that section. Supreme Exhibits at this show will be awarded based on points accumulated throughout relevant rings (see page two). In the event of a tie, the exhibit with the highest placing in Ring One (Burmese & Related Breeds) or Ring Two (All other Shorthair Breeds, Domestic and Companion) will take precedence.

NZCF SHOW RULE 2.1 (d) – There are no entry fees for Champion, Premier, Grand Champion, Grand Premier, Double Grand Champion, Double Grand Premier, Bronze Double Grand Champion, Bronze Double Grand Premier, Silver Double Grand Champion, Silver Double Grand Premier, Gold Double Grand Champion and Gold Double Grand Premier classes, all of which are subjected to automatic progression once they have attained the accumulated points in each class.

NZCF SHOW RULE 2.1 (e) – The Show Committee may decline to accept any entry or entries to the Show, without giving any reason for such decision, and may elect to accept any entry or entries arriving after the closing date stated.

NZCF SHOW RULE 2.1 (h) – An exhibit may be entered in more than one Open Class, and compete for more than one Challenge at the show on the same day. The Club does not require the exhibit to be entered in any Open Class, nor to be judged by more than one Judge, as nominated on the entry form. An exhibitor may elect to enter any exhibit in as many classes listed in this Show Schedule as the exhibit is eligible to enter.

NZCF SHOW RULE 2.1 (I) – The Show Committee may offer prizes as it decides, subject to the NZCF Show Bylaws, provided always that classes or prizes shall not be offered for progeny Sired by a specific cat, and free service from a stud cat shall not be offered as a prize.

NZCF SHOW RULE 2.1 (m) – Once this Show Schedule has been issued, classes or prizes shall not be added to, except for sweepstakes; and exhibits may only be entered in the classes for breeds, as published in the official Schedule of Breed Numbers.

NZCF SHOW RULE 3.4 (a) – Any registered Cat exhibited at a show held pursuant to the Show Bylaws of the NZCF 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

NZCF SHOW RULE 4.6 Upon written application to the Show Secretary, any exhibit may be withdrawn from any show with full fee refunds prior to the show entry closing date; and after that date with a possible forfeiture of part or all of the club entry fee, and all

payment of the benching fees due to the NZCF.

NZCF SHOW RULE 10.8 – No exhibit shall be removed from the Show before the scheduled closing time without the prior permission of the Show Manager or Show Secretary.



NEW ZEALAND CAT FANCY INC.

Permission for Early Departure from a Show

In accordance with Show Bylaws, para 10.8:

Removal of an exhibit before the show has been officially closed without the prior permission of the Show Manager or Show Secretary will result in the loss of all club awards and NZCF annual awards points and any title points.

Planned early departures

Permission should be sought as soon as possible, and **a minimum of 24 hours before the start of the show**, using this form.

Emergency early departures

Require the permission of the Show Manager or Show Secretary and that should be recorded on this form.

Club or Name of Show: _____

Date of Show:

Exhibitor Name: ____

Approved: _____

Show Manager / Show Secretary

Date

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