

NEW ZEALAND SIAMESE CAT ASSOCIATION (INC.)



THE ELIZABETH MCGRAW COMMEMORATIVE SHOW SCHEDULE



Saturday 13th July 2024

**Venue: Parklands Recreation Hall
75 Queenspark Drive, Parklands, Christchurch**

**ALL SHORTHAIR BREEDS,
ENTIRE, NEUTER/SPAY, COMPANIONS AND DOMESTICS & GOLD CARD
CLASSICS**

Held under the Rules of NZCF Inc. and the N.Z. Siamese Cat Association Inc
Copies of NZCF Show Rules and By-Laws are available on the NZCF website: www.nzcf.com.
A copy will be available at the venue.

Only NZCF Members' Entries are eligible for NZCF Point Scoring Awards.
NZCF Scoring will be as follows. Top ten for Entire Cats, Entire Kittens, Neuter/Spay Cats
& Neuter/Spay Kittens, Companion Cats/Kittens, Domestic Cats/Kittens

Entries Close:

Online and postal must be received by 30th June 2024 FIRM.

Entries acceptance as per NZCF Show By-Law Section 3.1 (c) Show Schedules
All posted entries are to be emailed or posted to the

Entry Clerk: Kim Oberholzer, 1 Wagner Crescent, Northwood, Christchurch 8051

Phone 03 323 6511 Cell 02102948640

email entries to kl.oberholzer@gmail.com

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| Club Secretary: | Kim Oberholzer | as above |
| Show Manager: | David Oberholzer | 0278258831 |
| Health and Safety Rep: | David Oberholzer | 0278258831 |

The Show Committee comprises of the people listed above and members of the Club Committee.

This is a championship show with club-appointed handlers (except possible UTH) and is held under the rules and regulations of the NZCF and the NZSCA Inc. Copies of the show rules and regulations are available at www.nzcf.com NZCF awards scoring for all Top Ten placings.

Show Supreme awards will be awarded in each section, calculated thus. The exhibit must have won at least one BIS. (10 points) RU BIS (9 points) subsequent top ten placings as awarded. Domestic and Companion cat results will be combined if less than five cats are exhibited.

TIMETABLE

Times will be strictly adhered to

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| <i>Hall Opens</i> | <i>Final Exhibit Admission</i> | <i>Vetting Closes</i> | <i>Judging Commences</i> | <i>Show Closes</i> | |
| <i>7:15 am</i> | <i>8.00 am</i> | <i>8:45 am</i> | <i>9 am</i> | <i>Once all prizes & trophies have been awarded</i> | |

| | Ring One All Breeds | Ring Two All Breeds | Ring Three All Breeds | Ring Four All Breeds |
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| Registered. Neuter/Spay. Companions. Domestics. | Jenny Weekes (Aust) Includes club breeds for club trophies. Sashes | Matt Branagh (Aust) Gifts | Joanne Millar Ziwi Pet Food Sponsor | Paul Henry Rosettes |
| Members | \$12.00 | \$12.00 | \$12.00 | \$12.00 |
| Non Members | \$14.00 | \$14.00 | \$14.00 | \$14.00 |

NZCF benching fee of \$5.00 per ring, is payable on first entry only, dual ownership, two fees payable.

CATALOGUES: \$8.00 each payable with entries.

Your address will be printed in the show catalogue unless it is clearly declined on your entry form.

GOLD CARD CLASSICS: We are holding a special Gold Card Classic ring, no entry fee. For any retired Golden Classic show cat. Show your special Golden Classic Cat who is missing show life, and still has pizzazz.

CHALLENGE CERTIFICATES: Any Challenges awarded by Judges in Open classes at this show will be recorded and notified to the NZCF Honours Officer. Challenge Certificates will not be issued.

Entries sent via email and paid by Internet Banking will receive confirmation of their entry and payment sent to the email address on the entry form.

**Account for Internet Banking: Westpac: 031700 0106396 00
Reference. Show Entries. Your initial & surname.**

MEMBERSHIP FEES: Single - \$22.00 Double - \$30.00

The financial year ends on 31st December 2024

WORKERS ON FRIDAY AFTERNOON AND SHOW DAY:

Help will be required for setting up before and after the show to pack down the show cages and tables. Many hands make light work. We have access to the venue from 12 pm Friday afternoon and would greatly appreciate help to set up on Friday afternoon and also helpers/workers on Show day. Please indicate on your entry form if you are available to assist with setting up and helping at the show. All helpers/workers will be catered for on show day. All workers will be notified/confirmed by the Show Secretary before the Show.

SHOW CAGES:

If you choose to use the cages supplied by NZSCA, there will be a \$6 per cage hire fee. If you prefer to bring your own cage, there will be no charge. Please ensure that you indicate your preference on your entry form and include your front cage measurement, for the correct floor plan layout. We will be unable to make changes on the day of the show.

VETERINARY REQUIREMENTS:

We are pleased to announce Vet Emma Robinson of the Redwood Veterinary Clinic will be vetting all entries. Veterinary Vaccinations Certificates are required for all kittens, under NZCF Show By-Law 5.6(f). **Owners of all kittens MUST produce a certificate with a current vaccination date at least 7 days prior to the show.**

NEW SPONSORS:

We are proud to announce new sponsors for our Show. **Petcover – Pet Insurance** have graciously sponsored 2 Silver Tray Trophies and 2 gift baskets. These Trophies will be an annual award for “Cat Purrsonality” and “Kitten Purrsonality” of the Show as awarded by a Judge. **Ziwi Pets** are our Ring 3 Pet Food Sponsor. **Eye Envy** has sponsored some of their products as prizes. We sincerely appreciate both **Petcover – Pet Insurance, Ziwi Pets, and Eye Envy** for their Sponsorship.



Eye Envy

Website; www.eyeenvy.com.au

**DONATIONS, RIBBONS OR ROSETTES:**

The Show Committee would be extremely grateful for any donations of ribbons, rosettes, prizes, or monetary donations to purchase these items – please indicate on your entry form any contribution you wish to make, or contact the Club Secretary

CATERING:

Coffees & Tea and Muffin Break muffins will be available for Exhibitors to purchase from the kitchen counter in the hall. A drink and muffin will cost \$8. Parklands Shopping Centre (across the road from the venue) has various eateries.

RAFFLES: will be available with some stunning prizes to be won.

Coloured drapes and bedding are allowed.

DEFINITION OF TERMS FOR ALL EXHIBITS

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| CAT | Cat of any gender, 9 months and over on the day of the show |
| KITTEN | Kitten of any gender, 4 months or over, and under 9 months on the day of the show |
| OPEN | Class in which Cats compete for NZCF Inc. Challenges |
| JUNIOR | Cat aged between 9 months to 2 years on the day of the show. |
| INTERMEDIATE | Cat aged between 2 and 5 years on the day of the show. |
| SENIOR | Cat aged between 5 and 7 years on the day of the show. |
| VETERAN | Cat aged over 7 years on the day of the show. |

SUPREME AWARDS:

Calculated on Top Ten Placings only.

Domestic and Companion will be combined if there are less than five entries in either Section.

SCHEDULE OF REGISTERED CLASSES

| BREED CLASSES | | | | |
|----------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|
| Class | Male Class No | Female Class No | Neuter Class No | Spay Class No |
| Open Cat (Challenge Class) | 1 | 21 | 41 | 61 |
| Junior Cat | 2 | 22 | 42 | 62 |
| Intermediate Cat | 3 | 23 | 43 | 63 |
| Senior Cat | 4 | 24 | 44 | 64 |
| Veteran Cat | 5 | 25 | 45 | 65 |
| NZ Bred | 6 | 26 | 46 | 66 |
| Open Kitten (No Challenge) | 11 | 31 | 51 | 71 |
| Kitten 4-5 months | 12 | 32 | 52 | 72 |
| Kitten 6-9 months | 13 | 33 | 53 | 73 |
| NZ Bred | 14 | 34 | 54 | 74 |
| TYPE CLASSES | | | | |
| 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 each entire cat and entire kitten section, and one jointly to the N/S Cat and N/S Kitten section.

SCHEDULE OF DOMESTIC AND COMPANION CLASSES

| Classes | Neuter | Spay |
|------------------------------|--------|------|
| Cat Open | 41 | 61 |
| Junior (9 Months to 2 Years) | 42 | 62 |
| Intermediate (2 to 5 Years) | 43 | 63 |
| Senior (5 to 7 Years) | 44 | 64 |
| Veteran (7 Years and over) | 45 | 65 |
| Adopted or Rescued Cat* | 46 | 66 |
| Kitten Open | 51 | 71 |
| Kitten (4 to 6 Months) | 52 | 72 |
| Kitten (6 to 9 Months) | 53 | 73 |

DOMESTIC & COMPANION CATS DEFINITIONS

- Longhair has a coat of MORE than 3cm long (approx. 1 inch) and stands out from its body when brushed forward. Hair on the tail may stand out like a plume.
- Shorthair is not easily brushed forward and may be flat and sleek or dense but not flowing.
- Please Note: A cat or kitten entered in the Domestic Section of a Show, which has some known pedigree, or when benched, has a phenotype or appearance of any pedigree cat, will be transferred from the Domestic Section to the Registered Companion Cat Section of by the Show Secretary and/or the Show Manager in consultation with the exhibitor/owner, or agent, with the registration number shown in the marked catalogue as "pending".

DOMESTIC & COMPANION CATS ENTRY ELIGIBILITY

All Companion & Domestic cats or kittens must be desexed (neutered or spayed)

NZCF registration numbers must be shown on entry forms. If you do not know your number, contact the honours registrar at honours@nzcf.com with your name, membership number, and your cat's name.

SHOW REGULATIONS

An N.Z Siamese Cat Assn appointed, registered Veterinary Surgeon, will be in attendance to examine each exhibit prior to judging.

For planned early departures, permission should be sought as soon as possible, and a minimum of 24 hours before the start of the show, using the form in Appendix 1 (in the Show Bylaws)

Emergency early departures still require the permission of the Show Manager or Show Secretary which should be recorded on the form at Appendix 1.

- 1) **VETTING:** Will be in the cage, and according to By-Law 9.3(b), exhibits may be Ultraviolet lamped.

If, in the opinion of the Veterinary Surgeon and/or Show Manager, ANY exhibit showing indications of contagious or infectious illness, for the exhibition will receive an NZCF rejection certificate and must be removed from the hall immediately.

If they have other exhibits entered, these entries will be stringently examined.

They may be requested to remove these animals also if they show signs of illness.

All entry fees will be forfeited. The examining Veterinary Surgeon's decision shall be final.

All exhibits must have CLEAN EARS AND COATS FREE FROM RINGWORM, MANGE, or FLEAS.

- 2) Any exhibit presented with a veterinary certificate (NON-CONTAGIOUS) shall be thoroughly examined by the officiating Veterinary Surgeon. The original copy is to be presented to the attending Registered Veterinarian, and then given to the Show Manager.

SPONSORSHIP. The N.Z. Siamese Cat Assn; are very grateful to have received great sponsorship we respectfully request your support of their excellent products.

CATALOGUE ADVERTISING. The final date for acceptance of the copy is the close of entries.
Full Page \$20; 1/2 Page \$10; 1/4 Page \$5. Please send adverts directly to the Show Secretary.

ENTRY FORMS. If for any reason there is a query regarding any entry received, the Exhibitor must be prepared to accept a collect telephone call from the Show Secretary.

All exhibitors are deemed to have agreed to abide by the above document when signing their Entry form. The Show Management reserves the right to refuse entries and to amend prize lists.

Feeding of the exhibits is permitted only after Judging.

CELLPHONES. As a courtesy to Judges and Exhibitors, cell phones need to be turned off, or switched to vibrate. **Smoking is not allowed in or near the venue.**

BREEDERS ADVERTISING will only be permitted on cages at the completion of judging.

UNSEEMLY BEHAVIOUR. The N.Z. Siamese Cat Assn Committee reserves the right of admission to the Show Hall. Anyone behaving in an unseemly manner will be asked to leave the premises. Anyone acting in a manner that, which in the opinion of the Show Manager is likely to be prejudicial to the impartiality of judging, will be asked to leave the vicinity of the judging area. Caregivers/parents will be held responsible for the supervision of accompanying children.

- 3) **ALL** exhibits front and rear claws **MUST BE CLIPPED**, prior to benching.
- 4) No Exhibitor shall exhibit a cat which to his/her knowledge has been exposed to any **INFECTIOUS or CONTAGIOUS ILLNESS** within **21 days prior to the date of the show.**
- 5) Entry fees will be refunded, less 25% for bookwork involved, where a certificate of illness, signed by a registered veterinarian, is in the Show Secretary's hands no later than 24 hours prior to the commencement of the show.
- 6) Exhibits must be presented at the Show in a secure container. Show By-Law **10. Safety Procedures**(a) It is mandatory for carrying cages to be left under every exhibit's benching cage during Shows so that all cats can be evacuated speedily in case of an emergency.
- 7) Catalogues will be available on entry if pre-ordered, exhibit numbers will be on cages.
- 8) Exhibitors are responsible for their exhibits and placing them in their correct classes and cages.

- 9) If you are supplying your own wire collapsible cage you **MUST** notify this on your entry form stating the measurements of your cage. Exhibitors are to supply white or clear a white/ clear plastic toilet tray. A towel or fleece for the exhibit during judging can be placed on the top of the cage. Water containers and heat pads/hot water bottles are permitted in cages.
- 10) The club will supply litter. **NO OTHER TYPE LITTER ALLOWED IN THE HALL.**
- 11) No interior or exterior decorations or distinguishing marks or objects are to be allowed in or on the cages during judging and it will be an instruction to the Judge to pass any cage so marked. After vetting and once judging commences **No** exhibit may be removed from its cage other than the Judge or the Show Manager when prior permission has been received for an early departure.
- 12) Any pedigree cat/kitten exhibited at this show shall be bred by the exhibitors in whose name it is entered or shall have been transferred to the exhibitors prior to the date of the show in accordance with NZCF Inc. Show Rules & By-Laws.
- 13) If your postal address is a P.O. Box number please ensure you also supply a contact telephone number.
- 14) Show disputes will be handled as per the NZCF Show By-Laws Section 15. **Objections at Shows.**
This show will operate under the current NZCF Health & Safety Manual
- 15) You are reminded of the NZCF Show Rule 10.8 Removal of an exhibit before the show has been officially closed without the prior permission of the Shows Manager or Show Secretary, will result in the loss of all club awards and NZCF annual awards points and any title points.

REGISTERED COMPANION CATS

1. *A Registered Companion Cat Section may be included in NZCF-sanctioned Shows. The section may be judged by judges already contracted to judge another section at the same Show.*
2. *All cats/kittens competing in the Companion Cat/Domestic Sections shall be de-sexed.*
3. *There will be two Divisions, Longhair and Shorthair, and cats and kittens will compete in their own sections within these Divisions.*
4. *The Registered Companion Cat Section will compete for titles, and cats having the necessary number of challenges will be known as, Premier Companions i.e., Premier Companion Cats, Grand Premier Companion Cats, Double Grand Premier C Cs, Bronze Double Grand Premier C Cs, Silver Double Grand Premier C Cs, Gold Double Grand Premier C Cs.*
5. *Every cat placed in the Top 10 will be eligible for challenges, and 3 challenges from 3 different Judges are required before Premier Companion status is awarded (challenge certificates will be awarded only to cats in the Top 10).*
6. *A cat which has been awarded challenges or other awards, and transfers into or out of the Registered Companion Cat section, cannot retain any awards or titles when so transferring. As this Division is intended as a division to enable pedigree, part pedigree, or pedigree phenotype cats to be shown specifically separate, from Domestic exhibits, no cat which has been awarded Grand Champion or higher in either Entire or Neuter /Spay Divisions will be permitted to be shown as Registered Companion Cats*
7. *All cats and kittens entered in the Companion Cat Section shall be entered under their registered name with the Prefix and breed number. The Show Catalogue must state the approximate age in years and months, and the Companion Cat registration number of the exhibit.*
8. *A cat or kitten entered in the Domestic Section of a Show, which has some known pedigree, or has the phenotype or appearance of any pedigree cat, will be transferred from the Domestic Section to the Registered Companion Cat Section of that Show by the Show Manager, before the start of the Show.*

9. Should a cat or kitten entered in the Domestic Section of a Show be noticed on Show day to have the phenotype of a pedigree, then the terms of Clause 8 will apply. Had such granted and will notify the new registration number to the owner of the exhibit. Registered Companion Cats registration numbers will have the prefix of CC, plus an indication as to Longhair or Shorthair (CCL or CCS).

10. There will be no additional fees payable for registration of Registered Companion Cats, which may be initiated by the owner, the Show Secretary, or the Honours Registrar.

11. The Approved Standard for Registered Companion Cats is as follows:

[a] General Physical Condition: The cat should be in excellent health, with good coat condition. Battle scars are permissible provided they are clean.

[b] Grooming and Cleanliness: A high standard of grooming is a requirement with no sign of any dirt or other foreign matter. Eyes and ears must be clean.

[c] Coat: The coat colour and markings should be visually appealing, healthy and glossy, indicating good condition, with colour and markings melding to give an overall pleasing appearance.

[d] Temperament: No specific type, coat or breed standard is applicable. Excellent temperament is a major requirement.

[e] Appearance: The cat should be bright-eyed with an alert facial expression, with eye colour complementing the coat and pattern.

and colour. Overall, the cat should be visually appealing to the eye.

12. SCALE OF POINTS FOR REGISTERED COMPANION CATS

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| General Physical Condition | 20 |
| Grooming and Cleanliness | 20 |
| Coat | 20 |
| Temperament | 20 |
| Appearance | 20 |



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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

NEW ZEALAND SIAMESE CAT ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FORM



Name.....

Address.....

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Telephone..... Email.....

Occupation.....

Prefix (if applicable)

Signature..... Date.....

Nominated by.....

(Full financial member of NZSCA)

Note: all members are expected to adhere to the NZSCA Constitution and Code of ethics.

About your Siamese..... Registered breed, Name, number & colour,

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Please indicate if you wish to be included in the breeders listing on the club website. Yes/No

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| Membership Fees | | | |
| Single Full | \$22.00 | Double Full | \$30.00 |
| | Junior | \$20.00 Associate | \$20.00 |
| Bank account: 03-1700-0106396-000 | | | |

Please return the completed and signed application with the appropriate fee to:-
The Secretary. NZSCA Kim Oberholzer, 1 Wagner Crescent, Northwood, Christchurch 8051
kl.oberholzer@gmail.com