



# **SACRED TEMPLE BIRMAN CAT CLUB**

## **25th ANNUAL SHOW**

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**5 Ring Championship Birman Show**

**With LONGHAIR COMPANIONS ONLY**

**Saturday 29th June 2024**

**Venue: Indian Cultural Society Hall, Udy Street, Petone**

### **JUDGES**

**All Exhibits:**

<b>Ring 1:</b>	<b>Judges Name</b>	<b>Tony Hurry</b>	<b>Sydney, Australia</b>
<b>Ring 2:</b>	<b>Judges Name</b>	<b>John Smithson</b>	<b>Hamilton</b>
<b>Ring 3:</b>	<b>Judges Name</b>	<b>Jo Millar</b>	<b>Christchurch</b>
<b>Ring 4:</b>	<b>Judges Name</b>	<b>Sharon Jose</b>	<b>Te Aroha</b>
<b>Ring 5:</b>	<b>Judges Name</b>	<b>Christine Yeung</b>	<b>Palmerston North</b>

<b><u>Show Manager:</u></b>	<b>John Davey</b>
<b>Asst Show Manager:</b>	<b>Tony England</b>
<b>Health &amp; Safety Officer:</b>	<b>Christine Morgan/Janice Davey</b>

**Show Secretary: Janice Davey, Ph 06 7546982 or 027 3883777 or email: leegrigo@hotmail.com  
& Entries Clerk: 69 Browne Street, Waitara 4320**

**Awards scoring: Top ten Cats, Kittens, N/S Cats, N/S Kittens & Companion Longhair**

**Trophies:** May only be uplifted by exhibitors who are financial members of the Sacred Temple Birman Cat Club prior to commencement of Judging on show day. All trophies must be returned to Janice Davey prior to commencement of Judging on show day. **Note:** Please refer to the Trophy Rules below.

**Veterinary Inspection:**

All exhibits shall be vetted in cages. UV lamping at random. Vaccination certificates must be produced for Kittens. Any certificate issued within 7 days of the show shall be deemed unacceptable. **PLEASE NOTE NO EXHIBITORS ARE TO LEAVE THE HALL AREA UNTIL THE VETS HAVE CLEARED ALL EXHIBITS**

## Schedule of Fees:

<b>Entry Fees close 13th June 2024</b> <b>All entries must be in the hands of the Show Secretary by Thursday 13<sup>h</sup> June 2024</b>	<b>\$12.00 1<sup>st</sup> entry per ring</b> <b>\$10.00 2<sup>nd</sup> entry per ring</b> <b>\$9.00 3<sup>rd</sup> and subsequent entry per ring</b>	
<b>NZCF Benching Fees (5 rings)</b>	<b>\$5.00 per ring on first exhibit, eg: \$25.00</b>	
<b>Lucky cage</b>	<b>\$1.00</b>	
<b>Catalogue</b>	<b>\$8.00</b>	
<b>Advertising: Full Page \$20.00</b>	<b>Half page \$10.00</b>	<b>Quarter page \$5.00</b>
<b>Stalls:</b>	<b>\$30.00</b>	

**NO ENTRIES** will be accepted without payment accompanying entry.

**Note:** Entries **CLOSE Thursday 13th June 2024.**

**Online payments can be made, ANZ Bank: Sacred Temple Birman Club: 01 0771 0243684 00**  
**Include your name in the "Reference."**

**Note:** There may be STUDENT JUDGES on the floor doing practical assignments if you do not wish to have your cats included in hands on assignments, please notify the entry clerk on your entry

**Note:** The Club has a new membership form and this needs to be sent in with your entries

Membership: Single & Associate \$15.00 Double \$25.00 Junior \$10.00

### Schedule of Classes for Registered Exhibits

Class	Male	Female	Neuter	Spay
Open Cat (Challenge Class)	1	21	41	61
Junior (9 months-2 years)	2	22	42	62
Intermediate (2-5 years)	3	23	43	63
Senior (5-7 Years)	4	24	44	64
Veteran (over 7 Years)	5	25	45	65
NZ Bred	6	26	46	66

Open Kitten	11	31	51	71
Kitten 4-6 months	12	32	52	72
Kitten 6-9 months	13	33	53	73
NZ Bred Kitten	14	34	54	74

**Type Classes:** In classes 101-171 exhibits compete against ALL exhibits in the same section. Judging takes into account only the shape/type of the exhibits, not coat, colour, condition or eye colour.

Open Cat Type	101	121	141	161
Open Kitten Type	111	131	151	171

**HALL OPENS AT 7.00AM**  
**VETTING WILL COMMENCE 7.30 AM**  
**HALL CLEARED 8.00 AM**  
**JUDGING TO START 8.30 AM**  
**HALL OPENS TO PUBLIC AT 10.00AM**

**SHOW WILL CLOSE AT 4.30 PM (IF ALL THE AWARDS ARE OUT)**

**Catering:** Tea, Coffee and toast will be provided for early morning breakfast for \$4.00

**Workers:** Will be provided with morning tea

**STBCC Supreme:** Awards are calculated on top ten points **over 5 rings for Birmans** if there is a tie the Trophies are shared.

# COMPANION LONGHAIR ONLY CATS/KITTEN

## THE CLUB WILL HOLD 4 RINGS SHOW FOR COMPANION CATS

Ring 1: Judges Name John Smithson Hamilton  
Ring 2: Judges Name Jo Millar Christchurch  
Ring 3: Judges Name Sharon Jose Te Aroha  
Ring 4: Judges Name Christine Yeung Palmerston North

**Supreme Overall:** Will be done on points, over the 4 top ten rings, unless there is a tie. A Judge-off will be done by Tony Hurry

### Schedule of Fees:

Entry Fees close Thursday 13th June 2024	\$12.00 for 4 rings \$48.00
All entries must be in the hands of the Show Secretary by Thursday 13th June 2024	\$10.00 2 <sup>nd</sup> entry \$9.00 3 <sup>rd</sup> and subsequent entry per ring
NZCF Benching Fees (4 rings)	\$5.00 per ring on first exhibit, eg: \$20.00
Catalogue	\$8.00

NO ENTRIES will be accepted without payment accompanying entry.

Note: Entries CLOSE Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> June 2024,

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Include your name in the "Reference."

All cats/kittens competing in the Companion Cat section shall be de-sexed as per NZCF show rules.

### COMPANION CAT CLASSES

CLASS NAME
Kitten 4-6 months
Kitten 6-9 months
Best kitten owned by a child
Best Personality
Best Groomed & Conditioned Kitten
Junior Cat 9 months-2years
Intermediate Cat 2-5 years
Senior Cat 5-7 years
Veteran Cat 7 plus years
Best Cat owned by a child
Best Personality
Best Groomed & Conditioned Cat

THE CLUB RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REFUSE ANY ENTRY WITHOUT GIVING ANY REASON FOR DOING SO. CAGES MAY BE DECORATED FOR ALL CATS AND KITTENS

## **By- Laws, Instructions and Regulations for this show**

1. This open show is held under the Show By-Laws of the NZCF. The Show By-Laws are available to download from the NZ Cat Fancy website – [www.nzcf.com](http://www.nzcf.com). A copy of the Show By-Laws will be available at the show to read. All exhibitors are deemed to have agreed to abide by the show By-Laws and these Regulations. Your signed entry form binds you to these Show By-Laws and regulations. Also your attention is drawn to Rule 2.1 (e) That 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 in the show schedule.
2. By-Law 4.4(a) Any Cat or Kitten exhibited at a show held under these Show By- Laws shall be bred by the exhibitors in whose name it is entered or shall have been transferred to you prior to the day of the show. If your Cat/Kitten has not been transferred to you prior to the day of the show, any awards won by that Cat/Kitten may be forfeited. If you have not received a NZCF transfer and/or Registration number 7 days prior to the show contact the relevant show Secretary for assistance. **Exhibits not registered or transferred by show day may be disqualified by NZCF.**
3. Any exhibit which has been exposed to or is suffering from any infectious or contagious illness within a period of 21 days prior to the show is not allowed to be benched at this show and a Cat or Kitten shall not be exhibited if the exhibitor has had an illness in his/her cattery during such period. All exhibits must have **clean ears, and coats free from ringworm, mange and vermin.**
4. Exhibits must be brought into the show in carry cages not in arms or on a leash. The Club accepts no responsibility for any loss or damage to exhibits or carry cages.
5. The Club takes every care to prevent accidents or injury to any exhibit or property.
6. Exhibits claws must be clipped prior to the show.
7. Vaccination Certificates for all Kittens and Cats must be shown to the Tally Clerk before benching, The Certificate should be at least 7 days old. **Failure to produce any of your Cats or Kitten Vaccination Certificate will mean your Cat or Kitten will be refused admission to the show.**
8. Cage numbers, receipts, exhibitors pass, and Catalogues can be obtained at the front of the stage.
9. No receipts will be issued prior to the show day unless a SAE is supplied with entries.
10. Cages and litter will be supplied by the Club.
11. For “SALE” notices are not permitted on the cages. Aerosol cans must not be used in the show hall. Powder may be applied and or removed from an exhibit coat only in the Grooming areas provided.
12. **NO SMOKING inside the hall area.**
13. Exhibitors are responsible for entering their exhibits in the correct classes. Particulars entered on the entry form shall be identical to those given on the Registration or Transfer Certificate. If the Kitten or Cats are owned by more than one owner the names of all the owners shall be given on all entry forms.
14. **Exhibits are not to be removed before 4.30pm** any exhibitors breaching this rule will forfeit **all awards - show rule 10.8**
15. Only exhibits registered with the NZCF Inc are eligible to enter the registered sections.
16. The Club reserves the right of admission to the show. Persons behaving in an unseemly manner will be asked to leave the premises. Any person acting in a way, which in the opinion of the Show Manager / Asst Show Manager is likely to affect the procedure or impartiality of the competition, will be asked to leave the vicinity of the Judging. Caregivers are held responsible for the supervision of accompanying children.
17. The use of CELL PHONES is not permitted within the confines of the show floor. Please ensure they are switched OFF in the Show Hall particularly during Judging.
18. Refund will only be refund re 4.6 of the NZCF Show bylaws.

## **STBCC CLUB Trophy Rules**

1. Club trophies may only be uplifted by exhibitors who are financial members of the Sacred Temple Cat Club prior to commencement of Judging on show day.
2. Any trophies not returned by show day will be couriered at the holder's expense to the new recipient within 10 days of show completion.
3. Any trophies which are returned damaged will be repaired and the cost will be payable by the holder of the trophy at the time the damage occurred.
4. In the case of a lost trophy or trophies these are to be replaced with a trophy of similar value, including the engraving at the expense of the trophy holder.
5. Non-return of trophies in consecutive years by a Club member will result in the Club member forfeiting the right to uplift any future trophies awarded.
6. In the event of a 'tie' the initial recipient will hold the trophy for 5.5 months and then courier it to the joint winner for the remaining 5.5 months. The Trophy Steward is to be notified when the trophy has been sent on.
7. All trophies are to be returned to the Trophy Steward, no later than 10<sup>th</sup> June each year, unless prior arrangement in writing has been made and acknowledged by the Trophy Steward on behalf of the Sacred Template Cat Club.
8. The trophies for Top Birman Cat of year in each longhair section, will be awarded at the STCC Annual Show and awarded annually to the highest scoring Birman Entire Cat or Kitten and Neuter/Spay Cat or Kitten, from the previous show season. The owners of these cats or kittens must be a financial member of the STCC for a minimum of 1 year prior to be eligible to uplift these Trophies.