BURMESE CAT CLUB OF NZ INC – NORTH ISLAND REGION'S

46th ANNUAL CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW Sunday 27th July 2025

Barber Hall, Waldegrave Street, Palmerston North

ALL BREEDS SHOW SCHEDULE





JUDGES

RINGS	SECTIONS	TOP PRIZES	JUDGE
RING 1	Pedigree Longhair & Pedigree Shorthair	ProPlan Product & Sponsored Rosettes	Hanrie Bekker South Africa
RING 2	Pedigree Longhair & Pedigree Shorthair	Likki Mat Product & Sponsored Rosettes	P.C. Bekker South Africa
RING 3	Pedigree Longhair & Pedigree Shorthair	Club Prizes & Refurbished Rosettes	Belinda Penglis QLD, Australia
RING 4	Pedigree Longhair & Pedigree Shorthair	Refurbished Rosettes	Bronwyn Main Te Akau, New Zealand

Please note: Judges may be subject to change in response to entry numbers. Whilst there will be Top 10 awards & NZCF points in each section, prizes and rosettes will be awarded for: Best in Show, Runner Up Best In Show, 3rd Best in Show, 4th Best in Show & 5th Best in Show only.

Phone number for show day emergencies: 027 457 9633

Online show entries via catshowsonline.co.nz

Entries close:

Friday 4th July 2025

Contact Show Secretary for assistance

Click here for Judge's Resumes

SHOW TIMETABLE

Hall Open	Vetting	Benching Closes	Judging Begins	Open to Public	Prizegiving	Show Close
7.00 am	7.15 – 8.00am	7.45am	8.30am	10.00am	Approx 4.00pm	As declared by Show Manager Approx 4.30pm

SHOW BYLAWS

This Show is held under the Rules of the New Zealand Cat Fancy Inc and the Burmese Cat Club of New Zealand Inc. By signing the entry form or submitting an entry by email or online, 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 four Ring Open Show with in-cage Vetting and Cage Judging. Club-appointed handlers will be used but owner-handlers may be permitted at the discretion of the judge.

For an exhibit to be eligible for any NZCF awards or titles, the owner must be a member of the NZCF.

AWARDS

NZCF Scoring

Entire Cats, Entire Kittens, Neuter / Spay Cats & Neuter / Spay Kittens.

Top 10

Top 10 awards will be made for Entire Cats, Entire Kittens, Neuter / Spay Cats, Neuter / Spay Kittens.

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, the Neuter/Spay Cat section and the Neuter/Spay Kitten section.

Supreme Awards

The Longhair & Shorthair divisions will each be awarded a club Supreme. There will be no overall Supreme award. Supremes will be announced at prizegiving. In addition, Best Overall Burmese or Related Breed Exhibits will be awarded in each ring.

Method: All judges will pick their top cat from their Best in Show winners in each division, and these will be presented as their nominations for Supreme. If there is no clear winner, silent judging by the judges panel of the nominated exhibits from each division will decide the Supreme winners.

Club Trophies

There will be no club trophies awarded at this show.



IMPORTANT INFOR<u>MATION</u>

Student Judges

Student Judges, handlers and stewards may be on the floor completing practical assignments. If you do not wish to have your exhibit/s included in a hands-on assignment, please notify the Show Secretary.

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 venue 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.

Own Show Cages

A limited number of club cages are available for hire at \$5/cage. Out of town exhibitors will be given preference. The size of the club show cages is 61cm x 45cm x 53cm.

Please ensure to note on your entries whether you are supplying your own cage or whether you wish to hire one of our cages.

If you can supply your own cage, please also note on your entry form the cage dimensions.

Preferably cages should be on hand at the show venue for set up by 10am on SATURDAY 26th July.

If this is not possible, cages may be set up at benching and must be set up in the specified area so as to minimise noise and disturbance to other exhibits.

SHOW CONTACTS

Show Manager

Mushfik Yeung

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Health & Safety Officer

Emma Kimberley

Show Secretary

Christine Yeung

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Ph 021 687 436

Honorary Veterinarian

Dr Genevieve Rogerson BVSc BSc

Cahill Animal Hospital

NORTH ISLAND REGIONAL SHOW COMMITTEE

Regional Chairperson

Regional Representative

Genevieve Rogerson

Regional Treasurer Mushfik Yeung Regional Welfare Officer
James Hanford-Cable

Christine Yeung

Show Committee

Sheryl Brown, Craig Hanford-Cable, Julie Hansen, Rex Hansen, Marie Pearce, Shirlene Nagy

OFFICIAL SCHEDULE OF 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. Exhibits will automatically be entered into all eligible classes.

The NZCF Official Schedule of Breed Classes and Type Classes can be viewed on the NZCF Website by following this link: https://nzcf.com/file_downloads/downloads_page/Schedule_of_classes.html

ENTRY FEES

ENTRY FEES (4 rings)	Fee Per Exhibit (applicable all rings)
1st exhibit (incl NZCF Benching Fees)	\$76.00
2nd Exhibit	\$52.00
3 rd and subsequent exhibit/s	\$44.00
Cat Shows Online Admin Fee (per entry)	\$1.00

Club Show Cage Hire \$5.00/cage size: 61cm x 45cm x 53cm		
Show Catalogues	\$10.00 (if paid with entries) \$15.00 (if paid on show day – limited numbers available)	

	\$5.00 per half page / business card*	*Business Card to be sent with entries (will be scanned for inclusion). Adverts to be	
Catalogue Advertising	\$15.00 per half page	sent electronically to	
	\$25.00 per full page	ni_show@burmesecatclub.nz	

\$30.00 includes one trestle table. Space is limited.

ENTRIES CLOSE: 4th July 2025

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

Online entries via catshowsonline.co.nz

Contact Show Secretary for assistance

Payment is required at the time of submitting your entries

HELPERS

To help make our show a success, we need 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

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

- Stewards
- Runners
- Handlers
- Prize Distributors
- Tally Clerks / Benching
- Front Door / Information Desk

SPECIAL AWARD PRESENTATIONS

Once judging is complete and prizes are out we plan to hold an award presentation at approximately 4.00pm.

DONATIONS

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

LUCKY CAGE

We are offering a Lucky Cage Raffle - \$2 each, cage number will be drawn and winner announced during the day. All proceeds to the North Island Region Welfare Fund.

NEW MEMBERS

New members are very welcome, please contact BCCNZ Club Secretary: Kris Patterson kris.vickip1@xtra.co.nz

CATERING FOR EXHIBITORS

There will be a food truck on site from 8.00am until early-mid afternoon.

STALL SPACE

Space is limited. Cost of \$30 per stall. Please contact the Show Secretary 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 Saturday 26th July from approximately 9.00am 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 (or attached to your cat's profile in Cat Shows Online at or before close of entries). These should be at least 48hrs old and not more than six months old. Certificates for adult exhibits to be presented if requested.

CAT FRIENDLY MOTELS

The following motels accept cats which are contained at all times in a crate. Please advise when booking that you will be bringing cats. Please respect the requirements of the motel owners regarding containment of your cats and dispose of used litter and food.

Quality Suites Central Square

1-17 Fitzherbert Avenue, Palmerston North

Ph 0800 SQUARE (0800 778 273)

Guests who book directly with us and use the code **PNCATCLUB** will receive a 10% discount with a minimum stay of two nights. If guests are only able to stay one night, we can do a 5% discount.

Big Five Motel

154 Park Road, Palmerston North 4410

Phone 0800 244 34 83

A'La Vista Motel

171 Fitzherbert Avenue, Palmerston North 4410

Phone 0800 10 84 84

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 48 hours** 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 their 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 their cattery or household during that period. Any exhibitor, who in the opinion of the show committee, making 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.

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 Veterinarian's written rejection is final. NO correspondence will be entered into.

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

In the event of unforeseeable illness before show day, where a certificate of illness from a Veterinarian is in the hands of the Show Secretary by 5:00 pm on the day prior to the Show, 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 Health and 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 name in the catalogue please specify on your entry form.

NZCF SHOW RULE 2.1 (c) – 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 (f) – 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.

NZCF SHOW RULE 2.1A – 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 2.1B – 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 Codes.

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 – 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. 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 Permission for Early Departure from a Show form. Emergency early departures still require the permission of the Show Manager or Show Secretary which should be recorded on the Permission for Early Departure from a Show form, which can be downloaded here.