

東貓會 The Oriental Shorthair Cat Association (of N.Z. incorporated)

WELCOME YOU TO THEIR 2025 FOUR RING PEDIGREE CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW

**(Incorporating Oriental, Javanese, Siamese, Balinese Breed Type Cats
and all other Shorthair by invitation)**

To be held at:

Kumeu Community Centre, 35 Access Road, Kumeu.

SATURDAY, 21 JUNE 2025

(Please note: not a Sunday show this year)



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a healthy lifestyle begins in the bowl

Held under the Rules of the New Zealand Cat Fancy Inc. and The Oriental Shorthair Cat Association of NZ Inc.

NZCF Award Scoring: Top Ten Cats, Top Ten Kittens, Top Ten Neuter/Spay Cats and Top Ten Neuter/Spay Kittens.

This will be an Open Show with Club appointed handlers - owners may handle their own exhibits if desired.

Vetting will be In-Cage.

JUDGES			
Ring 1	Ring 2	Ring 3	Ring 4
ROY GRIFFITH (NZCF – CHRISTCHURCH) (TOSCA ONLY RING)	MICHELLE HINDER (CCCA - AUS) (ALL SHORTHAIR) NUTRIENCE ring	DAVID CRYMBLE (NZCF - NGARUAWAHIA) (ALL SHORTHAIR) One Wins ring	Paul Henry (NZCF - TOKOROA) (ALL SHORTHAIR) Recycled ribbon ring
SHOW OFFICIALS			
Show Manager:	Hannah Grant		Ph: 0275341440
Show Secretary:	Sue Starrs, 20 Carillon Place, Massey, Auckland 0614		Ph: 0273253672
Awards Steward:	Jane Lee-Cooper		0211722597
Show Committee:	Jan Allott, Anne-Marie Hall, Fiona Taylor, Kim Walker, Ange Robinson		
Club Secretary:	Anne-Marie Hall, PO Box 172, Kumeu 0841		Ph.:0272776770
Health & Safety Officer	Anne-Marie Hall		





PLEASE DECORATE YOUR CAGE – KIWI AS

Please note that our cages are open mesh style (without solid sides) you will need to bring cage curtains or other type of barriers to prevent your cat from seeing its neighbour. (Cage size is 54 cm (height), 62 cm (width) and 48 cm (depth)).

SHOW TIMETABLE

Entries close -	11th June 2025
Hall opens and vetting commences:	7.30 am (in cage) – early morning tea available for exhibitors
Hall cleared for final vetting:	8.00 am
Judging commences and open to Exhibitors:	8.45 am
Show opens to public:	10.30 am
Show closes:	4.00 pm

ENTRY FEES

Entry fees for Cats/kittens entering all 4 rings (including TOSCA breeds ring):	First Entry – \$84.00 (includes benching fee)
	Second and subsequent entries – \$48.00
Entry fees for Cats/kittens entering 3 rings (all other Shorthairs) :	First Entry – \$64.00 (includes benching fee)
	Second and subsequent entries – \$36.00
Catalogue (prepaid):	\$7.00 (\$10 on the day)
Membership (full and associate):	\$18.00 single \$20.00 double \$9.00 junior (under 16)

Send entries to: Sue Starrs,

Email entries preferred: starrsrus@xtra.co.nz - Or post to: 20 Carillon Place, Massey, Auckland 0614

Direct Credit payments ANZ 01 0249 0080157 00 (Please make sure to include your name as a reference)

TROPHIES

Please contact Jane Lee-Cooper (0211722597 or zeland@icloud.com) to make arrangements for return of perpetual trophies. If these are not returned prior to show day, or suitable arrangements made to return on show day, your entries may be refused.

Catering: Dan will be manning the kitchen

Will be offering a selection of sandwiches, cakes and hot foods/soups along with tea and coffee, for exhibitors/visitors to purchase within the show venue.

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. The TOSCA show includes Oriental Shorthair, Javanese, Siamese, Balinese, and all other shorthair.
2. Trophies will only be awarded to financial members of the club in the TOSCA specialty Ring 1 only.
If your previous shows trophies are not returned in a clean and sound condition, or suitable arrangements made with the awards Steward, your entries may be withdrawn by the Show Committee.

Privacy Act: Exhibitor's name, address and prefix (where applicable) will be printed in the Show Catalogue unless you notify otherwise when lodging entries.

Challenge Certificates: Any Challenges awarded by judges to titled exhibits entered in Open classes at this show will be recorded and notified to the NZCF Honours Officer, but Challenge Certificates will not be issued.

Workers: All help will be appreciated; many hands will be needed to make this a great day for TOSCA. Please indicate on your entry form if you are able to work and what you would prefer to do.

Setting Up: Will be from 2pm on Friday, 20th June 2025. As always your assistance would be greatly appreciated, even if only for an hour. Please call Hannah Grant 0275431440 to let us know you can lend a hand. PLEASE, PLEASE come and help and don't leave it all to our small show committee!

Displaying Cats & Kittens for sale/rehoming at the show: We may be able to make cages available for cats or kittens for sale or rehoming for a small fee. These cats or kittens will be subject to the same vetting and show rules as per the show exhibits. Please contact the show secretary for details.

GENERAL RULES

1. This show will be held under the Rules of the New Zealand Cat Fancy Inc. and The Oriental Shorthair Cat Assn and all exhibitors will be deemed to have agreed to abide by these rules. Copies of the NZCF rules may be obtained on the NZCF website under downloads.
2. Entries received without fees will not be accepted. Exhibitors are advised to enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope with their entries so that they can obtain confirmation that their entries have been received.
3. The show committee reserves the right to refuse any entries without giving any reason.
4. Receipt of exhibits (benching) will take place in the show hall from 7.30am. Receipts and cage numbers will be issued at this time.
5. Exhibits must be presented in a healthy condition, free from disease and parasitic infections such as fleas. They must be brought to the show in secure boxes or carry cages, not carried loose in your arms or on a leash. Show Rules require that carry cages be left below the cages in the show hall to facilitate evacuation of cats in the event of an emergency.
6. After the exhibits have been caged, they will be examined by a veterinarian. At least one qualified veterinary surgeon shall be in attendance to examine each exhibit, and if in his/her opinion, any exhibit is not fit to enter or remain in the show, the exhibit will be withdrawn from competition and removed from the venue IMMEDIATELY. If so instructed, all other exhibits owned by or accompanying the exhibitor or exhibitor's agent must be removed from the venue by the exhibitor or agent. VETERINARY DECISIONS SHALL BE FINAL. NO ENTRY FEE WILL BE REFUNDED FOR ANY EXHIBIT DECLARED UNFIT ON THE DAY OF THE SHOW.
7. **VACCINATION CERTIFICATES FOR ALL KITTENS MUST PRODUCED UPON ARRIVAL AT SHOW HALL PRIOR TO RECEIVING YOUR ENVELOPE. THESE CERTIFICATES MUST BE AT LEAST 48 HOURS OLD.**
8. No powder or sprays may be used within the confines of the show venue.
9. Cages and kitty litter will be supplied by the club. The exhibitor must supply litter tray, bedding and cage decorations. If you are not decorating your cage, please supply bedding of any colour (preferably NOT white).
10. After judging NO exhibit is to be removed from its cage other than by a judge unless permission is given by the Show Manager. NO EXHIBIT may be removed from the show hall until the official closing time.
11. The show committee accepts no responsibility for exhibits but will endeavour to see that all care is taken to avoid loss or injury.
12. The New Zealand Cat Fancy Inc. imposes a benching fee of \$6.00 per ring for pedigree exhibitors.
13. ALL EXHIBITS MUST HAVE CLAWS TRIMMED - for the sake of our judges and handlers, please comply with this rule.
14. Please ensure when completing your entry form that:
 - (a) your cat's full title is clearly stated on the entry form, eg. Ch, Gr Ch, etc;
 - (b) any Gen 1, Gen 2 etc is noted if relevant;
 - (c) if your cat is dual registered for red or cream lynx patterning, please state this clearly; and
 - (d) if your cat is a lynx oriental, that the pattern is stated clearly, eg classic, spotted, mackerel or ticked.
15. If a cat is owned by more than one person, all owners' names must appear on the entry form.
16. If you are in any doubt of any show rule or need assistance in completing your entry, please contact the show secretary – the only silly question is the one you don't ask.
17. 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 titles 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 form at Appendix I. Emergency early departures still require the permission of the Show Manager or Show Secretary which should be recorded on the form at Appendix I.

SCHEDULE OF CLASSES

	MALE	FEMALE	NEUTER	SPAY
BREED CLASSES:				
Open Cat (Challenge Class)	1	21	41	61
Junior	2	22	42	62
Intermediate	3	23	43	63
Senior	4	24	44	64
Veteran	5	25	45	65
New Zealand Bred	6	26	46	66
Open Kitten	11	31	51	71
4-6 Months	12	32	52	72
6-9 Months	13	33	53	73
New Zealand Bred	14	34	54	74

TYPE CLASSES:				
In Classes 101 to 171 all exhibits compete against all other exhibits, irrespective of colour or breed number. Judging takes into account only the shape or type of the cat, not colour, condition or eye colour.				
Open Cat	101	121	141	161
Open Kitten	111	131	151	171

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BREEDERS AWARD OF MERIT

The NZCF Inc. offers a Breeders Award of Merit, one in each of the Entire Cat, Entire Kitten, Neuter/Spay Cat and Neuter/Spay kitten sections. This will be awarded at the discretion of the Judge to the exhibit who, in his or her opinion, is the most worthy of the award. The certificate will be forwarded to the breeder of the exhibit. There is no class, no entry fee, no prize money.

TOSCA SUPREME AWARDS

TOSCA offers a club award for Supreme Pedigree Exhibit. The winner is selected by a combination of points judging in rings 2,3 and 4 and BIS winners to ascertain best in each section and these exhibits are then judged against each other by all our judges in panel format. This award is a club award only and the judges' decision will be final. There is no class, no entry fee, no prize money, however there are club and sponsor prizes awarded. If you do not want your exhibit to qualify for this class, please state clearly on your entry form.

TOSCA Ring 1

Top Ten over all sections to find the TOSCA Breed Supreme. The TOSCA only Top Ten is selected by the Ring 1 judge and the selected cats/kittens will be called to a Top Ten for the final TOSCA Supreme announcement.

DEFINITIONS OF TERMS USED

Cat	a feline of either gender, aged 9 months or older on show day.
Kitten	a feline of either gender, less than 9 months on show day.
Kitten 4-6 months	born between four and six calendar months prior to show day.
Kitten 6-9 months	born between six and nine calendar months prior to show day.
Open	a class in which ALL exhibits of the same age group compete without restriction or qualification.
Junior	Cat 9 months or over, but less than 2 years old on show day.
Intermediate	Cat 2 years or over, but less than 5 years old on show day.
Senior	Cat 5 years or over, but less than 7 years old on show day.
Veteran	Cat 7 years or over on show day.
NZ Bred	Cat or kitten born in New Zealand.

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 show secretary/entry clerk on your entry form.

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