



All Breeds and Companions Cat Show



Saturday 2nd November 2024

**Venue Panthers North Richmond, Beaumont Ave, North Richmond
This show will be conducted under the Rules and Show Procedures of
Cats NSW Inc**

**Open to all – ACF, ANCATS, Cats Australia, CCA Affiliates and their
members**

Enter at www.catshowsonline.com

ENTRIES CLOSE FRIDAY 25th OCTOBER 2024

**Exhibitors please ensure you have updated any changes to your
pedigrees on catshowsonline database**

In line vetting 7am to 8.30am Judging 9am



Should you have difficulties using the catshowsonline portal, or are entering the Junior Handler class please contact Di Stokes email membership@catsnsw.com.au

2 kittens free with Litter entry then \$10 each kitten thereafter

PRIZES: The following prizes will be awarded in Top 5 – All Breeds and Companions

Ring 1 - Generously sponsored by Royal Canin

Ring 2 - Generously sponsored by Tofu Cat Litter Australia

Ring 3 - Generously sponsored by Vebo, Lickimat, Orivet, EAC Animal Care, and Eye Envy, Bio Natural Solutions

Best in Show and Supreme Ribbons generously sponsored by Petcover



IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT THIS SHOW

- 1. The show committee reserves the right to change any requirements or processes relating to the show at any time and without consultation with exhibitors. Exhibitors will be advised if any requirements change.**
- 2. Should the show need to be cancelled for any reason, entry fees will be refunded in full.**

Benching and set-up

- 3. Vetting will either be in cage or in line, in accordance with restrictions and guidelines. Please provide a copy of your exhibit vaccination records with your entry.**

Prizes

4. Award cards, certificates will be placed on cages as usual.
5. Prizes will be collected from the prize table or handed out in accordance with advice from the Show Manager. Award cards need to be presented to collect prizes

Cats NSW Committee

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SHOW TEAM

Show Manager	Di Stokes
Show Representative	Tony Hurry
Show Processing Di Stokes	www.catshowsonline.com
Veterinary Checking Dr Chris Dowey	In Line
Stewards:	Tayla Munro,Jess Cameron,Rebekah Darmody
Ring Co-Ordinator Group 1	Suzette Greentree,Stephanie Timmony, Jeanine Brown
Ring Co-Ordinator Group 2	Sandra Sweetman
Ring Co-Ordinator Group 3	Sue Wyman

Introducing our Judges

Ring 1 Erin Brown FCCQ All Breeds and ACF Award



Erin is an Australian Cat Federation All Breeds judge. She gained her Group Two licence 2001, Group Three in 2006 and became All Breeds in 2008 and has judged in Australia, New Zealand, China, Philippines, Malaysia, USA, Argentina, Indonesia, South Africa, Germany and the UK.

She also holds an Australian National Kennel Club and FCI International All-Breeds dog licence for conformation and lure coursing and judges extensively in many countries throughout the world.

With a passion for quality animals, Erin enjoys the opportunity to visit and judge both cats and dogs in many places. She holds a strong belief that we owe our animals the right to a healthy and comfortable life, so considers that while a truly beautiful show animal is a joy to the eye, that animal must also be physically correct.

Erin has enjoyed showing many top winning cats under the "Quanmarra" prefix and has exported Oriental Shorthairs to the USA and Europe, with some of these cats achieving very prestigious wins, including All Breeds International Cat of the Year for TICA (USA) in 2000 with SGC Quanmarra Bonnie Price of Pzazz. At home, the Quanmarra cats consistently achieved top awards until judging commitments and her roles within the cat and dog fancy, brought about the decision to cease breeding.

When not at shows, Erin shares her home with two Maine Coons and one very evil Oriental Shorthair and of course, the dogs. As well as her involvement in both the cat and dog world, her interests include cooking, gardening, reading and enjoying people.

Ring 2 Sandra Dukes Cats NSW Group 1 and 4



I have always had a love of cats growing up with them and collecting strays to bring home. In 1992 I got my first pedigree cats, a Turkish Van girl for breeding and a Birman neuter to show. I decided to change breeds and in 1999 I imported two Norwegian Forest Cats and bred them until 2021.

I have been a steward for many years and held positions in all facets of show management for a few clubs. I also produced the NSW/CFA journal for 8 years. I became a Group 1 judge in 2017.

My other love is photography, and I am often found taking photos after judging is finished.

Wendy Hamilton Cats NSW Group 2,3 Litters and Best Litter



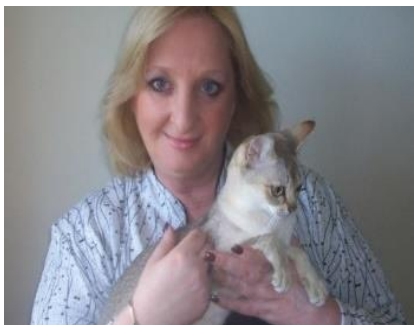
My first purebred cat was a wonderful seal point Siamese but after a visit to a cat show I fell in love with the Burmese, purchased my first breeding girl and registered my Zarlee prefix the same year, while still a teenager. I exhibited and bred Burmese of all colours, winning Best in Show a number of times for 10 years, however it was during this time I saw my first Birman cat at Sydney Town Hall cat show and I was hooked!

So it was in 1982 that a Seal Point Birman joined my family, followed by a number of imports (UK, Sweden, NZ) for my passion of chocolate cats! I achieved Best in Show awards with my Birmans both here and with exports. It was during my trips to the continent that I discovered the beauty of the Fife Oriental and in 2011 I added the most divine Hungarian bi-colour Oriental to my home and you guessed it, a chocolate and white. Then followed a beautiful Austrian black tabby and white Oriental girl plus a locally grown tabby point Siamese. I went full circle. All are now retired pets and much loved companions.

I became a CCCA judge in 1999 (G1), G2 in 2003 and finished to All Breed in 2010. I am a Life member of the Birman Cat Club of Australasia Inc after serving as President and Show Manager for over a decade. I have been an active Cat Fancy member, presented at many CCCA Judges Conferences, and Chaired a G1 Judges Training course for NSWCFCA, sat on Breed Standard Committees as well as an Association committee and President.

I consider myself fortunate to have judged around most of Australia and New Zealand as well as in France, Belgium and Netherlands. In this time I have been privileged to handle so many beautiful felines.

Ring 3 Deborah Cameron Cats NSW All Breeds and Junior Handler



I have been involved in the cat fancy for over 40 years being introduced to the cat fancy by my mother. I bred and showed Persians including silvers, pointed varieties and bi colours and of course like many others, devoted time working in all roles for cat shows and in cat clubs. I have worked leading 2 National cat shows with a team of people and am active in responding to changing legislation supporting responsible cat ownership to ensure the varying needs of cat owners, exhibitors and breeders are reasonable and not out of their reach.

My house has had the bounce of the shorthair Singapura and the beauty of the Persian. I have been involved in many Judges panels supporting new and emerging judges and supporting Judges conferences. I am an All-Breeds Tutor Judge and have judged all over Australia and NZ sharing the skills and knowledge I have gained since working as a steward from when I was 16 years, helping my mother from primary school with cats, through to varying roles at cat shows and later as a trained experienced judge.

Sharing and imparting information about breeds on Judges Panels is rewarding with cadet Judges learning about breeds, the aspects of judging and accepting that like any field, continual learning about all facets of cat breeds is important to keep updated and knowledgeable. My passion is to support the Cat Fancy as a whole, to support interested exhibitors in developing a better understanding the ideal standards of excellence for breeds and to help the broader community understand cat behaviour. Striving for excellence and breeding or owning healthy cats is important as it brings with it so many great experiences, learning's, friendships, and wonderful memories.



NEW

Junior Handler Class. Full details can be seen at the end of this schedule.

Contact Di Stokes email membership@catsnsw.com.au to enter.

Judged by Deborah Cameron Cats NSW Inc

Conditions of Show Entry

Exhibits are divided into four groups for judging. These groups are:

- Group 1 Birman, Exotic Shorthair, Maine Coon, Nebelung, Neva Masquerade, Norwegian Forest Cat, Persian, Ragdoll, Siberian, Turkish Angora & Turkish Van.
- Group 2 Balinese, Foreign White Shorthair, Foreign White Longhair, Oriental Shorthair, Oriental Longhair, Peterbald, and Siamese
- Group 3 Abyssinian, American Curl Longhair, American Curl Shorthair, American Shorthair, Australian Mist, Bengal, Bombay, British Shorthair, British Longhair, Burmese (American), Burmese, Burmilla Longhair, Burmilla Shorthair, Cornish Rex, Cymric, Devon Rex, Donskoy, Egyptian Mau, Japanese Bobtail Longhair, Japanese Bobtail Shorthair, Korat, La Perm Longhair, La Perm Shorthair, Lykoi, Mandalay, Manx, Munchkin, Ocicat, Pixiebob Longhair, Pixiebob Shorthair, Russian, Scottish Fold Longhair, Scottish Fold Shorthair, Scottish Longhair, Scottish Shorthair, Selkirk Rex Longhair, Selkirk Rex Shorthair, Singapura, Snowshoe, Somali, Sphynx, Tonkinese, Toyger
- Group 4 Desexed Companion Kittens and Desexed Companion Cats. Companion exhibits are permitted to show for the first time without classification and up to three times without being registered. All Companion exhibits must be at least 10 weeks of age and be desexed.

Exhibits will be judged under the standard of points of the Australian Cat Federation Inc however should such standard of points be not available the appropriate standard issued by Cat NSW is to be used.

Groups 1, 2 and 3 are divided into 3 main classes. The classes are Entire Cat, Desexed Cat, and Kitten. Entire Male Cats, Entire Female Cats, Neuter Cats and Spay Cats will compete in open classes by group, breed and colour and maybe awarded challenges at the Judge's discretion.

ACF Award of Excellence maybe awarded at the Judge's discretion to the best placed Male Cat, Female Cat, Neuter Cat and Spay Cat in Groups 1, 2 & 3 in all rings. *For a cat to be considered "of sufficient merit" the judge needs to certify "I deem this cat to be of a standard of excellence of not less than 95%"*.

All Cats NSW Inc. Member's exhibits are eligible to compete for Cat of The Year Awards

ONLY CATS NSW Inc MEMBERS ARE PERMITTED TO ENTER "REGISTRATION PENDING" for Kittens under 3 months of age. Entries must include the "**REGISTRATION PENDING SHOW ENTRY FORM**" - see LAST PAGE

KITTEN Each kitten exhibit must have had at least one (1) Feline 3 vaccination not less than 14 days prior to the show. Documentary evidence i.e. a valid vaccination certificate from a Veterinarian must be produced to the veterinary officer. Failure to do so shall result in rejection of the exhibit concerned.

ADULT Each adult exhibit must have a current vaccination certificate. The vaccination certificate must indicate a valid vaccination being administered no more than 3 years prior to the show

A Veterinarian or Veterinarian Nurse will be present at all Cats NSW shows. All exhibits entered in show including those on exhibition must be examined by a Vet, Vet Nurse or an appointed Steward before being benched into the show cages.

For full details of **Show Rules** and **Show Organisation Procedures** please visit our Cats NSW website catsnsw.com.au/forms/

Junior Development Program

Our Vision

To achieve an increased participation by youth within the Cat Fancy.

Our Mission

To encourage youth to participate in elements and activities within the Cat Fancy that further enhance their appreciation for felines and feline inspired professions, and their understanding of tasks and roles associated within the Cat Fancy.

Our Goals

The program is open to all children aged eight to seventeen. Each participant will develop as an individual and will strive to increase their knowledge of felines and their care, and their awareness primarily of the Cats NSW but also the greater Cat Fancy around the World, putting them on a path of life-long learning.

Participants will be encouraged to learn about good sportsmanship, cat care, health and hygiene whilst working with cats, breed standards, grooming and presentation, and all aspects of being an exhibitor at a cat show thereby providing them with the tools to become a valuable asset in the promoting of responsible cat ownership, cat breeding and exhibiting cats.

By introducing young persons to the basic requirements for proper feline care, and the concepts of breeds and standards, as well as the qualities of sportsmanship and interacting with the general public, this program will provide the basis for a lifelong love of the cat and the enjoyment of the sport of showing purebred and companion cats.

To provide a safe, risk-free environment for both participants and felines to best be able to fully enjoy their experience within Cats NSW and the greater Cat Fancy both in Australia and throughout the World.

By regulating that it is a requirement for each and every participant to be accompanied by their parent/guardian during Junior Handler Assessment on Show Day, the program will provide an opportunity for developing family enjoyment of felines and the sport of showing purebred and companion cats.

To provide tutors/judges of exemplary character who are trained in many facets of the Cat Fancy and who hold a current Working with Children Check to best provide leadership and training to each and every participant.

To best ensure the success of our Junior Development Program we will aim to provide at each and every Cats NSW show the opportunity for participants to train and for assessments to be undertaken and completed through the avenue of a Junior Exhibitor Class. For more details, please view our Show Organisation and Procedures.

APPLICATION FOR JUNIOR DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM



I (First Name)		Surname	
Residential Address			
Home Phone	Mobile	Birth Date (day/month/year)	
Email Address			

Signature of Applicant Date

Parent or Guardian MUST complete the following sections

I (First Name)		Surname	
Home Phone		Mobile	
Email Address			

Release and Waiver

I agree and consent to my child as named above becoming a participant in the Junior Development Program.

I hereby release, discharge and waive any suit, action, claim or any other proceeding of any nature that might otherwise be brought against Cats NSW Incorporated or any affiliate, judge, steward, official or any person acting on behalf of Cats NSW Inc regarding any injury or illness arising or alleged to have arisen in any manner whatsoever out of my child's participation in the Cats NSW Junior Development Program. I voluntarily execute this Release and Waiver in full knowledge and appreciation that my child will, during his/her participation in the program, be exposed to and will handle cats, and will be in show halls in the presence of many people and cats.

I also fully understand that the execution of the Release and Waiver is a condition of my child's participation in the program.

Signature of Parent/Guardian Date



Publicity Release

I authorise Cats NSW Inc, the Cats NSW Inc Junior Development program, or their assignees to record and photograph my child's image and/or voice for use in research, educational programs and promotional programs. I also recognise that these audio, video and image recordings are the property of Cats NSW inc. and the Cats NSW Junior Development Program.

I understand and accept that use of these audio, video and image recordings is without remuneration or compensation to the Applicant nor his/her Parent/Guardian.

Signature of Parent/Guardian Date

Please forward your Application Form to:

The Secretary, CATS NSW Inc

P.O. Box 478

Belconnen

ACT 2616

REGISTRATION PENDING SHOW ENTRY FORM

This form is only to be used by **CATS NSW INC MEMBERS** for pedigree kittens **under 3 months** of age yet to be registered.

Applications to register the kitten/s must be submitted with the CATS NSW REGISTRAR prior to the show date. Only CATS NSW INC MEMBERS are permitted to enter "registration pending" and the kitten/s listed below must be registered for all subsequent shows.

All Kitten/s must have at least one (1) vaccination and a vaccination certificate must be presented on the day of show as per CATS NSW INC. SHOW RULES however it is highly recommended that all kittens have at least their 2nd vaccination not less than 14 days prior to the show due to the recent outbreak of Feline Panleukopenia Virus (FPV) in New South Wales

EXHIBIT NAME		
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