

Cats
New South Wales
Incorporated



Hello Kitty

2 Rings All Breeds & Companions Cat Show
Plus Russian Specialty Ring

Saturday 13th August 2016
Riverstone Schofields Memorial Hall
18 Market Street Riverstone NSW 2765
Just south of the Riverstone RSL

Entries Close Friday 22nd July 2016
Vetting from 9.00am – 9.45am
Judging will commence at 10.00am





Introducing our Hello Kitty Judges

Ring 1
All Exhibits
and
Russian Specialty Ring

Nick Tricarico
(GCCFV)



I am an All Breeds judge with the Governing Council of the Cat Fancy (Aust. & Vic) Inc. (GCCFV) which is currently affiliated with the Australian Cat Federation (Inc.). I completed Group 2 in 1999 and Group 3 in 2002, followed by Group 1 in 2008.

My breed interest is the British Shorthair and with my wife, Cathy, we have been exhibiting and breeding this breed since 1994 under the prefix of Bevington. We specialise in the colours of Orange-Eyed White, Black and Blue. We have bred a number of best in show and cat of the year winners and were GCCFV Group 3 Breeder of the Year winners in 2009.

I have undertaken numerous local and interstate assignments as well as New Zealand. I have judged at the Co-ordinating Cat Council of Australia (CCCA) National Shows in Brisbane in 2004 and in Melbourne in 2007, the World Cat Congress Show in Melbourne in 2010, as well as the New Zealand National Show in 2008. I have been very privileged to judge at these various shows. Outside of the cat fancy, I am a qualified social worker, and I have been married to Cathy for over 38 years, have a son, Adam, and a beautiful granddaughter, Emily, now aged 6 years.

INTERNATIONAL ASSIGNMENTS

New Zealand

Ring 2
All Exhibits

Fiona Cooper
(CATS NSW)



I have bred Siamese, Orientals, Foreign Whites, Burmese, Devon Rex, Scottish Folds and even a litter of Abyssinians under the Fioric prefix over the past 26 years. I have been a regular exhibitor for over 25 years and have exhibited in most parts of NSW and occasionally interstate.

My first Maine Coon litter was born in 1999 and I've bred these amazing felines since then under the Coolcoons prefix. I've imported several of these cats from the UK, Norway, the USA and quite a few from New Zealand. I have enjoyed considerable show success with Coolcoons cats and kittens having won many Best Group 1 Exhibit and Supreme All Breeds Exhibit in Show awards as well as NSW CFA Kitten and Cat of the Year Awards. I've owned and/or bred Cat or Kitten of the Year in all 3 Groups with NSW CFA since I first began exhibiting.

I gained my Group 3 judges licence in 1999, followed by Group 2 in 2003 and I completed my Group 1 training in 2008 and have enjoyed judging in most states of Australia, in New Zealand and South Africa and transferred all those Licences in 2013 to CATS NSW

INTERNATIONAL ASSIGNMENTS

New Zealand, South Africa





Russian Cat Council of Australia Inc.

A little about us

The Russian Cat Council of Australia Incorporated (RCCA Inc.) is a bipartisan Council reaching across many associations in Australia to bring Russian cat breeders together with a common goal of exchanging information and improving the health and welfare of the Russian Cat.

The Council provides opportunities for its members to;

- Network with other Russian breeders
- Have one voice when discussing issues that affect Russian Cats
- Offers State Cat of the Year competition
- Free Breeders Listing on the website

Objectives

- Ensure the future of the true Russian Blue, Black and White breed of cat
- Maintain the breed's essential characteristics without loss of virility
- Discourage the indiscriminate use of experimental breeding
- Guide newcomers to the breed in any matters in which they may feel in need of any assistance and to make as much information on the breed as available as is possible
- Promote a real love and understanding of the cats' individualities
- Promote an international appreciation of the Russian breed of cat
- Publish a news magazine and provide opportunities for exchange of information and views
- Recommend via the Russian Breed Advisory Committee amendments that are required to the Russian Standards
- Offer sashes and rosettes for Russian cats at shows
- Provide a website
- Maintain a register of breeders via the website
- Provide a Facebook page for exchange of ideas and news items
- Provide a welfare service for Russian Cats in need

Russian Rings at Shows

Throughout Australia we offer in collaboration with State Associations a Russian Specialty Ring. We provide sashes, rosettes and trophies at these shows for exhibits. This year it is our privilege to have one such ring with the Cats NSW, Hello Kitty Show on Saturday 13th August at the Riverstone / Schofields Memorial Hall. We have ever popular judge Nick Tricarico (GCCFC) judging the Russian Specialty Ring and invite all Russian owners to join us. Entry to this Specialty Ring is through Cats NSW Inc.

Robyn Hackworthy
Secretary
Russian Cat Council of Australia Inc.
Email: robyn.claudia@bigpond.com



Our

Hello Kitty Team

Cats NSW Incorporated

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Show Processing	Sharon Curtis	banyalla@bigpond.com
Vet	Di Stokes (Qualified Vet Nurse)	Vetting 9am – 9.45am
Vet Steward	Bradley Curtis	
Show Times	Judging 10.00 am	Show Close 3.30pm
Floor Stewards	TBA	
Card room	Irene Chandler,	
Recorder	Bradly Curtis	
Trophies	Sharon Curtis	



Show Hall
Riverstone Schofields Memorial Hall

RSL Club

Riverstone Schofields Memorial Hall
18 Market Street Riverstone NSW 2765



Conditions of Entry

FIVE DAY SHOW RULE....An exhibit shall not be exhibited at a show until at least five (5) clear days have passed since the last day of the preceding show at which it was exhibited

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

- Group 1 Birman, Exotic, Maine Coon, Norwegian Forest Cat, Persian, Ragdoll, Siberian & Turkish Van.
- Group 2 Balinese, Foreign White Shorthair, Foreign White Longhair, Oriental, Oriental Longhair, Peterbald, and Siamese
- Group 3 Abyssinian, American Curl Longhair, American Curl Shorthair, Australian Mist, Bengal, British Shorthair, Burmese, Burmilla Longhair, Burmilla Shorthair, Cornish Rex, Cymric, Devon Rex, Egyptian Mau, Japanese Bobtail Longhair, Japanese Bobtail Shorthair, Korat, La Perm Longhair, La Perm Shorthair, Manx, Ocicat, Pixiebob Longhair, Pixiebob Shorthair, Russian, Scottish Fold Longhair, Scottish Fold Shorthair, Scottish Longhair, Scottish Shorthair, Selkirk Rex Longhair, Selkirk Rex Shorthair, Singapura, Somali, Sphynx, Tonkinese
- 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 12 weeks of age and be desexed.

Exhibits will be judged under the standard of points of the Australian Cat Federation Inc.

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 Excellent 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.

Group 4 are divided into 2 main classes, Desexed Cat and Desexed Kitten. An Award of Merit maybe awarded at the Judge's discretion to the best placed Companion Neuter Cat and Companion Spay Cat in all rings. The exhibit must be placed in the Top 5 to be considered for this award.

Where the Judge feels the quality of the exhibits merit such awards, ribbons and/or product will be awarded in each ring to the Top 5 Entire Cats, Top 5 Desexed Cats, Top 5 Kittens in Groups 1, 2 and 3, and Top 5 Companion Cats and Top 5 Companion Kittens in Group 4

A Supreme Exhibit in Show in each ring will be awarded. Companion exhibits are not eligible for this award

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

Cats NSW Inc. representatives and officiating judges reserve the right without prejudice, to expel any exhibit from the show that appears to be in ill health or condition (including the presence of external parasites). Such decisions are final.

All entries must be completed in full on the Cats NSW Show Entry and Benching Slip and the show entry summary sheet that form part of the show schedule. All completed entries must be forwarded to the address as nominated in the show schedule. The show committee reserves the right to reject any entry without explanation.

For each exhibit, a legible photocopy or electronic copy of its current Certificate of Registration must accompany the show entry. The Certificate of Registration must be in the name of the exhibitor and be issued by that person's governing body. Incomplete entries will be returned to the exhibitor. All exhibit's Certificates of Registration must be issued by the Governing Body to which the exhibitor is a member.

Female cats obviously in kitten will not be judged. No kitten under the age of 12 weeks will be allowed entry to the venue. The age of each exhibit will be calculated to be the actual age on the day of the show or the first day of a multi-day show. Lactating queens shall not be benched without their litters.

Each kitten exhibit must have had at least one 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.

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

Each kitten exhibit must have had at least one 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.

The Veterinarian shall disqualify any exhibit, which in their opinion is showing symptoms of any contagious disease or not be in show condition. The Vet's decision is final. . If any exhibit is rejected because of an infectious or contagious disease they will disqualify all the other exhibits from the same cattery.

If a Vet is not present or has left the hall the Show Manager shall appoint two accredited stewards to check on exhibits and request the removal of any exhibit that is deemed not to be in show condition. All exhibits must have all their claws clipped prior to entry to the show hall and must be brought to the show confined in an appropriate container.

Exhibits cannot be removed from the Show or from the cage designated by the Show personnel without the consent of the Show Manager. All exhibits must remain in the venue until the conclusion of the show at the advertised time

If, at any time an exhibit shows itself to be difficult to handle or threatening, the Judge may call for the owner to remove the exhibit from its cage and place it on the Judge's table. The Judge will then decide if she/he wishes to judge that animal. This procedure protects your cat from any unnecessary handling. Should your exhibit be marked "Unable to be Judged" then it is automatically withdrawn from any other rings and cannot be shown again on the day. Should the judge consider the exhibit to be of poor temperament or in their opinion sufficiently difficult to handle, including excessively timid, the judge may withhold any awards at their discretion.

Poor sportsmanship will not be tolerated. The comfort of all exhibitors and judges is of paramount importance. One warning will be issued and if any further offences occur the exhibitor and their exhibits will be asked to leave the show.

An entrance fee may be payable by all members of the general public i.e. not an exhibitor or invited guest of Cats NSW Inc. If a member of the general public is deemed to be acting in a disruptive manner, that individual will be required by the Show Representative, to leave the show immediately. Cats NSW Inc. reserves the right to refuse entry to any member of the general public they feel may cause discomfort to their exhibitors.

Awards and prizes: All such cards, trophies placed on cages are the responsibility of the exhibitor and the Club regrets that it is not possible to replace any that may subsequently disappear from unattended cages. The Show Committee reserves the right to vary the prize list if necessary.

All complaints regarding a show must be submitted in writing and be accompanied by a fee of twenty dollars (\$20). All complaints must be in the hands of the Show Manager or Show Secretary within seven (7) days following the Show. Complaints regarding the running of a Show will be not be considered by Cats NSW unless lodged in accordance with this rule.

All reasonable care will be taken of exhibits. Cats NSW and its affiliate Clubs, their officials and members cannot accept any responsibility for any loss or damage to any person, feline or property.



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Hello Kitty Summary

(please print clearly)

	Cats – both Rings	up to 4 CATS @ \$ 20.00 EA	\$
	Cats – both Rings	5th & subsequent CATS @ \$ 5.00 EA	\$
	Cats – both Rings plus Russian Speciality Ring	Russian Exhibits Only @ \$ 30.00 EA	\$
	Kittens – both Rings (born on or before 21.05.2016)	up to 4 KITTENS @ \$ 20.00 EA	\$
	Kittens – both Rings (born on or before 21.05.2016)	5th & subsequent KITTENS @ \$ 5.00 EA	\$
	Kittens – both Rings plus Russian Speciality Ring born on or before 21.05.2016	Russian Exhibits Only @ \$ 30.00 EA	\$
	Litters – One Ring only (born on or before 21.05.2016)	@ \$ 15.00 EA	\$
	Litter Kittens – both Rings	@ \$ 10.00 EA	\$
	Companion – both Rings	@ \$ 20.00 EA	\$
	Companion Kittens – both Rings (must be desexed & born on or before 21.05.2016)	@ \$ 20.00 EA	\$
	On Exhibition Only FREE for Rescue Cats & Judges Exhibits	@ \$ 10.00 EA	\$
	Side Classes	@ \$ 5 each or 4 for \$15 per Kitten/Cat - One Ring Only	\$
	Cage Hire - Single Cage	@ \$ 2.00 EA MEMBERS @ \$ 5.00 EA NON MEMBERS	\$
	Cage Hire - Double Cage (FREE for Litters)	@ \$ 5.00 EA MEMBERS @ \$ 7.00 EA NON MEMBERS	\$
	Catalogue	@ \$ 5.00 each	\$
	Advertising full page - please submit electronic copy	@ \$ 10.00 each	\$
	Raffle Tickets	\$ 2.00 each or 3 for \$5.00	\$
	Donation	Thank you	\$
1 X	BENCHING FEE		\$ 5.00
		TOTAL	\$

Total No. of exhibits entered		Total No. single cages		Total No. double cages		I will be supplying my own cages		yes		
								no		
If supplying your own cages please provide the approx. dimensions in centimetres				SINGLE		X		DOUBLE		X

**Electronic Funds Transfers (EFT) to Cats NSW Incorporated Show & Fundraising Account
Commonwealth Bank - BSB: 062572 Account No: 10196375.**

Please specify your surname and name of show in the reference field

Please include with your entry copies of the pedigree of each exhibit (pedigrees must be in the name of the Exhibitor), a copy of the EFT transfer receipt or your cheque or money order payable to Cats NSW Inc. I / We hereby agree to abide by the Show Rules of Cats NSW Incorporated.

NAME							
ADDRESS						POSTCODE	
PHONE				EMAIL			
SIGNATURE						DATE	

If you require a receipt please include a self-addressed and stamped envelope.

Please post entries to **"Hello Kitty Cat Show"**

Show Processor Mrs Sharon Curtis - PO Box 56, Hill Top NSW 2575.

ENTRIES CLOSE FRIDAY 22nd JULY 2016



SHOW ENTRY FORM & BENCHING SLIP

Name of Show **Hello Kitty**

CATALOGUE: YES or NO (circle)

Surname First Name/s.....

Your registering body Membership No

Note: For each Exhibit entered, a clear photocopy of the Certificate of Registration as issued by the registering body, registered in the above name/s must be attached to this form along with the completed Show Summary Sheet

EXHIBIT 1				Sex	Own Cage	Vaccination Certificate
Name (no title)				M F N S	YES NO	(Kittens only) YES NO
Cage No	Breed & Colour			Rings Entered	Double Cage	Veterinary Signature
				1 2 3 ALL	YES NO	
Purrsonality		YES NO		Coat Colour & Condition		YES NO
Longest Whiskers		YES NO		Eye Colour & Shape		YES NO
EXHIBIT 2				Sex	Own Cage	Vaccination Certificate
Name (no title)				M F N S	YES NO	(Kittens only) YES NO
Cage No	Breed & Colour			Rings Entered	Double Cage	Veterinary Signature
				1 2 3 ALL	YES NO	
Purrsonality		YES NO		Coat Colour & Condition		YES NO
Longest Whiskers		YES NO		Eye Colour & Shape		YES NO
EXHIBIT 3				Sex	Own Cage	Vaccination Certificate
Name (no title)				M F N S	YES NO	(Kittens only) YES NO
Cage No	Breed & Colour			Rings Entered	Double Cage	Veterinary Signature
				1 2 3 ALL	YES NO	
Purrsonality		YES NO		Coat Colour & Condition		YES NO
Longest Whiskers		YES NO		Eye Colour & Shape		YES NO
EXHIBIT 4				Sex	Own Cage	Vaccination Certificate
Name (no title)				M F N S	YES NO	(Kittens only) YES NO
Cage No	Breed & Colour			Rings Entered	Double Cage	Veterinary Signature
				1 2 3 ALL	YES NO	
Purrsonality		YES NO		Coat Colour & Condition		YES NO
Longest Whiskers		YES NO		Eye Colour & Shape		YES NO

EXHIBIT 5 Name (no title)				Sex M F N S	Own Cage YES NO	Vaccination Certificate (Kittens only) YES NO
Cage No	Breed & Colour			Rings Entered 1 2 3 ALL	Double Cage YES NO	Veterinary Signature
Purrsonality		YES	NO	Coat Colour & Condition		YES NO
Longest Whiskers		YES	NO	Eye Colour & Shape		YES NO
EXHIBIT 6						
Name (no title)				Sex M F N S	Own Cage YES NO	Vaccination Certificate (Kittens only) YES NO
Cage No	Breed & Colour			Rings Entered 1 2 3 ALL	Double Cage YES NO	Veterinary Signature
Purrsonality		YES	NO	Coat Colour & Condition		YES NO
Longest Whiskers		YES	NO	Eye Colour & Shape		YES NO
LITTER						
Prefix Name				Number of Kittens	Own Cage YES NO	Vaccination Certificate YES
Cage No	Breed			Rings Entered 1 2 3 ALL	Double Cage YES NO	Veterinary Signature
LITTER						
Prefix Name				Number of Kittens	Own Cage YES NO	Vaccination Certificate YES
Cage No	Breed			Rings Entered 1 2 3 ALL	Double Cage YES NO	Veterinary Signature
COMPANION/RESCUE						
Name				Sex N S	Own Cage YES NO	Vaccination Certificate (Kittens only) YES NO
Cage No	Colour			Rings Entered 1 2 3 ALL	Double Cage YES NO	Veterinary Signature
Purrsonality		YES	NO	Coat Colour & Condition		YES NO
Longest Whiskers		YES	NO	Eye Colour & Shape		YES NO
COMPANION/RESCUE						
Name				Sex N S	Own Cage YES NO	Vaccination Certificate (Kittens only) YES NO
Cage No	Colour			Rings Entered 1 2 3 ALL	Double Cage YES NO	Veterinary Signature
Purrsonality		YES	NO	Coat Colour & Condition		YES NO
Longest Whiskers		YES	NO	Eye Colour & Shape		YES NO

