

present our annual 4-ring Cat and Kitten Show

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★ **Forest Cat Specialty Ring** ★

★ **Best Theme Dressed** ★ **Best Theme-Decorated Cage** ★

★ **People's Choice Best Theme-Decorated Cage** ★

Saturday 29th August 2026

South Tweed Sports Club, 4 Minjungbal Drive, Tweed Heads South

RING	LONGHAIR	SHORTHAIR	COMPANION
1 Rosettes	Pascal Pobe FIFe (France)	Pascal Pobe FIFe (France)	Pascal Pobe FIFe (France)
2 Advance food	Sue Thomas CCCA NSWCA	Sue Thomas CCCA NSWCA	Sue Thomas CCCA NSWCA
3 Tofu Litter Aust	Susan Game ACF CatsWA	Erin Brown ACF FCCQ	Susan Game ACF CatsWA
4 Prizes	Jo Dennington ACF FCCQ	Carolyn Davies ACF FCCQ	Jo Dennington ACF FCCQ
Forest Cat Specialty Ring – Judged by Erin Brown (ACF FCCQ) Free entry for all Siberians, Norwegian Forest Cats and Maine Coons			

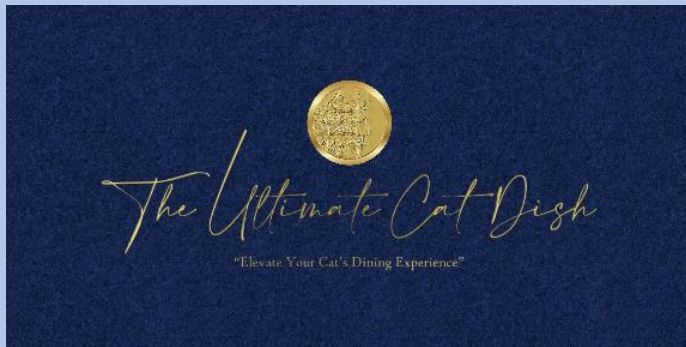
Awards:	Top 10 Kittens, Cats, Desexed and Top 10 Companions (subject to entry numbers)			
Entry Fees:	First 2 exhibits	\$45.00	Subsequent exhibits	\$35.00
	Litters under 4 months:	\$35.00	Individual litter kittens:	\$5.00
	Catalogue hardcopy:	\$8.00		
	Hire of show cage:	\$10.00	Exhibition space (must provide own cage or hire a show cage):	\$10.00
	Advertising (completed copy must be sent with entry):	\$10.00 full page \$5.00 half page		

All entries via www.catshowsonline.com

Entries close Monday 17 August 2026 – limit of 95 exhibits

Show Manager:	Liz Robinson	E: sarikamajik957@gmail.com	P: 0403 157 790 (before 8pm)
Show Secretary + CatsNSW Rep	Crystal Maher	E: crystal.maher@scu.edu.au	P: 0419 275 840 (before 8pm)

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Show and Club Information

The venue will open at 7:30am, with benching scheduled from 7:30am to 8:30am. Judging will commence at 9:00am, and the show is expected to conclude at approximately 4:00pm. Public entry will open from 10:00am.

Please note that flash photography is not permitted unless prior approval has been obtained from the Show Manager.

Venue - South Tweed Sports Club

The Club's café will be open from 8:00am, offering tea, coffee, light breakfast options, morning tea and afternoon refreshments. The restaurant and bar will also be open for lunch.

There is ample parking available at the rear of the venue, along with a convenient drop-off area at the front entrance on Minjungbal Drive.

All exhibitors are required to sign into the Club upon entry.

A courtesy bus service is available for exhibitors wishing to enjoy dinner at the Club before or after the show.



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Borderline Cats Inc.

Borderline Cats Inc. is a friendly, easy-going community united by a shared love of pedigree and companion cats. Whether you're a seasoned exhibitor or simply passionate about feline friends, you'll feel right at home. We host most of our meetings online, making it easy to stay connected no matter where you're located.

Interested in joining? We'd love to hear from you. Email: borderlinecats@gmail.com

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Introducing Our Judges

Pascal Pobe (FIFe France)



My Story: My passion for cats began the moment I was able to pet one. I would have loved to own a tiger, but that's not possible. A great author once wrote: "God created the cat so that man could have a tiger to pet..."

Cats: In 1985, I started with a Blue-Point Birman, with the Cristalline Blue Cattery. In 1986, I began breeding Abyssinians. For 10 years, I was the top breeder of Birman and Abyssinian cats. I created new colors in the Abyssinian breed, such as Cream and Blue Cream.

I've had various breeds at home: Bombay, Burmese, Tonkinese, Balinese, Norwegian Forest Cat, Bengal F1, Devon Rex. Currently, I have a Hare Abyssinian named Attil

Judge: I started as a pupil judge in 1988, took my first independent exam in 1990, and became an All Breeds judge in 1996.

At the time, I was a member of the G.A.J. (Gilde Autonome des juges Français - Autonomous Guild of French Judges) and a judge for the S.C.F.F. (Société Centrale Féline de France - French Kennel Club), then a LOOF (Livre Officiel des Origines Françaises - French Cat Fanciers' Federation) judge.

In 1997, I became a WCF judge. I now judge as a guest judge for TICA, CFA, CCA, FIFE. I last judged in Australia in 2003.

Club: General Secretary of the AFPL in 1987, General Secretary of the S.C.F.F. in 1989, Head of the LOOF Judges Committee in 1999. President of the LOOF 2007-2008

Sue Thomas (NSWCFA)



I have had an association with various domestic cats for my entire life. Our family's first Burmese cat came to us in 1983, after conducting a lot of research. In 1985, after purchasing two more neuter boys, we began showing our cats. That was it! My fate as a Burmese owner was sealed.

In 1999 a further cat joined us and so continued my interest in showing. In 2006, my breeding program commenced with the arrival of two breeding girls, and over the years, under our Sukimah prefix we have had some success on the show bench. At the same time we also became the slaves of a lovely spotted spay Bengal.

After successfully completed the Shorthair group judging course in 2015, I became a fully qualified shorthair judge in 2017. In 2023 I was successful in becoming fully qualified in the Longhair group so I am now a CCCA recognised all breeds judges and a tutor judge in the Shorthair group.

My involvement with affiliate clubs began with membership of the Newcastle and Hunter Valley Cat Club in 1985, which continues today. I am an active member of The Burmese Cat Society of Australasia Inc and have been for many years, appointed firstly as Treasurer for 6 years and since 2011 I have been the Society's Secretary. I am also co-editor of our Society's magazine. I hold membership of three other cat clubs affiliated with NSWCFA. I am now in my 5th term on the NSWCFA Management Committee. I am a member of the Judges/Breed sub-committee, Education and Compliance sub-committee and also the Show sub-committee. I have served for a term and a half as President, and I currently hold to position of Vice President of our Association.

Away from Cat Fancy involvement (and apart from my part time work), reading books, meeting up with friends, researching cat articles, enjoying time with our cats, a little gardening and spending time with our family here and in Perth WA are my main interests.

Susan Game (ACF CatsWA)



I have very much enjoyed judging since 1993 (All Breeds since 2004) and have judged in all Australian states and overseas in Kuala Lumpur, New Zealand and South Africa.

I have judged at the Sydney, Brisbane, Darwin, Perth and Adelaide Royal Shows.

I have been a member of FCCWA/CatsWA Governing Council as Secretary and Treasurer in the past and has organised numerous cat shows and events. I am currently a Tutor Judge and Member of the Training Panel.

I breed Siamese and Oriental Shorthairs under the Prefix "Chicas". I designed, built and am the working owner/manager of Chicas Boarding Cattery located in Southern River Kennel Zone. I am an Accredited Animal Communicator which involves telepathic liaison with all sorts of wonderful creatures in the animal kingdom. I skipper my own racing yacht based at South of Perth Yacht Club and, as most of us do, enjoy walking, reading, relaxing, socialising etc.

Erin Brown (ACF FCCQ)



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.

Carolynn Davis (ACF FCCQ)



Having been introduced to the cat fancy from birth, I guess it was inevitable that I would find myself part of the greater cat world later in life. I can remember the days of the closed shows, where everyone was locked out during judging and only allowed back in when the Judges had finished in the afternoon, to find out whether your prized "puss" had done them proud. I do enjoy the open shows as well though, where the Judges comment on the exhibits as they go – makes for an exciting day.

I began my Judging program while I was pregnant with my daughter in 1998 & qualified for Group 1 in 1999. I extended my licence to include Group 2 in 2004 & finally completed my All-Breeds qualifications with Group 3 in 2006.

While I no longer breed, I do help with the continuing success of the Carinya British SH breeding program along with Chris & Terry Merritt. My greatest breeding success was winning Group 3 Kitten of Year with CCCA Ch, Bronze DGC Nevaska Dream Start [Devon Rex] as well as several Devon Rex best of breed exhibits of Year.

While my 2 desexed kids are now too old to be on the show bench or would rather be at home on the bed, I take absolute joy in showing our Carinya children to their very best potential.

Breed Interests: Present British Shorthair and Devon Rex Past: Burmese, Mandalay, Persian, Russian, Foreign White Longhair, Balinese and Oriental Longhair.

Jo Dennington – (ACF FCCQ)



Jo has always had a love for cats. In the year 2000 Jo started showing Siamese and Orientals in Northern NSW, and went on to breed Siamese and Orientals for some years. In 2006 Jo became the proud owner of a desexed British Shorthair and began to breed British Shorthairs a short time after. Jo moved to Queensland in 2011 and has been involved with the Queensland cat fancy since moving. Jo is the current President of the British Shorthair and Feline Friends. In 2014 Jo imported her first American Shorthair and is continuing to breed British and American Shorthairs and more recently Scottish Folds.

Accommodation options

Please enquire about pet-friendly rooms. Owners may insist on cats being housed in bathrooms and a cleaning fee may apply.

Blue Pelican Motel – 115 Wharf St, Tweed Heads – Ph: 07 55361777. Located 3km from the venue.

<https://www.bluepelicanmotel.com.au/>.

Best Western Kennedy Drive Airport Motel – 203 Kennedy Dr, Tweed Heads West – Ph: 1800 887 746. Located 4.4km from venue.

<https://www.kennedydrivemotel.com.au/>

Ingenia Holidays Kingscliff – 46 Wommin Bay Road, Chinderah 2487. 1 & 2 bedroom pet friendly cabins. Located 6.3km from venue.

<https://www.ingeniaholidays.com.au/our-parks/new-south-wales/north-coast/kingscliff/>

Tropical Coast Retreat – 249 Duranbah Road, Duranbah NSW 2487 – Ph 0434 141 796. Three pet-friendly suites only, so book early.

Located 17km from the venue. <https://www.tropicalcoast.com.au/>

Conditions of Show Entry

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

Longhair	Birman, Exotic, Maine Coon, Nebelung, Neva Masquerade, Norwegian Forest Cat, Persian, Ragdoll, Siberian, Turkish Angora & Turkish Van.
Shorthair	Balinese, Foreign White Shorthair, Foreign White Longhair, Oriental Shorthair, Oriental Longhair, Peterbald, and Siamese, Abyssinian, American Curl Longhair, American Curl Shorthair, American Shorthair, Australian Mist, Bengal, Bengal Longhair, Bombay, British Shorthair, British Longhair, 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.

Forest Cat Specialty Ring includes Maine Coon, Norwegian Forest Cat and Siberian.

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 will be issued by Cats NSW.

Longhair and Shorthair groups 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.

Kittens under 4 months of age may be entered as 'Registration pending'. All relevant details must be included on Catshowsonline.

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 Longhair and Shorthair groups 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%.

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 Longhair and Shorthair groups, and Top 5 Companion Cats and Top 5 Companion Kittens in Group 4.

A Supreme Pedigreed Exhibit in Show in each ring will be awarded. Supreme Companion will be awarded on points.

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

For the purpose of COTY point scoring, the Top 5 placings for kittens, entire cats and desexed cats in groups 1, 2, & 3 for each ring will be awarded, should the judge feel the quality of the exhibits merit such an award.

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 on the Catshowsonline webpage. The show committee reserves the right to reject any entry without explanation.

For each exhibit, a legible 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 10 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 i.e. Kittens must be born between 30 November 2025 and 20 June 2026. Cats must be born on or before 29 November 2025. Lactating queens shall not be benched without their litters.

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.

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

Each adult exhibit must have a current vaccination certificate. The certificate must indicate that the exhibit has received a valid vaccination 12 months from the last kitten vaccination then at least once every 3 years after this.

In the event the committee of Cats NSW becomes aware of a feline communicable illness following a cat show, an email notice advising all show exhibitors is to be sent within 24 hours, where practicable.

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 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.