

African Independent Cat Association
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Oriental, Siamese & Related Breeds Group
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3 CHAMPIONSHIP CAT SHOWS

SUNDAY 26 May 2024

With Sponsored Prizes by: (other sponsorships not confirmed yet)



Jeppie High School's Quondam Club
Boeing Road East, Bedfordview.

SHOW MANAGER:

Johan Lamprecht e-mail: lampr@mweb.co.za

CLOSING DATE: Thursday 9 May 2024, midnight.

NO LATE ENTRIES

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PLEASE DEPOSIT ALL MONEY DIRECTLY INTO THE BANK ACCOUNT - DETAILS ARE ON THE SUMMARY FORM - EMAIL DEPOSIT SLIPS WITH ENTRIES. ARRANGEMENTS FOR LATER PAYMENT CAN BE MADE WITH THE SHOW MANAGER. - EXHIBITORS MUST PROVIDE THEIR OWN CAGES, LITTER TRAYS & LITTER, IF NOT ENTERED ON THE NCFSCC SHOW.

VERY IMPORTANT CHANGES TO THE ENTRY PROCEDURE FOR THESE SHOWS:

To make entries less tedious for exhibitors, cats who were already entered at any CASA or Independent shows may be listed on the summary sheet only, as the information is already on the database. If there were any errors in the most recent catalogue, the cat was neutered/spayed, or reclassified, then the show manager should be alerted and the change or error clearly mentioned in the e-mail to which the entry forms are attached, or the cat's pedigree/registration certificate (from any organization) should be attached. It is absolutely essential to enter the complete and full registered name of the cat on the summary sheet, as per the most recent catalogue. This includes Household Pets and Companion Cats.

If a cat or kitten is entered for the first time at an Independent show, the entry form must be completed, or the registration/pedigree can be attached, as all the correct information will be on this document. Household Pets, without pedigrees, must be entered by means of the form.

Litters must still be entered on a litter form.

It is very important that we have to adhere to the closing date.

PLEASE TAKE NOTE OF THE FOLLOWING:

These are THREE independent clubs, putting on combined, but separate shows. Only one set of forms and one payment covers all three shows, but all entries are judged three times and could receive three title certificates on the day and change status. There are three different Best in Shows.

Entries are only accepted by e-mail and e-mail attachments or by fax-to-email. Payment is only accepted as direct deposits or internet transfer. Please e-mail proof of deposit with entries.

All WCF, CASA, Fife and Independent Club titles and certificates are accepted, irrespective of continent or country. The Title system is the same as CASA for National titles and WCF, Fife and European Independent Clubs for International titles. In South Africa the different provinces are recognised as individual regions with the same status as independent countries. In other countries the regions recognised by WCF have the same status as independent countries. Title certificates not indicated on entry forms will not be recognised at a later stage and corrections cannot be done retrospectively.

All cats are entered with their original/initial registration number from any Cat Registering Association. All breeds of cat are entered in separate colour/pattern classes.

Ideally exhibitors stay with and take care of their cats throughout the show. Cats are taken to the judge by their owners or handlers. Stewards only assist the judge to call cats. Breeders may promote and advertise their catteries or other services at their cages and conduct any other activities on condition that it does not disturb other exhibitors or the smooth running of the show. Cats may be groomed and handled at the benching area. Chairs, grooming equipment, etc. may be placed next to the cages.

KITTEN CLASSES: Two separate kitten classes constitute kittens between the ages of 3 – 6 months & 6 – 10 months. Baby classes constitute kittens between the age of 10 weeks and 3 months. Babies can also be entered in the litter classes. Kittens are eligible for Champion/Premier titles in their respective classes. Kittens under the age of 4 months may not be present in the SACC section of the hall during the SACC show and will be accommodated in a separate section.

LITTER CLASSES: A litter class consists of several individuals from the same litter between the ages of 10 weeks and 10 months, exhibited and judged together. Individuals from a litter class can also be entered in the baby classes. The dam of the litter may be benched with the litter, but cannot be entered on the show, as she would still be a nursing mother.

REGISTRATION - Every cat or kitten exhibited in the registered section of this show must have been registered with a Cat Registering Authority prior to the closing date for entries to the show. If transferred to a new owner, the transfer application must have been submitted to the relevant Registrar prior to the closing date for entries to a show.

INOCULATION - All kittens and cats on show must have been inoculated initially. Photostat & scanned copies of such certificates will be accepted.

COMMUNICABLE DISEASES - No exhibitor shall exhibit a cat or kitten which to his/her knowledge has, at the date of the show, been exposed to a communicable disease within the period of 30 days prior to the date of the show, and no cat or kitten may be exhibited if the exhibitor had had any such illness in his or her home or cattery during that period. In the case of a communicable disease having occurred in a home or cattery, a veterinary clearance certificate will be required. Any exhibitor who, in the opinion of the show manager, shall have made a false declaration in respect of the above, will be liable to penalties under the powers of the show manager.

NO SMOKING IS ALLOWED IN HALLS CONTAINING CATS. (Cigarettes, cigars, pipes and all electronic devices.)

REMEMBER TO CLIP YOUR CATS NAILS ON FRONT AND BACK FEET.

Please bring your own refuse bags and take all refuse and used litter away with you. Do not discard litter or any other cat related refuse in the toilets.

SHOW CAGES & BENCHING – You have to provide your own cage, blankets, water bowls, litter tray and litter. You are also welcome to promote your cattery, etc. on top of the cage and decorate in the style of your choice. Ideally the visiting public should be able to view the cats from the outside of the ring.

PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOU DON'T DISPLAY THE LOGOS OR TRADE NAMES OF OTHER COMPANIES IN THE SAME BUSINESS AS OUR SPONSORS ON YOUR CAGE. - ENJOY THE SHOW!

Our shows will run at the same venue as the CFSA show, held by the National Cat Society, the previous day. Information about this show can be obtained from the show manager: Charmaine Danziger - danzs@mweb.co.za.

If the NCS show is cancelled, the Independent Shows will also be cancelled and the entry monies returned.