



Proudly affiliated with Cats NSW Inc.

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Australian Style Championship Show

Four Rings for All-Breeds & Companions

Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> August, 2018

South Tweed Sports Club, 4 Minjungbal Drive, Tweed Heads South, NSW 2486

Vetting: 7:30am – 8:30am

Judging starts: 9:00am SHARP

Show closes: 4:00pm

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	Longhair	Shorthair	Companions
Ring 1	Adriana Kajon (TICA)	Adriana Kajon (TICA)	Adriana Kajon (TICA)
Ring 2	Vickie Shields (TICA)	Vickie Shields (TICA)	Vickie Shields (TICA)
Ring 3	Marlene Chasemore (FCCV)	Belinda Penglis (FCCQ)	Marlene Chasemore (FCCV)
Ring 4	Isobel Johnson (FCCQ)	Troy Willems (FCCV)	Troy Willems (FCCV)

Judging assignments may be altered depending on numbers.

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### ENTRY FEES

<b>Non-Members of Borderline Cats Inc.</b>	Litters: Under 4 months	\$ 25.00
First 3 exhibits	Individual kittens from litter	\$ 5.00
Subsequent exhibits	Benching fee	\$ 5.00
<b>Members of Borderline Cats Inc.</b>	Catalogue (must be paid for with entry)	\$ 5.00
First 3 exhibits	Hire of show cage	\$ 10.00
Subsequent exhibits		
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
Stall (own table – additional \$10.00 for table hire)		\$ 30.00
Raffle		\$ 2.00 each or 3 for \$5.00

**Awards:** Top 10 Kittens, Top 10 Cats and Desexed and Top 10 Companions (subject to entry numbers).

**Prizes:** Royal Canin cat food, Oz-Pet Litter, Rosettes and Prizes.

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### Fees, a copy of the registration certificate and current vaccination certificate for each exhibit must accompany the entry form

The only exception is for kittens under the age of 4 months where registration is pending. In this situation the relevant details must be filled in on the entry form. Entries must be on the form provided with this schedule. Entries will ONLY be processed upon receipt of entry fees. No flash cameras to be used within the show hall without the permission of the show manager.

**Closing date: Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> August, 2018**

Please email (preferred) or post entries to:

<b>Show secretary:</b>	Jenny Weekes	borderlinecats@gmail.com	0400 210 857
	3 Pony Place, Murrumbateman, NSW, 2582		
<b>Show Manager:</b>	Crystal Maher	crystal.maher@scu.edu.au	0419 275 840 (before 8pm)
<b>Cats NSW Inc. Rep:</b>	TBA		

**All exhibits must pass a veterinary inspection prior to being benched in show cages.**

## Introducing our judges



### Adriana Kajon – TICA – USA

Adriana Kajon was born in Buenos Aires, Argentina where she grew up and received her early education. Adriana has an undergraduate degree in Biochemistry from the University of Buenos Aires, and two Ph.D. degrees in Virology, the last of which she obtained in Sweden in 1995. She is currently doing research in viral pathogenesis at Lovelace Respiratory Research Institute in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

She has been breeding Singapuras for 16 years under the cattery prefix *Truecolours*, and is Chair of the Singapura Breed Committee in TICA. Although cats had always been part of her life, Adriana started participating actively in the Argentine cat fancy in 1981 after several years of breeding and showing Doberman Pinchers, including the first Doberman ever to go *Best In Show* in Argentina. Over the years she has served as a member of the Argentine Feline Association's (AFA) Board of Directors, as editor of AFA's monthly Bulletin, and as Vice President of the Siamese Cat Club.

In 1988 Adriana became an All-Breed Judge for Federation Internationale Feline (FIFe). In 1991 Adriana joined TICA, entering the Judging program in 1992. Adriana is currently a TICA Approved Allbreed Judge, Ring Training Instructor, Judging School Instructor, Licensed Genetics Instructor, and a member of TICA's Genetics Committee. She is also the co-creator of ICAT, the *International Cat Agility Tournaments*. Adriana was voted by members for the honor of being TICA's 2013 *Judge of the Year*. She became a TICA Distinguished Judge in 2017.



### Vickie Shields – TICA – USA

Vickie Shields is a TICA licensed Approved All Breed judge, and Ring Training and Judging School Instructor, and has been a TICA Distinguished Judge since 2014. She bred Maine Coons for over twenty years, and has also worked with Oriental Shorthairs, American Wirehairs, Tonkinese, and now for the past 16 years with Singapuras.

She has bred and shown many international award winners since 1979, and also been honoured as TICA's *Member of the Year*. She has served as TICA's Clerking Administrator, International Committee member, Judges Review Committee member, Maine Coon breed newsletter Editor, and she was a founding member of The French Connection based in Paris, France, which for several years was TICA's largest and most active club.

Vickie is the co-creator of ICAT, the *International Cat Agility Tournaments* - because it is fun for the cats, and for owner, and because cats are so intelligent, trainable, and beautiful in motion. Her education includes certificates in Computer Science, Herpetology, and Aquatic Biology. In her early years, she trained Labrador Retrievers for obedience and field trials. Born and raised in San Francisco, California, Vickie lives now in Albuquerque, New Mexico, and her Singapuras are the colour of the southwestern desert.



### Troy Willems (FCCV)

Throughout my childhood my family had always had pets, we always had dogs and cats and on occasion guinea pigs, birds and tropical fish also. Our cats were always moggies and our dogs always cross breeds - it didn't matter to us as we loved them all.

I was born and bred in Queensland spending the majority of my childhood in Central Queensland and my late teenage years and early adulthood in South-East Queensland. I relocated my young family to Victoria in May 2005 due to work commitments.

In late 2005 I stumbled across an article on the Bengal breed and instantly fell in love of the idea of a domesticated hybrid with Asian Leopard Cat links. I did some further research into the breed and knew that I had to have these magnificent cats in my life. I joined the FCCV in

early 2006 as a breeder under the Voodoocat prefix and secured my first breeding pair shortly thereafter. I started showing my Seal Mink Marbled Male in late 2006 but unfortunately he didn't quite have the right temperament for the show bench and he was retired from the show bench early on. My next home bred show cat Voodoocat Khanji was the complete opposite of his father and absolutely loved every minute of every show whether being judged on the show bench, waiting patiently in his show cage or getting out to meet the public after judging was completed. Khanji had a very successful show career also making his way to CCCA Champion and Emerald Grand Champion status.

I had become a judging steward with the FCCV and thoroughly enjoyed my time working with some wonderful judges both domestic and international. An opportunity arose to undertake the Group 2 and Group 3 judges course with the FCCV. I put forward my application and was accepted into the course. I really enjoyed the course and all of the trainee judging assignments.



### **Marlene Chasemore – FCCV**

Like many people, I always had domestic pet cats as a child, but acquired my first Chinchilla when I was 26, which is what started my breeding and showing career.

Under the Chinlea prefix, I bred my first cat in 1973. I have worked hard and continually since then to improve the type, nature, coat colour and eye colour of Chinchillas; success in which was measured by my winning Best Group 1 Kitten at the Royal Melbourne Show with a twelve week old Chinchilla kitten; a feat which I don't think has not been equalled since. This success was followed by my becoming involved in breeding solid colour Persians, in which I specialise.

On the show bench, my stock has amassed a large number of Best in Show and Supreme Exhibit in Show awards, both within Victoria and in other Australian states. My cats, kittens and neuters have frequently been placed in finals of Cat of the Year in the FCC, being awarded Group 1 (Longhair) Kitten of the Year in 1995 and Desexed Cat of the Year in 1996 and 1997 with Chinlea Zirconia.

From the outset, I was a member of the FCC Vic Inc. I have held continual membership of the Pedigreed Persian Cat Club of Victoria Inc. since 1973, am currently President of the club and have been Secretary over many years. I am a member of many other Victorian cat clubs.

Show experience includes many times Show Manager for the Royal Melbourne Show, the FCC Open Show, for Pedigreed Persian and Melbourne Cat Clubs. For fourteen years I was a member of the FCC Committee, which administers the feline fancy for most of Victoria's members.

My many years' experience as a card room and judges steward lead me to become a judge in 1981; specialising in Group 1, which includes Persians and other Longhair breeds. I regularly judge in different parts of Australia and New Zealand, together with my many local assignments. I was Assistant Group 1 Tutor Judge in 1989 and have been a member of the training panel for new stewards in the FCC.

I enjoy open, talk-style shows, both as exhibitor and judge. I believe that when one takes up judging, it needs to be done with an open, impartial mind and with a knowledge of the standard. I enjoy judging, particularly encouraging new exhibitors and interacting with all exhibitors at open shows. I believe my continued breeding experience keeps me in touch with all aspects of judging.



### **Isobel Johnson – FCCQ**

Dr Isobel Johnstone has had a lifetime career as a Veterinary Scientist at The University of Queensland (UQ) and is a former Director of UQ's Companion Animal Clinic.

Isobel has bred Abyssinians since 1976 and, although she no longer breeds Abys, they of course still share her home. She has vetted at cat shows for 20 years.

Isobel joined the Siamese and Shorthair Cat Club of Queensland in 1976 and is now a life member. She has been that club's Secretary and Treasurer. Needless to say, she is also an experienced show manager. In addition to being a long-serving senior judge, Isobel has held positions over the years as a tutor judge; been Chairperson of Judges Associations; and has

been a delegate to, and on, committees of various cat organisations.

Isobel became a Group Three Judge in 1983; a Group Two Judge in 1987 and an All-breeds Judge in 1997.



### **Belinda Penglis – FCCQ**

Belinda has successfully bred and shown Siamese and Orientals under the "Serendippidee" and "Diamante" prefixes since 1975, producing several Cat, Kitten and Neuter of the Year winners. She began Judging Group 2 in 1987, extending to Group 3 in 2006, and gained her All Breeds Licence in 2008. She still gets an enormous buzz out of watching kittens grow and her philosophy has always been to breed well-balanced, healthy, happy kittens for people who love the Siamese and Oriental breed.

Away from cats, Belinda has a Ph.D. in Parasitology and is a Senior Veterinary Pathology Scientist. She also teaches Contemporary and Classical Ballet to professional level, and is a Mentor as well as a Practical Teaching Supervisor for the Royal Academy of Dance (London).

She has been an active member of Siamese and Shorthair Cat Club of Queensland since 1975 and is now a Life Member and Shorthair Tutor for FCCQ Inc.

**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 Aphrodite Longhair, Aphrodite Shorthair, Birman, Exotic, Maine Coon, Neva Masquerade, Norwegian Forest Cat, Persian, Ragdoll, Siberian Turkish Angora & 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, American Shorthair, Australian Mist, Bengal, Bombay, 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, Mandalay, Manx, 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
- 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 10 Entire Cats, Top 10 Desexed Cats, Top 10 Kittens in Groups 1, 2 and 3, and Top 5 Companions 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.

Kittens under the age of 4 months are permitted to be entered with "REGISTRATION PENDING" by ACF Breeder affiliates and Cats NSW Inc. members and that have submitted a registration application only. Entries must be submitted on the "REGISTRATION PENDING" entry form (see below).

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.

**KITTEN - NEW VACCINATION RECOMMENDATION** 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 submitted with entry. Failure to do so shall result in rejection of exhibits entry.

It is highly recommended that all kittens have at least their 2<sup>nd</sup> vaccination not less than 14 days prior to the show due to the recent outbreak of Feline Panleukopenia Virus (FPV) in New South Wales

**ADULT - NEW VACCINATION RULES APPLY** - 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 copy of the vaccination certificate must be provided with entry.

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.

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.

**Borderline Cats Inc.**  
**Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> August 2018**

**Exhibitor details**

Name:.....  
 Address:.....  
 .....  
 Phone No.:.....  
 Email address:.....  
 Registering body:.....

**Exhibitor fees**

Entries ..... \$  
 Benching fee..... \$ **5.00**  
 Catalogue ..... \$  
 Hire cage..... \$  
 Advertising ..... \$  
 Stall..... \$  
 Raffle ..... \$  
 Total ..... \$

**Payment method:**

Direct deposit/bank transfer – Bananacoast Credit Union: BSB: **533-000** Account: **254366** Please specify surname and name of show in reference field. Cheque/Money Order payable to: Borderline Cats Inc.

**Exhibitor declaration**

I hereby declare that the particulars contained herein are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief and enter exhibits at my own risk. I declare that I am the bona fide Owner or Lessee and agree to abide by the Rules of Cats NSW Inc. under which this show is conducted. None of my exhibits or any of the cats/kittens residing in my home and/or cattery have been affected by, or in contact with, an infectious/contagious disease or illness within thirty (30) days prior to this show.

Exhibitor's signature:.....

I am willing to assist at the show as: .....

This is my first cat show: .....

**EXHIBITOR'S ENTRY SUMMARY**

**Exhibitors please complete ALL details**

Exhibitors Name:

Catalogue    Yes    No

(Office Use)	Name of Exhibit/s (Please use registered name)	Kitten*/Cat Desexed or Companion	Rings Entered 1, 2, 3, ALL	Cage Small, Large Own, Hire	Veterinary signature

**Please Note: ALL EXHIBITS AGED 4 MONTHS OR OVER MUST BE REGISTERED  
 CLEAR PHOTOCOPIES OF REGISTRATIONS TO BE ATTACHED TO THE SUMMARY FORM  
 To be eligible to enter kitten class, exhibits must be born between 24.11.2017 and 02.06.18.**

## Registration pending show entry form

This form is only to be used by Cats NSW Inc. members or ACF registered Breeders outside of NSW or the ACT for pedigree kittens under 4 months of age yet to be registered. Cats NSW Members must make application to register the kitten/s with the CATS NSW REGISTRER prior to the show date. Only CATS NSW INC MEMBERS or ACF Registered Breeders outside of NSW or the ACT are permitted to enter "registration pending" and the kitten/s listed below must be registered for all subsequent shows.

Special dispensation to the rule has been granted by CATS NSW for the 2018 show.

All Kitten/s must have at least one (1) vaccination and a copy of the vaccination certificate must be submitted with entries as per Cats NSW Inc. show rules. It is highly recommended that all kittens have at least a 2nd vaccination not less than 14 days prior to the show due to the recent outbreak of Feline Panleukopenia Virus (FPV) in NSW.

EXHIBIT NAME		
BREED		
COLOUR (including pattern)		
REG NO: <b>PENDING</b>	DATE OF BIRTH	SEX
SIRE		
DAM		
EXHIBIT NAME		
BREED		
COLOUR (including pattern)		
REG NO: <b>PENDING</b>	DATE OF BIRTH	SEX
SIRE		
DAM		
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COLOUR (including pattern)		
REG NO: <b>PENDING</b>	DATE OF BIRTH	SEX
SIRE		
DAM		
EXHIBIT NAME		
BREED		
COLOUR (including pattern)		
REG NO: <b>PENDING</b>	DATE OF BIRTH	SEX
SIRE		
DAM		

### LITTER ENTRY:

Litters must comprise of a complete litter of 2 or more kittens and be 4 months of age or under. For litter kittens to be entered into the show for individual judging please include on exhibitors summary sheet and either (1) attach registrations OR (2) if under 4 months of age and not yet registered complete the above registration pending entry form.

Prefix: ..... Breed: .....

Date of birth:..... Age on show date: ..... months      Number of kittens: ..... Males ..... Females

Sire: ..... Dam: .....

Breeder: ..... Exhibitor: .....

Kitten	Sex	Colour (in full including pattern)	Reg. #	Rings 1, 2, 3, All
1				
2				
3				
4				
5				

## Show venue and information

### South Tweed Sports Club



4 Minjungbal Drive, Tweed Heads South. Ph. 07 5524 3655

The club's cafeteria will be open from 8:00am on show day, offering tea, coffee and some breakfast and morning tea options. They will also be open for an afternoon recharge.

The club's restaurant and bar will be open for lunch.

There is ample parking at the rear of the venue and a convenient drop off area at the front entrance. All exhibitors will need to sign in to the club upon entry.

They also have a courtesy shuttle bus if you are staying before or after the show.

### Cat Friendly Accommodation

The following venues have agreed to allow cats into rooms with guests. Please respect their generosity and ensure you leave rooms clean and tidy. Cats are to remain in bathrooms at all times.

#### COLONIAL TWEED HOLIDAY AND HOME PARK

Located 2.5km from South Tweed Sports Club  
158 Dry Dock Rd, Tweed Heads South, NSW 2486  
Ph: 07 5524 2999 Fax: 5523 1259

Email: [manager@colonialtweed.com.au](mailto:manager@colonialtweed.com.au)

Open plan Cabins to 3 bedroom Villas, newly refurbished.  
Minimum 2 nights stay. 50% deposit at the time of booking  
with the balance due 1 week prior to arrival.  
Please see website for images of interiors, layouts and rates  
[www.colonialtweed.com.au](http://www.colonialtweed.com.au)



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#### BLUE PELICAN MOTEL

115 Wharf Street, Tweed Heads 2485  
Ph: 07 55361777

3 km from South Tweed Sports Club  
Roomy units, including ground floor rooms and a  
disabled unit. Minimum 2 nights stay. Rooms from  
\$125 per night. For more information see:  
<http://bluepelicanmotel.com.au/accommodation/> for  
images and facilities.

### Borderline Cats Inc.

Borderline Cats Inc. is a fun, easy going group with a common interest in pedigreed and companion cats. We hold most of our meetings via Skype so distance is no barrier to being involved. If you would like to join, contact one of our executive members below:

President, Treasurer: Liz Robinson - [sarikamajik957@gmail.com](mailto:sarikamajik957@gmail.com)

Secretary, Vice President, Show Manager: Crystal Maher - [crystal.maher@scu.edu.au](mailto:crystal.maher@scu.edu.au)

Show Secretary: Jenny Weekes - [jenny.weekes57@outlook.com](mailto:jenny.weekes57@outlook.com)

