

Class Act Cat Club

Invites you to help us

"Paw in the Mew Year"

January 2nd & 3rd, 2010

At the Activity Center of the Jefferson County Fairgrounds
503 North Jackson Ave, Jefferson, WI 53549



Judging Line Up

Saturday

Joan Apel-Klarner – AB
Lonnie Alitz – AB
Dan Lalley – AB
Maureen Krzeszewski – AB
Carolyn Prucha – SP



Sunday

Ron Summers – AB
Ricky Burthay – AB
Sandy Antcliff – AB
Deb Wich – AB
Mike Wilcox – AB

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Mailed entries MUST be received by December 23rd, 2009
Eclerk closing will be December 27th, 2009 at 5:00pm SHARP!!

BRAND NEW SHOW HOTEL!!!!!!

Madison Sleep Inn & Suites
4802 Tradewinds Parkway, Madison, WI 53718
Must call hotel directly and mention Class Act Cat Club to get the club rates – 608-221-8100
King room is \$69.00 & Double Queen is \$75.00 – **NO** Pet Fee

Show Hours: Saturday check-in will be 7:30am to 8:30am with judging starting promptly at 9:00am
Sunday check-in will be 7:30am to 8:00am with judging starting promptly at 8:30am

Show Motel: This year we will be using the newly constructed Sleep Inn & Suites. The grand opening for the hotel was in October of 2009. **(We have a block of 50 rooms reserved until November 30,2009.)**

Madison Sleep Inn & Suites
4802 Tradewinds Parkway
Madison, WI 53718
608-221-8100

You must call the local number in order to receive the club rates.

Bring your swimsuits! There is a 24 hour indoor pool and whirlpool for your enjoyment.

Each room has a coffee maker, refrigerator and microwave.

There is a morning medley breakfast offered each morning in the LARGE breakfast room.

If you need a tub, you will need to request a Double Queen. The King rooms have a shower only.

This is a 3 story hotel, but they have a lovely (and roomy) elevator.

Alternate hotels: There are many other hotels in the area that accept pets. This is a short list.

1) Rodeway Inn – 4916 E Broadway, Madison, WI – Ph 608-222-5501

2) Microtel Inn & Suites – 2139 E Springs Dr, Madison, WI – Ph 608-242-9000

3) Rodeway Inn – 1456 S Ryan Ave, Jefferson, WI – Ph 920-674-4404 ***(Block of 10 rooms, but pet fee)*

4) Econo Lodge Madison – 4726 E Washington Ave, Madison, WI – Ph 608-241-4171

** Unless noted, the club does not have a block of rooms or knowledge of whether or not a pet fee will be charged at these alternate hotels.

Rules: It is the responsibility of each exhibitor to familiarize themselves with the ACFA Show Rules. The show will be scored for ACFA Inter-American and Regional awards according to the ACFA bylaws. Winners must be present to receive final awards or excused by the Show Manager prior to closing of the show. A copy of the A.C.F.A. Show Rules is available to everyone at www.acfacat.com or through the ACFA Central Office (417) 725-1530. Transfers for cats achieving Championship and Grand Championship status during the show on Saturday must be made with the Master Clerk during the show on Saturday. No transfers will be allowed on Sunday morning unless the cat is a Sunday only entry or was absent on Saturday & will be shown on Sunday.

REGISTRATION NUMBERS: Kittens, Cats, Alters and Household Pets must be registered with ACFA in order to be eligible for scoring for end of the year awards. That number must be present in the master catalog. If you do not have an ACFA registration number, Cats and Alters must pay a \$5 per day listing fee. Kittens and Household Pets are exempt. However, per Show Rule Article IV, Sec 2c:
“All Bengals, Korats, Pixiebob Longhairs/Shorthairs, Singapuras and all cats shown in the NBC Class must have an ACFA registration number. All Bengals must have an ACFA registration number to be allowed inside the show hall for any purpose. A Bengal litter registration number shall suffice in regard to 'kittens for sale'.”

Liability: Neither Class Act Cat Club, Show Management, any member of Class Act Cat Club, nor the Jefferson County Fairgrounds will be responsible for any loss, damage, injury or accidents to animals or property or assume any liability whatsoever for injury, loss, or damage to any person, animal or property.

Feline Health: Class Act Cat Club requests all cats in the show hall must be free of illness 21 days prior to the show. It is strongly recommended that all cats have been inoculated for enteritis, rhinotracheitis, calici virus and rabies. Entries must be free of ear mites, fleas and fungus; any animal showing signs of illness or parasites will be excused from the show hall immediately - NO EXCEPTIONS! Please bring current immunization records for all cats in show hall for your cat's protection. Trim those claws prior to the show or a Class Act Cat Club member will trim them for a fee of \$2.00.

Kittens: All kittens must be 4 months old to be allowed in the show hall, for sale or show- born on or before September 2, 2009, to show on Saturday and September 3, 2009, to show on Sunday.

Household Pets: HHP's will be judged in all 10 rings. HHP's must adhere to the same rules as cats in the Championship classes. All HHP's over 8 months must be spayed or neutered.

Sales: Minimum price for cat/kitten is \$150. No cats/kittens may be sold from carriers, under tables, or from cars in the parking lot. NO EXCEPTIONS!! All Kittens/Cats for sale must have their litter registration, proof of vaccinations, and be a minimum of 4 months old – born on or before September 2, 2009.

Additional Information: Single cages are 22x22x22. Double cages are 22x22x44. Sales cages are available to exhibitors only. The club will provide litter at the show hall; owners must bring food, water, Cage Curtains/coverings and all necessary supplies needed to present your cat for judging or exhibition.

Novice Exhibitors: We are thrilled to help you before and during the show. Please contact the entry clerk so you will be benched with an experienced exhibitor or a club member. For additional information, please contact the show manager or entry clerk.

AWARDS: Cats must be present to receive final wins unless excused by the show manager in writing prior to the closing time of the show.

TRANSFERS: If your cat or alter is an OPEN on Saturday and receives 4 winners ribbons, you must claim the championship with the Master Clerk before the show starts on Sunday in order to be able to show your cat on Sunday. This applies to cats paying listing fees as well. Household Pets do not have their titles transferred as they must be claimed and verified through Central Office.

PLEASE NOTE: No animal may be left in the show hall overnight.

CHILDREN: This show is for the display and competition of cats. While well-behaved children are welcome, two days at a show can be very boring and tiring for them. Consider bringing activity books to help occupy their time. Please keep this in mind and be respectful of all those exhibitors around you who may not have young children.

****BENCHING REQUESTS:** End of row benching is reserved for the handicapped, ring clerks, Master Clerk, and show committee. Your request will be honored as best we can. Once the benching chart is done – it is final. The entry clerk will do their very best to honor the first (**and only the first**) request on your entry. Please, no negative benching requests!

Entry Confirmations: If you do not receive a confirmation by December 28th, 2009, please contact the entry clerk to ensure that your entry was received. The club is not responsible for late or lost entries.

Vendors: For vendor information, please contact Richard Prucha
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