



**SATURDAY**  
**22<sup>nd</sup> February 2025**

Member Body of the ACF  
 Open to members of  
 ACF and CCA Affiliated Bodies, ANCATS and Cats Australia

**ENTRIES CLOSE ON:**

**Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> January 2025**

**NO Late entries will be accepted.**

**Status Changes Due -**

**Monday 17<sup>th</sup> February 2025**

**Foster Showgrounds**

**Station Street, Foster**

Ring 1	Ring 2	Ring 3	Ring 4
<b>ALL EXHIBITS</b>	<b>ALL EXHIBITS</b>	<b>Companions Only</b>	<b>Companions Only</b>
Nick Tricarico (GCCFV)	Margaret Steed (GCCFV)	Christian Nimmervoll (GCCFV)	Gayle McPhee (GCCFV)

GCCFV reserves the right to alter judging assignments without notice.

**Returning Officer:**

Michael Nimmervoll

PO BOX 8075

Ferntree Gully 3156

Email: [mnimmervoll@bigpond.com](mailto:mnimmervoll@bigpond.com)

Phone: 0419 105 727 **after 7pm**

**FEES:**

\$15 a Cat

Catalogues: \$5.00

Entry pass \$15 per person

**TIMETABLE:**

Vetting 7.30am - 8.30am

Vetting is closed when the veterinarian leaves

Judging starts at 9.00am

GCCFV Rep: Gay Hubbard

Direct Deposits to: **GCCFV**  
 BSB: 083 125 Acct: 8104 27508

Monies / Receipts **MUST** accompany entries

Entries must be on official GCCFV entry forms

The Show Committee reserves the right to refuse any entry.

Entering your cat in a show is similar to participating in a beauty contest, where presentation is important. Ensure your cat is well-groomed, healthy, and exhibits good weight and muscle tone. Their eyes and ears should be clean, and claws neatly trimmed. Avoid showing cats that are not in peak condition, such as those with missing fur or being underweight, to maintain the standards of the competition.

Bring a clean mat to use on the judging table and a teaser if your cat enjoys playing with it. Both items should be placed on top of your cat's cage before the start of judging. If any of your cats show signs of illness or are unwell, do not enter or attend shows.

It is recommended that cats being shown regularly receive annual vaccinations.

**VACCINATION CARDS MUST BE SHOWN FOR ALL KITTENS/CATS AT VETTING**

Non GCCFV Members, **must** supply a copy of a certified pedigree for each cat entered, showing registration number issued by the controlling body of which the exhibitor is a financial member.

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**GCCFV**  
**FOSTER SHOW**  
 Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2025



NAME OF EXHIBITOR: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ P/CODE \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

**ENTRY IN ALL RINGS IS COMPULSORY**

	Number	Cost	Total
ENTRY FEE		\$15.00 each	\$
PLEASE BRING OWN CAGES			
CATALOGUE (Must be ordered with entries - non available on the day)		\$ 5.00	\$
<b>SHOW ENTRY (Compulsory payment) Per Person</b>		<b>\$15.00</b>	<b>\$</b>
When paying by Direct Deposit you must attach the printed bank receipt to this form, entries will be held until money appears in the account - allow 48hrs, money must be cleared by closing date. Please put your name in the description box, so we know who is paying. BSB: 083 125      Account: 8104 27508 <b>TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED</b>			\$

**ENTRIES CLOSE STRICTLY ON WEDNESDAY 29<sup>th</sup> JANUARY 2025**

**SUMMARY OF CATS ENTERED** \* Please note: Vetting Slips will be issued on your arrival at the show

YOUR Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE PRINT**

NAME OF EXHIBIT	Sex	Cat	Kitten	Neuter	Group
( Please use Registered name - No Titles)	F, M, FD, MD	PLEASE TICK UNDER CORRECT GROUP			Longhair, Shorthair or Companion

I, the undersigned, hereby declare that the details on the entry forms submitted by me are correct and that I have read and understand the rules of the show as set out on the show schedule.

Signed & Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

CATALOGUE Ordered  
**YES / NO**



### GCCFV SHOW ENTRY FORM

Please fill in all sections so that the show paperwork can be done correctly

Breed:	EMS Code:	Rego No:
Title (if any)		Class Entered:
Name of Cat:		Date of Birth:
Colour:		Sex:
Sire:		
Dam:		
Breeder:		
Owner:		Member No:
Cage Size (please circle)    Own Medium        Own Double		
<b>I hereby certify, as the bona fide owner/lessee, that the particulars of the above cat are true &amp; correct and that I am entering this show at my own risk.</b>		
Signed ..... Date...../...../.....		



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## GCCFV SHOW RULES (Abbreviated)

- All Cats & Kittens over 5 months old, including Companion Pets, must be individually registered with a recognised Control Body **before the closing date for entries.** (With exception of Companion cats on 2-show trial.)
- All Kittens must be litter-registered and be at least **12 WEEKS old on the day of the show.**
- Exhibitors must provide a Vaccination Certificate for ALL EXHIBITS.** Kittens must have followed a recommended vaccination regime (first vaccination at least 10 days prior to the show) and all adults must have been vaccinated within the previous **2 YEARS.** The 1<sup>st</sup> adult vaccination must be given as closely as possible to 12 months after the final kitten vaccination.
- All Companion Pets over 5 months old must be neutered
- Lactating Queens may not be shown.
- Queens that are more than 4 weeks, or obviously, pregnant may not be shown.
- All exhibits must have their nails clipped, clean coats, clean ears, no fleas, and no stitches.
- All exhibits must be inspected by the Veterinary Surgeon **prior to entering the hall.** Any exhibit showing signs of infectious or contagious disease or external parasites will be rejected.
- Any exhibit that is rejected by the Veterinary Surgeon for infectious or contagious disease must be removed from the venue immediately, along with all other cats that have travelled to the show with it. The opinion of the Veterinary Surgeon is final. Entry fees will not be refunded. The exhibitor must obtain a veterinary clearance before attending any further shows.
- After veterinary inspection, each cat must be placed in the correct cage. Exhibits over the age of 9 months are not permitted to share a cage until judging is completed, except at the discretion of the Show Manager. The exhibitor must provide curtains & a cushion or mat. These may be of any colour.
- Litter trays, water bowls, toys & covered hot water bottles/heat pads may be left in cages.
- An exhibit may be disqualified if either it or its owner is identified to the Judge before judging is finished. No names or identification marks are allowed in or on cages.
- CATS THAT SHOW AGGRESSION WILL AUTOMATICALLY BE DECLARED UNABLE TO BE HANDLED (UTH). THE CAT WILL BE SUSPENDED FOR THREE MONTHS. ON A SECOND OFFENCE, IT WILL BE DISQUALIFIED FOR LIFE.**
- Cats that are unable to be safely carried to the table or sufficiently handled for judging may be declared **UNABLE TO BE JUDGED (UTJ).** No cumulative penalty applies.
- Any award may be withheld if the judge considers the exhibit has insufficient merit
- No powder, sprays or phenol may be used in the venue, or bleach on cages.
- All exhibits must travel to and from the venue in a suitable carry-box.
- Trophies, ribbons, prize cards etc placed on or under cages, during or after judging, are the responsibility of the exhibitor and will not be replaced.
- Exhibitors are to provide their own cages, as long as they conform to GCCFV guidelines as below:
  - Wire mesh cages are preferred of approximate sizes:
    - Large 76cmL x 54cmW x 61cmH
    - Medium 61cmL x 53cmW x 61cmH
- Cages must have access door of reasonable size on the front. Cages must also be provided with solid water resistant side and rear panels (of corflute or similar material), or of a water proof cloth stretched tight. The purpose of these is to provide segregation from cats in adjacent cages "Sturdi" type folding cloth cages may be used. In cases of doubt the cage must be approved by the show manager and GCCFV representative
- On completion of the show, exhibitors must fold their cages and stack them as directed, and remove all litter**
- Exhibitors are expected to behave with courtesy at all times and failure to do so may incur suspension from showing.**

### CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

Entries are accepted on the condition that the exhibitor:

- observes the rules and regulations of GCCFV and of the Club
- accepts as final the decisions of Judges and GCCFV
- acknowledges that the cats are entered at the exhibitor's own risk.** Whilst every care is taken, GCCFV and the Club shall not be held responsible for exhibits or personal property.
- does not exhibit a cat or kitten that has been exposed to any infectious or contagious disease within a period of 21 days prior to the show.**

The club conducting the show or GCCFV has the right to refuse any entry that contravenes these rules or any exhibitor who does not comply with the Rules of GCCFV or who is guilty of conduct unworthy of an exhibitor.

## GROUPING OF BREEDS

Exhibits are judged according to ACF breed standard and divided into 3 groups, which are:

**Longhair:** Birman, Exotic, Maine Coon, Nebelung, Neva Masquerade, Nebelung, Norwegian Forest Cat, Persian, Ragdoll, Siberian, Turkish Angora & Turkish Van.

**Shorthair:** Abyssinian, American Burmese, American Curl, American SH, Australian Mist, Balinese, Bengal, Bombay, British SH, Burmese, Burmilla, (LH & SH), Cornish Rex, Cymric, Devon Rex, Egyptian Mau, Foreign White, Foreign White Longhair, Japanese Bobtail (LH & SH), Korat, LaPerm (LH & SH), Lykoi, Mandalay, Manx, Munchkin, Ocicat, Oriental, Oriental Longhair, Peterbald, Pixiebob, Russian, Scottish (LH & SH), Scottish Fold (LH & SH), Selkirk Rex (LH & SH), Siamese, Singapura, Snowshoe, Somali, Sphynx, Tonkinese, & Toyger

**Companion Pets:-** Longhair, Shorthair

### MAIN CLASSES AND THEIR CODES

#### Group Longhair/Shorthair Adults

Title	Female	Male
Untitled	FO	MO
Champion	FC	MC
Grand Ch	FGC	MGC
Double Grand Ch	FDGC	MDGC
Silver Ch	FSilverC	MSilverC
Gold Ch	FGoldC	MGoldC
Opal Ch		OpalC
Sapphire Ch		SaphC
Emerald Ch		EmldC
Ruby Ch		RubyC
Diamond Ch		DiamC
Platinum Ch		PlatC

#### Group Longhair/Shorthair Neuters

Title	Female	Male
Untitled	FN	MN
Premier Neuter	FPN	MPN
Grand PN	FGPN	MGP
Double Grand PN	FDGPN	MDGPN
Silver PN	FSilverP	MSilverPN
Gold PN	FGoldPN	MGoldPN
Opal PN		OpalPN
Sapphire PN		SaphPN
Emerald PN		EmldPN
Ruby PN		RubyPN
Diamond PN		DiamPN
Platinum PN		PlatPN

#### Group Longhair/Shorthair Kittens

Age	Female	Male
Under 4 months	FK4	MK4
Under 5 months	FK5	MK5
Under 6 months	FK6	MK6
Under 7 months	FK7	MK7
Under 8 months	FK8	MK8
Under 9 months	FK9	MK9

#### Group Companions

Title	Female	Male
Kitten	FK	MK
Untitled	F	M
Star	FS	MS
Grand Star	FG	MG
Double Grand Star	FDG	MDG
Silver Star	FSil	MSil
Gold Star	FGold	MGold
Opal Star		Opal
Sapphire Star		Saph
Emerald Star		Emld
Ruby Star		Ruby
Diamond Star		Diam

Entries to be on GCCFV entry form with EMS code for breed, colours and pattern filled in.

### STATUS CHANGES (Title changes)

**You should notify the Returning Officer as soon as your cat qualifies for a new title. This MUST be done by the date on the schedule.**

**If you are unsure of anything, please contact the Returning Officer. Ref GCCFV By-Laws 11.6 for full Show Rules**