

THE SEAL AND BLUE POINT BIRMAN CAT CLUB



SCHEDULE

of the **SIXTH CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW**
(held under GCCF rules)

*Open to all colours of the Birman breed
Including Assessment classes and Household Pet*

to be held on

Saturday 3rd October 2015

at the

**Bracknell Leisure Centre
Bagshot Road, Bracknell, Berkshire RG12 9SE**

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Entries close 8th September 2015

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Mrs L Martin, Mrs S Moore, Mr M Pearman, Mr K Scruton, Mrs S Tokens

OVERALL SEAL OR BLUE POINT BIRMAN BEST IN SHOW
Mr K Scruton, Mrs L Grant, Mrs S Tokens – Mrs A Lyall

OVERALL ANY OTHER COLOUR BIRMAN BEST IN SHOW
Mrs V Anderson, Mrs L Martin, Mrs S Moore – Mr J Cohen

HOUSEHOLD PET JUDGES
Mrs V Lee & Mrs P Norman

BEST HOUSEHOLD PET EXHIBIT
Non Pedigree – Mrs V Lee
Pedigree Pet – Mrs P Norman
Overall BIS Household Pet – Mrs A Ivinson

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Mr R Best MRCVS – Duty Vet
Miss E Last VN & Miss C Tucker VN plus others

Dear Member/Exhibitor

Here is the latest schedule for our Championship Show of The Seal and Blue Point Birman Cat Club.

There are separate Grand Classes for Seal/Blue Point Birmans and AOC Birmans, plus a separate Best in Show.

You can also enter the Long Hair and Semi Longhair Cat Club Show for the chance to win two certificates in one day. Assessment Cats can also be entered in two shows of their choice to win two Merit Certificates.

Non Pedigree and Pedigree Pets can enter this show and either the Long Hair and Semi Longhair Cat Club Show, the Turkish Van Cat Club Show, Norsk Skogkatt or the Maine Coon Breed Society Show with the possibility of winning two certificates in one day.

If your cat is dual entered (this applies to both Pedigrees and Non Pedigree/Pedigree Pets) and with the exhibit's welfare in mind, ***the limit on the number of classes entered for each show is a maximum of 4.***

Please support the show by:-

Entering your Cats!

Sponsoring Classes! Beautiful rosettes attract exhibitors to return next year. Your sponsorship will be acknowledged in the catalogue.

Advertising in the Catalogue! Advertise your prefix, cats and kittens.

Supporting the Raffle! Donate some lovely prizes and buy some tickets on the day.

BEING THERE! Come to the show, bring your cats, buy a catalogue, support the raffle, give a helping hand and meet all your friends who share the same interests as yourself.....the beautiful Birmans.

Elaine Robinson

Show Manager

SHOW RULES AND REGULATIONS

The Show is held under the Rules of the Governing Council of the Cat Fancy and is open to all. As a copy of the Rules is NOT included with this schedule, all exhibitors are reminded that they should read Section 4 of the Show Rules, as they will be strictly applied. Ignorance will not be accepted as an excuse for a breach of the Rules. (Copies of the Rules may be obtained from the GCCF Offices, 5 Kings Castle Business Park, The Drove, Bridgwater, Somerset TA6 4AG).

The Committee reserve, to themselves, the right to:

- a) Appoint other judges should those advertised be unable to fulfil their engagement, and to appoint further judges should they be required.
- b) Fix and limit the number of exhibits at the show.
- c) To accept or refuse exhibit entry without giving reason.
- d) Cancel, amalgamate or divide classes.
- e) Publish a catalogue of the show containing information as to the exhibits and names and addresses of exhibitors.
- f) Retain a percentage of the entry fees to cover essential expenses, in the event of the show being cancelled for any reason.
- g) Refuse admission into the Show hall without giving a reason.
- h) Make an administration charge for any cheque returned unpaid by the bank. The exhibitors entry will be withdrawn from the show until such time as the entry fees plus an additional £10.00 administration charge are paid by that exhibitor. No further personal cheques will be accepted from that exhibitor.

REGISTRATION

PEDIGREE SECTION: All Cats, Kittens and Neuters exhibited at a GCCF Show must be registered. Cats registered on the Reference Register may not be shown in competition. To be effective for entry all registration and/or transfers must have reached the GCCF Office at least 10 days prior to the show. No Cat or Kittens, entire or neutered, born after 19.10.71, with one or both parents, grandparents or great grand parents unregistered shall be eligible for entry into Open Classes.

Exhibitors are responsible for the correct description of the exhibits and for entering them in the correct classes. Please do not omit to Read and Sign the declaration – if joint owners, both must sign the form.

Cats which are not normally resident with their registered owner should be transferred into the ownership of their keeper if they are to be shown. Exhibitors are reminded that in the event of rejection, all exhibits in the same registered ownership may also be rejected and clearance may be required for both households.

HOUSEHOLD PET SECTION: Please carefully read the instructions in the Household Pets Section of this schedule. All Household Pets over six months of age must be neutered.

GENERAL GUIDELINES ON ENTERING SHOWS

Where possible, always complete your show entry form from your GCCF registration document (i.e. Registration or Transfer Certificate) for the cat that is to be exhibited, **printing** the details carefully to avoid any misinterpretation of your handwriting.

If you have not received your registration document at the time of entry, complete the show entry form with the details from the pedigree, giving the first choice of name if it is a non-prefix registration, and put RAF (Registration Applied For) or TAF (Transfer Applied For), or both, in the Regd. No. box. It is wise to enclose a stamped self-addressed acknowledgement postcard with all registration and transfer applications, particularly for cats entered for shows, so that you know that the application has been received by the GCCF.

Try to keep a copy of your entry form – then, when you receive registration details and number, check these against the entry form and notify the Show Manager in writing of any differences in the details as well as giving the registration number, if applicable. This may not be in time for the printing of the show catalogue, but the Show Manager should attach your letter to your entry form which will save unnecessary notification of discrepancies when that show is checked. All catalogue errors are checked against the original entry form and any exhibitors' letters are used for reference. Show managements are permitted to accept corrections, at their own discretion, up to the close of the show (on show day); such a change must not be a change of exhibit.

The only exception to this is when a new breed becomes recognised; and then, cats of the breed may be shown even if they are registered on the Reference Register as long as this was the only reason for the Reference registration.

Exhibitors may appeal against any disqualification resulting from show checking, giving their reasons. The appeal will be referred to the Executive Committee if considered valid and, if not, a letter of explanation will be sent to the exhibitor(s). The above advice, however, is aimed to keep your show entries trouble-free, not to mention the show checking.

VETERINARY

Exhibits will be received at the entrance to the show hall from 8.00am until 9.45am on the morning of the show. Exhibits must arrive at the show hall in a suitable, secure container (top-opening recommended) and must be accompanied by the owner or the owner's agent. **If a cat cannot easily be removed from the carrier, it will not be vetted in/judged, such as for Best in Show.** (N.B. This recommendation relates to the amendment to Section 4 Rule 6)

Each exhibit will be examined by the Club's Honorary Veterinary Surgeons, who are authorised to exclude any exhibit they consider unfit. No exhibit may be penned before being examined. Exhibitors passes will be issued at vetting in – there are no tallies. All cats exhibited at shows held under GCCF rules must have a current certificate of vaccination against FIE, FVR and FCV ("cat 'flu"). The full course, or booster, in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations, must have been completed more than seven days before the show. The certificate must have been issued by a veterinary practice/hospital and the last vaccination entry signed by a Veterinary Surgeon or by a listed Veterinary Nurse under the direction of a Veterinary Surgeon. Certificates should be available at vetting-in and should be properly completed and clearly indicate the identity of the exhibit and the owner to avoid confusion.

Cats **with an invalid** vaccination certificate will be rejected under Section A. **Cats unaccompanied by a vaccination certificate will also be rejected under Section A** unless the exhibitor undertakes to provide proof of vaccination, **valid for that show**, by sending the certificate to the GCCF Office within seven days of the show. Failure to do so will lead to disqualification from the show and the cat's name will be placed on the rejection list until proof of vaccination is received in the Office.

N.B. A current certificate of vaccination is one which is not more than seven days past the manufacturer's recommended interval between boosters.

Please note that HOMEOPATHIC VACCINATION cannot be accepted, under GCCF Rules, for the purpose of vetting in.

Exhibits must have clean ears and coats free from pests. Any exhibit rejected by the Veterinary Surgeon must be removed by their owners and entry fees are forfeit. If in the Veterinary Surgeon's opinion it is desirable, all other exhibits from the same cattery and the owners shall be debarred from attending the show. The Veterinary Surgeon's decision is final.

VETERINARY REJECTIONS

Exhibitors whose cats have been rejected at shows should note the following points:

- a) When sending a clearance certificate to the GCCF Veterinary Officer please include your copy of the rejection slip.
- b) Do not send certificates by recorded delivery as this can cause delays in receipt. If acknowledgement of receipt is required, please enclose a stamped addressed postcard for signature acknowledging receipt.
- c) Exhibitors should not attend shows until they have received a letter accepting and confirming clearance from the Veterinary Officer.

PENNING OF EXHIBITS

Sprays must not be used in the hall as spray mist persists in the air and can irritate cats' mucous membranes. Therefore exhibitors are advised to use other means (eg wipes) to disinfect pens before penning cats. If owners wish to bring their own diluted disinfectant, small squeeze bottles which produce no spray are permitted. All disinfectants must be approved for safety and efficacy in cats eg Trigene. Every exhibit must be provided with a white sanitary tray and clean plain white or near-white blanket or blankets without distinctive marking or edging, which may be arranged in such a manner as to assist the comfort of the cat. Cellular blankets are not allowed, but white Vet-bed or like material may be used if preferred. **A hot water bottle or heat reflecting material or a cool pack** may be used, provided they are covered by a blanket in accordance with GCCF rules. Any other form of heating will lead to

disqualification. All exhibits must have water, but food containers must be removed when judging commences at 10am, and may not be returned until 12.30pm. One **small toy** may be placed in the pen after the time announced for the admission of the public. Judges are instructed to pass any pen that is distinguished in any way, other than official notices or award cards. No written or printed matter may be placed on competitive pens – **For sale signs are NOT permitted!** Exhibition pens **only**, may be decorated and may carry printed matter relating to the exhibit. Exhibits actually received into the Show Hall cannot be removed without the sanction of the Show Manager. They are only received on condition that the Society shall not be held responsible for any loss or damage to exhibits, boxes or baskets or in any other way. **Please Note** that it is the Exhibitors responsibility to ensure that their cat's pen is safe and secure before leaving the hall.

The Show closes at 5pm or earlier at the Show Managers' discretion. No cat may be removed from its pen before this time. Any exhibitor interfering with or removing any cat from its pen during the show, except with the consent of the Show Manager, will forfeit any award that may be due to his or her exhibit.

NEUTERED KITTENS

Exhibitors are advised that they must notify the Show Manager if a kitten entered in the show as an entire is neutered before the show takes place, even though re-registration or change of class may not be necessary. This is important because if the kitten is male, the judge could refuse to judge the exhibit or withhold an award for cryptorchidism.

JUDGING AND JUDGES

Judging will commence at 10.00am and exhibitors will be requested to clear the hall at this time until 12.30am, whilst the Open Classes are being judged. Judges are empowered to withhold any prize, award or certificate in any class if the exhibits do not, in their opinion possess sufficient merit. Prizes will be awarded from the Judge's award slip and not from any catalogue or prize card. A Judge's decision is final. An exhibitor may not approach a Judge, nor enter into conversation with a Judge, until that Judge's engagement is complete.

ADVICE TO EXHIBITORS AS FROM 1.6.92

- a) You are advised against purchasing any shampoos that change a cat's coat colour or the use of Stress Remedies including Scullcap or Valerian which change a cat's normal appearance or physical reaction as this is forbidden at GCCF shows and will lead to disqualification under Section 4 Rule 14.
- b) Any person whose cats have been rejected under sections C or D must not officiate as a judge or steward, or in any other capacity which requires the handling of cats at shows, until a clearance certificate as required by the GCCF has been obtained.
- c) Queens who are pregnant, lactating or who have kitted within 12 weeks of the date of the show may not be shown.
- d) The use of small battery driven fans in pens can be dangerous, and could also be considered a distinguishing feature.
- e) The use of any kind of spray in the hall is strictly forbidden.
- f) Please note that in addition to the classes you have entered, your cat(s) may also be handled for the purpose of assessing candidates in the GCCF appointment scheme.
- g) It is recommended that you clip the claws of your cat(s) before the show.
- h) Owner's Liability: Please note that Exhibitors (Owners) are responsible for the cost of any veterinary treatment required by their cat/s during the Exhibitor (Owners) absence from the Show hall.
- i) Details from entry forms may be processed by computer.
- j) Advertisements: Exhibitors are advised that advertising the future attendance of their Cat(s) at any GCCF show could lead to disciplinary action and great care should be taken when advertising in magazines, newspapers, newsletters or on the internet.
- k) The GCCF Veterinary Sub Committee wish to remind Exhibitors that cats should not be left in cars.

SHOW WITHDRAWALS AND ALTERATIONS

The last date for withdrawal of a cat from a show is the advertised closing date for entries at that show. After this date the cat/s concerned may not be withdrawn from the catalogue of the show and the 13 day Rule about entering two shows within 13 days will apply. There will be no refund of entry fees if the cat is not present at the show and the entry in the catalogue must not be withdrawn. This ruling does not

prevent Show Managers from returning entries after the closing date of the show if they are unable to accept them into the show because the show is full. ALL WITHDRAWALS MUST BE IN WRITING.

ALL ALTERATIONS AND/OR ADDITIONS TO ENTRY FORMS MUST BE MADE IN WRITING TO THE SHOW MANAGER

No telephone alterations and/or deletions will be accepted. Corrections to your entry form can be made on show day.

If a kitten is entered as an entire and then neutered before the show, the exhibitor must notify the show manager as soon as possible.

CORRESPONDENCE

All correspondence must be accompanied by a s.a.e. if a reply is required.

Any complaint related to the show must be forwarded to the Show Manager within seven days of the show.

NOTICE OF CHANGE

An announcement on the GCCF website of any alterations or additions to this schedule or in the regulations shall be deemed sufficient notice.

SHOW TROPHIES

Would any exhibitors who currently hold a Trophy awarded at the last years show, please arrange to return it ON or BEFORE Show Day to:

Ms R Farrington, 12 Bedford Avenue, Little Chalfont, Bucks, HP6 6PT

Tel: 07815 874949

BREED CLASSES: Open to all untitled Cats/Neuters of the specified breed (must be GCCF Registered). Challenge or Premier Certificates will be awarded to winners.

GRAND CLASSES: Cats with the title of Champion/Premier must enter in this class and compete for a Grand Certificate.

IMPERIAL CLASSES: Cats with a Grand title must enter this class and compete for an Imperial Certificate.

OLYMPIAN CLASSES: Cats with an Imperial title must enter this class and compete for an Olympian Certificate*.

**The title of Olympian Imperial Grand Champion/Premier will be granted to a cat winning five Olympian Imperial Grand Certificates at five shows under five different judges. Only one prize with a Reserve in case of disqualification will be awarded. Awards will be given of Bronze/Silver/Gold, requiring 5 certificates to progress to each level.*

All breeds from all pedigree sections will compete against each other for one male and female certificate in the Entire and Neuter categories. It will be judged by judges who are Full Judges in (not across) 3 sections and eligible to judge at least 2 Imperial Classes in different sections.

Household Pet Section – Olympian Class

This class is for Imperial Grand Master Cats ONLY. This class will be judged between the Non-Ped and Pedigree Pets.

Please note:- You can now only enter one titled class, BOC and miscellaneous class.

Assessment Classes

Cats, Kittens and Neuters of those breeds with Preliminary recognition must enter the appropriate Assessment Class, plus a minimum of two appropriate Miscellaneous Classes. Assessment Classes are now competitive, exhibits will be assessed and awarded a 'Merit' Certificate if considered by the Judge to meet the approved Standard of Points. Cats will be placed, and Best of Breed can be awarded.

OVERSEAS TITLES

Cats with titles gained overseas are not eligible to enter Grand Classes in GCCF licensed shows. Overseas titles may be included in brackets at the end of the cat's name in the show catalogue. Since

1st June 1999, cats are registered with both the GCCF and the GCCF of Ireland that gain the same Champion, Premier, Grand Champion, Grand Premier titles at shows licensed by both organisations are allowed to use "International" titles when verified by each organisation.

COUNTERSIGNING OF CERTIFICATES

In the event of a change of judge in a Breed/Open Class occurring after the closing date of the Show, and provided that the exhibitor informs the Show Manager prior to judging, that a certificate has been previously awarded by the replacement judge, the Show Manager shall appoint one other judge who shall judge the cat and if the cat is considered worthy, countersign the certificate which shall count towards Imperial/Championship/Premiership status. If the replacement judge at the first show has also been previously booked for a subsequent show, the closing date of which is before the date of the first show, and where the actual entry has been made and received before the date of the first show, then at the subsequent show this judge can be regarded as a replacement judge for the purpose of requesting a countersignature. You are advised to inform the Show Manager of all certificates gained in order that duplication may be avoided.

DEFINITION OF CLASSES

BREED CLASS:	Open to all of the specified breed. (Must be GCCF Registered)
CATS:	Not less than 9 calendar months on the day of show.
KITTENS:	Not less than 14 weeks and under 9 calendar months on the day of the show. Since 1 st June 2001, neuter kittens are entered in kitten Open & Miscellaneous classes and compete for BIS Kitten. Neuter kittens of Preliminary Breeds should be included in Kitten Assessment classes where separate classes for Adult, Kitten and Neuter are scheduled.
NEUTER ADULTS:	Neuter adults may only enter Neuter Classes and may not compete with entire cats or kittens except in Club Classes which are scheduled to include Neuters. Where Best In Show is held, the best Neuter shall be considered against the best Entire Adult and Kitten for Best Exhibit in Show.
DEBUTANTE:	Exhibits that have never been shown at a show held under GCCF Rules. (If Debutante Adult and Neuter classes are offered at a show, entry as a Debutante Kitten does not count when the exhibit is shown as an Adult or Neuter and entry as a Debutante Adult or Kitten does not count when the exhibit is neutered and shown)
MAIDEN:	Exhibits that have not won a First, Second or Third Prize in any class at a show held under GCCF Rules.
NOVICE:	Exhibits that have not won a First Prize in any class at a show held under GCCF Rules.
LIMIT:	Exhibits that have not won more than four First Prizes in any class at a show held under GCCF Rules.
ARISTOCRAT:	Exhibits that have won one or more Challenge/Premier Certificates but have not yet achieved Champion/Premier status.
CHAMPION:	Cats of full Champion status only.
PREMIER:	Neuters of full Premier status only.
BREEDERS:	Exhibits bred by exhibitor/s. Cats originally registered in the Breeder's joint ownership but changed to single ownership of one of the Breeders can still be entered in this class. Cats originally registered in the Breeder's single ownership and changed to joint ownership with the Breeder should be entered in the Non-Breeders Class.
NON-BREEDERS:	Exhibits not bred by exhibitor.
ADOLESCENT:	Cats over 9 calendar months of age and under 15 months on the day of the show.
JUNIOR:	Cats over 9 calendar months of age and under 2 years on the day of the show.
SENIOR:	Cats over 2 and under 7 years on the day of the show.
VETERAN:	Cats over 7 years on the day of the Show.
RADIUS:	Cats and Kittens living less than 25 miles from the Show hall.
VISITORS:	Cats and Kittens living more than 25 miles from the Show hall.

The status of the exhibit for entering restricted classes (i.e. Maiden, Limit, etc) shall be the cats' status on the date of entry, except where Section 2, Rule 15e regarding entry into Grand classes applies. The wins as a Kitten do not count when the exhibit is shown as an Adult or Neuter; the wins as an Adult do

not count when the exhibit is neutered and shown. Merit Awards do not count as 'wins' for entering restricted classes.

Abbreviations:

AC – Any colour; AOC – Any other colour; SH – Short hair; LH – Long hair;
SLH – Semi Long Hair, M – Male; F – Female; MN – Male Neuter; FN – Female Neuter;
GCCF – Governing Council of the Cat Fancy.

ENTRY FEES AND AWARDS

**Entry Fees include: Breed/Open & up to 2 other classes , Penning + 1 Exhibitors pass.
Minimum entry 4 classes, Maximum 8 classes**

PEDIGREE:

Members:	£30.00	Catalogue with Entry:	£ 5.00
Non-Members:	£33.00	(1 catalogue covers all 5 shows)	
Extra Classes:	£ 3.00 each		

HOUSEHOLD PETS :

Members	£30.00	Additional Passes:	
Non-Members	£33.00	Adults	£ 2.00
Extra Classes:	£ 3.00 each	Children/Sen.Citizens	£ 1.00
		Advertisements:	
Exhibition Pens:	£15.00	Full Page	£10.00
Double Pen:	£12.00	Half Page	£ 6.00

On no account will entries be accepted without fees. Post dated cheques are not acceptable.
NO refunds will be given after the official closing date.

AWARDS:

Breed/Colour Classes: Rosettes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd placings.

Best of Breed: Special Rosettes.

Best in Class (Household Pet Section): Special Rosettes

Olympian Classes: Rosettes for Winner and Reserve.

Imperial Grand Champion/Imperial Grand Premier: Rosettes for Winner and Reserve.

Grand Champion/Grand Premier: Rosettes for Winner and Reserve.

Imperial Grand Master/Grand Master: Rosettes for Winner.

Assessment Classes: Rosettes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd placings.

Best In Show: Special Rosettes for all winners.

Best in Show Assessment: Special Rosette for the winner.

Miscellaneous & Club Classes: Rosettes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd placings.

Exhibition Pens: Special Rosettes for all exhibition pens .

BEST IN SHOW:

All Olympian, Imperial and Grand Certificate winners, plus Best of Breed winners will be judged for Best in Show Seal or Blue Point Birman.

All Olympian, Imperial and Grand Certificate winners, plus Best of Breed winners will be judged for Best in Show Any Other Colour Birman.

All Best of Breed Assessment Winners will be judged for Best in Show Assessment.

All Non Pedigree Pet and Pedigree Pet Olympian, Imperial Grand Master, Grand Master and Best in Class Winners will be judged for their respective Best in Show.

*The Show hall has access and facilities for the disabled.
There is free parking at the hall.*

NOTES ON ENTERING THE SHOW

You may enter 3 pedigree cats and/or 2 Non Pedigree/Pedigree Pet cats using the entry form provided. If you are entering more, please photocopy the entry form.

For pedigree entries please use your Registration Document to check the spelling of names of the exhibit(s) and the Sire and Dam.

Don't forget to sign and date your entry form and enclose the correct entry fee.

Enclose a stamped addressed postcard so that your entry can be acknowledged.

The form for sponsoring classes can be found at the back of the schedule and if you are joining the Seal and Blue Point Birman Cat Club, the Membership Application form is on page 19.

Don't forget this is a Shared Show. Pedigree cats can also be entered in the Long Haired and Semi Long Haired Cat Club Show. For those in the Household Pet Section you can enter your cat in this show and ONE of the other shows. If your cat is dual entered (this applies to both Pedigrees and Household Pets) and with the exhibit's welfare in mind, **the limit on the number of classes you enter for each show is a maximum of 4.**

OLYMPIAN CLASSES

OLYMPIAN CLASSES - ADULTS

S1	Olympian Class - AV Imperial Grand Champion Adult Male	Mrs A Ivinson
S2	Olympian Class - AV Imperial Grand Champion Adult Female	Mrs A Ivinson

OLYMPIAN CLASSES - NEUTERS

S3	Olympian Class - AV Imperial Grand Premier Neuter Male	Mrs D Butters
S4	Olympian Class - AV Imperial Grand Premier Neuter Female	Mrs D Butters

BREED CLASSES

ADULTS

S5	Imperial Class - AC Birman Gr Ch Adult Male	Mrs L Martin
S6	Imperial Class - AC Birman Gr Ch Adult Female	Mrs L Martin
S7	Grand Class - Seal or Blue Point Birman Champion Adult Male	Mrs S Moore
S8	Grand Class - Seal or Blue Point Birman Champion Adult Female	Mrs S Moore
S9	Grand Class - AOC Birman Champion Adult Male	Mrs V Anderson
S10	Grand Class - AOC Birman Champion Adult Female	Mrs V Anderson
S11	Seal Point Birman Adult Male	Mr J Cohen
S12	Seal Point Birman Adult Female	Mr J Cohen
S13	Blue Point Birman Adult Male	Mrs S Tokens
S14	Blue Point Birman Adult Female	Mrs S Tokens
S15	Chocolate or Lilac Point Birman Adult Male	Mr K Scruton
S16	Chocolate or Lilac Point Birman Adult Female	Mr K Scruton
S17	Red, Cream Birman Adult Male	Mrs D Butters
S18	Red, Cream or Tortie Point Birman Adult Female	Mrs D Butters
S19	Tabby Point Birman Adult Male	Mrs L Grant
S20	Tabby or Tortie-Tabby Point Birman Adult Female	Mrs L Grant
S21	Nebelung Adult Assessment	Mrs D Butters

KITTENS

S26	Seal Point Birman Kitten 14wks-6mth Male	Mrs L Dutton
S27	Seal Point Birman Kitten 14wks-6mth Female	Mrs L Dutton
S28	Blue Point Birman Kitten 14wks-6mth Male	Mrs C de Martino
S29	Blue Point Birman Kitten 14wks-6mth Female	Mrs C de Martino
S30	Chocolate or Lilac Point Birman Kitten 14wks-6mth Male	Mrs L Fryer
S31	Chocolate or Lilac Point Birman Kitten 14wks-6mth Female	Mrs L Fryer
S32	Red, Cream or Tortie Point Birman Kitten 14wks-6mth Male	Mr K Scruton
S33	Red, Cream or Tortie Point Birman Kitten 14wks-6mth Female	Mr K Scruton
S34	Tabby or Tortie-Tabby Point Birman Kitten 14wks-6mth Male	Mrs Luxford-Watts
S35	Tabby or Tortie-Tabby Point Birman Kitten 14wks-6mth Female	Mrs Luxford-Watts
S36	Seal Point Birman Kitten 6-9mth Male	Mrs L Grant
S37	Seal Point Birman Kitten 6-9mth Female	Mrs L Grant
S38	Blue Point Birman Kitten 6-9mth Male	Mr M Pearman
S39	Blue Point Birman Kitten 6-9mth Female	Mr M Pearman
S40	Chocolate or Lilac Point Birman Kitten 6-9mth Male	Mrs A Ivinson
S41	Chocolate or Lilac Point Birman Kitten 6-9mth Female	Mrs A Ivinson
S42	Red, Cream or Tortie Point Birman Kitten 6-9mth Male	Mrs D Butters
S43	Red, Cream or Tortie Point Birman Kitten 6-9mth Female	Mrs D Butters
S44	Tabby or Tortie-Tabby Point Birman Kitten 6-9mth Male	Mrs L Martin
S45	Tabby or Tortie-Tabby Point Birman Kitten 6-9mth Female	Mrs L Martin

S46 Nebelung Kitten Assessment Mrs S Tokens

NEUTERS

S51	Imperial Class - AC Birman Gr Pr Neuter Male	Mrs A Lyall
S52	Imperial Class - AC Birman Gr Pr Neuter Female	Mrs A Lyall
S53	Grand Class - Seal or Blue Point Birman Premier Neuter Male	Mr M Pearman
S54	Grand Class - Seal or Blue Point Birman Premier Neuter Female ..	Mr M Pearman
S55	Grand Class - AOC Birman Premier Neuter Male	Mrs L Grant
S56	Grand Class - AOC Birman Premier Neuter Female	Mrs L Grant
S57	Seal Point Birman Neuter Male	Mrs S Moore
S58	Seal Point Birman Neuter Female	Mrs S Moore
S59	Blue Point Birman Neuter Male	Mrs Luxford-Watts
S60	Blue Point Birman Neuter Female	Mrs Luxford-Watts
S61	Chocolate or Lilac Point Birman Neuter Male	Mrs A Lyall
S62	Chocolate or Lilac Point Birman Neuter Female	Mrs A Lyall
S63	Red, Cream or Tortie Point Birman Neuter Male	Mr J Cohen
S64	Red, Cream or Tortie Point Birman Neuter Female	Mr J Cohen
S65	Tabby or Tortie-Tabby Point Birman Neuter Male	Mrs V Anderson
S66	Tabby or Tortie-Tabby Point Birman Neuter Female	Mrs V Anderson
S67	Nebelung Neuter Assessment	Mrs C de Martino

MISCELLANEOUS CLASSES

ADULTS

S72	AC Aristocrat Adult	Mrs A Ivinson
S73	AV Titled Adult	Mr J Cohen
S74	Seal or Blue Point Birman Breeders Adult Male	Mr K Scruton
S75	Seal Or Blue Point Birman Breeders Adult Female	Mr K Scruton
S76	AOC Point Birman Breeders Adult Male	Mrs A Lyall
S77	AOC Point Birman Breeders Adult Female	Mrs A Lyall
S78	Seal or Blue Point Birman Non Breeders Adult Male	Mr M Pearman
S79	Seal or Blue Point Birman Non Breeders Adult Female	Mr M Pearman
S80	AOC Point Birman Non Breeders Adult Male	Mrs L Martin
S81	AOC Point Birman Non Breeders Adult Female	Mrs L Martin
S84	Nebelung Breeders Adult	Mrs L Dutton
S85	Nebelung Non Breeders Adult	Mrs L Dutton
S86	AV Assessment Adult	Mrs S Tokens
S87	AV Debutante Adult	Mrs S Moore
S88	AV Maiden Adult	Mrs V Anderson
S89	AV Novice Adult	Mrs L Fryer
S90	AV Limit Adult	Mrs A Lyall
S91	AV Junior Adult	Mrs L Grant
S92	AV Senior Adult	Mrs L Grant
S93	AV Veteran Adult	Mrs L Grant
S94	AV Radius Adult	Mrs C de Martino
S95	AV Visitors Adult	Mrs C de Martino

KITTENS

S96	AC Birman Kitten Male 14 Weeks - 6 Months	Mrs S Moore
S97	AC Birman Kitten Female 14 Weeks - 6 Months	Mrs S Moore
S98	AC Birman Kitten Male Over 6 Months	Mrs A Lyall
S99	AC Birman Kitten Female Over 6 Months	Mrs A Lyall
S100	Seal or Blue Point Breeders Kitten Male	Mrs S Tokens

S101	Seal or Blue Point Breeders Kitten Female	Mrs S Tokens
S102	AOC Point Birman Breeders Kitten Male	Mrs L Grant
S103	AOC Point Birman Breeders Kitten Female	Mrs L Grant
S104	Seal or Blue Point Non Breeders Kitten Male	Mr K Scruton
S105	Seal or Blue Point Non Breeders Kitten Female	Mr K Scruton
S106	AOC Point Birman Non Breeders Kitten Male	Mrs V Anderson
S107	AOC Point Birman Non Breeders Kitten Female	Mrs V Anderson
S110	Nebelung Breeders Kitten	Mrs D Butters
S111	Nebelung Non Breeders Kitten	Mrs D Butters
S112	AV Assessment Kitten	Mrs L Dutton
S113	AV Debutante Kitten	Mrs L Fryer
S114	AV Maiden Kitten	Mrs A Ivinson
S115	AV Novice Kitten	Mrs L Martin
S116	AV Limit Kitten	Mrs L Fryer
S117	AV Radius Kitten	Mr J Cohen
S118	AV Visitors Kitten	Mr J Cohen

NEUTERS

S119	AC Aristocrat Neuter	Mrs S Tokens
S120	AV Titled Neuter	Mrs S Tokens
S121	Seal or Blue Point Breeders Neuter Male	Mrs A Lyall
S122	Seal or Blue Point Breeders Neuter Female	Mrs A Lyall
S123	AOC Point Birman Breeders Neuter Male	Mrs C de Martino
S124	AOC Point Birman Breeders Neuter Female	Mrs C de Martino
S125	Seal or Blue Point Non Breeders Neuter Male	Mr J Cohen
S126	Seal or Blue Point Non Breeders Neuter Female	Mr J Cohen
S127	AOC Point Birman Non Breeders Neuter Male	Mr K Scruton
S128	AOC Point Birman Non Breeders Neuter Female	Mr K Scruton
S131	Nebelung Breeders Neuter	Mr K Scruton
S132	Nebelung Non Breeders Neuter	Mr K Scruton
S133	AV Assessment Neuter	Mrs A Lyall
S134	AV Debutante Neuter	Mrs L Martin
S135	AV Maiden Neuter	Mrs A Ivinson
S136	AV Novice Neuter	Mrs S Tokens
S137	AV Limit Neuter	Mrs L Martin
S138	AV Junior Neuter	Mr M Pearman
S139	AV Senior Neuter	Mr M Pearman
S140	AV Veteran Neuter	Mr M Pearman
S141	AV Radius Neuter	Mrs D Butters
S142	AV Visitors Neuter	Mrs D Butters

BIRMAN FUN CLASSES

S143	AC Adult, Kitten or Neuter with the Bluest Eyes	Mrs L Fryer
S144	AC Adult, Kitten or Neuter with the Best Gauntlets	Mrs L Dutton
S145	AC Most Handsome Male Adult, Kitten or Neuter	Mrs L Martin
S146	AC Prettiest Female Adult, Kitten or Neuter	Mrs V Anderson
S147	AC Adult, Kitten or Neuter the Judge Would Like to Take Home	Mrs C de Martino

JANE TACKLEY MEMORIAL CLASS

S148 AC Adult, Kitten or Neuter Birman Mrs L Grant

CLUB CLASSES

SEAL & BLUE POINT BIRMAN CAT CLUB - ADULTS

S149 Seal Point Male Mrs L Grant
S150 Seal Point Female Mrs L Grant
S151 Blue Point Male Mrs A Lyall
S152 Blue Point Female Mrs A Lyall
S153 AOC Point Male Mrs V Anderson
S154 AOC Point Female Mrs V Anderson

SEAL & BLUE POINT BIRMAN CAT CLUB - KITTENS

S155 Seal Point Male Mrs A Ivinson
S156 Seal Point Female Mrs A Ivinson
S157 Blue Point Male Mrs V Anderson
S158 Blue Point Female Mrs V Anderson
S159 AOC Point Male Mr J Cohen
S160 AOC Point Female Mr J Cohen

SEAL & BLUE POINT BIRMAN CAT CLUB - NEUTERS

S161 Seal Point Male Mr K Scruton
S162 Seal Point Female Mr K Scruton
S163 Blue Point Male Mrs L Martin
S164 Blue Point Female Mrs L Martin
S165 AOC Point Male Mrs C de Martino
S166 AOC Point Female Mrs C de Martino

SOUTHERN & SOUTH WESTERN BIRMAN CAT CLUB

S167 AC Adult Mrs D Butters
S168 AC Kitten Mrs V Anderson
S169 AC Neuter Mrs S Tokens

NORTHERN BIRMAN CAT CLUB

S170 AC Adult Mrs S Moore
S171 AC Kitten Mrs A Lyall
S172 AC Neuter Mrs L Grant

BIRMAN CAT CLUB

S173 AC Adult Mr M Pearman
S174 AC Kitten Mr M Pearman
S175 AC Neuter Mr M Pearman

NATIONAL CAT CLUB

S176 Seal or Blue Point Birman Adult Mrs A Ivinson
S177 Seal or Blue Point Birman Kitten Mrs A Ivinson
S178 Seal or Blue Point Birman Neuter Mrs A Ivinson
S179 AOC Point Birman Adult Mrs D Butters
S180 AOC Point Birman Kitten Mrs D Butters
S181 AOC Point Birman Neuter Mrs D Butters

THE LONG HAIRD & SEMI LONGHAIRD CAT CLUB

S182	AC Adult	.....	Mr K Scruton
S183	AC Kitten	.....	Mr K Scruton
S184	AC Neuter	.....	Mr K Scruton

SEMI LONGHAIR CAT ASSOCIATION

S185	AC Adult	.....	Mrs S Moore
S186	AC Kitten	.....	Mrs S Moore
S187	AC Neuter	.....	Mrs S Moore

The Household Pet Section

Welcome to all Non Pedigree and Pedigree Pet exhibits. We are running a Shared Show and you may enter this show plus either the Long Haired and Semi Long Haired Cat Club Show, the Maine Coon Breed Society Show, Norsk Skogkatt or the Turkish Van Cat Club Show. This will enable Household Pet exhibitors to enter two shows and give you the chance to gain two certificates on the same day. If your cat is dual entered and with the exhibit's welfare in mind, please limit the number of classes entered for each show to a maximum of 4.

If you are entering both shows please make sure you have ticked the appropriate box on the entry form.

The requirements for showing BOTH Non Pedigree Pets and Pedigree Pets in the Household Pet Section are as follows:-

- *All are judged by the same criteria for the quality of their Presentation, Condition, Temperament and Personality.
- *No prefixes or titles can be used; cats are to be entered either by their pet name, or if registered, the rest of the registered name without the prefix.
- *No reference to be made to breed numbers or descriptions.
- *All Household Pets 6 months and over must be neutered.

Titles: When your cat has won three Master Cat certificates under three different judges, the title Master Cat (MC) is awarded. You may then enter the Grand Master classes. The title Grand Master Cat (GMC) is attained when your cat wins three Grand Master Cat certificates under three different judges. You may then enter the Imperial Grand Master Classes. The title Imperial Grand Master Cat (IGM) is attained when your cat wins five Imperial Grand Master Cat Certificates under five different judges. These titles can be won by entering participating Championship and Sanction Shows licensed by the GCCF.

Claiming your Title: If your cat has won a Master Cat, Grand Master Cat, Imperial Grand Master Cat, UK Grand Master or UK Imperial Grand Master title at a GCCF show, please make your claim to Mrs Lesley Szwed, 35 Poton Close, Barn End, Coventry, CV3 3EA. Please include the cat's name, colour, sex and age, together with the names and dates of the qualifying shows, the awarding judges' names and photocopies of the relevant certificates. All claims are acknowledged and, periodically, a list of Master Cats etc will be published on the website, shortly after which medals will be sent to the owners.

HOUSEHOLD PETS - OLYMPIAN CLASSES

S188	Olympian Class - AV HP Imperial Grand Master Cat Male	Mr J Cohen
S189	Olympian Class - AV HP Imperial Grand Master Cat Female	Mr J Cohen

OPEN CLASSES

All classes are with or without white

NON-PEDIGREES

S190	Imperial Class - AC Non-Pedigree Grand Master Cat	Mrs P Norman
S191	Grand Class - AC Non-Pedigree Master Cat	Mrs V Lee
S192	LH/SLH Self (Single Colour) Cat	Mrs P Norman
S193	LH/SLH AC Tabby Cat (Ex Ginger or Tortie) of any Pattern	Mrs P Norman
S194	LH/SLH Ginger of any Pattern or AC Tortie/Tortie Tabby Cat	Mrs P Norman
S195	Any LH/SLH Kitten	Mrs P Norman
S196	SH Self (Single Colour) Cat	Mrs V Lee
S197	SH AC Tabby Cat (Ex Ginger or Tortie) of any Pattern	Mrs V Lee
S198	SH Ginger of any Pattern or AC Tortie/Tortie Tabby Cat	Mrs V Lee
S199	Any SH Kitten	Mrs V Lee

PEDIGREE PETS

S200	Imperial Class - AC Pedigree Pet Grand Master Cat	Mrs V Lee
S201	Grand Class - AC Pedigree Pet Master Cat	Mrs P Norman
S202	LH/SLH Self (Single Colour) Cat	Mrs V Lee
S203	LH/SLH AC Tabby Cat (Ex Red or Tortie) of any Pattern	Mrs V Lee
S204	LH/SLH Red Cat of any Pattern or AC Tortie/Tortie Tabby Cat	Mrs V Lee
S205	LH/SLH AOC or Pattern Cat (Ticked, Tipped, Smoke, Pointed Etc)	Mrs V Lee
S206	LH/SLH AC Kitten (Excluding Birman)	Mrs V Lee
S207	LH/SLH AC Birman Kitten	Mrs V Lee
S208	SH Self (Single Colour) Cat	Mrs P Norman
S209	SH AC Tabby Cat (Ex Red or Tortie) of any Pattern	Mrs P Norman
S210	SH Red Cat of any Pattern or AC Tortie/Tortie Tabby Cat	Mrs P Norman
S211	SH AOC or Pattern Cat (Ticked, Tipped, Smoke, Pointed Etc)	Mrs P Norman
S212	SH AC Kitten	Mrs P Norman

MISCELLANEOUS CLASSES

S213	Cat or Kitten Never Shown Before	Mrs P Norman
S214	AC Cat with a Title	Mrs L Fryer
S215	AC Junior Cat	Mrs V Lee
S216	AC Senior Cat	Mrs V Lee
S217	Veteran Cat Over 7 Years Old	Mrs V Lee
S218	Best Groomed LH or SLH Cat or Kitten	Mrs P Norman
S219	Best Groomed SH Cat or Kitten	Mrs P Norman
S220	Prettiest Female Cat or Kitten	Mrs L Dutton
S221	Most Handsome Male Cat or Kitten	Mrs C de Martino
S222	Cat or Kitten with the Most Unusual Coat Pattern	Mr J Cohen
S223	Cat or Kitten with the Best Set of Whiskers	Mrs V Lee
S224	Friendliest Cat or Kitten	Mrs C de Martino

S225	Cat or Kitten Shown by a Junior Exhibitor (Under 16)	Mrs P Norman
S226	Cat or Kitten Shown by a Senior Citizen	Mrs P Norman
S227	Cat or Kitten Living Within 25 Miles of the Show Hall	Mrs V Lee
S228	Cat or Kitten Living More Than 25 Miles From the Show Hall	Mrs V Lee
S229	Rescue or Former Stray Cat or Kitten	Mrs L Martin
S230	Cat or Kitten the Judge Would Most Like to Take Home	Mrs P Norman
S231	Cat or Kitten with a Companion in the Pedigree Section	Mrs V Lee
S232	AC Non-Pedigree Cat or Kitten	Mrs P Norman
S233	AC Pedigree Pet Cat or Kitten	Mrs V Lee

CLUB CLASSES

SEAL & BLUE POINT BIRMAN CAT CLUB

S234	AC Adult	Mrs V Lee
S235	AC Kitten	Mrs V Lee

NATIONAL CAT CLUB

S236	AC Adult	Mrs P Norman
S237	AC Kitten	Mrs P Norman



The Seal & Blue Point Birman Cat Club

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APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP 2015

I wish to become a member of The Seal & Blue Point Birman Cat Club.

Title..... Initials..... Surname

Address

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..... Post Code

Telephone Number (Code) (Number)

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I / We enclose the first Annual subscription of:-

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Signature of proposer (must be a member of the club)

Name (Block Capitals)

Please return this form, and send your future subscriptions, due 1st JANUARY each year, no matter what time of the year you join direct to:

Mr Nick Ensor
20 Sorrel Close
Wootton
Northampton NN4 6EY
kittahbirmans@btinternet.com

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Membership is subject to approval by the committee and may be refused without reason. Applicants agree to abide by any membership conditions that may be made by the committee.

I / We agree to abide by the rules of the Club and promise to abide by any recommendations that may be made from time to time by the Governing Council of the Cat Fancy.

Signed Date

N.B. This information given may be entered on a computer file for the sole use of the club.

Please feel free to copy this form for multiple applications.

The Seal & Blue Point Birman Cat Club

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