Ottawa Valley Cat Club's

37th and 38th Annual Cat Show September 23rd & 24th, 2023 **Cats In Space!**

Special!

Show

Closing \$175 for 3 cats/2 days Date and 4 cage September 15 spots! 2023 at 11:59pm

Nepean Sportsplex 1701 Woodroffe Ave, Ottawa, ON

Special Awards! Best Decorated Cage! Theme: Cats In Space! Spectator's Choice Award! Sponsor's Choice Award! Special Exhibitor's 1 ballot per entry

Advertising in Spectator Guide Please contact Lynn Jette at 613-834-6366

> COVID-19 Information: Exhibitors and spectators are required to follow the current COVID policies laid out by the Ontario Government

No Refunds issued after closing date. Failure of payment for entries disgualifies the exhibitor and all his/her cats from future sanctioned shows until all debts are paid to the Club(s) involved. All calls regarding entries will be made COLLECT. E-mail Entries (sent as an attachment) are accepted and are considered official when received by Entry Clerk.

E-transfer payments can be made to payment@ottawavalleycatclub.c om Deadline for E-transfers is September 20th, 2023 at 11:59pm.

Entry Fees

First Entry	<u>1 day</u> \$60	<u>2 day</u> \$80
(includes electronic catalogue)		
Second Entry	\$50	\$70
(same owner)		
3rd and Additional Entries	\$40	\$50
(same owner)		

Additional Fees

Double Cage (1 or 2 days)	\$30
Sales Cage (1 or 2 days)	\$30
Grooming Space (1 or 2 days)	\$30
Substitution Fee (before closing date)	\$20
End of Row Benching	\$20
Marked Catalogue (electronic copy)	\$20
Finals only (electronic copy)	\$10
Printed Catalogue (otherwise emailed)	\$10

Exhibitors entering 3, 5, or 7 cats/day get an adjoining 1/2 cage space FREE (limit of 1 FREE cage space per exhibitor) personal single cage no larger than 24"x24", double cage

- 24"x48", no exceptions a double cage means the other half of your entry's cage.
- Exhibitors bringing their own security cage MUST purchase double cage space
- A sales cage is priced per SINGLE cage. A limit of 1 cat or 2 kittens per single cage; or a limit of 3 cats or 5 kittens per double cage
- KITTENS/CATS SOLD FROM THE SHOW MUST LEAVE THE SHOW HALL IN A CARRIER AND BE ESCORTED BY T HE BREEDER/AGENT

Entry Clerk: Karen Miksza

Phone: 905-730-2250 (Regarding Entries Only) No calls after 10 pm E-mail: entryclerk@ottawavalleycatclub.com General Inquiries: info@ottawavalleycatclub.com

Show Managers: Markus McIntyre & Kim Monkhouse markusmcintyre2@gmail.com kim.monkhouse@gmail.com

Saturday Judges September 23rd

Andrey Kopylenko [CCA] AB + Kitten & HHP Bonus Havley Boam [CCA] AB + Champion & Kitten Bonus Roger Boisselle [CCA] AB + Premier & Champion Bonus Iris Zinck [CFA] AB + HHP & Premier Bonus

Sunday Judges September 24th

Heather MacDougall [ACFA] AB + Kitten & HHP Bonus Vicky Merrill [CFF] AB + Champion & Kitten Bonus Lorraine Rivard [CFA] AB + Premier & Champion Bonus Eleanor MacDonald [CCA] AB + HHP & Premier Bonus

> OVCC reserves the right to substitute judges, rings, or bonus class

Show hours: 9am-4:30pm **Exhibitor check in:** 7:30-8:30am. Late exhibitors must inform Ring Clerks and **Master Clerks**

Cage-less Show

No extra fee for exhibitors who require cages, but must inform Entry Clerk that a cage is required at the time of entry

NO DECLAWED ENTRIES ALLOWED

RULES AND REGULATIONS

This show shall be sanctioned by the Canadian Cat Association and all its rules and regulations shall be maintained. A copy of the Show Rules and Classifications are available FREE on the Canadian Cat Association website: www.cca-afc.com. A paper copy is available for \$22. Please call 905-232-3481 or email office@cca-afc.com or mail your request for a paper copy to Canadian Cat Association, Unit 118, 1 Centre Street, Toronto, ON M1J 3B4.

No liability shall attain to the club conducting or sponsoring a show in the event of loss or damage to a cat or container. This applies to the Show Committee or to any individual member of the club.

Exhibitors are responsible for a correct description of their entries and must abide by their own errors. Cats wrongfully entered in the wrong classification (i.e. Kitten, Open, Champion, Grand Champion, Premier, Grand Premier, Companion, Grand Companion) cannot receive prizes in the wrong class.

No cat may be withdrawn or entry fees withheld after the closing date of the show.

Failure of payment for entries disqualifies the exhibitor and all their cats from future sanctioned shows until all debts are paid to the Club(s) involved.

Exhibitors are permitted to withdraw their cats under any judge(s) officiating at the Show PROVIDED it is stated at the TIME OF ENTRY.

LISTED ENTRIES: Please refer to Article 6: ENTRY PROCEDURES, of the CCA-AFC Show Rules for complete explanation. ADULT cats entered in Championship or Premiership classes must be registered with CCA or with a Listed Open Number (LON) or Registration Pending Number (RPN). A LON is \$11 and must be obtained from the CCA office and it is valid for one weekend only. A RPN is \$22 and must be obtained from the CCA office and is valid for 30 days from the first day of its first show. (LON entries cannot transfer to Champion or Premier until registered with CCA. Points won will be banked and applied to entry once it is registered. RPN entries can transfer to next title class during the 30 day limit, but must be registered with CCA to receive certificate confirmation.) The show entry form and entry fee must be sent to the Entry Clerk, who will hold it until notified by the CCA with the LON or RPN number, at which time the entry will be processed provided that entries have not closed.

KITTENS: Unregistered kittens which are registerable in CCA (i.e., a recognized breed with allowed ancestry) can be shown without purchasing a listing number. Such kittens will be entered in the show catalogue and compete normally, but will not be scored for regional or national points. Only CCA litter registered, CCA individually registered, or kittens with a (RPN) Registration Pending Number (\$22 fee) will be scored. Kittens entered with a CCA litter number or RPN must be registered with CCA by the end of the show season (April 30) to qualify for Regional or National Awards.

HOUSEHOLD PETS: Must be 4 months of age or older. Cats 6 months or older must be neutered or spayed but NOT DECLAWED. (Declawed cats may not enter any class in the show.) Household pets recorded with CCA are eligible for titles and Regional/National scoring.

KITTENS FOR SALE: Exhibitor must have at least one entry in show to obtain a "Sales Cage." Kittens for sale must be 3 calendar months of age or older and must provide proof of vaccinations to be in the show hall. Owners MUST have CCA litter registration on hand to verify age of kittens for sale; failure to provide the CCA litter registration will result in the breeder/agent and all their entries to leave the Show Hall. No refunds will be issued. No kittens or cats may be sold at the show WITHOUT a "Sales Cage." KITTENS SOLD FROM THE SHOW MUST LEAVE THE SHOW HALL IN A CARRIER AND BE ESCORTED BY THE BREEDER/AGENT.

NON-VETTED SHOW: Entries are expected to have current vaccinations and to be free from fleas, ear mites, fungus, and disease (see Article 7, Sections 1 & 2). All claws must be clipped prior to benching. US exhibitors are reminded that proof of rabies inoculation is required in order to enter Canada. Any cat that is found to be ill will be removed from the show hall along with any entries they may have traveled with.

LITTER: The Club will provide litter. Please bring cat food, dishes, can opener and a litter pan for your cat.

EXHIBITOR CHECK-IN: All entries must check in with the Entry Clerk between 7:30 a.m. – 8:30 p.m. Judging will begin at 9:00 a.m. **SHARP**. Show hours are from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Saturday and 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. on Sunday. Early departures **MUST** have permission to leave from the Show Manager in order not to forfeit any wins. Show hall directions and hotel accommodations will be sent out with confirmation of entries.

SCORING: All eligible kittens, championship, premiership and household pet entries will be scored for All Canadian and Regional Awards. In order to receive an award the entry must be registered with the CCA by the end of the show season.

NOVICE EXHIBITORS: For your protection, all cats should be brought to the show hall in a carrier. Be sure to bath and groom your cat a day or two prior to the show so that you are able to present it in the best possible condition. Be sure to bring grooming aids, litter pan, food, dishes, and cage curtains. Single cage size is approximately 22" x 22" x 22". Curtains can consist of decorated boards, bath towels, or other material (should not be transparent); plus a mat, towel or other soft material for the cage floor. If you are a novice exhibitor, please indicate this on your entry form, so the club can provide you with extra assistance.

CLERKS & STEWARDS: Please contact Jocelyne Trottier by email at <u>itrottier2002@gmail.com</u>

SHOW HOTEL: Days Inn Ottawa West, 350 Moodie Drive, Ottawa, ON K2H 8G3 - <u>\$125 per night (includes Pet</u> <u>Fee) + Tax.</u> Block of Rooms have been Reserved until <u>September 1st, 2023.</u> Tel: 613-726-1717 - Please quote 'Ottawa Valley Cat Club' when making reservations. This hotel is pet friendly. The occupant – NOT the Club – is responsible for any damage to their hotel room. Please note this hotel does not include continental breakfast, however there is a restaurant on site.

ITEMS FOR SALE: Exhibitors may NOT sell items from their cage or benching area. If you have a product you wish to sell at the show, please contact Lynn Jette @ lynn@blueskyphotography.ca and quote OVCC in subject line.