



Christmas in the Ozarks

Show Me Cat Fanciers

CFA Championship & Household Pet Cat Show



Saturday, December 9, 2023

One Day : 6 Rings (4 AB, 1 SSP, 1 SP, 6 HHP)
9 am-4 pm

Newton County Fairgrounds

700 Field Avenue, Neosho, MO 64850

Directions: <https://goo.gl/maps/YQwJ2h4QDPEBnVn7A>

Judges

Larry Adkison	AB/HHP	Kathy Black	AB/HHP	Jan Rogers	AB/OCP*/HHP
Brian Pearson	SSP/HHP	Kathy Calhoun	AB/HHP	Pam DeGolyer	LH/SH/HHP

*OCP will take place if there are 30 entries in Championship and/or 15 entries in Premiership.

Entry Closing Date: Entries accepted 10/1/23 and must be received by midnight CDT on Monday, December 4, 2023 or when 180 limit is reached.

Entry Fees: \$65 - 1st entry (includes catalog), \$55 - 2nd entry (same owner), \$45 - 3rd and subsequent entries (same owner). Free 1/2 cage with 3rd, 5th, or 7th entry.

Optional Fees: \$20 extra half benching space, \$30 grooming space, \$15 end of row (free for handicapped), \$50 returned check or late payment fee (not paid by April 8, 2023).

Payments: Make checks payable to Show Me Cat Fanciers or send payments through Square invoice that will be provided with confirmation. **No payments accepted at check-in:** all entry fees must be received in full before show. Per CFA rules, your check must accompany entries or payment must be made within 10 days of online entry or start of the show, whichever comes first. No post-dated checks or phone entries.

Show Me Cat Fanciers Cat Club will follow all applicable COVID-19 and related health and safety mandates restrictions and guidelines in the production of this show. CFA Best Practices for clubs and participants will also be followed.

Entry Clerk: Cathy Dunham, 1232 S. Main St., Jacksonville IL 62650
217-883-7661 – No calls after 10:00 pm CDT. mwrenryclerk@gmail.com
Enter at: <https://entries.cfa.org/onlineEntry.php>

Show Hours: Check-in 7:30-8:30 am Saturday. Judging starts promptly at 9:00 am.

Show Manager: Janet Moyer - ShowMeCatFanciers@gmail.com

*~ NOTE: Cageless Show ~
See "Cages," page 2, for details.*

*Cat Costume Contest at lunchtime! Bring your cats' finest to win a prize.
Spectators will be welcomed.*

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All entries must be registered with CFA (or have a TRN number), except kittens and household pets. Kittens must be registered for CFA National and Regional scoring—registration numbers must be printed in the catalog or provided to the Master Clerk. All Championship, Premiership, and registered Kittens will be CFA scored. No kitten under 4 months of age will be allowed in the show hall; exhibitors must have litter registration available to verify kitten's age. Only 2 cats or 4 kittens allowed per double cage.

Show hall is air conditioned, heated, and is handicapped accessible. Handicapped benching requests will be accommodated at no additional charge to the exhibitor. Free parking available. We will have a food truck for lunch service. Entries accepted February 1, 2023.

All cats must be free from fleas, ear mites, or any infectious or contagious diseases. You are strongly advised to have your cat inoculated by a licensed veterinarian against panleukopenia, feline rhinotracheitis, caliciviruses and rabies, and tested for feline leukemia before entry. Front and rear claws must be clipped prior to benching. No declawed cats may be entered. This show is conducted under the current CFA rules. Rules are available for \$7 (plus postage) from CFA Central Office, 260 East Main Street, Alliance, OH 44601. Rules can also be downloaded for free from the CFA website at <https://cfa.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/03/22-23show-rules.pdf>

SUPPLIES: Litter will be furnished. Please bring your own litter pan; also your own cat food, water and food dishes.

CAGES: Cageless Show – Exhibitors are responsible for providing their own benching enclosures. If you don't have one, you may purchase one at the show for \$25 (limited availability). Please let the entry clerk know when you enter that you will be needing a benching enclosure.

Approximate cage space is 22" x 22" (single cage space included with entry). Second entry by same owner will be benched in the other half of a security cage, or the other half benching space may be purchased for an extra \$20. Single entries with any size security cage require the purchase of an extra half cage space. Single security cage spaces are NOT available. Wire cages are NOT available. Single entries will require the purchase of an extra half benching space to accommodate the enclosures.

Bring your cat to the show hall in a carrier or other sturdy container. Reasonable care will be taken of all cats and personal property. However, the show management is not responsible for anything lost or damaged.

AIRPORTS: JLN - Joplin, MO. XNA - Fayetteville, AR. SGF - Springfield, MO.

HOTELS: Neosho hotels that are pet friendly include: The Booneslick Lodge (417-455-0888), Super 8 (417-455-1888), and Best Western Big Spring Lodge (417-455-2300/800-568-8520). Joplin hotels include LaQuinta (417-781-0500), Drury Hotel (417-781-8000), home2suites (417-680-0076). Many more hotels can be found in the Joplin area, about 15 miles away. **It is the exhibitor's responsibility to contact the hotel about pet limits and pet fees.**

Smoking is prohibited in the show hall.