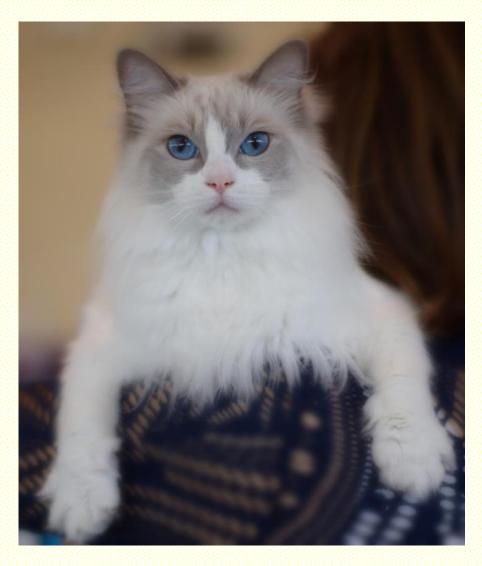


Cat Call



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2015 Governing Council Members

President	Carole Galli
Vice President	Linda Horton
Secretary	Sue Game
Treasurer	Michelle Harris
Councillors	Rod Pattinson, Janis Thompson, Lucy Nikiforos

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attended, you can leave a phone message or send an email and someone will get back to you. If the matter is urgent, please contact the appropriate Council member directly.

FCCWA Registrar	Carole Galli
Titles	TBC

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Judge Training	Betty Payne (08) 9525 0071
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Steward Training	Pamela Lanigan
Cat Act 2011	Linda Horton
Fundraising and grants	Janis Thompson
Show Cages	Carole Galli
Cat of the Year points	Linda Horton
Cat Call and website	Linda Horton
2015 ACF National	Carole Galli
Storage and movement of cages	Rod Pattinson



FELINE CONTROL COUNCIL OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA (INC) 2014 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

HELD AT 7.30PM ON MONDAY 8 DECEMBER 2014 IN THE FCCWA OFFICE, UNIT 3 / 8 ROYAL STREET, KENWICK

WELCOME BY THE CHAIRMAN / PRESIDENT - CAROLE GALLI

1. ATTENDANCE

- 1.1 Present: Carole Galli (Chair), Sue Game (Minutes), Greg Connolly, Karen Brooksby, Julie Pickens, Linda Horton, Lee-anne Pitman Pryde, Janis Thompson, Judy Kluczniak, Michelle Rigg, Betty Payne, Delaine Hall, Rod Pattinson, Catherine Gunson, Lucy nikiforos, Pamela Lanigan, Michelle Harris.
- 1.2 Apologies: Jane Horstman, Jeanne Wheeler, Kirsty Connell, Barbara Johnson, Di Nixon
- 1.3 Observers: Nil

2. CONFIRMATION OF THE MINUTES.

MOVED: Julie Pickens, Delaine Hall that the Minutes of the last AGM held Monday 2 December 2013 be confirmed as a true and correct record. CARRIED

3. BUSINESS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES - Nil

4. **REPORTS**

4.1 President - Carole Galli.

The President's report was read to the meeting and will be published in *Cat Call*. MOVED Greg Connolly, Seconded Karen Brooksby that the President's Report be received. CARRIED

4.2 Secretary - Susan Game

The Secretary's report was read to the meeting and will be published in *Cat Call*. MOVED Betty Payne, Seconded Lee-anne Pitman Pryde that the Secretary's Report be received. CARRIED

4.3 Treasurer – Pamela Lanigan

The Treasurer's report was read to the meeting and will be published in *Cat Call*. The report included Financial Statements for the year ended 31 October 2014 and 31 October 2013. It was NOTED that due to the AGM being called in December there has not been sufficient time to allow for the accounts to be closed for 2014 and audited prior to the meeting. It was AGREED that the Audit Report will be submitted to Governing Council and published in *Cat Call* as soon as available. MOVED Janis Thompson, Seconded Judy Kluczniak that the Treasurer's Report be received. CARRIED

5. APPOINTMENTS / ELECTIONS

5.1 Governing Council 2013

It was NOTED that eight people will form the Council in 2014.

- Four Nominations have been received for the four positions required on the Governing Council: Sue Game, Lucy Nikiforos, Rod Pattinson, Janis Thompson

- It was PROPOSED that all nominees be appointed for a three year term and those nominees were duly appointed.

- Continuing on Council will be: Carole Galli, Linda Horton, Pamela Lanigan, Lee-anne Pitman Pryde

- THANKS were extended to outgoing Councillors: Delaine Hall and Diane Nixon

5.2 Auditor for 2015

It was RESOLVED that Susan Whittle be appointed FCCWA Auditor for 2015.

6. MOTIONS ON NOTICE (both circulated to all members prior to the meeting with rationale)

6.2 Revision of the FCCWA Constitution

MOVED Linda Horton, Seconded Pamela Lanigan that all the proposed amendments to the Constitution be adopted in their entirety. CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

These amendments are as follows:

- 1. That Clause 2 (Definitions) be amended to add a definition for Active Membership.
- 2. That Clause 2 (Definitions) be further amended to add the words "of a recognised body" to the registered cat definition and The Act definition expanded in line with changes that had been made with one of the previous versions of constitution
- 3. That the committee of management is presided over by a President and Vice President.
- 4. That the wording of Base Objects listed at points b, c, d, f are all re-worded for clarity
- 5. That the Objects, Purposes and Powers of the FCC of WA (Inc) be replaced with the equivalent model rules clause in entirety.
- 6. That clause 7.1 be removed
- 7. That clauses 7.2 7.9 be renumbered to accommodate the removal of clause 7.1
- 8. That amended wording for Clause 7.3 (to be changed to 7.2 if motion 3.7 passed) be adopted.
- 9. That amended wording for Clause 7.5 (to be changed to 7.4 if motion 3.7 passed) be adopted
- 10. That amended wording for Clause 7.6 (to be changed to 7.5 if motion 3.7 passed) be adopted
- 11. That the wording for clause 7.8 (to be changed to 7.7 if motion 3.7 passed) be adopted
- 12. That the wording for clause 7.10 (to be changed to 7.9 if motion 3.7 passed) be adopted
- 13. That the word "ordinary" be removed from this clause in reference to a membership type.
- 14. That a family clause be included at 8.3
- 15. That all subsequent number in clause 8 be renumbered to accommodate the inclusion of a new clause 8.3.
- 16. That wording of Clause 8.5 (to be changed to 8.6 if motion 3.15 passed) to refer to provision of a valid Pensioner Concession Card
- 17. That throughout the whole constitution, the term by-laws is changed to "Rules"
- 18. That Clause 9.1 be modified to include the requirement to provide a residential address.
- 19. That Clause 11.2 be amended to remove references to Cat Call and simply say "published"
- 20. That Clause 4 be amended so that a member ceases to be a member after 3 months, not 12 months of non-payment of subscription.
- 21. That Clause 1 be amended for clarity and the inclusion of a requirement for active membership and exemption for members with more than 8 years standing.
- 22. That Clause 13.3 be amended to allow for nomination for casual membership for Governing Council after 3 months of membership of FCCWA.
- 23. That Clause 13.5 be reworded to refer to a breeding prefix rather than a cattery.
- 24. That Clause 13.7 be removed.
- 25. That Clauses following 13.7 be renumbered to accommodate removal of clause 13.7.
- 26. That Clause 13.10 (to be changed to 13.9 if motion 3.25 passed) right to receive Cat Call amended to the right to receive FCCWA publications.
- 27. That clause 13.11 be removed.
- 28. That clauses following clause 13.11 be renumbered to accommodate the removal of Clause 13.11
- 29. That clause 3b to be amended to remove the requirement for 20 members.
- 30. That clause 14.6 be removed.
- 31. That new Clause 14.10 and 14.11 be added regarding financial status of affiliates.
- 32. That clauses 15.1 a, b and c be removed
- 33. That clauses 15.4 and 15.5 be reworded for clarity.
- 34. That clauses 15.6 15.8 be reworded into two clauses
- 35. That Clauses 15.9 and 15.10 be renumbered.
- 36. That clauses 17.1 a and b be reworded to incorporate titles of President and Vice President.
- 37. That Clause 17.1 e be changed to 4 as per changed made at 2012 AGM.
- 38. That Clause 17.3b be amended to allow nominations to be presented to the secretary 28 days before the AGM.
- 39. That Clause 17.6b be amended to read that Casual members hold office until the next election
- 40. That Clause 7 be added.
- 41. That Clause 8 be renumbered and titles amended to reflect President and Vice President.
- 42. That Clause 17.9 be added to state that you cannot have multiple executives in one household.
- 43. Motion 3.43 That Clause 20.c be amended so that the treasurer does not need to be a signatory to the FCCWA accounts.
- 44. That Clause 21.2 be amended that Governing Council may choose not to fill a vacancy, but if they do choose to fill, they must publish the vacancy.

- 45. That Clause be added stating that casual membership of Governing Council is open to people who have had 3 months of membership.
- 46. That Clause 22.5 amended in line with changes in 2012 reducing the quorum to 5
- 47. That Clause 22.9 be deleted.
- 48. That Clause 22.11 be modified to state that members must be notified, but remove the requirement for the notification to be posted.
- 49. That Clause 23.1 be amended to state that members must be notified, but remove the reference to Cat Call to allow for flexibility of notification.
- 50. That clause 23.2 be amended to remove the word "ordinary"
- 51. That Clause 23.7 be amended.
- 52. That Clause 23.11 be amended to allow Governing Council to determine terms where more than half the council positions are being filled.
- 53. That Clause 24.1 amended to say AGM should be within 4 months from 31st October.
- 54. That Clause 24.2 be amended to remove reference to Cat Call.
- 55. That Clause 24.4 be amended to state that Agenda items to be finalised not less than 21 days before meeting in line with Model rules.
- 56. That Clause 24.5 be amended for clarity.
- 57. That Clause 24.6 be added regarding ballot papers being issued to all members to are eligible to vote in accordance with Clause 13.1
- 58. That Clause 24.11 be amended to insert the words "at the meeting".
- 59. That Clause 24.15 be added regarding non-acceptance of proxy votes.
- 60. That Clause 25.1 be amended to allow a special meeting to be called by 4 members of Governing Council of 30 members.
- 61. That the word "posted" be replaced by the word "published"
- 62. That Clauses 26 and 27 be deleted from the Constitution and dealt with via policy and guidelines.
- 63. That Clauses 28 32 be renumbered following removal of clauses 26 and 27
- 64. That Clause 32 (to be renumbered as Clause 30 subject to acceptance of Clause 3.63) be replaced by the Model Rules clause covering dissolution.
- A VOTE OF THANKS was extended to LINDA HORTON who has been the 'champion' of our Constitution. She given many, many hours of editorial skills and coordinated Council's input to arrive at a more modern and workable Constitution.

7. GENERAL BUSINESS

The Money Raffle was drawn, winners announced and contacted immediately per phone. Some \$2, 000 was raised from this raffle.

8. CLOSE AND THANKS

There being no further general business the Chairman closed the meeting at 8.25pm.

CONFIRMED

DATE:

PRESIDENT / CHAIR

Follow up on AGM Motions 2015

The two motions that were sent out to all members for consideration. These were:

- 1. To update the constitution
- 2. To adopt the business name of CatsWA

The constitutional changes were sent to DOCEP (Department of Consumer Protection) who have accepted the changes and the revised constitution can now be found on the website.

CatsWA is now in use as our operating name and seems to have been well received. The website has been updated to reflect the changes.

Feline Control Council of WA (Inc) remains our constitutional name and will appear on all official documentation.

FCCWA SECRETARY'S REPORT TO AGM 8 DECEMBER 2014

2014 has been a year of steady growth in membership although our show entries have been down. A lot of us have such a busy lifestyle – having to earn a living gets in the way of our hobbies ! Folks just do not have the time to spare I believe.

The introduction of the WA Cat Laws in November last year, has caused breeders to reduce the number of entire boys and girls and consequently there have been less cats and kittens to show. (With a judge's hat on now – I have to say that it has not adversely affected the excellent quality of our exhibits, so often commented on by visiting judges). The extraordinarily high cattery/ registration fees have caused major problems for a lot of us and negatively impacted on the cat fancy without lessening the numbers of strays and abandoned cats. Sadly neither the state nor local authorities seem to be concerned with a lot of local governments simply taking the money with no services in return.

My role as Secretary on Governing Council has been a little 'part time' but with first Diana Nixon and then Lee-anne in the office to look after the memberships, titles and day to day enquiries alongside Carole our 'backbone' of the office, we have got through very well.

Carole Galli has been a tremendous example for us all, not only as our Registrar, but as our President keeping us all in line ! Council has met regularly, and sometimes voted per email on appropriate matters of urgency between meetings. It has been busy but harmonious year for Council. 2014 Councillors were:- Carole Galli, Linda Horton, Pamela Lanigan, Sue Game, Diana Nixon, Delaine Hall, Lee-anne Pitman Pryde, Janis Thomson, Lucy Nikiforos, Rod Pattinson.

Carole is our Executive Member on the ACF - which takes up an extraordinary amount of time and patience. Thanks Carole.

Pamela Lanigan has kept the finances in good order as our Treasurer but due to business commitments, has resigned that position effective end November 2014.

Linda Horton as our Vice President and PR person seems to have a huge capacity for getting things done – she coordinated the revamp of our Constitution, she keeps our web site up to date, she does our quarterly Magazine *CAT CALL*, and she keeps us informed via email and Facebook. She and Carole have been our main contact with the WA Local Government. She takes amazing photos!

The Oriental Shorthair, Paws and Claws and British Shorthair Cat Clubs have run shows, and FCCWA Council members have run the others. We need our other clubs to get their members together and hold shows next year. Spread the load if we can. 2015 Dates have been reserved for shows – just put up your hand!

I am sure the ACF National Championship show to be held in Perth next year will generate a lot of interest from the public and attract potential new FCCWA members – it is up to us to capitalise on the opportunities.

Our **Judge Training** has been very active, with assignments happening at every FCCWA show. Pamela Lanigan is close to taking her Group 2 exams and hopefully will be a Group 2 Junior Judge next year. Catherine Gunson has been completing her prerequisites in show administration and she will be starting Group 2 Training next year too. Carole Galli and Lucy Nikiforos have been doing their Group 3 Cadet assignments and examinations. Delaine Hall and Kirsty Connell have both been granted permission to defer their training due to other life priorities – I hope that they can resume in the not too distant future.

We are building up a great group of local judges to give exhibitors and show organisers a wider choice and enhance our selfsufficiency. Governing Council has approved Lee-anne Pitman Pryde to be elevated to Group 3 Open Judge. Carole Galli and Lucy Nikiforos have passed their Cadet Training and Written Examinations and Governing Council has approved their appointment as Group 3 Junior Judges).

On that positive note, I would like to thank my fellow Councillors for their support, but especially Carole for being our anchor.

Susan Game

Changes to 2015 Governing Council

Lee-Anne Pitman-Pryde and Pamela Lanigan have resigned from Council and Pamela has also resigned her position as Treasurer. We thank them both for their expertise and support and wish them both all the best for their future endeavours.

Welcome to Michelle Harris who has joined Council for the February meeting, and we are very pleased to confirm that Michelle has agreed to take up the Treasurer's Duties.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Presidents Report 2014

2014 has been a successful year for FCCWA with a full show calendar. Numbers at the first show were lower than expected but for the remainder of the year numbers picked up. We have had a dedicated group of exhibitors and we thank them for their support again this year. One of the biggest issues for FCC has been the cost of show venues. I am pleased to let you know that through members on the RAS committee as a follow up to our letter last year that RAS have agreed to make a Pavilion available to FCC for our shows at the same cost as the Davis Pavilion. The Ellie Eaton Pavilion is near gate one and is a wonderful venue or our shows. His will alleviate a lot of the stress on clubs to find a financially viable venue for shows. In turn I hope that this will mean that we will see more clubs hosting shows next year.

2015 will be an exciting year with the ACF National Show in June. This will be the first ACF National to be held over two days and there will be 8 rings. ACF approved this as we made a strong argument that to attract exhibitors from the Eastern States there needs to be more than a one day show. A small committee has been working hard all year to organise the show, which will be at the Claremont Showgrounds in the Tom Wilding Pavilion. Cat friendly accommodation has been sourced and promoted on the show website and a FB page. Major Sponsors are Proplan for 6 rings and Oz pet for 2 Rings. The committee is working hard to engage more sponsorship and also stallholders to create a market place on the day.

2014 should be called the Year of the Fundraiser. Janis Thompson and her team have run several events to raise funds, including

High Tea Dinner Dance ACF National Raffle, which we are drawing tonight Tupperware Party – run by Linda Horton Sausage Sizzle – run by Julie Pickens Jacaranda Festival Nachos Stall Kitchen at FCC shows Chocolates, chocolates and more chocolates!

Approx. \$6000 has been raised to date with a target of \$10,000 by show day. This is a mammoth effort and to date only a few members have supported most of the events. I would ask that when raffles etc are running that you help by selling to friends and acquaintances or suggest selling opportunities to the committee so we can capture a larger audience.

FCCWA has had a very strong Judges Training program running over the last 3 years and we must thanks Betty Payne and Sue Game who have offered training and support to our trainees at every show as well as at seminars held in our Office. Apart from hands on training assignments this year we have also hosted seminars on Cat Structure, presented by Michele Ristuccia from CVI and Cat Genetics by Dr Isobel Johnstone from FCCQ. Visiting judges were also asked to tutor trainees who were stewarding for them at shows. I am pleased to say that this year we have had Pamela Lanigan appointed as an Open Gp 3 Judge, Lee-anne Pitman – Pryde appointed as an open Gp 3 judge and Lucy Nikiforos and Carole Galli appointed as Junior Gp 3 judges after passing exams in November. We also have two trainee Gp 1 judges, Delaine Hall and Kirsty Connell plus Pamela and Lee-anne training in Gp 2. This is a wonderful achievement for FCC. Hopefully by the end of 2015 we will have another All Breeds judge. We have a loyal membership of breeders and exhibitors. This year there have been 200 ore registrations than in 2013, despite there being less breeders registered.

A comment on the Cat Bill and the registration of our cats. Over the first year after the regulations came into effect we have seen several Local Govt councils as being very organised and for the most part our members managed to register their cats, albeit at a high cost. There have been several councils who were just 'not ready' to deal with breeders. Whilst this has been ok until now I would sound a warning to our members not to let this slip, you MUST register with your local councils as a registered breeder and pay the price. Those council who were not 'ready' are now organised and looking for income to pay for their implementation costs. Mandurah and Kwinana are two councils who we have heard are actively seeking out residents who have not registered their cats and issuing fines. Armadale is aggressively following up complaints nd demanding almost immediate access to inspect properties. PLEASE follow up with your councils and insist that they accept your application and issue you with a permit to breed cats.

2015 will be another exciting year and we again have a wonderful group of people who have nominated to oversee FCC on the Governing Council. I wish all our members a happy and prosperous Christmas and New Year and look forward to a very active and exciting show season leading up to the ACF National in June. I would especially like to thank our current Vice President, Linda Horton, Secretary, Sue Game and Treasurer, Pamela Lanigan for their support this year. Also a thank you to Rod Pattinson who has helped set up most shows and attends to the trailer and FCC cages.

Carole Galli-President



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Treasurers Report

Dear valued FCCWA members

2014 has neither been a very good or a very bad year for FCCWA financially. Our income is down on last year but fortunately we have also been able to bring our expenses down too. Income from day to day activities, such as registration, is up on last year but membership and fundraising show income is down.

Governing council worked hard to put shows on the calendar and fill spots not taken up by clubs but these have not been as well supported and income from such shows has been less than in previous years.

Whilst registration income is up on last year it is still clear that breeding members are not registering every kitten they breed. Most do the right thing but to those who don't please realise that we can see your kitten photos on facebook or your gumtree adverts. It is not a lot of money per kitten and it is what keeps our bills paid so that we can provide you with services.

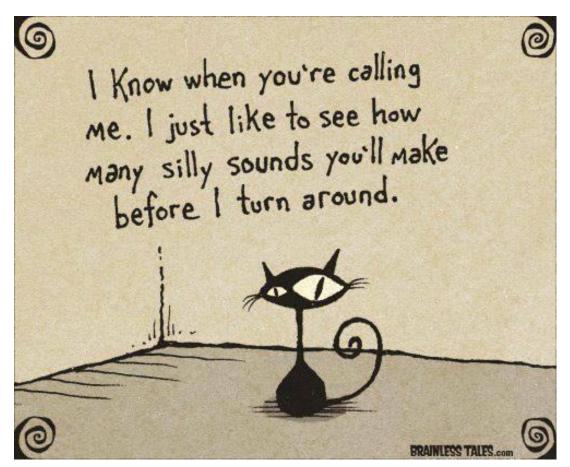
Our association has purchased equipment during the year for our members benefit including cages, tables for shows and exhibitions and a TV for training seminars at the office.

We are now paying an honorarium for our office worker again. There are other roles in our assoc that are unpaid that require significant contributions and for that we are very grateful.

I would like to especially thank our chairperson and registrar Carole Galli for her contribution as well as our secretary Sue Game and Vice-Chair Linda Horton. Janis Thompson also deserves recognition for her great fundraising efforts during the year. Thanks also to our full council and to all members who helped out in 2014.

If you can help our association in 2015 with office duties, help at shows and with fundraising or even just sending in all of your registrations promptly it will make a great deal of difference to our association.

Regards Pamela Lanigan Treasurer FCCWA





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Financial Statements – 31 October 2014

Expenses

Income Statement

For the year ended 31 October 2014

	Nov 13 - Oct 14		
Income	00014	Expense	
20100 · Registration Income	7,020.00	06235 · Cat of The Year Expenses	560.30
20110 · Late Fees	277.00	60100 · Strata Fees	2,405.00
20130 · Title Income	924.00	60150 · Electricity	556.50
20140 · Transfer Income	507.00	60155 · Water Consumption	796.06
20170 · Certified Pedigree Income	80.00	60160 · Bank Fees & Charges	11.50
20200 · Show & Club Income		60166 · Depreciation Expense	4,098.60
20210 · Challenges & AOM	60.00	60170 · Accounting & Audit Fees	495.00
20220 · Benching Fees	470.00	60200 · Rates & Taxes	
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Total 20200 · Show & Club Income	530.00	Total 60200 · Rates & Taxes	1,602.59
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20230 · Club Affiliation Fees Income	800.00	60220 · Insurance	1,050.00
20300 · Membership Income	2,243.00	60230 · Cat Call Expenses	0.00
20310 · Prefix Application & Renewal	548.00	60300 · Trailer Expenses	61.90
20320 · Breeders Directory	280.00	603100 · Telephone Expenses	1,130.73
20330 · Interest Income	53.07	60400 · Postage	422.95
20500 · Fundraising		60500 · Computer and Software Expens-	
20510 · FCCWA Fundraising Shows	1,020.37	es	773.04
20515 · General Fundraising	160.30	60600 · Affiliation Fees	
20520 · Donations	23.00	60605 · ACF AGM Expenses	781.00
20525 · Special Purpose Fundraising	446.31	60600 · Affiliation Fees - Other	375.00
20500 · Fundraising - Other	143.00	Total 60600 · Affiliation Fees	1,156.00
Total 20500 · Fundraising	1,792.98		
		60610 · Other Fees	76.00
20600 · Sales		60700 · Repairs and Maintenance	590.67
20610 · Standards Books	32.90	60750 · Gifts, Donations & Sponsorship	160.00
20615 · Cage Sales	557.26	60760 · Training and Development	259.75
20620 · Microchip sales	-310.50	6420 · Stationery and Office Supplies	733.16
20625 · Chocolates	379.36	6500 · Honorariums	
Total 20600 · Sales	659.02	6530 · Office Honorarium - L	
		PittmanPr	2,470.00
999999 · Unidentified	1,056.00	Total 6500 · Honorariums	2,470.00
Total Income	16,770.07		
		69999 · Unidentified Trans/Suspense	0.71
		Total Expense	19,410.46

Net Income (loss)

The auditors report has not been finalised. It will be included in the May edition of Cat Call.

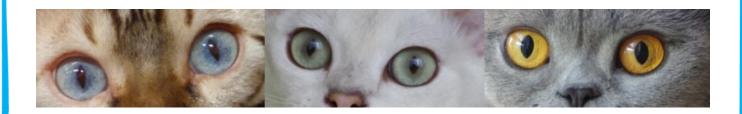


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Reserve the dates!!

- Mar 8, 2015 Cat of the Year Event
- Mar 22, 2015 CatsWA Show with NZ judge, Bassendean
- Apr 12, 2015 Sausage Sizzle helpers needed
- Apr 19, 2015 Paws and Claws Show, Bassendean
- Jun 6/7, 2015 ACF National Show—8 rings, 2 days (Tom Wilding Pavilion)
- Jun 7, 2015 ACF Dinner (Ambassador Hotel)
- Jun 8, 2015 Judges Guild Seminar (Ambassador Hotel)
- Jun 9, 2015 ACF AGM to be held at Ambassador Hotel, Perth
- July 18, 2015 CatsWA Show (Ellie Eaton Pavilion)
- Aug 9, 2015WA Cat Club Show (Ellie Eaton Pavilion)
- Sept 6, 2015 BSH Show with international judges
- Sept 26–28, 2015 Royal Show
- Oct 18, 2015 CatsWA Show (venue tbc)
- November 22, 2015 2015 Cat of the Year Event
- November Wanneroo Show
- December AGM
- February 21, 2016 First show of 2016 show season (Ellie Eaton Pavilion)

* Tom Wilding and Ellie Eaton Pavilions are both located at Claremont Showgrounds





ACF National Show 2015

Have you booked your leave yet?

Every year the ACF stages a National Cat Show which attracts exhibits from all over Australia. 2015 is our year to shine and planning is already underway.

Make sure that you mark the dates on your calendar.

6th and 7th June 2015

The schedule is now out and it has a fantastic on-line entry option. If you know who you are entering, you can enter now. If you enter before 1 April 2015 you will get \$10 off the cost so it is well worth it

Fundraising continuers to be a big priority over the coming months. Please contact <u>Janis Thompson</u> or <u>Michelle Rigg</u> if you have any ideas or can contribute to the fundraising efforts some way.

There will be a Judges Guild Seminar on Monday 8 June, 2015 . Topics are still to be confirmed the seminar will be of interest to breeders and cat enthusiasts alike. All members are eligible to attend the seminar so if you need to plan ahead to book leave off work for next year, consider booking Monday 8 June 2015!

The committee is working hard to put this event together and as we get closer to the date, will be calling on more members of CatsWA to participate in the planning. If you have particular expertise that you would like to contribute or have contacts of people or organisations who you think would be able to act as sponsors, have goods that they would like to donate as prizes or would like to run a stall on the weekend, please contact a committee member.

The Committee is made up of <u>Carole Galli</u> (Show Coordinator), <u>Lucy Nikiforos</u> (Show Manager), <u>Pamela</u> <u>Lanigan</u> (Show Secretary), Julie Pickens, Delaine Hall, Greg Connelly, Fiona Williams, Janis Thompson, Sue Game, Lee-anne Pitman-Pryde, Rod Pattinson, Linda Horton, Michelle Rigg, Maree Carle and our newest member, Michelle Harris.

We will need lots of involvement from CatsWA members including a team of people for set up on Friday 5th June so please mark that day on your calendars if you will be available.

http://acf2015.breedsite.com/

Fees and charges effective 01.11.2013

<u>Membership</u>

<u>Membership</u>	
Annual renewal of Membership is due on 1 st November each year	
Joint Membership	\$70
Single Membership	\$50
Joint Aged or Associate	\$35
Single Aged or Associate	\$25
Junior (under 18)	\$25
<u>Prefix</u>	
Initial Application	\$25
Renewal (annual)	\$15
Transfers (single/joint or vice versa)	\$10
Transfers from other Body	\$10
Registrations	
Per kitten within 70 days of birth	\$10
Late Fees (per wk / part wk per kitten)	\$2
Corrections to Registrations	\$8
Duplicate copies of Registrations	\$8
Copy of Pedigree	\$8
Re-registration	\$ 40
Cat registered with another Body	\$10
(Cats MUST be transferred into your name	
with the other Body before they can be re- registered with CatsWA (Inc)	
Please Note: Cats and kittens cannot be shown in your name until the re-registration has been effected in our records	
Transform	
<u>Transfers</u> Initial transfer – non breeding	No fee
-	
Initial transfer – breeding	\$10 ¢C
Subsequent transfers - Members	\$6
Subsequent transfers Non-members	\$10
Leases	* 4 -
Recorded in CatsWA (Inc) records	\$15
Certified Pedigrees	*
Members (5 generation)	\$35
Members (4 generation)	\$20
Non-Members (4 generation)	\$30
Other Fees	-
Photocopies	\$0.20
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Cat Act 2011

CatsWA continues to advocate on behalf of its members regarding the cat laws.

The \$100 fee per breeding cat per year remains a major issue and the Minister for Local Government is unwilling to directly intervene even though both this Minister and the previous Minister repeatedly assured us that we were not the target. Instead, the responsibility sits with individual Councils, many of whom are saying that they are not resourced to manage the Cat Act, let alone make exceptions for our breeders. This is despite the fact that in many cases we are only talking about a few breeders in each Council area.

In May 2014, the Minister released a circular stating that Councils were able to reduce or waive the fees to certain groups of people. In theory should have given members a platform to negotiate with their local council. However in practice, this is only happening in a minority of cases.

As we warned the Department of Local Government, this has the effect of making people reluctant to reveal how many cats they have in the hope that they remain under the radar.

We must reiterate that it is important that you do start a conversation with your Council. The risks of getting caught continue to grow and registered breeders, though not part of the original problem, are easy targets. There are some Councils who are still claiming that they are not ready with regards to registered breeders and are telling our members to come back later. If this happens to you, I urge you to get something in writing. If the Council suddenly changes its mind and decides to challenge you for not having your cats registered, you are in a very vulnerable position.

What the bureaucracies fail to understand is that our breeders are great advocates for responsible cat ownership. They have been microchipping, sterilising and educating their kitten buyers to keep their cats inside well before the Cat Act came into being. On the whole, they have gone quietly about their hobby, breeding kittens for shows and for the betterment of their breed, with the remaining kittens being sold to help offset some of the costs.

The Minister for Local Government sent out another circular in February 2015 where he welcomed the initiative of some Councils to reduce, waive or cap fees. It will be interesting to see whether Councils take notice.

A new issue that has arisen recently is that at least 4 Councils that we are aware of have decided that our members are running a business. In some of these instances, this has resulted in breeders being told they may not sell their kittens from their premises. In general, this is coming from Planning Departments who seem to have little or no interest in the Cat Act itself.

We have written to the Minister for Local Government about this issue as we strongly believe that the majority of our members would fall under the Australian Tax Office's definition of a hobby. You can find information on the ATO website, or another useful source of information can be found here at the Small Business Development Corporation which also includes links to the ATO http://www.smallbusiness.wa.gov.au/business-life-cycle/pre-start/hobby-or-business/

Given the small numbers of Cat Breeders there are in the metropolitan area, it is hard to gain much traction on this issue, but we have to wonder what the impact is on other groups such as dog breeders and whether selling puppies attracts the same concerns from Council.

If you do find yourself in a similar situation, please contact me, or the CatsWA Office and we may be able to provide some reference material, including letters sent to the Minister for Local Government (along with any replies). Alternatively you can contact the Minister for Local Government, your local Councillor, the Department for Local Government and Communities or State Government representative and raise your concerns with them.

As predicted, this Cat Act 2011 has created a minefield for multiple cat owners, and particularly registered breeders. Individuals somehow have to navigate between the Cat Act 2011, Planning, Health and any other Local Government Department that decides to buy in, while back yard breeders and irresponsible cat owners continue to remain invisible.

Our best advice is for you to try and engage with your local council and let your Governing Council know when you have problems so that we can do our best to assist or advocate on your behalf.

Linda Horton

https://www.dlg.wa.gov.au/Content/Legislation/ResponsibleCatOwnership.aspx#CatAct



Wanneroo Show-29 November 2014-Wanneroo Showgrounds



RING 1 Supreme	28	Mesmereyes Graces Peridot	Carole Galli
Best Group 1	9	Mewsings Edge of Glory	Ruth Pryde
Best Group 2	20	Amarin Arya	Catherine Gunson
Best Group 3	28	Mesmereyes Graces Peridot	Carole Galli
Best Group 4	35	Savannah	Barbara Zahari
RING 2 SUPREME	51	Joylincar Dream Baby Dream	Carole Carroll
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Best Group 2	20	Amarin Arya	Catherine Gunson
Best Group 3	51	Joylincar Dream Baby Dream	Carole Carroll
Best Group 4	35	Savannah	Barbara Zahari



Judges Scoot Andresen (Cat Association of the Northern Territory) Sue Game (CatsWA) Reserve: Betty Payne (CatsWA)

Thanks to Wanneroo Agricultural Society for hosting such a lovely show and to Oz Pet for their ongoing support

CatsWA SHOW 22 February 2015 Ellie Eaton Pavilion, Showgrounds

Judges: Ring 1: Marion Cooper (GCCQ) Ring 2: Annette Joesbury (COAWA), Carole Galli (CatsWA) and Lucy Nikiforos (CatsWA) Ring 3: (Gp 3 only) Pamela Lanigan (CatsWA)





RING 1

Supreme Adult	1	Knowing Donitz	Deanne Kestel	Persian
Supreme Kitten	77a	Karm A Wish Called Wanda	Kathy Dossell	Burmese
Supreme Gp 4	85	Lily	Michelle & Mia Bristow-Clark	Domestic
RING 2				
Supreme Adult	20	Malingbu Seal Shajhan	Debbie Copeland	Siamese
Supreme Kitten	79	Rocanrole Meeka's Pandora	Carole Galli	Burmese
Supreme Gp 4	85	Lily	Michelle & Mia Bristow-Clark	Domestic



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TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES

Stewards Training

Pamela Lanigan will be conducting stewards training in 2015.

If you would like to become a steward, or just want a refresher before the National, please contact Pamela on 0419 940 025 or via email on <u>cuddleton@optiic.com</u>

Group 4 Judges Training

Expressions of interest in training to be a Group 4 judge are now being taken. Please email the office on <u>fcc_wa@bigpond.net.au</u> or contact Carole Galli on <u>admin@roellencattery.com.au</u> if you would like to know more.



To Carole Galli and Lucy Nikiforos who have completed their Group 3 training and had their first judging assignment at the CatsWA show held 22 February 2015.

Well done!

<u>Pending paperwork</u>

There are an increasing number of show entries that are being sent in with the registration pending. In normal circumstances your cat is not eligible for Cat of the Year Points unless you are registered with CatsWA and the show secretary may refuse entry to the show to an unregistered cat.

If you have already submitted your paperwork to the office or are waiting on a transfer from another registering body, please discuss this with the show secretary.

To minimise this, please ensure that you submit registration paperwork to the CatsWA office at the earliest opportunity.



CatsWA needs enthusiastic and willing people for the following positions:

Casual Vacancy on Governing Council

Due to a resignation on Council, we have a casual vacancy on Governing Council.

Council meets on the 3rd Monday of each month and is responsible for a wide range of decisions to keep the organisation running. Nomination forms are available on the CatsWA website. You must have been a member for 3 months to be eligible.

Office Helper

CatsWA is seeking someone who is willing to assist in the office for a few hours each Wednesday. General office duties including answering the phone, emails, memberships and titles.

Please contact the office or talk to a member of Governing Council if you are interested in either role.

DIVERSITY AND THE PUREBRED DOG

Or the Poodle and the Chocolate Cake

(This is about dogs, but could easily apply to cats)

John Armstrong

The Nature of Diversity

Think of genes as recipes. They carry the instructions for the various components that go into making up an organism. Each recipe specifies a particular component, and different individuals may carry different versions of the same recipe. (In the jargon of genetics, we say that they carry different alleles of a particular gene.) Individuals within a population often carry similar or identical recipes, for example, chocolate cake for a Poodle, lemon cake for a Beagle, and white cake for a Samoyed. A different canine species might be represented by a fruit cake. When you consider animals that are quite different, such as frogs and chickens, you will generally find "homologous" recipes, say for pies or puddings. Thus, there is more diversity among mammals than among carnivores, more among the carnivores than among the Canidae, and more among the Canidae than among the wolf group.



An organism carries a collection of recipes, and the collection defines the organism. The great diversity in the possible collections of recipes is the reason for the great diversity in the animal and plant kingdoms. The more closely related two individuals are, the greater the similarity in their collections. The number of combinations is huge, and during evolution, the recipe collection was undoubtedly reshuffled many times. The combinations that worked well survived and multiplied. Those that did not work quickly died out. In theory, one may make a meal of Champagne with tacos and Yorkshire pudding, but they don't really belong together. As time passed, exchange of recipes became difficult between animals that differed substantially in their physical and behavioural characteristics. Different groups, therefore, became constrained to work with only a subset of the total possible collection of recipes.

One definition of a species is that members of two different species bred to each other cannot produce a fertile hybrid. However, a more modern definition is that two species are geographically, physiologically, or behaviourally isolated such that they do not normally produce hybrids. Additionally, they should have features that differ sufficiently to allow them to be distinguished from each other. The domestic dog, wolf, coyote, and jackal can all mate with each others (barring size constraints) to produce viable and fertile hybrids. Yet, they have been considered different species (within the genus Canis) because they normally live in different places, behave differently, and can usually be told apart. (Though there has been a recent move to change Canis familiaris to a subspecies of Canis lupus.) However, a jackal will not mate with a dog unless they have been raised together from pups (presumably due to a learned behavioural difference). Furthermore, no Canis species can produce a hybrid with a fox. This is not because the kinds of genetic recipes are greatly different, but because foxes do not share the same number of chromosomes. (In other words, their recipes are filed under a different, incompatible system \div somewhat akin to filing one under DOS and the other on a Mac.)

Genetic recipes may get modified when they are passed on. Many of the modifications will make no noticeable difference, or only a very subtle one. Some may improve the recipe and others will not. If we are making a chocolate cake and a critical ingredient is forgotten, or the cake is baked too long or at the wrong temperature, we end up with a disaster. (If we don't understand what has gone wrong, we will likely throw out the recipe and look for a new one.) We may even make deliberate modifications in an attempt to get a more memorable cake. Among the "chocolate cake" population, there will be a variety \div or diversity \div of recipes and, therefore, of cakes.



This, I would say, is a "good" thing. Do we always want the same chocolate cake? Surely we will tire of it, and even if we don't, we lose the pleasure of anticipation. If, for some unforseen reason, everyone suddenly loses their taste for THE chocolate cake, it will surely go extinct. To have the potential for evolution and adaptation, we must risk the possibility of the bad. That is the "cost."

In a large, naturally breeding population, we will end up with a number of versions (alleles), some so slightly different that we will never notice, some perceptibly different (but still functional), and some that just don't work at all. However, if we remove the diversity we lose the potential for evolution and for surviving unexpected change. To have the potential for evolution and adaptation, we must risk the possibility of the bad. Geneticists call that cost genetic load. This "bad" group persists because every individual carries two copies of every recipe, and often having just one "good" copy is enough for normal function. In most populations, every individual carries a portion of the load ÷ three to five bad recipes out of several thousand. The load is so well distributed that if two individuals compare their recipe collections they will generally not have two copies of the same bad recipe.

Loss of Diversity

Suppose we start a new population with only six or eight founders. (A number of breeds have started with that few.) We will get rid of hundreds of bad recipes, but the remaining dozen or two will be encountered much more frequently. Furthermore, if there are several good or excellent recipes, the chance of dropping one of these from the collection grows greater as the number of founders diminishes, and the risk of losing one remains high as long as the effective population size remains low. Working with small numbers will inevitably decrease the diversity, simply because individuals do not pass on their recipes equally to the next generation and some recipes are accidentally lost. This has the superficially desirable result of giving a more reproducible phenotype, but at the expense of an overall reduction in quality, health, and longevity.

If breeders had the ability to recognize each individual recipe and choose only those that were excellent, breeds could be produced with a small number of individuals that lacked genetic problems. However, what we see (the phenotype) is the product of all the recipes and, for the most part, we cannot distinguish the individual recipes. Moreover, we do not have the option of selecting recipes individually. When we select an animal for breeding, we are forced to accept a complete set. Even in those few cases where we now have a DNA test for a bad recipe (allele), we do not possess the ability to correct or selectively discarded it. We are therefore forced to work around it, or to discard the whole collection, with the attendant risk of discarding something excellent along with it.



The common practice of almost everyone rushing to breed to the currently-popular male show champion is probably the most significant factor reducing whatever diversity remains. Consider your own breed (the situation for most breeds is similar). Can you find one or more males that appear in most pedigrees? Almost everyone decides they like the recipes of (insert name) \div or at least the ones they can see readily \div and abandons other recipes with little thought to the eventual consequences. In a few generations, almost everyone has a substantial number of his recipes, though not necessarily his exceptional ones, and many excellent alternatives are very hard to find.

How precious is the individual that comes along with some of the missing recipes and relatively few of the "popular" collection? Do we hesitate because there are also a few bad recipes in this alternate collection? Are we now so accustomed to dealing with the more-popular collection that we have lost the vision of the "memorable" chocolate cake?

Population Genetics and the Breeder

What is often called Mendelian genetics deals with the outcome of specific crosses. Population genetics deals with the distribution of alleles in a population and the effects of mutation, selection, inbreeding, etc., on this distribution. As a breeder, you are a practicing geneticist. A knowledge of both Mendelian genetics and population genetics is critical, not only to your own success, but also to the survival of your breed.

Because many early geneticists believed that there were only two possible alternatives for a gene \div "good" alleles that functioned normally and "bad" alleles that didn't \div they expected to find little genetic variability in a population. The majority of individuals were expected to be homozygous for the good allele for most genes.

But with the advent of modern biochemical and molecular tools, geneticists studying populations found far more variability (diversity) than they had expected. There are a number of possible reasons for this, and even the experts are not in total agreement on the most likely reason(s). However, geneticists have also discovered that populations lacking genetic diversity often have significant problems and are at greater risk from disease and other changes in their environment. The conclusion is that genetic diversity is desirable for the health and long-term survival of a population.

Are purebreds dogs genetically diverse? Some may regard that as a contradiction in terms. The very concept of creating a breed with characteristics that are distinctly different from other breeds implies a certain limitation on diversity. Nevertheless, within the standards for a breed, diversity should still be possible for genes that do not affect the essential characteristics that distinguish one breed from another. If, in order to maintain breed identity, one has to compromise on genes that relate to general structural soundness, good health, intelligence, and temperament, perhaps this breed should not exist. However, as long as these essentials are not compromised, I see no reason why one cannot have different breeds with different appearances and different talents.

For those genes that establish breed identity, there will be markedly less variability within a breed than within Canis familiaris as a whole. The tricky bit is restricting variability for those genes that make a breed distinctive without sacrificing the variability/diversity that is necessary for good health and long-term survival of the breed. In many cases, this has not been achieved, and we are now paying the price in terms of high incidence of specific genetic diseases and increased susceptibility to other diseases, reduced lifespan, inability to conceive naturally, etc.

Why has this happened?

1. Many breeds have been established with too few founders or ones that are already too closely related.

2. The registries (stud books) are closed for most breeds; therefore you cannot introduce diversity from outside the existing population.

3.Most selective breeding practices have the effect of reducing the diversity further. In addition, the wrong things are often selected for.

4.Even if the founders were sufficiently diverse genetically, almost no one knows how their genetic contributions are distributed among the present day population.

Consequently, breeding is done without regard to conserving these contributions, which may be of value to the general health and survival of the breed.

Do we have to accept it as an inevitable consequence of creating a breed? I don't think we do.

A role for the breed clubs

Each breed needs a database with all the breedable animals recorded with all their ancestors back to the founders. This would most appropriately be the task of the breed club. Are any actually doing this (outside some of the rare breeds)?

Such a database would enable breeders to identify which individuals are most likely to carry the genes from each founder. At the level of the individual breeder, it would enable him/her to make intelligent, informed choices when selecting mates. Measures might also be considered to re-balance the breed, in order to ensure that the remaining diversity is more evenly distributed and that, therefore, there is less risk of loss.

https://www.dogenes.com/essays/cake.html

TITLES

Congratulations to the following cats and exhibitors on the titles listed below which were approved at Governing Councils meetings November—January 2014.

Do you have Challenges and Awards of Merit stashed away at home? Your cats may be eligible to hold titles too. It's a nice way to recognise their show career. Each title requires 6 certificates in date order. Cost is \$10 per title and for that you will get a laminated certificate to keep as a record of your cat's achievements. For an additional \$15 you can purchase a title sash to display. More information about titles can be found in the CatsWA show rules http://www.fcc-wa.com/FCCWAshowrules.pdf

Champion

Tachali Silver Maks Natmac Vanind Neptune Maree Carle Natalie McNamara

Double Grand Premier, Bronze Grand Premier, Silver Grand Premier and Gold Grand Premier

Loveuforever Mr Benjamin Judy Klucznaik Loveuforever Dan Judy Klucznaik



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SUSAN GAME 0409 082 395 ssgame@iinet.net.au	ALL BREEDS	LEE-ANNE PITMAN-PRYDE 0423 115 533 kinabalu15@virginbroadband.com.au	GROUPS 1 & 3

Watch out for Cat of the Year Points!

A progressive total of Cat of the Year points will be published on the CatsWA website following each show. Keep a track of your cat's progress and make sure that he or she is entered in each show to gain more points.

Cat of the Year points will not be awarded at the ACF National Show

Results of the 2014 Cat of the Year will be published on the CatsWA website on Sunday 8 March at the completion of the 2014 awards presentation.



All judges may judge group 4.

Members interested in becoming a judge are very welcome to contact Judges Panel Convenor Betty Payne.



'I have to admit, Catwoman - you are not as I expected.'

http://www.fcc-wa.com/

Code of Conduct for all members

Did you know that CatsWA has a code of conduct? A code of conduct is really important because it acts as a guide and reference for all members. It helps to clarify CatsWA's values and principles and is a visible statement to the rest of the world what we stand for. Anyone who deals with CatsWA can look at our Code of Conduct and they will get a sense of who we are and what is important to us. Our Code of Conduct incorporates the standard of ethics that our breeders abide by and provides a reference point for Governing Council when they are dealing with any situations that may arise.

1 Purpose of the Code of Conduct

- 1.1 To provide members of the Feline Control Council WA (Inc) with a framework for appropriate conduct. This includes behaviour towards other FCCWA members, judges, general community members and cats.
- 1.2 The core principles that underpin the organisation must be the welfare of all cats that fall within the scope of FCCWA and the protection of the integrity of FCCWA pedigrees
- 1.3 Incorporated in this Code of Conduct is a Code of Ethics for all members who wish to be recognised as Registered Breeders. All FCCWA Registered breeders must agree to uphold and respect this Code of Ethics in their actions and dealings within the Cat Fancy.

2 General Principles of Conduct

General principles to guide the behaviour of FCCWA members include that all members must:

- a) Act with reasonable care and diligence
- b) Act with honesty and integrity
- c) Act lawfully
- d) Avoid damage to the reputation of the FCCWA (Inc)
- e) Treat others with respect and fairness.
- f) Abide by any rules, regulations or guidelines as determined by FCCWA (Inc) including Breeding, Showing, membership of Governing Council or any other activity. Such regulations will be available on the FCCWA website.
- g) Comply with the WA Cat Act (2011) and any other relevant legislation.





Looking for ways to get involved?

Why not join one of the clubs? FCCWA has several clubs, which are a great way to get to know people. Clubs run the shows and are always happy for people to come along and learn how a show works.

Birman Rex & Others Club Sec: Kirsty Connell (08) 9455 1230

British Shorthair Cat Club Sec: Pamela Lanigan 0419 940 025

Burmese Cat Club of W.A. Inc Sec: Diana Nixon 0417 913 803

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WA Cat Club Sec: Maree Carle Tel: (08) 9317 4477

FUNDRAISING HELP NEEDED 12 APRIL

The Fundraising committee has been holding regular sausage sizzles which have been adding much needed funds to support CatsWA and our preparation for the ACF National. We need helpers for 12 April in the Port Kennedy and Baldivis areas. Even if you can only spare a couple of hours we need you! If you can help, please email Janis Thompson on <u>loveuforeverragdolls@hotmail.com</u> for more details.



Don't forget to keep an eye out on our website for news, updates and show schedules. Our kitten page, is an extension of the breeders directory, and helps to link those breeders who are registering kittens with potential kitten buyers.

www.fcc-wa.com

CatsWA Breeders Directory 2015

CatsWA Registered breeders, please note:

If you would like to advertise in the Breeders Directory, please contact the CatsWA Office with your details. The cost for inclusion in the four issues of Catcall during the year is \$15.00 per entry. Alterations and updates that occur during the year are accepted at no extra cost. If you do not appear in this list and you think you should, please contact CatsWA Office. Only breeders who have registered kittens in the last 12 months will be listed. If you have had a break in breeding but are planning to resume, please contact the office to have your listing reinstated. <u>fcc_wa@bigpond.net.au</u>

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