



## Show Hall Etiquette

- **DO** monitor children closely and try to prevent loud noises and sudden movements that could frighten or upset the cats - not all the kitties are used to the show hall yet.
- **DON'T** run or shout inside the show hall.
- **DO** stand aside when cats are being carried to and from the judging rings — Cats need to arrive to judging on time!
- **DO** sit down at a ring and watch and listen to the judge. When there is a pause you may ask questions about the cats. **DON'T** go behind the judges table as that area is for cats and the judge only!
- **DO** stop and stand still if someone shouts "Cat Loose!" **DON'T** try to catch the cat—he or she doesn't know you. Doors need to be closed to keep the cat from being lost outside the show hall, so if you are near a door, please close it quickly. There will be an announcement when the cat has been caught.
- **DON'T** touch a cat without getting permission from his or her human first. There might be a special group of cats called "PetMe" cats who just love to be touched - so be on the lookout for their banners!
- **NEVER** open a cage door; the kitty could get scared, run away and be lost. **PLEASE** do not touch cages or get too close to a cage -- to avoid possible injury

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Thank you for coming today!



**Enclosed**  
Pull-off vote for "Spectators Choice" Cat

**Special Events**  
Occur approximately 12:30pm

Children's Stuffed Animal Contest –  
Saturday

Exhibitor Costume Contest - Sunday

Please visit our Show Vendors

They have nice products and provide important support to making this show possible.

### **Arubacat cat furniture - Arty Mitchell**

is our exclusive cat furniture vendor & also our general vendor selling everything your kitties need including lots of toys!!!

### **Cat creations by Karen - Karen Bernier**

carries hand crocheted beds, cat toys, cat-themed t-shirts, and gifts for humans.

### **Touchstone crystal by Swarovski**

Anne Marie Short - fabulously sparkly jewelry!!!

### **Quilts by paula - Paula Diaz**

Handmade quilts, blankets, and pillows with cats. These are products that you cannot find just anywhere. One of a kind.

### **Paisley's pretties - Debbie Curtis**

Custom covers for pop-ups and wire cages, carrier covers, hammocks, and cage pads.

### **AT HOME MOBILE VETERINARY**

Dr. Gransky – Full Service Veterinary  
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### **RAWZ NATURAL PET FOOD**

Will be handing out fee samples. Wet and dry minimally processed natural food. New product is dry Rabbit food for cats.

Profits go to supporting:  
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## **FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS**

### **Can I Touch The Cats At The Show?**



Only after asking permission! Some exhibitors will need to say no; A lot of work goes into bathing and grooming the cats to prepare them for show.

You may be asked to wipe your hands with a wash for the same reason judges do between handling each cat.

### **Can I Take Photos of the Cats At The Show?**

Certainly! Please ask permission of the cat's owner, especially if you will be close to the cat and be using a flash.



### **Can I Ask A Judge Questions?**

NEVER walk into a ring or ring caging area!

If a judge is not handling and evaluating a cat, s/he will be pleased to answer questions.

Do remember the judge may need to move on to judging or preparing to judge more cats.

### **Why Won't An Exhibitor Talk To Me?**

At that moment s/he may be preoccupied with listening for their cat's number to be called to a ring, grooming their cat, or conversing with other exhibitors.



Unless otherwise occupied, the majority will be delighted to speak with you. If unable to talk at that moment, visit later when not as busy.

### **How can I tell when a breed or particular cat is being judged?**

Ask what the cat's number(s) is from the exhibitor. Then listen for a ring announcement to bring that cat to the judges ring.

While there is a schedule each judge follows, invariably adjustments do occur as needed during the show. However the exhibitor whose cat you are curious about may have a rough idea as to when s/he will be going to the next ring

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## **VOTE FOR YOUR FAVORITE CAT**

Ask the cat's human for his exhibitor number, write it down on the Post-It strip and drop it into the bowl at the entrance table.  
(an exhibitor may have more than one cat so be sure to get the right number)