

# Burmese CC Online Show 7 – 14 October 2020

## Show Manager Carole Kemp

*Carole Kempe is one of the Virtual Show Managers that have taken the lead in arranging online shows over the last few months. She hopes that by doing so that she will give the cat show world a bit of fun and enjoyment. Carole is proud to say she has helped run a huge show at the start of lockdown, and now has run three by herself which have been enormously successful.*

*Before COVID 19 Carole had been showing with the GCCF since 1995 when she entered her rescued Manx called Squirrel at a local charity show.*

*Carole said she was bitten by the cat show bug there and then, and bought her first pedigree cat, a Norwegian Forest Cat in 1998, followed by another of the same breed in 2003. Since then, Carole has also shown Birmans and now has a Nebelung, as well as her beautiful non-pedigree pet, Tiggs, a tabby and white shorthair. In 2018, Tiggs was awarded Best In Show, at her first-ever show, and followed by Supreme Kitten and Reserve Overall Exhibit at the Supreme Show 2018.*

## Prizes

**The Overall Best In Show Burmese** will feature as a NAMED cat on the Front Cover of Winter 2020 edition of the Burmese Cat Club News, with a 2-page article inside.

The owner of the winning cat will need to be able to produce a good quality, portrait photo of the winning cat with a high pixel/dpi ratio as possible. The two-page article may also contain photos and will need to be between 1000, 1100 words. (If you've not written anything before the BCC editorial team can help you with this.)

Sponsored by Robin & Carolyn Kempe, the winner of the Overall Best In Show Burmese will receive a club rosette with the winner's name on the tail.

**Best of Variety** winners Adult, Kitten and Neuter will feature in the Winter 2020 edition of the Burmese Cat Club News, along with their judges' comments.

**The Overall Pedigree Pet winner of Class 11** will have their photo in the in the Winter 2020 edition of the Burmese Cat Club News, along with their judges' comments. Sponsored by Robin & Carolyn Kempe, the winner of Class 11 will receive a club rosette with the winners' name on the tail.

**The Overall Non-Pedigree winner of Class 12** will have their photo in the in the Winter 2020 edition of the Burmese Cat Club News, along with their judges' comments. Sponsored by Robin & Carolyn Kempe, the winner of Class 12 will receive a club rosette with the winners' name on the tail.

All Class Winners (classes 1 – 19) photos will feature in the Winter 2020 edition of the Burmese Cat Club News. Placings 1-3 will be listed in the will feature in the Winter 2020 edition of the Burmese Cat Club News.

PDF Certificates will be given to the winners of each class, along with 2nd and 3rd placings..

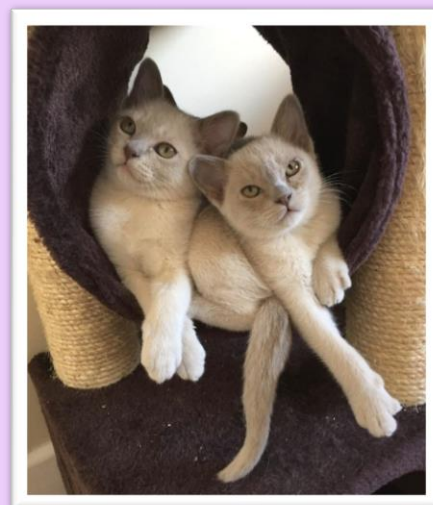
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## Classes

### Burmese Only Colour Classes

- Class 1 Brown Burmese - **Judge Chris Bone**
- Class 2 Blue Burmese - **Judge Tommy Goss**
- Class 3 Chocolate Burmese - **Judge Steve Crow**
- Class 4 Lilac Burmese - **Judge Maria Chapman-Beer**
- Class 5 Red Burmese - **Judge Carolyn Kempe**
- Class 6 Cream Burmese - **Judge Joyce Dell**
- Class 7 Brown-Tortie Burmese – **Judge Kym Jarvis**
- Class 8 Blue-Tortie Burmese – **Judge Sue Neate**
- Class 9 Chocolate-Tortie Burmese – **Judge Carolyn Kempe**
- Class 10 Lilac Tortie Burmese – **Georgina Anderson-Keeble**

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## Household and Pedigree Pet Classes

Class 11 Pedigree Pet – **Judge Robin Kempe**

Class 12 Non-Pedigree Pet - **Judge Lesley Szwed**

## Fun Classes

Class 13 Any Cat or Kitten registered with the GCCF – **Judge Penny Akehurst**

Class 14 Any Cat or Kitten owned by a Senior Citizen  
(over 60) – **Judge Sharon Thornton**

Class 15 Any Burmese lookalike – **Judge Perri Mansaray**

Class 16 Group photo of any cats but must have more than 3 cats in  
the photo – **Judge Jean Huyton**

Class 17 Outdoor Photo of any cat or kitten – **Judge Witolda Maruszevska**

Class 18 Cat or Kitten with another animal – **Judge Carol Walker**

Class 19 Any Rainbow Bridge Cat or Kitten – **Judge Kirstyn Nicholas Lumley**



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**The Best of Variety (Adult, Kitten, Neuter) judge will be Mr John Hansson**

**The Overall Burmese Judge will be Joyce Green**

## Rules

1. The Burmese Cat Club online show is open to any cat. You do not need to be a member of the club to enter, but you will need to be the current owner of the cat/kitten. The only exception to this is rule 2b.
2. 2 a) You can enter the show as many times as you like, with as many cats as you like, although each cat may enter any class just ONCE. b) Kitten photos of adult cats are allowed, but you must have been the owner/breeder of the kitten at the time the photo was taken. c) There are special conditions for the Group entry class. Please see rule No. 9.
3. If you have a Burmese which you wish to enter into one of the ten colour classes (just the same as a live show) then you will need to submit the following. We will need TWO or THREE photos, at least one of a sideways headshot to show the cat's profile, and one full body shot. For all other classes 11-19 inclusive we will only need ONE photo. No Photoshopped or enhanced photos are allowed.
4. ALL photos for any class in the show need to be labelled with the following upon submission. Only the pet name of your cat and its age, followed by its sex (M=male, F=female, MN=male neuter, FN= female neuter). Kittens are counted as kittens up to and including 9 months of age. If an adult/neutered cat is a rescue cat, their approximate age in years will suffice.
5. The Burmese Cat Club Online Show is being run on Facebook where it has a dedicated page. There are three ways to enter. If you are a member of Facebook, simply follow the link on the BCC Club page. Or you can follow the link on our club website page [www.burmesecatclub.com](http://www.burmesecatclub.com). Or you can send your photo(s) direct to Carole Kemp via email at [catwoman444@msn.com](mailto:catwoman444@msn.com). Or if you wish to enter by post you can send it to Carol Walker 11 St Saviours Close, Bamber Bridge, Preston, PR5 6AH. (We are sorry, but we can not return any posted photos.) If you are submitting your entry by email or post, please make sure you list the appropriate class(es) you wish to enter, and give your phone number. We are sorry but we cannot take responsibility for undelivered postal items or emails.
6. Once you have entered your class/es if you see any comments beneath the photo regarding the entry made by administrator please follow their instructions. e.g. you may have forgotten to give the sex or age of your cat or entered under their given pedigree name. Your entry will be disqualified if the additional information/change of name is not corrected by the time the show closes.
7. The show will run for 8 days.
8. Please read the class descriptions and make sure that you enter your cat in the correct class/es. If you are unsure of the colour of your Burmese, please contact Carolyn Kempe for assistance via email at [kempe.oakenshield@gmail.com](mailto:kempe.oakenshield@gmail.com).
9. Group Entries. Multiple group photos featuring ALL the same cats are NOT permitted, but an overlap of one cat between 2 photos are allowed.
10. The Judges decisions are final. Judges may enter a class that they are not judging since no correspondence between judges will be entered into.
11. No professional photos or photos with watermarks are allowed.
12. Cats at Rainbow Bridge are NOT permitted to enter classes 1 to 10 inclusive, this is because the first prize being offered may need an additional photo of the winning entry for the front cover, which wouldn't be possible for these cats.
13. Please no photos of cats or kittens sitting inside household appliances. These will be automatically disqualified.
14. If you would like to sponsor a class/es please do contact Carol Kemp for assistance.
15. The show is being staffed entirely by volunteers who love cats so please bear with us, and if you're unsure about anything just ask. Just have fun, and enter as many times as you like.