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Beatrice M. Moyse (Miss)

NATIONAL CAT CLUB SHOW

At the National Cat Club Show at Olympia on December 13th we are going to have a stall, in order to meet Members and to raise funds for the club. If you have kittens for sale, bring along a notice for the Sale Board. The information section is for you to use, and to make use of, so your support will be welcome. Mrs Warner will be selling her fabulous pottery cats and other animals (25% discount to Members - so come early or you will be unlucky). Mrs. Hudson will be running a cakes and provisions stall. Most of you will soon be making your Christmas cakes and puddings. Why not an extra one for the **TABBY POINTED SIAMESE CAT SOCIETY**? We shall need preserves, sweets, cakes, puddings, - in fact, anything edible. Will you contribute one or more of these? Stalls are expensive, but with your help, we can make this a real success.

Mrs Hudson will be at Olympia from 8.30 am on the morning of the show to receive contributions, so please bring what you can - or send them beforehand to Mrs Hudson (Quakers, High Halden, near Ashford, Kent). Lastly, please let her know as soon as possible what you can offer (Tel. High Halden 251 or 0233-85-251).

DON'T FORGET - there will be something of personal interest to you awaiting your arrival - please collect it from the stall and so save our postage bill.

Meet you at...

OLYMPIA

Saturday December 13th

Hon. Secretary - Miss B.J. Perkins • Summerdale • Ersham Road • Hailsham • Sussex

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THE SUMMERDALE CUP will be awarded to the member whose cat wins the most points in club classes throughout the season; cats, kittens and neuters eligible. Winners of other club trophies are excluded. Points to be given - 3 for a first, 2 for a second, 1 for a third.

These cups and trophies will be presented to the winners at the AGM each spring, to be held for one year. A rosette will also be given to commemorate the award.

Rosettes will also be given for any cat who is nominated for Best in Show at any championship show, irrespective of whether it is won. This award must be claimed, in writing, to the Secretary, by the cat's owner. Please give full details, (show, date, etc.) and obtain confirmation (also in writing) from another member at the show, who can vouch for it, or from the judge who made the nomination.

SUBSCRIPTIONS To be eligible to compete for our cups and trophies at any show, Members' subscriptions must be fully paid up by that date. Subscriptions are due on January 1st each year and the competition 'season' will be from January 1st until December 31st. Please make every effort to pay promptly so that you are not disappointed by failing to qualify for a cup! The subscription is 10/- a year, or 15/- for a double membership (Two in same household). If you pay by Banker's Order, please note that our account is held at Barclay's Bank, Market Street, Hailsham, Sussex.

RULES OF THE SOCIETY Enclosed with this letter is a copy of the Rules. Please read them carefully. A sub-committee is revising these Rules, and you will be asked to vote on amendments at the next AGM. Will you please let the Secretary know if there is anything you would like to change or perhaps retain unaltered? Your suggestions will be welcomed by the sub-committee.

CLUB ACTIVITIES During the summer, we have had a most pleasant garden picnic at Mrs Warner's home. We thoroughly enjoyed ourselves, playing games, admiring the cats, meeting other Members, talking and eating - we were most reluctant to go home.

At the Kentish Cat Society Show in June, we had an information stall concerning the club and tabby pointed cats. This made an attractive meeting point for Members, and also attracted attention from exhibitors and the public. Both these ventures helped the club funds, so we are encouraged to repeat them.

PEDIGREE FORMS Do Members want club pedigree forms? We have received one or two enquiries, but we are uncertain if there is sufficient demand. If you would like to have some available, please write and say so, and give some idea of how many you would want. If sufficient Members reply, we shall supply them.

Now that club membership is growing so big, Lynx Links cannot be circulated as it was in the early days. So that you can be in close touch with the history and developments of the Club, we suggest that you compile YOUR OWN PERSONAL FILE. A suitable folder for this purpose will be sent to you when this can be arranged. Meanwhile, please keep safely the enclosed contribution from Mrs

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Many beautiful cats and kittens are being sold as pets that are well worth showing. Neuter classes have not attracted good entries, and many pet owners do not think it worth while. In order to encourage the showing of neuters, both adult cats and kittens, the Society is providing extra classes for them where Show Managers agree. In addition, a new trophy is to be added, and will be awarded to the neutered cat or kitten who wins the most points in club classes throughout the season.

CLUB STALL

The Club ran a double stall at the National Cat Show at Olympia in December and if you were there you will echo my praise for the people who made it look so beautiful. Except for the exhibits in their pens, I think it was the loveliest thing in the hall. The produce section, run by Mrs Hudson, and helped by a number of members, was so temptingly displayed that the whole lot was quickly sold. More contributions arrived as the day went on and the customers came and went, delighted with their home-made cakes and sweets, etc. Mrs Warner was in charge of her pottery section and was busy all day serving customers, our Members were able to buy at 25% discount. Reigning over all, was a model Tabby-point, over four feet high, beautiful in her velvet stripes and sequin adornments, with a cheerful little Christmas tree across her raised paw, and managing to distribute a personal greetings card to every member at the same time. The profit from these combined efforts came to over £24. Seven new members were enrolled and a great many supporters met at the Stall for a chat and a rest. P.M.S.

MONEY MATTERS

Please don't take this to be a sting in the tail, but as Treasurer I must point out to you that what we use for money in our Club, is money! Can you help to swell the funds in one of the following ways. First, enrol customers or a friend as a Member; use an official form for this and see that they are proposed and seconded. Second, look at the list of members, see who lives in your district, get together and run a competition or small social event. Third, think of a scheme involving the whole Club and tell your Secretary. Fourth, when there is a Show near your home, consider running a Club stall. The Committee will help. Fifth, I expect you HAVE paid you sub.? Philippa Simmons.

●KIRASH SIAMESE OFFER FOR SALE●

KIRASH OLIVER 32. 2ccs.
DATE OF BIRTH: 9.8.1968

SIRE: CH. KIRASH CURRY CP. DAM: KIRASH TIGER MOTH SEAL TAB. PT.
A PALE COATED SEAL TABBY-POINT CARRYING CHOCOLATE. OLIVER IS
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Enquiries to: Mrs S.Beeley, Forest Farm, Derby Road, Kirkby-in-Ashfield,
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MAY 1971

A. G. M. REPORT

The 6th A.G.M. was held on the 12th of May 1970. The meeting was attended by 15 Members.

The Secretary reported on the work done during the year, and members were asked to contribute towards the 1970 membership drive. The Secretary is applying to the Society for membership cards.

Club classes were held on the 12th of May and with the increase in membership a satisfactory level was reached.

A start has been made on the new List of Members (1970) and Mrs Warner's article on the 1970 subscription drive was approved at the A.G.M. and posted sometime in May 1970.

We have received much in evidence at shows, and most of the spread in the Society's trophies and roses towards the National; the profits from the committee meeting were used towards the 1970 subscription drive.

The Secretary is encouraging members to contribute towards the 1970 subscription drive.

Officers elected for 1970

Chairman Mr C.E.Hudson Vice chairman Mr R.G.Silson
Retiring committee members Mrs Silson and Mrs Warner were re-elected.
Mrs D.Yorke was elected to fill the vacancy caused by Mrs Hudson's re-
signation (due to ill-health).
Delegate to the Governing Council of the Cat Fancy
Mr R.G.Silson Substitute delegate Mr C.E.Hudson
Delegates to the Joint Advisory Siamese Committee
Miss Griffiths Mr R.G.Silson

FUTURE EVENTS

Mr and Mrs Hudson have kindly invited Members and their friends to visit 'Quakers' one day in September. Date is yet to be fixed and details will be published later.

Plans are going ahead for a cocktail party to be held in London in late November, when it is hoped that Members may be in town for their Christmas shopping.

On both occasions we shall include a bring-and-buy stall, to raise funds for the Society.

NEW MEMBERS

Since the last Newsletter in November, we have been delighted to welcome the following new Members:

Mrs A.Aslin, Mrs Hirst, Mrs D.L.Badcock, Mrs V.Dawkins, Mr and Mrs Lyon, Mrs B.Walsh, Mr and Mrs Niblett, Mr and Mrs Bunbury, Mrs Munro, Mr M.Worral, Mrs M.Sargeant, Mrs Govan and Mr and Mrs Songhurst.

We wish them every success and happiness with their tabby pointed cats and look forward to meeting them at shows.

8 VERY GOOD REASONS FOR JOINING OUR SOCIETY!

The Society provided club classes (for Members only) in all major shows

- awards cups and trophies
- presents rosettes for cats nominated for Best in Show
- offers news of kittens and adults for sale
- advises on breeding problems
- holds social events
- circulates a Newsletter
- provided Members with a personal file

The Society founded in 1964 under the name of the Lynx Pointed Cat Club, is the only club which specialises in tabby pointed Siamese.

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SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

Mrs Munro gave a Barbecue Party at her Fairdinkum Cattery on Sunday July 5th. This was thoroughly enjoyed by Members and Visitors alike, and a good sum was donated to Club Funds. Our grateful thanks are due to Mrs Munro for her hospitality.

Another successful occasion was the Open Day at Quakers, beautifully organised by Mrs Hudson and her family. Here, a bring and buy stall helped to swell our Funds, and we again offer our sincere thanks.

For those members in the London area, there will be a Christmas Party on Saturday December 5th at 30 Ponsonby Terrace, SW1 (close to Vauxhall Bridge) at 6.30 pm. There will be a Bring and Buy stall for Christmas Gifts.

We shall want to know how many are coming, so please complete the attached slip and post and soon as possible. The last opportunity for letting us know will be at the Club Stall at the National on November 28th.

The Siamese Cat Club will be holding a conference on the same day at the Y.W.C.A., on 'Siamese matters'. If you are attending that, what better way to finish the day than to come on to our party? Please try to come - as with any party, the more people, the more fun!

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NEW MEMBERS

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Mrs Diana Burton
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To Miss B.J.Perkins, Summerdale, Ersham Road, Hailsham, Sx. (Tel. Hailsham 54)

We shall be coming to the Christmas Party on December 5th.

There will be _____ Members and _____ friends coming.

I enclose £ _____ (12/6d per person)

NAME _____ TEL. No. _____

ADDRESS _____

Please post before November 26th, or hand in at Club Stall at Olympia on November 28th.

AH WELL, WE'RE NOT PERFECT EITHER!

This last year seems to have given us more than our fair share of mishaps. Our usual show support was sent in for the Siamese Cat Society of the British Empire show. However, the gremlins got at it. Our classes were omitted, and classes allotted to the T.P.S. & P.B.C.C. were labelled 'in association with the Lynx Cat Club'. Only two years out of date! The Show Manager thought he could cater for our members, and an announcement in Fur and Feather to this effect was asked for. However, nothing came of these suggestions - the Reading gremlins must be powerful!

At the Siamese Cat Club show, we were mildly surprised to find that our advertisement made no reference to the Club Stall that day, but when the catalogue of the Northern Counties Cat Club show arrived, it was electrifying to discover we had invited our Members to visit a non-existent stall! Did you notice?

Our change of name - now at least eighteen months old - causes confusion to some. The Siamese Cat Club schedule called us the Tabby Pointed Siamese Cat Club, but got it right in time for the show catalogue. The Joint Advisory Committee (Siamese) still addresses us as the Lynx Pointed Cat Club in spite of meeting our delegates at their meetings.

Ah, well,

CUPS AND TROPHIES

Our vice-president, Miss E. Alexander, has most generously presented the Society with a cup to commemorate 'Pattie', her first tabby point, who was one of the very earliest.

Another generous gift of a cup comes from Mrs Lentaigne, in memory of 'Chippie Lentaigne'.

On behalf of the Members, thank you very much, Miss Alexander and Mrs Lentaigne. The Committee will shortly decide how these new cups are to be awarded - this year's show results will count towards them, so maybe you will be one of the lucky ones.

The 1970 show year is nearly at an end, with only one or two more shows to come. The following cats are amongst the Top Cats of the Society, and are in the running for the Society's trophies -

Moonfleet Aquila	Pendlemist Markova
Seremban Liger	Supra Tai Pan

Others are close on their heels, so it will be a near thing, perhaps.

KITTEN REGISTRAR

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