Bengal Breed Summit

The CFA Board of Directors has granted permission for a Breed Summit at the 2019 Bengal Alliance show.

Special Evaluation class – Abyssinian, Bengals and Somalis only (10 cat limit)– Judge Darrell Newkirk. Must enter separately and cat must be entered in regular show. Exhibitors may enter as many as they would like up to the class limit. Class will be at 8:00 a.m. on Sunday. All cats will receive a written evaluation but will not be ranked or scored.

Best of the Best:

The following special breed awards have been approved:

In all rings, all Bengal classes (Kittens, Championship and Premiership) will be judged by breed. Judges will hang each class as usual and award breed wins in each category.

They will then award their "Best of the Best" regardless of class as follows:

0-15 entries: Top three Best of the Best 16-24 entries: Top four Best of the Best

25 entries or more: Top five Best of the Best

At the end of the Sunday show, top three in each category in each breed will be awarded based on class judging (ties broken by finals).

And, over all BEST in each breed will be awarded based on the Best of the Best scoring (ties broken by finals).

Abyssinian Midwest Breeders will be presenting awards for the highest scoring Aby and Somali per class at the end of the show, calculated on breed awards & finals.

All Abyssinians, Bengals and Somalis will be benched by breed. Saturday after the show there will be a Bengal breed workshop in the show hall immediately following the conclusion of judging. Participants will need to sign up in advance (limit of 12 per breed). Contact Sami at samanthakerr@akerrsbengals.com to participate.

Saturday evening there will be a Bengal breed dinner with a breed seminar @ 7:30. All Bengal breeders/exhibitors welcome – reservations required. To make reservations, email Sami at samanthakerr@akerrsbengals.com