The Global Egyptian Mau Society (GEMS)

Saturday, July 30, 2016

Richmond Raceways Complex Richmond, VA 23222



6-Ring Show (5 AB/1 SP) -- 225 cat limit



Visit the GEMS Web Site at: www.egyptianmau.org

Show Manager: Tim Fowler, email: tfowlerdc@gmail.com (202) 543-2733

Closing Date - 6:00 p.m. Tues. July 26, 2016 or when limit is reached

Entry Fees:

\$52.00 - 1st entry (includes catalog) **\$45.00** - 2nd entry (same owner) \$35.00 - 3rd entry (same owner) \$145.00 – 4 pack special (same owner) **\$25.00 –** 5th etc. (same owner) \$10.00 - Special Evaluation Class -Egyptian Maus only - \$10.00 must enter separately Free ¹/₂ cage with 3, 5 or 7 entries **\$25.00** – ½ or sales cage \$35.00 - Grooming space \$10.00 - End of Row (single entry must purchase an extra $\frac{1}{2}$ cage) Use of security cage with a single entry will require the purchase of an extra $\frac{1}{2}$ cage \$40.00 - Full page ad \$30.00 – ½ page ad

\$15.00 – ¹/₄ page ad

Show Hall: Richmond Raceway Complex, Colonial Bldg., 600 East Laburnum Avenue, Richmond, VA 23222 The Show Hall is both beated a

23222. The Show Hall is both heated and air-conditioned. This is a Non-Smoking facility. Parking is free for exhibitors and spectators.

Entries: Entries must be typed or printed legibly, signed and submitted on an official CFA entry form or acceptable copy. Email entries must include all information normally on the Official entry form. Entries

from the online entry form are equivalent to Official entry forms.

Make checks payable to GEMS. <u>Cash</u> is required if paying the day of the

show at the door. Email and faxed entries will be accepted at no additional charge. A \$35 check fee will be charged on all returned checks. Sorry, NO PAYPAL accepted.

Hours: Check-In 7:00 AM – 8:00 AM. Judging hours are 8:30 AM-5 PM. Doors open to the public 9 AM–4 PM. Show Hotel: Clarion Hotel Richmond Central 3207 N Blvd. Richmond, VA 23230. Ph: 804-359-9441. Rate \$73.00 NO PET FEE. MUST call and book under GEMS Cat Show to have Pet fee waived. Cut off is 7/23/16. Use 3207 Hermitage Rd, Richmond VA for GPS directions.

Supplies: Clay litter will be provided. Please bring your own litter pans, cat food, and water/food dishes.

Health: This is a non-vetted show. It is strongly advised that all cats or kittens entered or present in the show hall be inoculated before entry by a licensed veterinarian against feline panleukopenia (formerly known as feline distemper or feline infectious enteritis), feline rhinotracheitis, calici viruses and rabies. It is also strongly recommended that cats

and kittens be tested and found negative for FeLV before entry. All cats must be free of mites, fleas, fungus and any contagious illnesses. **Exhibitors in violation will be told to leave the show hall.**

General: CFA Show rules will be strictly enforced. Copy of rules may be found at www.cfa.org/Publications/CFAManuals.aspx. All cats/kittens must have all claws clipped prior to benching. Declawed cats are not eligible for competition. All entries in Championship (except Novice), Premiership (except Novice), Agility (if offered), registered Kittens, recorded Household Pets, and registered cats competing as Household Pets with an Household Pet color class prefix will be scored for CFA awards. It is the Exhibitors responsibility to check entry confirmation and notify entry clerk of any errors.

Benching: No refunds for failure to bench or once your entry has been received by the entry clerk!! All Egyptian Maus will be benched together. Benching for all others will be by exhibitor and no changes in assignment will be allowed without permission of the Show Manager. Cages are 22"W x 22"H x 22"D. One benching request made at the time of entry will be honored whenever possible.

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Egyptian Mau Breed Summit

The CFA Board of Directors has granted permission for a Breed Summit at the 2016 GEMS show

Special Evaluation class – Egyptian Maus only (10 cat limit)– Judge Melanie Morgan. Must enter separately and cat must be entered in regular show. Exhibitors may enter as many Egyptian Maus as they would like up to the class limit. Class will be at end of regular judging in Specialty ring. 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 the 5 All Breed rings, all Egyptian Mau classes (Kittens, Championship and Premiership) will be judged together. Judges will hang each class as usual and award top three in each category.

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

0-14 Egyptian Mau entries: Top three Best of the Best

15-25 Egyptian Mau entries: Top four Best of the Best

26 Egyptian Mau entries or more: Top five Best of the Best

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

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

All Egyptian Maus will be benched by breed. Saturday after the show there will be a dinner with breed seminar. All Egyptian Mau breeders/exhibitors welcome – reservations required. Cost \$15.00. To make reservations email Pat at psummersdc@gmail.com.