

**SHEBOYGAN COUNTY 4-H CAT PROJECT**  
**22<sup>nd</sup> ANNUAL HOUSEHOLD PET OPEN CAT SHOW**

**Sunday, April 24, 2016**

Blue Line Ice Center, 1202 South Wildwood Avenue, Sheboygan WI  
Check-in & Vet-in: 7:30 - 8:30 a.m. Show starts at 9:00 a.m. SHARP!!!

Spectator Admission Fee: \$1.00

(One admission included in entry fee. Any youth entry may include one parent without additional admission cost)

You are cordially invited to the 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Household Pet Open Cat Show sponsored by the Sheboygan County 4-H Cat Project. This is an open fun show for household pet cats and the people who love them. **You do not need to be a 4-H member to show your cat.** This show is for cats and kittens 4 months and older. Adults are over 8 months old and must be spayed or neutered. PREGNANT CATS CANNOT BE SHOWN! NO cats are to be sold at this show.

## ***Season Purrmere – Paws off my Remote!***

Use your favorite television show for the theme of your cage decorations for the cage decorating contest and the costume contest (dress your cat or you and your cat). Be creative!

**Format: Two Rings & Two Judges.** Each judge will judge Specialty, meaning longhairs against longhairs, shorthairs against shorthairs and kittens against kittens. Each entry that is judged will receive a Participation Ribbon. Each cat that finals will receive a Rosette. Other exceptional awards will be given at the close of the day.

All cats must have their nails clipped or be declawed and have current vaccinations. If your cat does not pass vet-in, you cannot show them and we cannot refund your fees. Your cat should be brought to the show in a carrier. Cats will be housed in benching cages provided during the show. Each cage is 45X22X22 and houses 2 cats. If you only have 1 cat you will receive half of the cage (22X22X22). The cages have wire dividers to separate cats. You do have the option of purchasing the other half of the cage for \$10 if your cat needs more room. You must bring suitable material to cover the back, sides, top and floor of cage. If you choose to bring your own cage, it must not exceed the measurements of the provided cages. **You must provide food, water and a litter box in the cage.**

**Entries and copies of shot records are due no later than April 13, 2016 – No late entries will be accepted!**

<b>Entry fee schedule as follows:</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> cat</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> cat</b>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> cat and up</b>	<b>Extra Half-Cage</b>
	\$15.00	\$12.00	\$10.00	\$10.00

For more information or questions contact Becky at (414) 467-3170, or email us at

[sheboygancounty4hcatshow@gmail.com](mailto:sheboygancounty4hcatshow@gmail.com)

**Helpful Hints:** A spay is an altered female cat. A neuter is an altered male cat. Cats are pattern and color classified.

**Cat Colors:** Grey is called BLUE. Orange is called RED. Light Tan is called CREAM. Black is BLACK. White is WHITE.

**Cat Patterns:** If your cat is all one color it is a SOLID. If your cat's ears, tail, muzzle and feet are darker than the rest of the body, and the cat has blue eyes, it is a POINTED cat. If your cat has stripes, spots or circular swirls and an "M" on its forehead, it is a TABBY. If your cat has a mixed coat of red and black (no white), it is a TORTOISESHELL. If the coloring in your TORTIE is Blue and Cream, it is a DILUTE TORTIE. If your cat has patches of red, black and a distinct area of white, it is a TORTIE & WHITE. Any cat with white areas larger than the size of a quarter add "AND WHITE" to the pattern (i.e SOLID & WHITE, TABBY & WHITE, POINTED & WHITE etc).

**If you are unsure of your cat's color or pattern, send a photo with your entry or email a photo to Sarah Shallue at [sheboygancounty4hcatshow@gmail.com](mailto:sheboygancounty4hcatshow@gmail.com) or [sarahshallue@gmail.com](mailto:sarahshallue@gmail.com)**

Use one form for each cat/kitten entered:

Exhibitor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ County: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Cat's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Cat's Birth date (Month & Year): \_\_\_\_\_

Circle One: NEUTER SPAY MALE-KITTEN FEMALE-KITTEN Circle One: SHORTHAIR LONGHAIR

Cat's Color/Pattern: \_\_\_\_\_ Eye Color: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you bringing your own cage (cannot exceed standard cage 22X22X22)? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a first time exhibitor? \_\_\_\_\_ Is this your cat's first show? \_\_\_\_\_ Are you in 4H? \_\_\_\_\_ 4H

County \_\_\_\_\_

Does your cat have any special handicaps (blind, deaf etc)? \_\_\_\_\_

Benching Request (next to family/friend, handicap accessible etc)

\*We cannot guarantee benching requests but will accommodate you to the best of our ability!

**A copy of the current shot records including distemper combo and rabies MUST accompany this form.**

Please make checks payable to: **Sheboygan County 4-H Cat Project** and mail to:

Sarah Shallue, entry clerk

W8253 Ash Road, Cascade, WI 53011

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