

# Mid-Island Shorthair Cat Club Inc

Formed on 9 August 1992.

The Club has a membership base that extends from north of Whangarei to Palmerston North. The club show usually migrates round the smaller towns of the greater Waikato region. Recent venues have been Matamata, Te Awamutu, Waihi and Morrinsville. We deliberately try to keep the club show at between 100 and 150 cats.

The Clubs Primary Objectives are:

- 1 To stimulate and encourage improvement in the type, colour, well being and wider appreciation of Shorthair Cats;
- 2 To assist members with the showing and breeding of these cats by the production and dissemination of information on these cats, their registration and showing status, welfare and genetics;
- 3 To provide a focus and forum for breeders and owners of all shorthair cats who are members of this club and who reside within the geographical area within 200km of TIRAU.
- 4 To hold meetings and/or social functions for persons interested in furthering their knowledge and understanding of Shorthair Cats and to enable Club Members to express their views on matters that concern the club.

We rarely have Executive Meetings as an Ordinary General Meeting of the Club is held bimonthly between February and November. Because of the distances that some members travel to these meetings we usually start with a lunch and then the meeting. At these meetings all members of the club are equal participants. We elected our first Life Member, Jill Dugan, in 2006, acknowledging her contribution from being the Club's foundation Secretary through to today. We are active within the NZCF with club members being involved with the management of the National Show, Judging and serving on the National Executive Committee.

Should you wish to join us, you will receive a warm welcome. Please contact the Club Secretary whose contact details are on the link you followed to get to this page.