

AMERICAN SHORTHAIR BREED COUNCIL MEETING



New Orleans, Louisiana

June 28, 2014

Bob Zenda, ASH Breed Council Secretary

SINCE WE LAST MET

Breed Council Ballot Passed

- Ticked Tabby Colors accepted
- Missing “and White” colors added
- Miscellaneous housekeeping issues fixed
- Poor voting turnout (25 votes; 48 members)

China American Shorthair Fancier Club accepted

- 1st official CFA ASH club outside USA
- Show scheduled for November 8-9, 2014

ASH Color/Pattern Ratios

registrations during calendar year shown

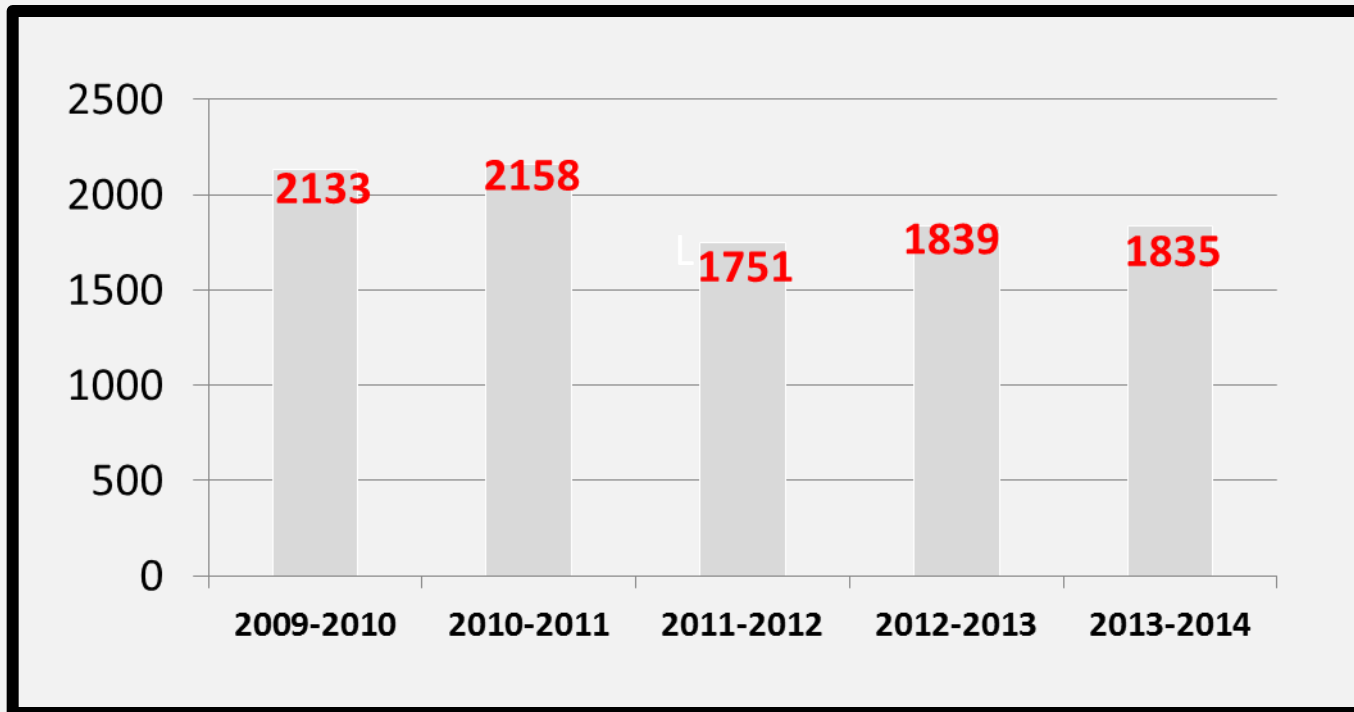
(number in parentheses is adjusted total number of registrations)

2013			2012		2011		1996	
Solid Colors	13	1.6%	19	2.4%	24	2.4%	42	4.1%
Shaded/Smoke	9	1.1%	13	1.7%	27	3.8%	53	5.1%
Tabby	581	71.8%	569	72.8%	573	80.5%	853	82.7%
Parti-Color	2	0.2%	2	0.3%	4	0.6%	10	1.0%
Bi-Color	204	25.2%	179	22.9%	84	12.8%	71	6.9%
AOV	0	0%	0	0%	1	0.3%	3	0.3%
TOTALS	809	(TBA)	712	(1,109)	846	(1365)	1,032	(2061)

The Tabbies continue to dominate with over 70% of the total

The popularity of Bi-Colors continues to increase

ASH SHOW ENTRIES FLAT HOWEVER 6th most popular breed in CFA



-0.2% vs previous show season

2010-2014 ASH SHOW STATISTICS

2013-2014	CH	KITS	PR	TOTAL		
Regions 1-7	348	300	285	933	50.8%	
Region 8 (Japan)	188	105	56	349	19.0%	
Region 9 (Europe)	26	25	15	66	3.6%	49.2% OUTSIDE R1-7
International Division	225	177	85	487	26.5%	
TOTALS 2013-2014	787	607	441	1835	-0.2%	DECREASE
2012-2013						
Regions 1-7	308	254	286	848	46.1%	
Region 8 (Japan)	210	113	87	410	22.3%	53.9% OUTSIDE R1-7
Region 9 (Europe)	67	23	16	106	5.8%	
International Division	262	133	80	475	25.8%	
TOTALS 2012-2013	847	523	469	1839	4.8%	INCREASE
2011-2012						
Regions 1-7	453	320	321	1094	62.5%	
Region 8 (Japan)	162	62	44	268	15.3%	37.5% OUTSIDE R1-7
Region 9 (Europe)	77	30	16	123	7.0%	
International Division	128	68	70	266	15.2%	
TOTALS 2011-2012	820	480	451	1751	18.9%	DECREASE
2010-2011						
Regions 1-7	660	424	301	1385	64.2%	
Region 8 (Japan)	221	75	18	314	14.6%	35.8% OUTSIDE R1-7
Region 9 (Europe)	64	25	5	94	4.4%	
International Division	219	77	69	365	16.9%	
TOTALS 2010-2011	1164	601	393	2158	1.2%	INCREASE

2013-2014 SHOW SEASON ACHIEVEMENTS

6 NATIONAL WINNERS (NW)

2 Championship

2 Premiership

2 Kitten

29 REGIONAL WINNERS (RW) (NW not included)

9 Championship

10 Premiership

10 Kittens

12 INTERNATIONAL DIVISION WINNERS (DW)

5 Championship

3 Premiership

4 Kittens

106 GRAND CHAMPIONS/PREMIERS

11 DISTINGUISHED MERITS

2013-2014 CATTERY ACHIEVEMENTS

{Grand Champions/Grand Premiers}

- 12 - AKATA Cattery - Changsheng Xiong, China (+2 DM)**
- 10 - CAT LIFE Cattery - Zhang Jie (Kitty), China (+1 DM)**
- 6 - STEDAM - Dawn Skupin, Michigan (+1 DM)**
- 6 - TINCARBELL Cattery - Ikuko Sugita, Japan (+1DM)**
- 5 - LUCKYBOY Cattery - Zhou Ning, China (+1 DM)**
- 5 - RK GEMS Cattery - Randy-Kay Bertrand, Washington**

THE FUTURE OF OUR BREED

Genetic diversity in jeopardy

- **Restrictive breeder contracts**
 - **Started in USA; unfortunately, spread to ID**
 - **No relationship to best interest of our breed**
- **Breeders unwilling to share**
- **Infrequent use of “open” registry**

The responsibility is ours

- **Share your success & bloodlines**
- **Promote our ASH to visitors**
- **Mentor a newbie**

WHAT'S NEXT???

Breed Council meeting at World Show?

Breed Council ballot proposals

- **Standard changes?**
- **Registration procedure changes?**

Show featuring the ASH?

- **Breed Specialty ring – any club interested?**
- **NASC sponsor the ASH ring**
- **Partner with China ASH Fancier Club?**

My job is to represent you & promote the ASH

- **Nothing is off-limits**
- **Let me know your thoughts**

CFA INFORMATION RESOURCES

ASH Breed Council Yahoo Group

- Restricted to BC or NASC members
- Breed Council News
- BC ballot discussions & ballot info
- Member messaging forum

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Show Cats Online (showcatsonline.com)

- Listing of CFA ASH Breed Winners (1966-present)
- Listing of CFA ASH National Winners (1972-present)

Bob Zenda CFA Photo Gallery website

(www.bobzenda.org)

- No membership requirement or restrictions
- Best in Show photos from judging assignments
- Listing of ASH GC/GP/NW/RW/DW photos
- Copy of this presentation

HONORING CFA's

BEST

2013-2014

**2013 - 2014 Show Season
Best American Shorthair
(Premiership)**



GP, NW STEDAM CAPT. McTAVISH of MacDUFF

Silver Tabby male

Breeder: Dawn Skupin

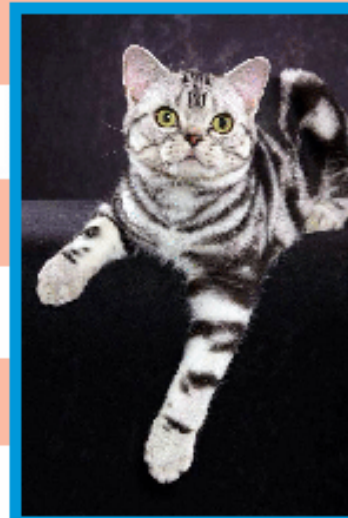
Owners: Barbara Ley-Ron Dylewski

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**2013 - 2014 Show Season
Best American Shorthair
(Kitten)**



GC, NW KIT'S MAGIC BULLET OF RICHSON

Silver Tabby male

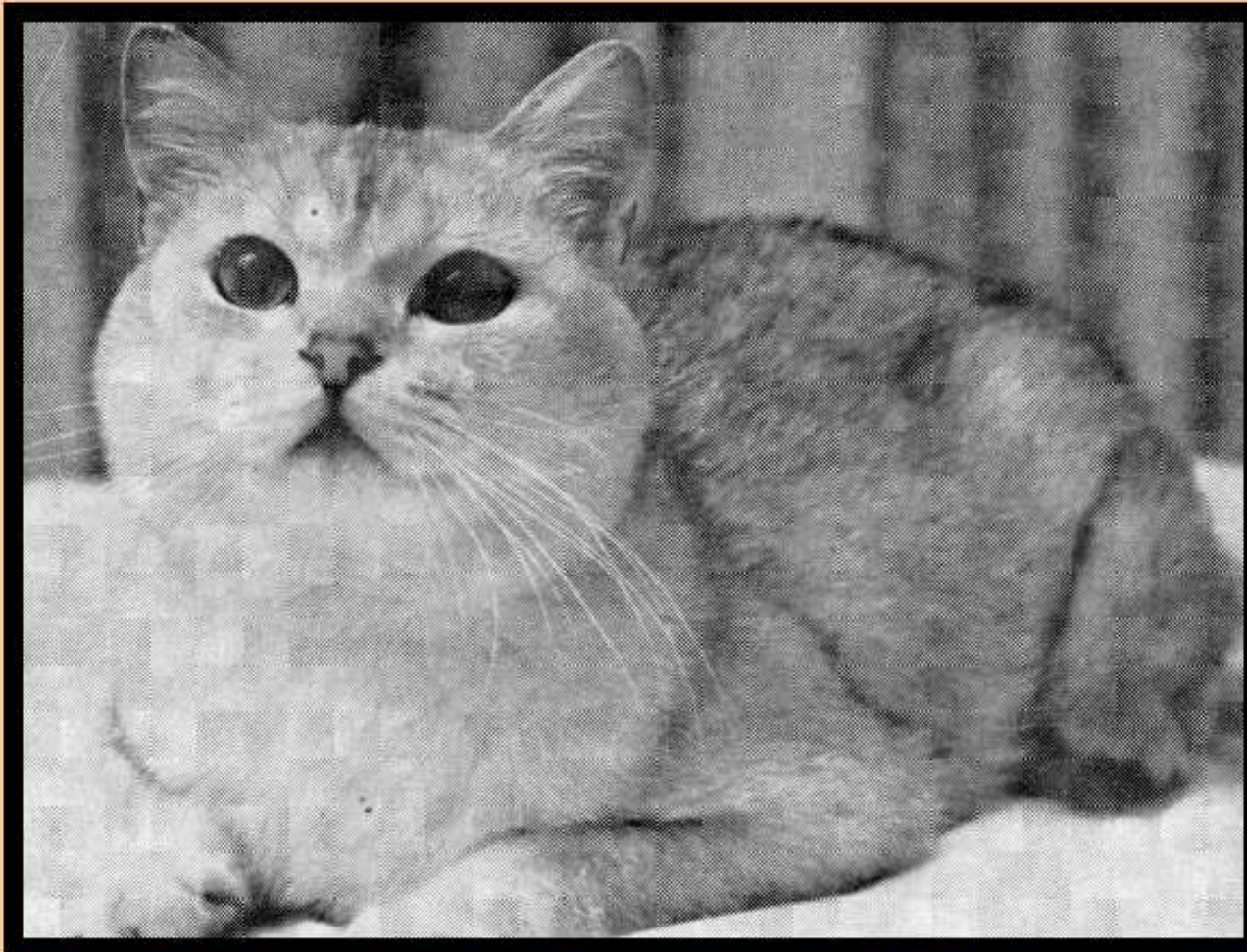
Breeders: Chun-Kit Fung-Dawn Skupin

Owners: Richard Hoskinson-Kit Fung-Joanne Yan

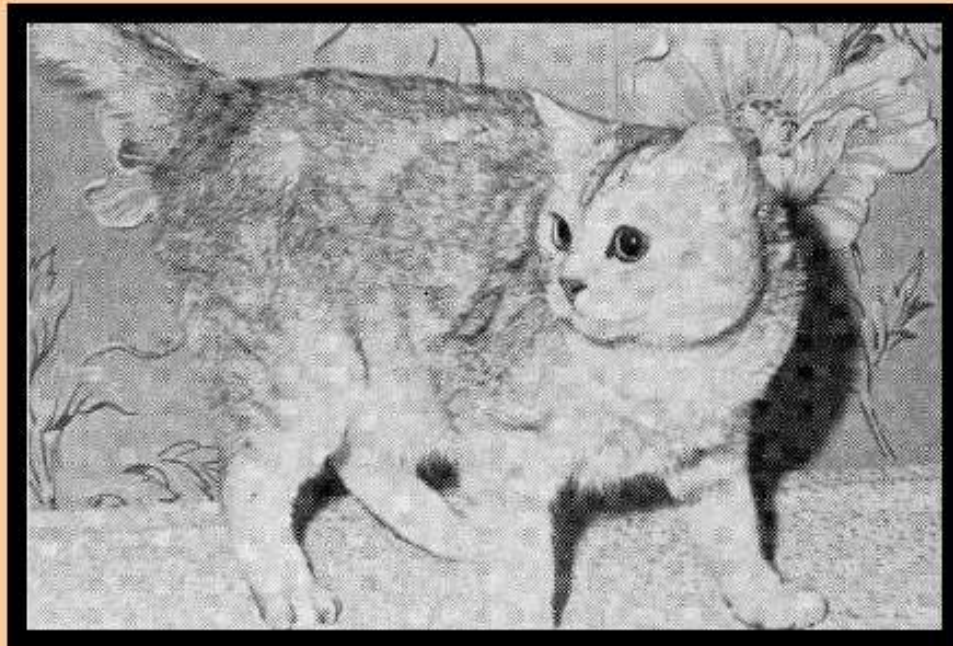
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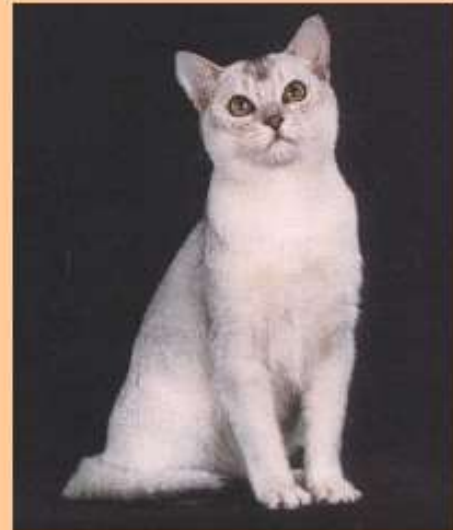




**GC Norparks Pancho of Su-mar
0732-0018**



**GC Norparks Jose of Arca
0732-0033**



GC Norparks Cortez of Clowntown



GC,RWClowntowns Shining Silvery Light



GC,RW Clowntowns Shining Silver Dollar



GC Clowntowns Silvery Moonlite of Calla



GP Clowntowns Silvery Moonflower



GC Clowntowns Shining Star



GC Clownfown's Mariposa

**2013 - 2014 Show Season
Best American Shorthair
(Championship)**



GC,BW,NW

CLOWNTOWN'S SHINING SIVER MYSTERY

Shaded Silver male

Breeders: Howard Webster-Hazel Shaffer

Owners: Howard Webster-Cindy Petrovich-Thomas Rowley

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