

Ocicats International

Membership Application



Mail to:

Secretary, Ocicats International

c/o Jacqui Bennett

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Name(s): _____ Phone: (____) _____ - _____

Address: _____

E-Mail: _____

CFA Registered Cattery Name: _____

Donation to Show Ribbon Fund (optional): \$ _____ Thank You !!

All Members:

What skills or special interest do you have? Ocicats International occasionally request member assistance in the following areas for special projects of committee work. Please circle all that apply. Thank you.

Membership/Recruitment

Feline Medicine

Genetics

Small Business Law

Finance/Fund Raising

Writing/Reporting

Printing/Publishing

Ethics/Contract Resolution

Art/Photography

Computer/Web Design

Other - _____

I/We apply for participation in Ocicats International as:

_____ Associate Member * Enter Amount if applicable

(receive newsletters and other O.I. literature)

\$15 - individual, \$20 - household, \$18/23 - overseas

Bill me/us via PayPal or other electronic means. I/We agree to pay the additional 2.9% + \$0.30 cost associated with electronic payment.

_____ Voting Member * Enter Amount if applicable

(receive newsletters and other O.I. literature, vote on O.I. club business, listing in O.I. directory of CFA breeders/exhibitors)

\$25 – individual, \$35 – household, \$28/38 – overseas

Bill me/us via PayPal or other electronic means. I/We agree to pay additional 2.9% + \$0.30 cost associated with electronic payment.

By signing below, I/we certify that:

- a) Voting Members - have a CFA registered cattery name and that I have either registered at least one litter of kittens with CFA in the past two (2) years or I have shown one Ocicat in a CFA show in the past two (2) years. I will document these activities, if requested.

OR

- b) Associate Member – want to learn more about the Ocicat breed and further the public awareness of the breed.

I/We also certify that I/We agree to follow the Ocicats International Ethical Guidelines listed below.

_____ Date: ____/____/____
Signature(s) (Voting membership not valid without signature)

**** Applications received via e-mail will be deemed as a valid certification signature on behalf of the sender.**

Total Due:

Sponsor (if applicable): _____

* Excludes PayPal Charges

Ethical Guidelines:

- 1) I will provide my cats with clean living conditions, adequate diet, adequate space, proper health care, adequate attention, and in all ways treat them as humanely as possible.
- 2) I will never place a cat or kitten with a client I suspect that these conditions will not be met.
- 3) I will never give or sell my kittens to pet shops or distributors for same (brokers). I will always give my clients an honest appraisal of any cat or kitten, include its quality, potential as a show cat or breeder, and eligibility for registration.
- 4) I will always provide my clients with a written contract (agreement) specifying the conditions of all sales, stud service, boarding, and all other transactions.
- 5) I will always provide a written pedigree and registration application in a timely manner to all my clients.
- 6) I will always make every effort to assure that the cat/kitten purchased from me is delivered in a healthy condition, free of infectious disease and parasites.
- 7) I will always act in the best interests of the Ocicat breed and in a way that will reflect favorably on my fellow Ocicat breeders and CFA in general. If any disagreements or misunderstandings regarding my conduct should arise, I will make every effort to see that they are resolved to the satisfaction of all parties.