

Point Requirements and Major Show Rule Changes for the 2023-2024 Show Season

The [2023-2024 Show Rules](#) are now available online. The [Addendum](#) to the Show Rules which provides exemptions/exceptions to the 2023-2024 Show Rules can also be found online.

Point Minimums

National/Regional/Divisional Awards (See Addendum)

Regions 1 -9

- Championship - 1,000 points, 25 rings minimum, 100 rings maximum
- Premiership - 500 points, 25 rings minimum, 100 rings maximum
- Kittens - 500 points, 15 rings minimum, 40 rings maximum
- HHP - 250 points, 25 rings, 100 rings maximum

China (excluding Hong Kong & Macau)

- Championship - 1,000 points, 25 rings minimum, 100 rings maximum
- Premiership - 250 points, 15 rings minimum, 100 rings maximum
- Kittens - 500 points, 15 rings minimum, 40 rings maximum
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International (including Hong Kong & Macau)

- Championship - 1,000 points, 25 rings minimum, 100 rings maximum
- Premiership - 500 points, 15 rings minimum, 100 rings maximum
- Kittens - 500 points, 15 rings minimum, 40 rings maximum
- HHP - 250 points, 15 rings minimum, 100 rings maximum

Grand Champion/Grand Premier Points (See Addendum)

<u>Country/Area</u>	<u>Grand Champion Points Required</u>	<u>Grand Premier Points Required</u>
Regions 1-9 except as noted	200	75
Maritime Provinces of Canada, United Kingdom, Ireland, Malta, Hawaii, Russia east of the Ural Mountains, International Division (except China)	75	25
Ukraine	75	25
Mainland China	175	50

Grand of Distinction Requirements

There are no changes to SR 28.08 which governs the Grand of Distinction requirements:

- 30 or more Top 10/Top 15 finals in 3 separate seasons; at least 20 of those finals must be in Allbreed rings.
- In Hawaii, 10 or more finals; at least 9 of the 10 finals must be in Allbreed rings.

Major Show Rule Changes

- The CFA Exhibitor's Code of Ethics is available online at <https://cfa.org/exhibitor-code-of-ethics/>. A violation of the Exhibitor's Code of Ethics may be considered unsportsmanlike conduct. (SR 1.04)
- Entries for all shows in Regions 1-7 must be received through the CFA online entry form on the CFA website. (SR 6.36 b) All shows in Regions 1-7, excluding Hawaii, must close to entries no later than 11:59 p.m. Eastern time on the Monday before the opening of the show. Shows may specify an earlier closing time. (SR 6.36 a)
- When the requirements for Top 15 are met, Champion awards will be expanded to Best through Fifth (AB/LH/SH) and Premier awards will be expanded to Best through Third (AB/LH/SH), respectively. (SR 11.28)
- When the requirements for Top 15 are met, Best through 10th Best will be scored as they currently are. Eleventh Best will earn 1 point less than 10th Best; 12th Best will earn 2 points less than 10th Best; 13th Best will earn 3 points less than 10th Best; 14th Best will earn 4 points less than 10th Best and 15th Best will earn 5 points less than 10th Best. (Article XXXVI – Determination of Show Points)
- A cat or kitten transported to a show by a judge who is officiating at that show may not be entered in that show. (SR 35.04)
- When a show offers Specialty rings, an equal number of Longhair and Shorthair Specialty rings must be offered. (SR 4.06 e)
- A fee applies if the show flyer is not filed with the Central Office within the required time frame. No further shows will be licensed for the club until this fee is paid. (SR 5.04)
- Only a licensed CFA judge or a guest judge at the Approved Guest Judge Level may judge a Super Specialty ring. (SR 3.02)
- An Associate judge or Single Specialty judge who officiates on the first day of a two day show may exhibit in the opposite specialty on the second day of such show. Similarly, an Associate judge or Single Specialty judge who officiates at the first of two shows held on the same weekend at the same location may exhibit in the opposite specialty at the second show held on that weekend at that location. (SR 21.02 c)