

## **ADVANCEMENTS**

Emiko Misugi Japan -Advanced from Long hair Apprentice first specialty to Long hair approval pending first specialty. Congratulations to Emiko Misugi

## **RESIGNATIONS**

We have received a letter of resignation from Michele Beaudry.  
We accept her resignation with regret.

## **BAOS**

Taking place via Zoom on October 15, 16, 17, 2020  
Closing date for registration is Wednesday, October 7, 2020.

## **Judging rule changes which all passed AND ARE EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY**

1. Remove 5 year requirement as approved AB in order to mentor
2. Remove JPC committee member restriction to mentor. File admins may not mentor an individual they are administering as a file admin.
3. Increase number advancing and applicants a mentor may help from 2 to 3.

**Rule 2.5 and 2.7** Change from 7 years of having a cattery name registered with CFA and 7 years of Breeding experience to 5 years for both.

**Rule 4.8** Add publication of applicants in CFA Newsletter and CFA News to publication on CFA Website.

**Rule 6.2a** Change from 8 color classes to 6, 3 supervised and 3 solo and handle a minimum of 200 cats. First session judging, will be to handle mechanical aspects of judgments, and the last supervised session will be to evaluate the trainee's ability to go onto solos. 3 shows must be outside the region of residence or not less than 500 miles or 500 kilometers from their place of residence.

**Rule 6.2b** Second specialty trainee rule aligns with first specialty trainee rules. 6 color classes, handle a minimum of 200 Cats, and 3 shows outside the region of residence.

**Rule 6.2f** Aligns with 6.2a.

**Rule 8.1a** Change for apprentice specialty judges to handle a minimum of 300 cats instead of 500 cats. Six championship shows remains the same.

**Rule 8.2 a b c d** Changes the word must to should be done outside your area. Number of 2 shows remains the same and the mileage in each area separated out by Regions 1-7, Japan, Europe, the ID and 3 areas of China, 500 miles or 300 kilometers.

**Rule 9.19** Approved judges must officiate at least three (3) CFA shows in two (2) years to be relicensed. Judges who have not fulfilled this requirement will be placed in inactive status and must complete a refresher course before returning to active specialty

**Motion passed with unanimous consent of the board:**

Effective immediately, for the purpose of calculating Approved Judge compliance with **Show Rule 9.19**, set the calculation period to begin with March 2018 measured through October 2020. This would apply to the calculation period ending October 2020 only.

**Judging Program Rule changes, which apply to our Guest Judging Program were passed with Board unanimous consent:**

- a) 10.3 a. Judges at the Approved Guest Judge Level may judge 10 shows for CFA per show season-no more than 3 per club per show season.
- b) Judges at the Guest Judge Level may be approved to judge up to 5 CFA shows per show season, no more than 3 per club per show season.
- c) 10.3 c. Guest Judge evaluations no longer required for judges at the Approved guest Judge Level.

**Show Rule changes, which apply to our Guest Judging Program were passed with Board unanimous consent:**

- a) Show Rule 3.02 c. Approval of the Guest Judging Administrator is no longer required for clubs to contract a guest judge at the Approved Guest Judge level. Guest Judging requests for judges at the Guest Judge level, must be submitted to the Guest Judging Administrator at least 60 days in advance of the show.
- b) Show Rule 3.02 d. Judges at the Approved Guest Judge Level may judge 10 shows for CFA per show season-no more than 3 per club per show season. Judges at the Guest Judge Level may be approved to judge up to 5 CFA shows per show season, no more than 3 pr club per show season.
- c) Show Rule 3.02 e. Judges at the Guest Judge Level officiating at a two day show (6 x 6 or back to back) must be scheduled on the second day. Judges at the Approved Guest Judge Level may judge either day.
- d) Show Rule 12.05 Guest Judge Evaluations are no longer required for judges at the Approved Guest Judge Level.