 

**MAINE COON CAT CLUB 2025 BREEDERS LIST**

**THE BREEDERS LIST RUNS APRIL 1st TO MARCH 31st EACH YEAR**

**TO BE INCLUDED IN THE UPDATED LIST FROM THE 1st APRIL 2025, MEMBERSHIP AND BREEDERS RENEWAL SUBSCRIPTIONS WILL NEED TO BE RECEIVED BY THE 31st MARCH 2025.**

**A MEMBERSHIP REMINDER WILL BE INCLUDED WITH THE AGM PAPERS IN FEBRUARY 2025**

**Any breeder members who have not renewed by 31st March 2025, their membership will lapse and their details will be taken off the MCCC website.**

**The annual fee for being listed on the Breeder's List is £30, which includes a donation to the MCCC Welfare/Rescue Fund. This is extra to the annual membership fee.**

The following was agreed by members at the 1997 AGM

1. The list will be completely updated on 1st April each year.

2. Fully paid-up members may apply to join the Breeders’ List after membership has been held for at least **TWELVE MONTHS**. **New Breeders** joining during the year will have their details added to the breeder list.

Enquiries about the breed are mainly dealt with by Steve Butters as his details are listed as initial contact on the MCCC website and Facebook page. All MCCC committee members whose contact details are listed on the MCCC website [www.maine-coon-cat-club.com](http://www.maine-coon-cat-club.com) may also be contacted.

Available kittens can be listed on the MCCC website subject to certain requirements which are listed later.

The available kitten list is compiled by Sarah Holden her email address is [sarah151974@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:sarah151974@hotmail.co.uk)

Subject to income the MCCC will continue to promote the breed and club by advertising in feline publications. In previous years this has included a monthly MCCC advert in Your Cat online magazine and also the GCCF Supreme show catalogue. However the very large increase in advertising costs seen in 2024 for the Supreme Catalogue means this may not be viable in 2025.

It is hoped that you will agree that the annual breeder list fee is much cheaper than a personal advert in a national magazine. Your name and details will also appear on the MCCC web site, in the following manner.

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To be included on the MCCC Breeder's List, you must agree to abide by the principles of the GCCF Code of Ethics for Breeders and Owners (available from GCCF Office and GCCF website), the MCCC requirements and sign the application form to acknowledge this.

Payment by BACs (internet banking) is preferred but a cheque made out to ‘Maine Coon Cat Club’ is still acceptable. All breeder list applications need to be accompanied by a completed form either as a hard copy or an email attachment. The MCCC bank details for online payment are:

HSBC account in name of Maine Coon Cat Club

Account Number **61075276**

Sort Code **40-41-24**

**Note: Breeder members who pay direct into the MCCC bank account please remember that we do require that you still complete the application form so that your listed information is correct.**

**Return the form by email to:** [**mainecooncc@gmail.com**](mailto:mainecooncc@gmail.com)

**Or by post to** **Mr S Butters, 12 St Joseph’s Road, Handsworth, Sheffield, South Yorkshire, S13 9AU**

 

**MAINE COON CAT CLUB 2025 BREEDERS LIST APPLICATION FORM**

**By being included on the MCCC Breeder's List, you have agreed to abide by the principles of the GCCF Code of Ethics for Breeders and Owners.**

**Copies of this are available from the GCCF Office and on the GCCF website** [**www.gccfcats.org**](http://www.gccfcats.org)

**Please be aware of Clause 6 of the GCCF Code of Ethics, which concerns breeders offering help with any future re-homing of cats of their breeding. Breeders will be contacted and expected to become involved if cats of their breeding are brought to the attention of the MCCC welfare officer for re-homing. It is appreciated that taking older cats back is not usually practical but offering to advertise cats you have bred, which require rehoming, via website or social media pages would be helpful.**

**Refusal to become involved in any rehoming may result in membership being revoked.**

**The MCCC also make the following requirements.**

* Kittens must be at least 13 weeks of age, and fully vaccinated against at least cat flu and feline enteritis (homeopathic vaccinations are not acceptable) before being taken by their new owners.
* The kitten/s should be in good general health and free from parasites.
* The breeder/s must provide registration documentation, a pedigree, a diet sheet and an official full veterinary vaccination record **at the time of collection** by the new owner.
* Please be aware that the GCCF organisation and the GCCF Maine Coon Breeding Policy does not accept the use of polydactyl cats in breeding programs in the UK. Any breeder breeding polydactyl Maine Coons will not be able to join the MCCC breeder list.

The GCCF Maine Coon Registration & Breeding Policies are available to view or download on the MCCC and GCCF websites**.**

* **All MCCC breeder members are expected to be familiar with the contents of these documents and be aware that certain colours and patterns are restricted for showing purposes or not allowed to be registered with the GCCF at all.**
* Although the Maine Coon Cat Club is a GCCF affiliated club, it is accepted that some members may wish to register some or all their kittens with cat registering bodies other than the GCCF.

However the requirements listed above must still be adhered to.

The Maine Coon Cat Club strongly recommends that all sales be accompanied by a contract giving information on the kitten and listing any restrictions if the kitten has been purchased for breeding.

**The MCCC committee expects that sales and stud contracts are honoured by all parties involved.**

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ADDRESS............................................................................................................................................................

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POSTCODE ....................................TELEPHONE NUMBER….................................................................. .......

PREFIX...............................................................................................................................................................

E-MAIL ADDRESS...............................................................................................................................................

ONLINE/WEBSITE ADDRESS ...........................................................................................................................

I / We wish to be included on the MCCC 2025 Breeder's List and agree to abide by the principles of the GCCF Code of Ethics for Breeders and Owners and the MCCC requirements listed above.

Cost of joining 2025 Breeders' List (£30) £…………..

2025 Membership (£5 Single, £7 Joint) £................

Total £…………..

I/We have paid the total amount above by bank transfer (BACs) into the Maine Coon Cat Club bank account

Or

I/We enclose a cheque to the total amount above made payable to 'Maine Coon Cat Club'.

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Please list the following as this will help us to deal with enquires which come in:- The colours of your stud/s and queen/s. Please list whether your stud/s is/are at public, limited or private stud.