

## **REGISTERED BREEDERS CRITERIA**

## Make a commitment to breeding Ragdolls

Please do not apply to become a probationary breeder until you have attended a full day at a TBRCC breeders seminar. TBRCC hold one two day seminar each year. These are the topics that are discussed:

- Good husbandry and rearing kittens
- Ragdoll genetics colour, pattern, health
- Choosing a breeding queen and stud boy
- Pedigree tracing
- Ragdoll type and assessing for breeding and/or show
- Ragdoll registration policy, code of ethics, GCCF and club rules, contracts
- Grooming
- DNA testing
- Taking your queen to stud
- Selling your kittens.

Once you have attended at least one day of a breeder's seminar you can apply to become a probationary registered breeder with TBRCC.

- The Honorary Secretary will now sign off your GCCF prefix application form
- Please complete the Registered Breeders Application form. Remember to have it proposed by a current registered breeder with TBRCC and countersigned and stamped by your vet to confirm that you have registered with them.
- Attach the following documents: Copies of your breeding cats registration cards and pedigrees, a recent photograph of each cat for the archives, a copy of the registration document for your first litter of kittens, the appropriate fee.

Once you have completed a second day of the seminar and raised a litter of kittens you are then a full registered breeder with TBRCC. If you decide to attend both days of the seminar in one session you will remain as a probationary breeder for a period of 12 months.

In order to maintain your status as a registered breeder with TBRCC you will need to complete an annual test with your renewal to ensure you are fully up to date with all current rules and understand them.