



# Witchfyre & Witchstorm Cattery 2019

## Kitten List – What we expect of you.

### Why do we have a waiting list?

Here at Witchfyre & Witchstorm we endeavour to find the best adopters to take on the responsibility of looking after our kittens or older cats for their lifetime. Please do not be offended if we do not approve your application; it may be something that may be resolved in time.

Over the past twelve years we have encountered many individuals who think it is their right to waste our time regarding their adoption of a cat or kitten from our cattery. Our waiting list goes some way to ensure the applicant has a clear understanding of the process of adopting one of our cats or kittens and has committed to our breeding ethos. Waiting list members are not expected to have their name on another waiting list.

Please note; we are hobby breeders and breed only for our next generation. The costs involved in running our cattery are considerable and the price we charge to adopt a kitten goes a little way towards these costs.

### What we expect from you.

1. You will be asked to complete our online form to inquire about joining our list.
2. After a discussion via phone, email or visit, we will assess your suitability for one of our cats/kittens.
3. You will then be invited to join our list. Membership is for twelve months.
4. You will be directed to deposit £100. On choosing a cat or kitten from our cattery the £100 will be deducted from the final price.
5. Kittens or cats will be offered to the waiting list first. Adoptions are on a first come first served basis not on preferences (colour, sex etc). You will be invited to visit to select a kitten from a litter when the kitten is at least 9 weeks old and has had a successful health check and first vaccination. Kittens will not be available before 14 weeks old.
6. You may defer a litter and hold you place on the list for the next litter once only. After this you will drop down the list.
7. If we cannot find a kitten for you in 12 months you may leave the list.

Kittens are offered on the following order.

1. Kitten to stay at our cattery
2. Breed/Show list
3. Show neuter list
4. Pet list

Please note, the quality of our kittens is very high; to ensure our high standards a maximum of two kittens from our litter will be assessed as, and may be offered for, breed/show/show neuter.