

## **Alan Eagland**

It was with much sadness I heard that Alan Eagland had passed away.

Well known for decades as a breeder and exhibitor along with his late wife Margaret and devoted daughter Rebecca. He was very supportive to me as a judge and show manager, I shall always remember him with great fondness.

His funeral will be at the White Rose Capel, York Crematorium on Thursday 15 July, family members only.

The service will be live streamed and will be available to watch for 28 days.

The details are as follows. <https://watch.obitus.com> user name : yegu9027. Password 940468. 15. July 11.40 White Rose - York. Live web cast and watch again.

My sincere condolences to his family and friends.

**Lynda Ashmore**  
**Chairman Yorkshire County Cat Club**  
**Vice Chairman Abyssinian Cat Association**

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We were saddened by the news that Alan had passed away. When last we saw him (in April) he looked very frail but still managed a slow walk around Burnby Hall Gardens. He was always kind and supportive of our endeavours. We met about 10 years ago when Mike and I were looking for a kitten. We had met a small sorrel whirlwind, Abychat Equinox (Poppy). I asked about showing her. Alan's answer was classic – "she has quite a strong necklet and a little bump on her nose, her qualities will be noticed, and you could have some fun with her." Oh, my goodness we did indeed! Alan would assess our Abys whenever he met them; he admired Magic, our Norwegian Forest Cat and he told us that he had bred them. His love of cats was evident, and reciprocated – whenever we visited, he was usually being cuddled by and chatting to cats. R.I.P Alan.

**From Lillian and Mike (AbyDreames)**