

**DEPARTMENT 9  
RABBITS AND CAVIES**

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Entries must be postmarked or submitted to the 4-H Office by June 1.

**All Rabbits Must Have Legible, Permanent Ear Tattoos. All Cavies Must Have Ear Tags.** Animals do not need health certificates but will be health checked on arrival. **All tattoos and tags must be listed on entry. All tattoos and tags must be done prior to entry.**

All rabbit exhibitors must show in showmanship in order to be eligible for premiums paid in the breed classes.

**Rabbits must be born and cared for on or before April 15 and owned by the exhibitor at that time. Litters are accepted only upon prior approval of the Rabbit Superintendent. Litters to consist of doe and babies (younger than 6 weeks of age).**

**Exhibitors must be present during judging.** Animals will be entered and judged by breed; crossbreeds will be entered as pets. American Rabbit Breeders' Association Standard of Perfection will be used for judging the standard breeds, and may be consulted at the 4-H Office. Pets will be judged on care and personality. Breed rabbit exhibits must have an ARBA accepted color on the entry form.

Cages will be provided; **the exhibitor must bring appropriate, clean feed dishes and clean water bottles.**

Exhibitors must wear clean, white, long sleeve shirt, or show coat, black pants or skirts, closed toed shoes or sneakers for the judging. **Exhibitors must be wearing the correct attire to show their animals!**

**Maximum of 16 animals per exhibitor. Each exhibitor is allowed only one entry in the pet class.**

**Showmanship begins 12:00 pm on Tuesday.**

Costume class is at 6:00 pm on Tuesday before judging.

\*Non-Exhibited animals **may not** be brought to the barn after check-ins are complete.

**SECTION A  
RABBIT/CAVY SHOWMANSHIP**

Judging will begin on Tuesday at 12:00 pm. Sign-up for a time at check-in.

**All rabbit exhibitors must show in showmanship in order to be eligible for premiums paid in the breed classes!**

Participants will be judged on their ability to handle a rabbit/cavy and answer questions about the breed.

1. Novice – First time exhibitor
2. Basic – 13 years and under or 2-5 years rabbit experience
3. Advanced – 14 years and over or 6 or more years rabbit experience

**SECTION B  
FUN CLASSES (enter on Rabbit Entry Form)**

Award: Ribbon only.

4. Costume Show - Held before Rabbit Show on Tuesday at 6:00 pm. Rabbits, Cavies and 4-H members may be dressed in a costume to indicate a theme. No acts or skits allowed. Class will be judged on costuming and originality.
5. Rabbit Hopping Contest – Harness and leash are required.

**SECTION C  
RABBIT/CAVY KNOWLEDGE (enter on Rabbit Entry Form)**

Participants will be judged on their knowledge and skill in rabbit science.

Testing will be Tuesday from 2:00 pm – 4:00 pm.

Awards: E - 12, G - 6, W - 2

6. Novice – First time exhibitor
7. Basic – 13 years and under or 2-5 years rabbit experience
8. Advanced – 14 years and over or 6 or more years rabbit experience

**SECTION D  
RABBIT/ CAVY HERDSMANSHIP (enter on Rabbit Entry Form)**

Awards: E - 10, G - 5, W – 1

9. Herdsmanship: See herdsmanship description in section 6 Animal and Market Auction info

**SECTION E**  
**SIX CLASS BREEDS (enter on Rabbit Entry Form)**

Senior Bucks - over 8 months

Intermediate Bucks – 6-8 Months

Junior Bucks - under 6 months, but at least 3 months

Senior Does - over 8 months

Intermediate Does – 6-8 months

Junior Does - under 6 months, but at least 3 months

Breed	Variety	Senior Buck	Senior Doe	Int. Buck	Int. Doe	Junior Buck	Junior Doe
American	Blue	10	11	12	13	14	15
American	White	16	17	18	19	20	21
Angora (Giant)		22	23	24	25	26	27
Beveren	Black	28	29	30	31	32	33
Beveren	Blue	34	35	36	37	38	39
Beveren	White	40	41	42	43	44	45
Californian		46	47	48	49	50	51
Champagne D'Argent		52	53	54	55	56	57
Checkered Giant (American)	Black	58	59	60	61	62	63
Checkered Giant (American)	Blue	64	65	66	67	68	69
Chinchilla (American)		70	71	72	73	74	75
Chinchilla (Giant)		76	77	78	79	80	81
Cinnamon		82	83	84	85	86	87
Crème D'Argent		88	89	90	91	92	93
Flemish Giant	Black	94	95	96	97	98	99
Flemish Giant	Blue	100	101	102	103	104	105
Flemish Giant	Fawn	106	107	108	109	110	111
Flemish Giant	Light Gray	112	113	114	115	116	117
Flemish Giant	Sandy	118	119	120	121	122	123
Flemish Giant	Steel Gray	124	125	126	127	128	129
Flemish Giant	White	130	131	132	133	134	135
Hotot		136	137	138	139	140	141
Lop (English)	Broken	142	143	144	145	146	147
Lop (English)	Solid	148	149	150	151	152	153
Lop (French)	Broken	154	155	156	157	158	159
Lop (French)	Solid	160	161	162	163	164	165
New Zealand	Black	166	167	168	169	170	171
New Zealand	Broken	172	173	174	175	176	177
New Zealand	Red	178	179	180	181	182	183
New Zealand	White	184	185	186	187	188	189
Palomino	Golden	190	191	192	193	194	195
Palomino	Lynx	196	197	198	199	200	201
Satin	Black	202	203	204	205	206	207
Satin	Blue	208	209	210	211	212	213
Satin	Broken	214	215	216	217	218	219
Satin	Californian	220	221	222	223	224	225
Satin	Chinchilla	226	227	228	229	230	231
Satin	Chocolate	232	233	234	235	236	237
Satin	Copper	238	239	240	241	242	243

Breed	Variety	Senior Buck	Senior Doe	Int. Buck	Int. Doe	Junior Buck	Junior Doe
Satin	Otter	244	245	246	247	248	249
Satin	Red	250	251	252	253	254	255
Satin	Siamese	256	257	258	259	260	261
Satin	White	262	263	264	265	266	267
Silver Fox	Black	268	269	270	271	272	273

**SECTION F  
FOUR CLASS BREEDS**

Senior Bucks - over 6 months  
Senior Does - over 6 months

Junior Bucks - under 6 months, but at least 3 months  
Junior Does - under 6 months, but at least 3 months

Breed	Variety	Senior Buck	Senior Doe	Junior Buck	Junior Doe
American Fuzzy Lop	Broken	274	275	276	277
American Fuzzy Lop	Solid	278	279	280	281
American Sable		282	283	284	285
Angora (English)	White	286	287	288	289
Angora (English)	Colored	290	291	292	293
Angora (French)	White	294	295	296	297
Angora (French)	Colored	298	299	300	301
Angora (Satin)	White	302	303	304	305
Angora (Satin)	Colored	306	307	308	309
Belgian Hare		310	311	312	313
Britannia Petite	Black	314	315	316	317
Britannia Petite	Black Otter	318	319	320	321
Britannia Petite	Chestnut Agouti	322	323	324	325
Britannia Petite	Ruby Eyed White	326	327	328	329
Britannia Petite	Sable Marten	330	331	332	333
Chinchilla (Standard)		334	335	336	337
Dutch	Black	338	339	340	341
Dutch	Blue	342	343	344	345
Dutch	Gray	346	347	348	349
Dutch	Chocolate	350	351	352	353
Dutch	Steel	354	355	356	357
Dutch	Tortoise	358	359	360	361
Dwarf Hotot		362	363	364	365
English Spot	Black	366	367	368	369
English Spot	Blue	370	371	372	373
English Spot	Chocolate	374	375	376	377
English Spot	Gold	378	379	380	381
English Spot	Gray	382	383	384	385
English Spot	Lilac	386	387	388	389
English Spot	Tortoise	390	391	392	393

<b>Breed</b>	<b>Variety</b>	<b>Senior Buck</b>	<b>Senior Doe</b>	<b>Junior Buck</b>	<b>Junior Doe</b>
Florida White		394	395	396	397
Harlequin	Japanese	398	399	400	401
Harlequin	Magpie	402	403	404	405
Havana	Black	406	407	408	409
Havana	Blue	410	411	412	413
Havana	Broken	414	415	416	417
Havana	Chocolate	418	419	420	421
Himalayan	Black	422	423	424	425
Himalayan	Blue	426	427	428	429
Himalayan	Chocolate	430	431	432	433
Himalayan	Lilac	434	435	436	437
Jersey Wooly	Agouti	438	439	440	441
Jersey Wooly	Broken	442	443	444	445
Jersey Wooly	Self	446	447	448	449
Jersey Wooly	Shaded	450	451	452	453
Jersey Wooly	Tan Pattern	454	455	456	457
Jersey Wooly	Any Other Variety	458	459	460	461
Lilac		462	463	464	465
Lionhead	Any Variety	466	467	468	469
Lop (Holland)	Broken	470	471	472	473
Lop (Holland)	Solid	474	475	476	477
Lop (Mini)	Broken	478	479	480	481
Lop (Mini)	Solid	482	483	484	485
Mini Rex	Black	486	487	488	489
Mini Rex	Blue	490	491	492	493
Mini Rex	Blue Eyed White	494	495	496	497
Mini Rex	Broken	498	499	500	501
Mini Rex	Castor	502	503	504	505
Mini Rex	Chinchilla	506	507	508	509
Mini Rex	Chocolate	510	511	512	513
Mini Rex	Himalayan	514	515	516	517
Mini Rex	Lilac	518	519	520	521
Mini Rex	Lynx	522	523	524	525
Mini Rex	Opal	526	527	528	529
Mini Rex	Otter	530	531	532	533
Mini Rex	Red	534	535	536	537
Mini Rex	Red Eyed White	538	539	540	541
Mini Rex	Sable Point	542	543	544	545
Mini Rex	Seal	546	547	548	549
Mini Rex	Tortoise	550	551	552	553
Mini Satin	Red Eyed White	554	555	556	557
Mini Satin	Opal	558	559	560	561
Mini Satin	Red	562	563	564	565
Mini Satin	Chin	566	567	568	569

<b>Breed</b>	<b>Variety</b>	<b>Senior Buck</b>	<b>Senior Doe</b>	<b>Junior Buck</b>	<b>Junior Doe</b>
Mini Satin	Siamese	570	571	572	573
Netherland Dwarf	Black	574	575	576	577
Netherland Dwarf	Blue	578	579	580	581
Netherland Dwarf	Broken	582	583	584	585
Netherland Dwarf	Chesnut	586	587	588	589
Netherland Dwarf	Chinchilla	590	591	592	593
Netherland Dwarf	Chocolate	594	595	596	597
Netherland Dwarf	Fawn	598	599	600	601
Netherland Dwarf	Himalayan	602	603	604	605
Netherland Dwarf	Lilac	606	607	608	609
Netherland Dwarf	Lynx	610	611	612	613
Netherland Dwarf	Blue Eyed White	614	615	616	617
Netherland Dwarf	Ruby Eyed White	618	619	620	621
Netherland Dwarf	Opal	622	623	624	625
Netherland Dwarf	Otter	626	627	628	629
Netherland Dwarf	Orange	630	631	632	633
Netherland Dwarf	Sable Marten	634	635	636	637
Netherland Dwarf	Sable Point	638	639	640	641
Netherland Dwarf	Siamese Sable	642	643	644	645
Netherland Dwarf	Siamese Smoke Pearl	646	647	648	649
Netherland Dwarf	Silver Marten	650	651	652	653
Netherland Dwarf	Smoke Pearl Marten	654	655	656	657
Netherland Dwarf	Squirrel	658	659	660	661
Netherland Dwarf	Steel	662	663	664	665
Netherland Dwarf	Tans	666	667	668	669
Netherland Dwarf	Tortoise Shell	670	671	672	673
Polish	Black	674	675	676	677
Polish	Blue	678	679	680	681
Polish	Broken	682	683	684	685
Polish	Chocolate	686	687	688	689
Polish	Blue Eyed White	690	691	692	693
Polish	Ruby Eyed White	694	695	696	697
Rex	Amber	698	699	700	701
Rex	Black	702	703	704	705
Rex	Otter	706	707	708	709
Rex	Blue	710	711	712	713
Rex	Broken	714	715	716	717
Rex	Californian	718	719	720	721
Rex	Castor	722	723	724	725
Rex	Chinchilla	726	727	728	729
Rex	Chocolate	730	731	732	733
Rex	Lilac	734	735	736	737
Rex	Lynx	738	739	740	741
Rex	Opal	742	743	744	745

<b>Breed</b>	<b>Variety</b>	<b>Senior Buck</b>	<b>Senior Doe</b>	<b>Junior Buck</b>	<b>Junior Doe</b>
Rex	Red	746	747	748	749
Rex	Sable	750	751	752	753
Rex	Seal	754	755	756	757
Rex	White	758	759	760	761
Rhineland	Black	762	763	764	765
Rhineland	Blue	766	767	768	769
Silver	Black	770	771	772	773
Silver	Brown	774	775	776	777
Silver	Fawn	778	779	780	781
Silver Marten	Black	782	783	784	785
Silver Marten	Blue	786	787	788	789
Silver Marten	Chocolate	790	791	792	793
Silver Marten	Sable	794	795	796	797
Tan	Black	798	799	800	801
Tan	Blue	802	803	804	805
Tan	Chocolate	806	807	808	809
Tan	Lilac	810	811	812	813
Thrianta		814	815	816	817

**SECTION G**  
**MEAT RABBIT (enter on Rabbit Entry Form)**

- 818 Rabbit Meat Pen – meat pens shall consist of 3 rabbits, all the same breed and variety. Broken Meat Pens must also be the same variety. Rabbits do not need to be from the same litter. Age limit is 10 weeks. Minimum weight is 3 pounds. All rabbits must be weighed by judge. Class will be judged by ARBA standards as written on page 27 of Standard of Perfection. Meat pen can be entered in Market Auction.
- 819 Auction Market Class – Roaster meat rabbits must be no more than 7 months old and over 5 pounds. Animals in this class need to be born after January 1 of current year. Animals in this class receiving a blue or red ribbon are to be sold at the Meat Animal Auction on Saturday and are subject to the Meat Animal Auction Rules.

**SECTION H**  
**PET RABBITS (enter on Rabbit Entry Form)**

Senior Buck	820
Senior Doe	821
Junior Buck	822
Junior Doe	823

**SECTION I**  
**RABBIT BRED BY EXHIBITOR (enter on Rabbit Entry Form)**

824 Any rabbit entered in the show may be entered in this class. At the time of breeding, the exhibitor must have owned the doe that produced this rabbit. Exhibitor should bring its pedigree and be prepared to explain his/her breeding plan and the results.  
**Note: Only one animal per exhibitor**

**SECTION J**  
**CLOVERBUDS (enter on Rabbit Entry Form) – RABBIT OR CAVY**

Awards: Participation ribbon only.

Class 1168 Cloverbud Showmanship will be **on Tuesday following Section H: Pet Rabbits.**

Enrolled Cloverbuds (5 – 7 years old) will be permitted to bring one animal exhibit to fair. However, please note, bringing only one animal to fair includes all animal areas so a Cloverbud cannot bring a large animal and a small animal.

**SECTION K**  
**PET CAVIES (enter on Rabbit Entry Form)**

Senior Boar 1161	Senior Sow 1162	Inter. Boar 1163	Inter. Sow 1164	Junior Boar 1165	Junior Sow 1166
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**SECTION L**  
**CAVY BRED BY EXHIBITOR (enter on Rabbit Entry Form)**

1167 Any cavy entered in the show may be entered in this class. At the time of breeding, the exhibitor must have owned the sow that produced this cavy. Exhibitor should bring its pedigree and be prepared to explain his/her breeding plan and the results.  
**Note: Only one animal per exhibitor**

**SECTION M**  
**CAVIES (enter on Rabbit Entry Form)**

Senior Boars and Sows - over 30 ounces  
 Intermediate Boars and Sows - up to 6 months; 22 - 30 ounces  
 Junior Boars and Sows - up to 4 months; 12 - 22 ounces

Breed	Variety	Senior Boar	Senior Sow	Int. Boar	Int. Sow	Junior Boar	Junior Sow
Abyssinian	Self	825	826	827	828	829	830
Abyssinian	Solid	831	832	833	834	835	836
Abyssinian	Agouti	837	838	839	840	841	842
Abyssinian	Broken	843	844	845	846	847	848



<b>Breed</b>	<b>Variety</b>	<b>Senior Boar</b>	<b>Senior Sow</b>	<b>Int. Boar</b>	<b>Int. Sow</b>	<b>Junior Boar</b>	<b>Junior Sow</b>
Abyssinian Satin	Self	849	850	851	852	853	854
Abyssinian Satin	Solid	855	856	857	858	859	860
Abyssinian Satin	Agouti	861	862	863	864	865	866
Abyssinian Satin	Broken	867	868	869	870	871	872
American	Tan	873	874	875	876	877	878
American	Self	879	880	881	882	883	884
American	Solid	885	886	887	888	889	890
American	Dilute	891	892	893	894	895	896
American	Agouti	897	898	899	900	901	902
American	Broken	903	904	905	906	907	908
American	TSW	909	910	911	912	913	914
American Satin	Self	915	916	917	918	919	920
American Satin	Solid	921	922	923	924	925	926
American Satin	Agouti	927	928	929	930	931	932
American Satin	Broken	933	934	935	936	937	938
American Satin	TSW	939	940	941	942	943	944
Coronet	Self	945	946	947	948	949	950
Coronet	Solid	951	952	953	954	955	956
Coronet	Agouti	957	958	959	960	961	962
Coronet	Marked	963	964	965	966	967	968
Peruvian	Self	969	970	971	972	973	974
Peruvian	Solid	975	976	977	978	979	980
Peruvian	Agouti	981	982	983	984	985	986
Peruvian	Broken	987	988	989	990	991	992
Peruvian Satin	Self	993	994	995	996	997	998
Peruvian Satin	Solid	999	1000	1001	1002	1003	1004
Peruvian Satin	Agouti	1005	1006	1007	1008	1009	1010
Peruvian Satin	Broken	1011	1012	1013	1014	1015	1016
Silkie	Self	1017	1018	1019	1020	1021	1022
Silkie	Solid	1023	1024	1025	1026	1027	1028
Silkie	Agouti	1029	1030	1031	1032	1033	1034
Silkie	Broken	1035	1036	1037	1038	1039	1040
Silkie Satin	Self	1041	1042	1043	1044	1045	1046
Silkie Satin	Solid	1047	1048	1049	1050	1051	1052
Silkie Satin	Agouti	1053	1054	1055	1056	1057	1058
Silkie Satin	Broken	1059	1060	1061	1062	1063	1064
Teddy	Self	1065	1066	1067	1068	1069	1070
Teddy	Solid	1071	1072	1073	1074	1075	1076
Teddy	Agouti	1077	1078	1079	1080	1081	1082
Teddy	Broken	1083	1084	1085	1086	1087	1088
Teddy Satin	Self	1089	1090	1091	1092	1093	1094
Teddy Satin	Solid	1095	1096	1097	1098	1099	1100
Teddy Satin	Agouti	1101	1102	1103	1104	1105	1106
Teddy Satin	Broken	1107	1108	1109	1110	1111	1112

<b>Breed</b>	<b>Variety</b>	<b>Senior Boar</b>	<b>Senior Sow</b>	<b>Int. Boar</b>	<b>Int. Sow</b>	<b>Junior Boar</b>	<b>Junior Sow</b>
Texel	Self	1113	1114	1115	1116	1117	1118
Texel	Solid	1119	1120	1121	1122	1123	1124
Texel	Agouti	1125	1126	1127	1128	1129	1130
Texel	Broken	1131	1132	1133	1134	1135	1136
White Crested	Self	1137	1138	1139	1140	1141	1142
White Crested	Solid	1143	1144	1145	1146	1147	1148
White Crested	Agouti	1149	1150	1151	1152	1153	1154
White Crested	Marked	1155	1156	1157	1158	1159	1160