



**Entry Fees and Deadlines:**  
 \$1.50 per entry                      Due Friday, May 15, 2024

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# DEPARTMENT 12

## Open Class Rabbit Show

STANDARD OF PERFECTION DIVISION  
 ARBA SANCTIONED SHOW

- Rules, definitions, and judging procedures as prescribed in the latest edition of the Guidebook and Standard of the American Rabbit Breeders Association, Inc., shall apply to all district and county fair rabbit shows, provided they do not conflict with any of the rules and regulations prescribed by the Department of Food and Agriculture.

**SPECIAL RULES**

- The age in months (e.g., 4 months) as of June 16, 2024, must be entered when registering online for each entry.
- Specify Breed, variety, and class number on entry form. Rabbits will be divided into divisions after close of entry. Breeds and varieties must have at least 5 animals entered by at least 3 exhibitors to qualify for a separate division. All others will be shown under "Any Other Breed" divisions.

### Awards

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BEST IN SHOW  
 BEST OF BREED

RESERVE IN SHOW  
 BEST OPPOSITE

### GEORGE BAYLISS AWARD Premier Rabbit Exhibitor

Awards			
Place	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>
Awards	\$30	\$20	\$10
Points	5 pts.	3 pts.	1 pts.

Tie to be broken by the number of Best of Breed Awards won

AWARDS - Per Class			
1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>
\$10	\$7	\$5	\$3

No exhibitor may receive more than two cash awards in any class.

## DIVISION

- A. **Heavyweight Breeds:** Specify Breed and Variety on Entry Form
- B. **Lightweight Breeds:** Specify Breed and Variety on Entry Form (excludes classes 2 & 5)

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### CLASS

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|----------------------|---|
| 1. Senior Buck       | 8 months of age and older                 |
| 2. Intermediate Buck | 6 months of age and under 8 months of age |
| 3. Junior Buck       | Under 6 months of age                     |
| 4. Senior Doe        | 8 months of age and older                 |
| 5. Intermediate Doe  | 6 months of age and under 8 months of age |
| 6. Junior Doe        | Under 6 months of age                     |

## DIVISION

### C. Fur Animals

All animals must have been shown and qualified in previous breed divisions. Duplications of identification numbers are acceptable on animals of different breeds.

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### CLASS

- 1. Wool
  - 2. Rex
  - 3. Satin
  - 4. Normal Commercial Fur (per current ARBA Standard of Perfection)
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## DIVISION

### D.Utility Division Meat Animals

Ribbons only awarded in this Division, no premiums.

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## CLASS

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1. Meat Pen of 3 Rabbits: Each rabbit must weigh a minimum weight of 3 lb. 8 oz. pounds and no more than a maximum weight of 5 lb. 8 oz. Age not to exceed 70 days on judging day. Each pen must be comprised of the same ARBA recognized breed and variety. Meat Pen rabbits may not be entered in any other class. All breeds judged together.
  2. Single Fryer: Rabbit must weigh a minimum weight of 3 lb. 8 oz. pounds and no more than a maximum weight of 5 lb. 8 oz. Age not to exceed 70 days on judging day. Each fryer must be an ARBA recognized breed and variety. Single fryer rabbits may not be entered in any other class. All breeds judged together.
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