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Rabbits

Matt Fryar, Gentry, AR – Superintendent

Tara Parker, Tex Thomas and Tonna Thomas – Judges

This is an American Rabbit Breeders Association sanctioned show. All breeds will be judged in accordance with breed standards established by the ARBA. Information on these standards may be obtained from ARBA: P.O. Box 400, Knox, PA 16232 or www.arba.net

Entries are open to all youth and open exhibitors per the general show rules of ARBA. This is a pre-entry show- no late or day-of entries will be accepted. Mail entries may be sent to P.O. Box 4145, Fort Smith, AR 72914, and must be post-marked by August 15. Online entries may be made at <https://www.arkansasoklahomafair.com/competitions/livestock> on or before September 1. Entries must include breed, variety, class, and ear number. Entry fees are \$4.00 per entry. Entry fees must be paid at the time of entry; checks payable to AR OK State Fair may be mailed with paper entry or fees can be paid online.

The show is Sunday, September 25, in the Hugh Harden Arena at Kay Rodgers Park. Exhibitors should use Gate 4. Check-in opens at 7:00 A.M. Judging of meat pens and single fryers will begin at 8:30 A.M. The Double Youth/Double Open sanctioned show will begin at 9:00 A.M. This is an open air on-day show in a covered dirt-floor arena. No coops are available.

Rules for Exhibitors

1. Exhibitors showing meat pens and single fryers must qualify under Rule 40 of the General Rules and must submit an Exhibitor Statement with their entries.
2. Exhibitors are limited to two entries per class in meat pens and single fryers.
3. Meat pens shall consist of three rabbits of the same breed and variety. Meat pens and single fryers must be under ten weeks of age with minimum weights of 3 1/2 pounds and maximum weights of 5 1/2 pounds.
4. Premiums will be paid on meat pens, single fryers, and breed rabbits only to youth exhibitors who qualify under Rule 40 of the General Rules and who submit an Exhibitor Statement with their entries.
5. All rabbits must be permanently tattooed in the left ear to show.
6. Substitutions will only be allowed within the class and must be made by 8:15 A.M.
7. Staff reserves the right to add or substitute judges.
8. Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning up their areas after the show.
9. The Arkansas Oklahoma State Fair is not responsible for loss due to fire, theft, accident, or death of rabbits.
10. Any animal showing signs or symptoms of disease will immediately be removed from the show.
11. All youth entries must be placed on the table by a youth exhibitor.

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OFFICIAL ARBA SANCTIONED SHOW, ARBA Executive Director, PO Box 400, Knox, PA 16232-0400. ARBA website: www.arba.net. Membership Dues: \$20.00 per yr., 3 yrs. \$50.00. Combination Husband & Wife: \$30.00 per yr., 3yrs. \$75:00.

OFFICIAL ARBA YOUTH SANCTIONED SHOW, ARBA Executive Director, PO Box 400, Knox, PA 16232-0400. ARBA website: www.arba.net. Membership Dues: \$12.00 per yr., 3 yrs. \$30.00

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SECTION A

American Fuzzy Lop, American Sable, English Angora, French Angora, Satin Angora, Britannia Petite, Standard Chinchilla, Dutch, Dwarf Hotot, English Spot, Florida White, Harlequin, Havana, Himalayan, Jersey Wolley, Lilac, Holland Lop, Mini Lop, Polish, Netherland Dwarf, Mini Rex, Rex, Rhinelander, Silver, Silver Martin, Tan, Belgian Hare, Thrianta, Lionhead and Mini-Satins.

Class 1. Sr. Buck (over 6 months of age)

Class 2. Sr. Doe (over 6 months of age)

Class 3. Jr. Buck (under 6 months of age)

Class 4. Jr. Doe (under 6 months of age)

SECTION B

American, Giant Angora, Bevern, Californian, Champagne d'Argent, Checkered Giant, Giant and American Chinchilla, Cinnamon, Creme d'Argent, Flemish Giant, Hotot English Lop, New Zealand, Palomino, Satin, Silver Fox, French Lop and Argente Brun.

Class 1. Sr. Buck (over 8 months of age)

Class 2. Sr. Doe (over 8 months of age)

Class 3. Intermediate Buck (6 to 8 months of age)

Class 4. Intermediate Doe (6 to 8 months of age)

Class 5. Jr. Buck (under 6 months of age)

Class 6. Jr. Doe (under 6 months of age)

SECTION C

MEAT PENS & SINGLE FRYERS (Pens shall consist of three rabbits of the same breed and variety. (Pens and fryers must be under 10 week of age and minimum 3 1/2 pounds, maximum 5 1/2 pounds.)

Class 1. Meat Pen (3)

Class 2. Single fryer. (1)

(Entry will be weighed in presence of the judge.)

AWARDS

1. TROPHY for Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion Rabbit

2. TROPHY for Grand Champion meat pen

3. TROPHY for Grand Champion single fryer

4. RIBBONS for best of breed and best opposite sex

5. RIBBONS for 1st thru 5th place