

## DIVISION 18

### RABBITS

#### BRIDGET MOORE

Co-Department Director

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**Terms and conditions are subject to change, including, but not limited to premiums.**

#### DEPARTMENT STAFF

##### JOY GORDON

Show Secretary

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Show Secretary

##### DON HOWARD

Breed Show Superintendent

##### KEVIN BOGAN

Breed Show Superintendent

##### NEWT LONG

Market Show Superintendent

#### READ OPEN LIVESTOCK GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

#### SPECIAL RULES

1. Competition for premiums is open to anyone who wishes to exhibit.
2. This show is being held as an Official and Sanctioned American Rabbit Breeders Association, Inc., Show and will be governed by the A.R.B.A. rules and regulations and said rules are binding on all exhibitors whether or not they are a member.
3. Exhibitors may make as many entries in individual classes as they choose.

4. In completing your entry blank, please be sure to list the correct breed, variety, class, sex and ear number.

5. No substitutions will be allowed unless in the same breed, variety, sex and age.

6. The Ohio State Fair will furnish coops, bedding, and cups. However, exhibitors are required to bring their own feed.

7. No health certificate is required, however, department staff reserves the right to examine any and all animals for disease. Animals declared diseased or unworthy of show will be dismissed from the grounds.

8. The Department Directors reserve the right to reject any entry, if in their opinion it is for the betterment of the show.

9. A signed release slip must be obtained from the Department Directors or Show Secretary before removing any rabbits from the fairgrounds.

10. No exhibits may be removed before the hour of release unless under the direct authorization of the Department Directors. This will be strictly enforced.

11. **NO PRIVATE SALE OF RABBITS TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC.** *Any exhibitor violating this rule will forfeit all awards, including premiums, and will be banned from competing for one year at the Ohio State Fair.*

12. A registrar will be available Sunday, August 4. (Remember to have an up-to-date A.R.B.A. membership card and pedigree.)

13. All rabbits must have a permanent and legible ear tattoo in the rabbit's left ear.

14. Rabbits owned by the same exhibitor, in the same class, must **NOT** have duplicate ear tattoos.

15. All rabbits must be carried to the show table by the exhibitor.

16. Any breed not showing ten (10) rabbits or more will not be sanctioned unless sponsored.

17. No rabbits under 56 days of age, as of opening day of show, allowed on fairgrounds.

18. Rabbits must remain on display throughout the duration of the show (Wednesday/Thursday through Sunday).

**SECTION 1801**

**RABBITS**

**Arrival Time**

3:00 — 8:00 p.m., Wednesday, July 31  
and

8:00 a.m. —1:00 p.m., Thursday, August 1

*Please note* - rabbits entered in both open and junior fair market show *MUST* check in no later than 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, August 1

**Judging**

Sunday, August 4, 9:00 a.m.

**Release Time**

Sunday, August 4, 5:00 p.m.

The following premiums will be awarded providing ten (10) or more rabbits are shown within the individual breeds listed:

**BEST OF SHOW**

\$20 & Banner

**BEST 4 CLASS**

\$10 & Banner

**BEST 6 CLASS**

\$10 & Banner

**PREMIUMS FOR ALL BREEDS**

**Best of Breed**

\$5 & Rosette

**Best Opposite of Breed**

\$4 & Rosette

**Best of Variety or Group**

\$4

**Best Opposite of Variety or Group**

\$2

***Premiums and Ribbons for each individual class:***

1st	2nd	3rd	4th
\$5	\$4	\$3	\$2

**BREEDS AND CLASSES**

**Class Age Break**

Four classes are provided for all breeds having a 9 pound or under senior ideal weight.

Seniors — 6 months of age and older (day of judging)

Juniors — Under 6 months of age (day of judging)

Six classes are provided for all breeds having a 9 pound or larger senior ideal weight.

Seniors — 8 months of age and older (day of judging)

Intermediates — 6 months and under 8 months (day of judging)

Juniors — Under 6 months of age (day of judging)

Please indicate one of the above listed classes including breed, variety, sex and ear number on the entry form or when entering online.

**AMERICAN RABBIT BREEDERS ASSOCIATION, INC.**

P. O. Box 5667, Bloomington, IL 61702

Office Hours

Monday - Friday

8:00 a.m. - Noon and 1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

(Central Time)

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**SECTION 1802  
MARKET RABBIT SHOW**

**Arrival Time**

3:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m., Wednesday, July 31  
and  
8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m., Thursday, August 1

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**Judging**

Sunday, August 4, 9:00 a.m.

**Release Time**

Sunday, August 4, 5:00 p.m.

1. This market show is held to stimulate interest in the commercial aspect of rabbit breeding.
2. All animals **must** have permanent ear tattoo. Rabbits owned by the same exhibitor, in the same class, must **NOT have duplicate ear tattoos**.
3. Animals will be weighed day of show. Each rabbit must weigh minimum of 3.5 pounds, and not exceed 5.5 pounds. Should be a commercial breed and must be a minimum of 56 days, and not exceed 70 days of age.
4. *The Grand and Reserve Champion Junior Fair meat pens will **NOT** be eligible to show in the open class market show.*

The following premiums will be paid providing there are 15 or more entries in each class:

**Class No. 20**

**Meat Pen of 3 Rabbits**

Champion Pen of 3  
**Banner**

Reserve Champion Pen of 3  
**Banner**

<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>					
\$20	16	14	12	11	10	9	8	7	6
5	4	3	2	1					

**Class No. 30**

**Single Fryer**

Best Single Fryer  
**Rosette**

Second Best Single Fryer  
**Rosette**

<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>
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**ONLINE ENTRY INFORMATION**

Enter online at [www.ohiostatefair.com](http://www.ohiostatefair.com). Exhibitors should keep their exact login information (user name/ password).

Remember junior exhibitors may not purchase parking permits. If you paid for parking permits, your entry will not be completed until corrected.

**LATE ENTRY**

If you don't enter online by June 20, your entry will be considered late, and you must download the paper entry form, with appropriate fees and mail in to:

**Ohio State Fair  
Entry Department  
717 East 17th Avenue  
Columbus, Ohio 43211**

(June 21-July 20) requires a \$50.00 late fee per exhibitor, per species, plus the usual per animal charge. If wanting to enter both Junior and Open, then it would be \$50.00 for each area, plus the animal entry fee. Any entry made July 21 and after will be charged \$75.00 per exhibitor, per species and per animal charge.

**TICKET INFORMATION**

Participants may purchase tickets, throughout the fair, at the prices listed:

**Admission Passes**

\$28.00 - 6 day punch ticket (multi person use - example: 3 people, 2 admissions )

\$6.00 - one day ticket (one individual use)

**Parking Permits**

\$50 - 6- day parking permit, only one

Any additional parking permits (6-day only) will be at a cost of \$75 each.

## PREMIUMS

Premiums (amount listed after the class information) are processed and mailed at the conclusion of the fair. Any exhibitor who has not received due money by October 31, 2019, should notify the Entry Department at 717 E. 17th Ave., Columbus, OH 43211, phone 614-644-4052; e-mail [b.prince@expo.ohio.gov](mailto:b.prince@expo.ohio.gov) or 614-644-4049; [s.french@expo.ohio.gov](mailto:s.french@expo.ohio.gov)

## IMPORTANT

If you receive premiums of \$499 and over, the State of Ohio **now** requires **you** to register as a "new supplier" at [www.supplier.obm.ohio.gov](http://www.supplier.obm.ohio.gov). This **MUST** be done before any payment will be processed. Please be aware you will be asked for banking information, as your **payment** will be **direct deposit**. You may use either a checking or savings account.

If you have won \$499 and over in the past, you do not need to register. However, **you are responsible** to make any address or name changes, by going to [www.supplier.obm.ohio.gov](http://www.supplier.obm.ohio.gov) and update you information.

If you need assistance with the online processes, please call the "help desk" at 1-877-644-6771.