

## Rabbit Show – Department R

JUNIOR SHOW OPEN TO EXHIBITORS AGS 5-7 IN NORTH CAROLINA & SOUTH CAROLINA  
OPEN SHOW OPEN TO EXHIBITORS 5 AND OLDER IN NORTH CAROLINA & SOUTH CAROLINA

Directors: Jonathan & Piper DeBruler

Judges: Jeff Hardin, Sue Rice, Donald Sheets, Piper DeBruler

### **Entry Deadlines & Fees:**

- Early Entry: September 6, 2023 (\$6 per entry)
- Late Entry: September 14, 2023 (\$7 per entry) and no entries will be accepted after this date.
- Make your entries early. Show is limited to 550 rabbits.
- There will be no refund for entries scratched.

### **Check-In:**

Friday, September, 29 from 5pm-7pm

Saturday, September, 30 from 6 AM - 8 AM

- Animals showing signs of disease will be returned promptly to the farm of origin.
- Show officials reserve the right of declining any entry.
- Certificates of Veterinary Inspection are only required for out-of-state animals (see Livestock Health Regulations).
- Vehicles and trailers must be moved to Livestock Parking outside Gate 10 immediately after unloading. See director for parking pass at check-in.
- After your animals are in place, bring your registration paper to the entry table to verify that the information contained in the Show Order is correct.

### **Show Time:**

Saturday, September, 30 at 8 AM

**Release Time:** Following the conclusion of the show

*Exhibitors removing their animals prior to the announced release time shall forfeit all premiums earned.*

### **Rules & Regulations:**

- Registration certificates for purebred animals must be presented at check-in. If not provided, animals will be moved to the commercial division.
- All animals must be in possession of the owner and have been in the care of the exhibitor for at least 30 days prior to the Fair.
- To compete, exhibitors must be capable of showing their animals without assistance. Exhibitors must be at least 5 years old.
- Unruly animals will be asked to leave premises and forfeit premiums.
- Feed and bedding must be provided by the exhibitor.
- The exhibitor must provide and keep the animal in a leak-proof case.
- Exhibitors are expected to:
  - Accept assigned exhibit spaces without controversy.
  - Provide on-site supervision of the animals.
  - Keep the space they occupy clean, organized, and attractive.
  - Remove litter or equipment promptly as instructed by the director(s).
  - Keep their animals clean.
  - Display current Cleveland County Fair ribbons.
  - Display their animals as directed. Exhibitors failing to enter the judging table when their class is called forfeit the privilege of competition.
  - Cooperate with directors to increase the educational value of the show.

- An experience judge will pass on each class and shall determine proper placing in the absence of any competition. Should unsound, inferior, or distinctly unworthy specimens be presented, the Fair is under no obligation to decorate them with ribbons or distribute premiums as scheduled.
- There will be no classes offered or premiums awarded for any breed show with fewer than three (3) entries. These animals will be eligible to show in the All-Other Breeds division or the Commercial Division, whichever is applicable.
- Discourteous and unsportsmanlike behavior will by exhibitors or ringside affiliates will not be tolerated. Violation could lead to disqualification and a one-year ban from showing at the Cleveland County Fair.
- **Cleveland County Fair shall not be responsible for any accident which may occur to or by reason of any exhibit animals. The exhibitor shall hold Cleveland County Fair blameless and indemnify them against any legal proceedings arising from such actions.**

## RABBITS – Single Entry Classes

*Enter these classes online.*

Premiums				
1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup>
\$5	\$4	\$3	\$2	\$1
Classes				
Rabbits 6 months and younger				
Rabbits 6 to 8 months of age				
Rabbits 8 months & older				

## RABBITS - Championships

*Do not enter this class online. Winner from classes above are eligible to compete.*

Championships
Best of Breed – either sex, buck or doe (\$10)
Best opposite sex of Breed (\$7)
Best of Show (\$25)
Reserve Best of Show (\$15)

## Breeds (Broken and Solid Classes)

1. Holland Lop
2. Netherland Dwarf
3. American Fuzzy Lop
4. Silver Fox
5. English Lop
6. French Lop
7. Polish
8. Angroa
9. Himalayan
10. Mini Rex
11. Satin
12. Mini Satin