

Section I – Rabbits

Check in Tuesday, August 2, 5-8 p.m.

Judged Wednesday, August 3, 9 a.m.

Director **Doug Larson**

SuperintendentsEric Lambert, Gary Mohr, Rick Munster

Rules:

- A. Each exhibitor may show two breeds including market class.
- B. Rabbits exhibited in My Pet Rabbit project may not participate in purebred classes.
- C. Each exhibitor will be limited to a maximum of 12 rabbits and a maximum of three entries per class. Each exhibitor is limited to one meat pen and one single fryer. Total entry not to exceed 15 rabbits. Only 13 cages will be used for display.
- D. Junior bucks & does – under 6 months of age
Intermediate bucks & does – 6-8 months of age
Senior bucks & does – over 8 months of age
- E. All rabbits must be pedigreed – rabbit pedigrees are to be presented, if asked for.
- F. Rabbits must be tattooed before the fair, (*may* be tattooed by superintendents on July 11, 6:30-8 p.m. at fairgrounds). Owners should know their ear marks. Rabbits must be owned or leased by the exhibitor by May 1, 2016, except market class animals which must have been kindled from does owned and in the owners possession by May 1, 2016. All leased rabbits must have a lease on file at the Extension Office by May 1, 2016.
- G. Each exhibitor shall carry their rabbits to the judge’s table.
- H. Feed and water crocks shall be furnished by the exhibitor. Each exhibitor is responsible for cleaning their cages and immediate area. Water crocks must be at least 12 oz. size and not be able to be spilled.
- I. Each breed champion will show for grand and reserve champion rabbit.
- J. There is to be absolutely no breeding of rabbits at the fair.
- K. All classes list more than one class number. Please **make all entries in the first class number listed**. Split classes will be announced before the show.

Californian

Class:

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| 1501, 1502,1503 Sr. Buck 8-10# | 1510, 1511, 1512 Int. Doe not over 9½# |
| 1504, 1505, 1506 Sr. Doe 8½-10½# | 1513, 1514, 1515 Jr. Buck not over 8# |
| 1507, 1508, 1509 Int. Buck not over 9# | 1516, 1517, 1518 Jr. Doe not over 8½# |

New Zealand

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| 1519, 1520, 1521 Sr. Buck 9-11# | 1528, 1529, 1530 Int. Doe not over 11# |
| 1522, 1523, 1524 Sr. Doe 10-12# | 1531, 1532, 1533 Jr. Buck not over 9# |
| 1525, 1526, 1527 Int. Buck not over 10# | 1534, 1535, 1536 Jr. Doe not over 9# |

Satins (all varieties)

1537, 1538, 1539 Sr. Buck 8½-10#	1546, 1547, 1548 Int. Doe not over 9½#
1540, 1541, 1542 Sr. Doe 9-11#	1549, 1550, 1551 Jr. Buck not over 8#
1543, 1544, 1545 Int. Buck not over 9#	1552, 1553, 1554 Jr. Doe not over 8½#

Mini Lops & Holland Lops

1555, 1556, 1557 Sr. Buck (6 mos. & over)	1561, 1562, 1563 Jr. Buck (Under 6 mos.)
1558, 1559, 1560 Sr. Doe (6 mos. & over)	1564, 1565, 1566 Jr. Doe (Under 6 mos.)

Mini Rex

1567, 1568, 1569 Sr. Buck (6 mos. & over)	1573, 1574, 1575 Jr. Buck (under 6 mos.)
1570, 1571, 1572 Sr. Doe (6 mos. & over)	1576, 1577, 1578 Jr. Doe (under 6 mos.)

Dutch (all varieties)

1579, 1580, 1581 Sr. Buck	1585, 1586, 1587 Jr. Buck (under 6 mos.)
1582, 1583, 1584 Sr. Doe	1588, 1589, 1590 Jr. Doe (under 6 mos.)

Havanas

1591, 1592, 1593 Sr. Buck	1597, 1598, 1599 Jr. Buck (under 6 mos.)
1594, 1595, 1596 Sr. Doe	1600, 1601, 1602 Jr. Doe (under 6 mos.)

All Other Purebreds (judged together)

1603, 1604, 1605 Sr. Buck	1609, 1610, 1611 Jr. Buck (under 6 mos.)
1606, 1607, 1608 Sr. Doe	1612, 1613, 1614 Jr. Doe (under 6 mos.)

Market Classes**Rules:**

See rules A-K on previous page.

- L. Open to all exhibitors. Example: You can show Mini Rex in the regular show and show New Zealand in the market class.
 - M. Meat pen rabbits should not weigh over five pounds each and must not exceed 70 days of age. Rabbits must be of same breed and color.
 - N. All meat pens and fryers must be a minimum weight of 3.5# and kindled from does owned by and in the 4-H member's possession by May 1, 2015.
- 1615, 1616, 1617. Meat Pen-three rabbits up to 70 days of age, to be judged on uniformity, size and condition.
- 1618, 1619, 1620. Single Fryer – not over 5# or 70 days of age.

Champion Plaques donated by:

- (4H35) **Champion Californian Rabbit** – Gary and Jean Schmidt Family
- (4H15) **Reserve Champion Californian Rabbit** – McLean County 4-H Program.
- (4H35) **Champion New Zealand Rabbit** – Timeless Clovers Alumni Association
- (4H15) **Reserve Champion New Zealand Rabbit** – McLean County 4-H Program
- (4H35) **Champion Satin Rabbit** – Towanda Home and Community Education Association
- (4H15) **Reserve Champion Satin Rabbit** – Lone Pine Satins – Gary and Judy Mohr
- (4H35) **Champion Mini Lop And Holland Lop Rabbit** – Larry & Donna Ryan
- (4H15) **Reserve Champion Mini Lop And Holland Lop Rabbit**
– McLean County 4-H Program
- (4H35) **Champion Mini Rex Rabbit** – Bunnychatch Rabbitry
- (4H15) **Reserve Champion Mini Rex Rabbit** – Lambert Rabbit Barn
- (4H35) **Champion Dutch Rabbit** – Dan Kerber Family
- (4H15) **Reserve Champion Dutch Rabbit** – Munster Rabbitry
- (4H35) **Champion Havana Rabbit** – Mike Dorris Family
- (4H15) **Reserve Champion Havana Rabbit** – Americana Animal Hospital – Dr. Bill Somers
- (4H35) **Champion All Other Breeds Rabbit** – Evergreen FS, Inc.
- (4H15) **Reserve Champion All Other Breeds Rabbit** – Emmett-Scharf Electric Co.
- (4H50) **Champion Meat Pen** – Cherokee Flats
- (4H50) **Champion Single Fryer Rabbit** – Rafferty Farms
- (4H300) **Grand Champion Rabbit Over All** – Bloomington-Normal Rabbit Breeders
- (4H100) **Reserve Grand Champion Rabbit Over All** – Lambert Rabbit Barn

Showmanship Contests

Open to anyone showing rabbits except previous first place winners in their individual age class in showmanship. Age is determined as of September 1, 2015. Entry may be made when making all other show entries or by noon the day of the show.

1691. Ages 8-10

1692. Ages 11-13

1693. Ages 14 & Over

Plaques donated by:

- (4H20) **Showmanship Ages 8-10** – Miller Janitor Supply, Inc.
- (4H20) **Showmanship Ages 11-13** – Tom and Sandy Berger
- (4H20) **Showmanship Ages 14 & Over** – BLASH Farms