

Rabbits

Showmanship Premium Code: E

Rabbit Premium Code: G

Thayer Livestock Record Book: A

Rules:

1. Pre-entry is required. Exhibitor may pre-enter (nominate) a maximum of 10 exhibits; may show 5 exhibits.

THAYER COUNTY ONLY: Cannot exceed 5 cages between 4-H and FFA entries.

NUCKOLLS COUNTY ONLY: Maximum of 5 cages, upon availability.

2. All rabbits must be ear marked by ear tattoo and identified by June 15th. **State fair requires the tattoo to be in the left ear of the rabbit.** County fair is optional on which ear is tattooed.

3. Maximum length of showmanship presentations is four minutes. Exhibitors will be timed.

ENTRY LIMITS: Exhibitors may pre-enter (nominate) a maximum of 10 exhibits; and **will be allowed to show 5 exhibits.**

Rabbit Livestock Record Book- Thayer County ONLY!

Dept B Division 185

Class

40* Rabbit Record Book- Thayer County Only

Rabbit Showmanship

Dept G Division 280

Class

7* Showmanship

Market Rabbits

Dept G Division 281

Classes

1 **Single Fryer-** Not over 10 weeks of age. Max weight of 5½ pounds.

2 **Meat Pen of Three-** Age limit 10 weeks. Minimum weight of 3 ½ pounds each. Max weight 5 ½ pounds each. Meat pens shall consist of 3 rabbits, all of the same breed and variety. Broken group meat pens must also be of the same variety. A meat pen does not necessarily have to come from the same litter.

3 **Roasters-** All rabbits entered in this class must be under 6 months of age. Minimum weight 5 1/2 lbs. Max weight 9 pounds.

4 **Stewers-** All rabbits entered in this class must be 6 month of age and over. Minimum weight is over 8 pounds.

5 **Home Bred & Fed Market Rabbit-** Rabbit must be conceived and raised on family farm through finishing phase. Rabbit may NOT be shown in any other class.

Fancy Breed Rabbits

Dept G Division 282

General information: Division breakdown by age of rabbit not weight. A Fancy Breed Rabbit that is exactly 6 months old on show day will be shown as a Junior Division Rabbit. A Fancy Breed rabbit that is 6 months plus one day old on show day will be shown as a Senior Division Rabbit. Fancy Breed Rabbits include American Fuzzy Lop, American Sable, Belgian Hare, Britannia Petite, Dutch, Dwarf Hotot, English Angora, English Spot, Florida White, French Angora, Harlequin, Havana, Himalayan, Jersey Woolie, Lilac, Holland Lop, Mini Lop, Mini Rex, Mini Satin, Netherland Dwarf, Polish, Rex, Rhinelander, Satin Angora, Silver, Silver Marten, Standard Chinchilla, Tan, Thrianta, Lionhead.

Classes

4 **Junior Buck-** 6 months and under

5 **Junior Doe-** 6 months and under

14 **Senior Buck-** Over 6 months

15 **Senior Doe-** Over 6 months

25 **Home Bred & Raised Rabbit-** Rabbit must be conceived and

raised on family farm. Rabbit may NOT be shown in any other class.

Commercial Breed Rabbits

Dept G Division 283

General information: A Commercial Breed Rabbit that is exactly 6 months old on show day will be shown as a Junior Division Rabbit. A commercial breed rabbit that is 6 months plus one day old on show day will be shown as a Senior Division Rabbit. Commercial Breed Rabbits include: American, American Chinchilla, Beveren, Black de Hotot, Californian, Champagne D'Argent, Checkered Giant, Cinnamon, Creme D'Argent, English Lop, Flemish Giant, French Lop, Giant Angora, Giant Chinchilla, New Zealand, Palomino, Satin, and Silver Fox.

Classes

- 6 Junior Buck-** 6 months and under
- 7 Junior Doe-** 6 months and under
- 16 Senior Buck-** Over 6 months
- 17 Senior Doe-** Over 6 months
- 27 Home Bred & Raised Rabbit-** Rabbit must be conceived and raised on family farm. Rabbit may NOT be shown in any other class.