

# RABBITS

All rabbits must be identified by a permanent ear tattoo matching that on the entry form. Exhibitors must have carry cages for their entries. Cages are limited, be prepared to provide your own. Cages must have solid bottoms and be leak proof. No carriers will be available to bring the animals to the judging tables. Exhibitors are expected to be on hand during judging to bring their animals to the judging tables. Exhibit will not be judged if exhibitor misses his or her call to bring rabbits to the table. Only youth exhibitors may carry animals to the judging table. All small animals will be housed on grounds for the duration of the Fair, their release date will be Sunday of fair week at 4PM. Junior rabbits must be checked in by a junior exhibitor, or entry will not be accepted.

## Open Breeding Rabbits

**Entry Forms Due:** June 16th, 2025

**Entry Fee:** \$15 per entry per class

**Check In Time:** July 15<sup>th</sup> 10AM – 12PM

Must be on grounds by 12pm, July 15<sup>th</sup>

**Entry Limit:** Three entries per exhibitor per class

**Judged:** Friday, July 18<sup>th</sup> at 8AM

**Released:** July 20<sup>th</sup> at 4PM

**Danish system of judging.**

All rabbits entered as specific breeds will be judged by the rules of the American Rabbit Breeders Association. All rabbits must have permanent ear tattoo and correspond to the entry form. No felt marking will be acceptable or ear tattoos. A DQ animal is an animal that is known to be purebred but has a disqualification per American Rabbit Breeders Standards and cannot be shown in a breed class. A backyard animal is an animal that is crossbred and cannot be placed in any of the breed classes.

**Premiums offered per class:**

1<sup>st</sup> / \$25   2<sup>nd</sup> / \$20   3<sup>rd</sup> / \$15

**DIVISION 120 – Flemish Giant**

**DIVISION 121- Rex**

**DIVISION 122 – Mini Lop**

**DIVISION 123 – A.O.B Heavyweight**

**DIVISION 124- Mini Rex**

**DIVISION 125- Holland Lop**

**DIVISION 126- Himalayans**

**DIVISION 127- AOB Lightweight**

**DIVISION 128- Backyard or DQ Bunny**

**DIVISION 129- Fuzzy Lops**

**DIVISION 195- Other**

**Class:**

1. Senior Buck (over 6 months)
2. Seniors Doe (Over 6 months)
3. Intermediate Buck (6-8 months)
4. Intermediate Doe (6-8 months)
5. Junior Buck (under 6 months)
6. Junior Doe (under 6 months)

## Jr Open Breeding Rabbits

**Entry Forms Due:** June 16th, 2025

**Entry Fee:** \$10 per entry per class

**Check In Time:** July 15<sup>th</sup> 10AM – 12PM

Must be on grounds by 12pm, July 15<sup>th</sup>

**Entry Limit:** Three entries per exhibitor per class

**Judged:** Friday, July 18<sup>th</sup> at 8AM

**Released:** July 20<sup>th</sup> at 4PM

**Danish system of judging.**

All rabbits entered as specific breeds will be judged by the rules of the American Rabbit Breeders Association. All rabbits must have permanent ear tattoo and correspond to the entry form. No felt marking will be acceptable or ear tattoos. A DQ animal is an animal that is known to be purebred but has a disqualification per American Rabbit Breeders Standards and cannot be shown in a breed class. A backyard animal is an animal that is crossbred and cannot be placed in any of the breed classes. Open to all junior exhibitors including 4-H and FFA.

**Premiums offered per class:**

1<sup>st</sup> / \$15   2<sup>nd</sup> / \$10   3<sup>rd</sup> / \$5

**DIVISION 130 – Flemish Giant**

**DIVISION 131- Rex**

**DIVISION 132 – Mini Lop**

**DIVISION 133 – Lionhead**

**DIVISION 134- Mini Rex**

**DIVISION 135- Holland Lop**

**DIVISION 136- Netherland Dwarf**

**DIVISION 137- Backyard or DQ Bunny**

**DIVISION 138- Jersey Wooly**

**DIVISION 139- English Lop**

**DIVISION 140- Californian**

**DIVISION 141- Mini Satins**

**DIVISION 142- Other**

**DIVISION 143- Fuzzy Lops**

**Class:**

1. Senior Buck (over 6 months)
2. Seniors Doe (Over 6 months)
3. Intermediate Buck (6-8 months)
4. Intermediate Doe (6-8 months)
5. Junior Buck (under 6 months)
6. Junior Doe (under 6 months)

## Rabbit & Cavy Fun Classes

No premiums. No entry fee. Signups will be taken at rabbit check-in. Do not include on your entry form. Classes will include be as follows:

**Thursday at 11AM Rabbit Hurdles Followed by Cavy Races**

**Thursday at 12:30PM Rabbit Breed ID Scavenger Hunt**

**Saturday at 11:30PM Rabbit/Cavy Dress Up Contest**

## Market Rabbits

**Entry Forms Due:** June 16th, 2025  
**Entry Fee:** \$15 per entry per class  
**Check In Time:** July 15<sup>th</sup> 10AM – 12PM  
Must be on grounds by 12pm, July 15<sup>th</sup>  
**Entry Limit:** Two entries per exhibitor  
**Judged:** Friday, July 18<sup>th</sup> at 8AM  
**Released:** July 20<sup>th</sup> at 4PM

ARBA Rules.

American System of judging.

No cash awards. Ribbons only.

Pen of 3. Weight 3.5lbs minimum, 5.5lbs maximum each rabbit. Seventy-day age limit. All entries must have a permanent ear tattoo. There is no average daily gain requirement. All qualified meat pens will sell through the Junior Livestock Auction. All small market animals is live pickup. All rabbit market pens will be required to present a bill of sale at check-in. Pens not having a bill of sale will not be allowed to sell. If you choose to breed and raise your own market animals, you must still have a breeding statement/bill of sale. Grade groups: Purple and Red = market ready, White = not market ready (will not sell).

**DIVISION 148- 4-H Market Rabbit Meat Pen**

**DIVISION 149- FFA Market Rabbit Meat Pen**

*Class:*

1. Rabbit Meat Pen Under 70 Days Old; 3.5lbs. – 5.5lbs.

**DIVISION 86–Feeder Rabbit**

Enter at scale for animal that did not make weight and is not eligible to sell.

*Class:*

1. Single fryer

## HOME BRED RABBIT MEAT PEN

**Entry Forms Due:** June 16th, 2025  
**Entry Fee:** None  
**Check In Time:** July 15<sup>th</sup> 10AM – 12PM  
Must be on grounds by 12pm, July 15<sup>th</sup>  
**Entry Limit:** Two entries per exhibitor  
**Judged:** Friday, July 18<sup>th</sup> at 8AM  
**Released:** July 20<sup>th</sup> at 4PM

This award is available to junior exhibitors entering rabbit meat pens in the Lassen County Fair. Completed applications must be submitted with entry forms by June 17th. Eligible rabbit meat pens will be those in which the junior exhibitor has owned the doe and raised the litter from which the meat pen rabbits originated. See application for more information.

**Applications due at time of entry form.**

**DIVISION 176- Best Homebred Rabbit Meat Pen**

*Class:*

1. Homebred Rabbit Meat Pen Under 70 Days Old;  
3.5lbs. – 5.5lbs.

## Rabbit Showmanship

**Entry Forms Due:** June 16th, 2025  
**Entry Fee:** None  
**Check In Time:** July 15<sup>th</sup> 10AM – 12PM  
Must be on grounds by 12pm, July 18<sup>th</sup>  
**Entry Limit:** One entry per exhibitor  
**Judged:** Friday, July 18<sup>th</sup> at 8AM  
**Released:** July 20<sup>th</sup> at 4PM

**NO PREMIUMS OFFERED.**

**DIVISION 150– 4-H RABBIT SHOWMANSHIP**

*Class:*

1. **4-H True Novice Showmanship**–Open to any 4-H member who has never shown before at any organized Show/Fair regardless of grade level. Winner of 4-H True Novice Showmanship is not eligible to move up to the next class for the final round.

2. **4-H Junior Showmanship**–Open to only 9, 10 & 11 years olds as of January 1<sup>st</sup> of show year regardless of number of years in 4-H. Top 3 advance to Advanced Showmanship

3. **4-H Intermediate Showmanship**– Open to only 12 & 13 years old as of January 1<sup>st</sup> of show year regardless of number of years in 4-H. Top 3 advance to Advanced Showmanship

4. **4-H Advanced**– 14 years & over as of January 1<sup>st</sup> of show year.

**DIVISION 151– FFA RABBIT SHOWMANSHIP**

*Class:*

1. **FFA True Novice Showmanship**—Open to any FFA member who has never shown before at any organized show/Fair regardless of grade level. Winner of FFA True Novice Showmanship is not eligible to move up to the next class for the final round

2. **FFA Junior Showmanship**—Open to 10th grade and under, top 2 to advance to FFA Advanced Showmanship round.

3. **FFA Advanced Showmanship**—Open to 11th grade and over.

Grade based on 2024-2025 school year.

## Primary Member Showmanship

**Entry Forms Due:** June 16th, 2025  
**Entry Fee:** None  
**Check In Time:** July 15<sup>th</sup> 10AM – 12PM  
Must be on grounds by 12pm, July 15<sup>th</sup>  
**Entry Limit:** One entry per exhibitor  
**Judged:** Thursday, July 17<sup>th</sup> at 6PM  
**Released:** July 20<sup>th</sup> at 4PM

**DIVISION 152– Primary Rabbit Showmanship**

*Class:*

1. Primary 5-8 years old enrolled in the project as a primary member.