

DEPARTMENT 9

RABBITS

ENTRY FEE - \$2.00 per animal

Entries limited to 15 rabbits per family/farm

Entries limited to Westmoreland County

HEALTH RULES FOR RABBITS

1. An *Animal Owner or Caretaker's Verification of Veterinarian-Client-Patient Relationship* (VCPR) form must accompany all PA rabbits, and must be presented upon arrival at the exhibition.
2. All animals must be free of infectious and contagious diseases. Animals appearing unhealthy upon arrival may not enter the exhibition grounds.

Out of State Rabbits:

1. A Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI) issued within the 60 days prior to the opening date of the exhibition is required.
2. All animals must be free of infectious and contagious diseases and a statement of this is required on the CVI (the statement is pre-printed on the CVI). Animals appearing unhealthy upon arrival may not enter the exhibition grounds.
3. An *Animal Owner or Caretaker's Verification of Veterinarian-Client-Patient Relationship* (VCPR) form must accompany each animal, and must be presented upon arrival at the exhibition.

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1. Rabbits that are sold cannot leave the fair grounds until midnight Saturday August 27, 2011. This is the responsibility of the seller. If this rule is broken, the exhibitor will not be allowed to exhibit at the 2012 fair.
 2. All rabbits must be picked up by **12:30pm** Sunday, August 28, 2011.
 3. The fair reserves the right to limit entries based on available space. If entries need to be returned, preference will be given to 4-H & FFA exhibitors who need to complete their projects.
 4. Each exhibitor must sign a statement as to the rabbit being free from known health disorders.
 5. No rabbit may compete in more than one class.
 6. Cages will be furnished. EXHIBITOR must keep all cages clean. Food, water, and bedding are the owner's responsibility. Do not use CEDAR CHIPS for bedding!
 7. All rabbits must be tattooed.
 8. Only one rabbit per cage with the exception of a meat pen.
 9. **Passes for rabbit-only exhibitors will be distributed when rabbits are checked in.**
 10. Classifications and breeds are to apply to each of the following breeds:

SECTION	BREED
A	American Fuzzy Lop
B	Dutch
C	Holland Lop
D	Jersey Woolly
E	Angora
F	Mini Rex
G	Netherland Dwarf
H	Polish
I	Other 4 Class

11. Example entry: Dept. 9, Section A, Class 1 – American Fuzzy Lop, Sr. Buck

CLASS		1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH
	PREMIUMS (all classes)	\$3.00	\$2.50	\$2.00	\$1.50	\$1.00
1.	Senior Buck (over 6 months of age)					
2.	Senior Doe (over 6 months of age)					
3.	Junior Buck (under 6 months of age)					
4.	Junior Doe (under 6 months of age)					

SIX CLASS

SECTION	BREED
J	Flemish
K	New Zealand
L	Other 6 Class

CLASS		1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH
	PREMIUMS (all classes)	\$3.00	\$2.50	\$2.00	\$1.50	\$1.00
1.	Senior Buck (over 8 months of age)					
2.	Senior Doe (over 8 months of age)					
3.	Intermediate Buck (6-8 months of age)					
4.	Intermediate Doe (6-8 months of age)					
5.	Junior Buck (under 6 months of age)					
6.	Junior Doe (under 6 months of age)					
	Best of Breed – Rosette					
	Best Opposite Sex – Rosette					
	Best of Show (consists of champions from each breed) - Rosette					

**DEPARTMENT 9
SECTION M
MEAT RABBITS**

ENTRY FEE - \$2.00 per pen (3)

1. Limited to one entry per exhibitor
2. Entry to consist of three (3) animals of the same breed and color per pen.
3. Limited to a minimum of 3lbs. and a maximum of 5 lbs. each.

CLASS		1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH
	PREMIUMS	\$3.00	\$2.50	\$2.00	\$1.50	\$1.00
1.	Pen of 3 Rabbits for meat purpose					