DEPT 14 - RABBITS

Sunday, July 14 - 12:00 p.m.

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This department must abide by all VBYF and Small Animal rules at the back of the book.

Division I - Rabbits

Section a - Showmanship

Exhibitors in classes 300-305 will receive placing rosettes (1-5). First place exhibitors will receive trophies. All exhibitors in Class 300 & 301 will receive a participation rosette.

Class 300 - Pee Wee I Showmanship (6 -7 (born 7/1 - 12/31) years old) Class 301 - Pee Wee II Showmanship (7 (born 1/1 -6/30) - 8 years old) Class 302 - Young I Showmanship (9-10 years old) Class 303 - Young II Showmanship (11-12 years old) Class 304 – Junior Showmanship (13-14 years old) Class 305 - Senior Showmanship (15-19 years old)

Section a1 - Differently Abled Showmanship

Class 1 - Differently Abled Showmanship (6-26 years old). This exhibit will be shown in the showmanship age classes listed in Section a above based on the exhibitor's age on January 1st.

Section b - Market Rabbits

Exhibitors in class 306 receive A (\$4), B (\$3), C (\$2) ribbons, premiums, and placing rosettes (1-5). Grand and Reserve will receive trophies and Rosettes.

Class 306 - Pen of 3 market Rabbits

Class 307 - Grand & Res. Grand Champion Market Pen

Section c - Californians

Exhibitors in classes 308-371 will receive A (\$3), B (\$2.50), and C (\$2) ribbons, and premiums.

Class 308 - Senior Buck (over 8 months) Class 309 - Senior Doe (over 8 months) Class 310 - Intermediate Buck (6-8 months) Class 311 - Intermediate Doe (6-8 months) Class 312 - Junior Buck (3-6 months) Class 313 - Junior Doe (3-6 months)

Class descriptions and premiums for Section d thru Section h are the same as Section c.

Section d - New Zealands (Red, White, Black)

Class 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319

Section e - Satins (All Colors)

Class 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325

Section f - English Lop

Class 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331

Section g - Flemish Giant

Class 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337

Section h - All Other Pure Bred Commercial Breeds

Class 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343

Section i - Dutch

Class 344 - Senior Buck (over 6 months) Class 345 - Senior Doe (over 6 months) Class 346 - Junior Buck (3-6 months) Class 347 - Junior Doe (3-6 months)

Class descriptions for Section j thru Section o are the same as Section i.

Section j - Netherland Dwarf

Class 348, 349, 350, 351

Section k - Holland Lop

Class 352, 353, 354, 355

Section I - Polish

Class 356, 357, 358, 359

Section m - Mini Lop

Class 360, 361, 362, 363

Section n - Mini-Rex

Class 364, 365, 366, 367

Section o - All Other Purebred Fancy Breeds

Class 368, 369, 370, 371

Section p - Champion Breeding Rabbit

Class 371 - Grand & Reserve Grand Champion – Commercial Rabbit Trophy and Rosettes Class 372 - Grand & Reserve Grand Champion – Fancy Rabbit Trophy and Rosettes

Rosettes will be presented to the exhibitor of the Best of Breed and Best Opposite for all breed classes.

Section q - Rabbit Record Book Contest

To recognize outstanding achievement in record keeping for a rabbit project. Adam's Funeral Home in Paw Paw will present awards to the top exhibitor in the following divisions.

Pee Wee (6-8) Beginner (9-12) Intermediate (13-15) Advanced (16-19)

Exhibitors will receive A, B, C ratings.

First place winners in each division will receive a \$15.00 monetary prize. Record books will be judged on completeness, accuracy, and neatness. Winners will be announced at the awards ceremony on Saturday.

Record books are available from the Extension Office and must be turned into the Superintendent at check-in.



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