

DEPT 15 - POCKET PETS

Monday, July 15 - 11:00 a.m.

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

Division I

Section a – Showmanship

The first place exhibitors in Class 402, 403, 406, and 407 will be representatives for the Small Animal Showmanship Sweepstakes.

Exhibitors in classes 400-407 will receive placing rosettes (1-5). First place exhibitors will receive trophies. Exhibitors in classes 400 & 404 receive participation rosettes.

Class 400 - Cavy Pee Wee Showmanship
(6-8 years old)

Class 401 - Cavy Young Showmanship
(9 -12 years old)

Class 402 - Cavy Junior Showmanship
(13-14 years old)

Class 403 - Cavy Senior Showmanship
(15-19 years old)

Class 404 - Lab Animal Pee Wee Showmanship
(6-8 years old)

Class 405 - Lab Animal Young Showmanship
(9-12 years old)

Class 406 - Lab Animal Junior Showmanship
(13-14 years old)

Class 407 - Lab Animal 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.

Exhibitors in classes 408-413, 415-420, 422-427, 429-434, 436-441, 443-448, 450-455, 458-463 will

receive A (\$3), B (\$2.50), C (\$2) ribbons and premiums & 1-5 placing rosettes.

Section b - Abyssinians

Class 408 - Junior Abyssinian Boar

Class 409 - Junior Abyssinian Sow

Class 410 - Intermediate Abyssinian Boar

Class 411 - Intermediate Abyssinian Sow

Class 412 - Senior Abyssinian Boar

Class 413 - Senior Abyssinian Sow

Class 414 - Best Abyssinian

(1st place from classes 408 - 413) Best of Breed Rosette

Section c thru Section h will have the same class descriptions, awards, and premiums as Section b.

Section c - Americans

Class 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421

Section d - Peruvians

Class 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428

Section e - Silkies

Class 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435

Section f - Teddies

Class 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442

Section g - White Cresteds

Class 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449

Section h - Rare Breeds

Class 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456

Section i - Grand and Reserve Champion Cavy

(1st place from Classes 414, 421, 428, 435, 442, 449, 456)

Class 457 - Grand and Reserve Grand Champion will receive a trophy for Grand Champion & Reserve Champion Trophy and Rosettes.

Section j - LAB ANIMALS (Rats)

Class 458 - Single Male
Class 459 - Single Female
Class 460 - Pair of rats

Section k - Other Lab Animals (No Reptiles)

Class 461 - Single Male
Class 462 - Single Female
Class 463 - Pair of Other Lab Animals

Section l - Grand and Reserve Champion Lab Animal

1st place from classes 458, 459, 461, 462.

Class 464 - Grand and Reserve Champion Lab Animal will receive Grand Champion and Reserve Champion Trophy and Rosettes.

Section m - Grand and Reserve Champion Pair of Lab Animals

1st place from classes 460 and 463.

Class 465 - Grand and Reserve Champion Lab Animal will receive Grand Champion and Reserve Champion Trophy and Rosettes.

Section n - Costume Class

1-5 placing rosettes

Class 470 - Costume Class

Section o - Pocket Pet 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.

