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Fayette County Fair

All Breeds, All Variety Pigeon Show

September 3, 2023

Co-Sponsored by the South Central Texas All Breeds Pigeon Club-La Grange, Texas

Show Secretary: Wilburn F Hackebeit

Coop-In: Saturday, September 2, 2023 from 5-10pm

Sunday, September 3, 2023 from 8-10am

Judging: Sunday, September 3, 2023 starting at 10am

Show Day Secretary: Annie Hackebeit

RULES AND REGULATIONS:

1. **Entry fee is \$ 3.00 per pigeon or dove. Entry fee must accompany entry. Checks must be made out to the Fayette County Fair Association. Entry deadline is August 19, 2023.** (The Show Committee reserves the right to refuse entries once the available coop space is filled.)
2. Competition is open to TEXAS exhibitors only. All entries and awards in this department shall be subject to the rules and regulations as published in this catalog. If any questions arise concerning the meaning of the rules, the decision of the Show Superintendent will be final.
3. All pigeons and doves must be free from disease and parasites. BIRDS SHOWING SIGNS OF EITHER WILL BE REFUSED ENTRY.
4. No one other than the Judge or Show Superintendent will be allowed to handle any birds other than their own.
5. The Fayette County Fair Association and the South Central Texas All Breeds Pigeon Club will not be responsible for any loss or accidents, but will give every exhibit the best possible care and use every possible precaution to prevent loss or accident.
6. Feed and water will be provided. IT WILL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE EXHIBITORS TO FEED AND WATER THEIR OWN BIRDS. Please contact the Show Committee if you need us to feed your birds for you.

7. Single entries only. (old cock, old hen, young cock, or young hen per breed) will be accepted in the following classes: Fancy, Utility, Performance, and Rare Classes. **All birds must be seamless banded.**
8. **Awards by The Fayette County Fair Association:**
Trophies to Best of Show and Reserve of Show, Class Champions (Best Rare, Best Performance, Best Utility and Best Fancy) will receive \$7.50 each. Reserve of Class winners will receive \$5.00 each.
8a. Open Show Special Awards-- Donated by Grover Williams, PO Box 108, Palacios, TX 77465 & The South Central Texas All Breeds Pigeon Club. (Decision on how to split prize money will be decided later.)
9. There will be an **official Junior Pigeon Show at the 2023 Fayette County Fair (for exhibitors 18 years of age or under as of September 3, 2023.)** All rules of the open show will apply, except the entry fee, which will be \$2.00 per bird.
10. **Special Plaque "Hackebeil Premier Exhibitor of Show Award" will be presented to the exhibitor earning the highest number of points on all birds shown by that exhibitor based on the following point system:**

1st—5 points	Reserve of Breed—6 points
2nd—4 points	Best of Breed—7 points
3rd—3 points	Reserve of Class—8 points
4th—2 points	Best of Class—9 points
5th—1 point	Reserve of Show—10 points
	Best of Show—11 points
11. There will be a special plaque given for **Best Pigeon Breed Display of the 2023 Open Show.** To qualify for this award, exhibitors will have to enter 2 old cocks, 2 old hens, 2 young cocks, and 2 young hens of the same breed, but they can be any color variety. Exhibitors must indicate with a check mark on the entry form which birds they want to be considered for this award.
12. Trophies and Awards will be presented after winnings have been tabulated after the show on Sunday, September 3, 2023.
13. There will be 1 ticket issued per exhibitor. Extra tickets are available for other family members, a limit of 2 for \$10.00 each per day. Tickets will **need to be scanned in and out, otherwise, the person will need to buy a new ticket.**
14. For those exhibitors wishing to participate, there will be a **"Special Futurity Show for Young Birds of 2023"** for any breed or variety. Entries can be from the **Open** or **Junior** Show. An additional \$5.00 will be charged for each bird entered in the futurity and to compete for the prize money. The winner will take all.
15. **DO NOT USE RABBIT CAGES FOR PIGEONS.**
16. **Due to regulations, there will be no sales permitted at the show.**

Mail Entries To:

Fayette County Fair Pigeon Show

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652 S Monroe St

La Grange, TX 78945-3252

All special awards (aside from premium awards by Fayette County Fair Association) are donated by Grover Williams and the South Central Texas All Breeds Pigeon Club.