# Cavies 4-H and FFA Department 208

Cavies

#### Superintendent: Pru Beyer

Online Entries at www.PalouseEmpireFair.com Select: Exhibitors, Select: Animal Entries

Exhibitors are responsible to read and comply with:

- Palouse Empire Fair General Rules & Regulations.
- 4-H & FFA Rules and Regulations.
- Livestock Health Regulations.
- IAFE Show Ring Code of Ethics.
- Department Rules and Regulations (below).
- Rules and Regulations posted in Barn.
- **General Rules and Regulations**
- Cavy entries are to be received by the Fair Office no later than August 1<sup>st</sup>.
- All exhibits will be placed by 8:00 p.m.
  Wednesday, and are not to be taken out until after 4:01 p.m. Sunday.
- Superintendents will not be responsible for cavies that remain after 6:00 p.m. Sunday.
- All entries shall be entered by breed.
- Cavies must be free of parasites.
- All cavies are subject to veterinary inspection.
- Superintendents reserve the right to limit entries per exhibitor.
- Owners shall supply water bottles and resting mats.
- Superintendents will feed cavies. Feed is provided by Four Star Supply, Inc.

#### Division A – FFA Fitting and Showing Division B –4-H Fitting and Showing

Points Awarded: Blue 60, Red 40, White 30 Rules:

- All 4-H and FFA exhibitors are expected to compete in Fitting and Showing.
- The purpose of showmanship is to help young people become better acquainted with proper handling and cavy knowledge.
- Class:
- 1. 4-H Cloverbud 5-7 years
- 2. 4-H Junior 8-10 years
- 3. 4-H Intermediate 11 13 years
- 4. 4-H Senior 14 < 19 years
- 5. FFA Novice: Freshman & Sophomore
- 6. FFA Advanced: Junior & Senior

# Division C FFA – Purebred Cavies

Division D 4-H – Purebred Cavies

Points Awarded: Blue 20, Red 10, White 5

# Class:

- 1. Boar, six months and over
- 2. Boar, under six months
- 3. Sow, six months and over
- 4. Sow, under six months

Division E FFA – Educational Displays Division F 4-H – Educational Displays

Points Awarded (Listed under each Class)

## Class:

- Individual Poster or Display Points Awarded: Blue 25, Red 20, White 15
- Group Barn Display Points Awarded: Blue 35, Red 25, White 15

Division G FFA - Crossbred Cavies/Pet Class Division H 4-H - Crossbred Cavies/Pet Class Points Awarded: Blue 20, Red 10, White, 5 es:

Rules:

- This Division is for cavies that are known to be crossbred, or healthy purebred cavies that are known to have a characteristic that would make them ineligible to compete in a breed show (ex., improper coat, or neutered).
- All crossbred and pet class cavies are judged based on grooming, temperament, and overall condition/health. 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Place rosettes will be awarded from Crossbred/pet class entries, 4-H and FFA separately.
- Crossbred/pet class cavies are not eligible to compete for 4-H or FFA Grand Champion.

## Class:

- 1. Boar, six months and over
- 2. Boar, under six months
- 3. Sow, six months and over
- 4. Sow, under six months

## Division I Costume Contest

Points Awarded: 1<sup>st</sup> 20, 2<sup>nd</sup> 10, and 3<sup>rd</sup> 5 Rules:

All exhibitors (Open, 4-H, FFA) compete for overall 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> place rosettes for a costume involving themselves and their rabbit or cavy.

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### **Special Contests and Awards**

Small Animal Round Robin Awarded to Best Overall Showman for Awards: (Paid in Premium Check) Rabbit, Cavy, and Poultry 1<sup>st</sup> \$50 & 2<sup>nd</sup> \$25

Whitman County Farm Bureau <u>4-H and FFA Fitting and showing Award</u> Awards: (Paid in Premium Check) Overall Grand Champion \$10 Overall Reserve Grand Champion \$5

#### Fitting and Showing

Champion and Reserve Champion ribbons will be awarded in each class for Fitting and Showing Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion rosettes will be awarded from the Champion exhibitors within 4-H and FFA separately.

#### **Purebred Cavies**

Champion and Reserve Champion purebred animals will compete for Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion rosettes within 4-H and FFA separately.

Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion winners are encouraged to participate in the Parade of Champions on Sunday.

