

# DEPARTMENT 8 RABBITS, CAVIES & POCKET PETS 4-H | GRANGE | FFA

**SUPERINTENDENT:**  
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- Each rabbit must be identified by a permanent tattoo in the left ear. Un-tattooed animals will not be accepted.
- Each cavy must be identified by a cavy ear tag.
- No does accepted with a litter, no heavily pregnant does and no animals under 8 weeks accepted.
- **Entries may be limited due to available space at superintendent's discretion.**
- No For Sale signs may be displayed.
- If exhibitor fails to participate in Herdsmanship, premium money will be withheld.
- Animals must be properly cared for and pens cleaned by 8am each day.
- Any person carrying rabbits inappropriately will have premium money withheld.
- Pens of Three must be owned by the same exhibitor.
- Transport cages must **NOT** be stored on fairgrounds.
- Rabbits and Cavies will be judged by the American Rabbit Breeders Assn. Standard of Perfection.
- Crossbreds and pocket pets will be judged on appearance, condition and cleanliness.
- **Educational exhibits for this department are entered under Department 28, Educational Exhibits**

## DIVISION

**A – 4-H|Grange|FFA Rabbit Showmanship**

**B – 4-H|Grange|FFA Cavy Showmanship**

**C – 4-H|Grange|FFA Pocket Pet Showmanship**

## CLASS

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| 1. Cloverbuds       | 4. 4-H Senior          | 7. Grange Senior |
| 2. 4-H Junior       | 5. Grange Junior       | 8. FFA Advanced  |
| 3. 4-H Intermediate | 6. Grange Intermediate | 9. FFA Novice    |

## DIVISION

**D – Cloverbuds Rabbits/Cavies/Pocket Pets --- SPECIFY BREED ON ENTRY FORM**

**(limit 2 animals per Cloverbud)**

## CLASS

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| 1. Rabbit | 2. Cavy | 3. Pocket Pet |
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**DIVISION****E - Rabbits --- SPECIFY BREED ON ENTRY FORM****CLASS**

1. Senior buck, >6 months for Small Breed, >8 months for Large Breed
2. Senior doe, >6 months for Small Breed, >8 months for Large Breed
3. Intermediate buck, 6 to 8 months (Large Breeds Only)
4. Intermediate doe, 6 to 8 months (Large Breeds Only)
5. Junior buck, 3 to 6 months
6. Junior doe, 3 to 6 months
7. Pre-junior buck, under 3 months (only for limited large breeds)
8. Pre-junior doe, under 3 months (only for limited large breeds)

**Breeds**

American	Crème D'Argent	Harlequin	Rex
American Chinchilla	Czech Frosty	Havana	Rhineland
American Fuzzy Lop	Dutch	Himalayan	Satin
American Sable	Dwarf Hotot	Holland Lop	Satin Angora
Argente Brun	Dwarf Papillion	Jersey Wooly	Silver
Belgian Hare	English Angora	Lilac	Silver Fox
Beveren	English Lop	Lionhead	Silver Martin
Blanc De Hotot	English Spot	Mini Lop	Standard Chinchilla
Blue Holicer	Flemish Giant	Mini Rex	Tan
Brittannia Petite	Florida White	Mini Satin	Thrianta
Californian	French Angora	Netherland Dwarf	Crossbred (non ARBA)
Champagne D'Argent	French Lop	New Zealand	
Checkered Giant	Giant Angora	Palomino	
Cinnamon	Giant Chinchilla	Polish	

**DIVISION****F – Market Rabbits****CLASS**

1. Fryer, 3 to 5 pounds, not over 10 weeks
2. Pen of 3, 3 to 5 pounds, not over 10 weeks
3. Roasters, over 5 pounds and under 6 months
4. Stewers, over 5 pounds and over 6 months

## DIVISION

### G – 4-H|Grange|FFA Cavies/Pocket Pets --- SPECIFY BREED/SPECIES ON ENTRY FORM

*Exhibitors may need to provide their own cages and will need to provide their own feed, bedding and supplies. Contact superintendent for guidance on this issue. Entries may be limited due to available space at superintendent's discretion.*

## CLASS

1. Breeds (List the animal's breed/species or if it is a crossbred state "crossbred," age, sex and color on entry form)

## DIVISION

### H – Special Contests (*limit one entry per contest per exhibitor*)

1. Cutest Rabbit (chosen by public choice)
2. Cutest Cavy (chosen by public choice)
3. Cutest Pocket Pet (chosen by public choice)

## SPECIAL AWARD

**High Point 4-H Rabbit Exhibitor Award** (given in junior, intermediate and senior divisions) will be scored as follows: (you must compete in all portions to be eligible to win this award) ***Ties will be broken by the highest score on the knowledge quiz portion of the written test.***

Rabbit Showmanship: Blue – 50 Red – 40 White – 30

Rabbit Educational Poster: Blue – 25 Red – 15 White – 5

Rabbit Judging Contest: 1st – 25 2nd – 15 3rd – 5