# Florida Youth Purebred Poultry & Rabbit One Day Show November 11, 2023

At Kissimmee Valley Livestock Building 1911 Kissimmee Valley Lane, Kissimmee, FL 34744.

The Poultry and Rabbit Show follows the 4-H rules and FFA guidelines. Open to all FFA members and all 4-H members & Clover Buds in Florida

There will be contests going on during the Judging for both Poultry & Rabbits

Judges: Poultry - Mike Schmidt
Rabbit - Gentri Foster
Showmanship - Angie Johnson
Showmanship - Gentri Foster

#### **Rules for Poultry and Rabbit**

Check in Saturday, November 11, 2023 .....7:30AM-9:30AM.

\*\*All animals must be in cages before 10:00AM.

Judging begins at 10:00AM.

Birds and rabbits will be entered in single classes only, one animal per single cage (No Cross Breeds).

\*\*\*THIS IS AN ALL-DAY SHOW. EVENTS ARE GOING ON ALL DAY WHILE ANIMALS ARE BEING JUDGED. SHOW CAN END ANYWHERE FROM 4:30 PM OR LATER DEPENDING ON THE NUMBER OF YOUTH AND ANIMALS ENTERED.

**Entry Fees** — applies to animal only — One cage per animal or extra charge if want double cooping. Payment must accompany entry form. **NO REFUNDS**. No Limit to entries. NO changes accepted day of show.

Show Entry \$5.00 per bird/rabbit (\$10.00 for double cooping) online begin.........9/15/2023. Postmark by 10/29/2023 if the entry is mailed in.

Late Entries can ONLY be emailed to <u>poultryrabbitshow4h@gmail.com</u> from .....10/30/23-11/6/23\*\*

\*\*Entry fee + \$35.00 late fee payment by cash only on day of show in the exact amount.

\*\*\*CREDIT CARD PROCESSING FEE IS . . . . \$1.00

NO Entries on show day or changes on show day.

In the event that you need to contact the show committee chairs <u>PLEASE</u> email the show at <u>poultryrabbitshow4h@gmail.com</u>. You are also welcome to TEXT the Chairs and we will get back to you as soon as we are available. We will make every attempt to respond to your text as soon as possible if working. Please include your name and a phone number that you would like us to contact you at. We look forward to assisting you.

Poultry Chair: Annette Nation 407-201-1905 Rabbit Chair: Kathy Gantz 407-346-1104

Online there will be a link to pay when submitting entry. Otherwise please make checks payable to **KVLS**. Mail entries to - Kissimmee Valley Livestock Show & Fair, 1911 Kissimmee Valley Lane, Kissimmee, FL 34744

- 1. Youth exhibitors must be present at the show to be eligible to receive awards.
- 2. FOOD/WATER: No food allowed. This is a one (1) day show. Youth to provide own water and containers.
- **3. DRESS CODE**: Blue or Black jeans-no holes. White collared shirt, tucked in, boots or brogans. 4-H attire or if FFA then in full FFA attire.

- **4. AC/HEAT**: There is no AC or Heat in the barn. Arena has AC, but no Heat.
- 5. NO hay is allowed in the pens.
- 6. No one shall handle birds or rabbits except the animals' owner, the judge, or a member of the show committee.
- 7. Parents are **NOT** allowed in the show ring while the rabbits are being judged. Parents may stay on other side of barrier to take pictures. If there are any special needs or if the needs help, please notify a committee member.
- **8. ONLY** 4H/FFA members are allowed to assist another 4H/FFA member with their rabbit IF they have 2 rabbits in the same Class.
- 9. Per STATE 4H RULES: Cloverbuds are NOT allowed to be help any 4H/FFA members in Youth Age Groups that are being Judged: This would consider them "being Judged" which is NOT permitted under the 4H guidelines concerning Cloverbuds. Cloverbuds may participate in a non-Judged show with their age group and receive a participation ribbon.
- 10. Nothing may be placed in or around show cages without the approval of the show committee.
- 11. The Committee will take every precaution against loss or mishap but will not be held responsible should any occur. Your participation constitutes your agreement to hold harmless the Kissimmee Livestock Show & Fair, Facilities, 4H, FFA & Committee from claims and losses.
- 12. The Show Committee will adjudicate issues not covered by the show rules. The Show Superintendent shall chair the committee. Show Committee has final jurisdiction on all matters.
- 13. The Show Committee reserves the right to coop exhibits as it sees fit.
- 14. No animals will be released before the end of the show.
- 15. Any animal left at the show will be disposed of at show management's discretion.
- **16.** Note: Any award premiums not picked up on show day are forfeited and will be considered a donation back to the program.
- 17. All animals must be healthy and in proper-size transport cages to ensure the birds' or rabbits' well-being.
- 18. Parents children must always be under the supervision of an adult at all times.
- **19.HEALTH REQUIREMENTS**: All animals will be required to meet the guidelines set by the State of Florida, Department of Agriculture.
- 20. In the event of a positive Rabbit RHDV case in the State of Florida, the committee has the right to restrict entries from the affected county and surrounding areas.
- **21.Animal Eligibility**: Birds need to be at least 6 months old, and rabbits need to be at **least 5 months** old by show time. Exhibitors will need to be able to handle their birds and rabbits. No classes are provided for Peacocks or cross breeds for poultry or rabbits.
- 22. Cloverbuds receive participation ribbons only. May only enter up to two birds and/or one rabbit.
- 23. TEAR DOWN everyone is to help tear down at the end of the show. If everyone helps it will be quick. Thank you for assistance, it is GREATLY APPRECIATED.

#### **Poultry**

- 1. **HEALTH REGULATIONS:** Regarding NPIP testing requirements; poultry require pullorum and typhoid testing for birds on exhibition. There are two ways for exhibitors to meet this requirement: (1) birds can be tested prior to the show and a copy of the paperwork provided at check in and the NPIP # to be written on the entry form, or (2) birds without paperwork will be tested free of charge, at check in.
- 2. Poultry are required to be free of disease, parasites, and mites. Poultry not free will be disqualified
- **3.** The show committee reserves the right to remove birds showing signs of disease or parasites.
- **4.** Poultry will be inspected by the State Inspector for general health.
- 5. Evidence of faking will result in all of the exhibitor's entries barred from competition and entry fees forfeited.
- 6. Birds will be judged in their pens. If the pen is locked or the bird is not accessible to the judge, the bird will not be judged.
- 7. There is no judging for trios, peacocks, or crossbreds.
- **8.** Classification is by breeds. There is a commercial class that is only open to the White Leghorn, Sexlink, White & Barred Plymouth Rock, and Rhode Island Red.
- 9. The American Standard of Perfection will be the guide of the judges in placing of birds.
- 10. Decision of the judges will be final, and no appeal will be considered.
- 11. Only blue-ribbon birds will be eligible for Champion of Breed.
- 12. Coops used in transporting live birds to the fair shall not be allowed inside the arena/barn.

13. Please see Check-in instructions regarding NPIP testing/banding.

Example:

Bantam (B), Large Fowl (LF), Duck (D),
Goose (G), Quail (Q), Turkey (T),
Guinea Fowl (GF), Other (O), COMMERCIAL (C)

Breed

(Bearded, Non-Bearded, SC, RC – but only if it applies with the breed)

(Color-Black, White, etc.)

Sex/Age

(Cock, Hen, Cockrel, Pullet, Male, Female)

LF Plymouth rock Barred Cock

#### **Rabbits**

1. This show is held in accordance with the American Rabbit Breeders Association, Inc. Standards of Perfection Rabbits are classified by breed and age. Awards: All Rabbit Breeds - Junior (5 – 6 months)

Rabbit Breeds with weight under 9lbs - Senior (6 months and older)

 $Rabbit\ Breeds\ with\ weight\ over\ 9lbs\ \textbf{-}\ Intermediate}\ (6\ \textbf{-}8\ months)\ Senior}\ (8\ months\ and\ older)$ 

- 2. Rabbit tattoo in the ear is recommended but not required at this time. If rabbit has a tattoo, the number is to be recorded on the entry form.
- 3. Awards must be picked up the day of the show.
- 4. This is a Youth Show and is NOT an ARBA sanctioned show; there will be no legs that will be recorded.
- 5. Judging assignments are not made until the day of the show. A judging schedule will be posted the day of the show. Each exhibitor is responsible to carry his or her rabbit(s) to the judging table at the proper time. **Exhibitors are responsible to make sure their rabbits are taken to the judging area when called.** Posted schedules are subject to change. Be sure to watch carefully so that you do not miss your class. Entry fees are non-refundable, and classes cannot be judged over.

Example:

Cage No.	Breed	Variety	Tattoo No. (if applicable)	SEX Doe (D) Buck (B)	AGE Example: 5 months, 1 year, 4 year	Placing
Himalayan Rex		Broken	4225b kt628	Doe Buck	5 months 9 months	

#### **Volunteers Needed**

Volunteers are needed and appreciated to help the show to run smoothly. If you can assist, please email us at poultryrabbitshow4h@gmail.com and let us know. THANK YOU!!!!

## **CHECK-IN and INSPECTION**

- NPIP Testing If you have a NPIP number you do not need bird tested. However, the birds do need to be inspected by the State Agent.
- Upon arrival, please go directly to the Barn Area of the KVLS Building to check in at the Show Secretary's tables. BIRDS and RABBITS MUST NOT BE PLACED INTO THEIR SHOW CAGES PRIOR TO CHECK IN. We ask that only one person in your group to come to the registration desk. Once checked in, rabbits may go to the cages. Poultry is to proceed to the NPIP table for inspection and testing if needed. Once NPIP Testing is completed, you may take your birds to the assigned cages.
- The only person who may handle a bird must be the owner, show staff or designated judge.
- If you see someone handling or transporting a bird that is not clearly designated as the exhibitor/owner, please immediately contact the Show Committee.
- At all times youth are to behave in a manner befitting a 4-H / FFA member on exhibition. Poor
  sportsmanship, interference with Judge's, use of profane language, interference from leaders, parents, or
  anyone in the audience, etc., will result in forfeiture of placing and may result in removal from events. Please
  be courteous and respectful to everyone. Youth are expected to follow the ethical guidelines, but an Ethic
  Certificate is not required.
- Age as of September 1 of the current year.

Cloverbud 5-7 Junior 8-10 Intermediate 11-13 Senior 14-18

\*\*All youth are encouraged to follow BIO-SECURITY measures before and after the show\*\*

#### **INFORMATIONAL POSTERS**

- 1. All exhibitors must be entered in the Poultry Rabbit Show.
- **2.** There is no entry fee.
- 3. Youth may enter posters for poultry, rabbit, or both.
- **4.** The top 3 posters in each division, Junior, Intermediate, and Senior divisions will receive ribbons. All Clover bud entries exhibited will receive a participation ribbon.
- **5.** Posters can be 22" x 28" or 22" x 14" but **NO** tri-boards will be allowed.
- **6.** Data on the poster is to be related to poultry or rabbits and is to be informational.
- 7. Poster must be turned in at time of check-in.
- **8.** Posters may be decorated with paint, feathers, paper, crayons, yarn, etc.
- **9.** Posters must be completed by the exhibitor.

#### **COSTUME CONTEST**

- 1. All exhibitors must be entered in the Poultry and Rabbit Show.
- **2.** There is no entry fee.
- 3. Bird/Rabbit must be entered in the Poultry and Rabbit Show and can only be shown by registered exhibitor. Limit 1 entry per exhibitor either Poultry or Rabbit.
- **4.** Youth must enter the costume contest on the original registration form.
- **5.** Exhibitors are to dress in accordance with the bird/rabbit's costume. Entry may be a fashioned outfit, either created or bought. Dress the bird/rabbit in the Champion costume you can think up!
- 6. All costumes must be attached to the animal in a safe, non-binding way, and is non-harmful to the bird/rabbit.
- 7. A 25 word or less narrative is to be submitted at the time of entering the ring for announcer.
- **8.** Entries will be judged on creativity, style, and originality.
- **9. Participation Ribbons only -** 1st, 2nd & 3rd places in each class. All Cloverbud entries exhibited will receive a participation ribbon.
- 10. Photo/video may be taken during the show, by participating you are authorizing Kissimmee Valley Livestock Show, or their assignees to record and photograph my image and/or voice (or that of my child if under 18) for use in research, educational and promotional programs. I also recognize that these audio, video, and image recordings are the property of Kissimmee Valley Livestock Show and/or their assignees.
- 11. HAVE FUN AND BE CREATIVE!!

#### **EGG DECORATING CONTEST**

- 1. All exhibitors must be entered in the Poultry and Rabbit Show.
- **2.** There is no entry fee.
- **3.** The top 3 in each division, Junior, Intermediate, and Senior divisions will receive ribbons. All Cloverbud entries exhibited will receive a participation ribbon.
- 4. Only one egg per exhibitor.
- 5. Egg MUST be blown out.
- **6.** Egg must be turned in at time of check-in.
- 7. Eggs may be decorated with paint, feathers, paper, crayons, etc.
- **8.** Eggs must be decorated by exhibitor.
- 9. Please check with the 4-H office or Poultry Committee for safe way to handle egg.

#### Egg Show

#### **ENTRIES**

- 1. All exhibitors must be entered in the Poultry and Rabbit Show.
- **2.** There is no entry fee.
- 3. There shall be no identification marks on the eggs, but an Egg Information Card must be attached to each carton.
- 4. Eggs must be turned in at time of check-in with a completed Egg Information Card attached.
- **5. Limit One Dozen** eggs per exhibitor.

#### **EGG SPECIFICATIONS**

All eggs shown must be chicken eggs and selected by the exhibitor. They need not be produced by exhibitor's flocks.

- 1. Eggs are not to be purchased from a grocery store.
- 2. All eggs must be entered as a single dozen. An Egg Information Card must be filled out and attached to the carton. **Limit One Dozen** eggs per exhibitor.
- 3. There will be a Pee Wee (X-Small), Small, Medium, Large, Extra Large and Jumbo Class. Provided enough eggs entered, they may be broken down by white or brown.
  - Pee Wee (X-Small) eggs shall average not less than 15 ounces per dozen.
  - Small eggs shall average not less than 18 ounces per dozen.
  - Medium eggs shall average not less than 21 ounces per dozen.
  - Large eggs shall average not less than 24 ounces per dozen.
  - Extra Large eggs shall average not less than 27 ounces per dozen.
  - Jumbo eggs shall average not less than 30 ounces per dozen.
- 5. A dozen eggs of minimum average weight for the class shall receive as many points, other things being equal as a dozen eggs of maximum average weight for the class.
- 6. Eggs will be judged on interior as well as exterior quality.

#### **DISPLAY AND JUDGING**

- 1. The Superintendent of the Youth Poultry & Egg Show will see that the exhibits are properly displayed.
- 2. Judging will be done on same day of the Show. Results will be shown at the end of the day.
- 3. The eggs become the property of the Show.
- 4. The top 3 dozen eggs for each group will receive ribbons. All Cloverbud entries exhibited will receive a participation ribbon.

#### **Photo Contest**

- 1. All exhibitors must be entered in the Poultry and Rabbit Show.
- 2. There is no entry fee.
- 3. Youth may enter photos for **poultry**, **rabbit**, or both. Must include either poultry or rabbit(s) in the photo.
- **4.** The top 3 will receive ribbons or other type of award. All Cloverbud entries exhibited will receive a participation ribbon. Depending on the number of entries received, the Committee reserves the right to break down into further catagories for awards.
- 5. Photo must be taken by exhibitor.
- **6.** Photo must be unedited and not photo shopped.
- **7.** Photo must include poultry or rabbit(s).
- **8.** Photo to be 5x7 size **ONLY** and mounted on a foam board (No Glue, adhesive or tape may be visible) adhesive MUST be completely dry before submission)
- **9.** Photo to be turned in at check in.
- 10. Photo will be Judged.
- 11. By entering and submitting photo you are authorizing Kissimmee Valley Livestock Show, or their assignees to record and photograph my image and/or voice (or that of my child if under 18) for use in research, educational and promotional programs. I also recognize that these audio, video, and image recordings are the property of Kissimmee Valley Livestock Show and/or their assignees.
- 12. Enjoy taking those pictures.

### **Skill-a-Thon and Showmanship**

- 1. All exhibitors must be entered in the Poultry and Rabbit Show.
- 2. There is no entry fee.
- 3. Exhibitor must preregister for the contest on the entry form.
- **4.** The top 3 scores in each division, Junior, Intermediate, and Senior divisions will receive ribbons. All Cloverbud participants will receive a participation ribbon. No Premiums Ribbons only
- 5. In the event of a tie, a tie breaker will be done.

#### Rules:

- Parents and youth not taking the skill-a-thon are NOT allowed to be in the room with the youth who are taking the skill-a-thon tests. There will be someone to help read to the youth if needed.
- Only youth participating in showmanship are to be in the designated showmanship area.
- Youth need to be able to handle their own animal while waiting their turn.

## \*\*No animal sales are permitted on the show grounds\*\*

## **RAFFLE**

The Raffle will be held in the main room. Raffle tickets will be sold. This year you will find a nice assortment of donations from local businesses and vendors. *4H Clubs and FFA Chapters are invited to participate with baskets*,  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the proceeds will be given to the *4H Club/FFA Chapter that provided the basket*. If you have items that you would like to donate to our raffle, please contact please commit to a donation by contacting, Annette Nation, at <a href="mailto:poultryrabbitshow4h@gmail.com">poultryrabbitshow4h@gmail.com</a>. Donated items not in "like-new" condition, missing pieces, chipped, or worn out will be withheld from the raffle.

#### WANTED BREEDERS, STARTED, ADULTS for the RAFFLE

**Wanted -** birds that are not culls but come from show quality parents or have been determined to be show quality birds. Birds will need to be NPIP tested or proof of NPIP number provided at the check-in table. The pens of started or adult birds will be judged prior to the auction by Poultry Judge. Breeder and bird information will be announced as each pen is auctioned. This is a great opportunity for buyers and breeders. If you are a breeder, please commit to a donation by contacting, Annette Nation, at <a href="mailto:poultryrabbitshow4h@gmail.com">poultryrabbitshow4h@gmail.com</a>.

**Wanted** - rabbits that are not culls but come from show quality parents and must have a pedigree, the tattoo number must match in the pedigree. The pens of started or adult rabbits will be judged prior to the auction by Rabbit Judge. Breeder and rabbit information will be announced as each pen is auctioned. This is a great opportunity for buyers and breeders. If you are a breeder, please commit to a donation by contacting, Kathy Gantz, at <a href="mailto:poultryrabbitshow4h@gmail.com">poultryrabbitshow4h@gmail.com</a>.

## FOOD BOOTH

The food booth will be open throughout the day for food and drinks. Donations are appreciated. ALL MONIES GO INTO THE PROGRAM TO BENEFIT THE YOUTH.

#### **Directions**

Kissimmee Valley Livestock Show & Fair – Pavilion 1911 Kissimmee Valley Lane Kissimmee, FL 34744 321-697-3050

#### **Directions**

Osceola Heritage Park is located one mile west of the Florida Turnpike exit 244 on Highway 192 in Kissimmee. Exit 242 from the south.

# Youth Show Awards

# **POULTRY**

#### **OVERALL CHAMPIONS**

A Trophy for Champion and Reserve Champion Overall
Overall Champion \$50 // Reserve \$25

\*\*\*These Other Champions receive a Certificate and
Champion \$15 // Reserve \$5

Champion Large Fowl
Champion Bantam
Champion Duck
Champion Goose
Champion Turkey
Champion Misc.

Reserve Large Fowl
Reserve Bantam
Reserve Duck
Reserve Goose
Reserve Turkey
Reserve Misc.

Champion Commercial Reserve Commercial

## The below Champions will receive a Certificate only

#### **LARGE FOWL**

Champion American
Champion Asiatic
Champion Continental
Champion Mediterranean
Champion English
Champion AOSB

Reserve American
Reserve Asiatic
Reserve Continental
Reserve Mediterranean
Reserve English
Reserve AOSB

**BANTAM FOWL** 

Champion SCCL Reserve SCCL
Champion RCCL Reserve RCCL
Champion Feather legged Reserve Feather legged

Champion AOCCL
Champion Modern
Champion Old English
Reserve AOCCL
Reserve Modern
Reserve Old English

#### WATERFOWL

Champion Bantam Duck
Champion Light Duck
Champion Medium Duck
Champion Heavy Duck
Champion Light Goose
Champion Medium Goose
Champion Heavy Goose
Champion Heavy Goose

Reserve Bantam Duck
Reserve Light Duck
Reserve Heavy Duck
Reserve Light Goose
Reserve Medium Goose
Reserve Heavy Goose

### **Ribbons Only for:**

 $Blue - 1_{st}$   $Red - 2_{nd}$   $White - 3_{rd}$  Best of Breed

# Youth Show Awards

## RABBIT

#### **OVERALL CHAMPIONS**

A Trophy for Champion and Reserve Champion Overall Overall Champion \$50 // Reserve \$25 \*\*\*These Other Champions receive a Certificate and Champion \$15 // Reserve \$5

Champion Doe
Champion Buck
Champion Junior Doe
Champion Junior Buck
Champion Intermediate Doe
Champion Intermediate Buck
Champion Senior Doe
Champion Senior Buck
Reserve Doe
Reserve Buck
Reserve Junior Buck
Reserve Junior Buck
Reserve Junior Buck
Reserve Junior Buck

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## **Ribbons Only for:**

Blue – 1st Red – 2nd White – 3rd Best of Breed Buck Best of Breed Doe

\*\*. **Premiums**: Are listed above. No other Premiums will be paid unless donations are made towards premiums. Check back periodically for updates

**Note:** Any award premiums not picked up on show day are forfeited and will be considered a donation back to the program.