

Department 105 - Rabbits

Superintendent: Jana Costa

Rabbit Barn Schedule

Check Veterinarian Schedule on Page 15 before arrival

<u>Show</u>	<u>May Begin Arrival</u>	<u>Must Be In Place/ Check-In Deadline</u>	<u>Release Time</u>
ARBA Show Only - All Breeds	Friday - 7/19 - 8:00am	Friday - 7/19 - 6:00pm	After last show
Open Class Only - All Breeds	Tuesday - 7/23 - 7:00am	Tuesday - 7/23 - 11:00am	Saturday - 7/27 - 6:00pm
4-H & FFA Only - All Breeds	Tuesday - 7/23 - 7:00am	Tuesday - 7/23 - 11:00am	Saturday - 7/27 Time varies on distance from Minot
Top of Dakota Only - All Breeds	Tuesday - 7/23 - 7:00am	Tuesday - 7/23 - 11:00am	Saturday - 7/27 - 6:00pm

**If in ARBA shows and Open Class show, you may leave Wednesday 7/24 at 6:00pm*

Rabbit Show Schedule

<u>Show</u>	<u>Show Time</u>	<u>Location</u>
ARBA*	Saturday - 7/20 - 9:00am	Rabbit Barn
ARBA*	Sunday - 7/21 - 9:00am	Rabbit Barn
FFA*	Wednesday - 7/24 - 8:00am	Rabbit Barn
4-H*	Wednesday - 7/24 - 10:00am	Rabbit Barn
Open*	Wednesday - 7/24 - 2:00pm	Rabbit Barn

**These are the shows start time, breed breakdowns will be available on the show program.*

RULES REGARDING ENTRIES:

- Entries will close July 6 at 5pm. Our online entry system is the preferred method and can be found on ndstatefair.com. For a step-by-step please see page 12.
- Only entries received by the July 6 deadline will be listed on the show program and receive their passes in the mail, if any were requested. Any entry after the deadline that requested passes, the passes can be picked up at the NDSF office prior to fair or at Gate F during the fair.
- Entries may be made after the deadline by paying triple the normal fees.
- **Entries will not be received after 5pm on Friday, July 12.**
- Entries will not be accepted when ear number tattoo, breed and variety, color or broken color is not noted on entry form.
- All entries must be made in the name of the exhibitor and must be bona fide property of the exhibitor.
- Rabbits must meet minimum Jr. weight per ARBA standard and be at least 10 weeks of age to be placed in the bunny barn.
- Youth may not show the same animal in 4-H & FFA, but may show the same rabbit in the open show.
- All rabbits must have a legible tattoo to show in the open show.
- Open class exhibitors may exhibit more than one animal per division and class, but can only receive one premium per division and class. Animals in pens or pairs cannot show as individuals and individuals cannot show in pairs or pens. Those shown in breed classes cannot show in market classes and those shown in market classes cannot be shown in breed classes.
- Specify special stalling needs on entry forms. Late entries have no stall guarantees. Canadian exhibitors at par for entry and stall fees, compliments of ND State Fair.
- Entries once registered must stay at the Fair until release time or will forfeit premiums.
- All entries are subject to inspection by the North Dakota State Fair, and must be paid in full at the time entry is made.
- The State Fair reserves the right to make substitutions when necessary.
- You must be present to show and bring your rabbit to the judging table. Entries must be on the show table by third call to avoid possible elimination from the contest.
- This open show will be governed by the latest ARBA rules.

RULES REGARDING SPECIE SCHEDULE & BARN:

- The Fair will furnish cages, feed, water, and bedding for rabbit exhibits. Exhibitors are asked to furnish water cups and feed cups. Exhibitors must furnish their own padlocks for cages if they need to be locked. Exhibitors are responsible for the care and cleaning of their own rabbits daily while on exhibit. The bunny barn will be locked and secured from 8pm to 8am.
- Check the bulletin board in the Rabbit Barn for any changes in schedules. Show order will be posted.
- Livestock trailers and livestock vehicles will be required to park off grounds. Camper vehicle can park in assigned camping lot with appropriate pass. All vehicles used to transport livestock and/or RV's must have a valid auto pass. Vehicles without passes will be towed at the owner's expense. Vehicle passes must be requested in advance of the first day of Fair, and will not be available at the gate. Livestock load/unload passes will be limited to one (1) per family and can be requested on the livestock entry form. These passes will only be used to load/unload livestock and tack during entry and release times. Tack stored off grounds can only be unloaded from 6:00AM to 10:00AM and 7:00PM to 9:00PM. For more information, please see page 8.
- No early arrivals or releases. Release time will be 6pm on Saturday, July 27. Removal of open class animals before 6pm on departure day will result in forfeiture of all premiums.
- Rabbits will be inspected after they are caged. Please see Page 14 for Health Regulations.
- See page 6 for General Rules & Information

ARBA SANCTIONED SHOWS

Saturday, July 20 & Sunday, July 21 - 9:00am

Entry Fee: \$2 per head per show



Sliding Premium Schedule

	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
1-6 entries	\$7.50	\$7.25	\$6.75
7+ entries	\$10.00	\$7.00	\$6.50
Meat Pens	\$11.00	\$9.00	\$8.00

Cash awards will be mailed September 2024

Best of Show and Best Opposite are awarded at judge's discretion. Only Best of Breed winners are eligible for Best of Show awards.



Saturday, July 20

- Show 1 Open and Youth
- Show 2 Open and Youth
- Show 3 Open and Youth

Sunday, July 21

- Show 1 Open and Youth
- Show 2 Open and Youth
- Show 3 Open and Youth

Show Rules:

1. This show will be governed by the latest ARBA rules.
2. All rabbits must be permanently and legible tattooed.
3. All exhibitors are responsible for getting their animals to the show table when breed is called.
4. After the third call if an entry is not on the judging table it will not be judged.
5. Judges have the right to refuse to judge an animal not true to breed.
6. State Fair reserves the right to substitute judges.
7. Awards, remark cards, and ribbons must be picked up at the show.
8. All entries must be in owner's names - no rabbitry names.
9. Not responsible for loss due to accident, theft, or vandalism. Every precaution will be taken to prevent any of these occurrences.
10. Exhibitors need not be members of ARBA to show in sanctioned shows.
11. Arrival date: Friday, July 19. Departure date: After last show unless staying for open show on Wednesday.
12. Substitutions in same sex and class up until 8 a.m. day of show.

OPEN RABBIT SHOW

Wednesday, July 24 - 2:00pm

Entry Fee: \$1 per head

Purebred - Divisions

6A American	4F Dwarf Hotot
6B American Chinchilla	4G English Angora
6C Argentine Brun	4H English Spot
6D Beveran	4I Florida Whites
6E Californian	4J French Angora
6F Champagnes D'Argent	4K Harlequin
6G Checkered Giant	4L Havana
6H Cinnamon	4M Himalayan
6I Creme D'Argent	4N Holland Lop
6J English Lop	4O Jersey Wooly
6K Flemish Giant	4P Lilac
6L French Lop	4Q Mini Lop
6M Giant Chinchilla	4R Mini Rex
6N Giant Angora	4S Netherland Dwarfs
6O Hotot	4T Polish
6P New Zealand	4U Rex
6Q Palomino	4V Rhinelander
6R Satin	4W Satin Angora
6S Silver Fox	4X Silver Martin
6T Any Other	4Y Silvers
4A American Fuzzy Lop	4Z Standard Chinchilla
4B American Sable	4AA Tans
4C Belgian Hare	4BB Thrianta
4D Britannia Petite	4CC Mini Satin
4E Dutch	4DD Lion Head
4EE Czech Frosty	4FF Dwarf Papillon

CLASS

1. Senior Buck over 8 months
2. Senior Doe over 8 months
3. Intermediate Buck 6-8 months
4. Intermediate Doe 6-8 months
5. Junior Buck 3-6 months old
6. Junior Doe 3-6 months old

ARBA standards will be followed in determining class classifications for each breed. (6 class breeds may have pre-junior and intermediate lots; 4 class breeds have only junior and senior lots). Weights and ages, will be determined by ideals for breed according to ARBA standards.

Division BB - Market Class

CLASS

7. Individual fryer, 3 ½ - 5 ½ lbs, under 70 days
8. Pen of three fryers, 3 ½ - 5 ½ lbs, under 70 days
9. Individual roaster, 5 ½ - 9lbs, under 6 months
10. Individual stewer, 8 lbs, over 6 months



**Official American Rabbit Breeders Association
Sanctioned Show
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Membership Dues:

Adult: \$20 per year or \$50 for 3 years

Youth: \$12 per year or \$30 for 3 years

Combination Husband/Wife: \$30 per year or \$75 for 3 years
Single Adult Family: \$20 plus \$5 per youth per year or \$50 plus \$10 per youth for 3 years

Husband/Wife Family: \$30 per year plus \$5 per youth or \$75 for 3 years plus \$10 per youth

Sanction Fees: \$25 pen, \$25 Youth



The Herdsman Award

Awarded to an exhibitor of rabbit, is based on neatness and general appearance of the exhibit, as well as the exhibitor's cooperation and courtesy throughout the exhibition period.