Division H – Jr. Fair Small Animals

Livestock Committee

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Dates

Small Animal Show Rabbit & Cavy Dress Up Show Thursday, July 10 @ 10am At the barn Saturday, July 12 @ 2pm At the barn

Divisions

Cats

3rd year and up in project 2nd year and up in project 1st year and up in project

Small Animals

Hamsters Gerbils Mice Rats

Self-Determined-any other small animal

Cavy Boars

3rd year and up in project 2nd year and up in project 1st year and up in project

Cavy Sows

3rd year and up in project 2nd year and up in project 1st year and up in project

Cavy sows and Litter

3rd year and up in project 2nd year and up in project 1st year and up in project

Pet Rabbit

Junior (ages 8-11) - Doe or Buck Intermediate (ages 12-14) - Doe or Buck Senior (ages 15-18) - Doe or Buck

Showmanship*

Small animal showmanship consists of outstanding cat, small animal, self-determined, cavy, and pet rabbits. NO POSTERS

Jr. Fair Small Animal General Rules and Regulations

- 1. Only Guinea Pig and Pet Rabbit projects will be housed in the rabbit barn for the entire fair unless otherwise instructed. Other small animals will not be kept on the fairgrounds and will only need to be present on exhibition day. Exhibitors should bring their own cages for those coming in on show day only.
- 2. Guinea pigs and pet rabbits must clean their cages daily on the same schedule as listed in the previous rabbit section, as well as follow barn rules.
- 3. Pet rabbit must go through Quality Assurance. Not doing this will affect your grade and placement in your class.
- 4. If you lose your animal before fair, and after hardship deadline is over you may do a poster on your project but will not be able to be in the showman of showman class.

Cat Exhibition Requirements

- 1. Please bring your project book to your judging and even though you are bringing your cat.
- 2. Cats only come into the fair on the day of the show. Arrive no later than 9:30am with a leash and harness, have a cover for the container or a pet carrier for the cat, and water available.
- 3. No pregnant cats are to be shown, and all cats should be up to date on their shots.

Sow and Cavy (Guinea Pigs) Exhibition Requirements

- 1. A sow cannot be shown both as a cavy and sow & litter.
- 2. No pregnant cavies are to be shown.
- 3. Litters must be less than three weeks old or younger on the day of the show to be eligible for sow & litter class.
- 4. Bring your project and record book to the judging.

Small Animal Exhibition Requirements

- 1. Beginning exhibitors may complete this project without owning an animal
- 2. Bring your project and record books to the judging.
- 3. Rats, mice, and hamsters must be 3 weeks or older by May1. Gerbils must be 4 weeks or older by May 1.

Any Other Small Animal

1. For any other animals not mentioned.

Rabbits

- 1. Only one rabbit a doe or buck is to be shown in pet rabbit project.
- 2. Bring your project and record book to the judging.
- 3. Your rabbit must be checked before entering the barn, this is done under the tent the night of check in.

Rabbit and Cavy Dress Up Class Saturday the last day of fair.

1:30pm sign up. This is done in person, not online.

Starting time is 3 pm, Saturday of the fair (weather permitting)

Must be a junior Fair exhibitor to enter this class Junior division (8-11 years) Intermediate (12-14 years) Senior (15-18 years)