

Rabbits

Department H

Show participants and/or their parent/legal guardians are responsible for being familiar with and abiding by the Livestock Rules and Regulations, along with the 2025 Rules and Regulations provided in the Fair Book. Rules and show information are subject to change without notice.

There will be an entry limit of **70**. Limits are subject to further reduction to ensure the safety of participants due to guidelines in place at the time of the Fair. Entries are accepted in the date order they are received. Entries missing information or incorrectly completed will be considered after complete and accurate entries. In the occurrence a show reaches capacity the show will then go to a waiting list. Entries received after the limit is met will be notified they are on the waiting list. Entries on the waiting list will be considered in the date order they are received with FIRST preference and priority given to Cabarrus County residents.

Age Criteria: No one under age 5 on the entry deadline date may enter. No exceptions.

Premiums: 1st \$7 | 2nd \$6 | 3rd \$5

Notice: Classes may be added/deleted at the discretion of the livestock staff with Fair Management approval.

Rules and Regulations:

1. **Maximum of 5 entries per person, per entry code. There is no entry fee.**
2. Entry forms are due by **Wednesday, August 20 at 12:00 pm** and all entries must be postmarked by said date. No late entries will be accepted. No exceptions.
3. Rabbits will be received on Thursday, September 4 between the hours of 1:00 pm - 6:00 pm.
4. Judging will be Friday, September 5 at 9:00 am
5. Release of Exhibits will be Saturday, September 13 after 10:00 pm and again Sunday, September 14 between the hours of 9:00 am—12:00 pm. **No exhibits may be removed before this time and entries will be considered abandoned after 12 noon on 9/14.** Exhibitors will be required to show proof of ownership or documentation deemed acceptable by Fair staff of owners consent to collect at pick-up.
6. Exhibits are open to exhibitors from all areas and not restricted to Cabarrus County.
7. The following rules and regulations will prevail, except in cases of conflict, wherein, the General and/or Livestock Rules and Regulations of the Fair will govern this department.
8. Entries must be made on the **2025 Livestock and Equine Entry Form**. Rabbits must be entered before being brought in for exhibit. No new entry will be taken at the time of the Fair.
9. Entry forms should be mailed to the Cabarrus County Fair, PO Box 707, Concord, NC 28026 or submitted in the drop box outside the Fair Office door at 4759 Hwy 49 N, Concord, 28025 by August 20, 2024.
10. All rabbits are entered at the risk of the owner. The Fair shall not be responsible for loss or damage.
11. Premiums will be paid only to worthy specimens. The American Standard of Perfection (revised edition) will be the guide of the judges in awarding premiums.
12. All rabbits exhibited shall have been owned by the exhibitor for 45 days or more.
13. NO pregnant rabbits are allowed.
14. All entries are subject to North Carolina health regulations in effect at the time of the fair.

Entry Codes:

BREED		Buck	Doe
Dutch, Any Variety	H-1-	1	2
New Zealand, Any Variety	H-2-	3	4
Netherland Dwarf	H-3-	5	6
Velveteen Rex	H-4-	7	8
Mini Lop	H-5-	9	10
Holland Lop	H-6-	11	12
Lion Head	H-7-	13	14
Flemish Giant	H-8-	15	16
Any Other Breed	H-9-	17	18