# **RABBITS**

To Be Judged at 9:00 a.m. **Lower Pavilion** Chair: Peggy King

- 1. 4-H exhibitors must be at least 8 years old as of January 1, and not older than 18 years of age as of January 1. FFA members should follow FFA rules for age requirements.
- 2. Exhibitors must be enrolled in a Rabbit Project in 4-H or FFA and a member in good standing with their 4-H club/county or FFA Chapter. Exhibitors may live in Gasconade or adjoining counties.
- 3. All exhibitors must have completed the appropriate level of the Missouri Show Me Quality Assurance training to be considered a 4-H member in good standing in the rabbit project.
- 4. All rabbits must be owned by exhibitor on or before June
- 5. All entries will be inspected by the Chair and if health problems are found, the exhibitor will be asked to remove the rabbits from the fairgrounds.
- 6. There will be an entry fee of \$1.00 per rabbit per class and all entry forms must be completed in full.
- 7. Exhibitors may exhibit 2 per class for classes 1-4.
- 8. Exhibitors may exhibit 1 per class for classes 5-7.
- 9. The Danish System of judging will be used. Premiums will be paid according to a point system of 6-4-2. Premiums will not be paid for Class 8. However, a showmanship award will be awarded to the top showman.
- 10. All rabbits should be checked in 7:30 8:00 a.m. on the day of the show. Judging will start at 9:00 a.m. All classes will be released at 6:00 p.m. or in case of extreme weather at the discretion of the chair.
- 11. Champion and Reserve Champion for Bucks and Does will be awarded. A Best of Show will also be awarded.
- 12. Committee is not responsible for accidents or loss of ani-
- 13. Each exhibitor needs to have each cage labeled with: NAME, CLUB and Type (Commercial or Fancy) of Rabbit. Each exhibitor must provide adequate cage space, water, shade and care of the animal. Picnic tables will not used for exhibiting/housing the rabbits. Each exhibitor must provide tables for housing their rabbits and is responsible for checking their rabbits every hour to make sure water and food are available for them.
- 14. All entries MUST be pre-registered by July 1st in Fair Entry. Entry fees must be paid at the time of registration. A list of Commercial Breeds and a list of Fancy Breeds will be available for exhibitors to determine classes.

#### **Commercial Breeds** Class No.

- 1a. Junior Doe (under 6 months)
- 2a. Senior Doe (over 6 months)
- 3a. Junior Buck (under 6 months)
- 4a. Senior Buck (over 6 months)

#### Fancy Breeds Class No.

- 1b. Junior Doe (under 6 months) 2b. Senior Doe (over 6 months)
- 3b. Junior Buck (under 6 months)
- 4b. Senior Buck (over 6 months)
- Single Fryer
- Meat Pen 3 Fryers
- Doe and Litter
- Showmanship
- (2 classes by age division)

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#### 4-H/FFA Livestock Judging Contest 9:00 a.m.

Awards will be sponsored by: Gross Insurance Agency, (Jared Nowack) and Nowack Cattle Company

- 1. The Gasconade County Fair Livestock Judging Contest is open to any 4-H or FFA member.
- 4-H/FFA members must be considered a member in good standing by their respective 4-H leader or FFA
- 3. No Pre-Registration is required.
- 4. There is no entry fee to enter the contest, but the contestant will be responsible for Gasconade County Fair gate admission.
- 5. Junior Division Youth ages 8 13. Senior Division -Youth ages 14 and older.
- 6. A minimum of five and a maximum of eight classes consisting of a combination of cattle, hogs, sheep and goats will be judged. Both breeding and market animals may be involved. This will vary on the availability of animals exhibited at the Gasconade County Fair.
- 7. There will be NO conferring between contestants or anyone else while the contest is in progress except as directed by the superintendent or his representatives.
- Questions and oral reasons may be used to determine the total score for the contest.
- 9. All ties will be broken by the seasons score.