

DEPARTMENT: SMALL ANIMALS & PETS

Superintendents: Mitch and Jackie Brown

Location: Poultry Barn

Small Animal Judging: All exhibitors, completed project books and animals for the Small Animal show will be judged on Saturday, September 23.

Check in and Registration: 9 a.m., Saturday, September 23

Costume Contest for Small Animal & Pet exhibitors will be immediately follow judging.

Premiums	Grade A	Grade B	Grade C
	\$4.00	\$3.00	\$2.00

Rules:

1. Read the Fair General Rules.

2. The show is the second Saturday of fair from 9 a.m. Exhibitor should plan to exhibit the animals until the end of the show (about 11 a.m.) Exhibitor must furnish their own appropriate sized carrier, crate, cage or pen. If inclement weather, bring a covering for the pen (large towel, blanket, etc).

3. Exhibitors must bring completed project books and record book to judging. Exhibitors without project book will be graded one level lower and will not be eligible for Grand or Reserve placing.

4. Exhibitor must be interviewed, graded on project book and keep animal on exhibit in the exhibit area until the completion of costume contest judging and class awards to receive awards and premiums.

5. All exhibitors are required to stay in the exhibit area until the committee chairs have released the animals for the day. All participants must check-out with committee chair upon completion of the show. Exhibitors leaving early will forfeit awards and premiums.

6. Exhibitors exhibiting game birds must have approval from the Division of Wildlife if it is necessary for the species exhibited.

7. Costume contest for Small Animal exhibitors who participate in small animal judging between judging and the awards presentations. Costume Class: Exhibitors showing in the Small Animals & Pets department may exhibit in the Small Animals Costume contest.

Section 290: Cats

Class 29001 – Cats

Section 291: Pet Rabbit

Class 29101 – Pet Rabbit

PLEASE NOTE: Rabbits entered and or shown in the Rabbits Department are not permitted to be shown in the small animal show or costume contest. Pet Rabbits that show in Small Animals are not permitted to show or participate in the costume contest with show or market rabbits that stay at the fair all week.

Section 292: Other Small Animals

Class 29201 – Pocket Pets (Gerbils, Hamsters, Mice, Rats)

Class 29202 – Guinea Pigs

Class 29203 – Self Determined Small Animal Project (Includes: Birds, Chinchilla, Ferret, Hedgehog, pot-bellied pigs, reptiles, etc.) Self- determined guide available online and required for judging as your project book. For more information contact department chairs.

Trophies:

Best Pet Rabbit

Best Cat

Best Other Small Animal

Best Small Animal Costume

Rosettes:

2nd - 3rd place