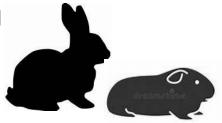
CITRUS COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION YOUTH CAVY & RABBIT SHOW 2026 SHOW RULES & REGULATIONS



Refer to:

Livestock General Rules & Regulations Citrus County Fair Livestock Schedule and Livestock Addendum IAFE and National Code of Showring Ethics

- 1. Exhibitor must be at least eight (8) years of age as of September 1 prior to the March Fair, to show and must register with the Citrus County Fair.
- **2.** Entry form and fee must be in the Fair Office before the 5:00 pm deadline. (Refer to Important Dates on the Livestock Schedule). Animals must be **3 months of age** by the registration date. Incomplete entries will not be accepted. Metered or postmarked registrations will not be accepted after the deadline.
- **3.** Exhibitor may enter a maximum of five (5) cavies / rabbits at \$5.00 each. Participation in Youth Showmanship is optional and is \$5.00. Exhibitor may exhibit only one animal per class / per breed. Cavies will be day of show arrivals; rabbits will be entered on Thursday; refer to Important Dates. There may be a limitation of entries due to space constraints.
- **4.** Rabbits are suggested to have a legible tattoo on the left ear. Cavies are suggested to have a tag on the left ear. Animals without legible identification will be given a temporary one. Tattoos and Tags must not use punctuation or characters other than 0-9 or A-Z, and may not contain inappropriate language.
- **5.** Rabbits and cavies may not be bred while at the fair. An expecting or nursing doe/sow will not be allowed in the show.
 - **6.** After the closing of registration, the Superintendent will establish the classes.
- **7.** If the Exhibitor does not know the breed of a rabbit or a rabbit that does not conform to the ARBA Standards of Perfection, it is recommended to enter the rabbit in the Pet Class. The Pet Class winner is not eligible for Grand Champion or Reserve Grand Champion.
 - 8. AWARDS & PREMIUMS; Ribbons will be awarded 1st 6th

Class winners will receive awards.

1st \$10.00 2nd \$5.00 3rd \$4.00 4th \$3.00 5th \$2.00 6th \$1.00

There must be three or more entries in a class to win an award for that class.

Single or double entries will be combined in one class, and a winner chosen.

Youth Rabbit / Cavy Grand Champion \$25.00 must have won a blue ribbon.

Reserve Rabbit / Cavy Grand Champion \$15.00 must have won a blue ribbon.

Showmanship Competition - **non-refundable** \$5.00 entry fee (cash only) must be paid at registration The payout for showmanship for Jr., Int., and Sr. is a <u>percentage of entry fees collected</u>.

Ribbons awarded for 1st-6th

1st - 25% 2nd - 20% 3rd - 17% 4th - 15% 5th - 13% 6th - 10%

Jr. 8-10 Intermediate 11-13 Sr. 14-18

Ribbons will be awarded 1st - 6th *no payout for Pee Wee in Showmanship

9. Subjects not covered herein can be found in the Citrus County Fair Livestock Shows General Rules & Regulations for the current fair year.