

yards (quarantined feeding facilities) or recognized slaughter establishments are not required to meet the individual identification requirements:

Swine Classes

Market Swine- Barrow or Gilt
Feeder Swine (not eligible for sale)
Booster Swine
Swine Showmanship

Junior Replacement Dairy Heifers

Dress code will consist of a clean white shirt, black jeans or slacks and dark footwear— no tennis shoes.

Junior Replacement Dairy Heifer Classes

Junior Replacement Dairy Heifer
Dairy Showmanship

Small Animals

1. The term “small animals” refers to all rabbits and poultry.
2. All small animals are subject to the Santa Fe County 4-H/FFA Livestock Show General Rules and Policies
3. Cages for small animals will be provided by the fair.
4. The fair will try to provide containers for water and food, but the exhibitors may substitute their own if not obtrusive. Exhibitors will be responsible for feeding and watering. All small animals must have water at all times and food for, at least, several hours a day.
5. Small animals will be released at the designated time in the schedule after cleanup. Exhibitors not participating in cleanup may be assessed a \$25 clean-up fee. **The Santa Fe County Fair management may refuse entry in future years to an exhibitor who fails to give proper care to his or her animals until release or fails to properly clean pens and grounds.**
6. All small animal exhibitors will need to complete a declaration form **No Later Than July 11, 2022**. Exhibitors need to declare any animals in which they plan to exhibit at the county fair. The declaration form will include Breed, Species, age, general coloring, Rabbits need to include their ear tattoo. Exhibit sex is not required on the declaration form. Meat pens will also need to be declared at this time.
7. All exhibitors will need to upload a picture of each entry in the Fair Entry system during the registration process. For poultry a basic broad side picture is what we are looking for. On Rabbits a broad side picture as well as the best picture you can get of the ear tattoo is what will be needed. Meat pen pictures will be required of all 3 animals, tattoo picture for rabbit meat pens will also be required.
8. Exhibitors of small animals that are selected for the Junior Livestock Auction will be required to complete a Livestock Terms of Agreement Form prior to the sale.

Rabbit

1. Exhibitors will be required to determine the classification of their rabbit project at the time of registration/declaration. The rabbit superintendent will not classify rabbits upon check in. The Judge will examine your project based on the ARBA standards for the class of rabbit presented.
2. No substitutions are allowed once the rabbits are entered. Show rabbits will be at least 3 months old at time of judging except Single Fryers and Meat Pens.
3. Rabbits are to be entered in accordance to the class list provided. Fur & wool classes are entered first in the regular show. See fur & wool class for details.
4. Rabbits will be judged in accordance to the American Rabbit Breeders Association’s Standard of Perfection. Modifications in judging order will vary from the Standard in variety, but rabbits themselves will be judged to the Standard. Crossbreeds have no standard to be judged by, so will be left up to the discretion of the judge.
5. Rabbits will be judged by breed, sex & age. Best of Show/Grand Champion will be taken from the Best of Breed. Single rabbits in a breed will be considered “Best of Breed”. Reserve Grand Champion

and all lower ranked animals may be selected by the judge from all animals in the show. The decision of the judge is final.

6. Classifying rabbits: At time of check-in, rabbits will be checked for proper breed, sex and variety. At that time, the exhibitor has the option of entering the rabbit in the correct class, or leave it as entered.
7. Rabbits used in showmanship must be exhibited in the show and owned by the showman/exhibitor. Cloverbuds are the only exception to this rule. **Official Dress Code Applies:** See item #7 in Livestock General Rules and Policies.
8. All rabbits must have permanent tattoo in the left ear. All rabbit ear tattoos must match the tattoo listed on the registration form. This applies to meat pens and individual entries.
9. Any 4-H member may place a rabbit on the show table, if the owner is not able to do so themselves.

Wool and Fur Rabbits- Working

Any rabbit entered in the Fur or Wool classes must be entered in the regular show. Rabbits will be judged by breed, then by coat type to determine the winner in either Fur or Wool. Rabbits entries will be limited to only 1 (one) rabbit per breed per exhibitor. Example: if an exhibitor has Mini Rexes, they may show only one in fur. If an exhibitor has Mini Rexes and Satins, then the exhibitor may show one Mini Rex and one Satin. All prospective rabbits shown in the fur or wool class must be entered with the other entries; the rabbit that will be shown can be chosen on judging day and entered at the time the class is judged.

Wool Classes

Lionhead Jersey
Woolys
American
Fuzzy Lops

Fur Classes

Satin
Rex
Mini Rex

Fur Classes

Satin
Rex
Mini Rex

Meat Pens: are to be 3 rabbits of the same breed and variety, same or mixed sex. They will weigh between 3 and 5 lbs. each with a total pen weight of 9-15 lbs. Their maximum age should be no more than 69 days at time of judging. Meat pen rabbits are to only be entered in the meat pen class. All Meat Pen entries will be weighed at the designated time set in the schedule. Any rabbit meat pen found to be over or under the weight range or the wrong mix of varieties will be disqualified and the individual animals will be placed in the appropriate general breed class.

Meat Pen Class

Meat Pen

Rabbit Classes

Class 4 Rabbits (adult weight under six pounds)

Sr. Bucks- 6 months and older
Sr. Does- 6 months and older
Jr. Bucks- 6 months and under
Jr. Does- 6 months and under

Class 4 Rabbit Breeds

American Fuzzy Lops
American Sable Angora,
English Angora,
French Angora,
Satin Belgian Hare
Cross Breeds under 10 Lbs
Lionhead
Dutch Dwarf
Hotot
Mini Satin
English Spot
Florida White
Harlequin

Havana
Himalayan
Jersey Wooly Lop
Holland Lop
Mini Lop
Velveteen
Mini Rex
Polish Rex
Silver Marten
Tans
Thrianta
Netherland Dwarf

Class 6 Rabbits (adult weight six pounds and over)

Sr. Bucks- 8 months and older
Sr. Does- 8 months and older
Intermediate Bucks- 6-8 months
Intermediate Does- 6-8 months
Jr. Bucks- 3-6 months
Jr. Does- 3-6 months
Rabbit Showmanship

Class 6 Rabbit Breeds

American	Champagne d'Argent	Lop, French
Angora, Giant	Creme d'Argent	New Zealand
Beveren	Cross Breeds over 10 Lbs	Palomino
Californian	Giant Checkered	Satin
Chinchilla, American	Flemish Giant	Californian
Chinchilla, Giant	Lop, English	Silver Fox

Other Classes

Rabbit Showmanship
Booster Rabbit

Poultry

1. No substitutions are allowed once the poultry are entered.
2. Poultry will be judged by rules of the *American Poultry Association* and the *American Bantam Association*. Grand Champion will be selected from the Best of: Bantam Cock, Bantam Cockerel, Bantam Hen, Bantam Pullet, Standard Cock, Standard Cockerel, Standard Hen, Standard Pullet, and Best of All Other Fowl. Reserve Grand Champion and all lower ranked animals may be selected by the judge from all animals in the show. The decision of the judge is final.
3. Leg bands are encouraged but not necessary to enter poultry.
4. Enter poultry breed, variety and grouping in accordance to the *New Mexico State Fair Premium Book*, then by sex and age. Refer to the *NM State Fair Premium Book* for lists of poultry breeds.
5. Poultry used in showmanship must be exhibited in the show and owned by the showman/exhibitor. Cloverbuds are the only exception to this rule.

Bantam Breed Chicken Classes

Cock-over one year
Hen-over one
Cockerel-under one year
Pullet-under one year

Waterfowl Classes

Drake-over one year
Duck-over one year
Drake- under one year
Duck- under one year
Gander- over one year
Goose- over one year
Gander- under one year
Goose- under one year

Other Classes

- Pigeons, all entries are required to have seamless leg bands.
- Game Birds-Quail, Pheasants, etc. Entries must have proper permits in accordance with the rules and regulations of the NM Dept. of Game & Fish.
- Others not above-doves guineas, etc.
- Broiler Pens – 3 chickens weighing 3-5lbs each for a total of 9-15lbs total weight. Birds must be same sex and same breed. All Broiler Pen entries will be weighed at the designated time set in the schedule. Any poultry broiler found to be over or under the weight range or the wrong mix of varieties will be disqualified and the individual animals will be placed in the appropriate general breed class.
- Poultry Showmanship
- Booster Poultry

Large Breed Chicken Classes

Cock-over one year
Hen-over one year
Cockerel-under one year
Pullet-under one year

Turkey Classes

Tom- under one year
Hen-under one year
Tom- over one year
Hen-over one year

