

Pet Rabbit Live

Description: This project and related activities provide youth, with fun and hands-on learning experiences directly related to animal care, feeding, housing, and management. Youth develop important life skills such as decision making, goal setting, record keeping, time management and communication. Pet Rabbit Poster option is also available.

No State Fair Exhibit

- Enroll in 4-H, pay annual program fee, and enter project in V2.4online by May 15
- Enter exhibit(s) in FairEntry by June 20, 2022. See page 7 Rule #23.
- Exhibits checked-in Saturday, July 23 at 6:30 pm, judging starts at 7:00 pm

An Allen County 4-H General Record Sheet must be completed, signed and turned in at the beginning of check-in for All Exhibit Building Projects.

All posters, notebooks, and display boards must include a reference list indicating where information was obtained, giving credit to the original author, to complete the 4-H member's exhibit. This reference list should/might include web site links, people and professionals interviewed, books, magazines, etc. It is recommended this reference list be attached to the back of a poster or display board, be the last page of a notebook, or included as part of the display visible to the public. A judge is not to discredit an exhibit for the way references are listed.

Posters are to be 22"x28" and displayed horizontally and placed in a clear plastic sleeve or covered with clear plastic to protect contents. Display boards should be designed to sit on a table using no more than 36" of tabletop space. Space should be left in the lower right hand corner to place an exhibit tag provided by Purdue Extension staff.

Judges evaluating exhibits should recognize individual differences and creativity, therefore using information in this document as a guide rather than a requirement.

Level 1: Grades 3, 4, 5

Level 2: Grades 6, 7, 8

Level 3: Grades 9, 10, 11, 12

Guidelines:

1. Member must own their own rabbit and be responsible for the care of the animal. Animal must be in members personal care by April 1 of the calendar year.
2. The rabbit can be of any pure or mixed breed.
3. Animals will be judged according to appearance, age and overall condition of animal. The animal will not be judged according to American Rabbit Breeders Association standards.
4. Only one animal may be exhibited by the member. One Champion and one Reserve Champion will be selected from each Level.
5. There will be a separate costume class.
6. A different animal must be used in Pet Rabbit from that exhibited in Production Rabbit.
7. A different poster is required in Pet Rabbit from that in the Rabbit project.

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