



JUDGES:

- Kristi Adeleke
- Jennifer Schimpf
- Kendal Bledsoe
- Don Mersiovsky
- Rusty Westhoff
- Katie Finch
- Doug King
- Joey Martin

*BPRBA reserves the right to substitute as needed. The show officials to determine order of judging and selection of judges.

SCHEDULE

- Friday October 3rd
 - o Barn Opens 3PM
 - Check-in Begins 4PM
 - Check-in Closes 6PM
 - Judging Begins 6:30PM

Animals may stay in the barn overnight Friday. Barn closes upon conclusion of BIS.

LOCATION

Maude Cobb Convention Center 100 Grand Blvd Longview, TX 75604

Absolutely no unloading of rabbits is allowed at the main entrance—all exhibitors must use the designated side doors.

- Saturday October 4th
 - o Barn Opens 6:30AM
 - Specialties Begin 7AM
 - Check-in Closes 7:30AM
 - Judging Begins 8AM

Saturday upon conclusion of BIS, the barn must be vacated.



ENTRIES

All entries must be completed online and paid in advance by credit card. Once entries are submitted, no refunds will be given. If you wish to pay at the show instead, please use the Day-of-Show entry process.

EARLY ENTRY DEADLINE: 9/26 at 11:59PM CT FREE CHANGES DEADLINE: 9/30 at 11:59PM CT

*free changes can include tattoo, age, variety, and sex.

Entry Fees:

Early Entry -\$5 per class entry per show \$2 per fur class entry per show <u>Day-of-Show Entry -</u> \$7 per class entry per show \$4 per fur class entry per show

Entry Link- Blackland Prairie RBA October 3-4 2025

<u>Day-of-Show Changes -</u> \$2 per entry per show *Tatoo, Age, or Sex only. One change per animal, otherwise it is considered a day-of-show entry.

Exhibitors are responsible for reviewing their entries and making any corrections **before** judging begins. No changes may be made at the show table.

Any unauthorized changes at the show table may result in disqualification of the animal by the show secretary after the show.

SPECIALTIES

In addition to the triple all-breed shows, the following specialty clubs will be hosting breed specialty shows on. For questions, please contact the secretary of the respective specialty club, and watch for their flyers to be posted in our <u>Facebook group</u>.

Saturday 7AM Holland Lop hosted by the <u>Texas Holland Lop Rabbit Club</u> - Contact: <u>THLRCSecretary@gmail.com</u>

Saturday 7AM Mini Rex hosted by the <u>Texas Mini Rex Rabbit Club</u>. - Contact: <u>TexasMiniRex@qmail.com</u>

Saturday 7AM Jersey Wooly hosted by <u>Wooly Lovers of Texas</u> - Contact: <u>WLOTexas@gmail.com</u>

Friday 5PM Mini Lop hosted by <u>Texas Mini Lop Rabbit Breeders Club</u> - Contact: <u>centxrabbit@gmail.com</u>





OFFICIAL ARBA SANCTIONED SHOW

Eric Stewart, Executive Director; P.O. Box 400, Knox, PA 16232

ARBA Website: www.arba.net

Membership Dues: Individual, \$20.00 per year, \$50.00 for 3 years;

Husband/Wife: \$30.00 per year, \$75.00 for 3 years; Youth, \$12.00 per year,

\$30.00 for 3 years

The national convention for 2025 will be held at INDIANAPOLIS, IN, 11/15-19/2025

ARBA BREEDS

All entries must be a currently recognized ARBA breed/variety or have a valid Certificate of Development (COD). Exhibitors entering a COD breed are responsible for providing a copy of the working standard for the judges. COD entries are considered exhibition only and are not eligible for Best in Show or ARBA Legs.

Crossbreeds will not be accepted.



BREED SANCTIONS

CALIFORNIAN - OPEN & YOUTH

NATIONAL CALIFORNIAN RABBIT SPECIALTY CLUB. INC. David Cardinal E 4076 State HWY 22-54 Waupaca, WI 54981-9027 715-281-9286 calclubsecretary23@gmail.com Membership: Adult \$15 Youth \$10

Sanction Fees: OPEN \$15 YOUTH \$10 Sweepstakes: David Cardinal calspointkeeper@gmail.com www.nationalcrcs.org

DWARF HOTOT - YOUTH

AMERICAN DWARF HOTOT RABBIT CLUB **Marcy Girffin** 3433 Dowling Hwy

Hudson, MI 49247 adhrcsecretaru@amail.com Membership: Adult \$15 Youth \$12

Sanction Fees: OPEN \$10 YOUTH \$6 www.adhrc.com

JERSEY WOOLY- OPEN & YOUTH

NATIONAL JERSEY WOOLY RABBIT CLUB Gail More

5255 Eberlu Rd Atwater, OH 44201 330-618-9700~njwrcsecretary@gmail.com

Membership Fees: Adult \$15.45 Youth \$12.35 Sanction Fees: OPEN \$12 YOUTH \$12 Sanction Requests/Show

Reports to: Nicole Schmitt 505 East Henry Clay St #104, Whitefish Bay, WI 53217 njwrcsweeps@gmail.com

http://jerseywooly.org

CHAMPAGNE D'ARGENT - OPEN & YOUTH

CHAMPAGNE D'ARGENT RABBIT FEDERATION

Tanua Zimmerman

N9487 Walnut RD Clintonville, WI 54929 715-823-5020 ~ champagnesecretary@gmail.com Membership:

Adult \$15. Youth \$13

Sanction Fees: OPEN \$10.00 - YOUTH \$8.00

http://www.cdarf.us/

HAVANA - OPEN & YOUTH

HAVANA RABBIT BREEDERS ASSOCIATION

Tanya Zimmerman

PO Box 376 Marion, WI 54950

(715) 823-5020

havanasecretary@yahoo.com

Membership: Adult \$8, Youth \$6,

Sanction Fees: OPEN \$10.00; YOUTH \$5 COMBO \$10

www.havanarb.net

MINI LOP - OPEN & YOUTH

AMERICAN MINI LOP RABBIT CLUB

Torre Rivers 1 Spruce Court Voorheeseville, NY 12186

518-281-0131 amlrcsecretary@gmail.com

Membership: Adult \$15 Youth \$12

Sanction Fees: OPEN \$13 YOUTH \$10

Sanction Requests/Show Reports to: Nicole Schmitt 505 E

Henry Clay St #104, Whitefish Bay, WI 53217 414-217-1512

amlrc.sweeps@gmail.com www.amlrc.net www.amlrcsweeps.com **DUTCH - OPEN & YOUTH**

AMERICAN DUTCH RABBIT CLUB

Shannon Krolikowski 1877 S. Bridgeview Ln Midland, MI

(989) 600-1588 amdutchclub@aol.com

Membership: Adult \$20 Youth \$15

Sanction Fees: OPEN \$15: YOUTH \$10

Show Reports: Todd Hayes 108 Oakland Lane, Coffeyville, KS 620-252-5015 or toad578@yahoo.com

www.dutchrabbit.com

HOLLAND LOP - OPEN & YOUTH

HOLLAND LOP RABBIT SPECIALTY CLUB

Rheana Zaretsku

300 Valley Rd Catskill, NY 12414 HLRSC.Secretary@gmail.com

Membership: Adult \$20; Youth \$17; Sanction Fees: OPEN \$15 YOUTH \$10 Sanction Requests/Show

Reports to: Cheri Bushee.

PO Box 27, Spencerville, IN 46788 cheri48@aol.com www.hlrsc.org

MINI REX - OPEN & YOUTH

NATIONAL MINI REX RABBIT CLUB

Bridget Forman

8562 290th St Boyd, WI 54726 NMRRCSecretary@gmail.com

Membership: Adult \$25 Youth \$25

Sanction Fees: OPEN \$15.00; YOUTH \$15.00;

Show Reports to: Margaret Potter 1401 W Sian Drive Sanford, MI 48657 989-430-9161 nmrrcopensweeps@yahoo.com

www.nmrrc.net

BREED SANCTIONS

MINI SATIN & SATIN - OPEN & YOUTH

AMERICAN SATIN RABBIT BREEDERS ASSOCIATION
Sherry Garrett
18902 7 Mile Rd Reed City, MI 49677 231-679-5554
asrba.secretary@gmail.com
Membership: Adult \$17 Youth \$14
Sanction Fees: OPEN \$20.00 – YOUTH \$10.00
Show Reports to: Cullen Santino LeRoy 274 Ferguson Lane,

POLISH - OPEN & YOUTH

Central City, KY 42330 219-798-2270

201asrba.sweeps@gmail.com www.asrba.org

AMERICAN POLISH RABBIT CLUB
Michaela Walsh
3090 80th St NE De Graff, MN 56271
763-482-3963 ~ APRCsec@gmail.com
Membership: Adult \$12 Youth \$10
Sanction Fees: OPEN \$15.00; YOUTH \$10.00
Toby Eaton-Neal at 1615 Marvale Ave SE, Rochester, MN 55904
https://easy2showclub.com/sanctions;
Show Reports to: Melissa Ordway at polishsweeps@gmail.com
www.americanpolishrabbitclub.com

NETHERLAND DWARF - OPEN & YOUTH

AMERICAN NETHERLAND DWARF RABBIT CLUB
Cindy Stelloh
PO Box 573 Mukwonago, WI 53149 414-659-9001
andrcsectreas@yahoo.com
Membership: Adult \$35 Youth \$30
Sanctions: Open \$15 Youth \$10
Sanction Requests/Show Reports to: Cindy Stelloh
undrcsweeps@yahoo.com

TAN - OPEN

www.andrc.com

AMERICAN TAN RABBIT SPECIALTY CLUB
Paula Schutz

105 Ulsterville Rd Pine Bush, NY 12566

848-524-0001 atrscsecy@gmail.com
Membership Adult \$13 Youth \$10

Sanction Fees: OPEN \$10.00; YOUTH \$4.00
Show Reports to Allison Clarke,

3231 Pipes Cirlce, Alama, MI atrscsweeps@gmail.com ~

352-650-8536
www.atrsc.org

NEW ZEALAND - OPEN & YOUTH

AMERICAN FEDERATION OF NEW ZEALAND
RABBIT BREEDERS
David Cardinal
E4076 State Hwy 22-54 Waupaca, WI 54981
715-281-9286 afnzrbasecty@gmail.com

Membership: Adult \$15 Youth \$13 Sanction Fees: OPEN \$15; YOUTH \$10 Show Reports: newzealandshowreports@gmail.com www.newzealandrabbitclub.net

If you don't see your breed sanctioned, please contact <u>blacklandprairierba@gmail.com</u> if you would like to sponsor a sanction.

Any additional breed sanctions sponsored will be posted on our <u>Facebook group</u>. Sanctions are not required to enter the show. They provide opportunities for National Club sweepstakes.





REGISTRAR

A licensed ARBA Rabbit Registrar will be available at the show. Registration is optional and is separate from show entry. During the registration process, each rabbit will be examined for disqualifications, weighed, and the required paperwork will be completed for submission into ARBA's official database. Registration is required in order to obtain any Grand Champion certificates from ARBA.

Exhibitors must provide:

- 1. ARBA membership card
- a pedigree (printed copy preferred)
- 3. registration fee of \$6.00 for each rabbit presented

To be eligible, rabbits must be at least six months of age, meet senior weight and breed requirements, and be free from disqualifications. For further information, exhibitors should consult the registrar at the show.

ARBA REGISTRAR:

April Cade

Email: registerwithapril1234@yahoo.com

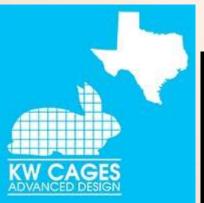
To secure your registration (limited forms available, pre-registrations will be processed first), please email the following to April:

- Valid ARBA card or screenshot
- A complete pedigree including name, weight, variety, and tattoo for all rabbits in pedigree
- For GC Certification 3 legs (minimum of one 6/8 or senior leg, 2 different judges)





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RAFFLE

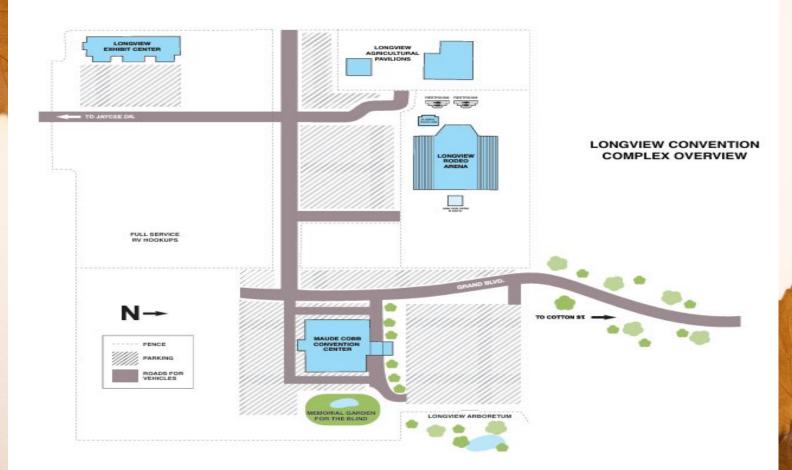
We will be holding a raffle to help keep entry fees low and support the show. Please consider bringing unique and useful items to donate.

The raffle drawing will take place at 2:30 PM on Saturday.



Overview Map and Diagrams | Longview, TX

We will be in the large building marked Maude Cobb Convention Center on the map.



FOOD TRUCK - CECI'S TACOS



The food truck will be set-up Saturday for both breakfast and lunch. There will not be a food vendor Friday evening, so please plan ahead.

Breakfast-Desayunos

Ham Burrito	\$3.99
Sausage Burrito	\$3.99
Bacon Burrito	\$3.99
Chorizo Burrito	\$3.99
Big Burrito	\$8.99

Includes: Egg, Hashbrown, Cheese **Breakfast Taco** \$2.99

Includes: Egg, Cheese, Choice of Meat -Sausage -Bacon - Chorizo -Ham

Weekends-Fin de Semana

Menudo \$14.99 Pozole \$14.99

Kids-Niños

Hamburgers with Fries Cheeseburgers with Fries \$7.99 Chicken Strips with Fries \$6.99



Tacos & More

Tacos Harina (Flour)	\$2.99
Tacos Maiz (Corn)	\$2.49
Tortas	\$8.99
Quesadillas con Carne	\$7.99
Quesadillas solo Queso	\$5.99
Sopes	\$3.49
Burritos	\$7.99
4 Quesabirrias	\$10.99
Gorditas	\$3.50

Meats-Carnes

- · Bistek (Steak)
- Pollo (Chicken)
- Pastor (Pork)
- Barbacoa
- Chicharron (Pork Skins)
- Milanesa (Choice for Tortas)

Plates with Rice and Beans Platillos con Arroz v Frijoles

Platillo de Asado(Pork)	\$11.99
Platillo de Birria(Beef)	\$11.99
Platillo de Bistek(Beef)	\$11.99
Platillo de Pollo(Chicken)	\$11.99
Platillo de Milanesa	\$11.99
Platillo de 4 Quesabirrias	\$12.99
Platillo de Chicharron en Salsa	\$11.99
Taco Plate (3 Tacos)	\$10.99



Arroz (Rice)8oz	\$1.99
Frijoles (Beans)8oz	\$1.99
Consome 4oz	\$1.49
Green or Red Salsa 8oz	\$2.49
Pico de Gallo	\$2.49
Guacamole 4oz	\$1.99
Papas Fritas (Fries)	\$2.99
Large Guacamole	\$3.99

Extra	Salsa			\$.50
Extra	Crema	(Sour Crea	m)	\$.50
Extra	Queso	(Shredded	Cheese	\$.50

Drinks

\$2.99	Bottled Soda	\$1.99
\$2.49	Water	\$.99
\$1.99	Boing	\$1.99
\$1.99	Redbull	\$3.25
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HOST HOTEL - Hampton Inn Longview

The Hampton Inn, located at <u>160 Lucy Drive, Longview, TX 75605</u>, will be our host hotel for the show. The special room rate is \$100/night; call 903-803-4100 and mention you are booking with the rabbit show to receive the reduced rate.





SHOW RULES

ARBA RULES & LIABILITY

This show will be conducted in full accordance with the most current Official Show Rules of the ARBA. Submitting an entry constitutes acceptance of both ARBA and Blackland Prairie RBA show rules. Each person in attendance assumes all risks and liabilities individually. Neither the Maude Cobb Convention Center, ARBA, Blackland Prairie RBA, nor the show committee and its members will be responsible for any accident, illness, death, injury, damage, or harm to exhibitors or their animals arising from participation in this event. Every reasonable precaution will be taken to ensure a safe show.

HEALTH

Animals showing any signs of illness or disease will not be admitted to the showroom. Show management is required to refuse entry, or remove from the premises, any animal that is diseased or unsightly. Any rabbit showing signs of a potentially contagious disease will be ineligible to compete in any further shows. Table writers will complete a slip for these rabbits, which will be sent back to the secretary with the show paperwork to ensure the rabbit is scratched from all subsequent shows. Entry fees for such animals will be forfeited.

All animals must be healthy and transported in proper, leak-proof carriers to ensure their safety and well-being. No coops will be provided. Does with litters are not permitted on the show grounds.

As of the date of this catalog, Texas does not require health certificates for entry. However, exhibitors are responsible for checking and complying with the most current regulations regarding rabbit transport before departure.

ANIMALS Only rabbits, cavies, and certified working service animals are permitted inside the building. Any service animal that becomes disruptive may be required to leave.

<u>IDENTIFICATION</u> All entries must have a permanent, legible ear identification in the left ear. Animals lacking proper identification will be disqualified, and entry fees will be forfeited.

SALES & FUNDRAISERS No club, organization, or individual may solicit subscriptions, donations, drawings, or distribute/display information in or around the showroom without prior approval from Blackland Prairie RBA. Exhibitors wishing to sell anything other than animals must obtain permission in advance and pay the required vendor fee. Product pre-sales, pre-orders, or deliveries at the show site are not permitted without prior authorization.

SHOW RULES

<u>Youth Exhibitors</u> The same animal may not be entered in both the Youth and Open shows at the same event. An animal may be shown in either the Youth Show **or** the Open Show, but not in both. Anyone, regardless of age, may exhibit in an Open Show. Youth Shows are limited to exhibitors between the ages of 5 and 18. Exhibitors who are 4 years old and younger or 19 years old and older must compete in the Open Show.

Conduct

All decisions of the judges are final. Exhibitors are expected to conduct themselves in a professional and respectful manner toward judges, show officials, writers, and fellow exhibitors. This expectation applies to both adults and youth. Any exhibitor who identifies ownership of an animal during judging, harasses, or interferes with a judge or writer will be disqualified and forfeit all fees and winnings. Behavior deemed disruptive or detrimental to the show or its participants will not be tolerated. Only show officials, judges, and designated writers are permitted in the judging area.

Parents are responsible for the conduct and actions of their children. Any damages caused by children will be the financial responsibility of the parent for repair or replacement. For safety reasons, skateboards, roller skates, rollerblades, scooters, and similar items are not permitted inside the building.

Judging

Owners are responsible for getting their rabbits to the show table. In Youth Shows, rabbits must be carried by the youth exhibitor (ages 5–18); adults are not permitted to place rabbits on or off the show table for youth exhibitors. Exhibitors are responsible for ensuring their animals are in the judging area when called, though they are not required to carry them personally. No entry fees will be refunded under any circumstances. Three calls will be made from the judging table; after the third call, only the rabbits present will be judged. Judging for a second show may begin before the first show is completed, so exhibitors must pay close attention to calls for their breed to avoid being passed over. All awards must be picked up on the day of the show. Exhibitor reports and legs will be emailed within 30 days following the conclusion of the show. Please provide a legible and valid email address when entering.

Exceptions

Any issue arising that cannot be resolved by reference to the above will be referred to the official show committee and their decision will be final. Complaints regarding exhibitors or judges will be accommodated with an official ARBA complaint form.



SPECIAL WELCOME TO OUR NEW EXHIBITORS

Tips & FAQ

This is a carrying cage show—your rabbits stay in their carriers until called to the table for judging.

The building has A/C. If it's chilly outside, the building will not be heated for human comfort, so dress in layers. Please bring your own chairs and rabbit supplies.

Be sure to read the catalog at least THREE times, and review the ARBA Show Rules.

We'll use white boards and a speaker system to announce breeds as they go up for judging. It's your responsibility to keep up and get your rabbits to the table. A good tip—find someone showing the same breed and follow their lead. If you show multiple breeds, ask friends to help cover one so you don't miss anything.

If this is your first ARBA show, have an experienced breeder check your rabbit's breed, variety, and sex before the show begins. Once judging starts, changes can't be made without slowing everyone down.

And remember, everyone working the show is a volunteer. Mistakes happen, but kindness and flexibility go a long way. At the end of the day, we're all here because we love showing, talking about, and enjoying rabbits with friends!

