2025 IRBA STATE CONVENTION TRIPLE SHOW and STATE MEETING

Saturday, September 13, 2025 Located at the Livingston County 4-H Park address 18142 4-H Park Road, Pontiac, IL

Judges: Jeff Hardin, Melissa Magee, Joel Marshall, LeAnn McKinney, Lee Nevills, Zach Sauer

SHOW ROOM OPENS AT 6:30 A.M. ON SATURDAY. ALL ANIMALS MUST BE CHECKED IN BY 8:00 A.M.

The showroom will be open on Friday night from 4:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. NO COOPING WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR THIS SHOW

Judging will begin after the state meeting which will start at 8:00 a.m. on Saturday.

THIS IS A PRE-ENTRY SHOW ONLY

Show Secretary: Jane Meyer, 1795 N 1800 East Rd; Thawville, IL 60968 Entry Fee: \$4.00 per entry, per show. Fur Class: \$2.00 per entry, per show

USPS MAIL: Entries will be accepted by mail and must be postmarked by Thursday, September 4, 2025.

EMAIL: Email entries will be accepted until 10:00 p.m. Central Time on Tuesday, September 9, 2025. Send email entries to floridawhitesec@gmail.com Please type your entries in the body of your email or send a typed attachment such as a word document or a PDF file, please don't send a photo of your entries or a text message with entries listed.

Payment will be collected when you check in on Saturday morning. Make checks payable to IRBA.

Breeds sanctioned: Am. Fuzzy Lop O; Argente Brun O; Californian O&Y; Champagne d'Argent O&Y; Checkered Giant O; Dutch O&Y; Dwarf Papillon O; English Spot O; Flemish Giant O; Florida White O&Y; Harlequin O; Havana O&Y; Himalayan O; Holland Lop Y; Jersey Wooly O; Mini Lop O&Y; Mini Rex O&Y; Mini Satin/Satin O&Y; New Zealand O&Y; Polish O&Y; Rex O;

- **All SANCTIONED breeds will receive an award for BOB & BOS provided 10 or more are shown.
- ** All Illinois Specialty Clubs for breeds sanctioned above will also be sanctioned.
- ** If you wish to sanction a breed that is not listed above, please contact Jane Meyer at floridawhitesec@gmail.com
- ** There are some specialty shows planned. Mini Rex and Satins/Mini Satins have sanctioned as of the printing of this flyer. Check the ARBA website in case other breeds add shows. All specialty shows will be held on Friday night.
- ** Any changes in this flyer will be posted on Facebook.

For additional show information contact Jane Meyer at 815-735-1548 or Dallas Meyer at 815-735-6548. Writers are greatly appreciated. If you wish to volunteer, contact Charles Wiltgen at the show.

The IRBA State Meeting will be held on Saturday Morning at 8:00 a.m.

BREAKFAST & LUNCH

The Livingston Co. RBA will handle the kitchen for the September weekend.

Superior View Equipment and Supplies

Melissa Voldberg 715-292-4524 gizzy07061@yahoo.com

SHOW RULES

- 1. This show will be governed by the latest revised rules of the ARBA. Filing of entry indicates your acceptance of these show rules and those listed below.
- 2. The Illinois Rabbit Breeders Association will not be responsible for accidents; this includes but is not limited to loss in case of fire, theft or providential destruction. However, every precaution will be taken to prevent same.
- 3. Cash, a good check or a money order are all acceptable methods of payment. (There will be a \$25.00 service fee charge on all returned checks). Make all checks payable to the Illinois Rabbit Breeders Association (IRBA). The IRBA reserves the right to reject ANY entry for due cause.
- 4. All entered animals must be permanently and legibly earmarked.
- 5. Fur class entries are to be noted on your entry.
- 6. Fur classes will be provided for: Breed Fur/Normal White Fur & Wool/Normal Colored Fur & Wool. Unless otherwise noted on the entry form, all fur class animals will be entered in Breed Fur.
- Open & Youth Judging will begin after the IRBA State Meeting. The IRBA reserves the right to substitute, add or remove judges as deemed necessary.
- 8. Other than official show personnel, Youth MUST carry youth entered animals.
- 9. There will be no placement ribbons given.
- 10. All sweepstakes will be governed by the latest rules. (IRBA show exhibitors who are current members of the IRBA will receive credit for double sweepstakes points earned, only towards the IRBA Sweepstakes).
- 11. Any/All animals exhibiting signs of sickness will be removed from the showroom, or otherwise isolated at the show official's discretion.
- 12. There must be ten (10) or more animals shown in the breed sweepstakes in order to warrant required specials by specialty clubs. The IRBA is not responsible for any donated awards.
- 13. Specialty Club shows will be held as prearranged between the specialty show host and the IRBA Show Superintendent. Contact the specialty show secretary for information regarding that breed specialty show.
- 14. If deemed necessary, the sponsoring club reserves the right to ask for proof of ownership for animals entered.
- 15. Unless otherwise specified within the catalog, any breeds NOT SANCTIONED will receive awards for BOB and BOS provided ten (10) or more animals are shown in the breed
- 16. Parents and/or guardians will be held responsible for their own actions as well as those of their own children and/or those children that accompanied them.
- 17. There will be no smoking inside the show building, and no alcoholic beverages are allowed anywhere on the fairgrounds property.
- 18. ALL CARRIERS MUST HAVE SOLID BOTTOMS.

DIRECTIONS TO THE LIVINGSTON COUNTY 4-H PARK

Coming from the South on Interstate 55, use exit 197. At the top of the exit ramp, turn right (east) onto Route 116. Next you will turn left (north) on Deerfield (at the Wendy's restaurant). Next, you will turn right (east) at the T intersection and proceed to the stop sign. Turn left at the stop sign and the fairgrounds will be ahead on your right.

If you come in from the West on Route 116 turn left (north) on Deerfield (at the Wendy's restaurant) and continue with directions given above..

If you come in from the East on 116 you can follow 116 all the way through town to the Wendy's restaurant and turn right (north) on Deerfield and continue with directions given above.

Coming from the North on Interstate 55, use exit 201. At the top of the exit ramp, turn south onto Route 23 and drive until you get to 4-H Park Road. Turn right onto 4-H Park Road. At the stop sign, turn right and the fairgrounds will be ahead on your right.

DON'T FORGET TO BRING SOMETHING FOR THE RAFFLE.