

Market Rabbit Meeting

September 9, 2013

Attending John Galen, Kimberly Mertens(chair), Desilyn Tyznik, Kaitlyn Tyznik

Talked about changes and additions to Rabbits 2014

Rabbit 2014 Rules for Exhibitors

- Initial Weigh In – Saturday June 28, 2014
 - 9-11 AM
 - Heartland Coop
- Fair Weigh-In: Thursday August 7, 2014
 - 8 AM – 10 AM
 - Clark County Rabbit Barn

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- Leave owned by exhibitor May 15

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- All market rabbits that qualify are able to sell.
- Grand and Reserve must sell unless owned by the same exhibitor then Grand must sell
- Youth may only sell one animal

#5 – Change

- A total of 8 rabbits may be weighed in at initial weigh-in per exhibitor
- Example: This is equivalent to 1 doe with a batch of babies to pick from

Floater Animals

- Each family can have 8 market rabbits as floaters (whole family) at Initial Weigh-In
- This means the kids in this family share 8 rabbits to care for until Final Weigh-In
- Then each individual exhibitor may designate 2 for Final Weigh-In
- These family members then DO NOT each get to weigh-in 8 if they choose to do this as a family

Talked about Showmanship on Friday if exhibitor has no other rabbits to show on Saturday at show

- Concerns
 - How judge when not enough kids per class
 - What about 18 year olds vs. 3rd grader
- This has not yet been decided by the committee

Thank You
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