

## SOUTH FLORIDA FAIR RABBIT ADULT & YOUTH SHOWS



### **ENTRY FORM DEADLINE: POSTMARKED BY DECEMBER 1, 2008**

NO EXCEPTIONS! -(No Entry Fee)

#### **MAIL ENTRY FORMS TO:**

**South Florida Fair Livestock Department  
PO Box 210367**

**West Palm Beach, FL 33421-0367**

**RABBIT CHECK-IN:** Thurs., January 15, 2009, Noon-7:00 p.m.

**RABBIT CHECK-OUT:** Sunday, February 1, 2008, after 6:00 p.m.

Judging is scheduled for Saturday, January 17th

The South Florida Fair Livestock Show Superintendent is in charge of the Rabbit Exhibit at the South Florida Fair.



**ATTENTION YOUTH-** You MUST have attended the MANDATORY YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW ETHICS AND ANIMAL CARE WORKSHOP in order to show an animal at the South Florida Fair.

### **RULES:**

1. ALL ENTRIES MUST BE MADE ON THE OFFICIAL ENTRY FORMS provided in the South Florida Fair Premium Book.  
**Mail REGISTRATION Forms** to the above address. NO PHONE ENTRIES will be accepted. There are only 300 cages available on a FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED basis. (Photo copies may be made if needed.)
2. Rabbits will be checked in at the Fairgrounds (Rabbit Tent) from NOON until 7:00 p.m. on Thursday, January 15, 2009. Arrive with your rabbits not later than 6:00 p.m. to allow time for health check and paperwork. (All rabbits must be contained in boxes or wire carriers.)
3. All rabbits must have been OWNED BY THE EXHIBITOR for at least 60 days prior to the Fair. A cage limit of 20 cages is allowed to be entered by a family.
4. All rabbits will be checked for signs of disease or sickness. No diseased rabbit will be allowed in the show. The Tent Supervisor or assistants may decline or reject any rabbits that do not meet health requirements. Automatic disqualifications include: runny eyes or nose, matted and heavily soiled fur below the tail, ear or fur mites, excessively long nails. We suggest you check them for the above prior to the Fair.
5. A maximum of three 10-12 week old litter mates may be shown in one cage. These rabbits will be counted as one entry. There will be no doe(s) with litters accepted.
6. NO RABBITS UNDER 10 WEEKS OLD WILL BE ACCEPTED. **THIS WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED!!**
7. It is strongly discouraged for an exhibitor to bring a household/family pet to exhibit. The rabbit tent can be extremely loud and may cause unnecessary trauma.
8. It is understood that the South Florida Fair, supervisors, and assistant(s) will take every reasonable precaution for the safeguarding of the exhibits, and owner assumes all responsibility for any accidents, loss or damage, that may occur. The supervisor and assistant(s) will see that all animals are secured in display cages and fed and watered during the Fair.
9. The Fair will not be responsible for animals after check-out time. Animals will be released to the exhibitor or someone representing them and bearing the appropriate claim checks.
10. The right is reserved to refuse any entry of any exhibitor who does not abide by the rules.
11. There will be no mixed breed rabbits allowed for breeders or family breeders. **Non-breeder youth exempt.**
12. Early removal of exhibits, with the exception of animals sold, shall result in removal of all ribbons and premium monies earned.

### **Premiums & Special Awards**

Blue \$5.00      Red \$4.00  
White \$3.00

\*Best of Breed (Youth & Open) \$5.00

\*Reserve Best of Breed (Youth & Open) \$5.00

Best in Show (Youth & Open) \$10.00

\*This award is only given if five or more rabbits represent that breed in the show, Youth and Open.