

# 2018 IRBA MARCH SHOWS

## DAY OF SHOW ENTRY

*Saturday Show March 24 - Sunday Show March 25 in Bloomington, Illinois  
Interstate Center - 2301 W Market St., Bloomington, IL 61704*

*Judges: Michelle Wojcik, WI - Mike Avesing, IA - Rich Steinberg, MN  
David Cardinal, WI - Donyelle Shultz, IN*

**SHOW ROOM OPENS TO ACCEPT RABBITS FRIDAY AT 2:00 PM.  
SHOW ROOM CLOSSES FRIDAY NIGHT AT 9:00 PM  
SHOW ROOM OPENS AT 6:30 AM ON SATURDAY & SUNDAY**

**ALL COOP RENTAL RESERVATIONS AND FEES FOR THE IRBA SHOWS  
MUST BE POSTMARKED BY MARCH 15 and sent to:**  
Norma Hart, 190 N First Ave, Coal City, IL 60416

Entry fee: \$3.50 per entry, per show. (Fur class \$2.00 per entry per show)

Coop rental fee (if desired): \$1.50 per coop (one fee for the weekend)

All SANCTIONED breeds will receive an award for BOB & BOS provided 10 or more are shown  
1st place for Fur & Meat Classes will pay 1/2 of the entry fees collected for the classes

Breeds sanctions applied for: Am Fuzzy Lop O - Californian O & Y - Champagne d'Argent O & Y  
Checkered Giant O - Dutch O & Y - Dwarf Hotot O & Y - English Spot O  
Flemish Giant O & Y - Florida White O & Y - Havana O & Y - Himalayan O - Holland Lop O & Y  
Jersey Wooly Y - Mini Lop O - Mini Rex O & Y - Satin/Mini Satin O & Y  
Netherland Dwarf O - New Zealand O & Y - Polish O - Rex O - Tan O - Thrianta O & Y  
[Some sanctions paid for by individuals....Thank you!]

\*\* 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 Norma Hart or Dick Gehr at [rwgehr@aol.com](mailto:rwgehr@aol.com)

For additional information or questions contact:

Norma Hart or Dick Gehr - (815) 584-6640 ~ [normahart1@aol.com](mailto:normahart1@aol.com) or [rwgehr@aol.com](mailto:rwgehr@aol.com)

This is a double Open and double Youth show with one complete show being held on  
Saturday and one complete show being held on Sunday.

Judging will begin on both days at 9:00 AM, or as close as possible to that time.

Cooping is available for rent at \$ 1.50 per hole. Coop reservations must be sent with  
payment to Norma Hart, 190 N First Ave, Coal City, IL 60416 prior to March 15.

Writers for the judges are greatly appreciated. If you care to volunteer to write for a  
judge, even if only for a few breeds, please contact Dick Gehr at the show.

### IRBA COOP RENTAL RESERVATION:

Coop rental available for entered animals only. Detach and send to:  
Norma Hart, 190 N First Ave, Coal City, IL 60416 prior to March 15, 2018.

Number of coops requested: \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$1.50 per coop = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Coop rental is for the entire weekend. You pay only one fee PER ANIMAL for the weekend.

Shavings will be provided for cooped animals.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

## 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 - A good check or money order must accompany your entry in order to be accepted. (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 - Entry Forms and remark cards are to be filled out completely and legibly. Please check and double check your entry form against your remark card. An animal at the table that does not appear on your entry form will be scratched.
- 6 - Fur class entries are to be noted on your entry sheet, and must also be on a separate remark card.
- 7 - 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.
- 8 - Open & Youth Judging will begin as close to 9:00 AM as possible on Saturday and Sunday. The IRBA reserves the right to substitute, add, or remove judges as deemed necessary.
- 9 - Other than official show personnel, Youth MUST carry youth entered animals.
- 10 - There will be no placement ribbons given.
- 11 - 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.)
- 12 - Any/All animals exhibiting signs of sickness will be removed from the showroom, or otherwise isolated at the show official's discretion.
- 13 - There must be ten (10) or more animals shown in the breed sweepstaked in order to warrant required specials by specialty clubs. The IRBA is not responsible for any donated awards.
- 14 - 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.
- 15 - If deemed necessary, the sponsoring club reserves the right to ask for proof of ownership for animals entered.
- 16 - Unless otherwise specified within the catalog, any breeds NOT SANCTIONED will pay \$3.00 for Best of Breed and \$2.00 for Best Opposite Sex of Breed provided ten (10) or more animals are shown in the breed.
- 17 - 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.
- 18 - There will be no smoking inside the show building, and no alcoholic beverages are allowed anywhere on the Interstate property.
- 19 - ALL CARRIERS MUST HAVE SOLID BOTTOMS

### Moeller's Rabbit & Bird Supply

920-595-0431      moellerequipment@gmail.com

Will be the equipment supply company for the weekend.

Call or email for specific items you may want to pick up at the show

There is a room block at the COUNTRY INN & SUITES that is available until February 23rd.

923 Maple Hill Rd - Bloomington, IL 61704

Room rates are \$65.00 (plus tax)

Tell them you are with the Illinois Rabbit Breeders room block.

Reservations: (309) 828-7177

(They have a complimentary hot breakfast.)

Official American Rabbit Breeders Association Sanctioned Show  
Eric Stewart, Executive Director, Box 5667 Bloomington, IL 61702

**Membership Fees:**

Single \$20.00/3 Yr \$50.00 - H/W \$30.00/3 Yrs \$75.00

1 parent Family: 1 yr. \$20.00 Plus \$5.00 per Youth - 3 yr. \$50.00  
plus

\$10.00 per Youth

2 parent Family: 1 yr. \$30.00 Plus \$5.00 per Youth - 3 yr. \$75.00  
plus \$10.00 per Youth

Youth \$12.00/3 Yrs \$30.00

Service Charge - Non US Members \$10.00

Sanction Fees: Open \$25.00 Youth \$20.00

Combination Open & Youth sanction \$40.00

Any change in the date or location of an approved sanctioned show  
will require a fee of 1/2 the normal sanction fee.

Fees Paid are NON-TRANSFERABLE

Phone: (309) 664-7500 Email: info@arba.net

Web Address <http://www.arba.net>

2018 ARBA Convention: West Springfield, MA ~ October 9 - 12

Official Illinois Rabbit Breeders Sanctioned Show

Norma Hart, Secretary/Treasurer

190 North First Avenue Coal City, Illinois 60416

Dues Paid Thru an IRBA Affiliated LOCAL Club:

Adult \$7.00 - Youth \$5.00

Dues Paid Individual:

Adult \$8.00 - Youth \$8.00

Dues Paid after July 1st are 'Half Price'

Sanction Fees: Open Only \$10.00 Youth Only \$10.00

Sanctions Fees Open & Youth Combined: \$15.00

Cavy Sanction Fee: \$5.00

Phone (815) 584-6640 Email: normahart1@aol.com

Web Address: <http://www.nordickrabbits.com/default.htm>

***Show Registrar - Wendy Bolen***

**Remember to bring your pedigrees if you plan to  
have rabbits registered.**

## **Good and Plenty !**

*The Tri County RBA will again handle the kitchen  
for the September weekend.*

*Please support their club by purchasing  
all the available foods.*

### **DIRECTIONS TO THE MCLEAN COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS ~ INTERSTATE CENTER**

**From Des Moines, IA:**

Take I-80 East to I-74 at Moline, IL;

Take I-74 East to I-55,

go South to Exit 160-B, Route 9 (Market Street). go West 3/4 mile; turn right into the Interstate Center

**From Indianapolis, IN:**

Take I-74 West to Bloomington-Normal, IL and meet I-55 North; take I-55/74 to Exit 160-B;

go West on IL Route 9 for 3/4 of a mile; turn right into the Interstate Center.

**From Madison, WI:**

Take I-90/94 South to I-39 at Rockford, IL: Take I-39 South to I-55 at Bloomington-Normal;

take I-55 South to Exit 160-B, West on Route 9 (Market Street).

go 3/4 mile; turn right into the Interstate Center.

**From St. Louis, MO:**

Take I-55 North to Bloomington-Normal, IL; take Exit 160-B West on IL Route 9 for 3/4 of a mile;

turn right into the Interstate Center.

# **SHOWS IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE IRBA SHOWS**

## **CHAMPAGNE D'ARGENT NATIONAL SHOW**

**National Show on Saturday ~ Specialty show on Sunday**

**Show Secretary: Jane Meyer**

**floridawhitesec@gmail.com - 217-387-2427**

**Show Superintendent: Bob Bemis**

**champnationals2018@gmail.com**

## **THRIANTA NATIONAL SHOW**

**National Show on Saturday ~ Specialty show on Sunday**

**Show Secretary: Susan Pohto**

**spohto@live.com - 440-785-2837**

**Show Superintendent: Jerry Walter**

**There will also be a number of other breed specialty shows held on the weekend. Please contact the secretary of an IRBA Breed Specialty Club to receive more information.**

**Checkedred Giant Specialty contact: Chris Brunette - chrisb@monroecentral.org**

**Checkedred Giant & Flemish Giant Specialties contact: Katie Peltier - kapfarms@yahoo.com**

### **Californian Rabbit Specialty Club of Illinois**

**Greg Post**

**(309) 208-7460 gregpost78@yahoo.com**

**Sanction Fee: \$ 5.00 (includes both Open & Youth)**

**Membership Fee: Adult/\$ 3.00 Youth/\$ 2.00**

**H/W/\$ 4.00**

### **Illinois New Zealand Rabbit Breeders Specialty Club**

**Cheryl Sorensen**

**(779) 435-2947 csorensen367@yahoo.com**

**Sanction Fee: \$ 5.00 (Youth Free W/Open)**

**Membership Fee: Single/\$ 6.00 H/W/\$ 10.00**

**Youth/\$ 4.00 Family/\$ 15.00**

### **Illinois Netherland Dwarf Specialty Club**

**John "JC" Morgan**

**(217) 684-2537 smalltown61864@yahoo.com**

**Sanction Fee: \$ 3.00/O \$ 3.00/Y**

**Membership Fee: Adult/\$ 7.00 Family/\$ 10.00**

### **Illinois Mini Rex Rabbit Club**

**Amanda Marquardt**

**(618) 935-2520**

**da022002@yahoo.com**

**Sanction Fee: \$ 6.00 (Youth Free W/Open)**

**Membership Fees: A/\$ 5.00 Y/\$ 2.00 Family/\$ 10.00**

### **Illinois Mini Lop Club**

**Cathy Ping**

**(618) 584-3063 bunnyrabbit62449@yahoo.com**

**Sanction Fees: \$ 8.00 Open - \$ 8.00 Youth**

**Youth Sanction Free if requested with Open**

**Membership Fee: A/\$ 5 Y/\$ 3 H/W/\$ 8 Family/\$ 10.00**

**Send All Membership & Sanction requests to Cathy Ping.**

**\* Send all Completed Sweepstake reports to:**

**Judy Swanson 1530 West Jeffrey St, Kankakee, IL**

**60901 (815) 935-5048 swanson1530@comcast.net**

### **Land of Lincoln Satin Rabbit Breeders Association**

**(Satins & Mini Satins)**

**Mandy Johnson**

**(309) 781-0764 minichocs78@gmail.com**

**Sanction Fee: \$ 7.00 & includes both breeds**

**(youth sanction free if requested with open sanction)**

**Membership Fees: A/\$ 8.00 Y/\$ 3.00 H/W/\$ 12.00**

### **Illinois Florida White Specialty Club**

**Jane Meyer**

**(217) 387-2427**

**floridawhitesec@gmail.com**

**Sanction Fees: \$ 3.00 Open & Youth**

**Membership Fees: \$ 3.00 Per Household**

# ILLINOIS RABBIT BREEDERS MARCH 2018 - RABBIT ENTRY FORM

\* Please feel free to make additional copies of the entry form as needed. DAY OF SHOW ENTRY

Exhibitor(s)/Owner(s) \_\_\_\_\_

PERSONAL NAME(S) REQUIRED

Rabbitry Name (Optional) \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ St \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

OPEN  (Check one)  YOUTH

CHECK ALL APPLICABLE AREAS

**ALL ENTRIES NOT DESIGNATED AS OPEN OR YOUTH WILL BE ENTERED IN THE OPEN SHOWS**

EAR#	BREED	VARIETY AND/OR GROUP	CLASS (CIRCLE ONE)	SEX (CIRCLE)	REGULAR FEE	CHECK IF MEAT PEN	CHECK IF SINGLE FRYER	CHECK IF FUR
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## PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY

- Every effort has been made to hopefully reflect accuracy in all areas printed. However, typographical errors can and do occur. Should an error appear within this catalog/flyer, we regret its posting, and we apologize for its unintentional oversight. Thank you for showing with us. We sincerely appreciate your support! The Illinois Rabbit Breeders.
- DAY OF SHOW ENTRY: Please have your Entry Form and Remark Cards completely filled out and turned in by 8:00 AM the day you will be showing.
- We will accept entries for Sunday's show on Friday night or Saturday morning if you care to turn them in at that time.
- PLEASE MAKE SURE YOUR REMARK CARDS MATCH YOUR ENTRY FORM FOR THE ANIMALS YOU ARE ENTERING. (NO CHANGES ALLOWED AFTER THE START OF THE SHOW.)

Mail ALL Coop Reservations to:  
**Norma Hart**  
**190 N First Ave**  
**Coal City, IL 60416**

Payment must accompany all Coop Reservations, and they must be postmarked by March 15.