

# West Coast Classic

April 24 & 25, 2010  
Monterey, CA

Presented by  
West Coast Rabbit & Cavy  
Breeder's Association

## Location

The West Coast Classic will be held at the Monterey County Fairgrounds, 2004 Fairgrounds Rd. in Monterey, CA. For directions or more information about the fairgrounds or RV Parking please visit [www.montereycountyfair.com](http://www.montereycountyfair.com).

## Hotels

- Econo Lodge, 2042 N. Fremont St., Monterey, CA (Across from the fairgrounds) (831) 372-5851
- Travelodge, 2030 N. Fremont St., Monterey, CA (831) 373-3381 (Pet Friendly)
- Super 8 Monterey, 2120 Fremont St., Monterey, CA (831) 372-6066
- Holiday Inn, 1400 Del Monte Blvd., Monterey, CA (831) 394-5335

## Schedule of Events

### Saturday

- 8:30 am – Open judging and Specialty Judging begins
- 8:00 am – Check in for Youth Contests (King City Room)
- 8:30 am – Youth contests begin
- 12:00 pm – Youth judging begins in the King City Room
- 6:00 pm – Banquet, Youth Awards and Knowledge Night in the King City Room

### Sunday

- 8:30 am – Open and Youth Judging begins

# Show Committee

Show Secretary – Rita Peralta  
Awards – Dera Oldofredi & Julie Spier  
Knowledge Night – Allen Mesick  
Banquet – Raymond and Mary Jo Kivi  
Show Photographer – Lynn Fischbeck

Open Show Superintendant – Uno Kivi & Randy Shumaker  
Youth Show Superintendant – Mike Morris  
Show Catalog – Jennifer Ambrosino  
Youth Committee – Jennifer Ambrosino & Melissa Magee  
Registrar – Justin Ambrosino & Keelyn Hanlon

## Judges

**Mike Avesing, Iowa:** Mike has successfully raised many breeds including Satins, Holland Lops, Netherland Dwarfs, Mini Satins, and English Spots. He has served as a committee member for many years and chaired the ARBA Standards Committee. He has many times served as a nominated ARBA Convention Best In Show Judge. Currently, Mike is running for President of the ARBA.

**Wade Burkhalter, Missouri:** One of the most popular judges in the United States, Wade has raised nearly every breed of rabbit and has a great understanding of all body types. He has most experience with Mini Satins, Mini Rex, Netherland Dwarfs, Rhinelanders, Californians, Havanas, American Fuzzy Lops, Jersey Woolies, Lilacs, Polish, and Mini Lops. He has twice served as a nominated ARBA Convention Best In Show Judge.

**Scott Rodriguez, Colorado:** Scott is a recently licensed and up and coming judge. He raises nationally competitive Holland Lops and Netherland Dwarfs and is very passionate about his hobby. He is by profession an attorney, and currently serves as chair of the ARBA Constitution and Bylaws Committee.

**April Wright, Alaska:** April and her family have raised breeds such as Tans, Britannia Petites, and Polish in the distant and gorgeous state of Alaska. She is the current presenter of the Lilac Polish. She has attended many ARBA Conventions, and loves judging rabbits. Her Polish captured Best of Breed at the 2009 ARBA Convention in San Diego.

**Kevin Stanford, Arizona:** A fast up-and-coming judge, Kevin has experience breeding Netherland Dwarfs, Holland Lops, and Polish. He won several classes at the '09 Convention where he also judged Youth Netherland Dwarfs. He is a past President of the Southern Arizona Rabbit Breeders Association.

**Brad Boyce, Indiana:** Countless breeders try, but few accomplish Best In Show at an ARBA Convention; Brad and his wife Katie did just that at the 2002 ARBA Convention with a black Havana. Brad also has experience raising Netherland Dwarfs and Tans. He has served as a nominated ARBA Convention Best In Show Group Judge.

**Cheryl Blackman, Texas:** Cheryl has judged quite a bit since gaining her license several years ago, including youth Satins at the 2008 ARBA Convention. She is an active force behind the meat rabbits at the celebrated Houston Livestock Show, and raises the Satin breed. Cheryl is a science teacher, and a graduate of Texas A & M with a masters in Agricultural Development.

**Willis Plank, Michigan:** Rabbits are a family affair for Willis and his wife. They raise nationally competitive Champagnes, and even captured a Group win during Best In Show at a recent ARBA Convention. His wife Chris breeds competitive Holland Lops.

## Awards

Awards will be given to the Best of Breed and Best Opposite of Breed Winners with 10 or more shown in the breed. Awards that correspond to the themes of the three shows (Red, White & Blue) will be given for Best In Show and Reserve in Show.

# Entry Information

## Entry Fees – Open & Youth

\$4.00 for a single show, \$7.50 for a double show and \$10.00 for all three shows.

\$2.00 for fur per show

## Entry Deadlines -

Mailed entries postmarked by 4/16/10

Email entries and changes accepted until 4/19/10

**Email entries are always followed with a reply stating the entry has been received. If you do not receive a reply email, your entry WAS NOT received.**

If you are entering by email be sure to include the exhibitor name, address, phone number, whether you are entering youth or open, breed, variety, sex, class and whether you are entering show A (Red), B (White) or C (Blue). Changes after 4/19/10 and day of show entries are \$5.00 per rabbit, per show.

There is a \$25 returned check fee for checks that are returned by the bank.

Send Entries to: Rita Peralta ~ 2233 Snyder Lane , Stockton, CA 95215 ~ [peraltarita@comcast.net](mailto:peraltarita@comcast.net) ~ (209) 931-0983

## Specialty Shows

Breed	Date	Open/Youth	Secretary	Entry Fee	Deadline
American Fuzzy Lop	Saturday	1 Open	High Flying Fuzzies, Christina Gillett, 5402 Mesa Rd, Gilroy, CA 95020 <a href="mailto:preciousfuzfarm@aol.com">preciousfuzfarm@aol.com</a>	\$3	Same as WCC
Angora	Saturday	2 Open	Northern California Angora Guild, Betty Chu, PO Box 1431, Morgan Hill, CA 95038, <a href="mailto:englishangora88@yahoo.com">englishangora88@yahoo.com</a>	\$2.50	Same as WCC
Flemish Giant	Saturday	2 Open	Flemish Giant Rabbit Club of California, Randy Cunningham, 3476 N Colpien Rd, Tulare, CA 93274 <a href="mailto:FGRCC@clearwire.net">FGRCC@clearwire.net</a>	\$3.50	Same as WCC
Havana	Saturday	1 Open 1 Youth	Western Havana Owners Dera Oldofredi 14050 Center Ave, San Martin, CA 95046 <a href="mailto:deraoldo@yahoo.com">deraoldo@yahoo.com</a>	\$3 \$2 Fur	Same as WCC
Holland Lop	Saturday	2 Open	Norcal Holland Lops, Chris Zemny, 76 Howell Lane, Corralitos, CA 95076 <a href="mailto:rabjudge@sbcglobal.net">rabjudge@sbcglobal.net</a>	\$3	Same as WCC
Holland Lop	Sunday	1 Open	Norcal Holland Lops, Chris Zemny, 76 Howell Lane, Corralitos, CA 95076 <a href="mailto:rabjudge@sbcglobal.net">rabjudge@sbcglobal.net</a>	\$3	Same as WCC
Jersey Wooly	Saturday	1 Open	Pacific Coast Wooly Rabbit Club, Angel LeSage, PO Box 663, Sutter Creek, CA 95685 <a href="mailto:lesageswoolies@wildblue.net">lesageswoolies@wildblue.net</a>	\$3 \$1 wool	Same as WCC

Lionhead	Saturday	1 Open 1 Youth	West Coast Regional Lionhead Show, Rita Peralta, 2233 Snyder Lane, Stockton, CA 95215 peraltarita@comcast.net	\$3	Same as WCC
Mini Rex	Saturday	2 Open	Arizona Mini Rex Breeders, Joan Stewart, 25617 S Hawes Rd – Queen Creek, AZ 85142 rabbitshowsec@aol.com	\$ 3	Same as WCC
Mini Rex	Sunday	1 Open	Arizona Mini Rex Breeders, Joan Stewart, 25617 S Hawes Rd – Queen Creek, AZ 85142 rabbitshowsec@aol.com	\$3	Same as WCC
Rhinelanders	Saturday	1 Open 1 Youth	Western States Rhinelanders Specialty Club, Rhinelanders National Show, Rita Peralta, 2233 Snyder Lane, Stockton, CA 95215 peraltarita@comcast.net	\$4 \$1 Fur	Same as WCC
Satin	Saturday	1 Open 1 Youth	The Satin Club, Rita Peralta, 2233 Snyder Lane, Stockton, CA 95215 peraltarita@comcast.net	\$2	Same as WCC
Thrianta	Saturday	1 Open 1 Youth	Really Red Rabbit Club of California, Dera Oldofredi, 14050 Center Avenue, San Martin, CA 95046 deraoldo@yahoo.com	\$4	Same as WCC

## Youth Contests

### 2010 Youth Achievement, Management, Royalty, Educational Display, Individual Breed ID and Judging Contests

See Website for applications: <http://westcoastclassicshow.com/>  
(Due March 31, 2010)

**Saturday, April 24**

Individual Breed ID, Judging and Educational Display – Same Day Sign-ups

8:00 am..... Check-in (Must check-in to participate)

8:30 am..... Contests begin

Awards will be presented during the WCC Banquet  
held in the King Room at 6:00 pm.

**\*\*\*Rabbits needed for Breed ID and Judging classes! Rabbits used for the youth contests cannot be entered in Saturday's show. If you can help with the contests or if you can lend some rabbits...**

Please contact Jennifer Ambrosino at [ambrosino@gvni.com](mailto:ambrosino@gvni.com) or (209) 892-6589

# Knowledge Night

## Saturday Evening, April 24, 2010

- 6:00 – 6:45 PM**                      **Dinner Served**                      **King City Room**
- 6:30 – 7:00 PM**                      **Guest Speaker**                      **Judge Mike Avesing, Iowa**  
*Procedures of Admitting New Varieties and Breeds to the ARBA Standard of Perfection*  
**FREE! All Welcome!**
- 7:00 – 9:00 PM**                      **Knowledge Night**                      **King City Room**  
**An Evening of Sharing Rabbit Knowledge: FREE! All Welcome!**
- 7:00 – 8:30 PM**                      **Interactive Small Groups with Presenters**
- 7:00 – 7:45 PM**                      **Station 1**                      **Judge Scott Rodriguez, Colorado**  
*Comparing Holland Lops and Netherland Dwarfs*
- Station 2**                      **Judge Roger Hassenpflug, Oregon**  
*The Best Day of My Life: Ideas for Involvement!*
- Station 3**                      **Judge April Wright, Alaska**  
*Making Lilac Polish, My Journey to a New Variety*
- 7:45 – 8:30 PM**                      **Station 1**                      **Judge Willis Plank, Michigan**  
*Evaluating Champagne D'Argent Color*
- Station 2**                      **Judge Cheryl Blackman, Texas**  
*Growing and Showing Meat Pens and Fryers*
- Station 3**                      **Breeders Dera Oldofredi and Julie Spier, California**  
*High or Low, Where to Go?*  
*Thrianta Versus Havana Posing*
- 8:30 – 9:00 PM**                      *Ask the Judges What You've Always Wondered, An Open Forum*  
**Judges Wade Burkhalter, Kevin Stanford, and Others**

# National Spinning Competition

Sponsored by FiberWise Mill, Vacaville, CA on Saturday, April 24, 12 - 1 pm

Entry fee: \$12 for all four classes

Entries must be sent to Gabrielle Menn by Wednesday, April 21st. [gabrielle@fanfarefarms.com](mailto:gabrielle@fanfarefarms.com) or (707) 448-5869. No refunds for no-shows and ABSOLUTELY NO DAY-OF ENTRIES.

Grand Prize: \$50 Gift Certificate to FiberWise Mill.

Division Prize: fiber medley

Divisions: Manual (foot treadle) spinning wheel, drop spindle, electric spinner

All fiber for spinning will be provided. Contestants must bring their own spinner with empty bobbin. Prizes will be awarded to the winner of each division. One grand prize will be awarded. Judging is based on most yardage accrued in total. Contestants will be given a specific amount of fiber to spin in a given time. Although blindfolds will be provided, contestants are encouraged to bring their own.

Schedule:

12:00 Check-in and warm up.

12:05 - 12:15 Spinning for Length

12:16 - 12:26 Spinning Blindfolded

12:27 - 12:37 Spinning with Gloves On

12:38 - 12:48 Spinning with Hands Behind Your Back

12:49 - 1:00 Judging

## Raffle

Please consider bringing a nice rabbit-related item each day for the raffle table.

Your kind donations are appreciated and help support our youth!!!

## Official Show Rules

- This is a two-day carry cage show, **all cages must be waterproof**. Showroom opens an hour prior to the start of the show each day.
- This show will be governed by the latest and revised Official Show Rules of the American Rabbit Breeders Association Inc. Your entry indicates your acceptance of these rules.
- All rabbits must be permanently and legibly tattooed in the left ear prior to showing. An ARBA licensed registrar will be available for ear tattoos as well as ARBA Registrations.
- All rabbits are entered at the owner's risk. Every precaution will be taken to safeguard and minimize hazards, losses and mistakes. Show personnel, judges and the Monterey County Fairgrounds are in no way responsible for the death or injury to any animal.
- West Coast Classic reserves the right to substitute judges as needed.
- Exhibitors will be responsible for getting their rabbits to and from the judging table. **There will be no re-judging due to late or missing animals, per ARBA Show Rules!**
- All animals must be healthy and in proper-sized transport cages to ensure the rabbits well-being.
- **All fees owed must be paid before the start of the show, or the West Coast Classic reserves the right to revoke your entries. All email entries must be paid in full upon arrival to the show. Should you not attend, you will still be billed for your entry.**
- **Parents** – Children **MUST** be under the supervision of an adult at all times!
- Please - no dogs.
- For booth space, please contact Melissa Magee at [mmagee@cv-access.com](mailto:mmagee@cv-access.com) or (209) 832-5412.

# Official Sanctioned Sweepstakes

To sanction a breed contact Uno Kivi at [unokivi@yahoo.com](mailto:unokivi@yahoo.com)

Both = Open and Youth Sanctioned

Open = Open Sanctioned

Youth = Youth Sanctioned

American Fuzzy Lop Rabbit Club - **Open**  
 Club Website: <http://users.connections.net/fuzzylop/>  
 Muriel Keyes, 14255 SE Stephens, Portland, OR 97233  
 Phone: 503-254-2902 Email: [danceswithwools@comcast.net](mailto:danceswithwools@comcast.net)

Membership	ADULT	FAMILY	
1 YEAR-New	\$17.00	\$22.00	+ \$2.00 per child
1 YEAR-Renew	\$12.00	\$17.00	+ \$2.00 per child
3 YEAR-New	\$37.00	\$54.00	+ \$6.00 per child
3 YEAR-Renew	\$32.00	\$48.00	+ \$6.00 per child

Canada \$22.00 - All other Foreign \$35.  
 Sanction Fees: OPEN \$10.00 - YOUTH \$8.00.  
 Effective 7/1/2009 youth sanctions will be \$8.00. Send sanction requests and completed sweepstakes reports to Rob Grady, PO Box 267, Elbert, CO 80106-0267 Ph: 303-648-9976 email: [aflrcsweepschair@att.net](mailto:aflrcsweepschair@att.net)

American Satin Rabbit Breeders Association - **Both**  
 Club Website: <http://www.asrba.org/>  
 Rita Peralta, 2233 Snyder Ln, Stockton, CA 95215  
 Phone: 209-931-0983 Email: [peraltarita@comcast.net](mailto:peraltarita@comcast.net)

Membership	ADULT	YOUTH	H/W	FAMILY
1 YEAR-New	\$15.00	\$13.00	\$17.00	\$19.00
1 YEAR-Renew	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$12.00	\$14.00
3 YEAR-New	\$30.00	\$25.00	\$35.00	\$40.00
3 YEAR-Renew	\$25.00	\$20.00	\$30.00	\$35.00

Foreign add \$10.00 per year surcharge.  
 Sanction Fees: OPEN \$12.00 - YOUTH \$7.00 (Fees cover both Satins and Mini Satins).  
 Send sanction requests to Rita Peralta. Send completed sweepstakes reports to Paul Smith, 1591 Cornfield Way, Olivehurst, CA 95961.

Havana Rabbit Breeders Association - **Both**  
 Club Website: <http://havanarb.org/>  
 Suzanne Marie Hemsath, 7677 W Jefferson Rd, Magna, UT 84044  
 Phone: 801-250-9836 Email: [havanasecretary@yahoo.com](mailto:havanasecretary@yahoo.com)

Membership	ADULT	YOUTH	H/W	FAMILY*
1 YEAR	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$11.50	\$11.50
3 YEAR	\$20.00	\$14.50	\$29.50	

\*Family - Add \$3.50 per child at same address  
 Sanction Fees: OPEN \$7.00 - YOUTH \$5.00 OPEN/YOUTH combination \$10.00.  
 Send sanction requests and completed sweepstakes reports to Suzanne Hemsath.

Holland Lop Rabbit Specialty Club - **Open**  
 Club Website: <http://www.hlrc.com/>  
 Pandora M Allen, 2633 Seven Eleven Rd, Chesapeake, VA 23322  
 Phone: 757-421-9607 Email: [hlrcsec@aol.com](mailto:hlrcsec@aol.com)

Membership	ADULT	YOUTH	H/W	FAMILY
	\$15.00	\$12.00	\$19.00	\$22.00

Canada & Mexico service charge \$5.00 - All other Foreign service charge \$10.00  
 Sanction Fees: OPEN \$15.00 - YOUTH \$10.00.  
 Please send sanction requests and completed sweepstakes reports to Debra Sandoval at 31765 Road 400, coarsegold, CA 93614. Email: [debra.sandoval@gmail.com](mailto:debra.sandoval@gmail.com)

National Mini Rex Rabbit Club - **Open**  
 Club Website: <http://www.nmrrc.net/>  
 Jennifer Whaley, P.O. Box 712499, Santee, CA 92072  
 Phone: 619-933-6505 Email: [minirexsecretary@yahoo.com](mailto:minirexsecretary@yahoo.com)

Membership	ADULT	YOUTH	H/W	FAMILY*
1 YEAR	\$15.00	\$15.00	\$20.00	\$30.00
3 YEAR	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$50.00	\$75.00
FOREIGN-1 YR	\$30.00	\$30.00	\$40.00	\$60.00
FOREIGN-3 YR	\$80.00	\$80.00	\$100.00	\$150.00

\*Family - Up to 3 children.  
 Sanction Fees: OPEN \$10.00 - YOUTH \$10.00.  
 Send sanction requests to Jennifer Whaley. Send completed sweepstakes reports to Julia Vickery PO Box 173 Covington, OH 45318. Email: [nmrrcpoints@gmail.com](mailto:nmrrcpoints@gmail.com).

National Angora Rabbit Breeders Club, Inc. - **Open**  
 Club Website: <http://www.nationalangorarabbitbreeders.com/>  
 Margaret Bartold, 909 Highway E, Silex, MO 63377  
 Phone: 573-384-5866 Email: [tomar5866@windstream.net](mailto:tomar5866@windstream.net)

Membership	ADULT	YOUTH	RABBITRY*	FAMILY
1 YEAR	\$10.00	\$5.00	\$15.00	\$20.00
2 YEAR	\$18.00	\$10.00	\$25.00	\$30.00
3 YEAR	\$27.00	\$15.00	\$35.00	\$40.00

\*Rabbitry: 2 people at same address Canada add \$8.00, all other foreign add \$10.00.  
 Sanction Fees: OPEN and YOUTH \$12.00 - all 4 breeds (youth sanction is free when obtained with open sanction) - Open only \$12.00 all 4 breeds - Youth only \$5.00 all 4 breeds - Fair \$5.00 for each breed or \$12.00 for all 4 breeds.  
 Send sanction requests and completed sweepstakes reports to Margaret Bartold (address above).

American Thrianta RBA - **Both**  
 Club Website: <http://atrba.net/>  
 Carrol G Hooks, 8761 Aycocock Rd, Moody, TX 76557  
 Phone: 254-986-2331 Email: thrianta@mcecbw.net

Membership	ADULT	YOUTH	H/W	FAMILY	
	\$10.00	\$7.00	\$15.00	\$15.00	+ \$5.00 for each person at same address

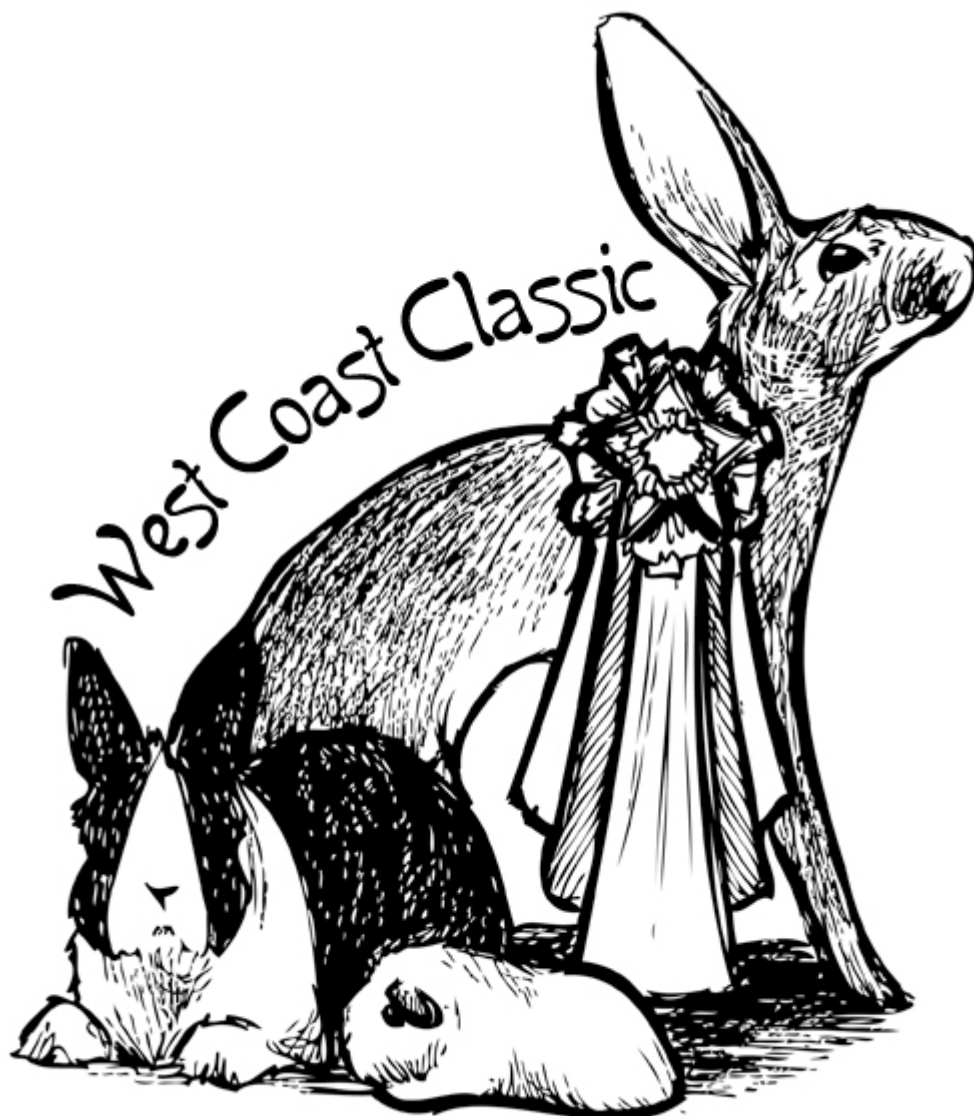
Non-US members add \$10.00 US Funds per year.  
 Sanction Fees: OPEN \$10.00, YOUTH \$7.00.  
 Send sanction requests and completed sweepstakes reports to Carrol Hooks.

Rhineland Rabbit Club of America\* - **Both**  
 Club Website: <http://www.rhinelanderrabbits.com/>  
 Wesley Planthaber, 11237 Summit School Rd, Huntingdon, PA 16652  
 Phone: 814-667-2406 Email: wplanthaber@verizon.net

Membership	ADULT	YOUTH	H/W
1 YEAR	\$10.00	\$6.00	\$15.00
3 YEAR	\$25.00	\$15.00	\$40.00

Sanction Fees: OPEN \$8.00 - YOUTH \$3.00 (youth free if requested with open).  
 Send sanction requests and completed sweepstakes reports to Wesley Planthaber.

If your breed is not sanctioned and you would like to sanction it for sweepstakes, please contact Uno Kivi at [unokivi@yahoo.com](mailto:unokivi@yahoo.com)



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Use a separate form for each exhibitor; make copies as needed.

Payment must be sent with mailed entry – make checks payable to WCC.

Youth \_\_\_\_\_ Open \_\_\_\_\_ Saturday \_\_\_\_\_ Show A \_\_\_\_\_ Sunday \_\_\_\_\_ Show B \_\_\_\_\_ Show C \_\_\_\_\_

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<b>Exhibitor</b>	Last Name		First Name		Quantity Entered	X	Entry Fee	=	
	Email Address				Entry Fee is 1 show @\$4.00, 2 shows @ \$7.50, 3 shows@ \$10.00				
	Address				Quantity Fur Class	X	Fur Entry Fee \$2.00 for Each Show	=	
	City		State	Zip Code	Banquet BBQ \$7.00 per person				
	Phone ( )			ARBA No.	Total Entry Fee				

Be sure to include \$7.00 for your Banquet BBQ ticket....

Send entries to:

Rita Peralta - 2233 Snyder Lane, Stockton, CA 95215 ~ [peraltarita@comcast.net](mailto:peraltarita@comcast.net) ~ (209) 931-0983