



Superintendents: Jon and Sarah Barba

Department - 4-H Cavies

Entries: *Online Only* - <http://adco.fairentry.com>

Entry Deadline: June 30, 2017

Entry Fee: \$2.00 Per Entry

Arrival: Tuesday, August 1, from 6:00 - 9:00 p.m. - Quadrangle Tent

Judging: Wednesday, August 2 @ 2p.m.

Open Mini's: See Open Mini Department for more information.

Departure: after the show on Wednesday

Premium Scale: Based on Number of Entries

RULES: (also see Livestock, Equine & Small Animal Rules)

Cavy Project members who intend to exhibit their animal(s) at the Adams County Fair must complete the following to remain eligible for fair entry and exhibition:

1. Enroll in the Cavy Project by the enrollment deadline.
2. Complete and file an Animal Care and Housing Form on 4HOnline by deadline.
3. ID all animals in 4HOnline by June 1 deadline (project cavy must be owned by ID deadline)
4. Attend Animal Record Book Interviews and present an up-to-date E-Record Book.
5. Enter fair classes online by deadline.
6. Complete and turn in the Companion Animal E-Record by the deadline & supplement pages.

Additional Fair-related rules are listed below as well as under each Division/Class:

1. Exhibitor must own cavy entries by June 1 of current 4-H Year.
2. The project year begins October 1, 2016 or the date of animal purchase, and ends on September 30, 2017.
3. Showmanship will start at 3 p.m. on Wednesday, August 2.
4. All cavies must have an ear tag that will be available at check in.
5. Exhibitor must supply their own cage/tub, water bottle, food bowl with food, and fresh vegetables/fruits.
6. Wood Shavings for bedding may be available unless exhibitor opts to bring own bedding.
7. No more than two cavies may be housed in the same cage/tub. The exception is in the 4-H Cavy Production Class.
8. All cavies must be brought to the judging table by the 4-H member or a designated representative. Cavies will be placed in the proper show cages according to ear tag on comment card. You may have a stand-in to exhibit your cavy only if you are involved in another 4-H function at the time of judging.

RECORD BOOKS
No Entry Fee

1. Members must complete and turn in (by deadline) a record book for each species in which they exhibit at Fair. If a record book is not completed for each species exhibited, the member will forfeit premiums and be ineligible to exhibit that species at the next year's Fair.
2. Cavy members complete Companion E-Record and any necessary supplements.

DIVISION: RECORD BOOKS

CLASS:

1. **Junior (8-10) Cavy Record Book**
2. **Intermediate (11-13) Cavy Record Book**
3. **Senior (14-18) Cavy Record Book**



SHOWMANSHIP

DIVISION: SHOWMANSHIP

CLASS:

- 1. Junior (ages 8-10)
- 2. Intermediate (ages 11-13)
- 3. Senior (ages 14-18)

AWARDS: Showmanship - Ribbons, Sportsmanship - Ribbons

CAVY BREED CLASSES

- 1. All animals must be entered on the Adams County Fair entry form under proper division and Class.
- 2. Due to growth of cavies, they will be placed in the following areas at the time of the show:
 - Junior** – cavy up to four months old and weighing between 12-22 ounces.
 - Intermediate** – cavy up to six months old and weighing between 23-32 ounces.
 - Senior** – cavy at least six months old and weighing 33 ounces or more.
- 3. The 2016-2020 American Rabbit Breeders Association Standard of Perfection will be used for judging all classes, and determining general faults and disqualifications.

DIVISION: AMERICAN
 DIVISION: ABYSSINIAN
 DIVISION: TEDDY SATIN
 DIVISION : PERUVIAN
 DIVISION : TEXEL

DIVISION: AMERICAN SATIN
 DIVISION: ABYSSINIAN SATIN
 DIVISION: SILKIE
 DIVISION: PERUVIAN SATIN

DIVISION: WHITE CRESTED
 DIVISION: TEDDY
 DIVISION: SILKIE SATIN
 DIVISION: CORONET

CLASS: SELF (Black, Cream, Red, White, Beige, Chocolate, Lilac, Red-Eyed Orange)

- 1. Senior Boar
- 2. Senior Sow
- 3. Intermediate Boar
- 4. Intermediate Sow
- 5. Junior Boar
- 6. Junior Sow

CLASS: SOLIDS (Roans, Brindles, Golden Solid, Silver Solid, and Dilute Solid)

- 7. Senior Boar
- 8. Senior Sow
- 9. Intermediate Boar
- 10. Intermediate Sow
- 11. Junior Boar
- 12. Junior Sow

CLASS: MARKED (Broken Color, Tortoise Shell and White, Tortoise Shell, Himalayan, Dalmatian, and Dutch)

- 13. Senior Boar
- 14. Senior Sow
- 15. Intermediate Boar
- 16. Intermediate Sow
- 17. Junior Boar
- 18. Junior Sow



CLASS: AGOUTI (Silver Agouti, Golden Agouti, and Dilute Agouti)

19. Senior Boar
20. Senior Sow
21. Intermediate Boar
22. Intermediate Sow
23. Junior Boar
24. Junior Sow

CLASS: TAN PATTERN

(Black, Blue, Chocolate, and Lilac Tan Pattern)

25. Senior Boar
26. Senior Sow
27. Intermediate Boar
28. Intermediate Sow
29. Junior Boar
30. Junior Sow

AWARDS: Best in Show - Award, Best of Breed - Award

CAVY BREEDING CLASSES

DIVISION: BREED CLASSES

Sow and litter must be between 14 and 45 days old.
With date of birth listed in Breeding Record Supplement.
Litter must have permanent ear tags.
Only sow should be listed on entry form.

CLASS:

1. Sow - this class is for the sow only.
2. Litter - this class is for both the sow and litter to be exhibited.

AWARDS: Champion Litter - Award, Reserve Champion Litter - Award

DRESS A CAVY

DIVISION: DRESS A CAVY

CLASS:

1. Mini (ages 5-7) *No Entry Fee
2. Junior (ages 8-10)
3. Intermediate (ages 11-13)
4. Senior (ages 14-18)



4-H CAVY PHOTOGRAPH DISPLAY

To Be turned in between 8:30 - 10am, July 31

RULES:

Bring your photograph(s) to the Al Lesser Building on Monday, August 31, 2017. Photographs can be either 3" x 5" or 5" x 7" color or black and white. Photographs must be placed in a standing picture frame for display at the fair. Limit one photograph per cavy entry. Name, age, and club name should be displayed on the back right bottom corner of each photograph.

It is encouraged that Cavy Photos display one of the following things:

- Animal Health/Nutrition
- Good Husbandry/Grooming
- Training/Showing
- Companion Animal Service/Citizenship
- Cavy Fun/Other

DIVISION: PHOTO DISPLAY

CLASS:

1. **Cloverbud (ages 5-7) *No Entry Fee**
2. **Junior (ages 8-10)**
3. **Intermediate (ages 11-13)**
4. **Senior (ages 14-18)**

4-H CAVY DISPLAY BOARD

To Be turned in between 8:30 - 10am, July 31

RULES:

- Enter and bring your poster on any subject pertaining to cavies on Monday, July 31st in the Al Lesser Building.
- **Standard presentation display board(4x3).**
- Name, age, and club needs to be on the front bottom right corner of poster.
- Display boards will be displayed in the Al Lesser Building.

DIVISION: POSTER DISPLAY

CLASS:

1. **Cloverbud (ages 5-7) *No Entry Fee**
2. **Junior (ages 8-10)**
3. **Intermediate (ages 11-13)**
4. **Senior (ages 14-18)**



4-H CAVY CREATIVE WRITING

To be turned-in to Extension Office by July 14, 2017 by 4pm

This project is designed to give you an opportunity to explore or refine your writing skills and to display your creativity.

DIVISION: 4-H CAVY CREATIVE WRITING

Class:

- 1. Junior (8 - 10)**
- 2. Intermediate (11 - 13)**
- 3. Senior (14 - 18)**

Categories:

1. Short Story – Exhibit is a fictional short story. Length depends on exhibitor level.
2. Children’s Story – Exhibit is a story written specifically for children and includes illustrations. Length depends on exhibitor level.
3. Comic Book – Exhibit is a comic book that includes illustrations. Length depends on exhibitor level.

Exhibit Requirements:

Each project **MUST INCLUDE** an illustrated cover that includes title of work. Name, age and club name should be displayed on the front right bottom corner.

Junior – One of the following: A short story of 1 – 2 pages in Times New Roman 12-point font, a children’s story of any length or a comic book of 8 or more panels.

Intermediate – One of the following: A short story of 3 – 4 pages in Times New Roman 12 –point font, a children’s story of any length or a comic book of 14 or more panels.

Senior: One of the following: A short story of 5 - 6 pages in Times New Roman 12 –point font, a children’s story of any length or a comic book of 20 or more panels.

Project Guidelines:

1. Entries can be on any subject pertaining to cavies.
2. Only one exhibit is required to complete the Creative Writing project. However, you may choose to have an entry in multiple project categories but may not have more than one exhibit in an individual category.
3. All exhibits should be typed or handwritten clearly.
4. All exhibits must be submitted in a binder, folder or report cover to keep it neat and clean during display during Fair.
5. All exhibits are due to the Extension Office July 14, 2017 by 4 p.m. Judging written works can be a lengthy process. The judge will provide you with comments and suggestions to help you learn and improve your writing skills.