# **DEPARTMENT #38 – JUNIOR CAVIES**

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Judge: Melissa Magee - Westley, CA

Entries Close: Arrival Time:	Sunday, June 30, 11:59 p.m. Thursday, August 1, 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.			
Entry Fee:	\$2.00 per entry, per class			
Limit:	Four entries per exhibitor			
Judging Time:	Friday, August 2, 11:00 a.m Cavy Show			
	Friday, August 2, 12:00 p.m Showmanship following Rabbit showmanship			
Exhibitors Meeting:	ТВА			
Departure Time:	Sunday, August 4, 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.			

## Rules

- All animals must be identified by permanent ear markings conforming with the entry form on arrival at the show. Any duplication of ear markings, by one exhibitor, in the same division must be eliminated and the change recorded on the judging sheet before judging. Animals presenting without an ear marking will be refused.
- 2. The date of birth *(month-year)* must be entered on the entry form for each animal entered in breed Divisions.
- 3. Junior exhibitors are expected to care/feed/water their own animals. Feeding and watering must be completed by 9:00 a.m. daily and as needed. No adults will be allowed to tend or handle the animals. Cages must be cleaned daily.
- 4. Animals must be owned by exhibitor and cannot leave the building.
- 5. An official cavy showmanship scorecard will be used in showmanship.
- 6. Carrying cages may be stored under cages as long as they are out of view. Animals must arrive in carrying cages.
- 7. Contestants who place first and second in their age group for showmanship will compete in one final class as a group (where applicable). The first and second place winners of this class will then participate in Round Robin. Only contestants winning first or second in this showmanship class are eligible for Round Robin. Winners must notify the building superintendent if they will be unable to compete in Round Robin.
- 8. All crocks must be cleaned by exhibitor upon departure.
- 9. Exhibitors will be expected to sign-up and complete a two-hour "barn duty" shift.
- 10. Animals will be shown and judged in the proper division and class for breed, variety, age and sex only. If no division is offered, no awards may be made.
- 11. STATE RULE: No exhibitor shall receive more than 2 cash awards in any one class.
- 12. Exhibitor is responsible for providing the tattoo and the correct breed, variety/ show classification, age classification and sex in accordance with the ARBA Standard of Perfection for each animal entered.
- 13. Cavy Showmanship exhibitors must wear long sleeve white shirt.

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#### Cash Awards offered per class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
\$10	\$9	\$8	\$7	\$7

#### Note

*Cavies will be divided into Divisions after close of entries.* Breeds must have at least 5 animals entered by at least 3 exhibitors to qualify for a separate division. All others will be shown under "Any Other Breeds" division. You must indicate breed on entry form

# Division 3801 – Cavies

Class

- 1. Senior Boar Over 32 ounces
- 2. Senior Sow Over 32 ounces
- 3. Intermediate Boar 22 ounces & up to & including 32 ounces, up to six months of age.
- 4. Intermediate Sow 22 ounces & up to & including 32 ounces, up to six months of age.
- 5. Junior Boar Min weight of 12 ounces & max weight of 22 ounces, up to 4 months old.
- 6. Junior Sow Min weight of 12 ounces & max weight of 22 ounces, up to 4 months old

## JUNIOR CAVY SHOWMANSHIP

All exhibitors must pre-enter showmanship by the close of entries.

## **Division 3802 – Cavy Showmanship**

FFA exhibitors in 7th & 8th grade will enter FFA Novice if this is their first year showing this species. Otherwise they will enter FFA Advanced.

- 1. 4-H exhibitors 14 years & over
- 2. 4-H exhibitors 11 thru 13 years
- 3. 4-H exhibitors 9 thru 10 years
- 4. 4-H Primary exhibitors 5 thru 8 years (Participation Ribbons Only)
- 5. FFA Novice
- 6. FFA Advanced