

Youth Activities

Pasrba convention offers a wide range of activities for youth from showing to education to recreation. If you have questions, e-mail youth@pasrba.org.

ARBA sanctioned rabbit and cavy show-

There are 2 all breed shows, one Saturday and one Sunday as well as many single breed specialty shows. The all breed shows have a separate youth show where youths 18 and under can exhibit. These shows are all day of show entry which means you should arrive about 7am and enter and pay for your animals that day.

Youth Contests-

There are 6 contests only open to youth which judge your knowledge and accomplishments in various aspects of rabbits and cavies: Achievement, Management, Royalty, Breed ID, Judging and educational exhibits. There is no cost. All of these contests require pre-entry. For descriptions, forms and online entry go to www.pasrba.org/youth. Assistance is available to contestants with disabilities and to young contestants. Please visit the website for a full description of requirements.

Achievement and management- These contests judge your project based on how much you have achieved and how well you manage your herd. It is a pre-entry contest based on your answers to a number of questions. Attendance at convention is not required. ARBA and PaSRBA principal membership is required.

Royalty- This contest selects representatives for PaSRBA for the year based on achievement as well as knowledge, judging and interview skills. ARBA and PaSRBA principal membership is required.

Breed ID- In this contest you will write down the breed, variety, showroom class, and 4 or 6 class. Entry is available on-line up to 1 week before convention. Open to any youth.

Judging- Judge 4 classes of 4 rabbits and see how you compare to our ARBA judges. Entry is available on-line up to 1 week before convention. Open to any youth.

Educational Exhibits- Bring in all those rabbit/cavy crafts, project books, stories and anything else. It just has to have a direct connection to rabbits or cavies. Open to any youth. Pre-entry appreciated but entries may be brought and entered between 8 – 10am Saturday.

PaSRBA Banquet and Youth Dance

This is a must do for all youth. Come join us for a great dinner, find out who the distinguished service and lifetime service award winners are and all youth contest winners. Then we'll crown our royalty court and dance the night away to PaSRBA's own DJ Dana Lape. Don't forget- Any PaSRBA member, youth or adult is welcome to nominate members for the distinguished service award.

2012 Youth Activity Schedule

(check www.pasrba.org after Jan 15 in case of changes)

Friday 8am-

Setup for the shows starts. Youth are welcome and encouraged to come help. Free lunch is provided to all workers. If you can't make it at 8am, come later since we have major work underway from 8am until 4pm

Friday 6-9 pm

Royalty contests

Breed ID and Judging- Youth who help at least 2 hours will get to go first

King and Queen presentations

Showmanship (all but King and Queen)

Saturday 8am

Royalty written exam

Saturday before 10 am

Educational- deliver to youth table between 8-10am. Please put name and age on the back of the entry or the inside cover of books. All entries should be related to rabbits and cavy in some way. Please pick up by noon on Sunday.

Saturday- Times to be assigned

Royalty interviews

Saturday- Please check the banquet page for time

PaSRBA banquet and dance

Sunday- Please check rabbit hopping section for time

Rabbit hopping competition in the far end of the youth hall.

Sunday- noon

Tear down starts throughout showroom. Rabbits must be removed from cages. Help is welcome and needed. All affiliated clubs are supposed to provide at least 2 workers for tear down. With lots of assistance, we can be done by 6PM.

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