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TEXAS RABBIT BREEDERS ASSOCIATION

NEWSLETTER



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TRBA OFFICER AND DIRECTOR REPORTS

President Teresa DeSautell

HELLO FROM WINDY WEST TEXAS!

FALL SHOWS ARE UP AND RUNNING! TRBA HOSTED THE CAJUNS AND COWBOYS SHOW IN LONGVIEW THIS YEAR OVER LABOR DAY WEEKEND AND IT WAS GREAT! WE HAD RECORD NUMBERS! GETTING USED TO THE NEW VENUE AND A NEW ENTRY PROGRAM MADE US HAVE SOME UPS AND DOWNS, BUT OVERALL I THINK WE HAD A GREAT SHOW! JUST TO INFORM THE MEMBERSHIP, AFTER THE SHOW THE CLRBA APPROACHED US AND ASKED IF TRBA WOULD BE WILLING TO CONTINUE HOSTING THE SHOW IN LONGVIEW FROM NOW ON WITH THEIR HELP. WE HELD A BOD MEETING TO DISCUSS THIS NEW DEVELOPMENT AND THE TRBA BOARD DECIDED THAT IT WAS IN EVERYONE'S BEST INTEREST FOR US TO CONTINUE TO HOST THIS WONDERFUL SHOW! PLANS ARE BEING MADE TO HOST ANOTHER CAJUNS AND COWBOY SHOW NEXT LABOR DAY WEEKEND (SEPTEMBER 5TH AND 6TH 2025). THANK YOU ALL FOR COMING AND SUPPORTING US THERE.

TRBA'S FALL SHOW IS JUST AROUND THE CORNER, IN KILLEEN THE WEEKEND OF DECEMBER 6TH AND 7TH. HOPE YOU MAKE PLANS TO ATTEND. THIS SHOW IS A KEY ELEMENT TO HELPING US PAY FOR THE TRBA STATE SHOW. WE DON'T CALL IT A BENEFIT SHOW BUT IT DOES HELP FUND ALL OF THE AWARDS, ETC. FOR THAT WEEKEND. AS MOST OF YOU KNOW, VENUES ARE CONTINUING TO GO UP. YOUR TRBA BOARD TRIES REALLY HARD TO KEEP THE BANQUET COSTS DOWN AS MUCH AS THEY CAN AS WELL AS PROVIDE THE MEMBERSHIP WITH NICE AWARDS FOR THEIR POINTS AS WELL AS AWESOME BIS AWARDS AND BOB AT THIS SHOW. FOR QUESTIONS OR CONCERNS PLEASE CONTACT A MEMBER OF THE BOARD.

ARBA CONVENTION IS FAST APPROACHING, AND I AM PROUD TO SAY THAT WE HAVE A RECORD NUMBER YOUTH ATTENDING TO REPRESENT THE BIG STATE OF TEXAS! A BIG THANK YOU TO JENNIFER SCHIMPF AND HER TEAM OF VOLUNTEERS FOR PREPARING THESE KIDS FOR THEIR CONTESTS. GOOD LUCK TO EVERYONE PLANNING TO ATTEND, IF YOU DON'T GO YOU WON'T KNOW!

SHOW TABLE ETIQUETTE: IT'S A THING! BEING POLITE TO OTHER EXHIBITORS IS VERY IMPORTANT. WATCH WHERE YOU ARE AND WHAT YOU ARE DOING WHILE PEOPLE ARE AROUND YOU. ALSO THE JUDGE CAN USUALLY HEAR YOUR COMMENTS FROM A DISTANCE AND WHAT YOU ARE SAYING IS HEARD. I OFTEN HEAR THAT EXHIBITORS TRY TO INFLUENCE THE JUDGE BUT FOR THE MOST PART I DON'T SEE THIS HAPPENING. JUST BE AWARE THAT WHAT WE DO AND SAY DOES MATTER AT THE TABLE. JUST GO OUT AND ENJOY WHAT YOU ARE DOING. IT'S JUST ONE SHOW OUT OF HOPEFULLY MANY. I TRY TO TAKE A BALANCE OF WHAT ALL THE JUDGES SAY ABOUT OUR ANIMALS AND BASE DECISIONS ON THAT INFORMATION.

FINALLY, TRBA'S ANNUAL STATE SHOW, ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING, AND AWARDS BANQUET HAS CHANGED DUE TO VENUE ISSUES. IT WILL NOW BE MARCH 21, 22, 23 OF 2025. WE SINCERELY HOPE TO SEE THE MEMBERSHIP PRESENT AT THIS AWESOME SHOW AND EVENTS. MARK YOUR CALENDARS NOW AND WE WILL SEE YOU THERE!

THAT'S IT FOR NOW AND AS USUAL I HOPE TO SEE YOU AT THE SHOW.

TERESA DESAUTELL
TRBA PRESIDENT



TRBA OFFICER AND DIRECTOR REPORTS

Vice President John Terry

Greetings from Central Texas. As most of us are getting ready to take our journey to Louisville Kentucky. Let us reflect that 4H and FFA projects are where we get a large number of our membership once they are hooked on showing rabbits.

With county shows in full swing. Make sure the animals you sell are without DQ and are a recognized variety.

Nothing is more disheartening than having to tell a family why their animal was eliminated due to a DQ.

We should be better than that. We all should be ambassadors for the hobby. We travel hours to purchase the bloodline we desire or show. Let us put some of that effort into growing our next generation of our club.

See you at the show and keep those nest boxes full.



TRBA OFFICER AND DIRECTOR REPORTS

Secretary Amber Tondre



No report at this time



TRBA OFFICER AND DIRECTOR REPORTS

Treasurer- Gay Sparks



No report at this time

TRBA OFFICER AND DIRECTOR REPORTS



Director- Beth Manglerger-Hughes

GREETINGS FELLOW RABBIT ENTHUSIASTS:

WE MADE IT THROUGH ANOTHER TEXAS SCORCHING SUMMER. CONVENTION IN KENTUCKY IS JUST AROUND THE CORNER. GO FOR IT, MAKE THE DRIVE AND HAVE A GOOD TIME. I THOUGHT I WOULD TAKE A MINUTE TO GIVE YOU SOME THINGS THAT ARE ON MY LIST TO PREPARE FOR CONVENTION. PLAN AHEAD. LOOK UP THE SIZE OF THE COOPS FOR YOUR BREED. YOU ARE ALLOWED TO USE WIRE RISERS. THIS KEEPS YOUR RABBIT OUT OF THE DIRTY SHAVINGS. YOU CAN BUY THEM THERE BUT THEY ARE PRETTY PRICEY. I HAVE A STASH THAT I HAVE MADE AT HOME THAT I TAKE IN A TOTE EACH TRIP. AT LEAST BE PREPARED ENOUGH TO HAVE A TRAVEL BROOM AND DUSTPAN FOR CLEANING YOUR CAGES DAILY IF YOU DON'T USE RISERS.

DO YOUR HOMEWORK. CHECK YOUR BUNNIES CLOSELY FOR DQ'S. YOU DON'T WANT TO DRAG A RABBIT ACROSS THE COUNTRY TO FIND OUT IT HAD A DQ AND YOU COULD HAVE SUBSTITUTED ANOTHER ONE THAT YOU LEFT AT HOME.

SOMETIMES BUNNIES GET UPSET TUMMIES OR GET OFF THEIR FEED SO I ALWAYS TAKE A GALLON BAG OF LIVE OAK LEAVES. SOMETHING ABOUT THE TANNIC ACID HELPS TO SOOTH THEIR STOMACHS.

THERE ARE A BAZILLION COOPS THERE SO IT IS SOMETIMES HARD TO LOCATE YOUR BUNNIES. I TAKE BUSINESS CARDS ATTACHED TO A CLOTHES PIN THAT I CAN PUT ON THE CAGES TO LOCATE THEM. NOTHING CAN BE AFFIXED TO THE CAGES THAT WILL SLOW DOWN THE BREAK DOWN PROCESS SO MAKE SURE YOU USE SOMETHING THAT YOU CAN EASILY REMOVE WHEN YOU TAKE YOUR RABBIT OUT FOR THE DRIVE HOME.

I TAKE MY OWN WATER. I KNOW, I KNOW THAT MAY BE A LITTLE OVER THE TOP BUT I WANT MY RABBITS TO HAVE ACCESS TO THE WATER THAT THEY ARE ACCUSTOMED TO.

PLAN AHEAD FOR TRAFFIC DELAYS. LAST YEAR CHERYL PALUMBO AND I SAT IN TRAFFIC FOR ALL TOGETHER ABOUT 3 HOURS. THOSE DELAYS CAN CAUSE YOU TO MISS A BARN CLOSING DEADLINE.

TAKE A LITTLE EXTRA CASH AND AN EXTRA CAGE FOR THAT ONE RABBIT YOU FIND THAT YOU JUST HAVE TO TAKE HOME WITH YOU. WHATEVER YOU DO, DON'T FORGET TO TAKE YOUR SMILE AND HAPPY ATTITUDE. HAPPY TRAVELS.



TRBA OFFICER AND DIRECTOR REPORTS

Director Amy Mersiousky



WOW! WHAT A SHOW! CAJUNS AND COWBOY'S DID NOT DISAPPOINT. IT WAS SO GOOD TO SEE OUR LOUISIANA FRIENDS AND MAKE NEW FRIENDS FROM AROUND THE REGION. WHILE THE FINANCIALS ARE STILL IN PROCESS, IT TAKES A WHILE WITH ALL OF THE MOVING PARTS, THE NUMBERS ALONE SHOULD ENSURE THAT THE SHOW WAS A SUCCESS. THE BOARD HAS WORKED HARD TO NAVIGATE THE WATERS TO REGAIN TRBA CONTROL OF THE BOARD AND HAD INTENDED TO ALTERNATE YEARS WITH OUR LRBA FRIENDS. OUR LRBA FRIENDS HAVE ASKED US TO COMPLETELY ADMINISTER THIS SHOW. THE BOARD HAS SAID YES. WE ARE ALREADY MAKING PLANS FOR THE 2025 SHOW IN LONGVIEW AND REVIEWING OUR NOTES ON HOW TO IMPROVE FOR NEXT YEAR.

ARBA CONVENTION IS UPON US. I KNOW EVERYONE IS WORRIED ABOUT OUR RABBIT AND CAVY'S CONDITION, BUT DON'T FORGET TO PACK YOUR TEAM TEXAS GEAR FOR THE SUNDAY AND MONDAY OF CONVENTION. WE WANT TO CHEER OUR YOUTH ON FOR THE YOUTH CONTESTS. THANKS SO MUCH TO KRECIA BALL AND HER GROUP FOR HELPING THE COMMITTEE TO MAKE THE SWAG FUNDRAISER BE A SUCCESS. IF YOU HAVEN'T PURCHASED YOUR SWAG, PLEASE LET THE YOUTH COMMITTEE KNOW, THEY DO HAVE STOCK AVAILABLE.

THE NEXT TRBA SPONSORED EVENT WILL BE FALL SHOW IN KILLEEN IN DECEMBER. WITH THE SHOW BEING DECEMBER 6&7, I SUGGEST EVERYONE MAKE HOTEL ARRANGEMENTS SOON. THAT WEEKEND TENDS TO BE A BUSY MILITARY WEEKEND IN KILLEEN. ALSO, PLEASE REMEMBER THAT THIS SHOW INCLUDES A BAKE SALE TO SUPPORT OUR YOUTH ACTIVITIES. BRING LOTS OF CHRISTMAS TREATS AND CASH TO SUPPORT OUR KIDS!

TRBA OFFICER AND DIRECTOR REPORTS



Director- Eric Breanna - "EB"
No report at this time



Director- Leanna Herzog

WISHING EVERYONE SAFE TRAVELS AS MANY TEXANS ARE HEADING TO THE NATIONAL CONVENTION IN KENTUCKY.

THERE HAVE BEEN MANY RABBIT AND CAVY ENTRIES. LET'S GO SHOW ALL OF THE OTHER STATES WHAT TEXANS ARE MADE OF! GO TEAM TEXAS!

ONE ASPECT THAT ALL OF US SHOULD BE VERY PROUD OF, IS OUR YOUTH! WE HAVE A TREMENDOUS AMOUNT OF KIDS IN BOTH THE RABBIT AND CAVY WORLD THAT ARE MAKING THE TREK TO KENTUCKY. MANY WILL BE COMPETING IN ALL OF THE YOUTH CONTESTS. WE HAVE A VERY STRONG SET OF YOUTH THAT WILL BE THE FUTURE OF OUR SHOWS HERE IN TEXAS. GOOD LUCK EVERYONE AND SEE Y'ALL THERE!!!



TRBA OFFICER AND DIRECTOR REPORTS

Director- Hugh Bolton

HERE WE ARE IN THE MIDDLE OF ANOTHER HOT TEXAS SUMMER AND THE KIDS ARE OUT OF I AM SUPER EXCITED TO SHARE SOMETHING THE TRBA BOARD HAS BEEN WORKING ON THIS YEAR. WITH A DESIRE TO GROW OUR YOUTH IN THE SPORT/HOBBY OF SHOWING RABBITS THERE IS A PROPOSAL TO DEVELOP A YOUTH BOARD. YOU MAY QUESTION WHY AND WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF SUCH A GROUP.

TO UNPACK THAT QUESTION LET'S START WITH HOW IT WOULD BENEFIT TRBA. AT LARGE THERE SEEMS TO BE A CONCERN THAT IN TODAY'S SOCIETY SO MANY OF THE YOUTH HAVE NO RESPONSIBILITIES. THIS SEEMS TO BE THE EXCEPTION IN FFA, 4-H AND A SELECT FEW OTHER YOUTH ORGANIZATIONS/CLUBS. MY GRANNY ALWAYS SAID, "IDLE HANDS ARE THE DEVIL'S WORKSHOP." BY PROVIDING THE YOUTH WITH SOMETHING CONSTRUCTIVE TO DO SHOULD HELP KEEP THEM OUT OF TROUBLE. THEY COULD HELP WITH SET UP, CHECK IN, RUN FOLDERS, DELIVER MESSAGES, WRITE BEHIND THE TABLE, HELP BEHIND THE SCENES, AND HELP WITH TAKE DOWN. THE FUTURE OF THE SPORT/HOBBY OF SHOWING RABBITS LIES WITH OUR YOUTH. BY DEVELOPING A WAY TO BRING THEM IN AND PROVIDING THEM WITH A PURPOSE THEY WILL UNDERSTAND THE INNER WORKINGS OF HOW TO RUN A CLUB AND A SHOW THEY WILL BE IN A BETTER PLACE TO BE TOMORROW'S LEADERS.

PERSONALLY, I FEEL THAT THOSE ASPECTS ARE JUST SURFACE LEVEL. I BELIEVE THE TRUE BENEFIT OF A YOUTH BOARD IS TO PROMOTE LIFE SKILLS. AS AN EDUCATOR OF YOUNG CHILDREN, I VALUE THE IMPORTANCE OF DEVELOPING LIFE SKILLS AND RECOGNIZE THAT A TEAM APPROACH IS NECESSARY.

AN ASPECT OF LIFE SKILLS INCLUDES SOCIAL SKILLS AND BEING A CONTRIBUTING MEMBER OF A GROUP PROVIDES THE OPPORTUNITY TO PROMOTES CONNECTIONS AND INTERACTIONS WITH PEOPLE RATHER THAN "DEVICES".

ANOTHER ASPECT OF LIFE SKILLS IS JUST LEARNING. BY HAVING A YOUTH BOARD FOR THE YOUTH TO SERVE ON IT WILL PROVIDE THEM A BEHIND THE CURTAIN LOOK AND AN UNDERSTANDING OF:

- WHAT DOES IT LOOK LIKE TO RUN A SHOW?
- WHAT DOES IT LOOK LIKE TO RUN A CLUB?
- HOW TO DEVELOP A BUDGET. (HOW TO SQUEEZE EVERY CENT FROM \$5.)
 - HOW TO KEEP RECORDS
- HOW TO FACE ADVERSITY AND CONTROVERSY WHILE MAINTAINING A SENSE OF DECORUM.



TRBA OFFICER AND DIRECTOR REPORTS

Director Hugh Bolton



SOMETHING WE ALL NEED IS A SENSE OF BELONGING. I WAS RECENTLY TALKING WITH A YOUNG EXHIBITOR AND IN THE CONVERSATION, SHE SAID, "I DON'T HAVE ANY FRIENDS." WHILE REFERRING TO THE RABBIT COMMUNITY. THAT HURT. A YOUTH BOARD WOULD CREATE A SENSE OF BELONGING AND WITH THAT A SENSE OF OWNERSHIP AND HOPEFULLY THE DESIRE TO BRING OTHERS INTO THE GROUP AND SHARE THAT SENSE OF BELONGING. PEER PRESSURE IS REAL. A YOUTH BOARD WOULD HAVE THE POTENTIAL TO BE A SAFE PLACE FOR OUR YOUTH. MANY OF THESE YOUTH BECOME FRIENDS AND HAVE A TIGHTER CONNECTION WITH OTHER YOUTH THEY COMPETE WITH THAN THEY DO WITH THEIR NEIGHBORS OR CLASSMATES. WITH THIS SENSE OF BELONGING AND OWNERSHIP WILL ALSO CREATE A VESTED INTEREST. THE YOUTH WOULD HAVE THE ABILITY TO LEARN THAT THERE IS LITTLE VALUE IN SITING IN THE CROWD AND POINTING OUT FAULTS AND FAILURES AND GREAT VALUE IN OFFERING TO HELP AND WORKING TOWARD THE SUCCESS OF SOMETHING GREATER THAN THEMSELVES.

A VALUABLE LIFE SKILL IS TO BE A LIFELONG LEARNER. YOUTH THAT SERVE ON THE YOUTH BOARD WOULD LEARN WHAT QUESTIONS TO ASK. THEY WOULD LEARN WHERE, WHAT AND WHO ARE RESOURCES. OBVIOUSLY SPECIFIC TO THIS ORGANIZATION WE WARE HOPING THE YOUTH WILL GROW THEIR KNOWLEDGE OF RABBITS AND THE SHOWING OF RABBITS. SPECIFICALLY, REGARDING THE RABBIT COMMUNITY, WE ALREADY HAVE A STRONG PRESENCE AT ARBA CONVENTION HAVING MORE YOUTH COMPETE THAN ANY OTHER STATE. THIS WOULD SUPPORT THEM IN DEVELOPING STUDY GROUPS.

SOMETHING I HOPE THE PARTICIPANTS OF THE PROPOSED YOUTH BOARD WOULD LEARN/DEMONSTRATE WOULD BE HIGH MORALS AND ETHICS. OWN YOUR MISTAKES AND LEARN FROM THEM. WHEN YOU ARE AT FAULT OR DID SOMETHING YOU SHOULD NOT HAVE, APOLOGIZE. TELL THE TRUTH. RESPECT IS SOMETHING TO BE EARNED NOT BOUGHT.

FINALLY, A LIFE SKILL THAT CAN BE DEVELOPED THROUGH THE PROPOSED YOUTH BOARD IS LEADERSHIP. THE IDEA WOULD BE TO HELP EQUIP THEM TO BE EFFECTIVE LEADERS NOT JUST IN THE RABBIT COMMUNITY BUT IN LIFE. THEY WOULD HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO LEARN HOW TO LEAD PEOPLE AND AN ORGANIZATION. HOW TO ENCOURAGE AND PROMOTE PEOPLE TO BE THEIR BEST. ANOTHER ASPECT OF A LEADER IS A MENTOR. THE YOUTH WHO PARTICIPATE IN THE PROPOSED YOUTH BOARD WOULD NEED TO TEACH, ENCOURAGE AND PROMOTE OTHERS.

I BELIEVE IN THE POSSIBILITIES THAT WOULD BE OPENED TO PARTICIPANTS OF A YOUTH BOARD.

CHECK IT OUT



Save The TRBA Dates:

12/6-7/2024-Fall Show in Killeen

12/31/2024 Breeder of the Year Nominations Due

2/1/2025-Youth Scholarship Apps Due

3/21-23/2025-State Show in BELton

8/29-30/2025-Cajuns & Cowboys in Longview

for more info go to TRBA.net



TRBA FINANCIALS

		Jan - Mar 24
Income		
	Show Fees	\$575.40
	Membership	\$2,398.26
State Show Income		
	Arts & Crafts	-\$185.76
	Banquet	\$4,860.43
	Entry Fee	\$34,880.45
	Ways & Means	-\$26.67
	Total Income	\$42,502.11
Expense		
	License & permits	\$64.92
	Outside Contract Service	\$198.60
	Equip Rental and Mainten	\$947.29
	Office Supplies	\$568.08
	Postage, Mailing Secretar	\$379.72
	Show Change	\$4,000.00
State Show Expenses		
	Banquet Cost	\$71.66
	Building Rent	\$4,500.00
	Insurance	\$144.92
	Judge Fees	\$5,198.00
	Judge Travel & Lodging	\$10,991.75
	Judges Meals	\$17.02
	Meeting	\$231.86
	Sanction Fee	\$1,944.00
	Show Awards	\$4,575.55
	Supplies	\$1,427.86
	Pointskeeper Fee	\$460.11
	Sweepstakes Awards	\$3,172.43
	News Editor Fee	\$450.00
	Royalty State Show	\$1,000.00
	Total Expenses	\$40,343.77
	Net Profit	\$2,158.34

TRBA Youth Article

October 2024



THIS IS GOING TO BE A VERY BRIEF UPDATE. TEXAS AND THE REST OF THE COUNTRY IS PREPARING FOR THE ARBA NATIONAL CONVENTION. TEXAS WILL HAVE 46 KIDS ACROSS UP 16 TEAMS FOR THE ARBA YOUTH CONTESTS. WE WISH EVERYONE SAFE TRAVELS AND THE BEST OF LUCK. RESULTS WILL BE INCLUDED IN THE NEXT ISSUE.

NEXT UP ON THE AGENDA IS THE DECEMBER TRBA SHOW. THE COMMITTEE IS PLANNING ON HOSTING A HOLIDAY BAKE SALE ONCE AGAIN AND ARE CONSIDERING WHICH CONTESTS TO HOST. THESE OPPORTUNITIES ARE A FUNDRAISER FOR THE COMMITTEE TO BE ABLE TO PROVIDE AMAZING YOUTH CONTEST AND ROYALTY AWARDS AT NEXT YEAR'S TRBA STATE SHOW. PLEASE MAKE SURE TO UPDATE YOUR CALENDARS WITH THE NEW DATE FOR THE ANNUAL TEXAS RBA STATE CONVENTION SHOW. DUE TO VENUE CONFLICTS, THE STATE SHOW IS NOW SCHEDULED FOR MARCH 22, 2025. IT WILL NO LONGER BE HELD THE WEEKEND BEFORE EASTER. THE AGREEMENT WITH THE VENUE IS TO HOST THE 3RD WEEKEND IN MARCH FOR THE FORESEEABLE FUTURE. THIS IS THE SHOW THAT DETERMINES STATE TEAMS.

RESPECTFULLY,
JENNIFER SCHIMPF, TRBA YOUTH COMMITTEE CHAIR

The background of the poster is decorated with stylized gingerbread cookies. In the top left, there's a cookie with green icing and a green arrow. In the top right, there's a round cookie with orange icing, white dots, and a yellow squiggle. In the bottom left, there's a large snowman-shaped cookie with orange icing, a red scarf, and green dots. In the bottom right, there's a triangular cookie with green icing, a red dot, and a white squiggle.

It's almost that time again!

Holiday Youth Bake Sale

In conjunction with
the TRBA Fall Show

December 6-7, 2024
Killeen, Texas

Hosted by the TRBA
Youth Committee

Texas Rabbit Breeders Association



Membership Application

Mail to:

Amber Tondre, TRBA Secretary

P.O. Box 904,

LaCoste, TX 78039

Phone: 210-215-0855 Email: texasrba@yahoo.com

Mark appropriate Membership Below:

Is this a ____ New or ____ Renewal

_____ Adult - \$13.00 per year

_____ Youth - \$13.00 per year. Youth (under 19) must include "Date of Birth" _____

_____ Husband/Wife-\$25.00 year

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_____ Combo-2 People Same Address-\$25/yr, add \$3/yr for each additional youth at the same address.

I hereby make application for membership in the Texas RBA and agree to abide by its Constitution and By-Laws.

I have enclosed membership fee as checked above.

List names of all applicants; if applying for youth membership, be sure to include date of birth.

Name: _____

Spouse: _____

Additional Name: _____

Youth Date of Birth: _____

Additional Name: _____

Youth Date of Birth: _____

Additional Name: _____

Youth Date of Birth: _____

Additional Name: _____

Youth Date of Birth: _____

(List all names applying for membership, and actual birth date if under 19 years of age.)

Address: _____

City: _____ St _____ Zip _____

NEW MEMBERS Please provide proof of legal Texas residency on a separate page. Thank you.

Home Phone # (include area code) _____ Cell # _____

Email: _____

(Email addresses are very important to us and will never be given/sold to others!)

\$10.00 one-time fee for Rabbitry or Caviary Registration Name: _____

Per ARBA Rules, all out-of-state applicants **MUST** be a member of a TRBA local club. If out of state, name of TX Club _____

Recommended by: _____ Only current TRBA Members may participate in membership contest.

Thank You for joining the Texas Rabbit Breeders Assn., Inc.

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TRBA SWEEPSTAKES

Effective 1/1/2024



Official TRBA Sweepstakes Rules

Eligibility

To qualify for the TRBA Sweepstakes Contests, exhibitor must be an individual member of the TRBA and live in the State of Texas or adjoining states of New Mexico, Oklahoma, Arkansas, and Louisiana.

A member will receive a 30-day grace period to renew TRBA membership without sweepstakes penalty. If TRBA membership is not renewed within 30 days, any points previously earned will be forfeited. Points will start over on the new date of membership.

Contest Calculations

The contest will include all TRBA Sanctioned Shows held from January 1st to December 31st each year. Only shows held in Texas and sanctioned with TRBA will be counted. Points to be figured on basis of Show Secretary's Report as submitted to the TRBA Sweepstakes Chairperson.

Exhibitors will receive points for the categories that are entered. Youth exhibitors will not be able to transfer their Open shows points to the youth totals. The points will be added based on the category (Open or Youth) entered in that show. Points to be tabulated regularly and the top five (5) of each breed to be published in the TRBA Newsletter.

Points to be counted only as follows based on class placements. There are no points awarded for specials earned (BIS, BOB, BOG, BOV, etc). Points stay within the breed contest. No overall standings contest.

- 1st place receives 6 times the number in class.
- 2nd place receives 4 times the number in class.
- 3rd place receives 3 times the number in class.
- 4th place receives 2 times the number in class.
- 5th place receives 1 time the number in class.

Awards

Sweepstakes Awards are to be bought by the TRBA by utilizing the 25% show tax funds collected from the hosting clubs. The following minimum requirements must be met to be eligible for a breed sweepstakes award. The Sweepstakes awards will be presented at the Annual State Show Banquet.

Rabbits

400+ points	5 TRBA Sanctioned Shows	1 st place & 2 nd place breed award
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Cavies

250+ points	3 TRBA Sanctioned Shows	1 st place & 2 nd place breed award
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SWEEPSTAKES FEE CHANGE PROPOSAL

Currently \$0.20/entry is collected in sweepstakes fees. After determining what the breakdown resulted in for 2023, it indicated that we are not allocating enough to sufficiently cover the costs of the awards presented each year. Recommend adjusting the breakdown of the sweepstakes fees to the following to assist in being able to better cover the awards cost, which is an important benefit to the membership.

SWEEPSTAKES AWARDS

Current: 25% (0.05/ENTRY)

Proposed Change: 40% (0.08/ENTRY)

GENERAL FUND

Current: 60% (0.12/ENTRY)

Proposed Change: 45% (0.09/ENTRY)

SWEEPSTAKES CHAIR PROCESSING

15% (0.03/ENTRY) - No change

**THIS IS A BY-LAWS CHANGE
VOTE AT NEXT MEMBERSHIP MEETING
TENATIVELY SCHEDULED FOR DECEMBER**

Full Report was provided at the 2024 TRBA State Show Meeting.
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8/30-31 Texas RBA
9/6-7 Mid-Tex RBA

SPECIALTY SHOWS INCLUDED

1/13 TX NZ	1/13 Woolly Lovers
1/26 TX Dutch	1/26 TX Lop
1/26 TX Mini Rex	1/26 TX Satin
2/23 SWRRBA Rare Breed	2/23 SWRRBA HL
2/24 TX Mini Lop	2/24 TX Rex
2/24 TX Satin	2/24 Woolly Lovers
4/6 Texas Flemish	4/20 Texas NZ
4/20 Texas Rex	4/21 Texas Rex
5/4 LERBA MR	5/4 LERBA Rare Breed
5/4 Texas Rex	6/1 Texas Dutch
6/1 Texas Lop	6/1 Texas Mini Lop
6/1 Texas Satin	6/1 Texas Polish
6/7 Southwest Champagne	6/7 SWRRBA Himi
6/7 SWRRBA Palomino	6/7 SWRRBA Rare
6/7 Texas Tan	6/8 SWRRBA Cal
6/8 SWRRBA HL	6/8 Texas Dutch
6/8 Texas Mini Lop	6/8 Texas NZ
6/8 Texas Rex	6/8 Texas Satin
6/8 Woolly Lovers	
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AMERICAN

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Spikes, Jacey	TX	24	4
2	Crawford, Stephen, Teresa, Jordan	TX	15	1
3	De Sautell/Crowson, Teresa/Terra	TX	10	1
4	De Sautell, Teresa & Terra	TX	5	1

AMERICAN FUZZY LOP

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	McClain, Hanna	TX	119	6
2	Powers, Donnie & Rilla	TX	39	1
	Nail, Billie	TX	36	6

AMERICAN SABLE

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Tinervin-Gregg, Kelli	TX	135	5
2				
3				

BELGIAN HARE

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Feliciano, Bella	TX	398	17
2	Ledesma, Bailey	TX	36	3
3	Moore, Landon	TX	12	2

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BLANC DE HOTOT

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Skelton, Jessica	TX	6	1
2				
3				
4				
5				

BRITANNIA PETITE

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Hill, Debbie	TX	302	3
2	Houser, Martina	TX	257	5
3	Winston, Lori Ann	TX	202	4
4	Terry, John & Mary Jo	TX	81	5
5	Terry, Landon	TX	72	3

CHAMPAGNE D'ARGENT

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Rascher, Lauren	TX	1283	9
2	Stone, Maggie	TX	906	13
3	Wells, JoAnn	TX	288	8
4	Stone, Britt	TX	133	11
5	Lisle, Katie, Kendall, Phillip	TX	48	5

CINNAMON

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Little, Tabytha	TX	1757	14
2	Moore, John	TX	279	8
3				
4				
5				

CZECH FROSTY

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Romero, Brittany	TX	88	6
2	Coats, Kaylee	TX	26	1
3				
4				
5				

DWARF HOTOT

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Duncan, Samantha	TX	32	1
2				
3				
4				
5				

ENGLISH LOP

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Snell, Terri	TX	2286	24
2	Nail, Billie and Roni	TX	1044	17
3	Elgan, Addie	TX	732	6
4	Crawford, Mary	TX	296	2
5	Milton, Jackie	TX	133	8

BLUE HOLICER

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Ray, Evelyn	TX	723	7
2	Sawyer, Gene	TX	514	6
3	Burnside/Gordillo, Leilah/Kaden	TX	40	1
4	Duncan, Bailey	TX	18	1
5	Merisovsky/Austin, Amy/Chase	TX	18	3

CALIFORNIAN

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Thies, Joan/John/ Steven	TX	1458	13
2	Platt, Jason	TX	559	4
3	Justice, Bree	TX	396	2
4	Whitely/Ruland, Paul/Shelley	TX	230	3
5	Weddle, Jeanette	TX	221	2

CHECKERED GIANT

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Brennan, Eric	TX	1417	10
2	Stone, Britt	TX	639	15
3	Stone, Maggie	TX	614	15
4	Moxley, Kourtlyn	TX	66	8
5	Sawyer, Gene	TX	60	6

CRÈME D'ARGENT

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Lisle, Katie, Kendall, Phillip	TX	18	1
2	LaRue, Lelan	TX	12	1
3				
4				
5				

DUTCH

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	De Sautell/Crowson, Teresa/Terra	TX	1995	9
2	De Sautell, Teresa & Terra	TX	1346	5
3	Hollensbe, Randy	TX	1058	12
4	Salinero, Brandi	TX	586	7
5	Sutton, Maye & Mike	TX	234	12

DWARF PAPILLON

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Hill/Winston, Debbie/Lori Ann	TX	96	3
2	Powers, Donnie & Rilla	TX	6	1
3				
4				
5				

ENGLISH SPOT

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Bobbitt, Kylee	TX	80	1
2	Milton, Jackie	TX	48	8
3	Bolton, Cole	TX	15	1
4	Moxley, Kourtlyn	TX	12	2
5	Bolton, Kathleen	TX	6	1

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FLEMISH GIANT

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Sawyer, Gene	TX	589	14
2	Wheeler, Jamie	TX	436	6
3	Langley, Jack & Hazel	TX	401	3
4	Kortz, Kevin	TX	292	3
5	Langley, Jack	TX	196	1

FLORIDA WHITE

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Beason/Ewing, Lizz/Chad	TX	381	6
2	Lamey/Larson, Todd/Heather	TX	177	3
3	McBee, Bob & Mallary	TX	52	3
4	Ewing, Alex	TX	30	3
5	Beason, Mallory	TX	24	3

FRENCH ANGORA

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Clark, Laura	TX	557	17
2	Lamey/Larson, Todd/Heather	TX	268	12
3	Salinas, Kristi	TX	12	2
4				
5				

FRENCH LOP

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Lorenz, Janet	TX	1960	21
2	Wilson, Christy	TX	539	8
3	Kabela, David	TX	63	3
4	Amsen, Eric	TX	28	3
5	Sutton, Emma	TX	25	2

GIANT CHINCHILLA

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Bobbitt, Kylee	TX	12	2
2				
3				
4				
5				

HARLEQUIN

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Perez, Javier	TX	114	6
2	Luedecke, Tim & Jennifer	TX	18	3
3				
4				
5				

HAVANA

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Schimpf, Jennifer	TX	1123	15
2	Hemsath, Suzanne & Decara	TX	380	10
3	Mersiovsky, Donald	TX	104	6
4	Ball, Mayce	TX	52	1
5	Mersiovsky, Amy	TX	28	3

HIMALAYAN

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Klemme, Keagan	TX	327	3
2	Klemme, Margaret	TX	197	3
3	Klaus, Kelsie	TX	63	3
4	Hampe, Shelby	TX	28	2
5	Savage, Katie	TX	18	1

HOLLAND LOP

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Suggs, Linda	TX	3818	20
2	McClain, Hanna	TX	3210	22
3	Wheat, Tammy/Kirsten	TX	2713	14
4	Nash, Austin	TX	1522	16
5	Carter/Chandler, Julie/Tonya	TX	647	6

JERSEY WOOLY

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Moerbe, Kathy	TX	1715	21
2	Ledesma, Ava-Lynn	TX	1456	16
3	Milton, Jackie	TX	1214	19
4	Boling, Carlie	TX	628	11
5	Archuleta, Stacie	TX	256	8

LILAC

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	James, Breanna	TX	514	6
2	James, Matthew	TX	506	6
3	McBee, Bob & Mallary	TX	54	5
4				
5				

LIONHEAD

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Covington, Hope	TX	193	3
2				
3				
4				
5				

MINI LOP

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Chardt, April	TX	3687	17
2	Klaus, Kelsie	TX	3303	22
3	Romero, Brittany	TX	2738	22
4	Little, Tabytha	TX	827	15
5	Milton, Jackie	TX	638	13

MINI REX

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Fields, Taylor	TX	2767	14
2	Crawford, Stephen, Teresa, Jordan	TX	2574	10
3	Ballinger, Allison & Henley	TX	1207	6
4	Wheat, Tammy/Kirsten	TX	713	14
5	Rentschler, Jon	TX	437	5

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MINI SATIN

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	De Sautell, Teresa & Terra	TX	2925	15
2	Sutton, Maye & Mike	TX	1678	13
3	Fields, Taylor	TX	1344	14
4	Savage, Emily	TX	1181	12
5	Howery, Bruce	TX	330	3

NEW ZEALAND

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Palumbo, Cheryl & William	TX	2765	22
2	Mangilberger-Hughes, Beth	TX	2523	15
3	Morgan, Loyd & Karen	TX	1743	9
4	Mersiovsky, Donald	TX	1483	17
5	Moerbe, Kathy	TX	620	7

POLISH

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Snell, Terri	TX	1653	21
2	Thies, Joan/John/ Steven	TX	746	13
3	Tinervin-Gregg, Kelli	TX	657	9
4	Sroka, Kristi	TX	516	6
5	McGrath, Angela	TX	468	4

RHINELANDER

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Barton, Breken	TX	12	1
2	Barton, Cree	TX	8	1
3	Barton, Jace	TX	6	1
4				
5				

SATIN ANGORA

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Salinas, Kristi	TX	537	9
2	Lamey/Larson, Todd/Heather	TX	428	15
3	Archuleta, Stacie	TX	135	7
4	Archuleta, Brooke	TX	132	9
5	Clark, Laura	TX	68	3

SILVER FOX

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Jesko, Nehemiah	TX	404	6
2	Harris, Kayla	TX	250	7
3	McBee, Bob & Mallary	TX	191	5
4	Jesko, Remington	TX	124	6
5	James, Kimberly	TX	48	3

TAN

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Klaus, Kelsie	TX	1762	18
2	Hampe, Erin	TX	1010	17
3	Brennan, Eric	TX	641	6
4	Feliciano, Suzy	TX	533	17
5	Lamey/Larson, Todd/Heather	TX	304	6

NETHERLAND DWARF

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Williams, Floyd	TX	434	8
2	Foster, Kylie	TX	297	6
3	Warrick, Whitney	TX	124	6
4	Krall, Gail	TX	90	6
5	Arthur, Angela	TX	86	3

PALOMINO

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Clark, Laura	TX	647	15
2	Wright, Wayne & Carolyn	TX	590	3
3	Hines, Amberlie	TX	140	2
4	Wright, Carolyn	TX	136	3
5	Wright, Wayne	TX	120	3

REX

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Mersiovsky/Austin, Amy/Chase	TX	2670	23
2	Sharp, Bill	TX	297	5
3	Milton, Jackie	TX	151	10
4	Wamsley, Rose	TX	102	3
5	Chisholm, Amanda	TX	80	2

SATIN

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Thomas, Jimmy	TX	982	14
2	Carver, Gordon & Happy	TX	937	7
3	Hemsath, Suzanne & Decara	TX	483	14
4	Terry, John & Mary Jo	TX	430	9
5	Arthur, Angela	TX	390	7

SILVER

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Jones, Marc	TX	1189	21
2	Sharp, Amanda	TX	896	21
3	Moore, Landon	TX	364	8
4	Jones, Russell	TX	284	21
5	Jordan, Presley	TX	38	1

SILVER MARTEN

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Tinervin-Gregg, Kelli	TX	199	6
2	Hill, Katharina	TX	52	2
3	Waddell, Taylor	TX	44	1
4	Moore, Landon	TX	32	2
5				

THRIANTA

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Hampe, Erin	TX	365	14
2	Spikes, Jacey	TX	236	5
3	Moore, Landon	TX	54	5
4	Beason/Ewing, Lizz/Chad	TX	36	3
5	Ray, Evelyn	TX	28	3

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2/1 TX Mini Rex	2/1 TX Satin
2/1 TX Satin	2/23 SWRRBA Holland Lop
2/23 SWRRBA Himalayan	2/24 TX Mini Lop
2/24 TX Rex	2/24 TX Satin
2/24 Wooly Lovers	4/20 Texas NZ
4/20 Texas Rex	4/21 Texas Rex
5/4 LERBA Mini Lop	5/4 LERBA Mini Rex
5/4 Texas Rex	6/1 Texas Dutch
6/1 Texas Lop	6/1 Texas Mini Lop
6/1 Texas Satin	6/7 Lonestar Polish
6/7 Southwest Champagne	6/7 SWRRBA Himi
6/7 SWRRBA Palomino	6/7 Texas Tan
6/8 SWRRBA Cal	6/8 SWRRBA HL
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1	Strickland, Samantha	TX	17	1
2	Wenzel, Addison	TX	12	1
3				
4				
5				

AMERICAN FUZZY LOP

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Speed, Avery	TX	412	12
2	Santiago, Savannah	TX	372	5
3	Gamble, Caslyn	TX	207	6
4	Gamble, Collins	TX	151	7
5	Washington, Courtney	TX	116	8

ARGENTE BRUN

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Jordan, Presley	TX	200	8
2	LaRue, Logan	TX	137	8
3	LaRue, Lelan	TX	32	2

BELGIAN HARE

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Moore, Landon	TX	6	1
2				
3				

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BEVEREN

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Benton, Tessa	TX	90	2
2				
3				

BLUE HOLICER

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Jackson, Kyla	TX	278	11
2	Gordillo, Kaden	TX	116	6
3	Burnside/Gordillo, Leilah & Kaden	TX	114	4
4	Ledesma, Ava-Lynn	TX	36	3
5	Burnside, Leilah	TX	21	2

CALIFORNIAN

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Juilfs, Chance	TX	941	17
2	Gamble, Caslyn	TX	570	6
3	Head, Peyton	TX	562	8
4	Bridges, Jaycee	TX	542	3
5	Currie, Lacey	TX	540	13

CINNAMON

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Boling, Carlie	TX	30	1
2	Head, Peyton	TX	20	1
3	Ballinger, Henley	TX	10	1
4	Gamble, Caslyn	TX	5	1

CZECH FROSTY

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Hartfield, Cheyenne	TX	82	4
2	Skelton, Jessica	TX	14	2
3	Hartfield, Parker	TX	6	1
4				
5				

DWARF HOTOT

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Newsom, Nehemiah	TX	619	13
2	Newsom, Zechariah	TX	567	13
3	Skelton, Jessica	TX	472	13
4	Duncan, Samantha	TX	436	9
5	Williams, Kaylee	TX	50	3

ENGLISH LOP

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Mersiovsky, Kobain	TX	702	16
2	Haag, Noah	TX	70	4
3	Haag, Nicolas	TX	24	2
4	Perrine, Aaron	TX	12	2
5	Strickland, Samantha	TX	9	1

FLEMISH GIANT

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Jackson, Kyla	TX	505	18
2	Kilsby, Audrey	TX	493	8
3	Stuckey, Katelyn	TX	80	2
4	Geter, Aspen	TX	12	3
5	McCain, Hannah	TX	12	2

BLANC DE HOTOT

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Skelton, Jessica	TX	66	9
2				
3				

BRITANNIA PETITE

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Williams, Emily	TX	277	4
2	Skelton, Jessica	TX	110	7
3	Terry, Landon	TX	80	4
4	Waddell, Taylor	TX	54	6
5	Stevens, Casey Jo	TX	36	6

CHAMPAGNE D'ARGENT

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Perrine, Aaron	TX	710	8
2	McMurrey, Mason	TX	382	3
3	LaRue, Logan	TX	302	9
4	Barton, Breken	TX	300	7
5	LaRue, Lelan	TX	282	6

CRÈME D'ARGENT

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	LaRue, Lelan	TX	128	8
2	LaRue, Logan	TX	52	2
3				
4				

DUTCH

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Strain, Kadence	TX	3144	15
2	Fields, Charley	TX	2205	15
3	Hill, Katharina	TX	1831	15
4	Kellermeier, Avery	TX	1468	9
5	Thomas, Alysén	TX	569	12

DWARF PAPILLON

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Dubose, Koltyn	TX	134	12
2				
3				
4				
5				

ENGLISH SPOT

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Woerndel, Johnathan	TX	1240	17
2	Bobbitt, Kylee	TX	935	17
3	Bolton, Cole	TX	129	7
4	Bolton, Kathleen	TX	6	1
5				

FLORIDA WHITE

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Boling, Carlie	TX	39	4
2	Terry, Rebecca	TX	24	3
3	Strickland, Samantha	TX	6	1
4				
5				

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FRENCH LOP

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Jordan, Presley	TX	1172	16
2	Johnson, Chelsea	TX	581	14
3	Sutton, Emma	TX	26	2
4	Sparks, Payten	TX	25	1
5	Terry, Kaci	TX	18	2

HARLEQUIN

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Klemme, Nathan	TX	126	10
2	Luedecke, Dean	TX	110	3
3	Boone, Cheyenne	TX	103	1
4	Gardner, Jillian	TX	42	8
5	Luedecke, Lukas	TX	34	3

HIMALAYAN

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Floyd, Kali	TX	2380	17
2	Klemme, Margaret	TX	824	8
3	Floyd, Karley	TX	716	15
4	Blank, Helena	TX	588	5
5	Jones, Daniel	TX	587	20

JERSEY WOOLY

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Anderson, John Harris	TX	3250	17
2	Woerndel, Cheyenne	TX	1366	19
3	Boling, Carlie	TX	1072	11
4	Floyd, Keely	TX	821	17
5	Ray, Evelyn	TX	796	15

LIONHEAD

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Woerndel, Cheyenne	TX	1367	17
2	Stuckey, Katelyn	TX	356	2
3	Terry, Rebecca	TX	99	5
4	Woerndel, Johnathan	TX	54	2
5	Barton, Bryleigh	TX	12	2

MINI REX

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Duncan, Bailey	TX	4254	14
2	Boling, Carlie	TX	3994	22
3	Waddell, Taylor	TX	3025	22
4	Beason/Ewing, Mallory/Alex	TX	1933	11
5	Mersiovsky, Lennon	TX	1300	14

NETHERLAND DWARF

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Head, Peyton	TX	3579	18
2	Foster, Madison	TX	1043	8
3	Baese, Cyann	TX	534	5
4	Williams, Autumn Marie	TX	442	3
5	Collier, Alhana	TX	405	7

GIANT CHINCHILLA

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Bobbitt, Kylee	TX	70	13
	Johnson, Alyssa	TX	60	6

HAVANA

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Cupit, Bailee	TX	626	4
2	Barton, Cree	TX	585	6
3	Ball, Mayce	TX	339	4
4	Arnold, Madison	TX	275	3
5	Barton, Breken	TX	182	6

HOLLAND LOP

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Boling, Carlie	TX	7604	23
2	Washington, Courtney	TX	3688	14
3	Gamble, Caslyn	TX	1160	9
4	Duncan, Bailey	TX	1085	9
5	Stevens, Mia	TX	958	11

LILAC

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Haag, Noah	TX	74	4
2	Haag, Nicolas	TX	24	2
3				
4				
5				

MINI LOP

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Hubbard, Claire	TX	10098	27
2	Jones, Russell	TX	3930	28
3	Bozeman, Hanna	TX	2166	14
4	Lane, Hannah	TX	1321	17
5	Woerndel, Johnathan	TX	1040	9

MINI SATIN

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Hemsath, Decara & Ethan	TX	1553	14
2	Terry, Landon	TX	1149	11
3	Finch, Noah	TX	1148	28
4	Abbott, Adalynn	TX	487	5
5	Fisk, Aubrey	TX	482	5

NEW ZEALAND

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Tondre, Krystal	TX	4013	23
2	Reed, Jared	TX	3147	16
3	Juilfs, Colby	TX	1643	18
4	Manglberger, Tyler	TX	1541	15
5	Currie, Lacey	TX	1206	16

TRBA SWEEPSTAKES

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PALOMINO

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Hartfield, Cheyenne	TX	830	9
2	Hines, Amberlie	TX	466	7
3	Luedecke, Dean	TX	443	3
4	Sparks, Payten	TX	313	5
5	Burnside/Gordillo, Leilah & Kaden	TX	191	4

REX

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Juilfs, Chance	TX	2782	21
2	Floyd, Karley	TX	2702	19
3	Floyd, Kennedy	TX	2197	19
4	Juilfs, Colby	TX	1732	21
5	Hubanks, Willow	TX	395	7

SATIN

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Jordan, Presley	TX	2293	19
2	Terry, Landon	TX	592	11
3	Skelton, Jessica	TX	369	15
4	Harris, Dillon	TX	251	10
5	Thomas, Rustin	TX	233	9

SILVER FOX

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Jesko, Nehemiah	TX	338	10
2	Harris, Kayla	TX	184	4
3	James, Madalynn	TX	176	4
4	Jesko, Remington	TX	116	10
5	Stevens, Mia	TX	50	3

STANDARD CHINCHILLA

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Haag, Nicolas	TX	78	4
2	Haag, Noah	TX	18	2
3	Terry, Kaci	TX	8	1
4				
5				

THRIANTA

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Jordan, Presley	TX	302	8
2	Sparks, Payten	TX	206	4
3	Beckham, Isabella	TX	126	7
4	Daniels, Kashtyn	TX	120	4
5	Daniels, Kinlee	TX	108	3

POLISH

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Bolton, Kathleen	TX	2485	18
2	White, Berkley	TX	2294	17
3	Bolton, Cole	TX	1849	18
4	Davis, Jaliyah	TX	1402	16
5	Kellermeier, Avery	TX	1300	9

RHINELANDER

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Barton, Breken	TX	24	3
2	Barton, Cree	TX	8	3
3	Sparks, Payten	TX	6	1
4	Barton, Jace	TX	6	3
5				

SILVER

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Cobb, Kooper	TX	524	3
2	Jordan, Presley	TX	261	15
3	Bolton, Cole	TX	226	16
4	Moore, Landon	TX	76	1
5	Jones, Russell	TX	24	4

SILVER MARTEN

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Waddell, Taylor	TX	817	17
2	Hill, Katharina	TX	301	10
3	Sharp, Bailee	TX	106	4
4	Williams, Emily	TX	106	4
5				

TAN

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Dubose, Koltyn	TX	2204	13
2	Williams, James Michael Rain	TX	970	9
3	Wingate Jr, Joshua	TX	677	16
4	Speed, Jasper	TX	484	12
5	Newsom, Nehemiah	TX	252	11

TRBA SWEEPSTAKES

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SHOWS INCLUDED

Mid-Tex RBA 1/13
SWRRBA 2/23-24
Houston Rode 3/2/24
Texas RBA 3/22-24
Lone Star Cavy Club 6/1
SWRRBA 6/7-8
Texas RBA 8/31
Mid-Tex RBA 9/7
Lone Star Cavy Club Show A 9/7

SWEEPSTAKES RULES REMINDERS

Sweepstakes year is **January 1 to December 31**.

Awards are presented to top two in each breed at the annual state show if the following criteria is met:

Current TRBA member that resides in:
TX, AR, LA, NM, or OK

Show in at least **3 TRBA sanctioned shows**

Earn **minimum of 250 points** to be eligible for award

MISSING SHOWS

None at this time

QUESTIONS

Sweepstakes Points: Contact Jennifer at
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TexasRBA@Yahoo.Com

OPEN ABYSSINIAN

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Hubnik, Brianna	TX	492	16
2	Miesen, Sharon	TX	77	10
3	Austin, Chase	TX	72	1
4	Hubnik, Brandon	TX	30	5
5	Bradshaw, Ashley	TX	18	3

YOUTH ABYSSINIAN

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Herzog, Wyatt	TX	1142	13
2	Byrd, Darrell	TX	228	11
3				
4				
5				

OPEN ABYSSINIAN SATIN

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Hubnik, Brianna	TX	36	3
2	Austin, Chase	TX	6	1
3				
4				

YOUTH ABYSSINIAN SATIN

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Herzog, Wyatt	TX	384	13
2	Byrd, Darrell	TX	168	11
3	Kelly, Darby	TX	20	1
4				

OPEN AMERICAN

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Hubnik, Brandon	TX	900	16
2	Walker, Aundria	TX	837	17
3	Miesen, Sharon	TX	347	10
4	Anderson, Brent	TX	212	4
5	Dixon, Sheri	TX	144	8

YOUTH AMERICAN

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Masse, Macallyn "Callie"	TX	687	10
2	Fuhrman, Emily	TX	540	13
3	Pinkston, Brett	TX	496	9
4	Herzog, Wyatt	TX	320	12
5	Ledesma, Ava-Lynn	TX	182	9

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OPEN AMERICAN SATIN

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Walker, Aundria	TX	392	17
2	Miesen, Erika	TX	140	10
3	Dixon, Sheri	TX	90	5
4				
5				

YOUTH AMERICAN SATIN

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Masse, Macallyn "Callie"	TX	190	10
2	Herzog, Wyatt	TX	48	8
3	Kelly, Darby	TX	38	2
4	Ledesma, Ava-Lynn	TX	30	3

OPEN CORONET

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Dixon, Sheri	TX	66	8

YOUTH CORONET

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Pinkston, Brett	TX	42	5
2	Fuhrman, Emily	TX	30	5
3	Ledesma, Ava-Lynn	TX	18	3

OPEN PERUVIAN

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Hubnik, Brianna	TX	201	10
2	Miesen/Smith, Sharon/Lisa	TX	138	12
3	Dixon, Sheri	TX	48	8
4	Walker, Aundria	TX	24	2
5	Bradshaw, Ashley	TX	18	3

YOUTH PERUVIAN

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Fuhrman, Emily	TX	98	13
2				
3				
4				
5				

OPEN PERUVIAN SATIN

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Hubnik, Brianna	TX	12	2

YOUTH PERUVIAN SATIN

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Ledesma, Ava-Lynn	TX	18	3
2	Fuhrman, Emily	TX	12	2

OPEN SILKIE

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Miesen/Smith, Sharon/Lisa	TX	326	12
2	Walker, Aundria	TX	12	2
3				
4				
5				

YOUTH SILKIE

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Pinkston, Brett	TX	145	8
2	Fuhrman, Emily	TX	69	5
3	Masse, Macallyn "Callie"	TX	32	2
4				
5				

OPEN SILKIE SATIN

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1				
2				

YOUTH SILKIE SATIN

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Fuhrman, Emily	TX	54	9
2	Pinkston, Brett	TX	12	2

OPEN TEDDY

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Bradshaw, Ashley	TX	285	8
2	Kleinhaus, Kerry	TX	251	12
3	Anderson, Brent	TX	36	4
4				
5				

YOUTH TEDDY

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Fuhrman, Emily	TX	286	13
2	Barton, Bryleigh	TX	40	2
3	Ledesma, Ava-Lynn	TX	16	3
4	Willis, Brody	TX	16	1
5				

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OPEN TEDDY SATIN

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1				
2				
3				

OPEN TEXEL

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Kleinhaus, Kerry	TX	576	15
2	Hubnik, Brandon	TX	12	2
3				

OPEN WHITE CRESTED

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Austin, Chase	TX	24	3
2				
3				

YOUTH TEDDY SATIN

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Fuhrman, Emily	TX	42	7
2	Ledesma, Ava-Lynn	TX	32	6
3	Willis, Brody	TX	18	3

YOUTH TEXEL

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Fuhrman, Emily	TX	84	9
2	Masse, Macallyn "Callie"	TX	46	5
3	Pinkston, Brett	TX	24	2
4	Willis, Brody	TX	12	2

YOUTH WHITE CRESTED

	Name	State	Points	Shows
1	Herzog, Wyatt	TX	310	13
2	Kelly, Darby	TX	6	1
3				







