

NATIONAL REX SHOW BID GUIDELINES

The National Rex Rabbit Club, Inc. welcomes your bid to hold the National Rex Club Show. These guidelines are offered to help your club cover many of the points that must be addressed in your bid. Use any format you choose to present your bid, adding anything that might be of interest to the breeders. The National Rex Show is held to allow us a national based show, present awards and most of all have an enjoyable time.

All bids must be in writing and include the name of the sponsoring club, a spokesperson and their address and phone number. These bids should be submitted to the National Rex Club Secretary-Treasurer just prior to the National Rex Show held approximately 24 months before the requested show date.

LOCATION: City and State where show is to be held.

TRANSPORTATION: Location of the nearest airport. What air freight arrangements can be made for shipped in rabbits.

ACCOMMODATIONS: What motels are in the area with various price ranges. Proximity of motels to the showroom. Is camping available and how close is it?

SHOWROOM: Do the facilities provide adequate light, heat, ventilation or air-conditioning as needed? Caging should be provided for a national show.

SHOW: Will this be a single show or in conjunction with other specialty shows and/or open shows? Proposed date of show. The National Rex Show must be held the last weekend in April unless the Executive Board elects to change this date due to hardship on the sponsoring club. A youth show must be held in conjunction with the open show.

BANQUET: Banquet facilities need to be arranged for dinner and the awards presentations held afterward.

The National Rex Show must follow all of the Official Show Rules of the ARBA contained in the current ARBA Yearbook.

ADDITIONAL GUIDELINES AND REQUIREMENTS:

1. The sponsoring club should publicize the date and place of the show, show secretary's name and address, and the cost of a catalog, at least 90 days before the show in the REX WORLD and one other rabbit publication.

2. Catalogs should be mailed out to prospective exhibitors no later than 30 days before the show. The catalog may, at the sponsoring club's request, be printed in REX WORLD, free of charge. Catalog may also be posted on the Club Website at no charge.
3. Insurance for the show must be provided by the sponsoring club.
4. Awards must be arranged by the sponsoring club. Awards must be given for BOB, BOSB, all BOV and BOSV, White and Colored Fur in both open and youth shows. Monies received from the Craft Auction held just prior to the show will be used to pay for these awards. If the cost of the awards is greater than the money raised from the Craft Auction, it is the sponsoring club's responsibility to cover the additional expense.
5. The National Rex Rabbit Club, Inc. will grant a free sanction for the National Rex Show and will provide \$50.00 toward each judge's fee, provided out-of-state judges are hired.
6. The National Rex Rabbit Club, Inc. will also offer sliding scale specials for Best and Best Opposite of each variety, provided the number shown in a variety falls into the following classifications:

If 10 or more but less than 15 are shown in a variety -

BOV - \$7.50; BOSV - \$5.00

If 15 or more but less than 20 are shown in a variety -

BOV - \$10.00; BOSV - \$6.25

If 20 or more are shown in a variety -

BOV - \$12.50; BOSV - \$7.50

This same scale is also offered at ARBA Conventions.