

WHAT I NEED TO TAKE TO THE FAIR

• RABBITS

CARRIER You need a rabbit carrier to transport your rabbit. You can use a pet taxi for 1 rabbit, but need 1 taxi for each rabbit you own. You can buy a multiple hole carrier at the rabbit shows.

VANODINE Disinfect your cage at fair before placing your rabbit inside. Can be used to disinfect cuts and scrapes on people and animals. Spray the rabbits feet after removing them from the judges table and putting them back in their cage.

SHOWBOX OR TUB Your box shouldn't be any wider than your pen and should fit in the space you are provided. You cannot invade the space of others. Cages are 18" wide. All tubs are stored under the cages, not in the aisle ways.

SHOW JACKET Long sleeves required to show your rabbit. Any plain color long sleeved shirt can be worn. If you are going to participate in showmanship, white is preferable. No names on your jackets. Most 4-H members buy uniform jackets.

WRIST GUARDS Optional - to protect your arms and wrists from scratches. Kevlar Sleeves can be purchased at a rabbit show.

SHOW BRUSH Slicker brush, comb or your hands can be used to groom your rabbit. Depends on the breed of rabbit you show.

TOE NAIL CLIPPERS & KWIK STOP Your rabbit's toenails should always be trimmed before a show. Kwik Stop used to stop bleeding from nails cut too short, snagged on floor wire or judging coops.

WATER People with well water at home should bring their own water to the fair. The fairgrounds has city water. Your rabbit will get diarrhea drinking different water. If you have city water you can use the fairgrounds water.

FEED BOWL / WATER BOTTLE Either use a heavy crock or crock that clips on the side of the cage. Water bottle or water crock. You are not allowed to use Styrofoam cups or bowls. If you use a water bottle, you will have to bring a spring or something to hang the bottle from the hang.

FEED & SCOOP Don't forget to bring feed and the same size of scoop you use at home. Should only need a coffee can of feed. Please do not bring a 50 lb. bag of feed. There is no room to store this much feed.

HAY Hay is important at the fair. A lot of rabbits won't eat because of new surroundings. They will usually eat hay.

PEDIALYTE Some rabbits get diarrhea at the fair. Give them a bottle of unflavored pedialyte to replenish electrolytes. Make sure you tell your advisor if your rabbit has diarrhea.

SHAVINGS Need shavings for the bottom of your cage. 1 bag of shavings can be shared with several club members.

BUCKET, BRUSH AND DUST PAN Used to clean out cages and around your pen area.

RESTING MAT For your rabbit to lay on in the cage.

WHITE VINEGAR AND CORNSTARCH For removing urine stains from white rabbits. Make sure you do this way before the show.

BABY WIPES Baby wipes for you and to use on your rabbit's feet.

HAND SANITIZER For safety precautions, you should clean your hands after messing with any animal.

BAND-AIDS & ANTIBIOTIC CREME For safety precautions.

PAPER TOWELS To mop up water and urine splashes.

Q-TIPS To clean your rabbit's preening glands.

SCISSORS Used to cut mats from fur.

The club supplies a risers for your cage, a broom and shovel to clean the aisles. Trash needs to be picked up out of our area at all times. Anytime your bring supplies of your own, mark them with your name.