

# Cass County

## Youth Market/Breed Rabbit



# Project Record Book

Exhibitors 13-15 years old

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State \_\_\_\_\_

4-H Club \_\_\_\_\_

Leader \_\_\_\_\_

No. of years in project \_\_\_\_\_ Age as of Jan. 1 of current year \_\_\_\_\_

Record Started \_\_\_\_\_ Record ended \_\_\_\_\_

Breed \_\_\_\_\_

**My Project Plans...**

1. This is why I enrolled in the rabbit project, what I want to do, and what I want to learn this year:

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2. If you were part of the rabbit project last year, what are you doing differently than last year:

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**About My Rabbit(s):**

1. This is how I obtained my rabbit(s)

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2. This is what I do to keep my rabbit(s) healthy:

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3. This is what I feed my rabbit(s) (attach feed tag or formula):

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4. This is what equipment I use for my rabbit(s):

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5. This is how I get my rabbit(s) show ready:

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## **My Rabbit Experience...**

1. These are the rabbit activities I participated in this year: \_\_\_\_\_

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2. This is what I enjoy most about the rabbit project: \_\_\_\_\_

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3. This is what I enjoy least about the rabbit project: \_\_\_\_\_

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4. These are the 2 goals I have set for next year's rabbit project. \_\_\_\_\_

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## **My Market rabbit(s)**

Your project photos here!



**Market rabbit (2016 insert )**

1. Where is the loin on a rabbit? \_\_\_\_\_
2. Where is the flank on a rabbit? \_\_\_\_\_
3. What is a pelt? \_\_\_\_\_
4. How much of the rabbit is actually usable? \_\_\_\_\_
5. What is the weight for rabbits at the Cass County fair (min – max)? \_\_\_\_\_
6. How many ribs does a rabbit have? \_\_\_\_\_
7. Does the validation tattoo go in the left or right ear for the fair? \_\_\_\_\_

**Market Rabbit Exhibitors: (2016 insert)**

What is the difference between a market rabbit and a breed (show) rabbit.

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## Breed Rabbits...

1. My favorite breed of rabbit to raise is:

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2. Why is it important to schedule breeding your rabbits:

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3. Why is it important to separate rabbits by the time they reach 4 months of age:

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4. When mating rabbits, which cage do you put the rabbits in and why:

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## Breeding Records...

Date Bred	Doe	Buck	Date Kindled	# born	# weaned	Comments

**Breed Rabbit exhibitors (2016 insert)**

1. How many times a year can a rabbit molt?  
a. 3      b. 7      c. 12   d. 0
  
2. Which of the following breeds is a commercial type rabbit?  
a. Californian      b. Polish      c. Dwarf Hotot      d. Mini Lop
  
3. If a toenail is bleeding how can you stop it? \_\_\_\_\_
  
4. Can you foster kits of one doe to another?   a. Yes      b. No
  
5. Can people get ring worm from rabbits?   a. Yes      b. No
  
6. How old are kits when they open their eyes ? \_\_\_\_\_

## Prospective buyers...

1. Describe your efforts to secure buyers for your market rabbits at this year's fair. Please attach a copy of one of your buyer letters: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Thank you letters** - Remember to send a thank you note to your buyers. It is important to let your buyers know you appreciate them helping you with your 4-H market project.

**Don't Forget to include:**

Pictures of your Rabbit Project

All prior years' project books

Buyer letter

**Suggestion:**

Place all Rabbit Project Books in a 3-ring binder, with your current project year on top.