

Eastern Maine Rabbit Breeders Association

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Fall Double Open & Triple* Youth All Breed Show

Held at our spacious new location at the Bangor Elks Club
108 Odlin Rd, Bangor Maine

*Double open and double youth shows sponsored by EMRBA. Separate third youth show sponsored by the 4-H Maine Rabbiters.
Entry info for third show available at: 4H Maine Rabbiters Youth RBA on Facebook, entries to: mainerabbitersrba@gmail.com

Sunday, November 5, 2023

Doors Open at 7:30am

Judging Starts Promptly at 9:00am

Judges:

**Vincent Consiglio (MA), Robert Frizzell (MD), Mark Jacobs (IN),
Michael Mageles (ME), Kyle Yacobucci (NY)**

Sanctioned Breeds (O= Open, Y=Youth):

American Chinchilla (O&Y), American Fuzzy Lop (O), Angoras (English, French, Giant, Satin; O&Y),
Blanc de Hotot (O&Y), Checkered Giant (O), Dutch (O), Dwarf Hotot (O), English Lop & French Lop (Y),
English Spot (O), Flemish Giant (O), Florida White (O&Y), Himalayan (O&Y),
Holland Lop (O&Y), Jersey Wooly (O&Y), Lionhead (O&Y), Mini Rex (O&Y), Netherland Dwarf (O&Y),
Polish (O&Y), Rex (O&Y), Rhinelander (O&Y), Satin & Mini Satin (O&Y), Silver (O & Y), Tan (O)

Early entries: Open & Youth: \$4.00 / Rabbit / Meat Pen \$2.00/Fur

Entries day of show: Open & Youth: \$8.00 / Rabbit / Meat Pen \$4.00/Fur

****email entries, early entries, and payment via PayPal are preferred****

Show Secretary: Tena Ireland

Entries must include the following information: Exhibitor name, address, phone, and email. Each animal entered must indicate: youth or open shows to be entered, breed, variety, sex, class, and tattoo number.

Payment to: emrbatreasurer@gmail.com on Paypal or checks made to EMRBA

Email entries to: tenaireland@gmail.com. If you pay for your entries on Paypal at the time of entry, please include a copy of payment confirmation with your entry.

Mail entries to: 2 Ash Lane, Bowdoinham, ME 04008

Phone entries to: (207) 696-3783 – no calls after 7 PM, please.

Show Superintendent: Barry Hustins, Tbbhollands@aol.com

Show Registrar: Frank Nutar

Early Entry Deadlines: Mail entries must be postmarked no later than **Monday, October 30, 2023.**

Phone and e-mail must be submitted no later than **Wednesday, November 1, 2023** (No calls after 7 PM).

All e-mail entries will be confirmed.

If you enter early and do not receive a confirmation by noon **Friday, Nov 3, 2023, please call the show secretary before 5 PM** to verify that they have indeed received your entry.

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Show Featuring:

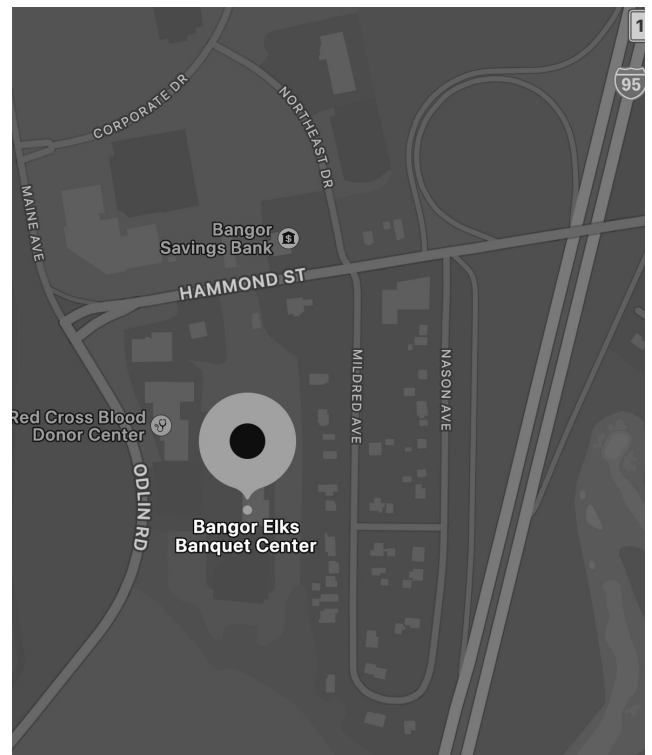
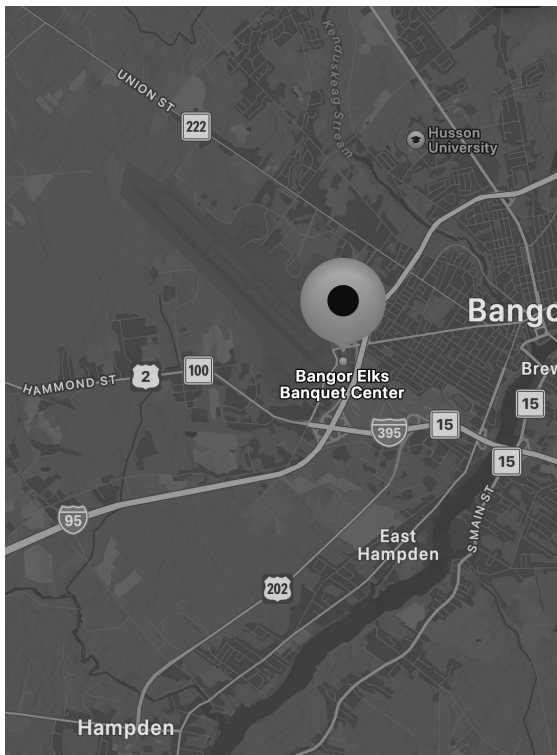
- Annual **Thanksgiving Basket raffle featuring a turkey**. Member donations welcome and appreciated.
- 50/50 Raffle
- Additional raffle opportunities for club fundraising
- Writer's raffles – please consider assisting judges with writing!
- Photo table
- **Food will be available on-site**

Lodging near show location:

The EMRBA does not have block room reservations at any hotels nor are we endorsing particular hotels over other offerings in the area. However, the following hotels are located relatively near the show venue (within 3 miles), priced under \$160 per night (including pet fee; prices as of October 7, 2023), and allow pets including rabbits so long as the rabbits remain in appropriate show carriers. Please be sure to call any other hotel you may be interested in booking with as several hotels that filters display as “pet-friendly” have policies that only recognize dogs and not other animals as pets under those policies.

- Bangor Aviator Hotel, 308 Godfrey Blvd, Bangor, ME 04401•(207) 947-6721
Priced at \$100 per night + \$59 pet fee
- Bangor Suites Airport Hotel, 250 Odlin Rd, Bangor, ME 04401•(207) 942-8272
Priced at \$96 per night + \$35 pet fee
- Howard Johnson by Wyndham Bangor 336 Odlin Rd, Bangor, ME 04401•(207) 942-5251
Priced at \$106 per night + \$15 pet fee

Show Location Maps:



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Show Rules

1. These are **ARBA Sanctioned Open & Youth Shows**. The shows will be governed by the latest revised rules of ARBA. Signing and/or submitting an entry implies acceptance of these rules. The full text of the rules are available for review at: <https://arba.net/official-arba-show-rules/>. **Includes e-mail entries.**
2. This is a one day carrying cage show to be held at the Bangor Elks Club in Bangor, ME. The show will be held on Sunday, November 5, 2023.
3. Entries **MUST** be postmarked no later than **Monday, October 30, 2023. Email and phone entries will be accepted until Thursday, November 2, 2023.** Please submit entries to the show secretary:

Tena Ireland
2 Ash Lane
Bowdoinham, ME 04008

tenaireland@gmail.com

(207)696-3783

4. Check, Money Order, or PayPal payment confirmation must accompany mail entries.
5. Email entries must be paid prior to the start of judging. If you enter by mail or e-mail your entry and don't attend moneys must still be paid before you may enter another EMRBA show.
6. Make Check or Money Order Payable to EMRBA.
7. **PayPal Payments are now accepted.** Please make payments to emrbatreasurer@gmail.com.
8. **Your phone number and e-mail must be on the entry form.**
9. Phone or e-mail changes will be accepted until 8:00 PM Saturday, November 4, 2023 by calling or e-mailing the show secretary.
10. Tattoo changes made at the show, before judging begins, costs \$1.00 per change per show.
11. ALL SHOWS WILL BEGIN PROMPTLY AT 9 AM
12. No Certified Mail Will Be Accepted.
13. All judging comment cards, specials, and/or trophies must be picked up at the show. They will not be mailed or delivered. Legs will be e-mailed with the exhibitor reports.
14. All exhibitors are responsible for their animals to and from the judging tables. EMRBA will not attempt to provide carriers.
15. All Animals are entered at the owner's risk. Show personnel and the judges are in no way responsible for death, injury, or loss of any animals, but all possible care will be taken to safeguard the animals.
16. Parents are responsible for the conduct of their children. Parents are required to repair any and all damage caused by their children. If damage by Child or Exhibitor is of a nature that cannot be repaired, the parent or exhibitor will be responsible to pay for the repair costs incurred. The EMRBA may refuse entry of that youth or exhibitor at other EMRBA shows.
17. No Person other than show officials, judges, and clerks shall be allowed behind the judging table during judging.
18. **You must be entered in the show to sell animals. Anyone not abiding by these rules will be asked to leave the premises.**
19. The Show Chairman reserves the right to assign, reassign, add or substitute judges as necessary.
20. Any and all questions not covered by these or ARBA rules shall be decided by the Show Committee and Superintendent. All parties shall abide by these decisions.
21. **Charge For Returned Checks: \$20.00**

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22. **RHVD NOTICE:** The American Rabbit Breeders Association and EMRBA policy is that a host club must refuse entries from exhibitors placing an entry from all locations within 25 miles, which had a confirmed outbreak of RCV/RHD/VHD in wild / feral rabbits within the past 30 days of the entry deadline.
- a. Exhibitors should follow ARBA recommended biosecurity guidelines.
 - b. Exhibitors and show officials should wash the undercarriage and tires of all vehicles and trailers before going to and after departing a show.
 - c. Exhibitors residing in a state with a confirmed case of RHDV in the past 30 days should have a health certificate (CVI) issued within fourteen (14) days of the show.
 - d. Use an appropriate disinfectant that will inactivate RHDV.
 - e. The ARBA club show committee has the right to refuse an entry.
 - f. **All carriers must have some type of clean, absorbent bedding in the tray. Anyone who arrives with carriers which do not include clean, absorbent bedding will be required to purchase and use bedding provided by the club.**

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Please consider becoming a member of the Eastern Maine Rabbit Breeders Association!

You can join at your convenience online via www.emrba.com/join or complete and submit the following form at the show:

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Email: _____ Phone Number: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Please also complete the following, where applicable:

ARBA Membership #: _____ Rabbitry Name: _____

Breeds raised: _____

Rabbitry/Farm Website: _____

What information would you like included in the online EMRBA directory, if any?

- Name
- Email
- Website
- Phone
- Breeds raised
- I do not wish to be listed

Annual Membership Fees:

Membership types:

- Youth \$7
- Single Adult \$10
- Two Adult Household \$13
- Family \$16

ARBA Membership status:

- Members: no additional charge
- Non-Members: \$1 per each non-member

Club communications: All club communications are online by default.

- Online communication is acceptable:
- I prefer to receive communication via mail: \$2