

WSRBA National Team Selection Criteria

1. Individuals interested in representing WSRBA as a member of the national judging team and or breed ID team at the annual ARBA convention will need to participate in the competitions held at the annual Wisconsin State Convention.
2. Youth need to have themselves signed up for the individual ARBA Contests by the deadlines given by the ARBA. This is prior to our State Convention, so you will need to do this if you intend to be on the WI Youth Team.
3. For consideration for the national Judging team, each individual will judge and score 4 groups of rabbits or cavies using the ARBA judging score card at the State Convention competition the second weekend in September.
4. For consideration for the Breed ID teams, they will identify 25 rabbits or cavies including the Breed name, show room classification, registration classification, and 4 or 6 class animals. This will also take place at State Convention.
5. Each youth member will complete the application and mail it the national team advisor listed on the application. To receive full credit, the application must be postmarked by the appropriate date listed on the application.
6. Individuals are encouraged to participate in the educational opportunities at the shows throughout the last two years (2022-2023). They should make sure they sign in on the attendance advisors at these activities. They will earn 5 points towards for each event they participate in.

7. Judging Score breakdown is as follows:

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| a. judging 4 classes of animals (50 points max. each class) | 200 points |
| b. 5 points for each educational opportunity participated in.
(Maximum of 20 points) | 20 points |
| c. Application received on time | 10 points |

Total Points Earned _____/230 points

8. Breed ID Score breakdown is as follows:

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| a. Correctly Identifying a class of 25 animals | 200 points |
| b. 5 points for each educational opportunity participated in.
(Maximum of 20 points) | 20 points |
| c. Application received on time | 10 points |

Total Points Earned _____/230 points

**Wisconsin State Rabbit Breeders Association
NATIONAL TEAM Application**

Child's Name: _____

Address: Street _____

City: _____

State: _____ WI_ Zip Code _____

Telephone: (_____) - _____ - _____

Email: _____

Birthday: ____ / ____ / ____

Shirt Size: _____ Youth or Adult
(Order will be placed immediately after State Convention)

List Breeds Exhibiting at WSRBA
State Convention Here

Parental or Guardian Contact Info
Name: _____
Telephone: (_____) - _____ - _____
Email: _____

Age Division:

- _____ 15-18
- _____ 12-14
- _____ 11 & under

Contests: Check areas that you are competing in.
_____ National Judging Team (12-14 years; 15-18 years)
_____ National Breed ID Team (ages 5-11; 12-14; 15-18)
_____ National Team Quiz bowl (11 years and under)

GENERAL QUALIFICATIONS:

- A. Application must be postmarked by August 1, 2023.
- B. Contests will begin at 7 a.m. on the Saturday of WSRBA Convention. All contestants must check in with Youth Contest Volunteers by 6:45 a.m.
- C. Contestants must be a member of the WSRBA and reside in the State of Wisconsin.
- D. Contestants may not compete for another state or district team.
- E. Please see the National Team pages in the WSRBA Constitution for more information on the Contest.
- F. Must be able to attend the ARBA National Convention in Louisville, KY this fall from October 22-27, 2021.
- G. Upon making the National Team the Parent of the youth MUST NOTIFY National Team Chairs within one week after WSRBA State Convention if they no longer are able to attend National Convention.
- H. ARBA Youth Contest will be held on Saturday October 7th. Check-in is Friday October 6th, and youth need to be there or be in contact with the coaches on arrival time.
- I. Youth may not leave the test area without permission, or they will forfeit their scores. Youth must follow the rules and direction of the Youth Committees and their volunteers.
- J. Any disobedience might disqualify youth from competition at the discretion of WSRBA Youth or National Teams Chairperson.

I have read and understand the rules of the contest and I have completed the application. I understand that the WSRBA Youth Advisors and their committees will do their best to ensure a fair contest.

Applicant signature: _____
Parent/guardian signature: _____

Date: _____
Date: _____

Return to:
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