

## **Start to Finish – Rabbits**

**Contact your potential rabbit breeder as soon as you possibly can to reserve a spot for yourself**

- The latest to contact your breeder should be the end of September
- Rabbits have to be bred 100 days prior to the show date to have bunnies in time for our show

### **Feeding Market Rabbits**

- Self feeder and fresh feed (check it)
- Add crock if several rabbits are in a cage
- Have plenty of clean water
- Start providing a snack mix (barley and black oil sunflower seeds) a couple of weeks before the show to aid in hair coat
- If for some reason the rabbit stops eating its feed give them a little bit of hay
- If your rabbit is near the maximum weight you can hold them by giving them oats or hay in place of their feed pellets

### **Health**

- Ear mites – treat all rabbits (not just the infected one) with 0.2 mLs of Ivermectin on backs of ears or inside of the ear. You will also want to thoroughly clean the cages and change bedding to newspaper that can be disposed every day. Any grooming utensils will need to be disinfected.
- Watch eyes for infections
- Coccidiosis – treat with 0.6mL of the 9.6% solution of Corid in 500 mLs of water

### **Selection**

- Think clones
- Think half a basketball, same width of loin as height of top loin from table and the width of loin to carry though the hip (no pinching or catching)
- Smooth flesh covering
- Weight should be uniform
- Hair is a tie breaker, should fly right back when rubbed in the opposite direction
- Check teeth (top teeth should cover bottom teeth)
- Toe nails – a nail on each toe and uniform in color

### **Rabbit Breeder List**

**Ray Alexander: [alexanfam@hotmail.com](mailto:alexanfam@hotmail.com) - 281.794.2001**

**Jerry Pacely – Franklin – (979) 450-0666**

**Royal Rabbitry - Keith Robison - 936-524-7606 – Conroe - Californian**

**Heaton Rabbitry - Michael Heaton - (361) 564 8764 - [Heatonrabbits@yahoo.com](mailto:Heatonrabbits@yahoo.com)**

**Vera Rudel – R&R Rabbitry – (218) 914-1562 – Waller**

**Bender Rabbits – (979) 479-4180**

**Tamerat Dozier – (979) 436-1395 - Franklin**

**Stacie Grange - Bryan, TX. Email is [slgrabbitry@gmail.com](mailto:slgrabbitry@gmail.com)**

**Chase Austin - [www.meatpens.com](http://www.meatpens.com) – (979) 549-3337 – New Braunfels**

**Kathy Hillery – (979) 793-5858 – Boling**

**Aspen and Susan Roberts - Fat Chance Rabbitry - [aspenjinx@yahoo.com](mailto:aspenjinx@yahoo.com) - 254-702-8387 –  
Harker Heights near Belton**

- **TEXAS CALIFORNIAN RABBIT SPECIALTY CLUB Meat Pen Breeder List  
[www.TexasCals.org](http://www.TexasCals.org)**

**Chase Austin New Braunfels, Tx. 78132 [CCMeatPens@aol.com](mailto:CCMeatPens@aol.com)**

**Michael & Leslie Burge Cody Burge Sweeny, Tx 77480 [rabbits@thewildharefarm.com](mailto:rabbits@thewildharefarm.com)**

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**WCWright108@gmail.com**

**We breed Californians for meat pens year-round. We live in Brazoria County and our breed date is usually around July 4th so our bucks live in air-conditioning for the summer. We would like to be added to your meat pen list. Our contact information is :**

**Mike and Nikky Burge - Sweeny, TX - 979-345-4850 or 979-709-2031 - email**  
**rabbits@thewildharefarm.com**

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**Ryan Devin Dunivan 210-385-2735 rzd1176@aol.com New Braunfels, TX 78132 – New Zealand Whites**

**John and Mary Jo Terry meat pens and single fryers 20239 N Fm 486 cameron Tx 76520. 254 482 1363**

**Happy and gordon carver weatherford tx – No Contact Info Received**

**Scott and Mistie Weems owners of Pride and Joy farms raise Californian rabbits and have meat pens and fryers. for sale currently message us or call 254-624-3981**

**Mark and Beth Manglberger, manglberger bunny farm, 830 232 6344.**

**Pete Basgil - Crosby, Texas 281-785-7605 – New Zealands**

**Mark/Beth Mangleberger - Leaky, Texas 830-232-6344 – New Zealands**