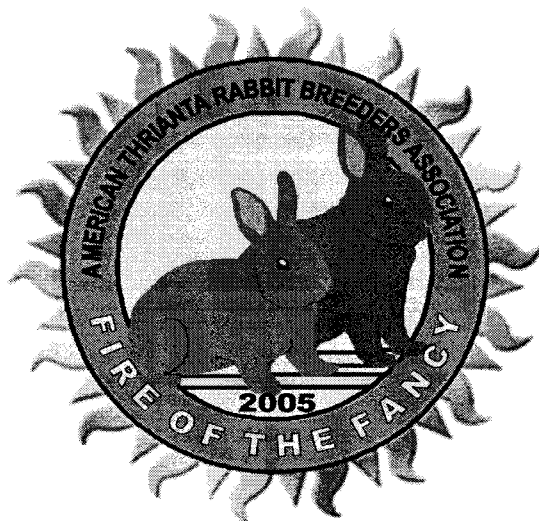


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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE FROM BOB WHITMAN



Blizzard, floods and fires all seem to be the norm for our nation during the winter months, with some of our friends in the north and west being especially hard hit this year. Now that spring has sprung, maybe just maybe, things will get back to normal. Even with the mild winter weather in my area, breeders throughout the country have reported less than desirable results in some of their breeding programs, so some shows will no doubt see less juniors on the judging table. The ever rising fuel costs won't help matters either, nor will the continued increases in feed cost. Just this last month, two major feed stores have closed their doors permanently in my town, so now I've had to switch brands and drive twenty miles to my new feed source. Needless to say I'm not amused that I've having to pay \$2.25 more per 50 lbs along with the added gasoline. Oh well such is life if we want to continue to enjoy our rabbit keeping hobby!

Valerie Robledo and I are busy working on the First Edition of the ARTBA Guide Book. We have extended the deadline for articles and ads to May 1, 2008. Please send to Valerie Robledo, 2834 Garden Oak Place, Grand Prairie, TX 75052 or email: tx_4h_mom@yahoo.com . Please remember this guide book will be in circulation for a minimum of five years, so your advertising dollars will go a long ways. Quality Thrianta breeding stock is still very much in "HOT" demand and will remain so for quite some time. Please advertise! Help us to make this guide book top notch for all members, present and future.

Membership and Promotions Chair Kim Glass has been very busy getting a new line of apparel for our association. I'm sure these will be ready for sale at the 2nd National ATRBA Convention. There will be polo shirts, t-shirts, caps and aprons available in assorted colors. We were running low on ATRBA patches so an additional 200 have been ordered and this time they are an iron on patch instead of needing to be stitched. Cost for the patches will remain the same at \$5.50 and may be ordered through Secretary Carrol Hooks. Please be fashionable and wear Thrianta apparel, I know I always receive compliments when I wear my Thrianta polo shirt.

Speaking of the 2nd Thrianta National Show it is just around the corner. Jacquie and Tim Branham will once again head this event. Thank you both! Due to the membership coming forward with generous cash donations lots of awards (glassware) will be given to the lucky 1st through 5th place winners. I'm delighted to announce that our Vice-President Glen Carr has donated \$10.00 for each of the 1st place class winners in Open and Youth. Thank you Glen! Lots of awards, so I hope there will be lots of wonderful animals passing through the judges hands. Let's make that judge see "RED", but red in a good way. More about the Thrianta National can be found elsewhere in this newsletter. Also please remember to support the raffle table with your donations.

Aren't we all tired about this being an election year....I know I am, but I'm talking about that for the presidency of the United States. This is also the election year for President and three Directors of the Am. Thrianta RBA. Directors Josh Humphries-TN, Tim Branham-OH and Bill Mairs-CAN terms will end and will need to seek re-election for their positions as I will too. If any of our membership would like to run for office, please review the Constitution and By-Laws which may be found on our web site www.atrba.net to see if you qualify, then I would encourage you to contact Secretary Carrol Hooks for intent to run form. These letters of intent must be postmarked by June 15, 2008 and returned to Carrol. Our Directors within the ATRBA are not divided into geographic regions, so it is very possible to have one or more elected to serve from the same state.

~ A LITTLE OF THIS AND THAT ~

MUMS THE WORD - During the ARBA Convention in Grand Rapids, MI an ATRBA member approached me at the Thrianta booth and said that his family could supply all the blooming chrysanthemums we could use in our booth at Louisville, KY. Would this man please contact me, as we want to take you up on the generous offer and let our Thrianta booth bloom this fall.

WEB SITE - Webmaster Anne Ott continues to do an outstanding job with the association's web site. Seems like every time I have a look see, she has made updates with more news and more pictures. Anne has been doing an outstanding job and we all appreciate her efforts. www.atrba.net please have a look!

TEXAS STATE 4-H WINNER - Rebekka Robledo, daughter of our "Fire of the Fancy" newsletter Valerie, won 1st place in the State 4-H Poster competition with her Thrianta piece. The winning poster was on display recently at the Texas RBA State Show. Congratulations Rebekka, your becoming quite a rabbit force to be reckoned with! You must take after your mom, who continues to produce an outstanding newsletter for our membership.

Continue to show your animals whenever possible, promote the Thrianta breed and your association. Enjoy the spring weather, 'cause summer isn't far behind. Until next time, but I'll be waiting on those last minute ads and articles for the guide book.

VICE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE FROM GLEN CARR



Happy Spring Everyone:

I don't usually write about the weather but this winter was especially cold, wet, and blustery in my area as it was in most of the northern sector of the country. The crappy weather (sorry I just couldn't think of a more fitting description) surely affected my breeding program. My does were stubborn and would not cooperate. As a result I have just three juniors to select from for the national show in May. All bucks, too!! Apparently, many others have suffered the same consequence as the early spring shows I've been to had very few juniors entered in most breeds. Hopefully, the entry at our national will be okay.

Speaking of the National Thrianta Show in Columbus, Ohio, May 3, 2008, I hope many of you are planning to attend and bring as many Thriantas you can. Preparations are underway to make this 2nd National Show even better than the initial one last year. Awards will be given down to fifth place in each class in both the open and youth shows. We have some unique awards for Best of Breed and Best Opposite Sex in both open and youth shows. We plan an exciting raffle with some very nice items. And, again, my kids, Randy, Christy, and Dennis, will host a Saturday evening cookout free to Thrianta exhibitors and families at Randy's home like last year.

We do need help from our members. Your attendance is, of course, desired and welcomed but if you can't make it we'd like to ask for donations to the raffle or a monetary donation toward the awards fund. These may be sent to Tim & Jacquie Branham, 6449 Snidercrest Rd., Mason, Ohio 45040. Send them soon so that we can acknowledge your gift in the show catalog. Those that plan to attend, great, be sure to bring something for the raffle or give toward the award fund.

The ATRBA first official guidebook is in the making. We URGENTLY need your support. We need articles, pictures, and your advertisement. Many of you may feel that you aren't qualified or adept at writing about our breed for such a publication. Don't fret! Write about your experience with the breed, how you got started. Any topic that relates to the breed, its care, management, breeding, health, will be of interest and will help in the success of our guidebook. Pictures of our breed are most important. With digital cameras taking pictures is no longer a chore. Pictures can be sent via computer to our editor.

The guidebook will be a first history of our breed and club. A copy will be given to each member and a copy will also be given to the ARBA Hall of Fame Library to be kept for as long as there are rabbits. When I was employed at the ARBA, I would often look through the guidebooks of other clubs that dated many years back. I enjoyed reading the articles and looking at the pictures and the names of the breeders of the time. Often I would read about rabbit health issues and remedies that would be helpful even now. Guidebooks are an important segment of every breed club and now we will have our very first one soon.

Guidebooks cost major dollars to produce and mail. Please support it with your advertisement. For just a few dollars your advertisement will be sent to all current members and every new members that come aboard. The guidebook will not be reprinted for at least five years so what a deal to advertise. I'm sure there will be details about our guidebook in this issue. Just don't wait any longer. We need your support.

It is time to be thinking about our annual election of officers. This year we will elect a president, and three directors. The terms for our president, Bob Whitman and for our three directors, Josh Humphries, Tim Branham, and Bill Mairs will conclude on the first day of the ARBA National Convention. Hopefully, all of these good people will seek reelection but should anyone wish to run for any of the positions, please don't hesitate to do so. The requirements are listed elsewhere in this newsletter.

On a personal note, my wife and I will be moving to Ohio sometime in 2008. We are actively looking for a home near Columbus. Due to the move and some other plans, I may need to liquidate my rabbits for awhile. I'm not sure if this will effect my status as VP and Chair of the standards committee but I will consult with the Board of Directors when the move is finalized.

I've seen some nice Thriantas cross the table this spring. Let's keep them going.

Keep those nest boxes full of "red".

SECRETARY'S MESSAGE FROM: CARROL HOOKS



2008 National Thrianta Show: I hope all of you are as anxious to get to Ohio as I am. Everyone had a wonderful time at our very first Thrianta National Show last year and I know we will have even more fun this year. It is wonderful to see old friends and to meet new ones, but even greater to see all the beautiful Red Rabbits. The National will be a late entry show and Jackie Branham will be taking the entries at the show. Don't forget about fur as that is very important in our breed. I hear the glass awards are beautiful and that money for placings has also been donated. Entry Fees are \$5.00 for class and \$2.00 for fur. Jackie will have plenty of entry forms and remark cards available at the Thrianta booth. See the show flyer located elsewhere in this issue for additional information. We hope to have a really great raffle and need everyone to bring raffle items. If you have any other questions about the show that are not covered in the ad, call Tim or Jackie Branham as they have graciously agreed to serve again as our Superintendent and Secretary. Our National Show Judge will be Phil Wollett and the Ohio State Club will host 2 all breed shows so we will have the opportunity to show our rabbits 3 times if we want. We really hope you will be able to be a part of our National Thrianta Show.

ATRBA Guidebook: The deadline of May 1st. has been set to submit all ads, articles, etc. to Valerie Robledo for our very first ATRBA Guidebook. Please submit an ad to help offset the cost. If you would like to submit an article for possible inclusion, please send that to Valerie also. This guidebook will be around for about 5 years and one will be sent to all current and each new member. See the ad elsewhere for Guidebook Advertising Rates.

Changes to Constitution and By-Laws: I have been told there are a couple of resolutions which will be submitted, but as of this time I have only seen one. The requirements for submitting resolutions to the Constitution and By-Laws is located elsewhere in this issue. All resolutions must be received by the Secretary/Treasurer a minimum of 90 days prior to the annual membership meeting at the ARBA Convention. If you have any questions, contact Chairman Tim Branham or me. If you cannot find your copy of the Constitution and By-Laws please contact me and I can mail or email one to you.

2008 Election: Our election process is quickly approaching. If you are interested in running for office in our club you need to contact this office for a "Letter of Intent". This being an even year, the office of President and 3 directors are up for election. President Whitman, Directors Josh Humphries, Bob Lloyd and Bill Mairs are up for election and all are eligible for re-election. We do encourage all who are interested to run for office. Per our constitution the requirements for seeking election are: "In order to seek election, any member over age 18 and having been a member in good standing for at least one (1) year wishing to become a candidate for any elective office of this Association shall submit a "letter of intent" listing the member's name, and office for which the member desires to be a candidate, be signed by the member and sent to the Secretary by mail, postmarked no later than June 15 prior to election. E-mail is not acceptable."

Well that's about all for now. Hope to see you in Ohio and if not there, then somewhere along the way.

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TIME TO RENEW

PLEASE SEND YOUR MEMBERSHIP

We hope you will choose to renew your membership in our club.



FEBRUARY:

- Jenna Anderson - TX
- Judy Collinsworth - TX
- Faucett Family - IN
- Jay Horn - CA
- Mike Hughes - IA
- Helmut & Vella Melzer - NY
- Robin Parkin - TX
- Tina Reif - IN
- Becky Stock - IA

MARCH:

- Drake Bowald - IL
- Sally S Campbell - VA
- Marvin Cummings - FL
- Mary Docherty - MI
- Elaine & Jeremy Harvey - PA
- Cheri, Sabrina, Elise Hofmann - IN
- David Mangione - OH
- John Milroy - WI
- Anne Ott - WA
- Steve & Sherry Patton - LA
- Rusty Westhoff - TN

APRIL:

- Bob Dunfield - TX

MAY:

- Leslie Ardison - MA
- Dameron Family - NE
- David Gilbert - TX
- Luke Hayden - CA

MAY - Continued:

- Ashley & Kayla Houser - NE
- Josh Humphries - TN
- Richard & Val Robledo - TX
- Logan Jacot - OH
- Lyons Family - Dan, Kelly, Mara, Sonja, Ted - WA
- Dera Oldofredi - CA
- Anne Organo - NJ
- Devin & Soundra Sanford - TX
- Susan Whiteley - NY
- Timothy Wilson - TN

JUNE:

- Jack Fisher - OH
- G & E Grimm - IA
- Lester A Ives, Sr - OH
- Pam Johnson - UT
- David Wilkerson - TX

JULY:

- Maddy Copus - WA
- Hunter & Sydney Holderman - WA
- Danny Lape - OH
- Bob Lloyd - IA
- Kaycee Lunde - CAN
- Kitty Lynch - NC
- Rhianna Mitchell - MT
- Ken Patterson - OR
- Dave & Jeanne Pauly - OH
- Terri Reymann - CA
- Nancy Richmond - ID
- John Rudolph, Jr - IL

ATRBA FINANCIAL REPORT THRU

11/27/07 thru 3/31/08

INFLOWS

MEMBERSHIP DUES	\$ 574.00
MISCELLANEOUS	\$ 5.00
SANCTION INCOME	\$1,308.00
TOTAL INFLOWS	\$1,887.00

OUTFLOWS

NEWSLETTER EXP	\$ 513.48
OFFICE POSTAGE EXP	\$ 82.00
TOTAL OUTFLOWS	\$ 595.48

RECONCILED BANK BALANCE

3/31/08

\$ 8,441.37

Don't just "show" ...
VOLUNTEER!

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS – REQUIREMENTS FOR SUBMITTING RESOLUTIONS:

Please note the following Constitution and By-Laws requirements:

ATRBA Constitution – ARTICLE XI – Resolutions – Section 1. Any amendment to this constitution shall be made by resolution, in writing, signed by ten (10) or more members in good standing of this Association and mailed to the Secretary/Treasurer a minimum of 90 days prior to the Annual General Membership Meeting. Section 2: All resolutions are to be confined to one (1) subject. Section 3. Any resolution to the Constitution must be printed in at least one ATRBA newsletter. "Any resolution for change to the constitution must be approved by a two-thirds majority vote of the members present at the Annual Meeting. Approved resolutions shall take effect January 1 following the annual meeting.

ATRBA By-Laws – ARTICLE IX RESOLUTIONS – Section 1: An amendment to these By-Laws may be submitted in writing by a member in good standing of this association and mailed to the Secretary/Treasurer a minimum of 90 days prior to the Annual Membership Meeting. Any resolution to the By-Laws must be printed in at least one ATRBA newsletter. Comments and concerns may be mailed or emailed to the Secretary/Treasurer by any member in good standing. A maximum of 200 words must summarize comments. These summaries must be read at the annual meeting prior to the vote, providing the words used are appropriate for general reading. Amendment votes will take place at the annual meeting. Section 2: All resolutions are to be confined to one (1) subject. Section 3. Any resolution to the By-Laws must be approved by a 2/3rd majority vote of the members present at the Membership Meeting. Approved resolutions shall take effect January 1st following approval.

Director's Reports

Bill Mairs

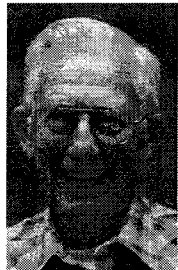
Greetings from the Pacific Northwest

It seems since Convention we have been away more than at home. Our old farm sitter retired and we finally found a new person. This is hard to do when you live in the country. To break her in slowly we cut the herd in half and stopped breeding before Convention. With 2-6 class and 2-4 class breeds and needing young for the fall shows. We started breeding the 1st. March, 75 does later our next problem will be where to grow out the young. I guess that's why we have cage manufactures. What a great trip to Holland to see them judging Thriantas. The judge averages 8 rabbits per hour. Everything is commented on, nothing missed. Completely different than a North American show much more relaxed and very educational. Even with a different language, you soon pick up what they are describing, and if in doubt ask and somebody will help in English. They bend over backwards to make you feel welcome. WE found this with all of the other breeders, not only the Thrianta people. I brought in pieces of 4 different lines. Hopefully we can get a more diversified gene pool in America. Remember to breed your Thriantas so we have great classes again at Convention. Now it is a waiting game for the new does to litter. Hopefully will have something to show before fall. Until the next time.



May you all be in heaven before the devil knows your dead. [OLD IRISH SAYING]

Duane Holman

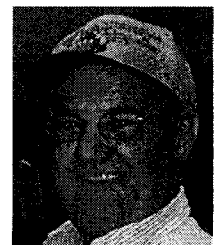


Greetings from North Texas! Our unusual mild winter is gone and now some days of spring are more like summer! Will try and get another litter from the red does. I know you folks up north do not want to hear about our mild weather now that you are recovering from your brutal long cold winter. I got to call Bob Lloyd to ask him what -10° felt like. His reply was it felt 9° colder than -1°. (What a mathematician). Probably in 90 days Bob will ask me what 110° feels like? We were fortunate to have Glen Carr judge our Thriantas at the Ft Worth Stock Show. We had 34 reds and 5 exhibitors. Carrol Hooks won with a SR buck. In March, at our TRBA State Show, we were again honored to have club Director Tim Branham judge our 20 reds. Club Director Josh Humphries and running mate, Rusty Westhoff, were judging other breeds at the same show. Our club membership keeps increasing with several new members being ARBA judges. This interest, along with several other top breeders of other breeds, will help improve the Thrianta breed. A huge plus for the Thrianta is that four of our club officers are judges. "In the beginning"... only a couple years ago, most judges comments and placing of classes were based on the best Florida white body and a close to flyback coat of fur. Now about all judges comments and placing are on the body, type of head & ears, richness of color, belly color and roll back fur. Our club member judges, promoters, and exhibitors should be commended for all their efforts in improving the quality of judging.

Hope your nest boxes are full of Red Beauties!

HELLO ALL YOU LITTLE RED RABBIT RAISERS: WELL IT HAS BEEN SO HECTIC AROUND THE MIDWEST THAT IT ISN'T WORTH TALKING ABOUT! ONE DAY IT IS TIME TO GO TO A SHOW AND FIVE MINUTES LATER IT IS SNOWING LIKE *#e%! MOST OF THE BREEDERS HERE SAY THEY CAN'T GET THEIR RABBITS TO STICK I'M HAVING THE SAME PROBLEMS! I HOPE EVERYONE ELSE ISN'T HAVING THE SAME PROBLEMS THAT WE IN THE MIDWEST ARE HAVING! OH I KNOW ONE GUY THAT NEVER HAS THIS PROBLEM HE LIVES IN THE BOTTOM PART OF TEXAS! OH YES, BY THE WAY HE IS KNOWN AS "BOB LLOYD'S BEST BUDDY" HIS NAME IS DUANE HOLMAN AND HE IS ONE OF THE NICEST RABBIT RAISERS AROUND! I WENT TO DEWITT, IOWA ON SUNDAY 3/02/08 AND ON THE WAY HOME IT STARTED TO SNOW. I GET UP MONDAY MORNING AND WE GOT ANOTHER 5 INCHES OF SNOW! I DON'T THINK WINTER WILL EVER END. WELL SO LONG FOR NOW AND THANK YOU AGAIN FOR LETTING ME BE YOUR DIRECTOR.

Bob Lloyd



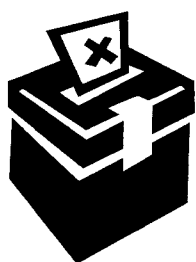
A Raffle "Thank You"...

Hello everyone!!! Just wanted to update you all on the fabulous Thriantas that came to California by way of the first ever Thrianta Raffle in Grand Rapids, Michigan. First I do, again, want to thank all the breeders who donated rabbits and Amanda Pitsch for putting it all together, and, Chris Hemp for bringing them to me. When I sent Amanda my ticket money I kept joking about how to get them out to the West Coast, just in case I won. You cannot imagine my surprise at the phone call from the Breakfast!!! I really could not believe it, and, after last year, well it was just way more than I ever hoped for...I was just stunned!!!

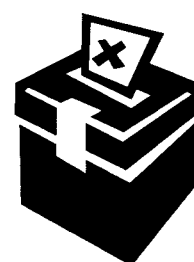
So, I want to thank Cheryl Sugar for Red Sky's "Red Buttons" #N2G1. He is a really nice, short, plump little buck. He has one kit w/Amanda and 2 litters due on March 3rd. I also want to thank Kim Glass for Rood's Amanda #WA5. She has just one kit but was a terrific foster mom for 2 Chocolate Havanas too. She is the friendliest rabbit...climbs right out of the cage to be held. And, thanks to Carol Carney for Wazzata's "Razzberry" #7RS4. She is a beautiful doe and has a litter of 5 born Jan. 30th. They are all just beautiful rabbits. I cannot tell you what a jump they will be to my breeding program and to all the other breeders out here. Thank you, thank you, thank you!!!

And, to start the ball rolling for Kentucky, I will bring a Thrianta to donate for the 2008 raffle. What goes around comes around, right?

----- Dera Oldofredi----- Hares Everywhere-----San Martin, CA-----



NOTICE OF ATRBA ELECTION



The offices of President, and three Directors are up for election this year. If you are interested in seeking any of these offices, you must contact the ATRBA Secretary office for an official "Letter of Intent". The "Letter of Intent" must be completed and returned to the Secretary's office by June 15TH in order for your name to be included on the official ballot. You must be a member of the club for one year in order to be eligible for election. To request the "Letter of Intent", contact the secretary by phone 254-721-2909 or by email at: cghooks@embarqmail.com

**NEW & RENEWAL MEMBERS
11-27-07 THROUGH 3-31-08**

RENEWAL MEMBERS	STATE
ALLEN & KARINA ANDERSON	PA
BRIGETTE ARMSTRONG	OK
LYNN E BAKER	OR
MARY ESTHER BETSON	MT
ED BOUTWELL	OH
ALLEN & TAMMY BUSH	MA
ANTHONY CAMPBELL	OR
ETHEL DAUGHERTY	WA
MICHAEL FURNAS	IN
KIMBERLEY & SARAH GLASS	MI
LEE KELLY	NY
GARY & YVONNE MICHAUD	KS
SARA MICHAUD	KS
DIANE & ALLISON MINGER	NY
WILLIS & MARY OTTO	CAN
MATT GHOLDEN & JILL PFAFF	OR
AMANDA PITSCHE	MI
MEG WHITEHOUSE	NJ
HILARY & LISA WITTROCK	WA
BESSIE YEARY	TX
SUSAN YEARY	TX
DWIGHT & MARION KAMM	KS
NEW MEMBERS	STATE
BILL & TAMMY ASHLEY	OH
TERI ASHLEY	OH
CHRIS & MORGAN BOES	OH
TERRY C CREASON	MO
DAN DAUGHERTY	WA
C, K, J & N FAUCETT	IN
TRACY L FRABLE	PA
DONALD & JANET FURNAS	IN
JASON HAAS	PA
REAGAN T & DEB HALL	IA
CASEY JONES	CA
AMY KRIEBEL	PA
LYNNE & ANTHONY MANDILE	MA
BOB MC BEE	TX
LUKE RANDOLPH	TX
BONNIE ROWAN	CA
LORY-ANN RUBINSTEIN	NC
JOHNA RYPCZYNSKI/DUSTI HICKS	MT
ALEX SESTEK	PA
STEVE & JACKIE SHARMAN	CAN
SETH SLOMSKI	IN
DANIELLE VAN SLYKE	NY
LESLIE TUCKER	CA
DR. SCOTT WILLIAMSON	CA
GEORGE W ZEDLITZ	NC
BROOKE PAUTZ	MN

**MEMBERSHIP CONTEST
FIGURES THRU 3/31/08**

9 NEW MEMBERS:

Glen Carr
Anne Ott

4 NEW MEMBERS:

Glass/Pitch, Kim/Amanda
Carrol Hooks

3 NEW MEMBERS:

Duane Holman
Lee Kelly
David Mangione
Nancy Richmond

2 NEW MEMBERS:

Michael Furnas
Bob Lloyd

1 NEW MEMBER:

Elaine Harvey
Dera Oldofredi
Susan Origer
Teri Reymann
Amy Williams

Our membership contest runs from July 1 through June 30. If you wish to participate and need applications, contact club secretary or print from web site.

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ATRBA SHOW REPORTS THROUGH MARCH 3, 2008

DATE	SHOW	# SHOWN	BOB	WINNER	BOS	WINNER
10/28/07	NEW ENGLAND RCSC	18	SR DOE	SHEILA SCAGNELLI	SR BK	LEE KELLY
10/28/07	CUYAHOGA COUNTY RCBA	11	SR BK	HAROLD DORRINGTON	SR DOE	ABBY POHTO
11/3/07	TRI-COUNTY RBA - A	13	SR BK	AMANDA JOHNSON	SR DOE	AMANDA JOHNSON
11/3/07	TRI-COUNTY RBA - B	13	SR BK	AMANDA JOHNSON	SR DOE	AMANDA JOHNSON
11/3/08	ARK-LA-TEX RC - A	3	SR BK	STEVE & SHERRY PATTON	SR DOE	STEVE & SHERRY PATTON
11/3/08	MEDINA CTY RBA	7	SR DOE	ABBY POHTO	SR BK	ABBY POHTO
11/4/08	MEDINA CTY RBA	7	SR BK	HAROLD DORRINGTON	SR DOE	ABBY POHTO
11/4/08	TRI-COUNTY RBA	9	SR BK	MICHELLE WARSHAW	SR DOE	ANTHONY MANDILE
11/10/08	WINE COUNTRY RBA	20	SR BK	R & MY SHERRER	SR DOE	ALLISON MINGER
11/10/08	WINDY PLAINS RBA - A	10	JR DOE	DAN,JAN,KRISTEN DANIELS	SR BK	DAN,JAN,KRISTEN DANIELS
11/10/08	WINDY PLAINS RBA - B	11	JR DOE	DAN,JAN,KRISTEN DANIELS	JR BK	DAN,JAN,KRISTEN DANIELS
11/10/08	FAYETTE CTY RP	22	SR BK	HAROLD DORRINGTON	JR DOE	KIMBERLEY GLASS
11/10/08	WHITewater VALLEY RBA	22	JR DOE	KIMBERLEY GLASS	SR BK	HAROLD DORRINGTON
11/10/08	TRI-COUNTY RC OF PA	9	JR DOE	KIM CROAK	SR BK	KIM CROAK
11/11/07	RIVER BEND RBA	16	SR BK	BOB LLOYD	JR DOE	BOB LLOYD
11/11/07	SPRINGFIELD RCB	4	SR DOE	ANDREA ROSS	JR BK	ANDREA ROSS
11/17/07	SUNFLOWER RBA	20	SR BK	BRIGETTE ARMSTRONG	JR DOE	DAN,JAN,KRISTEN DANIELS
11/17/07	TRI-COUNTY RBA - A	4	JR DOE	HOOKS/YEARLY/YEARLY	SR BK	HOOKS/YEARLY/YEARLY
11/17/07	TRI-COUNTY RBA - B	4	JR DOE	HOOKS/YEARLY/YEARLY	SR BK	HOOKS/YEARLY/YEARLY
11/18/07	CALIFORNIA RCS - A	24	SR BK	DERA OLDOFREDI	SR DOE	CARLEE STERLING
11/18/07	CALIFORNIA RCS - B	20	SR BK	DERA OLDOFREDI	SR DOE	CARLEE STERLING
11/18/07	PEORIA AREA RBA	25	SR BK	BOB LLOYD	JR DOE	BOB LLOYD
11/18/07	MANITOU TIPPY CANOE RCA	8	SR BK	MICHAEL FURNAS	JR DOE	JANET FURNAS
11/18/07	LANCASTER TRI-CTY RCF	6	SR BK	FAYTHE MASTON	JR DOE	FAYTHE MASTON
11/23/07	STEPHENS CTY RBA	2	SR DOE	BRIGETTE ARMSTRONG	SR BK	BRIGETTE ARMSTRONG
11/24/07	STEPHENS CTY RBA - A	10	SR BK	BRIGETTE ARMSTRONG	SR DOE	BRIGETTE ARMSTRONG
11/24/07	STEPHENS CTY RBA - B	10	SR BK	BRIGETTE ARMSTRONG	SR DOE	BRIGETTE ARMSTRONG
11/24/07	MICHIGAN STATE RBA	28	SR BK	HAROLD DORRINGTON	JR DOE	CHERYL A SUGAR
11/24/07	NORTH CENTRAL IOWA RF	12	SR BK	KAREN BROUNS	JR DOE	KAREN BROUNS
11/24/07	CRCS - A	2	SR DOE	CARLEE STERLING	SR BK	CARLEE STERLING
11/24/07	CRCS - B	1	JR BK	LESLIE & ALISTON TUCKER	NONE	
11/25/07	ZANESVILLE RBA	8	SR BK	FAYTHE MASTON	SR DOE	FAYTHE MASTON
12/1/07	TX RBA FALL BENEFIT - A	8	SR DOE	HOOKS/YEARLY/YEARLY	SR BK	HOOKS/YEARLY/YEARLY
12/1/07	TX RBA FALL BENEFIT - B	8	SR DOE	HOOKS/YEARLY/YEARLY	SR BK	HOOKS/YEARLY/YEARLY
12/8/07	MID-TEX RBA	15	SR DOE	HOOKS/YEARLY/YEARLY	SR BK	HOOKS/YEARLY/YEARLY
12/8/07	JOHNSON COUNTY RBA	15	SR DOE	HOOKS/YEARLY/YEARLY	SR BK	HOOKS/YEARLY/YEARLY
12/8/07	TBRA/CRCS- A	13	SR BK	DERA OLDOFREDI	JR DOE	DERA OLDOFREDI
12/8/07	TBRA/CRCS-B	9	JR DOE	DERA OLDOFREDI	SR BK	DERA OLDOFREDI
12/9/07	TBRA/CRCS - A	3	SR BK	CHRIS HEMP	SR DOE	DERA OLDOFREDI
12/9/07	TBRA/CRCS - B	4	SR BK	CHRIS HEMP	JR DOE	DERA OLDOFREDI
12/31/08	HUNTINGTON CTY ERP	16	SR BK	CHERYL A SUGAR	SR DOE	CHERYL A SUGAR
1/4/08	PA. STATE FARM SHOW	22	SR DOE	KARINA ANDERSON	SR BK	ELLEN ANDERSON
1/5/08	TEXAS THRiantA RBA - A	20	SR DOE	HOOKS/YEARLY/YEARLY	SR BK	HOOKS/YEARLY/YEARLY
1/5/08	TEXAS THRiantA RBA - B	20	SR DOE	HOOKS/YEARLY/YEARLY	SR BK	HOOKS/YEARLY/YEARLY
1/6/08	ROCHESTER RCA	12	SR BK	TERRI JOHNSON	SR DOE	DIANE MINGER
1/19/08	SONOMA MARIN RA - A	6	JR BK	CASEY JONES	JR DOE	DERA OLDOFREDI
1/19/08	SONOMA MARIN RA - B	6	SR BK	CHRIS HEMP	JR DOE	LESLIE & ALLISON TUCKER
1/26/08	GOLD RUSH RF - A	2	SR	BONNIE SANGER	SR BK	CASEY JONES
1/26/08	GOLD RUSH RF - B	1	SR BK	CASEY JONES	NONE	

ATRBA SHOW REPORTS THROUGH MARCH 3, 2008

DATE	SHOW	# SHOWN	BOB	WINNER	BOS	WINNER
2-1/3-2008	SOUTHWESTERN EXPO	36	SR BK	HOOKS/YEARY/YEARY	SR DOE	HOOKS/YEARY/YEARY
2/2/08	TEXAS THRIANTA RBA	34	SR BK	HOOKS/YEARY/YEARY	SR DOE	HOOKS/YEARY/YEARY
2/2/08	BIG VALLEY RA - A	7	JR DOE	L & A TUCKER	SR BK	PATRICK ALDRIDGE
2/2/08	BIG VALLEY RA - B	7	SR BK	PATRICK ALDRIDGE	SR DOE	PATRICK ALDRIDGE
2/2/08	PENNSYLVANIA STATE RBA-A	52	SR BK	ELLEN ANDERSON	SR DOE	DANIELLE VAN SLYKE
2/2/08	PENNSYLVANIA STATE RBA-B	47	SR BK	DANIELLE VAN SLYKE	SR DOE	TERRI JOHNSON
2/2/08	TRI-B RC - A	NONE		FREE SANCTION DUE		
2/2/08	TRI-B RC - B	NONE		FREE SANCTION DUE		
2/3/08	LIMA RBA	9	SR BK	CHERYL A SUGAR	SR DOE	CHERYL A SUGAR
2/10/08	HUNTINGTON CTY HARE R - A	3	SR BK	CARLA WILSON	SR DOE	CARLA WILSON
2/10/08	HUNTINGTON CTY HARE R - B	3	SR DOE	CARLA WILSON	SR BK	CARLA WILSON
2/10/08	SMOKY HILL RBA	5	SR DOE	PAT ARMSTRONG	SR BK	PAT ARMSTRONG
2/15/08	FLORIDA STATE FAIR	12	JR BK	ANDIE DAILEY	SR DOE	ANDIE DAILEY
2/17/08	PEORIA AREA RBA	10	SR DOE	KIMBERLY GLASS	SR BK	KIMBERLY GLASS
2/23/08	TEXAS THRIANTA RBA - A	10	SR DOE	HOOKS/YEARY/YEARY	SR BK	HOOKS/YEARY/YEARY
2/23/08	TEXAS THRIANTA RBA - B	10	SR DOE	HOOKS/YEARY/YEARY	SR BK	HOOKS/YEARY/YEARY
2/23/08	TRI-STATE RFA	23	SR BK	ANNE OTT	SR DOE	CALLIE WEBER
2/23/08	SOUTHWEST MO HARE RAISERS	1	SR BK	PAT ARMSTRONG	NONE	
2/23/08	SOUTHWEST MO HARE RAISERS	1	SR BK	PAT ARMSTRONG	NONE	
2/24/08	STATE LINE RB	7	JR BK	ABBY POHTO	SR DOE	BRAD BEACH
3/1/08	LOUISIANA RBA	5	SR BK	STEVE & SHERRY PATTON	SR DOE	ZOE PATTON
3/1/08	ROCKIN RABBITS YTH CLUB-A	6	JR DOE	LISA & HILARY WITTRICK	JR BK	KEN PATTERSON
3/1/08	ROCKIN RABBITS YTH CLUB-B	3	SR DOE	KEN PATTERSON	JR BK	KEN PATTERSON
3/1/08	MICHIGAN STATE RBA	29	SR BK	CHERYL SUGAR	JR DOE	KIMBERLEY GLASS
3/2/08	TRI-COUNTY RBA	7	SR DOE	MICHELLE WARSHAW	SR BK	JEAN LOTHROP

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10/28/07	CUYAHOGA CTY RCBA	3		ABBY POHTO
11/4/07	MEDINA CTY RBA	5		ABBY POHTO
11/18/07	CALIFORNIA RCS - A	2		CARLEE STERLING
11/18/07	CALIFORNIA RCS - B	2		CARLEE STERLING
11/24/07	MICHIGAN STATE RBA	2		ABBY POHTO
11/24/07	STEPHENS CTY RBA - A	3		R & V ROBLEDO
11/24/07	STEPHENS CTY RBA - B	3		R & V ROBLEDO
12/1/07	TEXAS RBA FALL BENEFIT- A	8		HOOKS/YEARY/YEARY
12/1/07	TEXAS RBA FALL BENEFIT - B	8		HOOKS/YEARY/YEARY
12/8/07	MID-TEX RBA	8		HOOKS/YEARY/YEARY
12/8/07	JOHNSON CTY RBA	8		HOOKS/YEARY/YEARY
1/5/08	TX THRIANTA RBA -A	8		HOOKS/YEARY/YEARY
1/5/08	TX THRIANTA RBA - B	8		HOOKS/YEARY/YEARY
2-1/3-2008	SOUTHWESTERN EXPO	8		HOOKS/YEARY/YEARY
2/2/08	TEXAS THRIANTA RBA	8		HOOKS/YEARY/YEARY
2/2/08	PENNSYLVANIA STATE RBA	2		ABBY POHTO
2/3/08	PENNSYLVANIA STATE RBA	12		ELAINE HARVEY
2/23/08	TEXAS THRIANTA RBA - A	10		HOOKS/YEARY/YEARY
2/23/08	TEXAS THRIANTA RBA - B	10		HOOKS/YEARY/YEARY
2/24/08	STATE LINE RBA	3		ABBY POHTO
3/1/08	MICHIGAN STATE RBA	2		ABBY POHTO



ATRBA SWEEPSTAKES ~ OPEN

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PLACE	NAME	ST	# SHOWS	PTS
1	HOOKS/YEARLY/YEARLY	TX	19	2832
2	HOLMAN, DUANE	TX	16	2652
3	LLOYD, BOB	IA	4	2390
4	MAIRS, BILL & MARIANNE	CAN	3	1481
5	POHTO, ABBY	OH	19	1481
6	GLASS, KIMBERLEY	MI	11	1369
7	SUGAR, CHERYL	MI	7	920
8	OLDOFREDI, DERA	CA	16	856
9	HARVEY, ELAINE	PA	6	645
10	KELLY, LEEANNE	NY	7	598
11	CARR, GLENN C	IL	1	582
12	DANIELS, DAN & JAN	KS	5	503
13	OTT, ANNE	WA	4	493
14	VAN SLYKE, DANIELLE	NY	3	470
15	GLASS/PITSCH, K / A	MI	3	456
16	CARNEY, CAROLYN	MI	6	427
17	WHITELEY, SUSAN	NY	9	423
18	BRANHAM, TIM & JACQUIE	OH	6	399
19	DORRINGTON, HAROLD	OH	6	397
20	WHITEHOUSE, MEG	NJ	7	358
21	ARMSTRONG, BRIGETTE	OK	4	312
22	MINGER, ALLISON	NY	9	298
23	MINGER, DIANE	NY	9	264
24	ANDERSON, ELLEN	PA	3	250
25	GUSTAFSON, JANICE	IN	5	248
26	COLLINSWORTH, JUDY	TX	4	233
27	PITSCH, AMANDA	MI	6	230
28	PATTERSON, KEN	OR	4	220
29	BAKER, KATHERINE	NY	8	217
30	ROBLEDO, RICHARD & VAL	TX	6	215
31	LYNCH, KITTY	NC	3	201
32	HEMP, CHRIS	CA	13	196
33	TUCKER, LESLIE	CA	11	194
34	WILSON, CARLA	IN	6	184
35	LYONS, SONJA	WA	2	182
36	ARDISON, LESLIE	MA	1	180
37	BROUNS, KAREN	MN	2	157
38	GEORGE, KEVIN	TX	4	154
39	MASTON, FAYTHE	WV	2	150
40	FRABLE, TRACY	PA	2	136
41	HANING, BEN	TX	4	134
42	STERLING, CARLEE	CA	3	127
43	PFAFF/GHOLDEN, J / M	OR	2	122
44	BETSON, MARY ESTHER	MT	3	117
45	STRAIGHT, SANDEE	OK	4	108
46	ANDERSON, KARINA	PA	3	104
47	CAMPBELL, ANTHONY	OR	7	96
48	REYMAN, TERI	CA	2	91
49	ORGANO, SARAH	NJ	1	86
50	STAHL, RICK & NANCY	WA	2	85
51	KAMM, DWIGHT & MARION	KS	5	80

PLACE	NAME	ST	# SHOWS	PTS
52	PATTON, STEVE & SHERRY	LA	4	78
53	MELZER, VELLA	NY	1	75
54	MICHAUD, GARY & SARA	KS	1	67
55	GUSTAFSON, RYAN	IN	1	64
56	DOCHERTY, MARY	MI	3	63
57	HALL, DEB	IA	2	60
58	LASLEY, JOHN	IN	6	58
59	SCAGNELLI, SHEILA	CT	4	57
60	EDWARDS, DAVE & MARCIA	VT	3	54
61	MITCHELL, RHIANNON	MT	3	54
62	POHTO, SUSAN	OH	1	49
63	HINDE, CYNTHIA	CA	2	46
64	JONES, CASEY	CA	6	45
65	MIXDORF, ERIC & SHARON	IA	3	42
66	ROSS, ANDREA	OH	1	40
67	GILBERT, LAURA	TX	4	38
68	BOES, MORGAN	OH	2	36
69	BIRKY, NATHAN	IN	1	32
70	FURNAS, MICHAEL	IN	1	30
71	KUDLACIK, RICK	NY	2	26
72	WITTRICK, LISA & HILARY	WA	2	24
73	MANDILE, ANTHONY	MA	1	23
74	WYSS, JOSHUA	OH	1	23
75	CUMMINGS, MARVIN	FL	1	21
76	ELKINS, DEANNA	WA	1	21
77	OTT, MERRILL	WA	2	20
78	ORGANI, ANNE	NJ	2	18
79	HARVEY, JEREMY	PA	1	17
80	FURNAS, JANET	IN	1	12
81	MANDILE, LYNNE	MA	1	12
82	BAKER, SANDRA	NY	5	9
83	JANKE, JOHN & DONNA	MI	1	8
84	PATTON, SHERRY	LA	1	8
85	KENDALL, KENNETH	MI	1	7
86	ROSS, GINNY	OH	1	6
87	DAUGHERTY, ETHEL	WA	1	5

OPEN FUR

1	HOOKS/YEARLY/YEARLY	TX	15	1942
2	POHTO, ABBY	OH	7	318
3	HARVEY, ELAINE	PA	1	120
4	ROBLEDO, R & V	TX	3	115
5	GLASS, KIM	MI	1	80
6	BRANHAM, TIM & JACQUIE	TN	1	60
7	GLASS/PITSCH, K / A	MI	1	40
8	STERLING, CARLEE	CA	2	40
9	GLASS, SARAH	MI	1	20
10	ANDERSON, ELLEN	PA	1	12

ATRBA SWEEPSTAKES ~ YOUTH

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PLACE	NAME	ST	# SHOWS	PTS
1	HOGUE, STACI	CA	4	349
2	GLASS, SARA	MI	9	288
3	WADE, ALEXIS	MI	3	250
4	WADE LACEY	MI	5	224
5	WILLIAMS, AIMEE	CA	5	221
6	GUSTAFSON, RYAN	IN	2	130
7	COPUS, MADDY	WA	5	101
8	SLIGHTOM, SIERRA	CA	4	98
9	FURNAS, MICHAEL	IN	2	72
10	HOLDERMAN, SYDNEY	WA	1	46
11	HOLDERMAN, HUNTER	WA	1	41
12	WILLIAMS, SARA	CA	4	25
13	SESTOK, ALEXANDRIA	PA	1	16
14	SPICER, PHILIP	MI	1	10

YOUTH FUR - NONE

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◆ Netherland Dwarfs

◆ Silvers

◆ Polish

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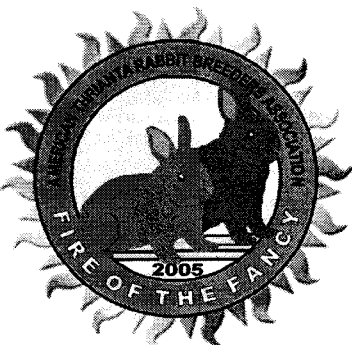
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ATRBA GUIDE BOOK IN THE WORKS

Your ATRBA Board of Directors are pleased to announce that work has begun on our first Guide Book. The editors for this project will be Valerie Robledo (newsletter editor) and Bob Whitman (ATRBA president). We hope to have it ready by early to mid 2008. So having said that, there is not a great deal of time to work on soliciting articles, pictures and selling the advertising spaces. We are calling upon our membership, of nearly 200 strong, to fully support this important endeavor. The size of the Guide Book will be 5 ½ x 8 ½ inches. The number of pages will depend on the support we receive through articles, photos and ads, but we certainly will produce a book that the membership present and future will be proud to receive. This first edition will be in circulation for at least 5 years, so your advertising dollar will be well spent.

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Business Card \$25.00	\$30.00	N/A
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½ Page \$70.00	\$50.00	½ Page \$90.00
Full Page \$120.00	\$100.00	Full Page \$200.00

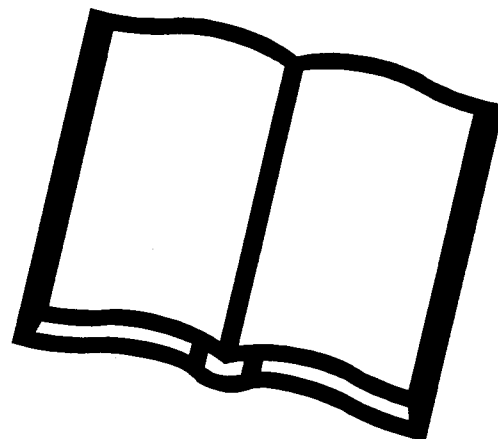
Typesetting is available, contact Valerie Robledo to make arrangements. Please email or send your ads and check (made payable to: ATRBA) to the address below.

What's Going To Be In The Guide Book?

Some of the items will include; complete history of the breed from start to present, club history, winners circle, what to breed and look for in the Thrianta, Standard of Perfection, Constitution and By-Laws, housing, breeding, feeding. We would like to have a listing of Grand Champions, so if you have the legs needed to grand your animal, get them registered and sent in to be listed. Also we would like to have short essays on you and your Thrianta rabbitry, with perhaps a photo of two for a section of the book. Let's all strive to make this, our first Guide Book top notch.

Send your ads & check, articles and photos to:
Valerie Robledo, 2834 Garden Oak Pl., Grand Prairie, TX 75052 or
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UPCOMING ATRBA SANCTIONED OPEN SHOWS

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Penn-Ohio RB

Location Single Open
Lisbon, OH
Sec Terry L Gatrell
2957 St Rt 9
Salem, OH 44460
330-222-2747

04-05 Johnson Cty RBA Double Open

Location Belton, TX
Sec Gay Sparks
1849 CR 242
Dublin, TX 76446
254-445-3559

04-05/06 California RCBA Triple Open

Location Fresno, CA
Sec Louis Painter
1979 7th St
Oroville, CA 95965

04-06 Williams Cty RBA Single Open

Location Montpelier, OH
Sec Amie Dick
13406 Rd M
Montpelier, OH 43543
419-485-5118

04-12 Yakima Valley RBA Double Open

Location Yakima, WA
Sec Denise Konzek
627 S Union
Kennewick, WA 99336
509-783-9902

04-12 4 County RC

Location Single Open
Brenham, TX
Sec Phyllis Hensen
P O Box 98
Somerville, TX 77879
phensen@usa.net

04-13 California RCSI Double Open

Location Daly City, CA
Sec Allen Mesick
3995 Black Mountain Rd
Tollhouse, CA 93667
EurekaMohair@aol.com

04-19 South Texas RBA

Location Single Open
Yoakum, TX
Sec Carolyn Wright
108 Justin Davis Lane
Smithville, TX 78957
512-237-4164

04-19 Catskill Region RCC

Location Single Open
Rhinebeck, NY
Sec Ann Bivins
126 Mutton Hill Rd
Neversink, NY 12765
kwbivinsfamily@netzero.net

04-19/20 Cedar Rapids RBA Double Open

Location Amana, IA
Sec Leone Rusbult
P O Box 113
Parnell, IA 52325
leonerusbult@yahoo.com

Tuscaerawas Cty RBA

Location Single Open
Dover, OH
Sec Deborah A Brown
3386 Henderson School RD
New Philadelphia, OH 44663
330-343-8407
okhaven@tusco.net

Heart of New York RBA & Rochester RBCBA Double Open Show

Location Fulton, NY
Sec Venita M Ackley
422 Kipp Rd
Parish, NY 13131
vackley@dreamscape.com

NATIONAL THRIANTA SHOW

Location Single Open
Columbus, OH
Sec: Jacquie Branham
6449 Snidercrest Rd
Mason, OH 45040
513-398-8365
trmbranham@aol.com

Ohio State RBA

Location Single Youth
Columbus, OH
Sec Marie Waite
46350 Merriam Rd
Wellington, OH 44090
440-647-3897

05-03 Three Corners RC Double Open

Location Russell, KS
Sec Lloyd Kottman
1130 E Ash Dr
Ellsworth, KS 67439
threecornerssrc@yahoo.com

W Rabbit Breeders

Location Double Open
Monroe, WA
Sec Sue Marchetti
20601 Lk Frontal Rd
Monroe, WA 98272
Vern-sue@mandsrabbits.com

Ohio State RBA

Location Single Open
Columbus, OH
Sec Jeff Glick
P O Box 242
Arlington, OH 45814
jglick@who.rr.com

Finger Lakes RBA

Location Single Open
Canandaigua, NY
Sec Diane Minger
236 RT 88 South
Newark, NY 14513
315-331-2647
minger@eznet.net

Central CT RCBA

Location Single Open
North Haven, CT
Sec Ina Mae Schmidt
4 Bishop St
North haven, CT 06473
203-494-0234

Western Michigan RBA

Location Double Open
Ionia, MI
Sec Deb Snyder
2493 E Coral Rd
Edmore, MI 48829

Texas Thrianta RBA

Location Single Open
San Angelo, TX
Sec Carrol Hooks
8761 Aycock Rd
Moody, TX 76557
cghooks@embarqmail.com

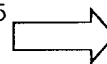
West Texas RBA

Location Single Open
San Angelo
Sec Nicole Kelley
P O Box 1379
Ozona, TX 76943
325-392-3355

05-17 Berks Cty RCBA

Location Single Open
Leesport, PA
Sec Wayne Bechdel
117 Hollow Rd
Lock Haven, PA 17745
570-769-6059

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05-17 Central Mass. RBN
Single Open
Location Sturbridge, MA
Sec Dennis Cronin
17 June St
Auburn, MA 01501
508-799-2278

05-18 Stark County RCBA
Double Open
Location Canton, OH
Sec Kristi Golden
10555 Mapleton St SE
East Canton, OH 44730

05-24 Northeastern Penn RCBA
Single Open
Location Harford, Pennsylvania
Sec Venita M Ackley
422 kipp Rd
Parish, NY 13131
vackley@dreamscape.com

05-24/25 Garden City RBA
Triple Open
Location Missoula, MT
Sec Helen Eden
P O Box 402
Corvallis, MT 59828
406-363-6252

06-01 Ct. RBA
Single Open
Location North Haven, CT
Sec Ina-Mae Schmidt
4 Bishop St
North Haven, CT
203-494-0234

06-01 Central PA RBA
Single Open
Location State College, PA
Sec Lois Rawlings
P O Box 36
Mill Creek, PA 17060

Mohawk Valley RCBA
Single Open
Location Frankfort, NY
Sec Roger A Cota
10027 US Hwy 20
West Winfield, NY 13491
315-822-3050
rawlingsatin@verizon.net

06-14 Sunflower RBA
Single Open
Location Wichita, KS
Sec Nancy Kennedy
2484 151st. Rd
Atlanta, KS 67008
620-394-2469

06-21 Washington State RBA
Double Open
Location Ellensburg, WA
Sec Denise M Konzek
627 S Union
Kennewick, WA 99336
509-783-9902

08-16 Iowa State Fair
Single Open
Location Des Moines, IA
Sec Myron W Dinsdale
Main St. 112 North
Traer, IA 50675
641-751-5316

09-13 River Valley RC
Single Open
Location South Bend, IN
Sec Pat Glenn
502 W Berry Ave
Mishawaka, IN 46545
574-257-9124

09-20 South Jersey RCBA
Double Open
Location Mullica Hill, NJ
Sec Mary Ann Lafferty
1564 New Brooklyn Rd
Williamstown, NJ 08094
856-629-7043

10-11 Tri-Cities RA
Double Open
Location Kennewick, WA
Sec Denise Konzek
627 S Union
Kennewick, WA 99336
509-783-9902

12-06 Texas RBA Fall Benefit Show
Double Open
Location Belton, TX
Sec Carrol Hooks
8761 Aycock Rd
Moody, TX 76557
cghooks@embarqmail.com

Mid-Tex RBA
Single Open
Location Killeen, TX
Sec Carrol Hooks
8761 Aycock Rd
Moody, TX 76557
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REMEMBER TO EMAIL
CLEAR PICTURES
FROM YOUR
LOCAL SHOWS TO BE
INCLUDED IN THE
ATRBA NEWSLETTER.
INCLUDE DETAILS OF
PEOPLE FEATURED IN
THE PHOTOS ALONG
WITH ANY RABBIT
INFORMATION AS WELL.
PHOTOS OF RABBITRIES
ARE WELCOME ALSO!

ATRBA Youth In The News

Greetings Youth Thrianta Breeders!

This page is reserved for you but I can't fill it unless YOU submit articles and pictures! The youth breeder's across America (and I hear that we have a few International breeders as well) are waiting to hear from you! Share with us your stories. Just email them to me, your Newsletter Editor, and I will place them here in the next issue!



Thanks for helping out...
and remember that an article in this newsletter will satisfy a "national" 4-H objective in your record books!



UPCOMING ATRBA SANCTIONED YOUTH SHOWS RECEIVED THRU 3/31/08 (cont.)

04-05/06	California RCBA Triple Youth Location Fresno, CA Sec Louis Painter 1979 7 th St Oroville, CA 95965	04-13	California RCSI Double Open Location Daly City, CA Sec Allen Mesick 3995 Black Mountain Rd Tollhouse, CA 93667 EurekaMohair@aol.com	05-03	NATIONAL THRIANTA SHOW Single Youth Location Columbus, OH Sec Jacquie Branham 6449 Snidercrest Rd Mason, OH 45040 513-398-8365 trmbranham@aol.com
	Osceola RCBA Single Youth Location Evert, MI Sec Sherry S Garrett 17497 14 Mile Rd LeRoy, MI 49655 231-468-9651	04-19	South Texas RBA Single Youth Location Yoakum, TX Sec Carolyn Wright 108 Justin Davis Lane Smithville, TX 78957 512-237-4164		Ohio State RBA Single Youth Location Columbus, OH Sec Marie Waite 46350 Merriam Rd Wellington, OH 44090 440-647-3897
	Williams Cty RBA Single Youth Location Montpelier, OH Sec Lana Johns 07578 St Rt 249 Hicksville, OH 43526 419-658-2769		Tuscaerawas Cty RBA Single Youth Location Dover, OH Sec Deborah A Brown 3386 Henderson School RD New Philadelphia, OH 44663 330-343-8407 okhaven@tusco.net		Ohio State RB Single Youth Location Columbus, OH Sec Bonnie Saunier 6071 Unity St Louisville, OH 44641 Ra-dan@neo.rr.com
04-12	Grand National Stock Show Double Youth Location San Francisco Sec Allen Mesick P O Box 34206 San Francisco, CA 94134 415-404-4142			05-17	Berks Cty RCBA Single Youth Location Leesport, PA Sec Wayne Bechdel 117 Hollow Rd Lock Haven, PA 17745 570-769-6059

SECOND ANNUAL THRIANTA NATIONAL SHOW

May 3, 2008 - Ohio Expo Center - Columbus, OH

Entry Fees - Open & Youth: Class \$5.00 - Fur - \$2.00

Show Superintendent - Tim Branham

Show Secretary - Jacquie Branham

Judge - Phil Woollet

Our second National Thrianta show will be a *day of show entry* on Saturday, May 3, 2008, followed by an Ohio State RBA all breed show. They will also have an all breed show on Sunday. This will give everyone an opportunity to show their Thriantas three times over the weekend. Cooping will be provided, but you will need to bring your own feed and water cups. All animals entered in this show must be cooped. We plan to have a very nice raffle and ask that our members bring raffle items. ATRBA Merchandise will be for sale, including patches, polo shirts, aprons, etc. Please try to join us for this very special occasion.

Trophies/Awards for our National Thrianta Show on Saturday. There will be awards of glassware for our 1st through 5th place class winners. Vice-president Glenn Carr has donated \$10.00 for each 1st place class winner in Open and Youth. Awards will be given for Open and Youth Best of Breed, Best Opposite Sex and 1st place Fur. All donations to help with the expense of the show will be greatly appreciated. Send donations to ATRBA - 8761 Aycock Road - Moody, TX 76557.

Ohio State RBA - For information on lodging and the all breed shows, visit their web site at www.osrba.net. You can look up the info you need or print out the full catalog.

Thrianta National - For more information on our Thrianta National, contact Tim or Jacquie Branham at tmbranham@aol.com or call 513-348-8365.

Official American Rabbit Breeders Association Open & Youth Sanctioned Show:

Brad Boyce, Executive Director, P O Box 5667, Bloomington, IL 61702.

Dues: Individual \$15 year, \$40 - 3 years. Husband/Wife \$20 year, \$50 - 3 years.

Youth Dues: \$8 year, \$20 - 3 years. Open Sanction \$20, Youth \$10.

Official American Thrianta RBA Open & Youth Sanctioned Show:

Carrol Hooks, Secretary, 8761 Aycock Road, Moody, TX 76557.

Dues: Adult \$10 year, Youth \$7 year, Foreign add \$10 year.

Open Sanction \$10, Youth Sanction \$7.

PLAN TO ATTEND THE ARBA NATIONAL CONVENTION,
LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY ON OCTOBER 26 - 30, 2008.

HOPE TO SEE YOU IN COLUMBUS, OHIO MAY 3, 2008.

AMERICAN THRIANTA RBA SHOW SANCTION REQUEST

Date of Show _____ Location of Show (City & St) _____

Sponsoring Club _____

Show Secretary _____

Secretary Full Address _____

Secretary E-Mail – _____
Very Important - All Sanctions are sent by email if email address provided, if not they are sent by USPS.

Sec Telephone Number/s _____

Please list number of sanctions being requested:

___ Open Sanction/s – ARBA Open Sanction Number/s _____ x \$10.00 each = _____

___ Youth Sanction/s – ARBA Youth Sanction Number/s _____ x \$7.00 each = _____

Check Number _____ **Total Amount Enclosed -** _____

Send to: ATRBA - 8761 Aycock Road - Moody, TX 76557

Please request your sanction a minimum of 30 days prior to your show. If you have questions or need additional information, please contact ATRBA Sec. Carrol Hooks, 254-986-2331 or cghooks@embarqmail.com.

Thanks for sanctioning our breed and good luck with your show.

www.atrba.net

AMERICAN THRIANTA RBA – MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Mail to: Carrol Hooks, 8761 Aycock Road, Moody, TX 76557 Ph 254-986-2331
E-mail: cghooks@embarqmail.com

CIRCLE MEMBERSHIP BELOW

IF MORE THAN ONE PERSON, LIST ALL NAMES BELOW

Single adult - \$10.00 per Year Single Youth \$ 7.00 per year (Must include birth-date below)

Husband/Wife or 2 People at the Same Address -- \$15.00 per year

For Each Additional Adult or Youth in Excess of 2 at the Same Address, Add \$5.00 Per Year.

Foreign Membership (including Canada) Add \$10 per year Service Fee.

I hereby make application for membership in the ATRBA and agree to abide by its Constitution and By-Laws. Enclosed is the membership fee as circled above.

Name (s): _____

ARBA Membership # _____

Youth Birthdates: _____

Street Address: _____

City, State & Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Recommended By: _____