2025 ARBA Convention

MINI-GUIDE



Open & Youth Judging

We are excited to present Steven Buell and Travis Finkle as our convention judges!



Awards will be provided by NARBC and ARBA at the Convention Show.

SOFT DESTRUCE

NARBC ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

NARBC Annual Membership Meeting will be held on Tuesday November 18th, 2025 at 8:00AM in M2. We look forward to seeing you there!

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NARBC SILENT AUCTION

Our banquet will host a silent auction.
This is a fun opportunity to bring something that could support the club in a specific way - NARBC, Hall of Fame, Youth Scholarship, Research & Development, Awards Fund. The donor decides how their proceeds are donated to the club.

NARBC RAFFLE

NARBC will host a raffle at our booth.
Please consider bringing an item or two
to donate! All proceeds will go to
NARBC.

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NARBC BANQUET: 2025

Join us for an evening together of angora comradery and wool filled delight on ____Monday November 17th 6:00 PM at:



Reservations are required. A \$15 deposit per attendee is due with your reservation. Your deposit will be **returned at the banquet when you attend.** If you do not attend, the deposit will be kept to cover costs.



Cancellation policy: You may cancel on or before Monday, November 10 to receive a refund of your deposit. After November 10, deposits are nonrefundable.

Dinner Details

- Order from the regular menu with separate checks for each attendee.
- A 20% gratuity will be added to each check.
- View the menu: Click Here!

Reserve your seats

- Complete the reservation form: Click Here!
- Mail-In Deposit (preferred): Mail \$15 per attendee to June Abbott, 199 Fisher Drive, Mount Airy, NC 27030
- Or send via **PayPal to NARBC, INC.** Include "Banquet Deposit" and attendee name(s) in the note.

Don't forget the silent auction- support our wonderful hobby by donating something special. The silent auction will be held during the banquet!

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VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

We are still seeking more Host Team members for the following:

- Banquet Chair
- Raffle Chair
- Breed Secretary

We have several opportunities for anyone to help out and support!

- booth volunteers
- raffle ticket sales
- rabbit runners for the show

Feel free to contact Andrea Evans!

Thank you for your consideration!



WOOL SKEIN AND GARMENT CONTEST

This year the National Angora Rabbit Breeder Club will host a fabulous Wool Skein & Garment contest Including our Specialty Classes featuring selected Knit and Crochet patterns:

Crochet Category

Beginner pattern: https://ravel.me/fern-25

Intermediate/Advanced pattern: https://ravel.me/enchanted-poncho

Knit Category

Beginner pattern: https://ravel.me/afetos

Intermediate/Advanced pattern: https://ravel.me/cables--lace-beret

Convention Host Team

Breed Chairs- Jennifer Richardson and Andrea Evans
Silent Auction Chair- Jill Ertl
Grooming Room Chair- Yvonne Lyons
Mini Convention Guide Writer- Andrea Evans
Convention Angora Spiritwear Chairs- Jen Richardson
and Yvonne Lyons
Welcome Center Chair- Lauren Cody
Booth Décor Chairs- June Abbott and Deb Clemens
Awards Chair- Laura Clark

Wool Skein & Garment-Vanessa Rich

Make sure to stop by our booth while at convention!

Checkout our raffle and visit with other fanciers of the fiber!

APPBARAL COMING SOONS

Victory Pass is the NARBC's official Convention Gear Vendor!!!!

Check out our swag!
CLICK!



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NARBC Wool-Skein-Garment Contest Mini Guide ARBA Covention Indianapolis, Indiana

November 17, 2025

Official WSG Rules & Sweepstakes, National Angora Rabbit Breeders Club, Inc.



WSG RULES & INFORMATION

Note: Refer to the NARBC WSG Contest Rules & Guidelines for more contest information.

1. Check-in entries will be taken at the NARBC WSG booth, November 15, 2025 from 10am to 4pm, at which time entries will be closed. LATE ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

Mail In entries will be accepted. Please email Vanessa Rich: gigglinggoatcreations@gmail.com

- 2.Entry fees are to be paid at the time of entry. Entry fee is \$5.00 per item. The following forms of payment are accepted: Cash, Check payable to NARBC, or PayPal (NARBC@yahoo.com)
- 3. Judging will take place on November 17, 2025, starting at 9:00 a.m. Location of Judging will be posted in the NARBC WSG booth at Convention. The host committee reserves the right to adjust the judging date/time; however, the entry deadline remains the same.
- 4.All wool, skeins, and garments will be released on November 18, 2025, between 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM Checkout procedures must be followed by all exhibitors. Exhibitors are to collect their items, verify with the host WSG committee chair, and sign the entry form upon receipt of all items returned. NARBC, ARBA, and the host committees are not responsible for theft or damage during the 2025 ARBA Convention.
- 5. Entries must be picked up no later than November 18, 2025, at 2:00 PM.
- 6.Results will be reported in The Angora News and posted on the NARBC website. Results may also be announced at either the NARBC banquet or the annual membership meeting, to be determined by the host club.

Entry Form NARBC WSG Contests 2025 ARBA Convention Indianapolis, Indiana

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| Indicate the number of items entered in each class: | | | | | | | |
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| | 1.Spinner's Sample | ner's SampleA1 | | _B1 | C1 | D1 | |
| | 2.Whole Fleece | A2 | | _B2 | C2 | D2 | |
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| | <u>SKEIN</u> . | | | GARMENT / PIECEWORK | | | |
| A. | 100% Angora- white or natural color1. Singles; or two-ply, fine and even as possible2. Two or three-ply, medium or bulky3. Other ply or novelty | | | A. Large Wearable (Sweater, Vest, Shawl) 1. 100% Angora2. Combo Angora & Other Fiber B. Small Wearable (Mittens, Scarf, Hat, Cowl)1. 100% Angora2. Combo Angora & Other Fiber C Baby/Children's Item D Cottage (A commercially spun yarn with a minimum of 50% Angora) E. Handwoven Wearable1. Large Wearable2. Small Wearable F. Felted Wearable (Note if Wet Felted or Needle Felted)1. Large Wearable2. Small Wearable G Novelty (Toys, Jewelry, Wall Hanging, Afghan, Felted Item) H. Processed Fibers (Batts)1. Blended Batts2. Textured Batts3. Art Batts4. Color Scheme Batt, w/ Picture Inspiration | | | |
| В. С. | 100% Angora- dyed1. Singles; or two-ply,2. Two or three-ply, m3. Other ply or novelty Blended Angora - natu | | | | | | |
| | (min 50% Angora)1. Singles; or two-ply, fine and even as possible2. Two or three-ply, medium or bulky3. Other ply or novelty | | | | | | |
| D. | Angora plied with other Angora)1. Singles; or two-ply, m2. Two or three-ply, m3. Other ply or novelty | | | | | | |
| E. | Novice spinner - Anything goes! (Spinning 1 year or less, or under age 18) | | | | | | |
| | items entered in the | WSG Contest ha | ave be | en return | | ate | |