



The Original Pullet Surprise Youth Contest

An extraordinary opportunity for young people with an interest in poultry....

In an attempt to promote the breeding and exhibition of purebred poultry among Wisconsin's youth, the Wisconsin International Poultry Club invites interested youth to apply for the Pullet Surprise.

The lucky winners in each of three categories will receive a pair of show quality purebred fowl, complete with an incubator, caging, feed, and a copy of The American Standard of Perfection, all of which will be presented at the 2008 Wisconsin International Poultry Club Show. Birds will be provided by members of the Wisconsin International Poultry Club.

Contest Rules

Applicants must be between the ages of 8 and 18 as of January 1, 2008.

Entries will be divided into three groups: Please give age as of January 1, 2008.

Junior 8-11 years old
Intermediate 12-14 years old
Senior 15-18 years old

Each applicant must submit an entry of 500 words or less on one of the following topics:

“Why I Want to Raise Exhibition Poultry”

“Flocking Together- The People I Have Met, The Places I Have Been”

“A Humorous Poultry Experience” Fact or Fiction

“My Most Memorable Moment in Poultry”

“An Original Poultry Poem”

*** **Entries that exceed 500 words will not be considered.** ***

Applicants must send their name, address, telephone number, email address, birthdate, entry, and parent's or guardian's signature postmarked by Aug. 25, 2008 to:

Barbara Gromacki
Wisconsin APA-ABA Youth Program Advisor
27225 Ketterhagen Road
Burlington, WI 53105

Winners will be selected by a committee designated by the Wisconsin International Poultry Club. All decisions are final.

Winners and their parents or guardians are **required** to attend the award presentation to be held during the Youth Show at the 2008 WIPC Show on Saturday, September 27, 2008 at the Columbia County Fairgrounds, Portage, WI.