

2018 ABEC ARAUCANA FUTURITY

GENERAL RULES & INFORMATION

1. Owners/Exhibitors of all entries must be members in good standing of ABEC.
2. 2018 ABEC Araucana Futurity entries may be either large fowl or bantam Araucana . There will be two divisions for large fowl Araucana. 1) APA approved varieties (BB Red, Black, White, GDW, SDW). 2) All-Other-Variety large fowl Araucana birds. There will be two divisions for bantam Araucana. 1) APA or ABA approved varieties (see Standard description). 2) All-Other-Variety bantam Araucana birds. The 2018 ABEC Futurity date is November 17-18, 2018.
3. 2018 ABEC Araucana Futurity entries must include at least 3 photos and a description of the bird nominated. Your nomination must be for a specific bird. Violation of this will result in forfeiting entry money and disqualification of entry. All birds entered must be hatched in the year 2018 on or after January 1st. Exhibitors can enter as many individual Araucana as they wish.
4. Entry is to be made by the owner or breeder. CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP of the entry does not disqualify it, provided the buyer is, or becomes, a member of ABEC and the seller notifies the futurity committee of the transaction. All entries must be identified by an ABEC supplied wing band.
5. Entries for the 2018 ABEC Araucana Futurity MUST BE RECEIVED OR POSTMARKED BY August 15th with the initial entry fee of \$10.00 which shall be an office fee to cover normal office expenses and awards. Late entries accepted until September 1st for an additional \$25 late fee (\$35 total including the nomination fee). All late fees are added back to the purse of either bantams or large fowl. Subsequent payments of \$10 are due on each bird entered on September 15th and November 15th, 2018. Total of the entry fees is \$30 with \$20 of each entry fee jackpotted and \$10 of each total entry retained for office expenses, awards, etc. If an exhibitor wishes they may make their futurity payment in full for a one time payment of \$25, nonrefundable, on August 15, 2018.
6. ABEC reserves the right to cancel a futurity class if less than FIVE entries are received. (Entry fees will then be refunded.)
7. 2018 ABEC Araucana Futurity will be held during and in conjunction with the 2018 APA National Show at Shawnee, Oklahoma. The futurity placings will be the same as the sanctioned judges placings for the regular show unless the placings of the actual entrants is not clear. Any further judging needed will be done AFTER the corresponding regular (open) show class and by the same judge if available. JUDGES DECISIONS ARE FINAL!
8. ABEC Araucana Futurity entries that exhibit at the 2018 APA National Show will be divided into four divisions, APA approved varieties of large fowl (Black, White, BB Red, GDW, SDW) and All-Other-Varieties (any non APA approved varieties of Araucana); and APA & ABA approved varieties of bantams (refer to individual Standards) and All-Other-Varieties of bantams (any non APA or ABA approved varieties of Araucana). All purse money will go toward the division each individual bird is paid up in.
9. Fees and added money shall be divided according to placing. Each division will pay back four places. Monies will be awarded the day of the show. Paybacks will be 40/30/20/10 in each division.
10. In the event of the death of an entry (the bird) all fees are forfeited to the purse and will not be refunded. No substitute birds will be allowed.

11. The day of the show, entrants need to be sure to come to check in with ABEC Secretary and let them know which entries will actually be shown on that date.

12. These foregoing rules are subject to interpretation or change, if unusual or unforeseen circumstances arise. Any such action(s) shall be made by the Board of Directors of the ABEC, provided the question is at, or prior, to the directors' meeting preceding the Futurity date. Otherwise, any interpretation or change shall be made by the President of the ABEC (or his/her proxy) and the members of the Futurity Committee, and Directors readily available at the time.

ABEC Araucana Futurity Entry Form

First Futurity Payment: Due on or before August 15, 2018

Entrant's permanent wing or leg band number _____ Large Fowl ___ Bantam ___

L.F. Variety: Black ___ White ___ BB Red ___ GDW ___ SDW ___ / AOV ___

If AOV, which variety?: _____

Bantam Variety: APA ___ ABA ___ Variety: _____ / AOV ___

If AOV, which variety?: _____

Hatch date: ___ / ___ / _____ (give month and year if exact date is not known)

Sex: Pullet ___ Cockerel ___ (Please email 3 current photos (various views) of this bird to the ABEC office when entry is made. Send to: powerofperks41@gmail.com)

I/We certify that the Araucana entered above is the same bird I will present to show at the 2018 ABEC Araucana Futurity and no substitutions will be made.

Written Signature Of Owner _____

Printed Name Of Owner _____

Mailing address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

ABEC Membership Name: _____

ABEC Membership #: _____

Home Phone # _____

Email: _____

Payment should be made by PayPal payment to: treasurer@abec.us

Or paid by check or money order and mailed to:

Ann Charles, ABEC Treasurer, PO Box 1027, Winnfield, LA 71483

Email: treasurer@abec.us