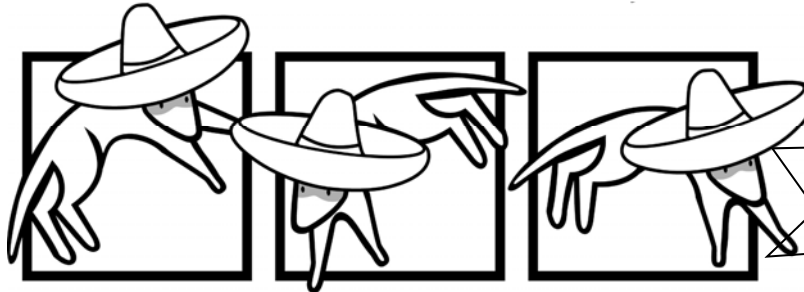


# FERRET FANDANGO



PENNSYLVANIA FERRET CLUB & SHELTER

**A THREE-RING TITLE-BEARING FERRET SHOW  
SANCTIONED BY THE AMERICAN FERRET ASSOCIATION**

**SEPTEMBER 26, 2009**

**GILBERTSVILLE FIRE COMPANY**

1454 EAST PHILADELPHIA AVENUE (ROUTE 73), GILBERTSVILLE, PA

All Proceeds  
Benefit the Shelter  
Ferrets of the  
PFCS!

**TITLE-BEARING AND SPECIALTY CLASSES:** Title-Bearing Classes will be offered for Adolescent, Alter, Breeder, and Companion Pet, and will each have three rings. The following specialty classes will be offered: Adopted With Love, Aging Gracefully, Albino/Dark Eyed White, Black Mitt/Black Roan Mitt, Black Sable, Blaze/Panda, Champagne, Chocolate, Green Card, Mitt, Mutt, Point, Roan, Sable, & Slightly Irregular. See page three for class descriptions. In Ferret Fandango tradition, we will also be offering our fun Señor and Señorita Class again this year!

**SANCTIONING:** This show will be conducted in accordance with AFA Show Rules & Standards. Standard score cards will be awarded to all ferrets in all title-bearing classes and will be scored for AFA titles in all title-bearing classes.

**AWARDS & TITLES:** Rosettes will be awarded for first through tenth place in each ring of each title-bearing class. Trophies will be awarded for first place in each ring of each title-bearing class. A Best in Show trophy will be awarded to the ferret with the best average placement in the title bearing rings. A Best in Opposite trophy will be awarded to the ferret who is of the opposite sex as the Best in Show receiving the best average point total for that sex. Rosette ribbons will be awarded to all ferrets entering specialty rings, and a trophy will be awarded for first place in each specialty ring.

**ENTRIES:** Open to all ferrets that are 16 weeks to 6 1/2 years of age on the day of the show. **ALL ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED NO LATER THAN SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 2009. NO EXCEPTIONS!!** Your entry date is calculated by the postmark if entering via postal mail. Entries may also be submitted using our online form found at [www.ferretclub.com](http://www.ferretclub.com). **Online registrations close September 5, 2009.** No entries will be accepted via e-mail or phone.

**ENTRY FEES:** Please see the registration form for a list of entry fees. This entry fee includes admittance to the show hall for members of the ferrets' immediate household. Others wishing to attend the show must purchase admission at the cost of \$5 per adult and \$2 per child age 4-12. Children under 4 are free. Show catalogs may be purchased at a cost of \$5 in advance or \$8 the day of the show. Limited quantities will be available for purchase at the show hall; it is recommended that you reserve one in advance. See the registration form for details. **Sorry, no refunds on entries.** All electronic entries must be paid using PayPal to reserve entry spaces; if you opt to mail a check, please note that your entries are not guaranteed until payment is received!

**ENTRY CONFIRMATION:** Confirmation of entries will be **sent via e-mail** to all registrants who provide an e-mail address. For those registrations without an e-mail address, your confirmation will be mailed. Confirmations will be sent the week of September 14. If you have not received your confirmation by September 21, 2009, please contact the show registrar by sending an e-mail to [registrar@ferretclub.com](mailto:registrar@ferretclub.com) or calling (610) 495-1509.

**CHECK-IN/SHOW TIME:** Exhibitors must check in with the entry clerk between 8:00 AM and 9:30 AM. Ferrets not checked in at 10:00 a.m. will be scratched from the show. Early check-in will be available for vendors and judges between 7:30 a.m. and 8:00 a.m.. Judging will begin promptly at 10:00 a.m..



**ENTRY REQUIREMENTS:** All ferrets entering the show hall, whether for judging, for sale/adoption, or for any other reason, must meet the following requirements or they will not be permitted in the hall:

- All ferrets must be between sixteen weeks and 6 1/2 years of age on the day of the show.
- All ferrets must have been vaccinated against rabies between the dates of **September 27, 2008 and September 12, 2009** with **Imrab-3** rabies vaccine. You must have written proof of vaccination in the form of a record from your veterinarian clearly stating the date of the vaccination and specifying the brand/type of vaccine was Imrab-3.
- All ferrets should be adequately protected against canine distemper through vaccination with an appropriate CDV vaccine. Kits must have had their complete kit series of shots completed. Adult ferrets should have been vaccinated between the dates of September 27, 2008 and September 12, 2009.
- All ferrets must have been tested for Aleutian's Disease (ADV) between **March 26, 2009 and the show date (remember to allow time for test processing and for the results to be mailed to you!)** with either the Avecon ELISA Test (saliva *only*) or Blue Cross CEP Test. **Please see the attached ADV Testing sheet for acceptable proof and instructions on how to have this test performed. You will not be permitted in the show hall without proper documentation of this test.**
- No pregnant or nursing jills or jills in heat will be permitted in the show hall.

**ADV WAIVER:** Per AFA ADV Policy, anyone entering the show with ferrets must, in addition to providing proof of negative ADV test (see above), sign a statement at check-in that states the following:

No ferret that I am bringing with me into the show hall today has ever had a definitive positive test result on the United CEP or Avecon ELISA saliva test (POCT and ELISA blood tests are not acceptable).

If in the past 4 months a ferret from my household (shelter/facility/ferretry) has had a definitive positive test result on the United CEP or Avecon ELISA saliva test (POCT and ELISA blood tests are not acceptable), I understand that all ferrets in the same household (shelter/facility/ferretry) are considered as having been exposed. I also understand that I cannot show or bring any ferrets from said household into the show hall today, regardless of their testing status.

I also understand that just because all of the ferrets in the show hall today have been tested for ADV within the six months prior to the show, this is not a guarantee of safety. I understand that the test is only as good as the day it was taken and I still need to practice SAFE FERRET habits at all times.

**AFA BANNED BREEDERS & FERRETS OF UNKNOWN LINEAGE POLICY:** The AFA requires that all shows sanctioned by the AFA recognize and enforce the AFA Banned Breeders & Unknown Lineage Policy. Ferrets of unknown lineage are not permitted to show in the Breeder or Adolescent Title Classes. Any ferret bred by a breeder that is banned from showing by the AFA will be treated the same as a ferret of unknown lineage. Ferrets of unknown lineage and banned breeder ferrets can only show in the Alter title class once they meet the requirements for showing in that class. Ferrets of unknown lineage and banned breeder ferrets will be listed with no breeder prefix, no sire, no dam and no breeder in the show book. Any misrepresentation or omission of data pertaining to the breeder of a ferret or the breeder of a ferret's sire or dam is grounds for the individual(s) responsible for the offense to be banned. Any questions regarding this policy should be directed to the AFA at [afa@ferret.org](mailto:afa@ferret.org) or 1-888-FERRET1.

**HALL RULES:**

- No smoking is permitted in the show hall.
- No stud service will be allowed in the show hall. Pregnant or nursing jills or jills in heat are not permitted in the show hall.
- Please do not leave your ferrets unattended for long periods of time. If you need to leave for any reason, please contact a show coordinator to assist you in finding someone to watch your ferrets.
- No other animals are permitted in the show hall.
- Please, DO NOT allow your ferret to walk on the show hall floor, even on a leash. The risk of injury with so much foot traffic is great, and it invites the risk of your ferret picking up illness or communicable disease by walking in the path of other ferrets.
- Ferret pens MUST have some type of flooring beneath them or you will be asked to not use your pen.
- DO NOT leave any animals, ferrets or other, in your vehicle unattended at any time during the show!



**TITLE-BEARING CLASSES:** Date of birth is required for entry in title-bearing classes. If you do not know the exact date, the closest month and year is acceptable. Please record this date for future shows. Handicaps, such as, but not limited to: unilateral or bilateral cryptorchid (in ferrets 12 months or older), missing limbs or other features, tail shorter than 4 inches in length, cataracts, extraneous digits or appendages are NOT allowed in championship rings. Title-bearing rings are limited to 90 ferrets per title class and to 20 ferrets per exhibitor.

**Adolescent Title Class:** All ferrets 16 weeks to 12 months of age on date of show. Late spay/neuter adolescents will be judged with intact (unneutered) adolescents. Adolescents will not be judged against breeders, adult late alters, or companions.

**Alter Title Class:** All ferrets 1 year to 6 1/2 years of age on the date of the show who have either been spayed or neutered later in life (not pet store ferrets). Alters will not be judged against adolescents, breeders, or companions.

**Breeder Title Class:** All intact ferrets 1 year to 6 1/2 years of age on the date of the show. Breeders will not be judged against adolescents, late alters, or companions.

**Companion Title Class:** This class is open to all early altered (usually pet store) ferrets (Marshall Farms, Path Valley Farms, etc.) 16 weeks to 6 1/2 years of age on the date of the show. All entrants must be early spay/neuters (before 12 weeks of age). Late altered ferrets are restricted from this class. Companions will not be judged against adolescents, late alters, or breeders.

**SPECIALTY CLASSES:** Any specialty class that has fewer than 5 entries and is not sponsored may be cancelled for this show. Classes are limited to 20 entries per class.

**ADOPTED WITH LOVE:** Open to all ferrets that have been adopted from a recognized ferret shelter. Please provide the name of the shelter from whom you adopted the ferret with your entry. Must be spayed or neutered.

**AGING GRACEFULLY:** Open to all ferrets 4—6 1/2 years of age and in good health. Note: a show day is tiring even for a young ferret. Be very selective in your decision to bring a senior. **Bring only seniors who are in the best of health.** Bring a cage cover to make your senior's cage quieter and less stressful. Take **extra** precautions to minimize your senior's contact with other ferrets. Any illness, even colds/flu can be devastating to seniors.

**ALBINO/DARK EYED WHITE:** Open to all ferrets with pure white guard hairs and undercoat and either red or black eyes.

**BLACK MITT/BLACK ROAN MITT:** Open to all ferrets whose guard hairs are black with dark eyes and well defined mitts on all four feet. Light silvers should be entered in Dark-Eyed White; medium silvers in Roan. Guard hair color should be black and should be 60-100% in concentration. Roaning (white guard hairs) should be 0-40% in concentration.

**BLACK SABLE:** Open to all ferrets with nearly black to brown/black guard hairs. Overall very dark black/brown color. Sables with more of a golden tone should be entered in the sable class.

**BLAZE/PANDA:** Open to all ferrets whose pattern includes mitts/stockings, bib, and an all-white head and neck OR who have mitts/white toes, bib, and a "blaze" - white stripe—on the head.

**CHAMPAGNE:** Open to all ferrets with cinnamon— or champagne-colored guard hairs.

**CHOCOLATE:** Open to all ferrets with chocolate-brown guard hairs.

**GREEN CARD:** The Green Card specialty ring is open to all breeder (intact OR late-alter) ferrets with at least 1/4 foreign bloodlines.

**MITTS:** Open to all ferrets with mitts (white feet with a contrasting leg color.) Evenness of color of mitts side-to-side and front-to back contribute to the score.

**MUTT:** Open to all ferrets who do not conform to a standard color or pattern; preference is given to those with odd markings and who may have multiple colors, spots, and/or patterns.

**POINT:** Open to all ferrets whose points (legs and tail) are dark and body is light. Must have a V-shaped mask to almost no mask (eye markings only).

**ROAN:** Open to all ferrets whose guard hairs are black/sable/chocolate/champagne with roaning (silver) and dark eyes. This includes medium patterned silvers.

**SABLE:** Open to all ferrets with warm, deep brown guard hairs, white to cream to light golden undercoat, brown to black eyes, and a light brown, speckled, or outlined nose.

**SLIGHTLY IRREGULAR:** Open to all ferrets with a visible physical handicap such as but not limited to: missing limbs or other features, tails under 2 inches in length, cataracts, extraneous digits or appendages, etc.

**SEÑOR & SEÑORITA (KING & QUEEN) OF SHOW:** This special ring is a Ferret Fandango tradition. This is a fun class and basically takes all of the "traditional" rules of judging and throws them out the window. This class is very subjective and no two judges could ever judge it the same way. This class is judged on coat condition, visual appearance and "cuteness factor" only. Handicaps or body conformation do not matter. The judge is looking for the most captivating ferret. This class is meant to be a **fun class** similar to a beauty contest. There will be awarded one winner per sex and one runner-up per sex only. All other entrants will receive participation ribbons. The winners will be crowned "Señor & Señorita Fandango."



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**COLOR CHECK:** Entry in specialty rings is primarily based upon ferret color in most classes. Exhibitors may opt to bring ferrets of questionable color/pattern to the color check table between 9:15 am and 9:45 am to ensure that you have entered your ferrets in the correct class(es). If deemed necessary, you may switch your ferret from one ring to another at this time provided space is available. No ring changes will be permitted after the color check has closed. Please be considerate of the limited time available and only bring ferrets of which you are truly unsure to the color check.

## PREPARING YOUR FERRET:

- Exhibitors must provide clean, roomy cages or carriers, bedding, litter pans, litter, fresh food, and water for ferrets. Please, no straw or wood chips. Cage covers are recommended.
- Nails must be trimmed on all four paws; ears and teeth should be clean; and ferrets must be free of parasites. Maintenance of your ferret will be very important in determining your ferret's score.
- Owners will be asked to remove any ferret from the show hall that appears to be ill.

**SHOW EVENTS:** In addition to the judging that will be taking place, a number of other attractions will be featured at the show:

- **Vendors! Vendors! Vendors!** There will be many vendors in attendance selling all kinds of ferret wares, from cages to bedding, toys to tee shirts. Please be sure to stop by these vendors; many of the proceeds benefit ferret shelters from all over!
- **Chinese Auction:** We strive to have the biggest & best raffle of any ferret show! Tons of great stuff for ferrets and their owners to win! All proceeds from the raffle benefit our shelter ferrets, so have fun and feel good about participating!

**VENDORS:** Set-up time on Friday, September 25th will be available between the hours of **6:00 p.m and 8:00 p.m** for vendors. Saturday set-up will be available for all vendors starting at 7:30 a.m.

## IMPORTANT HEALTH NOTES:

**A Word About Infectious Diseases:** There is always the risk of exposure to infectious diseases and illnesses, including, but not limited to, ECE, Aleutian's Disease, influenza, etc., when multiple ferrets are brought into social gatherings such as a show. It is recommended that you allow minimal handling of your pet and minimal exposure to other pets at the show.

**Ferret Bites, Nips, and Scratches:** Please be aware that it is highly unlikely that any ferret at the show is a carrier of rabies. However, if your ferret bites, nips, or scratches someone, he or she may be required to endure a ten-day quarantine period per the current AVMA guidelines. Please be extremely careful in allowing others to handle your ferrets, at the show or otherwise. For the safety of your ferret, it is unwise to allow anyone who you do not know, other than a judge, to handle your ferret and it is strongly discouraged.

**LIABILITY:** The Pennsylvania Ferret Club & Shelter will not be held responsible for any sickness or injury to any exhibitor, spectator, vendor, or ferret, or to any damage or loss of equipment or personal property. Any incident related to the ferrets are the owner's responsibility. The Pennsylvania Ferret Club & Shelter reserves the right to refuse entry or to expel any individual, vendor, shelter, club, or ferret.

## CONTACT US

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the registrar by emailing [registrar@ferretclub.com](mailto:registrar@ferretclub.com) or calling (610) 495-1509 (please leave a message!).

**If you need assistance in registering for Ferret Fandango, do not know how to obtain testing for ADV, or have ANY other questions about showing your ferret, please contact our show registrar who will be happy to answer any of your questions. Any ferret owner who wishes to show his or her ferrets is eligible and we welcome and encourage first-time show entrants at Ferret Fandango. Please contact the registrar by e-mail at [registrar@ferretclub.com](mailto:registrar@ferretclub.com) or call (610) 495-1509.**



### **PLACES TO STAY**

**Please check our website for the most up-to-date list of hotels and any discount rates that are being offered to attendees of Ferret Fandango.** Visit [www.ferretclub.com/fandango](http://www.ferretclub.com/fandango) and click on the link for Hotel Information. The following is a list of hotels nearby that are available for Ferret Fandango registrants. We strongly suggest that you make your hotel reservations early. Other hotels are available in the area, however we have not confirmed pet policies with them.

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**Motel 6**

Route 100 at Shoemaker Road  
78 Robinson Street (use this to MapQuest)  
Pottstown, PA 19464  
(610) 819-1288  
*Distance to show hall: 7 miles, 10 minutes*

**Comfort Inn Quakertown**

Route 663 & Turnpike, Quakertown  
1905 John Fries Hwy.  
Quakertown, PA 18951  
(215) 538-3000  
*Distance to show hall: 14 miles/19 minutes*

**Econo Lodge, Douglassville**

387 Ben Franklin Hwy  
(Route 422)  
Douglassville, PA 19518  
(610) 385-3016  
*Distance to show hall: 12.5 miles/17 minutes*

**Mel-Dor Motel**

5 Spring Garden Drive  
New Berlinville, PA 19545  
(610) 367-2626  
[www.meldormotelpa.com](http://www.meldormotelpa.com)  
*Distance to show hall: 3 miles/6 minutes*

**For directions to these hotels, please use MapQuest or visit the hotel's website for mapping and directions.**

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### **DIRECTIONS to FERRET FANDANGO**

**Please note: we strongly recommend using MapQuest or another mapping solution to obtain driving distances and directions to the show or hotels! The directions provided below were provided by the show hall.** To use MapQuest ([www.mapquest.com](http://www.mapquest.com)), simply select Driving Directions and enter your starting address and the address of the show hall (1454 East Philadelphia Avenue, Gilbertsville, PA).

#### **Directions to the Show Hall Gilbertsville Fire Hall**

**From Philadelphia & East:** Take Route 76 (Schuylkill Expressway) West to Route 202 South; take Route 422 West to Route 100 North. Take the Gilbertsville/Boyertown/Route 73 Exit. Turn Right off the offramp; show hall is 1/2 mile on Right.

**From Harrisburg & West:** Take PA Turnpike to Exit 22 (Morgantown). Take Route 10 South to Route 23 East (12 miles). Turn Left onto Route 100 North for 12 miles. Take the Gilbertsville/Boyertown/Route 73 Exit. Turn Right off the offramp; show hall is 1/2 mile on Right.

**From NYC & Northern NJ:** Take the NJ Turnpike to Route 78 West to the Trexlertown Exit (Route 100 South). Go 19 miles; take the Gilbertsville/Boyertown/Route 73 Exit. Turn Left off the offramp; show hall is 1/2 mile on Right.

**From Delaware & Points South:** Take I-95 North to Route 202 North to Route 100 North. Take the Gilbertsville/Boyertown/Route 73 Exit. Turn Right off the offramp; show hall is 1/2 mile on Right.

**From Reading:** Route 422 East to Route 100 North. Take the Gilbertsville/Boyertown/Route 73 Exit. Turn Right off the offramp; show hall is 1/2 mile on Right.

**From Allentown:** Route 22 West to Route 100 South. Go 19 miles; take the Gilbertsville/Boyertown/Route 73 Exit. Turn Left off the offramp; show hall is 1/2 mile on Right.



## **ALEUTIAN'S DISEASE TESTING INFORMATION**

### **ABOUT ADV**

Aleutian Mink Disease Virus, or ADV, is a parvovirus that infects mink, ferrets, raccoons, skunks, and possibly other members of the Mustelidae family. ADV is a very hardy virus and can live outside the body of a host for a long period of time. It is believed that there are multiple strains of ADV that can affect ferrets. Like different strains of the flu in humans, some strains of ADV may be more contagious and more deadly.

The greatest danger of ADV is that an animal can have the disease and be spreading it without showing any symptoms. At this time, it is unknown what the incubation period is (how long after exposure before symptoms develop) or what the shedding period is (when the infected animal can spread the disease). ADV can be either active (symptoms are apparent) or non-active (the animal tests positive for ADV, but appears clinically healthy). ADV is passed via saliva, feces, urine, and in the placenta. Some studies have indicated that the virus may also be airborne. The most likely means of spread is by contact with contaminated surfaces.

In ferrets, the symptoms of ADV can mimic many other ailments, including a chronic progressive wasting, progressive hind end paralysis, muscle wasting, tremors, urinary incontinence, lethargy, pallor, enlarged spleen, tarry feces, and death. Active ADV causes massive dysfunction of the immune system, with the accumulation of plasma cells in the various organs, and the presence of massive amounts of antibodies in the bloodstream, which cause vascular degeneration and inhibit clotting. Over time these changes will become more serious, and usually begin to affect the function of the liver and kidneys. Most ferrets with active ADV die of liver or kidney failure at the end of the disease.

There are still currently more questions about this disease than there are answers. There is no known cure for ADV, nor is there currently a vaccine against the disease. The Pennsylvania Ferret Club & Shelter believes that until more is known about this disease, the only responsible thing that we can do when inviting hundreds of ferret owners and their ferrets to our events is to require that all ferrets in attendance have been tested for this disease.

### **TESTING**

Testing is very easy to do and is not expensive. For admittance to Ferret Fandango, your ferret must have proof of negative ADV test dated between **March 26, 2009 and the day of the show (but since proof must be signed by the testing agent and mailed to you, be sure you allow processing and postal mail time. We recommend you mail your samples for testing at least two weeks in advance of the show to ensure you will receive your signed test results in time for the show. You will NOT be allowed in the show hall without proof of negative test.)** The only acceptable forms of proof of testing are listed below. Please note that testing through your veterinarian will generally not provide you with the proof of testing that we require; if you intend to test through your vet instead of at home, please share these instructions with your vet.

**Avecon ELISA Test:** The Avecon test is a simple saliva test that takes only a few minutes to perform, and can be done in your own home. Simply contact Avecon using the information below and request a testing kit. The kit comes with complete instructions and all of the supplies you'll need. You will then send your ferret's saliva sample (blood test from Avecon is **not** accepted) to Avecon where it will be tested. A certificate with the results of your test will be sent back to you; **you MUST bring the original certificate to the show for admittance; photocopies and faxes are not acceptable.** Contact Avecon for a test kit by calling (800) 249-5875, or visit the Avecon website at <http://www.avecon.com/advabelisa.html> and click on the To Order link. *Please note: Avecon POCT (instant) Tests will not be accepted for entry to Ferret Fandango.*

**Blue Cross CEP Test:** The CEP test is a blood test. Like the Avecon test, you can obtain the sample yourself without having to see a veterinarian, or if you feel more comfortable, you can have the blood drawn by your vet. (Please note: if you have your vet draw the blood for you, you should still send the sample to Blue Cross yourself. If your vet submits the sample, you may not be able to obtain the original lab result certificate from your vet, AND, vets tend to charge much more than you will pay if you send the sample in.) If you choose to collect your own sample, it can be achieved by clipping your ferret's claw through the 'quick,' causing it to bleed. For testing instructions, call Blue Cross at (208) 678-5553 or see instructions at [www.ferret.org/read/aleutian.htm](http://www.ferret.org/read/aleutian.htm). **You must bring the original certificate from Blue Cross to the show for admittance; photocopies and faxes are not acceptable!**

It should be noted that neither of these tests can predict whether or not your ferret will actually become sick with ADV or if it will even spread the disease. The tests only show the presence of antibodies to ADV, which indicates only exposure to the disease. In fact, studies have shown that only a small percentage of ferrets that have tested positive for ADV will actually become clinically sick from the disease.

A few ways to help keep your ferret safe from ADV: Do not turn your ferrets loose around the other ferrets you do not know are negative for ADV. Do not allow strangers to handle your ferrets, and do not handle stranger's ferrets. When attending ferret shows or frolics with your ferrets, make sure the organizers are following sensible sanitation procedures. When getting a new ferret, find out if it has been tested for ADV. By taking a few precautions, you keep your ferret safe, happy, and healthy.



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## Instructions:

- Registration forms must be received no later than **Saturday, April 12, 2008**.
- Forms must be filled out *completely* and *legibly*. If we cannot read any part of your form, it will delay processing of your registrations until we can reach you for clarification.
- Payment must accompany your registration form. Entries are not guaranteed until payment is received.
- Registrations may also be submitted online at <http://www.ferretclub.com> through **April 12, 2008**. Payment for online registrations may be provided by PayPal or may be sent via postal mail; your entries will not be guaranteed until payment is received. Important: when paying via PayPal, pay using **fandango@ferretclub.com** as the recipient's e-mail address!
- Paper entries and/or payment by checks should be made payable to the Pennsylvania Ferret Club & Shelter and mailed to the Pennsylvania Ferret Club and Shelter at P.O. Box 5074, Limerick, PA 19468.

**REGISTRANT NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**BUSINESS/SHELTER/CLUB NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_

**CITY:** \_\_\_\_\_ **STATE:** \_\_\_\_\_ **ZIP:** \_\_\_\_\_

**TELEPHONE:** \_\_\_\_\_ DAYTIME EVENING (circle one)

**E-MAIL ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_

RING NAME	Number of Entries	Cost per Entry	Total for Ring
<b>Title Bearing Rings:</b> First Three Ferrets Entered		\$18	
<b>Title-Bearing Rings:</b> Additional Ferrets Entered		\$15	
<b>Adopted With Love</b>		\$13	
<b>Aging Gracefully</b>		\$13	
<b>Albino/Dark Eyed White</b>		\$13	
<b>Black Mitt/Black Roan Mitt</b>		\$13	
<b>Black Sable</b>		\$13	
<b>Blaze/Panda/Mutt</b>		\$13	
<b>Champagne</b>		\$13	
<b>Chocolate</b>		\$13	
<b>Green Card</b>		\$13	
<b>Mitt</b>		\$13	
<b>Point</b>		\$13	
<b>Roan</b>		\$13	
<b>Sable</b>		\$13	
<b>Señor/Señorita Fandango</b>		\$13	
<b>Slightly Irregular</b>		\$13	
<b>Subtotal:</b>			

## TABLE RATES:

	Cost	Total
<b>First Vendor Table</b>	\$50	
<b>Additional Tables</b>	\$15	
<b>Electricity</b>	\$10	
<b>Subtotal:</b>		

## ADVERTISING RATES:

Camera-Ready Copy Due by **APRIL 1, 2006**

Advertisement Type	Size	Rate	Total
<b>Full Page</b>	7.5 x 10"	\$75	
<b>Half Page</b>	7.5 x 5"	\$50	
<b>Quarter Page</b>	3.5 x 5"	\$35 (\$15 if memorial)	
<b>Business Card</b>	3.5 x 2"	\$25	
<b>Subtotal:</b>			

## SUMMARY:

<b>Subtotal of Ferret Entries:</b>	
<b>Subtotal of Table Rates:</b>	
<b>Subtotal of Advertising Rates:</b>	
<b>SHOW CATALOG:</b> \$5 each in advance; will be \$8 at door.	
<b>GRAND TOTAL:</b>	

**RAFFLE DONATIONS:** We are **gratefully** accepting ANY donations for our raffle table (preferably ferret-related). Please enclose a note with this form if you will be sending/bringing a raffle donation. All raffle donations may be brought to the show or they may be mailed no later than **9/15** to: Sharon Baer, 93 Forrest Court, Limerick, PA, 19468. *Please, do not send to the club's address!*



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Please complete the following for each ferret entered. Photocopies of this form are acceptable if you are entering more ferrets.

FERRET DATA		ENTRIES (Check all that apply)			
Name:		Title-Bearing Adolescent	<input type="checkbox"/>	Title-Bearing Alter	<input type="checkbox"/>
Date of Birth:		Title-Bearing Breeder	<input type="checkbox"/>	Title-Bearing Companion	<input type="checkbox"/>
Color:		Adopted With Love*	<input type="checkbox"/>	Chocolate	<input type="checkbox"/>
Pattern:		Aging Gracefully	<input type="checkbox"/>	Green Card**	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sex: M F Altered: Y N		Albino/Dark Eyed White	<input type="checkbox"/>	Mitt	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sire (father), if known:		Black Mitt/Black Roan Mitt	<input type="checkbox"/>	Point	<input type="checkbox"/>
Dam (mother), if known:		Black Sable	<input type="checkbox"/>	Roan	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Date of Birth:		Title-Bearing Breeder	<input type="checkbox"/>	Title-Bearing Companion	<input type="checkbox"/>
Color:		Adopted With Love*	<input type="checkbox"/>	Chocolate	<input type="checkbox"/>
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## SPONSORSHIP & ADVERTISING INFORMATION



All donations to the Pennsylvania Ferret Club & Shelter are TAX-DEDUCTIBLE!



### SHOW SPONSORSHIP

To help defray the high costs of hosting Ferret Fandango, and thus maximizing the proceeds that we are able to pass on to running our ferret shelter, we are seeking individuals and corporations interested in sponsoring our show. Levels of sponsorship and the benefits of each level are outlined below:

Type of Sponsorship	Sponsorship Donation Level	Benefit to Donor
<b>PLATINUM Sponsorship</b>	\$500 & Above	Prominent advertising of your business at the show, including banner and show book cover advertisement; full page advertisement on the show book inside cover; distribution of company literature/ advertisements to show attendees; free vendor space at show for company display; additional benefits determined on donation level & company preference.
<b>GOLD Sponsorship</b>	\$300-\$500	Full page advertisement in the show book; distribution of company literature to show attendees; additional benefits determined on donation level and company preference.
<b>Title Class Ring Sponsorship (4)</b>	\$300	Full page advertisement in show book on first page of sponsored class section; your choice of wording printed on awards in sponsored class.
<b>Specialty Ring Sponsorship (16)</b>	\$60	Full page advertisement in show book on first page of sponsored class section; your choice of wording printed on all ribbons in sponsored class.

If you are interested in sponsorship, please complete and return our enclosed Sponsorship & Advertising Form **by September 1, 2009**. For more information, contact the Pennsylvania Ferret Club & Shelter at (610) 495-1509.

### ADVERTISING

Advertisements in the Show Catalog are available at the rates below. To purchase advertising, use the Sponsorship & Advertising Form enclosed, or if you are entering ferrets in the show, you can use the Registration Form.

Type of Advertisement	Size of Ad	Cost	<b>Advertisement Submission:</b> Advertisements may be sent laid out or you may request that we lay out your ad for you. Artwork and photos should be copy-ready, or, if submitting via e-mail, should be in TIFF, PDF, or EPS file format. For assistance in sending your advertisement or for more information, please e-mail us at <a href="mailto:marketing@ferretclub.com">marketing@ferretclub.com</a> . Advertisements may be mailed to: PFCS, PO Box 5074, Limerick, PA, 19468.
Full-Page Advertisement	7.5 x 10"	\$75	
Half-Page Advertisement	7.5 x 5"	\$50	
Quarter-Page Advertisement	3.5 x 5"	\$35	
Business Card Advertisement	3.5 x 2"	\$25	
<b>Memorial Advertisement:</b> <i>A special quarter-page ad for you to put your own tribute to a special ferret. You may submit photographs or a special message to be printed in the show book.</i>	3.5 x 5"	\$15	



### RAFFLE DONATIONS

The Pennsylvania Ferret Club & Shelter will be holding a Chinese Auction-style raffle at Ferret Fandango. This is the single largest fundraiser that will be held the day of the show and can bring in a substantial portion of the proceeds that will go towards our shelter ferrets. **Please consider making a donation to this raffle.** We will accept any new item for donation, but prefer ferret-related items of any kind. Raffle items will be accepted anytime up until the day of the show. If you will be mailing your items, please mail them no later than **September 15** to ensure delivery by the show date. Please mail all raffle donations to: Sharon Baer, 93 Forrest Court, Limerick, PA 19468. *Please do not send any raffle donations to the Club address.*



**SPONSORSHIP & ADVERTISING FORM**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

BUSINESS/SHELTER/CLUB NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ DAYTIME EVENING (circle one)

E-MAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

**ADVERTISING RATES:**

Advertisement Type	Size	Rate	Total
Website Advertisement	Varies*	\$50-\$100	
Full Page	7.5 x 10"	\$75	
Half Page	7.5 x 5"	\$50	
Quarter Page (Business)	3.5 x 5"	\$35	
Quarter Page (Memorial)	3.5 x 5"	\$15	
Business Card	3.5 x 2"	\$25	
<b>Subtotal:</b>			

**SPONSORSHIP RATES:**

Sponsorship Type	Donation Level	Total
<b>GOLD Sponsorship</b>	\$500 & Above	
<b>SILVER Sponsorship</b>	\$300-\$500	
<b>Title Class Sponsorship</b>	\$300	
<b>Specialty Ring Sponsorship</b>	\$60	
<i>Specify Ring Desired:</i>		
<i>Message to be printed on ribbon:</i>		
<b>Subtotal:</b>		

**SUMMARY OF COSTS:**

<b>Subtotal of Advertising:</b>	
<b>Subtotal of Sponsorships:</b>	
<b>SHOW CATALOG:</b> <i>\$5 each in advance; will be \$8 at door.</i>	
<b>GRAND TOTAL:</b>	

**SUBMISSION GUIDELINES:**

**ADVERTISEMENTS:**

Advertisements may be mailed or e-mailed for submission. If sending via postal mail, please enclose your camera-ready ad layout in the dimensions noted to the left. If e-mailing your ad, we request that your advertisement be in one of the following formats: Acrobat PDF, Photoshop, Illustrator, Word, TIFF, or EPS. If you need assistance preparing your ad in one of these formats, or would like help in laying your ad out, please e-mail [fandango@ferretclub.com](mailto:fandango@ferretclub.com).

**SPONSORSHIPS:**

See reverse side for explanation of sponsorship levels. We will contact you regarding specific arrangements for benefits of sponsorships; please include your advertisement layouts with this form. For ring sponsorships, please indicate the ring you wish to sponsor. If that ring is taken, we will contact you about sponsoring an alternate class. Direct all questions to [registrar@ferretclub.com](mailto:registrar@ferretclub.com) or call 610-495-1509.

The ferrets in the care of The Pennsylvania Ferret Club & Shelter sincerely  
**THANK YOU** for your support of Fall Fandango 2009!