

-The 35th Anniversary-

Pullet Surprise Youth Essay Contest

An eggstraordinary 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 ESSAY CONTEST.*

The winners in each of the two categories will receive the following prizes: a pair of show quality purebred fowl, an incubator, a standard cage, feed, a copy of the American Standard of Perfection, a one-year membership in the WIPC, and a wooden poultry carrier.

All awards will be presented at the 2022 Wisconsin International Poultry Show in Portage, WI on September 24th, 2022. The birds awarded will be provided by the members of the Wisconsin International Poultry Club.

CONTEST RULES

1. Entries will be divided into two groups. **Age as of January 1, 2022.** **Junior:** 8-12 **Senior:** 13-18
2. Each applicant must submit an entry of 500 words or less on one of the following topics:

Why I Want To Raise Exhibition Poultry

Raising Poultry—It's A Family Affair

My Most Memorable Moment In Poultry

An Original Poultry Poem

Any Poultry Story- Fact Or Fiction

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

3. Applicants must send their entry along with their address, phone number, email address, birth date, and a parent's or guardian's signature postmarked by **August 15, 2022** to: **WIPC-Kaylyn Schleicher 3724 Union Dane Rd. Brooklyn, WI 53521.**
4. Winners will be selected by a committee designated by the Wisconsin International Poultry Club. **All decisions are final & winners will be notified by September 1, 2022.**
5. Winners and their parent(s) or guardian(s) are **required** to attend the award presentation to be held during the youth show at the 2022 Wisconsin International Poultry Show on Saturday, September 24th, 2022 at the Columbia County Fairgrounds, Portage, WI.

Pullet surprise essay contest awards provided by:

Incubator: Blain's Farm & Fleet

Standard Cage: Keipper Cooping

Feed: Nutrena Feed

American Standard of Perfection: Wisconsin Poultry & Egg Association

WIPC Membership: Wisconsin International Poultry Club

Wooden Poultry Carrier: Lund Poultry

For contest questions please contact Kaylyn Schleicher at lundpoultry@yahoo.com or 608-289-5406