



CALIFORNIA NATIONAL

EXHIBIT of MERIT

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AWARDS:

An Exhibit of Merit plaque will be awarded to exhibitors who are California National members, who score 100 or more points during the show season. (See Rule 10 on Show Season)

A Breed Fancier certificate will be awarded to the exhibitor who earns the most points (minimum of 14 points) in a particular breed during the show season.

SCORING:

California National Points are awarded as follows:

Show Champion	40
Show Reserve Champion	35
Section Champion	30
Section Reserve	25
Class Champion	20
Class Reserve	15
Best of Breed	7
Reserve of Breed	3

If 15 or more birds exhibited in a single variety

Best of Variety	7
Reserve of Variety	3

RULES:

1. No Exhibit of Merit points will be awarded for wins prior to receipt of the enrollment form accompanied by the \$10.00 membership fee.
2. Exhibit of Merit points will be awarded to an exhibitor for their six highest scoring California National shows.

3. Breed points are awarded regardless of the number of birds or exhibitors competing.
4. Class points (and higher) are awarded only if there are 5 or more birds (4 for geese) and two or more exhibitors competing for that particular award.
5. No cumulative points are awarded to a single bird at a single show (e.g. if a bird is awarded class point [see rule 4 above], then no breed points are awarded to that bird).
6. To be eligible for California National points, an exhibitor must be a member of a California or Nevada poultry club participating in the California National program.
7. For Bantams only shows, the Show Champion and Show Reserve Champion will receive points ONLY for Section Champion and Section Reserve Champion. No points will be awarded for Show Champion and Show Reserve Champion.
8. Due to the large number of entries in the Bantam Game Class, Old English and American, combined, is one class, and Modern, is the other class of Bantam Game.
9. Bantam Ducks are considered to be Waterfowl at all regular shows and Bantams at all Bantam only shows.
10. The Show Season will start in October of each year with the Central Coast Feather Fanciers show in Paso Robles, and end after the conclusion of the Nor-Cal Poultry Association show in March of each season.

DEFINITIONS:

The following hierarchy illustrates the selection process at class level and higher (Show, Section and Class refer to both champion and reserve champion bird):

Regular Shows:

Show

Section (Large)

American Class

Asiatic Class

English Class

Continental Class

Mediterranean Class

All Other Standard Breeds

Section (Bantams)

Modern and American Game Class

Old English Game Class

Single Comb Clean Legged Class

Rosecomb Clean Legged Class

Any Other Comb Clean Legged Class

Feather Legged Class

Section (Waterfowl)
Heavy weight Duck Class
Medium weight Duck Class
Light weight Duck Class
Bantam Duck
Heavy Weight Goose Class
Medium Weight Goose Class
Light Weight Goose Class
Section Turkey
Section Guinea Fowl

Bantam Only Show

Section (Bantam)
Modern and American Game Class
Old English Game Class
Single Comb Clean Legged Class
Rosecomb Clean Legged Class
Any Other Comb Clean Legged Class
Feather Legged Class
Bantam Duck

CALIFORNIA NATIONAL ENROLLMENT

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For more information, please contact Chris Tamayo at (916) 508-5550, or email to csbantams@gmail.com

California National Enrollment Form

Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____
Zip: _____ Phone: _____
E-mail: _____
California/Nevada National Club Affiliation: _____

Signature: _____

Make check or money order out to "California National".

Please enclose \$10.00 enrollment fee and mail with this form to:

Kathy Lewis, c/o Cal National, P.O. Box 157, Silver Springs, NV 89429-0157

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