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International Sable  
Breeders Association  
PO Box 653  
Stover, MO 65078

## Breed Specialty Application 2016

### ISBA Specialty Rules

1. Any individual or club from any District can apply for District Specialties. **Application must be accompanied by a valid check for the \$50 fee. Once photographs and results have been returned to ISBA via email in gif or jpeg format, \$25 will be returned to applying club, association or show management.**
2. Sables must be separately sanctioned.
3. Shows wishing to hold a District Specialty cannot be restricted in any way. The show must be open to all breeders in the district as well as adjacent districts. Any money or prizes offered by the club, state or local authority must be paid to any winner regardless of where they reside.
4. The ISBA will provide certificates and a Banner for Grand Champion, Reserve Champion and for the Best of Breed for each sanction.
5. The host group agrees to supply a complete list of class **placings** to the ISBA within **30 days of completion** of the show or no refund will be given.
6. Photos of the Specialty Grand Champion, Reserve Grand Champion, Best of Breed, and group class winners are required. It is recommended that you take photos of all first place winners in the age classes. Required photos must be labeled with animal name and owner, and sent to Specialty Chairman within **30 days of completion** of the show. Photos will be retained by ISBA for use in news releases.
7. Sponsoring club will receive free advertising from ISBA on our website with one page dedicated to promoting your show, a set of two announcements of the show on the district and breed lists within several months prior to your show, **and** a list of winners of the specialty on the Sable Breed and district lists within **two** months after your show close date.
8. Winners will be published in the Sable newsletter, on the ISBA website, and on the ISBA **Facebook**.
9. Applications are accepted from October 1st through December 31st for shows the following year. Applications may be accepted later if no application has been received for that district.
10. Only one Specialty Show per ISBA District will be awarded, total of four for 2016.

**Criteria for selecting a Specialty Site**

1. The first club to apply gets the Specialty for that District, as determined by postmark or website form app date, and if there is competition, also:
  - A. The club with the most youth member activity/4H activity the prior year
  - B. The prior year's show had the most Sable contestants

**Other criteria include giving priority to show which are as follows:**

- A. if the show offers only two sanctions versus a show offering three in which case the show with the most will be given precedence (Example: Sr doe, Jr doe, Buck).
- B. if the show offers Jr does and Sr does separately sanctioned instead of a combined Jr/Sr show.
- C. if there are two or more shows competing and one show held the specialty the year prior in which case a show that did not offer it the previous year will be given precedence.
- D. Or if the show offers more group classes than a show offering the same amount of sanctions.

All else being equal in regards to sanctions offered, preference is given to shows that have a larger reported number of Sables shown the previous year.

When previous host club is applying, a club whose reports had been returned complete, neat and in a timely manner will be given preference over a club whose report response was inadequate from a previous year.

Please direct any questions/correspondence to:

**Janet Cooper ISBA Specialty Chair** via email to [macivj@windstream.net](mailto:macivj@windstream.net) or via mail to:

Janet Cooper  
PO Box 653  
Stover, MO 65078

Please follow up all mail or email with a phone call to 573-377-2775.

Checks should be made out to International Sable Breeders Association and will be deposited after the show is chosen, all others will be returned uncashed. ISBA reserves the right to call banks listed on checks to verify funds, if needed.

Thank you for your interest in a Breed Specialty from the ISBA.

Janet Cooper, International Sable Breeders Association Specialty Show Chair

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Specialty Show Application/Contract

Name of Show \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsoring Organization \_\_\_\_\_

Location of Show \_\_\_\_\_ District \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Show \_\_\_\_\_ Judge \_\_\_\_\_

If sanctioned, is the buck show a different date, and if so when \_\_\_\_\_

Person responsible for receiving awards and returning show report and photos to ISBA - include name, address (please include UPS shipping address), phone number and email address:

\_\_\_\_\_  
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Number of Sables at your show last year \_\_\_\_\_ Senior Does \_\_\_\_\_ Junior Does \_\_\_\_\_ Bucks \_\_\_\_\_

Awards requested:

\_\_\_ Sr. Doe Show                      \_\_\_ Jr. Doe Show                      \_\_\_ Open Doe Show

\_\_\_ Ch. Challenge Does              \_\_\_ Buck Show                      \_\_\_ Ch. Challenge Bucks

Group classes to be held at your show:

\_\_\_ Breeder's Trio/Best 3              \_\_\_ Jr Get-of-Sire

\_\_\_ Dam & Daughter                      \_\_\_ Sr Get-of-Sire

\_\_\_ Dairy Herd                              \_\_\_ Produce of Dam

\_\_\_ Best Udder                              \_\_\_ Sire & Son

\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

CHECK FOR \$50 MADE PAYABLE TO "ISBA" MUST BE INCLUDED WITH APPLICATION. \$25 will be refunded if a completed report with photos is returned within 30 days of the show. Send completed Specialty Show Application form to: Janet Cooper, PO Box 653, Stover, MO 65078.