



Raising Rabbits

APRIL 28 • 1PM - 4PM

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EVENT FEE | **SPACE IS LIMITED TO 10 PARTICIPANTS**

Emporia Rabbitry, 3210 Sussex Dr., Emporia, VA 23847

Veteran farmer, Al Becker of Emporia Rabbitry, will discuss the necessary steps needed to start a successful breeding operation, equipment needed, feeding and care, the importance of record keeping, marketing and ways to improve your breeding stock.

Emporia Rabbitry is dedicated to breeding and raising superior quality New Zealand White meat rabbits. Following the European model of semi-intensive rabbit management, Emporia Rabbitry continually strives to improve the supply of commercially produced meat rabbits for use by high-end restaurants and individuals. New Zealands are prized for their quick growth rate and meat production.

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