
How to claim

At the end of the year, if you have sufficient cards to claim a Star Award, you need to send or give all the relevant cards to the Star Scheme Secretary whose details can be found at the front of this book. If posting your cards, include a large stamped envelope (please ensure you pay the correct postage) for the safe return of your award and cards, or arrange to collect these at a show. In order for your claim to be noted in the yearbook, claims must be made by the 31st December. Claims can be made after that time, but will not go in the yearbook until the following year.

Star Scheme

All SCC affiliated Clubs are able to offer Star Shows by purchasing them from the Southern Cavy Club on your behalf - this means that the awards themselves are then free to you.

The Star ratings are as follows:

One Star Show

1. An open Box / Table Show with a Judge who is a SCC member

Two Star Show

1. An open pen show with 75% or Guaranteed Prize Money

2. At least one Recognised Cavy Club Judge (see Yearbook for list)

Additional judges may also be:

3. A SCC member who has successfully completed the SCC Judges' Accreditation Programme.

4. A Judge who is on a Specialist Breed Club's panel

5. In the Channel Isles, a Southern CC member

How to claim

The number of stars being offered by a show can be found on their schedules and adverts. It should also be found on the prize cards. The Show Secretary should sign or initial the backs of all First Prize cards in breed classes to validate them. If a First prize card is incorrect, Secretaries are requested to re issue the card.

Three Star Show

1. An open pen show with 75% or Guaranteed Prize Money

2. Two or more Recognised Judges in the open section (not including the Juvenile Purebred Judge) (see Yearbook for list)

3. In the Channel Islands, judges as points 1 – 3 for 2** shows

Four Star Shows

1. An open pen show with 75% or Guaranteed Prize Money, plus more than 250 pigs entered (3 year average).

2. Three or more SCC or NCC Recognised Judges in the open section (not including the Juvenile Purebred Judge) (see Yearbook for list)

3. In the Channel Islands, 2 Recognised Judges

Four Star Shows

1. The open show of the Club hosting a SCC Stock Show

2. The Club must engage only Recognised Judges. The Club's show is automatically upgraded to four stars, free of charge, for this show.

Five Star Show

1. Southern Cavy Club Stock Shows

2. All SCC Panel Judges



Southern Cavy Club Star Scheme

The SCC Star Scheme is a way of celebrating the wins of your best cavies. Shows run by SCC affiliated clubs and run under SCC rules will have a star status. As a SCC member you are entitled to collect these stars and claim awards.

How does it work?

Stars are collected on an annual basis from **1st January to 31st December** and are collected for each individual cavy, rather than for the exhibitor.

Stars cannot be exchanged between cavies.

Stars are awarded for breed class wins at SCC affiliated shows. Only 1st prize cards count

towards a claim, regardless of the number of entries in the class. Challenge cards do not

count. You can collect stars for pets as well as for purebred cavies.

Please note that only SCC stars count, and can only be used once.

Collecting stars can lead to winning the following awards:

Open Show and Adult Owned Pets awards:

45* Trophy or Certificate with a photograph of the winning cavy on

30* Rosette or Personalised Certificate

15* Rosette or Personalised Certificate

Junior Purebreds and Junior Owned Pet awards:

30* Trophy or Certificate with a photograph of the winning cavy on

15* Rosette or Personalised Certificate

10* Rosette or Personalised Certificate

Star status of SCC Affiliated shows

Completed claims go to Mrs Margaret Hooper
15 Westminster Rd Toothill Swindon SN5 8AF



Southern Cavy Club Star Scheme

If the above details are not on the card then you need to write them yourself on the back of the card before asking the judge to sign it, which they will do after checking that that the breed, colour, age and sex of the cavy appear somewhere on the card and there are no alterations on the card.

If this information is missing, it makes it very difficult for the Show Support Secretary to check and approve applications for awards and may result in either delays in clearing claims, or even having them rejected.

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Total Number of Stars

Cavy 4 Name

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Total Number of Stars

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