Mountain Valley Ameraucanas Ordering Terms and Conditions

We are accepting orders for our 2025 breeding stock and potential show quality day old chicks. All chicks are straight run (unsexed), large fowl Purebred Ameraucanas. We will be offering chicks in black, blue, splash, wheaten, blue wheaten, and splash wheaten. (buyer's choice of variety.) We will mix and match varieties up to 20 chicks per box / order. There is *NO* set number of Black, Blue, or Splash chicks when ordering BBS as the colors are unknown until hatch day on the BBS. If shipping, there is a 10 chick minimum so they will stay warm enough during shipping. There is also a 13 chick maximum per variety so we can guarantee the hatching will cover your order. We can estimate the shipping cost by using your zip code. All live birds are shipped "Hold for Pickup" with your phone number written on both the box and the shipping label. A minimum of \$100 insurance is included for all shipping. The shipping boxes and supplies are \$6.00, which includes a USPS approved box, a 72 hour heat pack when needed, bedding, and cup of growgel nutrition.

Chick price for the 2025 Spring Season is as follows...

BBS chicks from our Blue to Blue mating pens are \$12.00 each

Blue and Splash chicks from our Blue to Splash mating pen are \$12.00 each

Straight Black chicks from our Black to Black mating pen are \$12.00 each. Chicks from this mating / line have *Never* had blue bred into them so they are complete Gold Gene carriers.

Blue Wheaten, Wheaten, and Splash Wheaten are \$13.00 each.

We mate Wheaten to Blue Wheaten and occasionally Blue Wheaten to Blue Wheaten. Additional information on the Wheatens...

Wheaten, Blue Wheaten and Splash Wheaten chicks are all the same color at hatching. We *can not* guarantee the variety of the wheaten chicks on hatching/shipping day. They can be distinguished as to which variety they are at about 2 weeks of age. If we have to use Blue Wheaten X Blue Wheaten it is possible we will produce some Splash Wheaten chicks.

If you place an order we will let you know in advance of sending your chicks. We take pride in the way we communicate with our customers.

Methods of Payment.

We accept PayPal and Cash App. We also accept Money Orders and Personal Checks. Personal Checks must clear the bank before chicks are sent. The payment addresses will be in the Return Email that you receive from us when you submit the Order Form.

A REQUEST FOR CHICKS BECOMES AN ORDER AFTER PAYMENT IS RECEIVED. Orders are put into our shipping schedule in the order payment is received.

Chick orders fill up quickly each year. We suggest placing your order as soon as possible. Since we are breeders and not a hatchery, we were turning away orders long before hatching season ended last year.

The Wheatens will start out the season being 1/4 booked up as we will reserve for the customers that we couldn't get to last year.

Shipping will begin in March 2025 as weather allows. If you live in Northern, more colder areas, arrangements will be made for later dates if needed.

We are NPIP and Avian Influenza "AI" Clean. If your state has any additional requirements that we cannot meet we will send a 100% refund to you.

We stand behind our birds and eggs we sell and are happy to work with you. Should anything go wrong with your shipped chicks we ask that you notify us immediately upon receipt of the chicks, and immediately if a problem is discovered. Not giving us immediate notice will make it very difficult for us to replace or refund any purchases. All birds and eggs are sold from breeder quality, and, in many cases, proven show quality stock unless we specifically tell you otherwise. However, we cannot guarantee that all eggs will produce or chicks will grow out to be show or breeder quality birds. We are proud of the lines we have developed, but, as in most livestock breeding programs, we have not achieved perfection. We continue to strive to breed to the APA SOP and correct or cull any issues as they arise, but we cannot guarantee that all issues have been removed from the gene pool. If you have any issues during the grow-out stage we ask that you contact us and make us aware and we will be more than happy to work with you to do what we can to make things right.

Thanks for your interest in our Ameraucanas. We look forward to working with you.

Brad Henson

Final Note...

My wife and I teach school so I'm usually not available during school hours. Please keep this in mind while waiting for a response from us.

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We are proud members of both the Ameraucana Breeders Club

and the Ameraucana Alliance