

# DEPARTMENT 5 - SWINE

Mail all Livestock entries to Jefferson County Fair  
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Entries Due June 15, 2014
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## HEALTH RULES FOR SWINE

NOTE: By action of the board of directors of the Jefferson County Fair Authority dated March 2, 2005, "the rules of all livestock departments will correspond with the wording provided by the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture."

**These rules may be found on the Internet**

at [http://www.agriculture.state.pa.us/portal/server.pt/gateway/PTARGS\\_0\\_2\\_24476\\_10297\\_0\\_43/agwebsite/Files/Publications/FairAnimalHealthRequirements.pdf](http://www.agriculture.state.pa.us/portal/server.pt/gateway/PTARGS_0_2_24476_10297_0_43/agwebsite/Files/Publications/FairAnimalHealthRequirements.pdf)

### **Section 18: Pennsylvania Swine:**

#### **Requirements:**

1. A Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI) issued after May 1, 2014 is required.
2. All animals must be free of infectious and contagious diseases.
3. A statement of *Veterinarian-Client-Patient Relationship* will be included on each registration form
4. Individual animal ID is required. ID options include the following:
  - A form of official ID, including:
    - A herd tattoo *in combination with* an ear notch; or
    - A USDA-issued metal ear tag; or
    - An ISO-compliant 15-digit eartag (including RFID).
  - or
  - A plastic stamped ear tag (market hogs only).

### **Section 19: Out of State Swine:**

#### **Requirements:**

1. A Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI) issued within the 30 days prior to the opening date of the exhibition is required. The CVI shall include a statement verifying that the swine have not been fed raw garbage and that "all animals identified on this certificate of veterinary inspection have been examined and found to be free from Vesicular Stomatitis (VS). During the past 90 days, these animals have neither been exposed to VS nor located within 10 miles of a site where VS has been diagnosed."
2. All animals must be free of infectious and contagious diseases and a statement of this is required on the CVI (the statement is pre-printed on the CVI).
3. A statement of *Veterinarian-Client-Patient Relationship* will be included on each registration form
4. Individual official animal identification is required. Official ID includes:
  - A herd tattoo *in combination with* an ear notch; or

- A USDA-issued metal ear tag; or
  - An ISO-compliant 15-digit eartag (including RFID).
5. Brucellosis Testing Requirements:
  - No brucellosis test is required if the animal originates from a Validated Brucellosis-free Herd. If from a Validated Herd, the herd number and date of last test must be included on the CVI.
  - If not originating from a Validated Herd, out of state swine must be negative to a brucellosis test within the 30 days prior to the opening date of the exhibition, and the negative results and date of test must be included on the CVI or the animal must be accompanied by a negative laboratory test report (a copy of the original lab report is acceptable).
6. Pseudorabies Testing Requirements:
  - No pseudorabies test is required if the animal originates from a Qualified Pseudorabies-negative Herd. A Qualified Pseudorabies-negative Herd shall not be construed to mean every swine herd from a Stage V state, but only those herds in compliance with individual herd testing plans. If from a Qualified Herd, the herd number and date of last test must be included on the CVI.
  - If not originating from a Qualified Herd, out of state swine must be negative to a pseudorabies test within the 30 days prior to the opening date of the exhibition, and the negative results and date of test must be included on the CVI or the animal must be accompanied by a negative laboratory test report (a copy of the original lab report is acceptable).

\*In addition, veterinarians are encouraged to write down any distinguishing markings that are present on the animal. Questions regarding proper identification for swine on Certificates of Veterinary Inspection for Pennsylvania fairs can be directed to Dr. Tom Alexander at 717-783-6851.

#### **General Rules**

Exhibitors of livestock must inform themselves as to when their stock will be judged. Stock must be in the ring promptly on call and a failure to comply with the order renders exhibitors liable to be disqualified.

- 1) Exhibitors must have all animals listed for competition on the grounds not later than 12:00 P.M. Sunday. All such animals shall remain on the premises until Saturday at 10 p.m. unless released by Superintendent.
- 2) Entry fee is \$3 per head. Non-refundable. Checks made out to: Jefferson County Fair.
- 3) The exhibitors will be expected to keep the space they occupy in a clean and sanitary condition and to remove all equipment promptly as the Superintendent may direct.
- 4) All entry forms must be in the hands of the Livestock Chairperson on or before June 15. The entry fee of \$3 per head must accompany the entry form. Checks made out to Jefferson County Fair.
- 5) All exhibitors must furnish their own bedding and feed.
- 6) All exhibitors must wear show clothing.
- 7) An individual animal may be shown as a market or a breeding exhibit, but the same individual animal may not be exhibited in both market and breeding classes.
- 8) Animals owned in partnership (each partner being named on the registration certificate) may be entered in any class under one owner's name or under the partnership name, but must be shown under the same ownership throughout the show. Whomever enters and pays the entry fee is considered the exhibitor of that said animal.
- 9) Direct criticism or interference with the judge, fair or livestock show management, other exhibitors, breed representatives, or show officials before, during, or after the competitive event is prohibited. In the furtherance of their official duty, all judges, fair and livestock show management, or other show officials shall be treated with courtesy, cooperation and respect. No person shall direct abusive or threatening conduct toward them.

- 10) Any exhibitor and/or parent interfering with the judges while making awards shall forfeit any and all premiums to which the exhibitor would otherwise be entitled.

### SECTION 1 -- SOW AND LITTER

2200	For Exhibition only .....	\$35
	Must be a nice, clean display and of interest to children and all other fair visitors.	

### SECTION 2 -- BREEDING SWINE

(Compiled from Dept. 11 of Fair Fund New Guidelines Book)

Note: Classifications and premiums stated are to apply to each of these breeds:

- 1 - Chester White 5 - Spotted Swine
- 2 - Duroc 6 - Others (by breed)
- 3 - Hampshire 7 - Cross Breeds
- 4 - Poland China

Class

1	January Sow Pig - must have been farrowed on or after Jan. 1 and before Feb. 1 of this year .....	\$8	\$6	\$4
2	February Sow Pig - must have been farrowed on or after Feb. 1 and before March 1 of this year .....	8	6	4
3	March Sow Pig - must have been farrowed on or after Mar. 1 and before Apr. 1 of this year .....	8	6	4
	April Sow Pig - must have been farrowed on or after Apr. ....	8	6	4
	Grand Champion Sow .....			Ribbon or Rosette
4	Reserve Grand Champion Sow .....			Ribbon or Rosette
7	January Boar Pig - must have been farrowed on or after Jan. 1 and before Feb. 1 of this year .....	\$8	\$6	\$4
8	February Boar Pig - must have been farrowed on or after Feb. 1 and before March 1 of this year .....	8	6	4
9	March Boar Pig - must have been farrowed on or after Mar. 1 and before Apr. 1 of this year .....	8	6	4
1	April Boar Pig - must have been farrowed on or after Apr. 1 and before May 1 of this year .....	8	6	4
11	Champion Boar .....			Ribbon or Rosette
12	Reserve Champion Boar .....			Ribbon or Rosette

### SECTION 3 -- GILT CLASSES

2293	December Gilt - must have been born on or after December 1 of previous year and before January 1 of this year .....	8	6	4
2294	January Gilt - must have been born on or after January 1 and before February 1 of this year .....	8	6	4
2295	February Gilt - must have been born on or after February 1 and before March 1 of this year .....	8	6	4
2296	March Gilt - must have been born on or after March 1 and before April 1 of this year .....	8	6	4

**SECTION 4 -- OPEN MARKET SWINE**

Note: Swine shown in breeding classes cannot be shown in market classes or vice versa.  
 Classifications and premiums stated are to apply to each of these breeds:

- 1 - Berkshire 6 - Spotted Swine
- 2 - Chester White 7 - Yorkshire
- 3 - Duroc 8 - Others (by breed)
- 4 - Hampshire 9 - Cross Breeds
- 5 - Poland China

Class			
1	Lightweight Market Swine, 210-220 lbs .....	\$8	\$6 \$4
2	Medium-light weight Market Swine, 221-230 lbs .....	8	6 4
3	Light-medium weight Market Swine, 231-240 lbs .....	8	6 4
4	Heavy-medium weight Market Swine, 241-250 lbs .....	8	6 4
5	Medium-heavy weight Market Swine, 251-260 lbs .....	8	6 4
6	Heavy weight Market Swine, 261-270 lbs .....	8	6 4
7	Grand Champion Market Swine .....		Ribbon or Rosette
8	Reserve Grand Champion Market Swine .....		Ribbon or Rosette
9	Pair of Barrows farrowed after Feb. 1 of this year, limited to exhibitors showing in breeding classes		
Individual Weights:			
10	200-230 lbs - Light Weight .....	8	6 4
11	231-250 lbs - Medium Weight .....	8	6 4
12	251-270 lbs - Heavy Weight .....	8	6 4
13	Champion Pair of Barrows .....		Ribbon or Rosette
14	Reserve Champion Pair of Barrows .....		Ribbon or Rosette

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**SECTION 5 -- GOOD HOUSEKEEPING AWARDS**

Livestock exhibitors who maintain the most attractive and sanitary exhibits will be eligible for special premiums.  
 All livestock exhibits will be scored on the following basis:

	<u>Points</u>
Cleanliness of animals. . . . .	15
Cleanliness of bedding . . . . .	15
Entry card & ribbons won properly displayed with animal. . . . .	20
Keeping grain & hay feed presentable . . . . .	10
All equipment sanitary and neat . . . . .	10
Keeping aisles clean. . . . .	15
Courtesy to people. . . . .	<u>15</u>
	100

Unannounced Inspections to be made daily. PRIZES . . . . \$5 per day in each department.