

# DEPARTMENT 10.5 – 4-H and VOCATIONAL SWINE JEFFERSON COUNTY 4-H OR BROCKWAY FFA ONLY

MAIL ALL 4-H and VOCATIONAL SWINE ENTRIES TO

Jefferson County Fair  
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Entries due June 15, 2014

## JEFFERSON COUNTY FAIR GENERAL 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

### 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 and a statement of this is required on the CVI (the statement is pre-printed on the CVI).
3. 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).

### Out of State Swine:

Requirements:

1. A Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI) issued within the 30 days prior to the date of importation is required. The CVI shall include a statement verifying that the swine have not been fed raw garbage.
2. If an animal comes from a state in which Vesicular Stomatitis (VS) has been identified, or a bordering state, the CVI shall include a statement verifying that “all animals identified on this certificate of veterinary inspection have been examined and found to be free from Vesicular Stomatitis. 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.”
3. 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).
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 an official brucellosis test within the 30 days prior to the date of importation, 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 an official pseudorabies test within the 30 days prior to the date of importation, 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).

**General Rules:**

1. 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.
2. Exhibitors must have all animals listed for competition on the grounds not later than 10:00 AM on Sunday of Fair Week. All such animals shall remain on the premises until Saturday at 10 p.m. unless released by Superintendent. Animals sold at Livestock Sale on Thursday will be released at 7:00 AM on Saturday.
3. Entry fee is \$3 per animal. Checks payable to "Jefferson County Fair"
4. Animals entered in Department 10.5 may not be entered in Department 5.
5. Entries must be on the grounds and penned by Sunday of Fair Week by 10:00 AM..
6. Release time will be set at 10:00 PM on Saturday evening. Animals sold at Livestock Sale on Thursday will be released at 7:00 AM on Saturday.
7. All entry forms must be in the hands of the Superintendents on or before June 15. The entry fee of \$3 per head must accompany the entry form.
8. All exhibitors must furnish feed and bedding. Fresh bedding and cleaned animals must be stalled by noon each day.
9. All exhibitors must wear show clothing.
10. 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.
11. An individual animal may be shown as a market exhibit or a breeding exhibit, but the same individual animal may not be exhibited in both market and breeding classes.
12. 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 and no person shall direct abusive or threatening conduct toward them.
13. Any exhibitor and/or parent interfering with the judges while making awards shall forfeit any premium to which exhibitor would otherwise be entitled.
14. All animals must remain until 10:00 PM on Saturday, July 19. (Market animals sold on Thursday, July 17 may leave at 7:00 AM on Saturday, July 19) A poster and photo of market animals is to be left over the pens.

**SECTION 5A -- 4-H & VOCATIONAL MARKET SWINE**

**JEFFERSON COUNTY 4-H OR BROCKWAY FFA ONLY**

An individual animal may be shown as a market exhibit or a breeding exhibit, but the same individual animal may not be exhibited in both market and breeding classes.

Classifications and premiums stated are to apply to:

2300 Market Swine – all animals are divided into classes by weight only. There is NO breed differentiation.

Class						
1	Lightweight Market Swine, minimum weight of 220.....	\$10	\$9	\$8	\$7	\$6
2	Medium-light weight Market Swine, .....	10	9	8	7	6
3	Light-medium weight Market Swine .....	10	9	8	7	6
4	Heavy-medium weight Market Swine .....	10	9	8	7	6
5	Medium-heavy weight Market Swine .....	10	9	8	7	6
6	Heavy weight Market Swine, maximum weight of 280 lbs .....	10	9	8	7	6
7	Champion Market Swine .....					Rosette
8	Reserve Champion Market Swine .....					Rosette

NOTE: Exact weight classes will be determined following weigh-in. Minimum weight is 220 lbs and 280 lbs as maximum. There must be a minimum of 2 entries to hold a class. If there is only 1 entry in the class, it moves up to the next weight class.

## SECTION 5B – 4-H & VOCATIONAL MARKET SWINE – PAIR OF SWINE

Pair of Swine Classes General Guidelines:

1. There will be NO breed differentiation. These will be the Market Swine animals.
2. Entries into the class may be any of the following:
  - A Pair of Barrows from the same litter.
  - A Pair of Gilts from the same litter.
  - A Barrow and Gilt from the same litter.
3. The animals will be judged on the parity between the littermates. Ideally, the pair of swine should be within 4-6 pounds of one another.

Class						
10	220-240 lbs Light Weight	\$10	9	8	7	6
11	241 – 260 lbs. Medium Weight	\$10	9	8	7	6
12	251 – 280 lbs. Heavy Weight	\$10	9	8	7	6
13	Champion pair of swine	Rosette				
14	Reserve Champion pair of swine	Rosette				

NOTE: There must be a minimum of 2 entries to hold a class. If there is only 1 entry in the class, it moves up to the next weight class.

## SECTION 5C – 4-H and VOCATIONAL BREEDING SWINE

SPECIAL NOTE: To enter computer ID number, ADD the breed number to the ID number for the class listed below. For example, if the Breed is Duroc (2230) and the class is March Sow Pig (3), you would add 2230 + 3 getting an ID of 2233. If no breed is listed use the class number only.

An individual animal may be shown as a market exhibit or a breeding exhibit, but the same individual animal may not be exhibited in both market and breeding classes.

Note: Classifications and premiums stated are to apply to each of these breeds (No crossbreeds):

2220 - Chester White	2260 - Spotted Swine
2230 - Duroc	2270 Yorkshire
2240 - Hampshire	
2250 - Poland China	

Class						
1	January Sow Pig - must have been farrowed on or after Jan. 1 and before Feb. 1 of this year .....	\$10	\$9	\$8	\$7	\$6
2	February Sow Pig - must have been farrowed on or after Feb. 1 and before March 1 of this year .....	10	9	8	7	6
3	March Sow Pig - must have been farrowed on or after Mar. 1 and before Apr. 1 of this year .....	10	9	8	7	6
4	April Sow Pig - must have been farrowed on or after Apr. ....	10	9	8	7	6
5	Grand Champion Sow .....					Ribbon or Rosette
6	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 .....	\$10	\$9	\$8	\$7	\$6
8	February Boar Pig - must have been farrowed on or after Feb. 1 and before March 1 of this year .....	10	9	8	7	6
9	March Boar Pig - must have been farrowed on or after Mar. 1 and before Apr. 1 of this year .....	10	9	8	7	6
1	April Boar Pig – must have been farrowed on or after Apr. 1 and before May 1 of this year .....	10	9	8	7	6
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 .....	10	9	8	7	6
2294	January Gilt – must have been born on or after January 1 and before February 1 of this year .....	10	9	8	7	6
2295	February Gilt – must have been born on or after February 1 and before March 1 of this year .....	10	9	8	7	6
2296	March Gilt – must have been born on or after March 1 and before April 1 of this year .....	10	9	8	7	6

**SECTION 5C - HOME-BRED MARKET CLASS**  
**Ribbons only for first 5 placings in each class.**  
**NO Premiums will be paid.**

Home-bred classes for Market Swine will be recognized by the Jefferson County 4-H and Vocational Livestock Program for those whose project animals were born and raised on their family farm. The female, of said breed, must be present, and must have been bred on the farm of the exhibitor. The parents or the exhibitor of the animal must own the female at the time the animal was bred. Exhibitor must have information about parents of the project animal at the time the project animal is tagged. Animals that are entered in the Market Show, and are Grand Champion or Reserve Grand Champion, will not be eligible to enter in the Home-bred Show.

**CLASSES**

1. Lightweight Market Swine, minimum of 220 lbs .....
2. Medium-light weight Market Swine,
3. Light-medium weight Market Swine
4. Heavy-medium weight Market Swine
5. Medium-heavy weight Market Swine
6. Heavy weight Market Swine, maximum of 280 lbs

NOTE: Same weight classes as Section 5A Market Swine. There must be a minimum of 2 entries to hold a class. If there is only 1 entry in the class, it moves up to the next weight class.

**SECTION 5D - COUNTY BRED MARKET CLASSES**  
**Ribbons only for first 5 placings in each class.**  
**NO Premiums will be paid.**

**Guidelines**

1. All animals must be bred and born in Jefferson County. Appropriate verification paperwork must be completed by the breeder and the exhibitor.
2. Completed paperwork must be turned in to the species' leader on the day of tagging for the species.
3. Weight classes will be as listed for these county bred entries.
4. Grand Champion and Reserve Champion animals from the Purebred, Market, Carcass, and Homebred Classes will not be eligible to compete in the County Bred Class.
5. The County Bred Classes will show after the classes listed in item # 4.
6. County Bred Classes will NOT be broken down by breed.

**COUNTY BRED CLASSES**

CBH1	Lightweight Market Swine, 220-240 lbs .....	
CBH2	Medium weight Market Swine, 241-260 lbs .....	
CBH3	Heavy weight Market Swine, 261-280 lbs .....	
	Champion .....	Rosette
	Reserve Champion	Rosette

NOTE: There must be a minimum of 2 entries to hold a class. If there is only 1 entry in the class, it moves up to the next weight class.

**SECTION 5E -- SHOWMANSHIP AND FITTING**

CLASS:

- 2476 Master SHOWMAN Award ..... \$5 to each person who qualifies
  - 2477 Master FITTING Award ..... \$5 to each person who qualifies
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**SECTION 5F - 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>
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Unannounced Inspections to be made daily.	PRIZES . . . \$5 per day in each department.

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## SECTION 5E – RATE OF GAIN FOR 4-H/FFA MARKET SWINE

This class is designed to reward exhibitors who have properly managed and fed their hogs, even though they may not place high in the show ring. Entry is optional. A member may enter up to 4 hogs at the start of the competition; however, only 1 of these hogs entered will be weighed in for the 1 final entry per member. Hogs must be first weighed at the date assigned by the chairperson; all hogs must be weighed on the same scales. The final weight will be the weight at check-in time for the market hogs for the showing at the Jefferson County Fair. The average daily gain will be calculated as follows:

**Final Weight – Initial Weight/Days from Initial to Final Weigh-In**

**CLASS 2680 - PREMIUMS:**

**1.60-1.70 lbs/day = \$10.00**

**1.71-1.90 lbs/day = \$20.00**

**1.91 lbs/day and over = \$30.00**

**RIBBONS WILL BE AWARDED FOR PLACING AS WELL.**

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**4-H/FFA MARKET ANIMALS  
JEFFERSON COUNTY  
RATE OF GAIN WEIGHT REPORT**

Exhibitor: Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Club/Chapter Name \_\_\_\_\_

Animal 1

Animal 2

Animal 3

Animal 4

Ear tag # \_\_\_\_\_

Weight \_\_\_\_\_

Date Weighed: \_\_\_\_\_

Breed: \_\_\_\_\_

Exhibitors' animal chosen for the final competition: \_\_\_\_\_

Jefferson County Fair Week check-in weight: \_\_\_\_\_

Average Daily Gain: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of weigh master: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of weigh master: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

All animals will be weighed in on the same day, same scale, same location. **No exceptions.**

Each exhibitor must select which animal is going to be their entry for this competition no later than June 15<sup>th</sup>. This animal must be identified and reported to your club leader by June 16<sup>th</sup>. **No late phone calls will be accepted.**

This special form/report is kept by the officials. Each exhibitor must enter this class on their regular fair entry form as well in order to receive premiums awarded.

**This form must be turned in at Tagging.**

**This form may be photocopied as needed.**