

DEPARTMENT 5

SWINE

Mail all Livestock entries to Jefferson County Fair

Jefferson County Fair Authority

PO Box 213

Brockway, PA 15824

Entries Due June 15, 2024 – SUMMARY FORM MUST BE INCLUDED

Mail all entry fees, camper fees, and exhibitor pass fees/applications by June 15.

Based upon the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture Quarantine Order of January 1, 2020 for Swine Exhibitions, the Jefferson County Fair Authority will not be offering any classes for Breeding Swine at the 2024 Jefferson County Fair.

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HEALTH RULES FOR SWINE

The Jefferson County Fair Authority adopts all Animal Health Requirements as outlined by the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture (PDA) and makes all Animal Health Recommendations of the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture **REQUIREMENTS** to exhibit at the Jefferson County Fair. The Jefferson County Fair Authority reserves the right to make changes based upon disease emergencies and information from the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture. All exhibitors should familiarize themselves with the documents which can be found on the fair website www.jeffcofair.com or the PDA website www.agriculture.pa.gov

Complete Health rules are posted on the Jefferson County Fair website at www.jeffcofair.com. It is the responsibility of each exhibitor to review the rules and provide the required information (this includes required identification, CVI, vaccinations, blood tests, etc.).

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 10:00 AM on Sunday of Fair Week. All such animals shall remain on the premises until Sunday 7:00 a.m. unless released by Superintendent. Animals sold at Livestock Sale on Thursday will be released at 7:00 AM on Sunday.
- 2) Entry fee is \$7 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 and fees must be to the Jefferson County Fair on or before June 15.
- 5) All exhibitors must furnish their own bedding and feed. Fresh bedding and cleaned animals must be stalled by noon each day. 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.
- 6) All exhibitors must wear show clothing. **SHOW WILL BE MONDAY EVENING**
- 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. An individual animal may be shown as an open exhibit or a 4-H exhibit, but the same individual animal may not be exhibited in both 4-H and open classes.
- 8) Open 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. 4-H and Vocational does

- not allow animals to be owned in partnership.
- 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.
All exhibitors are responsible for knowing the time their shows will begin and being ready to enter the ring/show area prior to the start time. Those that are late may be disqualified at the discretion of the Judge and/or Superintendent.
- 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.
- 11). Animals entered in Open Sections may not be entered in 4-H/Vocational Sections and vice versa.
- 12) 4-H/FFA Policies and Fact Sheet can be found at
[https://pennstateoffice365.sharepoint.com/:f/s/AgSci/coext/PA4H/PA4HCloverlink/EvCeaWEB_yBJpdjF - n5WdgBphKIY5bL243bm0Hta2yOBQ?e=tD8Fge](https://pennstateoffice365.sharepoint.com/:f/s/AgSci/coext/PA4H/PA4HCloverlink/EvCeaWEB_yBJpdjF-n5WdgBphKIY5bL243bm0Hta2yOBQ?e=tD8Fge)

SECTION 20 -- SOW AND LITTER

Class

- 1 For Exhibition only \$35
 Must be a nice, clean display and of interest to children and all other fair visitors.
 This educational exhibition must have reasonable precautions made to ensure the biosecurity of the swine. Consult with Department Superintendent and Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture for details as to required biosecurity.

Per the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture Interstate and International Quarantine Order – Swine Exhibition Requirements: All market swine exhibited in Department sponsor-ed market shows shall move directly to a PDA or USDA licensed slaughter facility following the animal exhibition and may not be diverted to premises other than a recognized slaughter establishment or a slaughter market in which the sales are designated slaughter only sales.

OPEN MARKET SWINE

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Note: Swine shown in breeding classes cannot be shown in market classes or vice versa. Animals shown in this section may **not** be shown in 4-H and Vocational classes.

Use these Sections numbers to identify the breeds:

Section #

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| 31 - Berkshire | 36 - Spotted Swine |
| 32 - Chester White | 37 - Yorkshire |
| 33 - Duroc | 38 - Others (by breed) |
| 34 - Hampshire | 39 - Cross Breeds |
| 35 - Poland China | |

Premiums will be as follows for all breeds:

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| First - \$8.00 | Second - \$6.00 | Third - \$4.00 |
| Champion Classes will be awarded rosettes | | |

Class

- 1 Lightweight Market Swine, 200-225 lbs .
- 2 Medium-light weight Market Swine, 226-240 lbs
- 3 Light-medium weight Market Swine, 241-255 lbs
- 4 Heavy-medium weight Market Swine, 256-270 lbs
- 5 Medium-heavy weight Market Swine, 271-285 lbs
- 6 Heavy weight Market Swine, 286-300 lbs
- 7 Grand Champion Market Swine
- 8 Reserve Grand Champion Market Swine .

Classes 10 – 14: Pair of Barrows farrowed after Feb. 1 of this year, limited to exhibitors showing in breeding classes; Individual

Weights:

- 10 200-235 lbs - Light Weight
- 11 236-265 lbs - Medium Weight
- 12 266-300 lbs - Heavy Weight .

- 13 Champion Pair of Barrows
- 14 Reserve Champion Pair of Barrows

SECTION 30 -- GOOD HOUSEKEEPING AWARDS

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Class 1 **Premiums 1st - \$10.00 2nd - \$5.00 3rd - \$2.50**
1st place will receive special rosette

Swine exhibitors who maintain the most attractive and sanitary exhibits will be eligible for special premiums. All Swine exhibits – both open and 4-H/Vocational - will be scored on the following basis:

	<u>Points</u>
Cleanliness of animals.	10
Cleanliness of bedding	10
Entry card & ribbons won properly displayed with animal.	10
Ribbons displayed with animals after show	10
Hay, straw, feed and equipment is neat inside and outside barn	10
Show box and sitting-display area neat.	10
Aisles is raked and neat.	10
Courtesy to people.	10
Display name of farm and its location	10
Overall appearance of display	<u>10</u>
	100
Unannounced Inspections to be made daily.	

SECTION 40
4-H & VOCATIONAL MARKET SWINE

Exhibitors should refer to Department 10 for classes.

All health and exhibit rules listed in Department 5 must be followed by exhibitors in Department 10

SECTION 53 – 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 1

PREMIUMS:

1st - 1.91 lbs/day and over = \$30.00

2nd - 1.71-1.90 lbs/day = \$20.00

3rd - 1.60-1.70 lbs/day = \$10.00

RIBBONS WILL BE AWARDED FOR PLACING AS WELL.

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

Exhibitor: Name _____

Address _____

Club/Chapter Name _____

Animal 1

Animal 2

Animal 3

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: _____

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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 15th. This animal must be identified and reported to your club leader by June 15. **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

SUMMARY FORM TO INCLUDE WITH PAYMENT

Family Name _____
Phone number to contact in event of questions with these forms: _____

Please include entry form for each exhibitor and department

Checklist of required information:

- _____ Entry form with complete exhibitor and entry information
- _____ Exhibitor/Assistants/Parking Pass form completed for the family
- _____ Camper Request Form
- _____ Payment
- _____ Animal Health Paperwork

- Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI) dated within 30 days of fair, 2024 for Horses, Cattle, Sheep, Goats, Camelids, Rabbits, and Swine.
- Rabies vaccination certificate - A current rabies vaccination administered by a licensed veterinarian for animals 3 months of age and older. Market animals exempt. See special rules for foals.
- Poultry Blood Certificate as to Testings completed and results
- Poultry must have a CVI or an Owner-endorsed Poultry Health Certificate
- Coggins Test Results - All equine animals must test negative for Equine Infectious Anemia (EIA) by an official test within the 12 months prior to the opening date of the Jefferson County Fair.

Animal totals for Family/Farm

Horse _____
Dairy Cattle _____
Beef Cattle _____
Sheep _____
Swine _____
Goats _____
Llama/Alpaca _____
Poultry _____
Rabbits _____

Preferred method of payment is by check (payable to Jefferson County Fair); if paying by cash it must be the exact amount due.

Please indicate the dollar amount for each

Exhibit/Animal/Pen	\$ _____
Passes (Assistants and Parking)	\$ _____
Camper Space	\$ _____
Fans	\$ _____
Total amount	\$ _____

I certify that my family has read the rules of the Jefferson County Fair and will follow those rules and any other rules that must be developed during the course of the Jefferson County Fair. I understand that failure to follow rules will result in corrective action which may include being ejected from the fairgrounds.

Signature

Date _____