

NW ARKANSAS DISTRICT FAIRGROUNDS HARRISON, ARKANSAS

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PENALTIES FOR INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF FAIRS AND EXPOSITIONS (IAFE) CODE OF SHOW RING ETHICS VIOLATIONS

Any exhibitors and all other parties found in violation of IAFE Code of Show Ring Ethics are subject to being prohibited from participating in the North Arkansas Jr. Spring Livestock Show for that year.

IAFE (INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF FAIRS AND EXPOSITIONS) NATIONAL CODE OF SHOW RING ETHICS

Exhibitors of animals at livestock shows shall at all times deport themselves with honesty and good sportsmanship. Their conduct in this competitive environment shall always reflect the highest standards of honor and dignity to promote the advancement of agricultural education. This code applies to junior as well as open class exhibitors who compete in structured classes of competition. This code applies to all livestock offered in any event at a livestock show. In addition to the IAFE National Code of Show Ring Ethics, fairs and livestock shows may have rules and regulations which they impose on the local, county, state, provincial and national levels.

All youth leaders working with junior exhibitors are under an affirmative responsibility to do more than avoid improper conduct or questionable acts. Their moral values must be so certain and positive that those younger and more pliable will be influenced by their fine example. Owners, exhibitors, fitters, trainers and absolutely responsible persons who violate the code of ethics will forfeit premiums, awards and auction proceeds and shall be prohibited from future exhibition in accordance with the rules adopted by the respective fairs and livestock shows. Exhibitors who violate this code of ethics demean the integrity of all livestock exhibitors and should be prohibited from competition at all livestock shows in the United States and Canada.

The following is a list of guidelines for all exhibitors and all livestock in competitive events:

- 1. All exhibitors must present, upon request of fair and livestock show officials, proof of ownership, length of ownership and age of all animals entered. Misrepresentation of ownership, age or any facts relating thereto is prohibited.
- 2. Owners, exhibitors, fitters, trainers, or absolutely responsible persons shall provide animal health certificates from licensed veterinarians upon request by fair or livestock show officials.
- 3. Owners, exhibitors are expected to care for and groom their animals while at fairs or livestock shows.
- 4. Animals shall be presented to show events where they will enter the food chain free of violative drug residues. The act of entering an animal in a livestock show is the giving of consent by the owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or absolutely responsible person for show management to obtain any specimen of urine, saliva, blood, or other substance from the animal to be used in testing. Animals not entered in an event which culminates with the animal entering the food chain shall not be administered drugs other than in accordance with applicable federal, state and provincial statutes, regulations and rules. Livestock shall not be exhibited if the drugs administered in accordance with said rules affect the animal's performance of appearance at the event. If the laboratory report on the analysis of said specimen indicates the presence of forbidden drugs or medication, this shall be prima facie evidence that such substance has been administered to the animal either internally or externally. All procedures of specimen collection, preservation, transfer and analysis by Arkansas Livestock & Poultry Commission are presumed correct and accurate and that the laboratory report correctly reflects the condition of the animal at the time the sample was taken, with the burden on the owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or absolutely responsible per son to prove otherwise. At any time after an animal arrives on the fairgrounds all treatments involving the use of drugs and/or medications shall be administered by the official Arkansas State Fair veterinarian for the sole purpose of protecting the health of the animal and only with prior written approval of the Livestock Superintendent.
- 5. Any surgical procedure or injection of any foreign substance or drug or the external application of any substance (irritant, counterirritant, or similar substance) which could affect the animal's performance or alter its natural contour, confirmation, or appearance, except external applications of substances to the hoofs or hors of animals which affect appearance only, and except for surgical procedures performed by a duly licensed veterinarian for the sole purpose of protecting the health of the animal, is prohibited.
- 6. The use of showing and /or handling practices or devices such as striking animals to cause swelling, using electrical contrivance, or other similar practices are not acceptable and are prohibited.
- 7. 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.
- 8. No owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or absolutely responsible person shall conspire with another person or persons to intentionally violated this code of ethics or knowingly contribute or cooperate with another person or persons either by affirmative action or inaction to violate this code of ethics. Violation of this rule shall subject such individual to disciplinary action.
- The application of this code of ethics provides for absolute responsibility for an animal's condition by an owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer,
 or participant whether or not he or she was actually instrumental in or had actual knowledge of the treatment of the animal in
 contravention of this code of ethics.
- 10. The act of entering an animal is the giving of consent by the owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or absolutely responsible person to have disciplinary action by the fair or livestock show for violation of this Code of Show Ring Ethics and any other rules of competition of the fair or livestock show without recourse against the fair or livestock show. It is further consent that any proceeding or disciplinary action taken by the fair or livestock show may be published with the name of the violator or violators in any publication of the international Association of Fairs and Expositions, including Fairs and Expositions, and any special notices to members.
- 11. The act of entering an animal in a fair or livestock show is the giving of verification by the owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or absolutely responsible person that he or she has read the IAFE National Code of Show Ring Ethics and understands the consequences of and penalties provided for actions prohibited by the code. It is further consent that any action that contravenes these rules and is also in violation of federal, state, or provincial statues, regulations, or rules may be released to appropriate law enforcement authorities with jurisdiction over such infractions.

PREREGISTRATION AND CERTIFICATION OF ENTRIES

All entries *must* be made online at: https://northwestarkansasdistrictfair.com/district-spring-livestock-show/

Deadline: Friday, May 30, 2025 at 11:59pm.

Entry Fees: Cattle: \$12/entry

Swine, Sheep & Goats: \$8/entry

Rabbits: \$4/entry

Exhibitor Eligibility: Exhibitors must be 5 to 19 years of age the day of show and a member of 4-H or FFA, no residency requirements.

Exhibitors must show their own animals unless and exhibitor has multiple animals in the ring at the same time.

NORTHERN ARKANSAS DISTRICT SPRING JUNIOR LIVESTOCK SHOW

NW Arkansas District Fairgrounds, Harrison, Arkansas May 31, 2025

Officers

Chairman: Trent taylor Fair Manager: Allison Black

Ad Hoc Planning Committee

Participating county extension agents & FFA instructors

CHECK-IN & JUDGING SCHEDULE

Saturday, May 31, 2025

Fairgrounds Open	6:00 am
Check- in & Weigh-in	
All Livestock in Place	
Shows begin with Showmanship	

Barn 1 Show Order

Dairy Cattle Showmanship Dairy Cattle Show Beef Showmanship Breeding Beef Show Commercial Heifer Show Prospect Steer Show

Barn 2 Show Order

Goat Showmanship
Dairy Goat Show
Purebred/Percentage Goat Show
Wether Dam Show
Prospect Market Goat Show
Sheep Showmanship
Breeding Sheep Show
Prospect Market Lamb Show
Swine Showmanship
Swine Show

Rabbits

Check-Out Procedure

- 1. All exhibitors are responsible for cleaning out their stall prior to leaving. If you brought it, you take it home. Any items left on the fairgrounds will become property of the Northwest Arkansas District Fair unless other arrangements have been made.
- 2. Exhibitors must check out with the livestock superintendent
- 3. Failure complete #1 and #2 above will result in a forfeiture of premium check.

^{*}Times are tentative.

GENERAL RULES

- 1. Date for the Northern Arkansas Spring Junior Livestock Show will be on Saturday the last weekend in April.
- 2. ELIGIBILITY Exhibitors are limited to youth 5 to 19 years of age the day of show. Exhibitors' project program must be under the supervision of a vocational agriculture teacher or a county Extension agent in the designated area. Exhibitors shall not enter multiple spring shows in a given year, receiving state of Arkansas premium money from more than one show.
- 4. OWNERSHIP Exhibitors must own animals to be exhibited upon registration and entry. See special rules for horses.
- 5. NUMBER OF ENTRIES Exhibitors will be limited to two entries per class, and 12 animals per species. See special rules for horses, poultry, and rabbits.
- 6. BREEDING REQUIREMENTS Only purebred and/or registered animals will be shown in breeding classes of established breeds. Registration papers must be in exhibitors name or animal will be placed in commercial heifer class. See special rules for goats.
- 7. TIME OF ENTRIES –MUST HAVE HEALTH PAPERS CHECKED BEFORE ENTERING FAIRGROUNDS. Facilities will be available from 6:00 a.m. Saturday through end of show. Note: Boone County exhibitors exhibiting in the Boone County Spring Show may stay overnight Friday.
- 8. CARE OF ANIMALS Exhibitors will be responsible for providing feed, water, bedding, and necessary care of animals on display.
- 9. AWARDS Points will be awarded as outlined under species classifications. Total points earned in all departments will be divided into available funds to determine point value. Premium money will be determined by multiplying point value by points earned. Premiums will be paid strictly upon the report as rendered by competent judges. This record shall stand as official.
- 10. LIABILITY All exhibitors will be under the control and direction of the Management, but the Livestock Show will in no case be responsible for any loss, injury or damage that may occur. Each exhibitor will be solely responsible for any consequential or other loss, injury or damage done to, or occasioned by, or arising from, any animal or article exhibited by exhibitor and for its description as given in the catalog. Exhibitor shall indemnify the Livestock
- 3. Show against all legal or other proceedings in regard thereto, as well as damage or injury to any other person or property, caused by the exhibitor or any of the animals exhibited by exhibitor, or arising out of, or in any way connected with such exhibition or any of the animals so exhibited.
- 11. Showmanship classes will include pee wee (under 9 years), junior (9-13 years), and senior (14-19 years) as of January 1, (See special rules for horse show.) Animals used in showmanship classes must be owned by the exhibitor and be shown in class in addition to the showmanship class. (With the exception of pee wee showmanship.) No animals under six months old or over two years old can be shown in showmanship classes.
- 12. Exhibitors must show their own animals unless an exhibitor has multiple animals in the ring(s) at the same time.
- 13. There will be a designated area for using generators.
- 14. Fees are for livestock only, not to reserve space for your show box & equipment.
- 15. All animal stalls will be assigned by the livestock Superintendent
- 16. Judging will be based on the American Judging System
- 17. No Chutes will be allowed in the barn walkways

HEALTH REGULATIONS

ARKANSAS LIVESTOCK & POULTRY COMMISSION EXHIBITION REQUIREMENTS COUNTY, JR. DISTRICT, DISTRICT, STATE FAIR LEVEL, AND OTHER SHOWS

- 1. All animals entering the grounds, including those showing in pet zoos, children=s barnyard animals, Old McDonald Farms, etc. must meet the requirements of their particular species.
- 2. Arkansas livestock (except for Arkansas sheep, goats, horses, steers and rabbits) must be accompanied by a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection issued within 90 days prior to exhibition, showing the following:

ARKANSAS CATTLE

1. If Arkansas is a Class Free State, Arkansas cattle are exempt from brucellosis testing. If Arkansas is not a Class Free State then the following testing requirements must be met:

Negative brucellosis test within ninety (90) days prior to exhibition, for females and bulls eighteen (18) months of age and over. All heifers that have calved or are bred must be tested. Animals originating from a Certified Brucellosis Free Herd are exempt if the Certified Free Herd number is shown on certificate.

- 2. All heifers that are 4-12 months of age shall be vaccinated before entering show.
- 3. Heifers that were born on or after January 1, 1985, that are over 12 months of age and are not official calfhood vaccinates will not be allowed to show (unless they are from a Brucellosis Certified Free Herd.) This will not apply if Arkansas continues as a Brucellosis Free State.

ARKANSAS SWINE

- 1. As of July 1, 2001, all swine must have an official premise identification.
- 2. Animals 6 months old or older to be tested negative for brucellosis within 90 days of exhibition or originate out of a Validated Herd, with Validation number and date of last herd test shown on certificate (barrows exempt from brucellosis testing, but must be pseudorabies tested.)
- 3. Animals to be tested negative for pseudorabies within 90 days of the exhibition on a test approved by the State Veterinarian or originate directly out of a Qualified Pseudorabies Free Herd, with Qualified Herd number and date of last test shown on certificate.
- 4. Free of other contagious, infectious, and communicable diseases (erysipelas, atrophic rhinitis, etc.); otherwise they will not be allowed to show and will be released from fairgrounds.

ARKANSAS SHEEP & GOATS

All instate sheep and goats in the state of Arkansas must be identified by an official USDA tag (scrapie tag) or for goats a legible official goat registry tattoo if accompanied by a registration certificate.

If you need a Scrapie ID call 1-866-USDA-Tag for free tags and tagger.

Fair personnel, veterinarians, or state-federal personnel may examine sheep on grounds. Any sheep showing clinical symptoms of Scrapie shall be immediately quarantined in isolation and required to undergo any approved diagnostic tests and shall be consigned to slaughter or destruction with submission of tissues to an approved diagnostic laboratory at the exhibitor's expense.

Commingling (as defined by the Arkansas Scrapie Regulation) of sheep or goats of different flock status as defined by the Voluntary Flock Certification Program (VFCP) is prohibited and must be reported to the VFCP state official and State Veterinarian.

No sheep or goats showing symptoms of disease, particularly foot rot, sore mouth, sheep pox, evidence of fungal infection, evidence of abscesses or with draining abscesses will be allowed to show and may be released by fair officials, veterinarians, or state-federal personnel.

All goats except pygmy or dwarf must be dehorned or have horns tipped or padded for safety.

ARKANSAS HORSES

All horses must be healthy and serviceably sound. A negative Coggins test conducted within the past 12 months of

show will be required for all animals over 6 months of age. Nursing foals under 6 months of age are exempt from testing if accompanied by negative tested dams. Must have <u>original</u> Coggins when entering premises. Papers will be checked.

ARKANSAS RABBITS

Rabbits will be inspected on grounds. No rabbits showing symptoms of disease will be allowed to show.

ARKANSAS POULTRY

The requirements are as follows:

- 1. All in-state poultry, which includes domesticated game birds, quail, pheasants, peafowl, guineas, and turkeys, present at exhibitions in Arkansas shall have originated from U.S. Pullorum-Typhoid Clean or equivalent flocks or have had a negative pullorum-typhoid test within ninety (90) days of the movement to the exhibition (pullorum-typhoid testing on fairgrounds during the fair is prohibited). This information will be documented on a NPIP Form VS 9-3, 90 Day Certificate, NPIP Flock Certification Form or similar certificate which will accompany the poultry during exhibition.
- 2. All non-certified birds must be banded (leg or wing band), with a sealed band. Wrap-around plastic bands are not acceptable. In-state waterfowl are exempt from pullorum-typhoid requirements.
- 3. Any poultry showing evidence of infections or contagious disease or insect infestation will not be permitted to exhibit.

DEPARTMENT 1 - BEEF CATTLE

Registered Beef

Breeds

Angus Shorthorn Charolais Simmental Gelbvieh Limousin

Hereford All Other Breeds

Maine-Anjou. Bottle calf (exhibition only). No points awarded. May be beef or dairy

Classes

- 1. Senior heifer calves; calved between Sept. 1 Oct. 31, of previous year
- 2. Late summer yearling heifers; calved between July 1 Aug. 31, of previous year
- 3. Early summer yearling heifers; calved between May 1 June 30, of previous year
- 4. Late junior yearling heifers; calved between March 1 April 30, of previous year
- 5. Early junior yearling heifers; calved between Jan. 1 Feb. 28, of previous year

Junior champion female	Rosette
Reserve junior champion female	Rosette

- 6. Senior yearling heifers; calved between Nov. 1-Dec. 31, two years prior
- 7. Senior yearling heifers; calved between Sept. 1 Oct. 31, two years prior
- 8. Late two year old heifers; calved between July 1 Aug. 31, two years prior
- 9. Late two year old heifers; calved between May 1 June 30, two years prior
- 10. Two year old heifers calved between April 1-April 30, two years prior

Senior champion female	Rosette
Reserve senior champion female	Rosette
Grand Champion female	Rosette
Reserve Grand Champion female	
Supreme Beef Heifer	Rosette

- 11. Produce of dam; two calves out of same cow
- 12. Cow-calf; cow under 6 years, calf not to be over 205 days of age; can't compete for grand champion female
- 13. Senior bull calves; calved between Sept. 1 Oct. 31, of previous year
- 14. Late summer yearling bulls; calved between July 1 Aug. 31, of previous year
- 15. Early summer yearling bulls; calved between May 1 June 30, of previous year
- 16. Late Junior yearling bulls; calved between March 1 April 30, of previous year
- 17. Early Junior yearling bulls; calved between Jan. 1-Feb. 28, of previous year

Junior Champion maleRo	sette
Reserve Junior Champion maleRo	sette

- 18. Senior yearling bulls; calved between November 1 December 31, two years prior
- 19. Senior yearling bulls; calved between Sept. 1 Oct. 31, two years prior
- 20. Late two year old bulls; calved between July 1 Aug. 31, two years prior
- 21. Late two year old bulls; calved between May 1 June 30, two years prior
- 22. Two year old bulls calved between April 1 April 30, two years prior

Senior Champion male	. Rosette
Reserve Senior Champion male	. Rosette
Grand champion bull	. Rosette
Reserve grand champion bull	. Rosette
Supreme Bull	

Registered Heifers are not allowed to show in the Commercial Heifer Show.

Junior Steer Prospect

Special rules:

- 1. A minimum weight of 500 pounds will be required. Underweight steers may be allowed to show but will not be considered for championships. This is a prospect steer show.
- 2. Classes will be divided by weight.

Division 1201- Junior Prospect Steers

Classes

Commercial Heifers

Special classes for commercial heifers will be shown in a similar manner as prospect steers. They will be placed in class by breed groups and may be further divided in classes by weight. Registered animals eligible to be shown in breed classes will not be allowed to show in commercial division.

Age limit of commercial heifers: Not under 6 months of age and not over 2 years of age at date of show.

Breed Divisions

American breeds and American breed crosses (all heifers with any Brahman influence). Included will be Brahman, Santa Gertrudis, Brangus, Beefmaster, Braford, Simbrah, Brahmousin, Braler, and any other breed of Brahman derivative or crosses from these breeds. Animals in this division should show some trait(s) of Brahman such as ear, dewlap, hump, etc.

European breeds and European breed crosses (all heifers with any Exotic breeding except those with Brahman blood). Included will be Charolais, Simmental, Limousin, Maine Anjou, Chianina, Saler, and any other breed originating on the European continent or commonly termed Exotic Animals in this division should have some indication of Exotic influence either by color or form.

English breeds and English breed crosses. Included will be principally Angus, Hereford, Shorthorn, and crosses thereof. (English breed crosses with Brahman or Exotic breeds will be classed as Brahman or Exotic crosses rather than English crosses.) Animals in this group should not show traits common to Brahman or European crosses.

Registered Heifers are not allowed to show in the Commercial Heifer Show.

English Breeds European Breeds

Classes

1. Commercial Heifers

Breed division champions	Rosette
Reserve breed division champions	
Grand champion commercial heifer	
Reserve grand champion commercial heifer	Rosette

Division 1304 – Commercial Produce of Dam

1. Commercial produce of dam; 2 calves from same cow

Division 1305 – Commercial Cow-Calf

1. Commercial cow-calf; cow under 6 years, Calf not to be over 205 days of age. Can't compete for grand champion female

Pee Wee showmanship	Trophy
Junior showmanship	Trophy
Senior showmanship	

Class Points

 $1^{st} - 30$

 $2^{nd} - 25$

3rd - 20

DEPARTMENT 2 - DAIRY CATTLE

Breeds

Aryshire | Brown Swiss | Guernsey | Holstein | Jersey | Milking Shorthorn | AOB Division 2104 – Holstein

Classes

- 1. Intermediate heifer calf; born from Dec. 1, of previous year thru Feb. 28 of current year
- 2. Senior heifer calf; born from Sept. thru Nov. of previous year
- 3. Junior yearling calf; born from March thru Aug. of previous year
- 4. Senior yearling calf; born from Sept. two years prior thru Feb. of previous year

- 5. Junior 2 yr. old; born from March thru Aug. two years prior
- 6. Senior 2 yr. old; born from Sept. three years prior thru February two years prior
- 7. Three yr. old cow born from; Sept. four years prior thru August 3 years prior
- 8. Four yr. old cow born from Sept. five years prior thru August 4 years prior.
- 9. Aged cow born before Sept. five years prior
- 10. Dry cow any age

Senior champion female	Rosette Rosette
Pee Wee showmanship	Trophy

Class Points

 $1^{st} - 30$

 $2^{nd} - 25$

 $3^{rd} - 20$

DEPARTMENT 3 - GOATS

Open to all recognized goat breeds.

Special rules:

- 1. Breeds will be divided as follows: Alpine, Boer, Nubian, Nigerian Dwarf, all other breeds and grades. Pygmy goats will be shown in meat goat classes. If there are not 5 entries in a breed, they will be placed in all other breeds.
- 2. Animals will be placed in class according to age on show date.
- 3. Grand champion dairy purebred will compete against grand champion dairy grade for best of show.
- 4. Must have registration papers on fullblood/purebred, percentage and registered animals.

Dairy Goats

Alpine | Lamancha | Nigerian Dwarf | Nubian | Oberhasli | Recorded Grade | Saanen | Sable | Toggenburg | AOB

Classes

3.	Does under 4 months Does 4 months and under 8 months Does 8 months and under 12 months Does 12 months and under 24 months (not in milk)	
	nior champion doeserve junior champion doe	
	Does under 2 years (has freshened) Does 2 years and under 3 years Does 3 years and under 5 years Does 5 years and older	
Res Gra Res	nior champion doeserve senior champion doeserve grand champion doeserve grand champion doest doe in show	Rosette Rosette Rosette
• •	Fullblood/Purebred Bucks under 5 months . Fullblood/Purebred Bucks 5 months & under 9 mos	
	and Champion Buckserve Grand Champion Buck	
Jr. I	e Wee Dairy Goat Showmanship Dairy Goat Showmanship Dairy Goat Showmanship	Trophy

Meat Goats

Special rules:

- 1. Both does & wethers will be allowed to show.
- 2. Any breed of goat or cross may be shown.
- 3. Pygmy goats will be shown in meat goat classes.
- 4. Classes will be divided by weight and number of animals.
- 5. Market meat goats must have baby teeth.
- 6. Goats in wether dam class must have no adult teeth.
- 7. Goats in wether dam yearling class may have 2-4 adult teeth.

Does

Junior Percentage (50% - <94%)

- 1. Does under 4 months
- 2. Does 4 months and under 8 months
- 3. Does 8 months and under 12 months

Junior champion % doe	. Rosette
Reserve junior champion % doe	. Rosette

Yearling Percentage

- 4. Does 12 months and under 18 months
- 5. Does 18 months and under 24 months

Yearling champion % doe	Rosette
Reserve yearling champion % doe	Rosette

Senior Percentage (Must have kidded)

- 6. Does 24 months and under 36 months
- 7. Does 36 months and under 48 months
- 8. Does 48 months and older

Senior champion % doe	Rosette
Reserve senior champion % doe	Rosette

Junior Full Blood / Purebred (94%-100%) Does

- 1. Does under 4 months
- 2. Does 4 months and under 8 months
- 3. Does 8 months and under 12 months

Yearling Full Blood / Purebred (50-94%)

- 4. Does 12 months and under 18 months
- 5. Does 18 months and under 24 months

Yearling champion FB/PB doe......Rosette
Reserve yearling champion FB/PB doe.....Rosette

Senior Full Blood / Purebred (Must have kidded)

- 6. Does 24 months and under 36 months
- 7. Does 36 months and under 48 months
- 8. Does 48 months and older

Senior champion FB/PB doe	Rosette Rosette
Best Doe in Show (Between G.C. % and FB/PB)	Rosette
Bucks Junior Full Blood / Purebred (96.875% - 100%) 9. Fullblood/Purebred Bucks under 5 months 10. Fullblood/Purebred Bucks 5 months & under 9 mos Grand Champion Buck	
Market Classes Prospect Market Goat Grand Champion Prospect Market Goat Reserve Grand Champion Market Goat	
Wether Dam Wether Dam Yearling Grand Champion Wether Dam Goat Reserve Grand Wether Dam Goat	
Grand Champion Meat GoatReserve Grand Champion Meat Goat	
Pee Wee Meat Goat showmanship	Trophy

DEPARTMENT 4 – POULTRY

Chickens

All recognized breeds and recognized commercial lines and crosses used for market egg and meat production.

Special rules:

- 1. As required by state law all poultry, including turkeys and excluding waterfowl, present at exhibition in Arkansas shall have originated from U.S. Pullorum-Typhoid clean or equivalent flocks or have had a negative Pullorum-Typhoid test within ninety (90) days of the movement to the exhibition. This information will be documented on a NPIP form VS 9-3, 90 day certificate, NPIP flock certification form or similar certificate which will accompany the poultry during the exhibition.
- 2. Any poultry showing evidence of infectious or contagious disease or insect infestation will not be permitted to exhibit.
- 3. Birds will not compete in both single and pen classes.
- 4. Exhibitors must bring your own feed, water & containers. You are responsible for feeding and watering your exhibit. See health requirements. Marketing condition and quality will be given a major emphasis in judging turkey class.
- 5. No entry is to be handled by anyone other than the judge, superintendent, or his assistants, or owner, except by written permission.
- 6. Definition of poultry terms used in judging classes:
 - a. Cock male bird over one year of age
 - b. Hen female bird over one year of age
 - c. Cockerel male bird less than one year of age
 - d. Pullet female bird less than one year of age
 - e. Young trio cockerel and two pullets
 - f. Old trio cock and two hens
 - g. Young pen 3 pullets
 - h. Old pen 3 hens
- 7. Each exhibitor may show one entry in each broiler class. Three broilers constitute an entry and may be of any meat type, breed or cross.
- 8. Exhibitor will be limited to no more than six entries.

Breeding Classes

<u>Singles</u>

- 1. Cock
- 2. Hen
- 3. Cockerel
- 4. Pullet

(Pens)

- 5. Old trio
- 6. Young trio
- 7. Breeder pen for commercial broilers (1 male, 2 females)
- 8. Old pen
- 9. Young pen
- 10. Best female Rosette

12. Be	est trioRosette
	<u>Turkeys</u>
Classe	<u>es</u>
	en of 1 Hen en of 1 Tom
	<u>Waterfowl</u>
Classe	<u>es</u>
2. 3. 4. 5.	Pen of 1 Duck, any breed Pen of 1 Drake, any breed Pen of 1 Goose, any breed Pen of 1 Gander, any breed Pen of 1 Duck Pair, any breed (young) Pen of 1 Geese Pair, any breed (young) Miscellaneous Poultry
	(Guineas, Peacocks, Quail, etc.)
Classe	<u>98</u>
2.	Male Female Pair Points
	1 st - 6 2 nd - 5 3 rd - 4

DEPARTMENT 6 – RABBITS

Open to all recognized breeds. Each breed will be shown separately.

Special rules:

- 1. Diseased or unsightly specimen will not be eligible for showing.
- 2. Exhibitor will be limited to no more than six entries.

Rabbits

Classes

- 1. Junior doe (under 5 months of age)
- 2. Junior buck (under 5 months of age)
- 3. Senior buck (over 5 months of age)
- 4. Senior doe (over 5 months of age)
- 5. Doe and litter (litter to be 5 weeks or less in age) (include 5 or more kits)
- 6. Small fryer pen (consists of 3 rabbits under 2 months of age and under 4 lbs. each)
- 7. Large fryer pen (consists of 3 rabbits under 3 months of age and under 6 lbs. each)
- 8. Pen of juniors (2 does and 1 buck)
- 9. Pen of seniors (2 does and 1 buck)

Points

1st – 6

 $2^{nd} - 5$

3rd - 4

DEPARTMENT 7 - SHEEP

The show is open to all recognized breeds. Each breed will be shown separately.

Special rules:

- 1. All animals must be clean, slick shorn, or neatly trimmed at time of show.
- 2. Individuals in lamb classes must have lamb teeth and be born after May 1, of previous year. Yearlings may have four teeth.
- 3. Animals shown in group classes must be entered in individual class competition.
- 4. No minimum weight for prospect market lamb class
- 5. The minimum weight for market lambs will be 90 pounds and the maximum shall be 140 pounds.
- 6. All lambs must have lamb teeth.
- 7. Must have registration papers on purebred animals.

Breeding

Hampshire | Suffolk | All other Breeds Classes

- 1. Yearling rams
- 2. Senior ram lamb (9-12 months of age)
- 3. Junior ram lamb (less than 9 months of age)
- 4. Pair or ram lambs (classes 2 or 3)

- 5. Yearling ewe
- 6. Pair of yearling ewes
- 7. Senior ewe lamb (9-12 months of age)
- 8. Junior ewe lamb (less than 9 months of age)
- 9. Pair of ewe lambs (classes 7 or 8)
- 10. Commercial ewe

- 11. Best pair (ram and ewe of same age class)
- 12. Exhibitors flock (1 ram, under 2 years; 2 yearling ewes; and 2 ewe lambs)
- 13. Pen of four lambs (both sexes represented from entries in classes 2, 3, 9 or 10)

Market Lambs

ClassesProspect Market LambMarket LambRosetteGrand champion market lambRosetteReserve grand champion market lambRosetteWether DamRosetteWether Dam YearlingGrand Champion Wether DamRosetteReserve Grand Wether DamRosettePee Wee showmanshipTrophyJunior showmanshipTrophySenior showmanshipTrophy

Class Points

1st – 15

 $2^{nd} - 12$

 $3^{rd} - 9$

DEPARTMENT 8 - SWINE

Duroc | Spots | Hampshire | Yorkshire | All other Breeds

Special rules:

- Strict health rules are now in effect for swine in Arkansas. All swine will be required to have health certificate issued by veterinarian including: (a) all breeding animals over six months old tested negative for brucellosis (within 90 days) or out of certified brucellosis free herd; (b) all animals including breeding stock, feeder pigs, and market hogs must be tested negative for pseudorabies (within 90 days) or out of qualified pseudorabies free herd.
- 2. Must have registration papers on purebred animals.

Breeding

Classes

- 1. Gilt; born Jan. 1 June 30 of previous year
- 2. Gilt; born July of previous year
- 3. Gilt; born August of previous year
- 4. Gilt; born September of previous year
- 5. Gilt; born October of previous year gilts
- 6. Commercial gilts

Grand champion gilt	Rosette
Reserve grand champion gilt	Rosette

- 7. Boar; born July of previous year
- 8. Boar; born August of previous year
- 9. Boar; born September of previous year
- 10. Boar; born October of previous year

Grand champion boar	. Rosette
Reserve grand champion boar	. Rosette

Points $1^{st} - 15$ $2^{nd} - 12$ $3^{rd} - 9$

Market Hogs

Special rules:

- 1. Market hogs will be weighed and placed into groups based on weight.
- 2. A minimum weight of 190 pounds will be required. Lighter animals will not be accepted. The maximum weight is 280 pounds.
- 3. Market barrows and gilts will be weighed and placed in classes starting at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday.

	Grades & Points		
Classes	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
Market Hogs			
1. Market Hogs	15	10	5
Grand champion market hog		9	
Reserve grand champion market hog			

Feeder Pigs

Special rules:

- Feeder pigs will be weighed and placed into groups based on weight.
- Pigs weighing between 30 and 190 pounds will be acceptable in this classification.

	Grades & Points		
Classes	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
Feeder Pigs			
1. Feeder pigs	15	10	5
Grand champion feeder pig			
Reserve grand champion feeder pig	Rosette		
Pee Wee showmanship	Trophy		
Junior showmanship	Trophy		
Senior showmanship	Trophy		