



# Jackson County Junior Fair Division

# GENERAL RULES



1. The Jackson County Fair division is open to all recognized youth organizations and youth who are members and have successfully participated in the organizations.
2. All 4-H & Vocational Agriculture Students are eligible to make an exhibit free of charge.
3. Each Junior Fair Exhibitor must exhibit at the County Fair to be eligible for a premium.
4. To be eligible to participate in the Jr. Fair shows or activities at the Jackson County Fair, a boy or girl must be a member in good standing of Jackson County 4-H, Vocational Agriculture, FCCLA, or other youth organizations. All entries must be a part of the exhibitor's current project.
5. All livestock must be owned, in the specific possession under the care of the member by the possession deadline for that project.
6. The barn superintendents(s), 4-H Advisory Council, Livestock Committee, Horse Committee or the County Extension Educator have the power to reject any exhibitor not following the rules.
7. Any exhibitor, parent or spectator who is behaving inappropriately will be asked to change their behavior or asked to leave.
8. Jr. Fair exhibitors are encouraged to exhibit in the open class if appropriate. However, such exhibitors must pay the open class entry fee and abide by open class rules, regulations and deadlines. No exhibitor's pass is required.
9. Each member may sell a maximum of one (1) market unit through the Jackson County Jr. Fair Livestock Sale unless an exhibitor has multiple Top Ten or Special Placing animals (including Top County Bred, Runner-Up County Bred, Overall Showmanship Winner for that Market Species and Rate-of-Gain). **ALL Grand and Reserve Champion Animals must sell in the Livestock Sale. If an exhibitor has multiple Top Ten or Special Placing animals they can opt to sell a maximum of two (2) market units.** The only exception to this rule would be if they had more than two Grand and Reserve Champion animals.
10. The **Sale Order for each species** (where these awards apply) will be: Grand Champion, Reserve Champion, Top County Bred, Runner-Up County Bred, Overall Showmanship Winner for that Market Species, Rate-of-Gain, Top Ten (as placed by the judge) and then the remaining sale order as placed by the sale rotation. Only multiple Grand and Reserve Champions and/or Top Ten or Special Placing animals (including Top County Bred, Runner-Up County Bred, Overall Showmanship Winner for that Market Species and Rate-of-Gain) can allow an exhibitor to sell more than one (1) market unit with a maximum of two (2) total market units. However, all Grand and Reserve Champions are required to sell and could result in an exhibitor selling more than two (2) market units.
11. All members with livestock projects must complete the **SALE ANIMAL SELECTION FORM** and present it to the Livestock Committee or Extension Personnel in the Junior Fair Office by **10:00 PM** on the day of their last show. **The SALE ANIMAL SELECTION FORM** is a form that indicates which project the member wants included in the Jr. Fair Livestock Sale. **ONLY ONE (1) MARKET UNIT MAY BE SOLD IN THE SALE (with the exception of multiple Champions/Top Ten/Special Placing Animals). ALL MARKET LIVESTOCK MUST BE OWNED BY THE EXHIBITOR.**
12. If a member fails to complete the Sale Animal Selection Form and turn it in to the Livestock Committee or Extension personnel in the Junior Fair Office, **the Livestock Committee will decide which animal you will be selling** and that will be your only option for selling an animal through the livestock sale. **The committee will choose the first market unit that would go through the ring in the livestock sale based on the sale order for that year if you do not turn in a Sale Selection Form. If you do not turn in a Sale Animal Selection Form you are ineligible to opt to sell multiple Top Ten/Special Placing market units.**
13. **ALL ANIMALS not going through the sale or to resale must be removed from the fairgrounds by NOON on Friday.** A drop slip can be filled out and submitted by Thursday at 10:00 PM to send a drop animal to resale. These animals will be loaded by the Livestock Committee. **No other destination options are available for drop animals. Any animal remaining on the fairgrounds as of NOON on Friday that does not go through the sale WILL GO TO RESALE.** The Livestock Committee and Senior Fairboard are **NOT responsible** for any animals left on the grounds after NOON on Friday and will load all remaining animals without a designated destination on the resale truck. Drop Slips for **all market animals NOT going through the sale on Friday must be turned in by Thursday at 10:00 PM.**

# GENERAL RULES (cont.)

14. The following numbers of animals may be weighed in or registered:

- 1) Three (3) Market Beef Steers (Weighed-in)
- 2) Three (3) Dairy Steers (Weighed-in)
- 3) Three (3) Dairy Beef Feeders (Weighed-in)
- 4) Three (3) Beef Feeders (Weighed-in)
- 5) Three (3) Market Lambs (Weighed-in)
- 6) Three (3) Market Goats (Weighed-in)
- 7) Three (3) Market Hogs (Registered)
- 8) Six (6) Market Turkeys (Purchased)
- 9) Six (6) or ten (10) Market Poultry (Chickens & Ducks) (Purchased)
- 10) Six (6) Market Rabbits (Tattooed)

**Animals weighed in as market animals at the spring weigh-in/check-in have been declared as a market animal and cannot be shown in breeding classes.**

15. The following numbers of animals **may enter the grounds and be shown at the Jackson County Jr. Fair** with a **maximum of TWO (2) market SPECIES** shown per exhibitor:

**Market Species:**

- 1) Two (2) Market Beef
- 2) Two (2) Dairy Steers
- 3) Two (2) Dairy Beef Feeders
- 4) Two (2) Beef Feeders
- 5) Two (2) Market Lambs
- 6) Two (2) Market Goats
- 7) Two (2) Market Hogs
- 8) Two (2) Market Turkeys
- 9) Two Pens (4) Market Poultry (Chickens & Ducks)
- 10) Two Pens (4) Market Rabbits

**Members have the potential of showing four (4) market units.** [i.e. two (2) market hogs and two (2) market lambs or two (2) market goats and two (2) pens of market rabbits]

16. For the Jr. Fair Livestock Show and Sale one market unit is defined as:

- 1) One (1) Market Beef
- 2) One (1) Dairy Steer
- 3) One (1) Dairy Beef Feeder
- 4) One (1) Beef Feeder
- 5) One (1) Market Lamb
- 6) One (1) Market Goat
- 7) One (1) Market Hog
- 8) One (1) Market Turkey
- 9) One Pen (2) Market Chickens
- 10) One Pen (2) Market Ducks
- 11) One Pen (2) Market Rabbits

17. Horns **up to 2 inches will be allowed on all market animals** and horns of **any length will be allowed on goats only**. Horns of any length will be allowed on breeding animals if that is part of the breed standard for that animal.

18. All male animals (except poultry and rabbits) being shown at the Jackson County Jr. Fair are required to be castrated, completely healed, and have **NO TESTICLES** at the Fair.

**IMPORTANT...Mandatory ODA Castration Rules...**it is unacceptable to castrate livestock that exceed the following criteria:

- Cattle over 8 months of age
- Swine over 75 pounds
- Sheep over 75 pounds

**Castrating animals after this time will result in disqualification.**

# GENERAL RULES (cont.)

19. **Drenching of livestock at an exhibition is prohibited** except for a medical condition when diagnosed by a licensed veterinarian. "Drenching" means the act of using an instrument, including a bottle, placed in an animal's mouth to orally administer a liquid, food, or any other substance.
20. Immediate family members who have two or more members taking the same project can weigh-in one extra animal to be used as a "floater". The "floater" may be used by either immediate family member to replace an original animal due to death, weight or quality. Either exhibitor would be eligible to bring the floater to the fair as a 2<sup>nd</sup> animal if none of that family's animals need to be replaced. Families weighing in the maximum number of animals in the same species will not be eligible for the exception.

"Family" means the immediate family of an exhibitor, including but not limited to the exhibitor's parent, step-parent, foster parent, grandparent, step-grandparent, foster grandparent, brother, sister, step-brother, step-sister, half-brother, half-sister, son, daughter, step-son, step-daughter, or guardian (ODA Livestock Exhibition Rules Chapter 901-19).

Reminder: Only a maximum of two animals per species, per exhibitor may be weighed-in at the Fair Weigh-In.
21. All breeding stock must be in good health as determined by the fair veterinarian. Animals may be subject to other health requirements according to **OHIO HEALTH REGULATIONS**.
22. All livestock must be in good health. Any unhealthy animal may be rejected by the veterinarian in charge.
23. All 4-H & FFA exhibitors are responsible for the neat and clean appearance of their assigned livestock area.

**Any open pens** from animals that are not brought to the fair will be utilized for other animals or deemed community space by fair officials. No animals may be loose anywhere on the grounds except for the round pen.
24. Animals not properly cared for by the exhibitor in the opinion of the Jr. Fair Superintendents, Livestock Committee, County Extension Educator, or FFA advisor will not receive a premium and/or will be dismissed from the fairgrounds. Exhibitors who receive a Red Tag more than three (3) times in the duration of the Fair Week may NOT participate in the Junior Fair Livestock Sale, will not receive a premium, and may not be dismissed from the fairgrounds.
25. If an emergency/injury/illness arises and a member is unable to show an animal, they must notify the Extension Office and receive permission for another person to show their animal. The animal must be shown by another individual who is between the ages of 8 and 18 years of age as of January 1st of the current year, at least in the 3<sup>rd</sup> grade and a current member of 4-H or FFA.
26. Any other requests regarding weigh-ins, livestock shows, sale or other requirements should be obtained in writing 30 days prior to the event so that it can be brought before the Livestock Committee for a decision. Events that are 4-H, livestock or Extension related are acceptable with appropriate documentation and prior approval.
27. **IMPORTANT:** Arrival time for **RABBITS AND POULTRY** at the fair is the **Saturday** preceding the fair from **8:00am to 10:00am for RABBITS AND POULTRY ONLY. ALL OTHER ANIMALS** can be brought in **Friday - Sunday** preceding the fair **from 11pm Friday to 6am Saturday; and 11pm Saturday to 11am Sunday for ALL LARGE ANIMALS**. No rabbits or poultry will be allowed on the fairgrounds before 8:00am on Saturday preceding the fair and must be in their respective designated areas by 10:00am Saturday. No large animals will be allowed on the fairgrounds before 11:00pm on Friday preceding the fair and must be in their respective designated area by 11:00am on Sunday. All Trailers should come in gate 4 and there will be a 30-minute unloading time, then trailers need to move out to keep traffic moving.
28. Judges reserve the right to withhold trophies in any Jr. Fair contest if the project does not meet acceptable standards.
29. All Junior Breeding Animals arriving on Sunday of the Fair may only leave after 11pm on Thursday to Friday at noon. Anyone leaving before the deadlines will forfeit their premium and may be deemed ineligible for future events. All Junior Breeding Animals arriving the day of their show must arrive by 7:00 AM and may not leave until one hour after the last show of the day ends, unless given special permission by the Livestock Committee.
30. Showmanship is required of all exhibitors showing beef, swine, dairy, horses, goats, rabbits and poultry in order to receive a premium and to sell their animals. **Showmanship is required for EACH MARKET SPECIES**. Showmanship is required for breeding animals if the member wishes to receive a premium for that project. **Members must exhibit their own animal and must use the same animal throughout showmanship**. Members showing large livestock (beef, sheep, swine, dairy, and horses), **MUST** wear boots/leather/safety shoes in the show arena at all times (including practice). The livestock committee encourages each member

# GENERAL RULES (cont.)

to abide by the established dress code as set forth in the LIVESTOCK SECTION.

31. Members who are both in 4-H and FFA **MUST** carry separate and different animals and projects. An example would be a member who is in both organizations cannot take market chickens in 4-H and in FFA.
32. A 4-H member cannot use the same project in FHA/FCCLA. An example would be a member cannot make a dress in FHA/FCCLA and use it as a 4-H project also.
33. Projects displayed in booths must remain in place until 1:00 PM Saturday of the Fair and be completely dismantled by 2:00pm on Sunday.
34. General Project Judging participation is **mandatory**. In order for members to receive their fair pass, exhibitors must either attend General Project Judging Interviews or Quality Assurance and Club Project Interviews. Make-up interviews for General Project Judging will have to be scheduled at the Extension Office if you are unable to attend on the scheduled dates. Those attending make-up interviews will still be able to receive a completed project grade and receive their fair pass, but they will not be eligible for general project awards. A remote video conference can be arranged if arrangements are made at least one week prior to the General Project Judging. However, the 4-H Advisory Council and the OSU Extension Office are not responsible for technical difficulties that the exhibitor may incur. Reasonable accommodations will be made to make a video conference possible.
35. Jr. Fair booths must be in place and complete by 9pm on Wednesday preceding the fair. The Jr. Fair Building will be open from 6:00 to 9:00pm Tuesday and Wednesday evening preceding the fair for booth set-up. The building will be closed on Thursday, Friday and Saturday.
36. **ALL 4-H members MUST exhibit their projects at the fair in order to receive their premiums.** Junior Fairboard Members will perform random checks of booths to ensure that the appropriate projects are exhibited. All general project exhibitors are asked to display their project and must do so in order to receive a premium.
37. Awards and recognition available through Junior Fair activities are open to all youth on a non-discriminatory basis without regard to race, color, creed, religion, sexual orientation, gender or national origin.
38. No alcoholic beverages, drugs, or glass containers will be permitted on the fairgrounds.
39. Persons will not be permitted to remain on the Fairgrounds during the night unless they are officers of the fair, adult exhibitors, concessionaires and a reasonable number of assistants. Minors will not be permitted to stay overnight without adult supervision.

40. Premiums will be as follows:

<b>General Projects</b> .....	<b>\$ 2.00</b>
<b>Rabbits</b> .....	<b>\$ 3.00</b>
<b>Poultry</b> .....	<b>\$ 3.00</b>
<b>Turkeys</b> .....	<b>\$ 4.00</b>
<b>Dogs</b> .....	<b>\$ 4.00</b>
<b>Goats</b> .....	<b>\$ 4.00</b>
<b>Dairy Beef Feeder</b> .....	<b>\$ 6.00</b>
<b>Beef Feeder</b> .....	<b>\$ 6.00</b>
<b>Swine</b> .....	<b>\$ 6.00</b>
<b>Sheep</b> .....	<b>Market Lamb: \$ 6.00</b>
	<b>Breeding Sheep: \$ 8.00</b>
<b>Dairy</b> .....	<b>Younger animals: \$10.00</b>
	<b>Older animals: \$12.00</b>
<b>Beef</b> .....	<b>Younger animals: \$10.00</b>
	<b>Older animals and Steers: \$12.00</b>
<b>Horses</b> .....	<b>\$ 12.00</b>
<b>Showmanship Placings</b> .....	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Place: \$ 6.00; 2<sup>nd</sup> Place: \$ 4.00; 3<sup>rd</sup> Place: \$ 2.00</b>
<b>THE NUMBER OF PREMIUMS A 4-H OR FFA MEMBER IS ALLOWED TO CASH IN WILL BE TWO (2).</b>	

41. Consignment fees for all market animals will be taken out of exhibitor's checks for the purposes of advertising, recognition, Junior Fair capital improvements and sale expenses in the following amounts:

- Market Beef - 2% of Total Sale Price**
- Hogs, Sheep, Goats, Dairy Beef Feeders & Beef Feeders - 4% of Total Sale Price**
- Rabbits, Poultry & Turkeys - 6% of Total Sale Price**
- There will be a \$150 maximum commission.**

# GENERAL RULES (cont.)

42. Breeding animals will **NOT** be permitted to show in market classes and vice versa. **NEW... Market Beef Feeder Females** can show as a Beef Feeder or in the Beef Breeding Classes as a Jr. Calf, but **NOT BOTH. Animals weighed in as market animals at the spring weigh-in/check-in have been declared as a market animal and cannot be shown in breeding classes.**
43. **IMPORTANT.....Breeding Registration Forms** indicating the identification numbers, ages and types of animals that will be exhibited at the fair must be submitted in FairEntry by June 15th with **final additions and corrections by the last Monday in June.**
44. Tampering and or misrepresentation as to breeding, age, ownership, and any other irregularity in showing will be considered fraud and deception. Any premiums, trophies, awards, and/or sale money won by such exhibitor will be withheld. All animals will be subject to testing.
45. The Junior Fair Livestock Sale is a **TERMINAL SALE** and designed for members to sell their projects for harvest. **The only exception to this rule is for Dairy Beef Feeders & Beef Feeders because they are not a finished product. No animals may be returned to the member** after going through the ring. **ALL DESTINATIONS ARE FINAL once the auctioneer has moved on to the next animal.** Once the animal is sold, any other ownership transfers are the responsibility of the buyer. All animals going through the Junior Fair Livestock Sale must go to processing or resale with the exception of Dairy Beef Feeders & Beef Feeders.
46. Junior Fair Shows are NOT terminal, market animals that DO NOT go through the sale may still go home with the owner. However, **the Livestock Sale is terminal with the exception of Dairy Beef Feeders and Beef Feeders.**
47. Depending upon the species, the following fees will be assessed:
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| <b>Tagging Fee Per Animal:</b>                                    |                |
| <b>Goats, Sheep, Swine, Dairy Beef Feeders &amp; Beef Feeders</b> | <b>\$ 5.00</b> |
| <b>Steer Weigh-In Fee:</b>  | <b>\$ 5.00</b> |
| <b>Rabbit Exhibitor Fee (Collected during rabbit tattooing)</b>   |                |
| - Fee for 2 or 3 rabbits:   | <b>\$ 5.00</b> |
| - Fee for 4 to 6 rabbits:   | <b>\$10.00</b> |
| <b>Poultry Exhibitor Fee (Collected with the poultry orders)</b>  |                |
| - Fee for 6 chickens/ducks:                                       | <b>\$ 5.00</b> |
| - Fee for 10 chickens/ducks:                                      | <b>\$10.00</b> |
| <b>Turkey Exhibitor Fee (Collected with the turkey orders)</b>    |                |
| - Fee per turkey exhibitor:                                       | <b>\$ 5.00</b> |
48. Grooming will be allowed for livestock animals (including beef) if those grooming practices fall within the guidelines of the Ohio Livestock Exhibition Rules Chapter 901-19, specifically as described in Rule 901-19-31 which refers to the "responsibilities of and assistance to junior fair exhibitors." The full rules can be found at <http://codes.ohio.gov/oac/901-19>  
These rules state that:
- **A junior livestock show exhibitor shall be responsible for the continuous care, grooming and preparation of the livestock entered in the junior livestock show.**
  - **An exhibitor may receive assistance in the care, grooming, and preparation of the livestock entered in the junior livestock show, provided that the assistance shall be limited to explanation or demonstration provided by the following: family members, household members, advisors or approved adult volunteers of 4-H or FFA in the exhibitor's club or county, vocational agriculture instructors, county Extension Educators, department representatives, veterinarians, members of the exhibitor's 4-H club/FFA chapter, and designated guest speakers of the 4-H, FFA or other youth organizations (for the demonstration purposes only.)**
49. Once a member and their animal enter the ring, the animal will be placed accordingly. Animals may not be withdrawn once a class has started without permission of the judge or Livestock Committee. The judge or Livestock Committee are the only people who may excuse an animal or exhibit from the ring.
50. Ear tags are not to be removed. If a tag is lost before fair, it must be reported to the Extension Office immediately. Any tag lost at fair should be reported ASAP.



# GENERAL RULES (cont.)

## **DRESS REQUIREMENTS FOR LIVESTOCK EXHIBITORS**

Members showing large livestock (goats, beef, sheep, swine, dairy, horses) **must** wear boots, leather or safety shoes in the show arena at all times, including practice times. No tennis shoes. Each member must abide by the established dress code as set forth here:

- No tee-shirts with political, derogatory slogans or statements or music groups will be worn by Jr. Fair members during the show or sale. Exhibitors must wear plain shirts (stripes, plaid, or print are ok) or 4-H/FFA tee-shirts and should have an outer layer shirt tucked inside their pants. All shirts must have some type of sleeves. Long or short sleeves of any length are acceptable.
- Long pants or jeans will be worn by all Jr. Fair members showing livestock, including poultry and rabbits.
- No hats of any kind are allowed to be worn during show or sale by an exhibitor.
- Jr. Fair members should portray a positive image of 4-H & FFA and dress accordingly. Violating these rules will mean they are unable to enter their showmanship/quality show class and they would forfeit their fair premium for that project.
- All dress code rules also apply to the Livestock sale on Friday evening. Proper shoes must be worn in the show ring at all times, including practice times. Members not dressed in an appropriate manner will be required to change before selling or showing their animals.

## **ARRIVAL AND WEIGH-IN PROCESS FOR LIVESTOCK**

**IMPORTANT**...Livestock check-in at the fair for **RABBITS AND POULTRY** will be the **Saturday** preceding the fair from **8:00am to 10:00am for RABBITS AND POULTRY ONLY**. No rabbits or poultry will be allowed on the fairgrounds before 8:00am on Saturday preceding the fair and must be in their respective designated areas by 10:00am.

**IMPORTANT**...Livestock check-in at the fair for **LARGE ANIMALS** will be **Friday - Sunday preceding the fair from 11pm Friday to 6am Saturday; and 11pm Saturday to 11am Sunday for ALL LARGE ANIMALS**. All large animals must be in their respective designated areas by 11:00am on Sunday.

Weigh-In for **RABBITS** will begin at **10:30am on SATURDAY** followed by **POULTRY**. **Barn Meetings for ALL animals will be at 11:30am on SUNDAY** in the Show Arena with weigh in for all large animals immediately following. Exhibitors (or a designated representative) should be at their pen to **await instructions at the beginning of their respective weigh-in**.

During Weigh-ins, the weight for each animal will be announced once. **If the animal does not make weight, the exhibitor (or their representative) may request a re-weigh immediately before leaving the scale area.** If a re-weigh is requested, the animal can immediately step off the scale and then back on without leaving the scale area. **This re-weigh is FINAL.** If a re-weigh is requested for rabbits and chickens, they will be re-weighed on the opposite scale. **All requests for a re-weigh must be made IMMEDIATELY before that animal leaves the scale area and before the next animal gets on the scale. The scale master has the final say and can request a reweigh at any time.** Animals must be able to walk to the scale during the designated weigh-in time. If a member chooses not to show an underweight or overweight animal, the animal that did not make weight must be removed by 7:00am Monday.

## **TACK AND SHOWBOXES**

**IMPORTANT**...Tack, bedding and show boxes may be brought into the fairgrounds beginning at **5pm on Monday preceding the fair until Thursday at 12pm preceding the fair**. After this time, tack, bedding and show boxes will not be able to be brought in until check-in begins for your species. The Jackson County Agricultural Society and the Junior Fair Livestock Committee are not responsible for lost or stolen items. No one will be allowed in on Friday or Saturday prior to check-in without a weekly fair pass or paying the event admission for harness racing. There is to be no tack, fans or showboxes in the main aiseways of the barn.

## **DISMISSAL OF LIVESTOCK**

Drop Slips **for all market animals NOT going through the sale on Friday must be turned in by Thursday at 10:00 PM** indicating where that animal will be going. **Any market animal not going through the sale or to resale must be removed from the fairgrounds by NOON on Friday.**

A drop slip can be filled out and submitted by Thursday at 10:00 PM to send a drop animal to resale or indicate that an animal is being picked up by the owner prior to the sale. **No other destination options are available for drop**

**animals. Resale drop animals will be loaded by the Livestock Committee. All other drop animals must be transported by the owner.**

**Any animal remaining on the fairgrounds as of NOON on Friday that does not go through the sale WILL GO TO RESALE.** The Livestock Committee and Senior Fairboard are **NOT responsible** for any animals left on the grounds after NOON on Friday and will load all remaining animals without a designated destination on the resale truck. No animals may be removed after Noon on Friday until Saturday at 6:00 AM unless otherwise noted by the Jackson County Agricultural Society and/or Jackson County Livestock Committee due to loading out Junior Fair Livestock Sale Animals. All Junior Breeding Animals arriving on Sunday of the Fair may only leave after 11:00 PM on Thursday to Friday at Noon. After NOON on Friday, **NO Livestock are permitted to leave the fairgrounds without proper paperwork and permission** from the appropriate Livestock Committee representatives. All club advisors will be required to check their club's pens and **come to the Junior Fair Office by 10:00am on Saturday of the fair to sign off that their club's pens are clean.** Club Advisors will be responsible for making sure that their club's pens are clean and if they are not, they will be held responsible. **Any club member whose pen is not clean by Saturday at 10:00am will be billed a stall cleaning fee of \$50.00 that will be taken out of their check.**

### THANK YOU SIGN CONTEST

Each member selling an animal project through the sale the previous year is encouraged to participate in the Buyer Thank You Sign Contest at the next year's fair. This is a chance for buyers to receive recognition for their generous support during the Livestock Sale. Participants will be placed 1<sup>st</sup> through 5<sup>th</sup> and announced during the sale with 1<sup>st</sup> place receiving a trophy and 2<sup>nd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> receiving a rosette. Buyer Thank You Signs should:

- Be no larger than a **half size sheet of poster board**
- Clearly Display the Name of the Buyer on the poster
- Be in place by 12pm on Friday of the Sale

### THANK YOU NOTES TO BUYERS

Each member selling an animal project through the sale ring is required to provide a completed thank you note that is addressed to the buyer of that project and has the proper postage on the envelope. Members not providing this thank you will not receive their payment. **Thank You notes can be turned into the Extension Office after the fair or turned in the night of check distribution.**



# JUNIOR FAIR SHOWMAN OF SHOWMEN CONTEST

Friday, 8:00am – Show Arena

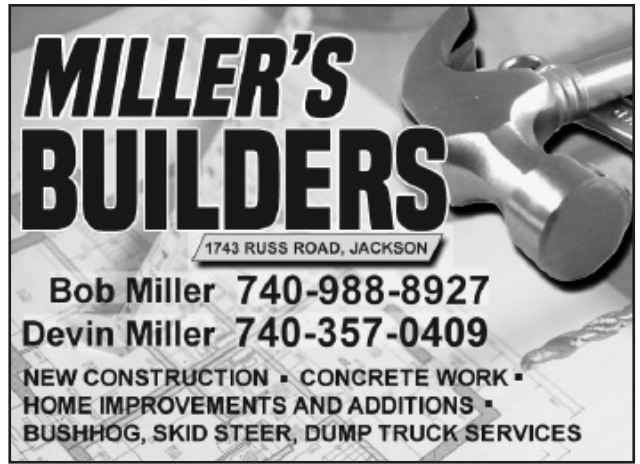


### RULES:

1. Contestants must be Overall Showmanship Champion in one of the following species: (A) Beef, (B) Sheep, (C) Swine, (D) Poultry, (E) Rabbits, (F) Horses, (G) Goats. The overall showmanship winner in each Market Species will sell after the Runner-Up County Bred where applicable or after the Reserve Champion where no county bred awards are given.
2. The Showman of Showmen Contest will be held in the show arena at 8:00am of Friday of the fair.
3. All animals will be selected by the Jackson County Junior Fair Livestock Committee for the Showman of Showmen Contest. Each animal will be numbered 1 – 7. Each youth will draw a number (1-7) out of a hat, and the animal with that respective number will be that exhibitor's animal for the class.
4. The contestants will be placed 1-2-3-4-5-6-7 in each contest. The highest total points will be declared the winner. In case of a tie, Judges will draw three species from a hat, and of those tied, the exhibitor that placed the best and accumulated the most points in those three species will be the tie breaker. If still a tie after those three species, one additional species will be drawn to determine the winner.
6. All exhibitors will be required to wear long pants such as Jeans, and Boots for their safety.
7. In the event a contestant or contestants should win Showmanship in more than one (1) species, that person must compete in the Showman of Showmen Contest with the first species of animal in which they placed first in Showmanship. In that event, the person placing second in showmanship in the second species would compete in the Showman of Showmen Contest.

8. Points will be as followed for each Species represented.

- 1st Place: 20
- 2nd Place: 18
- 3rd Place: 16
- 4th Place: 14
- 5th Place: 12
- 6th Place: 10
- 7th Place: 8



## QUALITY ASSURANCE

Quality Assurance participation will be required of all livestock exhibitors at the Jackson County Fair and **must take place at least 45 days prior to the fair**. Members must participate in the **MANDATORY** Livestock Quality Assurance (State Requirement) in order to sell and show their animal at the Jackson County Junior Fair. **Not having participated in the Quality Assurance will result in not being allowed to show at the Jackson County Junior Fair.**

### QUALITY ASSURANCE – STATE REQUIREMENT

Each member exhibiting a livestock project must attend and be certified as participating in a quality assurance program at least 45 days prior to the fair. Anyone who cannot attend a local quality assurance event should contact the Extension Office for other Quality Assurance dates that take place in other counties throughout the state.

## LIVESTOCK SALE

**FRIDAY, 3 pm in the Show Arena**

### 2023 SALE ORDER

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| 1. RABBITS      | 7. LAMBS              |
| 2. CHICKENS     | 8. GOATS              |
| 3. TURKEYS      | 9. DAIRY BEEF FEEDERS |
| 4. DUCKS        | 10. DAIRY STEERS      |
| 5. HOGS         | 11. MARKET BEEF       |
| 6. BEEF FEEDERS |                       |

### 2024 SALE ORDER

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|----------------|------------------------|
| 1. DUCKS       | 7. BEEF FEEDERS        |
| 2. TURKEYS     | 8. LAMBS               |
| 3. RABBITS     | 9. GOATS               |
| 4. CHICKENS    | 10. DAIRY BEEF FEEDERS |
| 5. MARKET BEEF | 11. DAIRY STEERS       |
| 6. HOGS        |                        |