

OPEN CLASS LIVESTOCK

General Rules And Regulations

1. All Open Class Livestock must preregister by July 22. No exceptions. If livestock have not been preregistered, they will not be accepted for exhibit. All open livestock exhibitors must have their exhibit area cleaned and a supervisor must sign their Clean Barn Card to receive their premiums.
2. Entries for the Livestock and Small Animal Depts have an "Open Class Livestock and Small Animal Entry Form" included in the Fair Guide.
3. Open Class Livestock will be entered on Tuesday morning of fair.
4. All exhibits must be entered and exhibited in the name of the legal owner.
5. Owner or attendant must be present during judging of livestock entries.
6. No interference with the judges during the judging will be allowed; persons doing so will forfeit the right to premiums.
7. All entries of purebred cattle shall contain name and number as shown on the Certificate of Registration.
8. All grade stock of the same breed shall follow the sire.
9. In all cases, the right is reserved to reject, or accept conditionally any entry or application at any time, at the discretion of the Superintendent.
10. The judge will in no case award a premium where there is no merit, even if it is the only one animal entered in the Class/Lot.
11. WHERE THERE ARE NOT ENOUGH ENTRIES TO MAKE A LOT, LOTS MAY BE CONSOLIDATED AT THE DISCRETION OF THE SUPERINTENDENTS.
12. If it is ascertained that an animal is entered in a Class or Lot in which it does not properly belong, no placing will result and no premiums will be paid.
13. All animals are subject to inspection by a veterinarian upon admission to the Fairgrounds. No animal or bird that shows evidence of any infectious or contagious disease shall be allowed to remain on the grounds.
14. Only those animals entered in the Fair may be housed on the Fairgrounds during the Fair.
15. All animals not manageable at the time of the Fair will not be acceptable as entries and must be removed from the Fairgrounds. The decision shall be the option of the Superintendent and shall be final.
16. All cattle entered in Registered Breeding Classes must be registered and recorded with a recognized breed association. Registration certificates or legal photo static copies of certificates must be available on request. Where there has been a transfer of ownership, the transfer must have been effected in the records of the breed association and so shown on the registration certificate.

*Exceptions:

- Exhibitors whose breed association required an inspector's approval prior to registering may present a statement by the secretary of the association that the animal is otherwise eligible to be registered if the statement identifies the animal by birthrate, sire, dam, and ear tag, tattoo or notching and the animal will not be over 12 months of age on the opening day of the Fair.
- Qualified animals from one established herd operated as a breeding unit even though registered individually to different members of a family or breeding partnership must be shown by one partner in individual Lots or classes and shown in group classes

by the breeder of animal. Partnership ownership of animals must show on registration certificate.

17. Exhibitors must at all times give the necessary personal attention to all animals they have entered for exhibit. All animals are to be clean and well-groomed throughout the show. Stall and pen areas are to have sufficient clean bedding and aisle-ways are to be maintained in a clean and uncluttered condition at all times.
18. During Fair, straw and manure must be removed daily from stall or cage and hauled to an area designated by the Livestock Superintendent. All morning clean-up work is to be completed by 8:30 a.m.
19. Each exhibitor is expected to furnish feed and bedding for his/her own animals.
20. Animals offered for sale at the Fair are not to be removed from the Fair after 10 p.m. Saturday of Fair.
21. All beef and dairy animals must be broke to halter and must be double tied with separate ropes (neck ropes and halter rope). All bulls must be broke to nose leads and will be required to have nose leads in place when being shown and/or lead on grounds.
22. Junior yearling females that have dropped offspring are barred from showing.
23. All females (beef classes) 24 months of age or older at the beginning day of the Fair must: (a) have a calf; or (b) show obvious sign of pregnancy; or have a veterinarian's certificate of pregnancy.
24. Livestock exhibits may be removed from grounds after 10 pm Saturday, of Fair.
25. At the conclusion of the Fair, all straw and manure must be removed from the stall area to an area designated by the Barn Superintendent. Failure to do so will result in the Fair holding premium checks until the stalls are cleaned.
26. Superintendent must verify that the pens are clean before premiums are paid.
27. No exhibitor shall be allowed to sell or give away articles on the Fairgrounds at any time during the Fair without permission of the Superintendent of your group that will be ok'd with Fair Board prior to fair.
28. SMOKING IS PROHIBITED IN ALL BARNs.
29. The judging schedule will be posted prior to show time.
30. Note that all animals shown in group classes must have been shown in their respective single age sections first.
31. Open Class Livestock and small animals are open to anyone. 4-H and FFA exhibitors may show in Open Class.
32. Exhibitors are limited to 10 entries or as space allows.

DEPARTMENT L POULTRY

PREREGISTRATION REQUIRED BY JULY 22

All birds exhibited MUST have numbered leg bands.

CLASS 1 Large Chicken

Lots

- 1 American
- 2 Asiatic
- 3 English
- 4 Mediterranean
- 5 Continental
- 6 All Other Standard Breeds

Sub Lots

COCK: Male at least one year old.
HEN: Female at least one year old.
COCKEREL: Male 4 months to one year old
PULLET: Female 4 months to one year old

CLASS 2 Bantam

Lots

- 1 Modern Game
- 2 Old English Game
- 3 Single Comb Clean Legged
- 4 Rose Comb Clean Legged
- 5 All Other Combs Clean Legged
- 6 Feather Legged

Sub Lots

COCK: Male at least one year old.
HEN: Female at least one year old.
COCKEREL: Male 4 months to one year old
PULLET: Female 4 months to one year old

CLASS 3 Ducks

Lots

- 1 Heavy
 - 2 Medium
 - 3 Light
 - 4 Bantam
- #### Sub Lots
- Old Drake: Male at least one year old.
Old Duck: Female at least one year old.
Young Drake: Male 4 months to one year old
Young Duck: Female 4 months to one year old

CLASS 4 Geese

Lots

- 1 Heavy
 - 2 Medium
 - 3 Light
- #### Sub Lots
- Old Gander: Male at least one year old.
Old Goose: Female at least one year old.
Young Gander: Male 4 months to one year old
Young Goose: Female 4 months to one year old

CLASS 5 Turkeys

Lots

- 1 Bronze
 - 2 White Holland
 - 3 All Other Breeds
- #### Sub Lot
- TOM: Male at least one year old.
HEN: Female at least one year old.
Young Male: 4 months to one year old
Young Female: 4 months to one year old

CLASS 6 Pheasants & Chukars

All Compete in One Class

Lots

Male: at least one year old.
Female: at least one year old.
Young Male: 4 months to one year old
Young Female: 4 months to one year old

CLASS 7 Pigeons

All Compete in One Class

Lots

Male: at least one year old.
Female: at least one year old.
Young Male: 4 months to one year old
Young Female: 4 months to one year old