- 3. Ensuring that owners, trainers and exhibitors use responsible care in handling, transporting and exhibiting their animals.
- 4. Providing for the continuous well-being of animals through proper feeding, disease prevention, sanitation and attention to their safety.
- 5. Supporting scientific research to improve the health, safety and well-being of livestock.

## UCF ANIMAL HEALTH PRODUCT USAGE POLICY

The Umatilla County Fair is committed to the production of safe, wholesale food products. Therefore, livestock will be disqualified if they show any evidence of the use of unapproved animal health products or the improper use of approved animal health products. The Fair management reserves the right to use appropriate tests to detect violations of this policy.

## **UCF UNMANAGEABLE ANIMAL POLICY**

An unmanageable animal may be requested to leave the show. Exhibitors of questionable beef and dairy animals will be required to lead their animals a prescribed distance. The division superintendent, Fair Board member and the respective 4-H leader or FFA advisor will make any control decisions. Any excused animal is disqualified from the show and sale.

## CAMPGROUND (application deadline July 20, 2019-www.umatillacountyfair.net to apply online)

Application for camping space during the Umatilla County Fair requires completion and submission of the camping application and a a check in the amount of \$75.00. Telephone application requests will not be accepted. The application is not a guarantee of acceptance. Placement preference is provided for primary livestock superintendents and livestock exhibitors that live a distance greater than 20 miles from Hermiston. Due to limited space some applications will be denied. If a refund is due; Umatilla County will mail a refund check to the address provided on your application. Final approval of camping applications typically happens the last week of July when all requests have been received and available space has been determined. Exhibitors may not camp on the grounds unless accompanied by a parent or approved adult chaperone. All units must have an adult present and responsible for the occupants. All camp units are required to remain on the grounds until Sunday morning following fair. Campers may not be placed on the grounds prior to the Saturday before fair without specific approval from the camping Director. Questions may be addressed by calling the Fair Office at 541-567-6121.

ALL CAMPERS ARE REQUIRED TO SHOW THEIR FAIR ENTRY PASSES AT ALL GATES WHEN ENTERING OR RE-ENTERING THE FAIRGROUNDS.

## 4-H/FFA RULES (4-H and FFA Set up Day at the fairgrounds is July 20, 2019)

- 1. FFA Chapter Advisor, 4-H Club Leader, parent or an official designated chaperone must accompany all livestock exhibitors. Officially designated replacements must be listed in the 4-H and FFA offices. Members not so accompanied will not be allowed to show.
- 2. All 4-H entries and record books must be turned into one of the three OSU Extension Offices in Umatilla County (Pendleton, Hermiston or Milton-Freewater) by Friday, July 19, 2019. FFA entries are due by June 15, 2019 to Hermiston High School. FFA record books are to be handed in to the FFA office at final weigh-in during Fair. All entries must be documented as an official FFA Supervised Occupation Experience Project with a Project Record Book and 4-H projects with a 4-H Record Book that verifies initiation and management of the entry 60 days prior to the Fair or by date specified in other Fair rules.
- 3. All 4-H livestock exhibitors with a market animal that will be participating in the UCF Youth Livestock Auction must be certified in their age division in Livestock Quality Assurance in order to sell their animal at the County Fair. Livestock Quality Assurance certification is obtained by passing a quality assurance test at one of the Quality Assurance workshops.
- 4. No exhibits will be received or allowed on the grounds after the Livestock Gate closes, to allow proper check-in of animals.
- 5. Any exhibitor violating Fair rules or guilty of undesirable conduct may be penalized by forfeiture of all premiums earned at the discretion of the Fair Management.
- 6. 4-H and FFA members must abide by the Memorandum of Understanding between the Oregon 4-H and Oregon FFA.
- 7. Premium points will be determined by ribbon placing. Points will not be awarded to market classes. Premium point values will be determined after the Fair, based on total points awarded and money allocated for premiums by the Fair.
- 8. Each livestock exhibitor is responsible for having their entry in the ring or designated exhibit area, when class is called or exhibit is judged. Entries not in proper place at time of judging will not be allowed to compete.
- 9. Members exhibiting livestock are required to make entry for Showmanship award in at least one division in which their livestock is entered. Members who exhibit livestock and small animals are required to show in a showmanship class for both areas. A Showmanship entry may be made for each kind of livestock entered. Market animals shall be used for Showmanship rather than breeding animals, except for rabbits and poultry. Animals shown for Showmanship must have shown in a conformation class in the exhibitor's name and be properly fitted.
- 10. The first place winner in Beef, Sheep, Swine, Dairy, Goat and Horse Showmanship divisions will compete for the Master Showmanship award. If a member wins a championship in more than one department, the member must choose one department in which to participate. The second place winner will represent the department relinquished by the first place winner.
- 11. The exhibitor must perform all care and fitting of animals. Involvement of adults must be limited to advising. Fitting and blocking is to be done in the designated fitting area only. Blocking and clipping stands are to be labeled with name of each member, chapter or club.
- 12. To be eligible for livestock association special awards, exhibitors must meet the requirements as stated for the award.
- 13. When classes are split, only one livestock association special award will be made. The judges must determine and indicate who is to receive the award.
- 14. Neck ropes are required for all beef and dairy animals.
- 15. Animals entered in the Fair must be made available for use in the Meat Animal and Dairy Cattle Judging Contest, unless excused by the Superintendent.
- 16. The use of talcum powder, oil or other artificial coating will not be allowed in fitting and showing animals in any of the swine classes. Artificial coloring or any artificial means of removing or correcting physical defects of conformation in exhibition animals such as lifting or fitting under skin is prohibited and will be considered as fraud or deception. All animals showing evidence of such treatment will be barred from exhibition at the Fair. If any animal is found by the official Fair Veterinarian to have been tampered with as previously described, it shall be disqualified from competition. All prize money that has been won at the Fair by the exhibitor on any animal or animals so disqualified will be forfeited. The finding of the Fair Veterinarian as to whether or not any animal has been improperly tampered with shall be final and conclusive. Determining whether artificial coloring has been used will be at the discretion of the Department Superintendent and the judges. The Fair will not be responsible for the consequences, direct or indirect, of any animal or exhibitor being so disqualified or barred from showing.
- 17. Beef, sheep, goats and dairy cattle are to be kept in designated areas or in their stalls or pens to wait prior to entering the ring to be judged.