

JUNIOR SWINE – DEPARTMENT T

Committee: Chairman - Troy Weatherley, Scott Sewell, Emily Dement, & Seth Taylor

GENERAL RULES & REGULATIONS

No exhibitor may unload their animal until their health papers have been checked and it's the designated time for them to unload.

Weigh-In Tuesday, September 19, 2023, 8 - 10 pm.

All Swine must be in place by Tuesday, September 19, 2023, by NOON

Showmanship show is Wednesday, September 20th, at noon. The breed show will begin after showmanship with the show order alphabetically.

Mandatory exhibitor's meeting Wednesday, September 20th, 5:30 pm.

Show will begin Wednesday, September 20th, at 6:00 pm.

1. Each exhibitor will be limited to two (2) entries per class and a total of two (2) market hogs to be shown or brought to the fair.
2. Each exhibitor will be responsible for feeding and watering their own animals.
3. An animal neglected by their owner will be dismissed.
4. Any animal considered to be a health hazard to other animals will be dismissed.
5. Market hogs will be divided into classes by weight or breed. Number of classes will be determined by number of entries.
6. Health papers must have ear notches AND 840 Tags not State or County Fair tag numbers.

Breeding Swine – Division 1

PLACING:	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH	6TH	7TH
POINTS:	7	6	5	4	3	2	1

CLASS

1. February Boars
2. March Boars
3. April Boars
4. Grand Champion Boar SPECIAL AWARD
5. Reserve Champion Boar SPECIAL AWARD
6. Supreme Overall Boar SPECIAL AWARD
7. February Gilt
8. March Gilt

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| 9. April Gilt | |
| 10. Grand Champion Female | SPECIAL AWARD |
| 11. Reserve Champion Female | SPECIAL AWARD |
| 12. Supreme Overall Gilt | SPECIAL AWARD |

Faulkner County Bred Market Hog – Division 2

The Faulkner County Bred Grand or Reserve Grand will not be selected from the premium sale line up, as in past years.

After the end of the Grand Champion drive and all the class winners have been lined up for the premium sale, we will follow these steps in the selection:

- 1.** If the Grand or Reserve Grand (or both) from the market show **IS FC BRED**, they will be awarded as placed from the show the highest placing available. **Example:** If the Reserve Grand is FC BRED and the Grand is not, then the Reserve Grand is the FC BRED Grand Champion.
- 2.** If the Grand or Reserve Grand **IS NOT FC BRED**, we will hold a class of the **highest placing** FC BRED animals from each class of breed and crossbred market hogs for the selection of FC BRED Grand and Reserve Grand Market Hog.
- 3.** The second highest class placing animal will be in the holding pen ready to drive if the animal placing above them is selected.
- 4.** If there are no FC BRED animals that place in the top 7 placing for a class, that class will be omitted from the FC BRED drive.
- 5.** Once the FC BRED Grand and Reserve Grand have been selected the remaining hogs will be dismissed and we will continue with the selection of the remaining sale order.
- 6.** No points will be awarded, only ribbons will be given.
- 7.** Sow must be owned and bred in Faulkner County. Market Hog must be born in Faulkner County to be eligible for this class.
- 8.** Animals must be nominated for the fair by **August 31, 2023** with the Faulkner County Extension Office.
- 9.** The breeder of the swine must sign the nomination form certifying that the animal was born and bred in Faulkner County.
- 10.** Swine classes will be divided by weight or breed.
- 11.** Exhibitors must have ownership of the animals by July 1, 2023 to be eligible to show in this class.
- 12.** When completing online entries, you will need to know all the contact info for your breeder to enter them as Faulkner County Bred

Market Hogs – Division 3

Market Hogs will be divided into classes by weight or breed.

Minimum Weight: 160 pounds Maximum Weight: 290 pounds.

In 2023, we will start the Market Hog Show with the Market Breed classes. We are going to follow the State Fair format on a trial basis. We will show all recognized breed species that hold record for that breed. These entries will not be registered with their respective breed but must follow that breed's guidelines.

Listed are the breeds that will be eligible: Berkshire, Chester White, Duroc, Hampshire, Landrace, Poland China, Spot, and Yorkshire.

The following rules will be set for the breed classes.

1. There must be at least 7 animals of that breed to make a class. If there are not enough animals to make a class, we will have an AOB (All Other Breeds) class, providing there are 7 hogs to make up the AOB class. These hogs must be present at show, not just nominated.
2. Each class will be placed 1st through 7th just as all market classes.
3. If there is only one class for that breed, the champion for that breed will be awarded at the time of the class.
4. The top 7 hogs of each breed will be selected by the judge to return for Grand Overall Drive and sale order selection. Judge's discretion will then be used to determine whether more than 7 hogs from each breed will be retained for sale order selection.
5. Each exhibitor will be responsible for declaring their own animal's breed. FCF Swine committee will not be responsible for making that decision for you.
6. If you declare your animal to be of a breed and the judge feels your animal does not follow that breed's characteristics you may be disqualified from that class. The judge's decision is final.
7. The Faulkner County Fair Swine Committee reserves the right to amend these rules as needed to benefit the show or exhibitors.

The Market Show line-up will be as follows.

1. Breed classes will be alphabetically lined up. Example: If you have a Berkshire appearing hog, you will show before a Yorkshire appearing hog will show.
2. The crossbred classes will begin following the breeding classes, and will be divided by weight from 160 to 280 lbs.
3. At the end of the show all class champions and breed overall champions will return to the ring for Faulkner County Fair Grand Champion Market Hog. Once the Grand has been awarded, the second-place animal from the class the Grand was chosen from will enter the ring for consideration of Reserve Grand Market Hog. Once the Reserve has been awarded any 2nd place animal will be removed from the ring, and we will begin the sale order lineup of all the champions.
4. Once the champions are done, we will hold the Faulkner County Bred if there is a need for this class to be exhibited. We will refer to the FC Bred rule to make this decision.
5. All the 2nd place animals from breeding and cross bred will then enter the ring, and we will finish the show with selecting the remainder of the sale animals.

PLACING: 1ST 2ND 3RD 4TH 5TH 6TH 7TH
POINTS: 7 6 5 4 3 2 1

CLASS

1. Divided by Breed and Weight
2. Grand Champion Market Hog SPECIAL AWARD
3. Reserve Champion Market Hog SPECIAL AWARD

Swine Showmanship Contest – Division 4

PLACING: 1ST 2ND 3RD 4TH 5TH 6TH 7TH
POINTS: 7 6 5 4 3 2 1

CLASS

1. Beginning Cloverbud (5-6 years old)
2. Advanced Cloverbud (7-8 years old)
3. Junior (9-10 years old)
4. Junior (11-12 years old)
5. Intermediate (13-14 years old)
6. Senior (15-16 years old)
7. Senior (17-19 years old)