

JUNIOR LIVESTOCK DEPARTMENT

LOCAL RULES

(Also refer to page 6 & 7)

Market Beef

Entries and Photos due Thursday, February 9, 2017 11:59 pm online

Pre-weigh in Sunday, February 12, 2017 8:00 am to 10:00 am

Market Hogs, Lambs & Goats

Entries and Photos due Thursday, April 6, 2017 11:59 pm online

Pre-weigh in Monday, April 10, 2017 3:30 to 5:00 pm

Market Rabbit, Poultry Pens

Entries and Photos due Thursday, May 4, 2017 11:59 pm online

Pre-weigh in Monday, May 8, 2017 3:30 to 5:00 pm

Breeding Stock & Primary Member Shows

Entries due Thursday, May 4, 2017 11:59 pm online

Fairgrounds Work Day

Saturday, May 13, 2017 9:00 am to Noon

Liability Waiver

By submitting entries (property) through the online entries process to the Colusa County Fair, you are agreeing that:

I am the owner of the property specified herein or the supervisor of the projects with authorization to act as agent and to bind the owners of the property in all matters herein. I have read, understand and agree to abide by all rules and regulations governing the Fair entries as published in the official Colusa County Fair Entry Guide (Premium Book).

I agree to indemnify, defend and save harmless the Colusa County Fair, its officers, agents and employees from any and all losses accruing or resulting to any and all persons in connection with my participation in the Fair, and from any and all claims and losses accruing or resulting to any person, firm or corporation who may be injured as a result of my participation.

Pre-Weigh Procedures: Animals not being pre-weighed MUST submit a photo ELECTRONICALLY prior to the entry deadline to : photos@colusacountyfair.com

In order to have your photo considered ACCEPTED you must send it with:

1. Please send the smaller version of the photo to assist in keeping our computers working.
2. A separate e-mail for each exhibitor.
3. Animal with the exhibitor recognizable (Full profile of the animal and face of the Exhibitor showing)
4. The entire animal including the head visible.
5. Full head shot of the lamb, goat or hog. (See colusacountyfair.com web site for sample pictures)
6. Please title the PHOTOS and EMAIL like the example below.
7. Use the *Request Delivery Receipt* option when sending your photos, if you would like to be notified that
the email was received by the fair office.

Sample email

TO: photos@colusacountyfair.com

SUBJECT: Jones, Sally_goat

ATTACHMENT: Jones, Sally_profile Jones, Sally_headshot

Ear Tag packets will be available for Advisors & Leaders at the Fair Office after the pre-weigh in.

Advisors and Leaders will be notified by email when the packets are ready. Ear tags should be placed in the animals right ear as soon as possible.

GOLF CART & OTHER OFF HIGHWAY VEHICLES

Due to safety concerns, exhibitors and other members of the public will not be allowed to bring or drive golf carts, ATVs, Gators, quads, bicycles, skateboards, and other "off road vehicles on the Fairgrounds. Such use will be limited to Board and staff members including concessionaires and their employees.

1. This department is limited to Colusa, Butte, Glenn, Lake, Sutter and Yuba Counties, and shall be governed by CA State Rules and local Colusa County Fair Rules. Any exception to county limitations will be noted at the heading of the divisions.
2. Farm or Home Advisors will not be required to sign or co-sign out-of-county 4-H entry forms.
 - Animal Ownership: Large market animals must be owned and under the exhibitors care and possession no later than: Beef—February 6, 2017, Swine, Sheep, Goats—April, 6, 2017. Breeding animals, Rabbit and Poultry Meat Pens—May 6, 2017
4. Livestock can arrive on the grounds after 4:00 pm Monday, June 5, and NO LATER THAN 10:30 am for market animals and 6:30 pm for breeding stock on Tuesday, June 6, 2017. No vehicles will be allowed in the livestock area at anytime after 6:30 pm Tuesday, June 6, 2017.
5. All market animals must be clean and dry prior to being weighed.
6. All bedding shall be provided by the exhibitor, including first bedding. Qualified bedding will be: wheat or barley straw, pine or cedar shavings mix, or wood chips.
7. Exhibitors must furnish feed and care for their exhibits for the duration of the fair.
8. All livestock pens and stalls must be cleaned by 9:00 a.m. each day of the fair and be kept clean throughout the day. On Sunday, pens should be cleaned out after 10:00 a.m. due to the shipping of sale animals.
9. Replacement of Injured or Deceased Animals: If a market animal is seriously injured or dies prior to fair, a report/necropsy must be completed by a licensed veterinarian. The exhibitor must then contact the CEO, who along with the Livestock Superintendent, will determine whether an ownership variance will be granted. Animals that are granted a variance will not be eligible to compete in the Champion Drive.
10. Weigh masters will be provided by Fair Management. No pre-weighing will be permitted. If any weight is contested, it must be done immediately. The animal will be taken off the scales, the scales balanced and the animal re-weighed. NO RE-WEIGHS WILL BE PERMITTED AFTER THE ANIMAL LEAVES THE SCALE AREA.
 - Exhibitors may show a maximum of two (2) large market animals at the fair. Exhibitors may only weigh-in 2 market animals per species at the Official weigh-in. If more than 2 total animals are weighed, immediately following weighing of the last animal, the exhibitor must declare which 2 animals will remain to be shown. All other animals must be removed from the fairgrounds prior to 5:00 pm on Tuesday.
12. There must be a minimum of five exhibitors that show in a class, in order for that specie to be eligible for the Master Showmanship competition.
13. Release time for livestock and tack will be 9:00 p.m. on Friday and again at 10:00 a.m. on Sunday. NO LIVESTOCK OR TACK will be released from the grounds AT ANY TIME without a signed release from the Livestock Superintendent.
14. Exhibitors must show their own animal (s). In the instance that an exhibitor may have two animals in the same class, another exhibitor may show the second animal as long as they are a valid member of the organization that the original exhibitor belongs to, ie. 4-H for 4-H, FFA for FFA, and Independent Exhibitors would acquire another Independent Exhibitor. Only the CEO may release the exhibitor from this rule.
15. In accordance with State Rule X, Animal Health Rules, all large animal entries shall be health checked after their arrival time on Tuesday, June 6, 2017. Any animals that do not pass the health inspection will be required to leave the grounds immediately.

16. The exhibitor assumes all risk both to and by their animals.
17. Fair Management will cancel and return all entries that are received after available facilities are filled.
Out of county exhibitors may be limited on a first come first served basis due to space limitations.
18. To be eligible to sell a market animal at the Junior Livestock Auction, all junior market animal exhibitors must show and sell in their show uniform and their market animal must be judged Market Ready.
19. Use of blocking stands, blowers, etc. will be allowed only in areas designated by fair management.
21. Junior exhibitors (4-H, FFA and Independent) who are exhibiting market and/or breeding animals at the fair are expected to groom and care for their animals while at Fair. Exhibitors may help each other in the fitting and grooming process. Parents, 4-H leaders and agricultural advisors (teachers) of these junior exhibitors can offer assistance or educational instruction as long as the exhibitor is actively engaged.
22. Colusa County Fair has adopted State Rule V. Protest, 1 thru 15 as their Protest Policy; see the State Rules on the Colusa County Fair Website.
23. No Junior exhibitor may exhibit an animal in a market class once it has been sold as a market animal through a Junior Livestock Auction. These animals may be shown following the 30 consecutive day ownership requirement as breeding animals. All Champion and Reserve Champion market animals will be permanently identified by the Colusa County Fair if sold through the Jr. Livestock Auction.
24. Violation of any of the above rules may result in disqualification of the exhibitor, market / breeding animal(s) from all classes and the Junior Livestock Auction as well as the possible forfeiture of all premiums.
25. Purchase ONLINE with entry fees: Exhibitor Wristband \$10
Purchase at the Fair Office: Leader Wristband \$15 Parent 4 day pass \$20
If you loose your wristband or pass, you pay at the gate.
26. Notice to ALL exhibitors, the eighth street gate is the ONLY gate for credential vehicles. Pedestrians may enter here with a credential or purchase a ticket at the ticket booth.

LIVESTOCK RV PARKING:

1. If a trailer space is needed, please call the entry office to request a trailer space application. Additional rules and regulations apply.
2. A fee of \$250.00 per trailer during Fair Time will be charged.
3. The State Health Department has ruled that no trailers will be allowed on the grounds with open drains.
House trailers will be allowed only as sleeping facilities.

INSURANCE:

County, District and State Fairs cannot legally carry liability insurance covering Junior Exhibitors and/or their exhibits. Liability insurance is the responsibility and at the discretion of the Junior Exhibitor. Therefore, it is suggested that Junior Exhibitors consider taking out a liability policy covering themselves and their exhibits.