



2025 LIVESTOCK DIVISION RULES

CHAIRPERSONS: **JANICE LUIKART, 304-937-2687** **TIM KING, 304-586-0843**

Livestock must conform with the State of West Virginia Department of Agriculture Health Regulations for livestock rules are subject to change. The Fair Board Representative will review health papers for all animals before the animal is unloaded at the Fair. All livestock must be gentle and halter broke, trained, and ready to show. For feeder cattle and steers, the ability to handle the animal must be demonstrated in the show ring to the committee chairperson, or other approved Livestock committee member, before the animal can be shown.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Board of Directors can appoint a Standards of Practice Committee. The charge of this committee will be to:

- A. Define unethical practices as broadly stated in the general rules as any act that alters confirmation, handling or behavior of the animal or any act by the exhibitor or his/ her representative or family that may intimidate, influence, threaten, or abuse show or sale officials, directors, judges, or fellow exhibitors.
- B. Monitor or investigate any unethical practices that may be observed or alleged. No chemical substances/drugs are to be fed or injected into any animal exhibit without the approval and supervision of the Putnam County Fair 4-H/FFA Livestock Chairman.
- C. Have the final authority to deal with that situation (this may include, but not be limited to, close physical inspection, random, or selective blood testing or other testing) which may, by the determination of the committee, result in barring or disqualifying of livestock from the show and/or disqualification of exhibitor from that year's event and/or future year's events.

The Board of Directors or any sponsoring agency may not reverse decisions by the Standards and Practices Committee during that year's event.

ANIMAL HEALTH

If in the event an animal is sick or has to be removed for any reason, that animal or a replacement cannot be brought back to the fair. The decision to remove an animal from the fairground will be made by the Livestock chairpersons. This will happen upon great consideration of the chairpersons, executive committee, veterinarian and/or USDA inspector.

If an animal dies while at the Fair, it is the loss of the 4-H/FFA exhibitor's project. The fair will not be responsible for replacing that animal.

FEEDING

Feed and equipment shall not be stored in such a way as to hinder viewing of animals or block aisles. All livestock is to be kept from the front of the barn back and inside the road.

Animals must not be fed nor watered before registration weigh-in. No weight deduction will be made

from live-weight. Official weigh-in will be as animal comes off vehicle at registration.

All exhibitors must provide feed and feed pans for their animals. **All animals must be watered and fed at least twice each day the animal is on the fairgrounds.** Animals are the responsibility of their exhibitor until the animal is removed from the fairgrounds. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to see this is done until the animal has left the grounds after the sale. Animals' stalls must be cleaned at least twice each day including the last day of the fair and again after the animals are removed on Sunday. If an exhibitor's stall is not cleaned, \$50.00 will be deducted from his/her check. Failure to properly care for or mistreatment of any animal being exhibited shall result in the forfeiture of any awards and disqualification from future participation. **All exhibitors must enroll in FairEntry between February 1, 2024 -May,1, 2024. Steer exhibitors must be registered by December 20, 2024.**

No steroids of any type will be permitted. If animals are found to have been given steroids, the 4-H/FFA exhibitor will forfeit their ability to show/sale livestock at the Putnam County Fair. The livestock committee asks that for safety purposes, that only standard box fans be used in the barn.

CARE

This project is the 4-H/FFA exhibitor's project and they are required to feed, water and clean the stall. Parents and guardians are prohibited from doing these activities for the exhibitor. If there is a problem and the exhibitor cannot do these chores, then the livestock committee needs to know. The exhibitor may ask another exhibitor to assist them for that time and later return the favor. The barn area must be cleaned before opening of the fair each day.

GROOMING

Grooming is not required; however, if you choose to groom your animal you must follow the following guidelines:

- Animals' natural appearance may not be altered in any way.
- You may not use hair/skins dyes or any product that will change the color, or modify the color, of the hair of your animal.
 - Examples of prohibited items:
 - Baby powder, colored show foam, dyes, fake hair, hair extensions, zipties, injections, shoe polish, colored show adhesives, and etc.
- All products must be safe for the animal and cannot harm it in any way. You may not feed or use products that have a withdrawal period.
- All products must be removed immediately after show/sale with the appropriate product.
 - Many of these products can cause hair loss and will cause hay/sawdust to stick to the animal. This is a bad public representation of our livestock; therefore, will not be tolerated.
- If you are not sure a product is legal to use or not, do not use it.
- If you do not know how to use the product correctly, you should probably not use it.
- Anyone caught not following the above rules, will not be permitted to show/sale at the Putnam County Fair at the discretion of the Board of Directors.

- Exhibitors can receive help from current Putnam County Fair 4-H/FFA members only. A parent/guardian/adult must be present during grooming for safety purposes, but the parent/guardian/adult may not assist with grooming.
- The livestock committee has the right to cancel all grooming due to any safety reasons.
- Exhibitors will be washing all animals (except hogs) in the designated wash bay area.
- Grooming chutes will be permitted at the far end of the goat barn only. Canopies are allowed over chutes but should be removed when the next morning unless using the next day for another species.

WORMING

All animals must be wormed prior to the fair. Types of wormers, and dates they should be wormed by, will be provided during tagging.

DRESS CODE

The required 4-H show and sale dress code of blue/black jeans, and green 4-H polo shirt will be strictly enforced. FFA dress code consists of white collared shirt, FFA jacket, blue jeans, and boots for the sale, and FFA polo, jeans, and boots for the show. Failure to comply will result in forfeiture of privilege to participate (show/sell) in the future. The exhibitor's assigned entry number must be displayed in the ring when showing livestock. Shirts are to be tucked into jeans. No midriff showing. Neither hats nor gum chewing when showing. No tobacco use allowed. **No jewelry to be worn in show ring (only stud earrings permitted.)**

SHOWING ANIMALS

All animals must be shown by the owner. In the event of an injury, to an exhibitor while the shows in progress, the division chairperson shall select a 4-H/FFA youth to show the animal for the injured exhibitor.

A 4-H or FFA member may be excused from showing his/her own animal and still allowed to sell in the event of a medical emergency, family emergency, or another approved 4-H/FFA Event. The Executive Committee will make the decision regarding excusing a student.

To ensure the opportunity for 4-H/FFA livestock show exhibitors to finish fitting on their own, it is required that all adults adopt a "hands off" policy on show day. This is not to mean that parents, extension workers, or other volunteers may not supervise these exhibitors. Any exhibitor may receive assistance in moving his/her animals to and from show areas. The exhibitor is expected to be present and to be the caretaker and handler of their 4-H livestock project animal.

In all situations, the livestock chairperson will have the right to excuse any animal in either 4-H/FFA or open classes of livestock that he/she feels could create a hazard of danger to itself, exhibitors, spectators and/or other animals on the fairgrounds. The Livestock Committee Chair will dismiss any animal from the fairgrounds which is deemed to be "extremely" over or under weight.

Only one livestock animal may be shown at the fair. If you have signed up for two animals, you must decide which animal will be shown. One species will be tagged on tag-in day. The backup animal will be tagged, but must be of the same species.

Showmanship

All exhibitors are required to participate in Showmanship in their respective classes to be eligible to sell. Exceptions to this policy must be requested in writing to the 4-H Extension Agent or FFA Advisor, and will only be granted in situations of death in immediate family, serious illness, or another 4-H/FFA event taking place at the same time.

- The exhibitors in the showmanship contest will be divided by age into the following groups:

A. Junior: 9 -13 years old as of October 1, 2024

B. Intermediate: 14-16 years old as of October 1, 2024

C. Senior: 17-21 years old as of October 1, 2024.

The Junior and Senior winner for each species will be allowed to participate in Master Showmanship.

- Once you win Beginning or Intermediate Showmanship, you bump up to the next category, within the species. If you change species then you show in your actual age category regardless if you have won in the past.

Master Showmanship

- Master showmanship will be divided into Junior, Intermediate and Senior divisions.
- The participants will compete in showmanship with a: rabbit, sheep, goat, hog and feeder steer/heifer.
- A junior, intermediate and senior winner will be picked in each species. If the 1st place exhibitor declines to show in master showmanship, then the 2nd place winner will show. This continues up to the 3rd place exhibitor.
- The participants will draw a number from a hat to determine which animal he/she will show.
- The participant will be given the necessary show supplies that accompany the animal he/she is showing.
- The judge will judge each species showmanship class separately and then the scores will be added together to determine the winner.
- There will be one winner in the Junior division, Intermediate winner and one winner in the Senior division.
- If there is a tie in Master Showmanship, the judge will ask Division appropriate questions. The questions will be private between the kids and the judge.

REGISTRATION

Three percent of gross sales will be collected by the Fair for the initial sale of each animal sold. Entries must be in strict compliance with the entry requirements as listed in the Fair catalog.

4-H members must be an active member of a Putnam County 4-H Club enrolled through the County Extension Office and all FFA exhibitors must be an active member of a Putnam County FFA group. In order to start exhibiting livestock at the Putnam County Fair, the exhibitor must be 9 or older by September 30, 2024. Livestock exhibitors who have the birthday of October 1, 2002 – September 30, 2003 are no longer allowed to participate because he/she has reached their 22 birthday within that range.

In cases where exhibitors raise a “back-up” animal project, they must select the one they intend to

show prior to registering at the Fair. The project animal across the scales for weigh-in is the one that will be eligible for the show. Bring only one project animal to the fair for weigh-in on registration day. If an exhibitor has tagged a big steer and something happens to the steer, the exhibitor may sign-up for another animal up to May 1st.

All animals must be registered with the appropriate 4-H/FFA advisor before tagging date.

JUDGING

All Market Saleable Shows will be judged under the DANISH SYSTEM. The Danish System is where each exhibit is judged on its own merit. By judging this way, if every exhibit is worthy of a blue ribbon, they will receive it. Depending on the exhibit, they could be all blue or red or white, but every exhibit will receive a ribbon.

Animals may be divided into two or more classes depending upon the numbers present such as Heavy Weight, Lightweight, etc. These animals will be assigned to class in such a manner as to make the classes approximately equal in numbers. In all classes of livestock, the judge's decision will be final. All livestock shows will be videotaped.

Showmanship classes will be divided into Jr./Intermediate/Sr. divisions. A 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winner will be awarded for each division.

AWARDS

Grand Champion.....Banner

Reserve Champion.....Banner

Blue Rosette

Red Rosette

White Rosette

SELLING ANIMAL

Any exhibitor not wishing to sell his/her animal must notify the Livestock Chairman, 4-H agent, and FFA Advisor (in writing) by the day the animals are registered. In the event the animal is judged Grand or Reserve, the animal must be sold. 4-H/FFA exhibitors are instructed not to solicit return of purchased animals from the purchaser. Any exhibitor who agrees to sell an animal at the auction must agree not to ask the buyer or buyers at any time, before, during, or after the auction for the return of the animal. Under no circumstances should a for sale sign be placed on a livestock pen promoting the sale of the animal. Any exhibitor doing this will forfeit his/her privilege to participate in the program the following year. Buyers are being instructed to notify Fair Board members if this occurs.

INSTRUCTIONS TO BUYERS

ALL VOLUNTEERS WHO HELP IN 4-H ACTIVITIES DIRECTLY MUST COMPLETE THE 4-H VOLUNTEER PROCESS TO BE ABLE TO PARTICIPATE IN THESE PROGRAMS INVOLVING 4-H.

HOW ANIMALS WILL BE SOLD

1. Animals are auctioned by the pound during livestock sale. For example, a bid of \$1.00 on a 100-pound animal means you are prepared to pay \$100.00.
2. Every saleable animal will sell one time.
3. Animals offered for resale will be sold on paper at the end of the sale on a rotational basis in order as they appear on the sale sheets. If the animal for resale does not sell, the animal will be sent to market and the proceeds will go into the fair general fund. **Each 4-H/FFA animal will only be re-sold one time.**

Check for market animals are usually ready around 1 month from the sale date,

After the livestock sale, the Putnam County Fair will be responsible for replacing the animal for the buyer in the event that something happens to it while on the fairgrounds. Once the animal leaves the fairgrounds, it becomes the responsibility of the slaughterhouse and/or buyer. Animals will only be delivered to slaughterhouses listed on the sales receipt.

WEIGHT REQUIREMENTS FOR ELIGIBILITY

The designated weights for animals will be the weights required to achieve to show and sell the animal. 4-H/FFA exhibitors whose market livestock projects do not meet the required weight will be allowed to keep the animal on the fairgrounds until the day of the Showmanship Contest to give the youth the opportunity to participate in Showmanship. The animal must be removed from the Fairgrounds immediately following the Showmanship contest. Underweight animals will not be sold. Overweight animals will be placed at the bottom of their class and automatically awarded a white ribbon. They will be placed at the end of the sale order and they will sell at the top weight for that species. For example, if your hog weighs 310 pounds, the buyer will purchase the hog at 300, since this is the top weight.

4-H/FFA HOME GROWN AWARD

An award will be given to the exhibitor who has the highest placing “Home Grown” animal in each division. The animal must have been born and raised on the exhibitor’s farm and registered in FairEntry. Awards will be given out during show and announced during the sale.

Special Announcements:

- All Kids-Kid Goat and Sheep must be accompanied by a Honor Flock Certificate. Goats used for the Kids-Kid Goat show must be weathers and nannies only.
- All 4-H club enrollment concerns should be addressed with the 4-H Advisor.
- All FFA chapter enrollment concerns should be addressed with the FFA Advisor.
- All animal concerns should be addressed with the Livestock Chairman for the species.

- During weigh-in at the fair, the barn is closed unless you are unloading.
- Market animals will be sold at the Jackson County Regional Livestock Market on Saturday; therefore, there is a chance your animal could leave the fairgrounds on Saturday.
- Parking passes will be numbered.
- **YOU ARE REQUIRED TO CLEAN OUT YOUR PENS AFTER YOUR ANIMAL LEAVES. PLEASE CLEAN YOUR STALL BEFORE 10AM ON SUNDAY MORNING. ANYONE NOT CLEANING OUT THEIR PEN AND HAVING IT SIGNED OFF BY THE CHAIRPERSON WILL HAVE A \$50 CLEANING FEE DEDUCTED FROM THEIR CHECK.**

IMPORTANT DATES AND TIME

- Steer Tagging Saturday, January 4, 2025 8-9:30.
- Tagging other livestock Saturday, May 3, 2025 8:00-11:00.
- **DO NOT SHOW UP IF YOUR ANIMAL IS SICK! CALL THE CHAIRPERSON.**
- Only one livestock animal may be shown at the fair. If you have signed up for two animals, you must decide which animal will be shown. One species will be tagged on tag-in day. The backup animal will be tagged, but must be of the same species.
- Weigh-in July 11th at 12:00-7:00
- Mandatory Meeting July 11th at 7:30PM

Show Dates

- Pet Show- Saturday, July 12 at 5:30pm
- Egg/Poultry Show- Sunday July 13 at 1:00pm
- Pet Rabbit/Market Rabbit Show- Sunday July 13 at 3:00pm
- Kids-Kid Show-Sunday July 13 at 4:00pm
- Meat Goat Show- Sunday July 13 at 5:00pm
- Ewe and Me and Market Lambs-Sunday, July 13 at 7:00pm
- Hogs- Monday, July 14 at 8:00PM (Showmanship Tuesday Morning at 9:00 am)
- Steers-Tuesday, July 15 at 6:30PM
- Feeders (Steers and Heifers)-Wednesday, July 16 at 6:30
- Master Showmanship/Old Timers Show Thursday July 17 at 6:30

Sale Date

- Livestock Sale Friday, July 18, 2025
- Auction starts at 5:00
- Sale Order
 - Ewe and Me
 - Rabbits
 - Eggs
 - Lambs
 - Heifers/Feeders
 - 15-minute intermission

- Hogs
- Goats
- Steers

Market Hogs 2025

Jake Stone 373-9802

Joey Goldizen 541-5280

Rules:

1. All entries in the market hog division must be registered in FairEntry from February 1, 2025 – May 1, 2025
2. All hogs must meet the requirements of the West Virginia Department of Agriculture health regulations (out of state hogs must have a Certified Veterinary Inspection before crossing state lines **and an USDA approved official ID tag**).
3. It is highly recommended that all hogs be born between December 1st to March 1st to reach the optimal finish and weight.
4. The division chairman will assign hogs to stalls.
5. Any breed will be eligible for the market hog class.
6. Market hogs must weigh 200lbs. to 300lbs. (**Anything over 300lbs will sale at 300lbs and will be placed last in the sale order with a white ribbon.**)
7. No boars will be eligible.
8. No bedding of any type will be used in pens.
9. All stalls must be cleaned several times daily and before the exhibitor leaves the fairgrounds at the end of fair.
10. All stalls must be cleaned by 10am on Sunday or \$50 will be deducted from your check.
11. Please follow grooming guidelines found in livestock general rules.
12. Hogs must be in exhibitor's possession by tag day.
13. In the event that there is a issue and the show is cancelled, hogs will be sold by weight.

Market Lamb 2025

Missy Dudding 550-6741

Leanne Call 552-0461

Rules:

1. Market lambs must be under the exhibitor's ownership by tagging. All entries in the market lamb division must be registered in Fairentry from February 1, 2025 – May 1, 2025.
2. It is highly recommended that all lambs be born between December 1st to March 1st to reach the optimal finish and weight.
3. **Required weight: 90-165 pounds (Anything over will sale at 165lbs and will be placed last in the sale order with a white ribbon.)**
4. Only one market lamb may be shown and sold by an exhibitor.
5. Market lambs must be skin clipped before weigh-in day.
6. Lambs must be fully/totally castrated (if male). Rams are not eligible.
7. If an animal prolapses while at the fair, the Executive Board reserves the right to have the animal removed from the fair. The Executive Board will determine if they are still eligible for sale.
8. All lambs must be tagged with an official USDA scrapie tracking ear tag.
9. Market lambs should only be shown without a halter or with a regular sheep halter (no dog collars will be permitted.)

10. Muzzles are prohibited during the fair.
11. All stalls must be cleaned by 10am on Sunday or \$50 will be deducted from your check.
12. Please follow grooming guidelines found in general fair rules.
13. Lamb must be in exhibitor's possession by tag day.

Ewe and Me 2025
Tasha Bailey 304-590-4237

Rules:

1. Follow market lamb basic rules.
2. Required weight: 90-165 pounds (Anything over will sale at 165lbs and will be placed last in the sale order with a white ribbon.)
3. The lamb will be kept at the mentor's house. The special needs child needs to work with the lamb at least 10 hourse prior to the fair.
4. Showmanship is voluntary for the partner/helper.
5. All entries in the ewe and me division must be registered in Fairentry from February 1, 2025 – May 1, 2025

Meat Goat 2025
Mary King 586-0843 **Mitchell King 541-2762**

Rules:

1. All entries in the meat goat division must be registered in Fairentry from February 1, 2025 – May 1, 2025.
2. All goats must have a USDA scrapies tag.
3. Goats should be 75% or more Boer, Kiko, Spanish, or other meat breed.
4. It is highly recommended that all goats be born between December 1st to March 1st to reach the optimal finish and weight.
5. Goats must be fully castrated before tagging.
6. Goats may have horns. May be "tipped" if necessary.
7. Goats must weigh a minimum of 60 pounds to be sold at the fair. Goats weighing under 60 pounds may show in showmanship to finish his/her project and will be released to go home immediately following.
8. Maximum weight is 115 pounds. Animals that weigh more than 115 may still show and sell at the fair; however, they will receive white ribbons and sell for 115 pounds.
9. All stalls must be cleaned by 10am on Sunday or \$50 will be deducted from your check.
10. Please refer to grooming guidelines in livestock general rules.
11. Goat must be in exhibitor's possession by tag day.
12. Pinch collars and spike collars are prohibited for use during the show.

Dairy Goats/Kids-Kid Show Donna Briscoe 757-9046

Feeder Calves and Heifers 2025
Kelsey Martin 304-395-1578 **Dale Luikart 304-951-7555**

ALL INDIVIDUALS SHOWING A CALF PROJECT MUST PRACTICE AT LEAST 2 TIMES IN THE SHOW AREA IN FRONT OF A PUTNAM COUNTY FAIR LIVESTOCK CHAIRPERSON. THIS

MUST BE DONE ON 2 SEPARATE OCCASIONS. EXHIBITORS WHO CANNOT CONTROL THEIR ANIMAL WILL BE ASKED TO REMOVE THE ANIMAL FROM THE FAIRGROUNDS.

Market Feeder Calves

1. All entries in the feeder calf division must be registered in Faientry from February 1, 2025 – May 1, 2025.
2. Weight of feeder calf must be between 300lbs and 600lbs. Anything over will sell at 600lbs and will be placed in last place of the sale with a white ribbon.
3. It is highly recommended that all feeder calves be born between January 1st and March 1st of the year in which the calf is shown. This will help you stay within the required weight limit.
4. Calf must be fully/totally castrated, healed/completely dried up and dehorned before tagging day.
5. Calf must be weaned and started on dry feed.
6. Calf must be halter broke.
7. Calf must not be more than 25% dairy breeding.
8. All calves must be doubled tied while in the stall at the fair.
9. There must be 3 or more feeder calves in the show, or they will be shown in a combined class with the replacement heifers.
10. All stalls must be cleaned by 10am on Sunday or \$50 will be deducted from your check.
11. Please follow grooming guidelines found in general fair rules.
12. Calf must be in exhibitor's possession by tag date.

Heifers (functional)

1. All entries in the heifer division must be registered in Faientry from February 1, 2025 – May 1, 2025.
2. Weight of feeder heifer must be between 300lbs and 600lbs. Anything over will sell at 600 lbs and will be placed in last place of the sale with a white ribbon.
3. It is highly recommended that all heifers be born between January 1st and March 1st of the year in which the calf is shown. This will help you stay within the required weight limit.
4. Calf must be dehorned before tagging day.
5. Calf must be weaned and started on dry feed.
6. Calf must be halter broke.
7. Calf must not be more than 25% dairy breeding.
8. All calves must be doubled tied while in the stall at the fair.
9. There must be 3 or more feeder heifers in the show, or they will be shown in a combined class with the feeder steers.
10. Please follow grooming guidelines found in general fair rules.
11. Heifer must be in exhibitor's possession by tag day.

Market Steer 2025

Jeremy Grant 939-3901

Shane Ervin 543-7404

ALL INDIVIDUALS SHOWING A CALF PROJECT MUST PRACTICE AT LEAST 2 TIMES IN THE SHOW AREA IN FRONT OF A PUTNAM COUNTY FAIR LIVESTOCK CHAIRPERSON. THIS MUST BE DONE ON 2 SEPARATE OCCASIONS. EXHIBITORS WHO CANNOT CONTROL THEIR ANIMAL WILL BE ASKED TO REMOVE THE ANIMAL FROM THE FAIRGROUNDS.

Rules:

1. All entries in the market steer division must be registered in Fairentury by December 20, 2024.
2. It is highly recommended that all market steers be born after January 1st of the preceding year the steer is shown. This will allow the steer to be shown at optimal finish and weight.
3. Only one steer/calf may be shown and sold by a single exhibitor. Animals will be sold in the order in which they placed in the show (starting with grand champion) at public auction by the pound to the highest bidder.
4. Required weight: 1000 lbs. and up
5. Market steers/calves must have a halter and be on a rope at all fair activities.
6. Market steers/calves must be dehorned and fully castrated before tag day.
7. **Market steers** must be dried up completely before tagging date.
8. All stalls must be cleaned by 10am on Sunday or \$50 will be deducted from your check.
9. Please refer to general rules for grooming regulations.
10. Steer must be in exhibitor's possession by tag day.

Market Rabbit 2025

Sarah McClanahan 549-5832 Maria Rowsey-Casto 972-8323

Rules:

1. One class per entry.
2. Meat pens shall consist of three (3) rabbits, all of the same breed, color, and variety. No broken colors.
3. Age limit NOT over 10 weeks.
4. Weight of each individual rabbit in either class must not be less than 3 lbs. and not more than 5 lbs. Rabbits will be weighed in on entry day.
5. If any one rabbit in the pen is overweight or underweight, the entire pen is disqualified from competition.
6. If any rabbit in the pen is disqualified, then the whole pen is disqualified.
7. All rabbits must be weighed in the presence of the market rabbit chairpersons.
8. The exhibitor must have market rabbits as a 4-H/FFA project.
9. The market pen is to be raised from a doe or does owned by the exhibitor by March 1st of current year. All entries in the market rabbit division must be registered in Fairentury from February 1, 2025 – May 1, 2025. You are not permitted to buy bunnies for the market pen. You must raise them.
10. Commercial meat type rabbits such as New Zealands, Californians, Satins, Champaign D 'argent, etc. should be used.
11. Does should be bred April 4th in order to have rabbits the correct age by fair time.
12. Each market rabbit exhibitor must participate in the showmanship class.
13. All rabbits need to be treated for ear mites 2 weeks prior to fair.
14. A meat pen does not necessarily have to come from the same litter.
15. Please follow grooming guidelines found in general fair rules.
16. All ARBA General Faults apply to each meat pen.

Poultry/Egg Project Rules

Maria Rowsey-Casto 972-8323

1. All entries in the poultry division must be registered in Fairentury from February 1, 2025 – May 1, 2025.

2. 1 dozen eggs will be to show/display and 1 dozen eggs will be to auction on Friday. The auction eggs will be brought to the fairgrounds on the day of auction to be placed in a cooler. 2 exact dozen eggs will be brought to the fair.
3. Eggs should be as close to the same color and size as possible.
4. Eggs will be judged/graded by a USDA representative.
5. Eggs can be sold throughout the project at Call's Meat Market in Hurricane.
6. Exhibitors must bring a full sheet poster to display with eggs exhibit in the rabbit hutch.
7. Exhibitors will participate in showmanship. Exhibitors should be prepared to talk about their chickens and the eggs being exhibited.
8. All eggs should be the same color, size, and should not have large air holes or cracks.