

RULES REGARDING LIVESTOCK

All Health Certificates must be presented and checked before any livestock is unloaded.

Entries will not be changed after entry deadline.

1. Make entries early by filling in blanks and mailing to Jane Meyer, 1795N 1800E Rd., Thawville, Illinois 60968 prior to midnight, Monday, June 19, 2017. Livestock entries not received by above date will not be accepted. **Metered Mail postmarks will not be honored.**
2. LIVESTOCK EXHIBITS MUST BE ON THE FAIRGROUNDS BY THESE TIMES: **Cattle** - 9:00 a.m., Tuesday, June 27; **Hogs** - 2:00 p.m. Sunday, June 25 (weigh-in 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.); **Jr. Rabbits** - 7:00 p.m., Monday, June 26; **Sheep** - 9:00 p.m., Wednesday, June 28.
3. Every livestock exhibitor will be required to buy an exhibitor's season ticket at \$10.00. A charge will be made for each stall and pen. See official entry blank for amounts.
4. Exhibitor's fees and requests for number of stalls and pens must accompany entry blank.
5. All Livestock Exhibitors need to check in at the Fair Secretary's office upon arrival. Beef and Swine exhibitors pick up parking passes and exhibitor tickets on Monday or Tuesday at the office.
6. Awards will be made by the single judge system unless the superintendent decides more are required.
7. Where there is no competition and the exhibit is worthy, the first prize only is awarded.
8. All money must accompany entries or they will not be accepted. No refunds.
9. All livestock will be inspected before being housed. Whitman Veterinary Clinic will provide the veterinarian in charge of the livestock at the fair and all livestock will be under their supervision at all times.
10. Everyone must furnish their own watering utensils as there will be no public troughs.
11. Livestock exhibitors must furnish their own feed.
12. Help for unloading and penning the livestock will be furnished by the Fair Association.
13. Champion: Only animals awarded first prize in class rings are eligible to compete for best animal.
14. No protests considered unless presented in writing to the Fair secretary.
15. Definition: "Official Health Certificate: as referred to in these regulations shall be one issued and signed by an approved, accredited veterinarian or a veterinarian of the Bureau of Animal Industry.
16. Two entries per exhibitor allowed in livestock in each premium number in Open and Junior Show.

LIVESTOCK EXHIBITOR'S NOTICE

The truck gate at the north side of the grounds will be used for bringing in livestock the first day. Deliveries of supplies for the livestock must be made each day before noon, and the truck gate will be used for that purpose.

**READ THE RULES BEFORE ENTERING!
Premiums subject to State reimbursement**

The Ford County Fair Association thanks

Elliott Fire Department

Ford County Sheriff Department and Auxiliary

Gibson City Area Ambulance

Gibson City Fire Department

Piper City Fire Department

Roberts-Melvin Fire Department

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Thank You

Beef Cattle

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READ GENERAL RULES p.5 & p.19

**One fan per three animals.
Please use stalls assigned.
Please provide Social Security Number.**

**DEPARTMENT A-BEEF CATTLE
Total Premiums \$12,3355.00
Judging, Thursday, June 29, 2017, 9:00 a.m.**

**Superintendent of Beef Cattle
Rodney Loschen**

**Assistant Superintendents
Diane Perkins Brian Loschen
Bryan Cole**

Exhibitor number must be worn while showing or exhibitor will not be placed. Numbers and passes must be picked up at the secretary's office on Monday.

Age Classifications

Registration papers must be available to the superintendent of the department when checking ear markings, ear tags, tattoos or other markings of identification. No unreadable marks will be accepted.

Senior Bull Calf - calved after September 1, 2016.

Yearling Bull - calved between September 1, 2015 and August 31, 2016.

Senior Heifer Calf - calved after September 1, 2016.

Late Summer Yearling Heifer - calved between July 1 and August 30, 2016.

Early Summer Yearling Heifer - calved between May 1 and June 30, 2016.

Late Junior Yearling Heifer - calved between March 1 and April 30, 2016.

Early Junior Yearling Heifer - calved between January 1 and February 29, 2016.

Senior Yearling Heifer - calved after September 1, 2015.

1. An entry fee of \$10.00 per head will be charged for each entry in the Open Class; \$5.00 in Junior Classes.
2. Stall rent will be \$10.00 per head.
3. An exhibitor's season ticket, \$10.00, must be purchased by exhibitor. Only one exhibitor's ticket will be allowed. Season tickets may be purchased at a price of \$20.00 if more passes are needed.
4. The entry fee, stall fee, and exhibitor's season ticket fee must accompany entry. No stall reserved unless stall fee is sent with entry.
5. Cattle must be in place by 9:00 a.m. Tuesday, June 27 and will be released after the open show on Thursday. **NO LATE ARRIVALS ACCEPTED.**
6. The show order will follow the age classifications.
7. All cattle must have registration papers.
8. Steers and Market Heifers will be weighed on Tuesday, June 27. Weighing will begin at 10:00 a.m.
9. Pair of Females - any age.
10. Pair of Calves - 1 bull and 1 female (senior bull and senior heifer calf).
11. Pair of yearlings - 1 bull and 1 female (junior or summer yearlings).

Attention Beef Exhibitors

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time is 9:00 a.m. on
June 27 and the departure
time is after the open show
on June 29.**

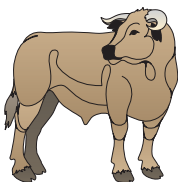
Department A

	Section 1	Section 2	Section 3	Section 4	Section 6	Premiums				
	Angus	Shorthorn	Hereford	Simmental	All Other Breeds & Crossbreeds	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
	1	2	3	4	5					
Senior bull calf	1	20	40	60	100	28	25	23	21	20
Yearling bull	5	24	44	64	104	28	25	23	21	20
Champion bull	6	25	45	65	105	25				
Reserve champion bull	7	26	46	66	106	20				
Senior heifer calf	8	27	47	67	107	48	42	38	34	30
Late summer yearling heifer	9	28	48	68	108	48	42	38	34	30
Early summer yearling heifer	10	29	49	69	109	48	42	38	34	30
Late junior yearling heifer	11	30	50	70	110	48	42	38	34	30
Early junior yearling heifer	12	31	51	71	111	48	42	38	34	30
Senior yearling heifer	13	32	52	72	112	48	42	38	34	30
Champion heifer	14	33	53	73	113	25				
Reserve champion heifer	15	34	54	74	114	20				
Pair of females	16	35	55	75	115	28	25	23	21	20
Pair of calves	17	36	56	76	116	28	25	23	21	20
Pair of yearlings	18	37	57	77	117	28	25	23	21	20

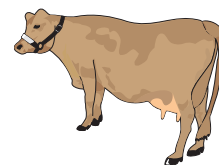
SECTION 7 - Champions						Premiums				
						1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
Champion bull overall	120					100				
Reserve champion bull overall	121					50				
Champion female overall	122					200				
Reserve champion female overall	123					100				

SECTION 8 - Steers & Market Heifers							Premiums				
Enter steers & market heifers in the entry classes listed here.	Angus	Shorthorn	Hereford	Simmental	All Other Breeds & Crossbreeds	Market Heifer	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
	1	2	3	4	6	7					
Lightweight steer	125	130	135	140	150	156	40	30	25	20	15
Medium weight steer	126	131	136	141	151	157	40	30	25	20	15
Heavyweight steer	127	132	137	142	152	158	40	30	25	20	15
Heavy Heavyweight steer					153		40	30	25	20	15
Champion steer	128	133	138	143	154	159	Ribbon				
Reserve champion steer	129	134	139	144	155	160	Ribbon				
Grand champion market overall breeds						161	200				
Reserve champion market overall breeds						162	100				

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Dairy Goats

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- * Bring exhibitor number in the ring.
- * Please provide Social Security Number.
- * **DEPARTMENT U-DAIRY GOATS**
- * Total Premiums \$3,655.00
- * Judging, Saturday, July 1, 2017, 9:00 a.m.
- * ADGA Sanctioned
- * The Junior and Senior Show are sanctioned separately sanctioned

Co-Superintendents: Steve Hawthorne & Karen Hawthorne

Secretary - Julie Radtke

Entry Fee: \$5.00 per entry, both single and group classes. No entry fee for those showing for Champions. Pen Rent: \$5.00 per head Exhibitor's Pass: \$10.00

Age classifications and group requirements are as follows: All animals shown in group classes must be shown in individual classes.

Get of Sire3 does, any age, of 1 sire (may borrow)
 Produce of Dam2 does from 1 dam (may not borrow)
 Dam and DaughterDoe & doe offspring, any age, (may not borrow)

1. All Dairy Goats must meet current Exhibition Livestock Health Requirements in front of book.
2. Entries close June 19, 2017. **The postmark deadline will be strictly enforced.**
NO ENTRIES ACCEPTED DAY OF SHOW!
3. Release time will be Saturday after show is complete as this is a one day show.
4. All rules governing exhibition judging and awarding of prizes will be interpreted by the superintendent in accordance with rules of ADGA that shall govern. This show has been officially sanctioned by the American Dairy Goat Association, and rosettes will be awarded by ADGA.
5. Any exhibitor limited to two money placings per class.
6. All Dairy Goats to be exhibited in the Breeding Classes are to be registered or recorded in ADGA, AGS, or CGS for their respective breed. No males or horned animals are eligible to show.
7. All animals must be accompanied by registration papers and have a tattoo if breeding association so requires. Photo copies of registration papers are not acceptable.
8. Registration numbers and tattoo number must be listed on the entry blank.
9. Due to sanitary conditions, **NO GOAT MILK** will be dumped on the ground. Failure to comply with this rule can result in premiums being forfeited and/or the exhibitor being barred from further exhibition.
10. There will be no pre-show milk-out. Judging will take place breed by breed, rather than all milkers first.
11. **Show order is subject to change in order to make show run smoothly.**
12. **NO GOATS WILL BE ALLOWED ON THE FAIRGROUNDS BEFORE 5:00 A.M. ON SATURDAY, JULY 1, 2017.**

Department U



	Section 1 Nubian	Section 3 Lamancha	Section 4 Alpine	Section 5 Recorded Grades	Section 6 Toggenburg	Section 7 AOB	Premiums				
							1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
JUNIOR DOE SHOW											
Jr. Doe Kid, born April 1 current year or after	300	328	342	356	370	384	15	13	11	9	7
Int. Doe Kid, born March 1- 31	301	329	343	357	371	385	15	13	11	9	7
Sr. Doe Kid, born Jan. 1 - Feb 28	302	330	344	358	372	386	15	13	11	9	7
Doe 1 yr. and under 2, yet to freshen	303	331	345	359	373	387	15	13	11	9	7
Jr. Grand Champion/Jr. Reserve Grand Champion	304	332	346	360	374	388	Rosette		Rosette		
SENIOR DOE SHOW											
Doe under 2, fresh	305	333	347	361	375	389	15	13	11	9	7
Doe, 2 years and under 3	306	334	348	362	376	390	15	13	11	9	7
Doe, 3 years and under 5	307	335	349	363	377	391	15	13	11	9	7
Doe 5 years and over	308	336	350	364	378	392	15	13	11	9	7
Sr. Grand Champion/Sr. Reserve Grand Champion	309	337	351	365	379	393	Rosetts		Rosette		
Get of Sire	310	338	352	366	380	394	15	13	11	9	7
Produce of Dam	311	339	353	367	381	395	15	13	11	9	7
Dam and Daughter	312	340	354	368	382	396	15	13	11	9	7
Best Junior Doe in Show							398	10 Rosette			
Best Senior Doe in Show							399	15 Rosette			

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Sheep

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DEPARTMENT F-SHEEP

Total Premiums \$5,370.00

Judging, Thursday, June 29, 2017, 8:00 a.m.


Superintendent of Sheep

Mike Anderson

The sheep will be released Thursday afternoon as soon as the Secretary's office can prepare premium money receipts.

1. An entry fee of \$8.00 will be charged for each entry.
2. Pen fee will be \$6.00 per head.
3. An exhibitor's season ticket, \$10.00, must be purchased by exhibitor. Only one exhibitor's ticket will be allowed. Season tickets may be purchased at a price of \$20.00 if more passes are needed.
4. The entry fee, pen fee, and exhibitor's season ticket must accompany entry. No pen reserved unless fee is sent with entry.
5. Please provide Social Security Number.
6. SHEEP DELIVERY TIME IS BY 9 P.M. WEDNESDAY. No sheep in the sheep barn before 4:00 p.m. on Wednesday. Pens will be assigned.
7. Ewes and Rams entered in the breed classes must be registered with the respective breed association.
8. Pen of 3 Lambs - both sexes represented.

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 Department F	Section 1 Shropshire & Oxford	Section 2 Hampshire	Section 3 Dorset	Section 4 Southdown	Section 5 All Other Breed Wool Type	Premiums				
						1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
Fall Ram Lamb	400	411	422	433	444	20	18	16	14	12
Spring Ram Lamb	401	412	423	434	445	20	18	16	14	12
Champion Ram	402	413	424	435	446	10				
Pair of Ram Lambs	403	414	425	436	447	20	18	16	14	12
Yearling Ewe	404	415	426	437	448	20	18	16	14	12
Fall Ewe Lamb	405	416	427	438	449	20	18	16	14	12
Spring Ewe Lamb	406	417	428	439	450	20	18	16	14	12
Champion Ewe	407	418	429	440	451	10				
Pair of Yearling Ewes	408	419	430	441	452	20	18	16	14	12
Pair of Ewe Lambs	409	420	431	442	453	20	18	16	14	12
Pen of 3 Lambs	410	421	432	443	454	20	18	16	14	12



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Department F	Section 6 All Other Breeds Meat Type	Premiums				
		1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
Fall Ram Lamb	455	20	18	16	14	12
Spring Ram Lamb	456	20	18	16	14	12
Champion Ram	457	10				
Pair of Ram Lambs	458	20	18	16	14	12
Yearling Ewe	459	20	18	16	14	12
Fall Ewe Lamb	460	20	18	16	14	12
Spring Ewe Lamb	461	20	18	16	14	12
Champion Ewe	462	10				
Pair of Yearling Ewes	463	20	18	16	14	12
Pair of Ewe Lambs	464	20	18	16	14	12
Pen of 3 Lambs	465	20	18	16	14	12

SECTION 7 - Entry Class	All Breeds	Premiums				
Wethers 1		1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
Ewe Lambs 2						
Pairs 3						
Lightweight Wether	510	20	18	16	14	12
Medium light Wether	511	20	18	16	14	12
Medium heavy Wether	512	20	18	16	14	12
Heavyweight Wether	513	20	18	16	14	12
Lightweight Market Ewe Lamb	514	20	18	16	14	12
Mediumweight Market Ewe Lamb	515	20	18	16	14	12
Heavyweight Market Ewe Lamb	516	20	18	16	14	12
Lightweight pair of Market Lambs	517	20	18	16	14	12
Mediumweight pair of Market Lambs	518	20	18	16	14	12
Heavyweight pair of Market Lambs	519	20	18	16	14	12

SECTION 8					
Grand Champion Ram	520				50
Grand Champion Ewe	521				50
Grand Champion Market Lamb	522				50

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Swine

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DEPARTMENT G—SWINE

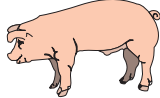
Total Premiums \$6,337.00

Junior Show, 8:00 a.m. Monday

Open Show immediately following

Junior Show Monday, June 26, 2017

**Co-Superintendents of Swine
Kirk Miller & Brad Pilcher**



Please provide Social Security Number.

BARROW SHOW

1. An entry fee of \$10.00 per head will be charged for each entry.
2. Pen rent will be \$7.00 per head.
3. An exhibitor's season ticket, \$10.00, must be purchased by exhibitor. Only one exhibitor's ticket

- will be allowed. Season tickets may be purchased at the price of \$20.00 if more passes are needed. Passes must be picked up at the Secretary's office on Monday, June 19, 2017.
4. The entry fee, stall fee, and exhibitor's season ticket fee must accompany entry. No stall reserved unless stall fee is sent with entry.
 5. Each exhibitor will be limited to two monies per class.
 6. Barrows will be weighed between 2:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m. Sunday, June 25, 2017. Barrows must be in place by 2:00 p.m. Monday.
 7. Barrows must be negative to a serum neutralization (SN) test for pseudorabies. Refer to swine health requirements.
 8. The barrows will be released Monday after the show. Be governed by announcement from Secretary's office.
 9. There will be a limit of 255 head of barrows for this show. Entries will be accepted and closed, based on postmark date.
 10. Ear notch identification of crossbred swine does not satisfy USDA identification requirements for brucellosis and pseudorabies testing.

PREMIUM SCHEDULE OF OPEN SWINE

All purebred barrows will show in specified purebred classes, with all crossbred barrows showing in crossbred classes. Classes will be divided equally based on the number entered. Purebred barrows must be registered to the individual showing, and papers must be present at time of weigh-in. There will be a minimum of eight barrows per class and a maximum of ten per class.

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Department G

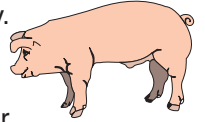
Enter all purebred barrows in Department G, Section 1, Class 1.
Enter all crossbred barrows in Department G, Section 1, Class 2.
Weight divisions will be determined after weigh-in.

	Premiums										
	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th				
Barrow	600				40	35	30	24	23	22	20
Barrow	601				40	35	30	24	23	22	20
Barrow	602				40	35	30	24	23	22	20
Barrow	603				40	35	30	24	23	22	20
Barrow	604				40	35	30	24	23	22	20
Barrow	605				40	35	30	24	23	22	20
Barrow	606				40	35	30	24	23	22	20
Barrow	607				40	35	30	24	23	22	20
Barrow	608				40	35	30	24	23	22	20
Barrow	609				40	35	30	24	23	22	20
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Barrow	612				40	35	30	24	23	22	20
Barrow	613				40	35	30	24	23	22	20
Barrow	614				40	35	30	24	23	22	20
Barrow	615				40	35	30	24	23	22	20
Barrow	616				40	35	30	24	23	22	20
Barrow	617				40	35	30	24	23	22	20
Barrow	618				40	35	30	24	23	22	20
Best Barrow	619				75	40	30	25	24	23	22

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JACKPOT GILT SHOW

1. An entry fee of \$8.00 and pen fee per head of \$7.00 will be charged for each entry.
2. Exhibitors must purchase an exhibitor's season ticket at \$10.00 per exhibitor.
3. The entry fee and exhibitors season ticket fee must accompany entry.
4. Gilts must be in place by Noon on Sunday, June 25th and will be released after the show.
5. Check-in will begin at 10:00 a.m. and all gilts must be checked in by 1:00 p.m. with the show starting at 5:00 p.m, Sunday, June 25th.
6. Gilts will be shown as breeding gilts.
7. Purebred will show by age, and must be registered in the person's name that is showing.
8. Crossbred gilts will be shown by weight. Maximum weight 300 pounds.
9. All gilts must be farrowed after January 1, 2017.
10. Each breed must have at least eight head to have a breed class.
11. Maximum of ten head per class.



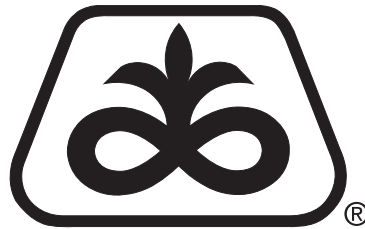
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Enter all gilts in Department G, Section 2, Class 1

Premiums

Grand Gilt.....	\$300
Reserve Grand Gilt.....	\$150
Breed Champion.....	\$50
Reserve Breed Champion.....	\$25
Total purse each class	\$130

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Junior Department Livestock

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Please provide Social Security Number.**

**DEPARTMENT H
JUNIOR DEPARTMENT LIVESTOCK
Total Premiums \$8,505.00**

SPECIAL RULES

1. Junior classes are open to boys & girls who are 8 years of age or in third grade and not yet 19 years of age on or before September 1 of the year previous to the fair. All animals shown in Junior Classes must be the property of the boys & girls showing them. If the same animals are being shown in both the Open and Junior Classes, they shall be shown under the same exhibitor's name.
2. Entries in this department close **Monday, June 19, 2017.**
3. LIVESTOCK EXHIBITS MUST BE ON THE FAIRGROUNDS BY THESE TIMES: **Cattle** - 9:00 a.m., Tuesday, June 27; **Hogs** - 2:00 p.m. Sunday, June 25 (weigh-in 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.); **Jr. Rabbits** - 7:00 p.m., Monday, June 26; **Sheep** - 9:00 p.m., Wednesday, June 28.
4. Release of exhibits - as announced in the general livestock rules, or by announcement from the Secretary's office. Livestock must be removed before 10:00 a.m. Sunday.
5. In case a 4-H member desires to show in any of the open classes of the Fair, it will be necessary for him to comply with the rules of the Fair governing the Open Class.
6. Each exhibitor will be required to buy an exhibitor's ticket at \$10.00.
7. Pen fee same as open class. However, only **one fee required for both open and junior classes.**
8. Entry fee: Cattle \$5.00; Sheep - \$4.00; Hogs - \$5.00.
9. All animals shown in a group premium number must be shown by the same owner.

LIVESTOCK EXHIBITS

1. Each exhibitor will be allowed two entries in each class.
2. ALL ANIMALS SHOWN IN THIS DEPT. MUST BE INDIVIDUALLY OWNED.
3. All animals must be shown in the judging ring by the owner unless excused by doctor's certificate or the President of the Ford County Fair.

BEEF

1. Beef cattle must meet the tuberculosis and Bang's test required of the open class exhibit. See Rules Regarding Livestock. Water pails and feed boxes must be furnished by the exhibitor. No bedding furnished.
2. **Junior Beef will show Wednesday at 9:00 a.m. Exhibitor number must be worn while showing or exhibitor will not be placed.**
3. **The Junior Beef show will be a no fit show. No extra grooming.**
4. **The Junior Beef Show will have a showmanship competition. Information will be available at the fair.**

Sanctioned with the Illinois Beef Association.

Senior Heifer Calf - calved after September 1, 2016.

Late Summer Yearling Heifer - calved between July 1 and August 30, 2016.

Early Summer Yearling Heifer - calved between May 1 and June 30, 2016.

Late Junior Yearling Heifer - calved between March 1 and April 30, 2016.

Early Junior Yearling Heifer - calved between January 1 and February 29, 2016.

Senior Yearling Heifer - calved after September 1, 2015.

**Attention
Beef Exhibitors
Please note the arrival time
is 9:00 a.m. on June 27
and the departure time is
after the open show on
June 29.**

Department H1	Section 1 Angus	Section 2 Shorthorn	Section 3 Hereford	Section 4 Simmental	Section 6 All Other & Crossbreeds	Premiums				
						1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
Senior heifer calf	801	810	820	830	848	18	16	14	12	10
Late summer yearling heifer	802	811	821	831	849	18	16	14	12	10
Early summer yearling heifer	803	812	822	832	850	18	16	14	12	10
Late junior yearling heifer	804	813	823	833	851	18	16	14	12	10
Early junior yearling heifer	805	814	824	834	852	18	16	14	12	10
Senior yearling heifer	806	815	825	835	853	18	16	14	12	10
Champion heifer	807	816	826	836	854	Ribbon				
Reserve champion heifer	808	817	827	837	855	Ribbon				
Grand champion female overall					856	50				
Reserve champion female overall					857	25				

Section 8	Angus	Shorthorn	Hereford	Simmental	All Other & Crossbreeds	Market Heifer	Premiums							
							1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th			
Enter steers & market heifers in the entry classes listed here.														
Entry Class →	1	2	3	4	6	7								
Lightweight steer	860	865	870	875	885	891	18	16	14	12	10			
Medium weight steer	861	866	871	876	886	892	18	16	14	12	10			
Heavyweight steer	862	867	872	877	887	893	18	16	14	12	10			
Heavy Heavyweight steer					888		18	16	14	12	10			
Champion steer	863	868	873	878	889	894	Ribbon							
Reserve champion steer	864	869	874	879	890	895	Ribbon							
Grand champion market overall breeds						896	50							
Reserve champion market overall breeds						897	25							

SHEEP

- All animals shown in this department must be individually owned.
- Each exhibitor will be limited to two entries in each class.
- Ewes or ram lambs entered in the breed classes must be purebred and registered with the respective breed association.
- All lambs must be docked.
- All sheep must be marked.
- Entry fee, \$4.00. Pen fee same as in open class.
- No bedding furnished.
- Same judging time as open class.

Department H2	Section 1 Shropshire & Oxford	Section 2 Hampshire	Section 3 Dorset	Section 4 Southdown	Section 5 All Other Breeds Wool Type	Premiums				
						1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
Fall Ram Lamb	1201	1207	1213	1219	1225	10	9	8	7	6
Spring Ram Lamb	1202	1208	1214	1220	1226	10	9	8	7	6
Yearling Ewe	1203	1209	1215	1221	1227	10	9	8	7	6
Fall Ewe Lamb	1204	1210	1216	1222	1228	10	9	8	7	6
Spring Ewe Lamb	1205	1211	1217	1223	1229	10	9	8	7	6
Pair of Ewe Lambs	1206	1212	1218	1224	1230	10	9	8	7	6

Department H2	Section 6 All Other Breeds Meat Type	Premiums				
		1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
Fall Ram Lamb	1231	10	9	8	7	6
Spring Ram Lamb	1232	10	9	8	7	6
Yearling Ewe	1233	10	9	8	7	6
Fall Ewe Lamb	1234	10	9	8	7	6
Spring Ewe Lamb	1235	10	9	8	7	6
Pair of Ewe Lambs	1236	10	9	8	7	6

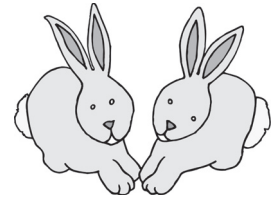
SECTION 7 - Entry Class		All Breeds	Premiums				
Wethers	1		1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
Ewe Lambs	2						
Pairs	3						
Lightweight Wether	1261	10	9	8	7	6	
Medium lightweight Wether	1262	10	9	8	7	6	
Medium heavyweight Wether	1263	10	9	8	7	6	
Heavyweight Wether	1264	10	9	8	7	6	
Lightweight Market Ewe Lamb	1265	10	9	8	7	6	
Mediumweight Market Ewe Lamb	1266	10	9	8	7	6	
Heavyweight Market Ewe Lamb	1267	10	9	8	7	6	
Lightweight pair of Market Lambs	1268	10	9	8	7	6	
Mediumweight pair of Market Lambs	1269	10	9	8	7	6	
Heavyweight pair of Market Lambs	1270	10	9	8	7	6	

All purebred barrows will show in specified purebred classes, with all crossbred barrows showing in crossbred classes. Classes will be divided equally based on the number entered. Purebred barrows must be registered to the individual showing, and papers must be present at time of weigh-in. There will be a minimum of eight barrows per class and a maximum of ten per class.

NO PAPER BEDDING ALLOWED

Department H3		Premiums						
Enter all purebred barrows in Department H3, Section 1, Class 1. Enter all crossbred barrows in Department H3, Section 1, Class 2. Weight divisions will be determined after weigh-in.		1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th
Barrow	1275	22	18	16	14	12	10	8
Barrow	1276	22	18	16	14	12	10	8
Barrow	1277	22	18	16	14	12	10	8
Barrow	1278	22	18	16	14	12	10	8
Barrow	1279	22	18	16	14	12	10	8
Barrow	1280	22	18	16	14	12	10	8
Barrow	1281	22	18	16	14	12	10	8
Barrow	1282	22	18	16	14	12	10	8
Barrow	1283	22	18	16	14	12	10	8
Barrow	1284	22	18	16	14	12	10	8
Barrow	1285	22	18	16	14	12	10	8
Barrow	1286	22	18	16	14	12	10	8
Barrow	1287	22	18	16	14	12	10	8
Barrow	1288	22	18	16	14	12	10	8
Barrow	1289	22	18	16	14	12	10	8
Barrow	1290	22	18	16	14	12	10	8
Barrow	1291	22	18	16	14	12	10	8
Barrow	1292	22	18	16	14	12	10	8
Barrow	1293	22	18	16	14	12	10	8
Barrow	1294	22	18	16	14	12	10	8
Barrow	1295	22	18	16	14	12	10	8
Best Barrow	1296	42	18	16	14	12	10	8

RABBITS - All entries must meet ARBA Standards



1. All animals shown in this department must be individually owned.
2. Each exhibitor will be limited to two entries in each class.
3. All animals shown must be purebred.
4. Exhibitors must provide feed and water containers and their own feed.
5. Judging will be at the same time as the 4-H show.
6. All animals must remain on the fairgrounds for a minimum of 72 hours. For this reason all animals must be on the grounds by 7:00 p.m., Monday, June 26, 2017. Animals will be released at 7:00 p.m., Thursday, June 29, 2017.
7. Entry fee is \$1.00 per entry. Pen fee is \$.50 per rabbit.

SECTION	Department H4							Premiums			
	6 CLASS BREEDS							1st	2nd	3rd	4th
1	Californian	1301	1302	1303	1304	1305	1306	4.00	3.00	2.50	2.00
2	Satin - All varieties	1307	1308	1309	1310	1311	1312	4.00	3.00	2.50	2.00
3	New Zealand - All varieties	1313	1314	1315	1316	1317	1318	4.00	3.00	2.50	2.00
4	Flemish Giant	1319	1320	1321	1322	1323	1324	4.00	3.00	2.50	2.00
5	Champagne	1325	1326	1327	1328	1329	1330	4.00	3.00	2.50	2.00
6	AOB 6 Class Breeds	1331	1332	1333	1334	1335	1336	4.00	3.00	2.50	2.00

SECTION					Premiums				
	4 CLASS BREEDS				1st	2nd	3rd	4th	
7	Havana - All varieties	Senior Buck	Senior Doe	Junior Buck	Junior Doe	4.00	3.00	2.50	2.00
8	Mini Rex - All varieties	1341	1342	1343	1344	4.00	3.00	2.50	2.00
9	Polish - All varieties	1345	1346	1347	1348	4.00	3.00	2.50	2.00
10	Holland Lop - All varieties	1349	1350	1351	1352	4.00	3.00	2.50	2.00
11	Tans - All varieties	1353	1354	1355	1356	4.00	3.00	2.50	2.00
12	Rhinelanders	1357	1358	1359	1360	4.00	3.00	2.50	2.00
13	AOB 4 Class Breeds	1361	1362	1363	1364	4.00	3.00	2.50	2.00

SECTION						
12	Market Classes - All animals must be under 70 days old and weigh between 3 1/2 and 5 1/2 pounds.					
	1365	Meat Pen	10.00	7.00	5.00	3.50
	1366	Single Fryer	10.00	7.00	5.00	3.50
13	Champions - Do not enter these classes					
	1367	Best 6 Class Animal		\$10.00		
	1368	Best 4 Class Animal		\$10.00		
	1369	Best in Show		\$25.00		



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FORD COUNTY FAIR RABBIT SHOW

SATURDAY, JULY 1, 2017

Fairgrounds
Melvin, Illinois



DEPARTMENT I - RABBITS

Total Premiums \$2,597.50

OPEN Sanctioned

Show starts at 9:30 a.m.

Superintendent — Dallas Meyer

Assistant Superintendent

Roger Wycoff

Show Secretary — Jane Meyer

1795 N 1800 E Rd., Thawville, IL 60968

READ GENERAL RULES

Social Security Number must be presented at the time of entry.

1. The general rules of the Ford County Fair shall apply in this department.
2. This is an official ARBA sanctioned show and will be governed by the latest rules of said association.
3. All entries for this show should be made at the fairgrounds on Saturday, July 1, 2017 by 9:00 a.m. Each exhibitor must fill out his own entry form. Filing of entry blank indicates your acceptance of the show rules.
4. We reserve the right to substitute other judges in case those selected are unable to serve.
5. Entry fees: \$1.50 per head, \$1.50 per single fryer, and \$1.50 per meat pen. No fur to be shown. A sanction fee of \$1.00 will be charged for each entry.
6. There will be an exhibitor's fee of \$10.00.
7. No shipped-in rabbits will be accepted.
8. Exhibitors must have all entries in to start judging promptly at 9:30 a.m.
9. This association will not be responsible for loss from fire, theft, accidents, or destruction. Every precaution will be taken to prevent the same.
10. All specimens must be permanently and legibly earmarked or the judge has the discretion to disqualify.
11. No one except the judges, show officials or owner will be allowed to handle the rabbits. Breeding of animals in the showroom will not be permitted.
12. Make all checks payable to FORD COUNTY FAIR.

13. If 3 or more breeders show 10 or more animals within a breed, then that breed will be sanctioned next year. If 3 or more breeders do not show 10 animals within a breed, then the breed sanction will be dropped.
14. An exhibitor will be paid a maximum of two premiums in any one class. Points will be awarded for all entries earning them.
15. Social Security Numbers must be provided.
16. There must be 10 or more rabbits shown in the breed sweepstakes before the show has to pay the guaranteed specials required by the Specialty Club under the sweepstakes rules.

SWEEPSTAKES

Florida Whites	Mini Lops	Satin
Champagnes	New Zealands	Mini Satins
Mini Rex	Havana	Tans
Himalayan	Polish	
Holland Lops	Flemish Giant	
English Spots	Checkered Giants	

ILLINOIS SWEEPSTAKES

Florida Whites	Mini Lops	Mini Satins
New Zealands	Satin	Mini Rex
Meat Pens	Single Fryers	

OFFICIAL ARBA SANCTIONED SHOW

Eric Stewart
PO Box 5667

Bloomington, IL 61702

DUES: Individual - \$20.00 per year,
\$50.00 for 3 years, 2 Adult Combination - \$30.00
per year, \$75.00 for 3 years

THE NATIONAL CONVENTION FOR 2017 WILL
BE HELD AT INDIANAPOLIS, IN ON OCT. 1-5.

ILLINOIS RABBIT BREEDERS ASSOCIATION SWEEPSTAKES SHOW

Norma Hart, Secretary
190 N. First Ave.
Coal City, IL 60416

DUES: Individuals - \$8.00, Club affiliated Adult -
\$7.00, Club affiliated Youth - \$5.00

THE ILLINOIS RABBIT BREEDERS STATE
CONVENTION FOR 2017 WILL BE HELD AT
BLOOMINGTON, ILLINOIS ON AUG. 26-27.



****AMERICAN FEDERATION OF NEW ZEALAND RABBIT BREEDERS**

Lori Basgill
5129 Chestnut Ridge Rd., Sneedville, TN 37869
Ph: 281-785-7605 E-mail: basgilsrabbity@yahoo.com
Membership: Adult \$15.00 (new) \$13.00 (renewal) H/W \$17.00 (new) \$15.00 (renewal) Youth \$13.00 (new) \$8.00 (renewal) Family \$28.00 (new) \$23.00 (renewal) Canadian \$16.00 (new) \$14.00 (renewal) - All other Foreign \$40.00
Sanction Fee: Open \$12.00 - Youth \$8.00

****NATIONAL FEDERATION OF FLEMISH GIANT RABBIT BREEDERS, INC.**

Wayne Bechdel
117 Hollow Road, Lockhaven, PA 17745
Ph: 570-769-6059 E-mail: wbechdel@wildblue.net
Membership: (1 yr) Adult/Youth \$15.00, H/W \$15.00
Sanction Fee: Open \$10.00 - Youth \$8.00

****CHAMPAGNE D'ARGENT RABBIT FEDERATION**

Lauren Rasher
766CR 1730, Grapeland, Tx 75844
Ph: 936-687-2579 E-mail: lauren@watershipfarm.com
Membership: (1 yr) Adult \$10.00 - H/W \$12.00 - Family or Rabbity \$15.00 - Youth \$8.00 - (3 yr) Adult \$27.00 - H/W \$33.00 - Family or Rabbity \$42.00 - Foreign add \$10.00 surcharge per yr. Sanction Fee: Open \$10.00 - Youth \$8.00

****FLORIDA WHITE RABBIT BREEDERS ASSOCIATION**

Jane Meyer
1795 N 1800 E Rd., Thawville, IL 60968
Ph: 217-387-2427 Email: floridawhitesec@gmail.com
Membership: (1 yr) Adult \$7.00 - H/W \$10.00 - Youth \$5.00 - (3 yr) Adult \$18.00 - H/W \$25.00 - Youth \$12.00.
Sanction Fee: Open \$10.00 - Youth \$5.00 - Combination \$10.00

****HAVANA RABBIT BREEDERS ASSOCIATION**

Tanya Zimmerman
N 9487 Walnut Rd., Clintonville, WI 54929
Email: havanasecretary@yahoo.com
Membership: (1 yr) Adult \$8.00 - H/W \$11.50 - Youth \$6.00 - Family \$11.50 + \$3.50 per Youth at same address - (3 yr) Adult \$20.00 - H/W \$29.50 - youth \$14.50 Sanction Fee: Open \$10.00 - Youth \$5.00. Open & Youth combined \$10.00

****NATIONAL MINI REX RABBIT CLUB**

Doug King
14584 W. Grimes Rd, Tracy, CA 95304
Ph: 559-974-7189 Email: nmrrcsecretary@gmail.com
Membership: Adult \$25.00, Youth \$25.00 - H/W \$30.00, Family \$45.00, Foreign: \$50.00,
Sanction Fee: Open \$15.00 - Youth \$15.00

****AMERICAN CHECKERED GIANT CLUB INC.**

David Freeman
1119 Klondyke Road, Milford, OH 45150
Ph: 513-576-0804 Email: davidfreemanacgrc@yahoo.com
Membership: (1 yr) New \$15.00, Renewal \$10.00, \$5.00 for each additional person at same address.
Sanction Fee: Open \$10.00

****AMERICAN POLISH RABBIT CLUB**

Drew Bliss
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Membership: Adult \$12.00, Youth \$10.00, H/W \$15.00
Sanction Fee: Open \$15.00 - Youth \$10.00

****AMERICAN MINI LOP RABBIT CLUB**

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Membership: Adult \$12.00, Youth - \$8.00, H/W - \$15.00
Sanction Fee: Open \$13.00, Youth - \$10.00

****AMERICAN SATIN RABBIT BREEDERS ASSOCIATION**

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2159 Bendway Dr., Port Charlotte, FL 33948
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Membership: (1yr) Adult \$10.00, H/W or Family \$12.00, Youth - \$8.00. Sanction Fee: Open \$7.00, Youth - \$7.00. Open & Youth combined \$10.00.

****AMERICAN TAN RABBIT SPECIALTY CLUB**

Paula Schutz
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Sanction Fee: Open \$10.00, Youth \$4.00
Membership: Adult - \$8.00, H/W - \$12.00, Youth - \$5.00, Family - \$15.00

****AMERICAN ENGLISH SPOT RABBIT CLUB**

Michael C. Wiley
5772 Owenton Rd., Stamping Ground, KY 40379-9614
Ph: 502-535-7051
Sanction Fee: Open \$12.00, Youth \$7.00
Membership (1yr): Adult - \$10.00, H/W - \$13.00, Youth - \$7.00

****HOLLAND LOP RABBIT SPECIALTY CLUB**

Pandora Allen
2633 Seven Eleven Rd., Chesapeake, VA 23322-3144
Ph: 757-421-9607
Sanction Fee: Open \$15.00, Youth \$10.00
Membership: Adult - \$15.00, H/W - \$19.00, Youth - \$12.00, Family - \$22.00

****ILLINOIS NEW ZEALAND RBSC**

Cheryl Sorensen
3350 S. Broadway, Braceville, IL 60407
Sanction Fee: \$3.00
Membership: Individual - \$3.00, H/W - \$5.00

****ILLINOIS FLORIDA WHITE SPECIALTY CLUB**

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1795 N 1800 E Rd., Thawville, IL 60968
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Sanction Fee: \$3.00
Membership: \$3.00 per household

****ILLINOIS MINI LOP CLUB**

Cathy Ping
P.O. Box 325, Flat Rock, IL 62427
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Membership: Adult - \$4.50, Youth - \$2.50, H/W - \$7.50, Family - \$10.00

****ILLINOIS MINI REX RABBIT CLUB**

Amanda Marquardt
7974 Bluff Road, Waterloo, IL 62298
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Membership: Adult - \$5.00, Youth - \$2.00, Family - \$10.00

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Sanction Fee: \$7.00
Membership Fees: Adult - \$8.00, Youth - \$3.00, H-W - \$12.00

Each Senior, 6-8 and Junior Class below will pay \$4.00 for 1st, \$3.50 for 2nd, \$3.00 for 3rd, \$2.50 for 4th and \$2.00 for 5th. Each BOB pays \$5.00, Each BOS pays \$2.50. All Breeds not listed will show in either All Other 6 Class or All Other 4 Class.

Section	Breed and Variety	Senior Buck	Senior Doe	6-8 Buck	6-8 Doe	Junior Buck	Junior Doe	BOB	BOS
1	Florida White	1501	1502			1503	1504	1505	1506
2	Flemish Giant, All Varieties	1507	1508	1509	1510	1511	1512	1513	1514
3	Champagne	1515	1516	1517	1518	1519	1520	1521	1522
4	Mini Lop, Solid	1523	1524			1525	1526		
5	Mini Lop, Broken	1527	1528			1529	1530	1531	1532
6	New Zealand, White	1533	1534	1535	1536	1537	1538		
7	New Zealand, Black	1539	1540	1541	1542	1543	1544		
8	New Zealand, Red	1545	1546	1547	1548	1549	1550		
9	New Zealand, AOV	1551	1552	1553	1554	1555	1556	1557	1558
10	Himalayan, Black	1559	1560			1561	1562		
11	Himalayan, Blue	1563	1564			1565	1566		
12	Himalayan, AOV	1567	1568			1569	1570	1571	1572
13	Mini Rex, Broken	1573	1574			1575	1576		
14	Mini Rex, Castor	1577	1578			1579	1580		
15	Mini Rex, Black	1581	1582			1583	1584		
16	Mini Rex, AOV	1585	1586			1587	1588	1589	1590
17	Polish	1591	1592			1593	1594	1595	1596
18	Checkered Giant, Black	1597	1598	1599	1600	1601	1602		
19	Checkered Giant, Blue	1603	1604	1605	1606	1607	1608	1609	1610
20	Havana, Black & Blue	1611	1612			1613	1614		
21	Havana, Broken	1615	1616			1617	1618		
22	Havana, Chocolate & Lilac	1619	1620			1621	1622	1623	1624
23	Holland Lop, Solid	1625	1626			1627	1628		
24	Holland Lop, Broken	1629	1630			1631	1632	1633	1634
25	Tan, All Varieties	1635	1636			1637	1638	1639	1640
26	English Spot, Black & Blue	1641	1642			1643	1644		
27	English Spot, AOV	1645	1646			1647	1648	1649	1650
28	Mini Satin, Chin	1651	1652			1653	1654		
29	Mini Satin, AOV	1655	1656			1657	1658	1659	1660
30	Satin, All Varieties	1661	1662	1663	1664	1665	1666	1667	1668
31	All Other 6 Class Breeds	1669	1670	1671	1672	1673	1674	1675	1676
32	All Other 4 Class Breeds	1677	1678			1679	1680	1681	1682

Section								
33	Meat Pen	1683	7.00	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	
34	Single Fryer	1684	7.00	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	
35	Best in Show	1685	25.00					



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FORD COUNTY FAIR OPEN POULTRY SHOW

SATURDAY, July 1, 2017

**Fairgrounds
Melvin, Illinois**

DEPARTMENT I-1 - Poultry

Total Premiums \$445.50

Show starts at 11:00 a.m.

Superintendent — Kathy Swidergal

Asst. Superintendent — Anja Strebeck

Show Secretary — Jane Meyer

1795 N 1800 E Rd., Thawville, IL 60968

READ GENERAL RULES

Social Security Number must be presented at the time of entry.

1. The general rules of the Ford County Fair shall apply to this department.
2. All entries (except waterfowl. i.e. domestic fowl that swim, such as ducks and geese) in a show or exhibition shall have originated in US Pullorum – Typhoid clean or equivalent hatchery or flock or have a negative pullorum – typhoid test within 90 days prior to exhibition. Exhibitor shall show proper information before admission to show.

3. American Standard Book of Perfection will be the judging guideline.
4. All entries for the show should be made at the fairgrounds on Saturday July 1st, 2017 by 10:45 am. Each exhibitor must fill out their own entry form which indicates your acceptance of the show rules.
5. Entry fees: \$1.50 per entry. Fee must be paid at time of making entry.
6. There will be an exhibitor fee of \$10.00
7. All poultry must have numbered leg band.
8. Minimum age of all poultry is 8 weeks except fryer, maximum age of 2 years. And the judges reserve the right to eliminate immature birds.
9. Each exhibitor may show as many breeds as they want but are limited to a maximum of only 2 entries per class number.
10. All meat Production birds must be hatched after January 1st. These birds may not be shown in any other class.
11. Prior to being used to transport poultry to a show, all crates, boxes, containers and vehicles shall be thoroughly cleaned and disinfected.
12. This association will not be responsible for loss from fire, theft, accidents or destruction. Every precaution will be taken to prevent the same.
13. All birds must be owned and in exhibitors care by June 1st except for meat production.

For more information

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fordcofair@hotmail.com

or visit our website @:

www.fordcountyfair.org

DEPARTMENT I-1 - Poultry

Classifications:

All poultry shall be shown as single
 Pullets under 1 year of age
 Hen over 1 year of age
 Cockerel under 1 year of age

Cock over 1 year of age
 Other fowl both sexes represented
 Trio of Quail, one male and two female
 Egg production – 1 dozen

Exhibitor is responsible for cleanup and keeping your birds fed and watered.
 Each class will pay \$4.00 for first, \$3.50 for second, \$3.00 for third.

SECTION	Group	Cock	Hen	Cockerel	Pullet
1	American	1391	1392	1393	1394
2	Mediterranean	1395	1396	1397	1398
3	Asiatic	1399	1400	1401	1402
4	English	1403	1404	1405	1406
5	Any Other Purebred	1407	1408	1409	1410
6	Clean Legged Bantam	1411	1412	1413	1414
7	Feather Legged Bantam	1415	1416	1417	1418
8	Old English & Game Bantam	1419	1420	1421	1422

SECTION			
9	Crossbred Egg Production 1423 Egg Production		
10	Meat Production 1424 Roaster, single over 4 pounds 1425 Fryer, single 4 under pounds		
11	Other Fowl 1426 Pair Pekin Ducks 1427 Pair any other Ducks 1428 Pair of Geese 1429 Pair of Turkeys 1430 Pair of Pigeons 1431 Trio of Quail		
12	1432 Best In Show	\$15.00	

