

# 2024 FFA Exhibitors Handbook

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### REGISTRATION

Pre-Registration for all entries is mandatory. Visit <u>www.bigfairfun.com</u> to enter.

### **REGISTRATION AGREEMENT**

- When registering to participate at the Washington County Fair on the Fair's online exhibitor
  registration system the exhibitor agrees that they have read and understand, and in consideration for
  being permitted to participate at this event, agree and consent to abide by the all policies, procedures,
  requirements, and rules listed in this document and/ or on the Fair's website and agree that the
  exhibitor is participating at their own risk and the Washington County Fair shall not be liable for any
  damages whatsoever. By entering Exhibitors agree to hold harmless Washington County, the
  Washington County Fair, its officers, employees, agents and volunteers both privately and in their
  official capacity from any and all damages.
- Exhibitor also agrees that by registering the exhibitor understands that violation of any WCF policies, procedures, requirements, and rules listed in this document and/ or on the Fair's website may cause disciplinary action that may result, but not limited to, in expulsion, forfeiture of premiums, awards and auction proceeds as well as future participation at the WCF.

Date	Time		
May 1	9:00 a.m.	FFA Registration Opens	
June 1	5:00 p.m.	FFA Registration Closes	
Thursday July 18	10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.	FFA Static Entry Drop-Off	
Friday July 19	10:00 a.m.	FFA Static Entry Judging	
Wednesday July 24	7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.	FFA Livestock Move-In	
Sunday July 28	1:00 p.m.	Livestock Premium Pick-up from Advisors	
Sunday July 28	7:00 p.m.	FFA Livestock Move-out – see Livestock Schedule for details	
Monday July 29	10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.	FFA Static Entry Pick-up	

### **EXHIBITOR CALENDAR**

## **ADMISSION AND PARKING INFORMATION**

- Admission to the Washington County Fair is free. Registered Livestock Exhibitors must have Fair issued wristbands which allows entry access into the livestock exhibitor areas. Wristbands will be available from your advisor or superintendent during move-in. Each registered livestock exhibitor will get 1 wristband. Anyone in the livestock exhibitor area without a wristband will be escorted out of the area.
- Livestock exhibitors may have up to two helpers or immediate members of your household in the livestock area, with a wristband, for the purpose of assisting with livestock. Request for helpers and/or family and their purpose must be made directly to the advisor or superintendent prior to move-in.
- Livestock Exhibitor Parking Lot This lot is reserved for livestock trailers and tow vehicles at no cost to the exhibitor. One (1) season parking pass will be provided. Parking spots are first come, first serve.. Local exhibitors may be requested to take their trailers and non-needed vehicles home after unloading at the Fairgrounds on move-in day.

## LIVESTOCK EXHIBITOR CAMPING INFORMATION

- A campground is available for use by registered Washington County Fair Livestock Exhibitors only.
- Cost is \$30 to \$50, depending on site size, per night plus transient lodging tax
- Dry camping, no utilities
- Showers, Portable Restrooms and Handwashing Sinks will be provided in the campground
- Advanced registration, advance credit card payment, and acceptance of the rules of the campground are required.
- Registration and rules can be found on the Fair website under the Livestock Exhibitors section.
- Anyone found violating the campground rules may be expelled from the campground.

## **VETERINARY HEALTH INSPECTION INFORMATION AND RULES**

- Please refer to the Animal Health Requirements on page 7 for detailed Veterinary Health Inspections information and requirements provided by the Oregon Department of Agriculture.
- Per the Oregon Department of Agriculture, all animals are required to have a Veterinary Health Inspection prior to entering the Fairgrounds and unloading animals.
- Any exhibitor who enters the Fairgrounds without having their animals go through the Veterinary Health Inspection will be immediately expelled from the Fairgrounds, will not be allowed to participate at the Fair, and forfeits any entry fee paid.
- Visit the Livestock Exhibitor section of the Fair website <u>www.bigfairfun.com</u> to view the map showing the inspection location, exhibitor arrival location and how to enter the Fairgrounds after the inspection.

## **FFA GENERAL RULES**

- 1. All FFA activities at the Washington County Fair are considered a school sanctioned function. All school rules will be followed during the Washington County Fair. FFA members will conduct themselves in the same manner as they would at school.
- 2. Open to currently enrolled FFA members in Washington County. Must be a member per national and chapter bylaws.
- 3. All exhibits must be a part of the project of the FFA member exhibition.
- 4. All entries must be pre-registered according to the dates and times on the exhibitor calendar.
- 5. Exhibitors may enter one like exhibit in any one class.
- 6. Conduct of exhibitors shall be above reproach. Those guilty of misconduct may be expelled from the Fairgrounds, forfeit all prize money, may be prohibited from exhibiting in future Fairs.
- 7. All FFA member staying overnight at the fair are subject to the campground rules.
- 8. Classes will be set up or grouped by divisions per the Fair.
- 9. Champion Ribbons to be awarded at the discretion of the judge.
- 10. All Agricultural Mechanics exhibits must have been constructed by the exhibitors during the current year. These items must be agricultural in nature. If the exhibit is large, please contact the Fair Office prior to the entry deadline to determine if space is available.
- 11. Any exhibitor found guilty of <u>any</u> illegal activity, including vandalism, while on the Fairgrounds, will be expelled from the grounds with their animal, forfeit any eligible premium(s) and entry fee(s) paid and shall not be eligible for participation at future fairs.

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- 12. To be eligible for competition exhibits must be entered during scheduled entry times.
- 13. No entry or registration changes are permitted after judge sheets have been prepared, except at the judge's request. Fair Management is not responsible for finding errors in entries.
- 14. No animal or article will be assigned a place on the grounds until the online entry has been made.
- 15. No premiums will be paid on articles or animals removed before release without prior approval of Fair Management.
- 16. No premiums will be awarded on articles not listed in this document.
- 17. Exhibitors violating any rules or procedures listed in this document shall forfeit premiums and shall not be available for refund of fees paid, if any.
- 18. All offers of premiums, prizes, and awards must be picked up in person by the winner only. Identification and signature are required. No premiums, prizes or awards will be mailed.
- 19. Judge's report only will be used as evidence for payment of premiums.
- 20. No entry will be accepted when exhibitor prescribes conditions under which she/he will exhibit.
- 21. All dissemination of products, literature, signature collections, solicitation of funds, canvassing, and sales is strictly prohibited.
- 22. No person who attends the Washington County Fair, including exhibitors shall consume, or have in his or her possession any controlled substances or alcohol unless the alcohol is legally obtained from a duly authorized concessionaire at the fairgrounds. "Alcohol" shall include any substance described in ORS 471.005. Controlled substances shall include any substance described in ORS 475.005. No alcohol or controlled substance shall be allowed outside the fairgrounds in the camping or parking areas.
- 23. Dogs, except for animals allowed under the Americans with Disabilities Act and dogs in scheduled entertainment or shows such as 4-H classes, are prohibited on the Fairgrounds including the campground and parking lots. Do not leave your dog in your vehicle. Animal control will be notified.
- 24. At the discretion of the Washington County Fair, judging results limited to the exhibitor's name, hometown, and premiums(s) awarded, may be listed on the Washington County Fair's website and Social Media accounts.
- 25. If premiums total to more than \$600.00, exhibitor must provide to the Fair management the winners full social security number and address for filing a 1099 with the I.R.S.
- 26. Rules for Exhibitors who enter in both FFA and 4-H.
  - i) A member's project enterprise may not be the same for both 4-H and FFA.
  - ii) In order for the projects to be split, they must be split with Market and Breeding animals in separate organizations, or if a breeding project, different breeds in separate organizations. Any violation of the exception will result in forfeiture of awards, premiums and removal from the Fair.
  - iii) When a member has started an enterprise in one organization, he/she may not switch that enterprise to the other organization during the school or 4-H club year.

### FFA LIVESTOCK RULES

- 1. Exhibitors are requested to carefully study information in this document, especially rules and procedures, as they will be <u>rigidly</u> enforced.
- 2. Animals are to be shown by the owner/member.
- 3. Showmanship classes will be split by breed only if 4 or more exhibitors are entered in the breed.

- 4. Entries in sheep, beef, dairy, swine and goats may be registered, purebred, or high grades, but the judges' placing will be based on the characteristics of the breed under which the animals are exhibited. No commercial male animals can be exhibited in breeding classes.
- 5. Commercial Divisions no male breeding animals will be allowed.
- 6. Exhibitors must show their own animal in showmanship contest with the exception of a chapter individual who has been assigned to care for an animal prior to county Fair.
- 7. Exhibitor must show Showmanship for each species that they enter, or the member's premiums will be forfeited.
- 8. No use of talcum powders, oil, or other artificial coating material will be allowed when fitting or showing animals in all swine classes. Animals with talcum powders, oil, or other artificial coating material shall be disqualified. All market lambs shall be slick shorn.
- 9. Grand Champion Showman of a species must show the animal in which they won showmanship.
- 10. All Stall/pens will be stripped by Youth Exhibitors at the close of the Fair.
- 11. Extra handlers are permitted but must be in official dress during all fair competitions and events.
- 12. Dress code:
  - 1) Shoes must be worn at all times and be flat, closed-toed shoes.
  - 2) Adequate coverage of the body is required. Halter tops, muscle shirts, exposed midriff, spaghetti straps, or otherwise revealing tops, exposed underwear and short skirts are not permitted.
  - 3) Short are allowed as fair attire, provided that they are loose fitting and mid-thigh length. Cutoffs and bathing suits are not allowed.
  - 4) Tank tops that have wide straps and fit snug under the arms are acceptable.
- 13. Members may show until they turn 20 years of age, however, they cannot market past the summer of the high school graduation year.
- 14. During Livestock Judging, exhibitors may not talk to a judge except when answering a question by the judge.
- 15. To protest a judge's decision, the exhibitor shall submit a written statement to Fair Management within 12 hours after judging. After 12 hours, a protest will not be considered. Fair management and/or Fair Board will review within 5 business days and issue a ruling, which shall be final.
- 16. Judges shall not award any discretionary premiums or awards.
- 17. At the discretion of the judge, placing and premiums may not be awarded to animals of inferior merit even though there may be no competition.
- 18. Exhibitors are required to comply with all conditions outlined in this book. Exhibitors who do not comply may be expelled from the fairgrounds and may not be allowed to participate in any Fair activities and forfeit any premiums due.
- 19. Bedding must be provided by the Exhibitor at their own expense. The Fair will dispose of all bedding after the Fair ends. Straw is not permitted.
- 20. Eating is not permitted in livestock areas including the barns, show rings, and wash racks. Exhibitors may have non-glass, non-alcoholic bottled beverages with a screw top in the livestock areas.
- 21. Local exhibitors with trailers may be requested to take their trailers and non-necessary vehicles home or to an off-site location for the duration of the Fair due to lack of parking space.
- 22. Display and tack spaces will be assigned only if space allows after all livestock entries have been assigned. Tack and Display spaces are not guaranteed.
- 23. All animals are required to be on exhibit in the barns or show ring each day of the Fair during hours open to the public or specified barn hours. Superintendent has the discretion, with Fair Management approval, to release livestock prior to designated time due to illness of an animal as diagnosed by the Fair Vet.

- 24. Livestock will be judged only when shown in designated area and shown by the exhibitor.
- 25. All livestock must have registration papers from respective breed association. Papers pending accepted only in Jr. Bulls and Jr. Heifers.
- 26. All animals shown in-group classes must have been shown as individuals. No animal may compete in more than one class except as one of a herd, group, or championship.
- 27. Entries must be made for all herd and groups although individual animals comprising each group need not be named under group classification at the time of entry.
- 28. All animals shall be the property of the exhibitor 30 days prior to the show.
- 29. All bulls born before January 1 of the current year must have nose leads with nose clips or nose rings when moved on the grounds or shown. **NO EXCEPTIONS.**
- 30. All animals and their tack must be loaded and un-loaded at the back side of the barn or other area designated by Fair Management.
- 31. Aisle ways, tack areas, and exhibit areas must be kept clean and free of debris during fair hours.
- 32. MANURE DISPOSAL Manure and waste handling instructions are available from department superintendents.
- 33. As per the Hillsboro Fire Department, the following conditions shall be met in the barn areas:
  - No Sleeping in the barns.
  - No heat producing appliances shall be allowed (Coffee Pots, Hot Plates, etc.)
  - No Smoking Signs must be installed.
  - Extinguishers shall be installed so that there is not more than 75 feet of travel distance to an extinguisher.
  - All electrical panels must be locked at all times.
  - Stall decorations shall be treated to be fire retardant. Documentation is required.
  - Animal feed and bedding shall not be stored inside of the barns.
  - Bedding must be kept damp throughout the day. This applies to non-milking animals only.

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### **ANIMAL HEALTH REQUIREMENTS** (Provided by the Oregon Department of Agriculture)

### **General Rules and Requirements**

- Applies to all Livestock Programs at the Washington County Fair including Open Class, 4-H & FFA.
- No person shall bring or have present an animal on the fairgrounds during the fair which is not qualified under Oregon State animal health regulations.
- No person shall present a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection that has been altered by anyone other than the issuing veterinarian or an authorized agent.
- All animals presented that originate from a location other than within the State of Oregon shall meet all Oregon State importation regulations appropriate to the species in addition to the fair animal health requirements.
- The professional decision of the designated fair veterinarian will be upheld as final in all matters relating to animal health.

### Veterinary Health Inspections

- All animals presented for exhibition or otherwise during the Fair or Pre-Fair activities, shall be required to pass a health check by the designated Fair veterinarian(s) at a location determined by Fair Management prior to entry onto the fairgrounds.
- When presented for inspection, all blankets/hoods must be removed from animals to allow for adequate inspection. For safety reasons, cattle and horses may be required to be haltered and removed from trailers for inspection.
- Animals demonstrating clinical signs or other evidence of infectious, contagious, or communicable diseases shall not be allowed on the fairgrounds.
- The designated Fair veterinarian may deny admission to or require removal from the Fair premises or require the segregation of any animal showing signs of or exposed to any infectious, contagious, or communicable disease. The designated Fair veterinarian acting under the authority of Fair Management may reject unworthy or unsightly exhibits for reasons other than infectious, contagious or communicable disease.

Examples of diseases or conditions which will cause animals to be denied entry or removed from the fairgrounds include (but are not limited to):

- Club lamb fungus/Ringworm
- Soremouth/Orf
- Oral ulcerations
- Pinkeye
- Hairy heel warts/Foot rot
- Lice
- Skin warts
- Erysipelas/Diamond skin disease

- Caseous Lymphadenitis (CL) abscesses
- Pneumonia
- Large lacerations or other such wounds
- Any other systemic or transmissible disease
- Any other disease of zoonotic potential
- Enlarged lymph nodes
- In certain limited situations, at the discretion of the designated Fair veterinarian, treatment may be provided for conditions which are not deemed to pose a threat of transmission to other animals, such as rectal/vaginal prolapse, in lieu of exclusion from the Fair. Costs for such treatment are the responsibility of the exhibitor.

### Certificates of Veterinary Inspection (CVI)

- All animals originating from outside of the State of Oregon shall be accompanied by a valid CVI and must satisfy import health and test requirements for that species.
- The CVI must be issued by a veterinarian accredited by the USDA to perform regulatory work on the species of animal examined.
- All animals must be uniquely identified. All manmade ID must be recorded. Refer to Animal Identification section below for more information.
- The interstate CVI is valid for 30 days from the date of issuance. A change in the health status or eligibility of an animal necessitates the generation of a new CVI.
- CVI's issues within 10-days of move-in will allow the exhibitor to not have animals inspected. Anything outside of a 10-day window will require the animals to be inspected by the Vet.

### Animal Identification

- Animals requiring a CVI must be uniquely identified. Acceptable forms of unique identification include official ear tag, legible registration tattoo or electronic identification (microchip/EID). A sketch or photograph signed and dated by an accredited veterinarian is acceptable identification for llamas, alpacas, and horses.
- If implantable electronic ID is utilized as the sole form of identification, the exhibitor is responsible for supplying a working electronic reader. If electronic ID cannot be read entry will be denied.
- Llama, alpaca, and horse drawings must positively identify the individual animals.

### • USDA approved scrapie identification is required for all sheep and goats.

### Kidding and Lambing

• Due to the concern about the spread of scrapie, any sheep or goats that are exhibited at the Fair that have recently given birth or have a vaginal discharge, will be denied entry, or ordered removed along with their offspring.

### Commingling of Sheep and Cattle

• Due to the potential spread of malignant catarrhal fever from sheep to cattle, it is recommended that cattle be kept separate from sheep.

### Commingling of Swine and Poultry

• Due to the potential spread of influenza viruses, it is recommended that swine and poultry be housed in separate locations.

### **Isolation on Returning Home**

• The owner or custodian is encouraged to keep show animals biologically separate from the herd or flock for a period of at least two weeks after returning to the premises of origin.

### Individual Species Requirements

**Sheep**: All sheep must be individually identified with USDA approved individual scrapie program identification. Identification must be one of the following: 1) USDA approved ear tags or 2) a USDA approved flock tattoo and individual animal ID number or 3) electronic ID (owner must supply working electronic reader). If evidence of soremouth is found on any sheep, the entire exhibit including the affected animals shall immediately be removed from the fair premises with holding pens cleaned and disinfected immediately after removal.

**Goats:** All goats must be individually identified with USDA approved individual scrapie program identification. Identification must be one of the following: 1) USDA approved ear tags or 2) a legible registration tattoo or 3) a USDA approved flock tattoo and individual animal ID number or 4) electronic ID (owner must supply working electronic reader). If evidence of soremouth is found on any goat, the entire exhibit including the affected animals shall immediately be removed from the fair premises with holding pens cleaned and disinfected immediately after removal.

## LIVESTOCK EXHIBITOR CODE OF ETHICS REQUIREMENTS

- Exhibitors at the Washington County Fair (WCF) shall at all times act with integrity and good sportsmanship. Their conduct in this competitive environment shall always reflect the highest standards of honor and dignity to promote the advancement of animal and agricultural education. This code applies to 4-H and FFA exhibitors, their parents, family members, and leaders/advisors, and all Open Class exhibitors who compete or display at the WCF. This Code of Ethics is an addition to Washington County Fair rules and regulations, which still apply.
- 2. All youth leaders/advisors, parents, family members, superintendents, program volunteers, and show officials working with 4-H and FFA exhibitors are under an affirmative responsibility to do more than avoid improper conduct or questionable acts. They are expected to maintain high ethical values and engage with a positive cooperative manner so that those younger and more pliable will be influenced by exemplary leaders.
- 3. Owners, exhibitors, parents, family members, fitters, trainers, superintendents, volunteers, show officials, and livestock persons involved in the Washington County Fair who violate this code of ethics and/or demean the integrity of the livestock competition may be subject to disciplinary action. Disciplinary action(s) may cause expulsion from participating in current and/or future WCF shows, loss of class placing, forfeiture of premiums, awards, and auction proceeds.
- 4. Any individuals in violation of the Code of Ethics may be required to appear for a disciplinary action hearing to be held within 24 hours of the violation(s). The disciplinary hearing panel will consist of the program department superintendent, the Fair Manager, and no more than 3 Fair Board members. If applicable, a member of the auction committee and/or 4- H agent/FFA advisor may be included in the panel. The violating individual(s) may appeal the results of the hearing in writing within 24 hours of the final review by the full Fair Board at their next board meeting. The results of disciplinary actions may or may not be kept confidential.

### The following is a list of guidelines for all WCF competitive livestock events:

- a) The act of entering an animal is the giving of consent by the owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, superintendent, volunteer, show official, or responsible person to have disciplinary action taken by the WCF for violation of this Code of Ethics and any other policies, procedures, or rules of the WCF show without recourse against the WCF.
- b) The act of entering an animal at the WCF is the giving of verification by the owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, superintendent, volunteer, show official, or responsible person, that he or she has read the WCF Code of Ethics and understands the consequences of and penalties provided for actions prohibited be the code.
- c) All exhibitors must present, upon request of WCF officials, proof of ownership, length of ownership, and age of all animals entered. Misrepresentation of ownership, age or any related facts is prohibited.
- d) Owners, exhibitors, fitters, trainers, or responsible persons shall provide animal health certificates from licensed veterinarians upon request of WCF officials.
- e) 4-H and FFA animals are expected to be cared for, groomed, and fitted by their exhibitors while at the WCF.
- f) For animals entering the food chain, (market animals): Animals will be free of prohibited drugs and subsequent residues. Animals shall be presented at show events as if they were to immediately enter the food chain. Any drug that alters and/or affects the animal's performance or appearance is strictly prohibited.
- g) Livestock shall not be exhibited even if these types of drugs were administered in accordance with federal, state, and local statutes, regulation, and rules.
- h) The act of entering an animal in livestock show is the giving of consent by the owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer and/or responsible person for show management to obtain any specimens of urine, saliva, blood, or other substances from the to be used in testing.
- i) If the laboratory report on the analysis of salvia, urine, blood, or other sample taken from livestock indicates

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the presence of forbidden drugs or medication, this shall be evidence such substance has been administered to the animal either internally or externally.

- j) Integrity of fluid collection samples and assumption of laboratory accuracy: It is presumed that the sample of urine, saliva, blood, or other substance tested by the laboratory, to which it is sent, is the one taken from the animal in question, its integrity is preserved and all procedures of said collection and preservation, transfer to the laboratory and analysis of the sample are from the animal in question and correctly reflects the condition of the animal at the time the sample was taken, with the burden of the owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or absolutely responsible person to prove otherwise.
- k) Any time after an animal arrives on the WCF premises, all treatments involving the use of drugs and/or medications for the sole purpose of protecting the health of the animal shall be administered by a licensed veterinarian, the direct owner of the animal, or a qualified individual under the supervision or with consent of the owner.
- Animals entered in an event which does not culminate with the animal entering the food chain (breeding only) shall not be administered drugs other than in accordance with applicable federal, state, and local statutes, regulations, and rules.
- m) Any surgical procedure or injection of any foreign substance or drug, or the external application of any substance, which could affect the animal's performance or alter its natural contour, conformation, or appearance, is strictly prohibited. This includes, but is not limited to irritants, counterirritants, or similar substances; this excludes; external applications of substances to the hoofs, horns, or coat (in accordance with show rules), and the administration of substances during surgical procedures performed by a duly licensed veterinarian for the sole purpose of protecting the health of the animal.
- n) The use of handling devices that strike animals and cause swelling are not acceptable and are prohibited.
- o) Direct criticism or interference with the judge, WCF management, other exhibitors, breed representatives, or show officials, before, during, or after the competitive event is prohibited. In the furtherance of their official duty, all judges, WCF management, or other show officials, shall be treated with courtesy, cooperation, and respect. No person shall direct abusive or threatening conduct toward another.
- p) No owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or responsible person shall conspire with another person or persons to intentionally violate this code of ethics or knowingly contribute or cooperate with another person or persons either by affirmative action or inaction to violate this code of ethics.

## POLICY AND PROCEDURES FOR MANAGING LIVESTOCK CONTACT

The Washington County Board of Commissioners has entrusted the Fair Board to give priority for the personal safety and security of members of the public who attend the Fair, as well as those who work and participate at the Fair. The Fair Board takes this matter seriously and has established the following policy and procedures for Fair Staff and Livestock Exhibitors in an effort to reduce transmission of diseases from animals to humans at the Washington County Fair.

### 1. Expectations and Procedures to Reduce Contamination

- Livestock Exhibitors shall participate in Livestock to Human Disease Prevention training prior to exhibiting Livestock at the Fair. This training shall be conducted, at least once per year, by Fair Management or designee. If a livestock exhibitor fails to participate in the training, the exhibitor may lose eligibility to participate at the Fair.
- To reduce the potential risks between animals and the public, County Fair staff, shall set up the livestock barns, pens and show rings in a manner that prevents animals and the public from crossing paths yet still gives the public the opportunity to see and interact with the animals and the exhibitors. Fair Management shall consider input from Livestock Superintendents on layouts and make the best

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decision based upon this input, and other factor such as the number of animal entries, to minimize animals/exhibitors and the public from using the same pathways. If needed, a crossing area where animals are allowed to cross the public pathway shall be designated and managed by Fair Staff who shall ensure that during livestock crossing the public will not be allowed into the area and the area will be completely sanitized (Chemical SDS will be posted), and logged, prior to opening the area back up to the public.

- County Fair staff shall provide the following signage, in languages including but not limited to English and Spanish: (1) signs explaining the risks of animal-to-human disease at the entrances to the Fair and the Livestock barn areas; and (2) signs in the barns and showrings reminding the public to not eat or drink in the livestock areas, to not touch their face or mouth after petting the animals or touching the pens, to wash their hands when leaving the livestock area, and to store all personal belongings prior to entering the livestock area.
- County Fair staff shall provide an adequate number of handwashing stations throughout the livestock area. These handwashing stations shall be ADA-compliant and accessible by small children. Handwashing stations shall be inspected and serviced hourly by Fair staff to ensure that they are operational and stocked with supplies. When possible, handwashing stations should be staffed with volunteers to encourage the public to wash their hands. Handwashing stations shall be located at the entrance/exits to the livestock areas. To encourage handwashing prior to leaving the livestock area, the handwashing stations shall be located as close as possible to the walkways where the public will be exiting the livestock area.
- If available, trained public health volunteers shall be stationed at the entrances to the livestock areas to educate the public on staying healthy around animals. If available these volunteers shall provide plastic bags to store food, beverages, pacifiers, toys, cups and other items during visits to the animal areas.
- Exhibitors shall keep their areas in the barn clean, remove manure from their pens and animal pathways as soon as possible, wipe down panels that are accessible by the public with disinfectant several times during each day, keep animal pathways misted to prevent dust, keep all fans that are used to keep the animals cool at least 3 feet off the ground and position the fans airflow to prevent the creation of dust or movement of the bedding. Fair staff and exhibitors shall work together to keep public spaces in the barns, showrings, and other livestock areas clean.
- Exhibitors shall clean or change their shoes and wash their hands before leaving the barn/showring areas to prevent contaminating public areas. Chemical SDS shall be posted for cleaning supplies.
- When the public touch the animals, the animal pens, and/or animal bedding, the exhibitors shall remind the public to wash their hands with soap and water and to not touch their face or mouth until they have completely washed their hands. This is the perfect time to provide public education regarding the importance of animal-to-human safety.
- Consumption of food and beverages are strictly prohibited inside the barns and show rings for the public and exhibitors. Due to the heat and the amount of time exhibitors spend in the barns, exhibitors may drink beverages as needed from containers with a twist off cap while in the barns and show rings.
- The milking parlor, animal washing areas, and the backsides of the barns shall be completely blocked from public access and public pathways.

### 2. Communication to Exhibitors

- The Fair Manager shall work with the Oregon State University 4-H Extension Agent and Future Farmers of America Advisors to arrange for information to be provided to youth livestock exhibitors and their parents regarding these policies and procedures, trainings, and other pertinent livestock exhibitor information regarding the County Fair at least 30-days prior to the first day of the Fair.
- For Open Class livestock exhibitors, information regarding these policies and other pertinent livestock exhibitor information shall be posted on the Fair website at least 30-days prior to the first day of the Fair

## **BEEF CATTLE – DEPARTMENT 1**

Superintendent: Sherwood FFA Advisor, Allison Meadows

#### **Department Rules & Information**

- Steer calves may be exhibited in cow/calf classes, must be current year's calf born January 1 to June 1 and may be crossbred.
- Calves born after June 1, of current year, will not be allowed to show.
- All night tie-outs are first come, first serve, and must be kept clean by the user at all times.
- For Market division, please check with your advisor for auction rules.
- Showmanship is a required class

#### Premium Information

- Cash Awards: First \$12.00, Second \$10.00, Third \$8.00, Fourth \$7.00, Fifth \$6.00. Sixth \$5.00
- Seventh & up Ribbon only

#### **Breeding Divisions:**

A – An	igus	B – Charolais	C – Herford	D – Simmental	E – Commercial Beef	F – All Other Breeds
Class	Descriptior	ı				
1	Jr. Bull Calves	born January 1 <sup>st</sup> to Ju	ine 30 <sup>th</sup> of current yea	r.		
2	Yearling bull,	born January 1 <sup>st</sup> to Ju	ne 30 <sup>th</sup> of previous yea	ar.		
3	Jr Heifer Calve	es born January 1 <sup>st</sup> to	June 30th of current y	/ear		
4	Jr. Heifer calf,	, born September 1 <sup>st</sup> t	o December 31 <sup>st</sup> of pro	evious year.		
5	Sr. Heifer calf	, born January 1 <sup>st</sup> to A	pril 30 <sup>th</sup> of previous y	ear.		
6	Summer year	Summer yearling heifer born May 1 <sup>st</sup> to August 31 <sup>st</sup> of previous year.				
7	Jr. Yearling Heifer born January 1 <sup>st</sup> to April 30 <sup>th</sup> of previous year.					
8	Sr. Yearling Heifer must have been 1 year old by September 1 <sup>st</sup> to December 31 <sup>st</sup> of previous year.					
9	Jr. Cow 1-2 years of age must have been one year old by March 1 <sup>st</sup> to August 31 <sup>st</sup> of previous year.					
10	Young cow 3-5 years of age must have calved at least twice.					
11	Aged cow 5 years and over.					
12	Group Class: Dam and produce. Cow and one offspring owned by the same exhibitor. Both cow and its calf must have been exhibited in above classes.					
13	Group Class: I exhibited in a		animals by one dam o	wned by the same ex	khibitor. Both offspring	g must have been
14	Group Class: I classes.	Breeders Herd. Three	animals owned by one	e member. All three a	animals must have bee	n exhibited in above

#### **Division G - Market**

Class	Description
1	Feeder Steers: Light feeder – 350-600 lbs.
2	Feeder Steers: Heavy feeder – 600-999 lbs.
3.	Market Steers: 1000 – 1500 lbs.

#### **Division H - Showmanship**

Class	Description
1	Novice A – First year in project
2	Novice B – One year completed in project
3	Advanced

## **DAIRY CATTLE – DEPARTMENT 2**

Superintendent: Jami Duyck & Kori Shackelford, Forest Grove FFA Advisors

#### **Milking Parlor Rules & Information**

- The milking parlor is available in the Dairy barn for exhibitors with lactating cows. All milking will be subject to rules and regulations as established by the State Department of Agriculture and the Washington County Fair.
- The milking parlor superintendent shall be in charge of developing a milking schedule.
- All milk from cows milking in the parlor must remain in the milk tank. Milk cannot be removed from tank.
- Exhibitors missing their assigned milking will postpone use of parlor until other exhibitors have completed their milking.
- Cows entering the parlor stalls shall be clean and the milking parlor shall be kept clean at all times.
- At no time is the facility to be used as a wash rack.
- The exhibitor, at completion of milking, is responsible to clean up area used.
- No hay allowed in parlor.
- Showmanship is a required class

#### Premium Information

- Cash Awards: First \$12.00, Second \$10.00, Third \$8.00, Fourth \$7.00, Fifth \$6.00. Sixth \$5.00
- Seventh & up Ribbon only

#### **Breeding Divisions:**

A – Bro	wn Swiss B – Guernsey C – Milking Shorthorn			
D – Jers	Jersey E – Holstein F – Other Breeds			
Class	Description			
1	Jr. Heifer calf, born March 1 <sup>st</sup> to Ma	ay 30 <sup>th</sup> of current year		
2	Intermediate Heifer calf, born Dece	ember 1 <sup>st</sup> of previous year to Fel	oruary 28 <sup>th</sup> of current year.	
3	Sr. Heifer calf, born September 1 <sup>st</sup> t	to November 30 <sup>th</sup> of previous ye	ear	
4	Summer yearling heifer, born June	1 <sup>st</sup> to August 31 <sup>st</sup> of previous ye	ar	
5	Jr. Yearling heifer, born March 1 <sup>st</sup> to May 31 <sup>st</sup> of previous year.			
6	Sr. Yearling heifer, must have been one year old by September 1 <sup>st</sup> of previous year to February 28 <sup>th</sup> of current year and has not calved.			
7	Jr. 2 year old cow and Sr. Yearling in milk. Must have been one year old by March 1 <sup>st</sup> to August 31 <sup>st</sup> of previous year.			
8	2 year old cow, must be 2 years old as of February 28 <sup>th</sup> of current year.			
9	3 year old cow, must be 3 years old as of September 1st of current year.			
10	4 year old cow, must be 4 years old as of September 1 <sup>st</sup> of current year.			
11	5 years and older cow, must be 5 as of September 1 <sup>st</sup> of current year.			
12	Group Class: Dam and daughter, cow and heifer owned by the same exhibitor and exhibited in the above classes.			
13	Group Class: Produce of Dam, 2 hei above classes.	ifers or cows out of the same da	m. Owned by the same exhibitor and exhibited in the	
14	Group Class: Young breeders herd.	three females, owned by the sa	me exhibitor and exhibited in the above classes.	

#### **Division G – Showmanship**

Class	Description
1	Novice A – First year in project
2	Novice B – One year completed in project
3	Advanced

### **SHEEP – DEPARTMENT 3**

Superintendent: Jami Duyck & Kori Shackelford, Forest Grove FFA Advisors

#### **Department Rules & Information**

• Showmanship is a required class

#### **Premium Information**

- Cash Awards (animal): First \$12.00, Second \$10.00, Third \$8.00, Fourth \$7.00, Fifth \$6.00. Sixth \$5.00, Seventh & up Ribbon only
- Cash Awards (wool): First \$6.00, Second \$5.00, Third \$4.00, Fourth \$3.00, Fifth \$2.00. Sixth \$1.00 Seventh & up – Ribbon only

#### **Breeding Divisions:**

A - Ha	Hampshire B - Long Wool Breeds C - Columbia			
D - Suffolk		E - Natural Color	F - Romney	
G – Al	l Other Breeds			
Class	Description			
1	Female Class: Spring ewe lamb,	born January 1 <sup>st</sup> to May 31 <sup>st</sup> of cur	rrent year.	
2	Female Class: Fall ewe lamb, bo	rn September 1 <sup>st</sup> to December 31 <sup>st</sup>	<sup>t</sup> of previous year (must have lamb's teeth).	
3	Female Class: Yearling ewe, must not be over 1 year old as of September 1 <sup>st</sup> of previous year.			
4	Female Class: Producing ewe, at least 1 year old but not over 2 years old as of August 31 <sup>st</sup> of previous year.			
5	Female Class: Aged ewe, older than 2 years old as of August 31 <sup>st</sup> of previous year.			
6	Male Class: Spring ram lambs, born January 1 <sup>st</sup> to May 31 <sup>st</sup> of current year.			
7	Male Class: Fall ram lamb, born September 1 <sup>st</sup> , to December 31 of previous year.			
8	Group Class: Get of sire, 3 animals born January 1 <sup>st</sup> to May 31 <sup>st</sup> of current year.			
9	Group Class: Young flock consists of one ram lamb and two ewe lambs, bred by exhibitor.			
10	Group Class: Members flocks consist of either a ram lamb or yearling ram and two yearling ewe and two ewe lambs.			
11	Group Class: Female Champion	(Ribbon Only)		
12	Group Class: Male Champion (Ribbon only)			

#### **Division H - Market** For Market division, please check with your advisor for auction rules.

Class	Description
1	Feeder Lambs: 60 – 99 lbs.
2	Market Lamb: 110 – 156 lbs.

#### **Division I - Showmanship**

Class	Description
1	Novice A – First year in project
2	Novice B – One year completed in project
3	Advanced

### **DAIRY GOATS – DEPARTMENT 4**

Superintendent: Jami Duyck & Kori Shackelford, Forest Grove FFA Advisors

#### **Department Rules & Information**

- No weathers will be shown in dairy goat classes.
- Showmanship is a requited class

#### **Premium Information**

Cash Awards: First - \$12.00, Second - \$10.00, Third - \$8.00, Fourth - \$7.00, Fifth - \$6.00. Sixth - \$5.00
 Seventh & up - Ribbon only

### **Breeding Divisions:**

A - Al	Ipine B - LaMancha C – Oberhasli			
D - Saanen E - Toggenburg		E - Toggenburg	F – Nigerian Dwarf	
G – A	ll Other Breeds			
Class	Description			
1	Jr. Doe kid, born April 1 <sup>st</sup> to Jun	e 30 <sup>th</sup> of current year.		
2	Intermediate Doe kid born Mar	ch 1 <sup>st</sup> to March 31 <sup>st</sup> of current yea	ar.	
3	Sr. Doe kid, born January 1 <sup>st</sup> to February 28 <sup>th</sup> of current year.			
4	Dry yearling Doe born previous year.			
5	Milking yearling Doe born previous year.			
6	Mature two year old Doe must have been one year old by December 31 <sup>st</sup> of previous year.			
7	Mature Doe must have been 3-4 years old by December 31 <sup>st</sup> of previous year.			
8	Aged Doe at least 5 years old by December 31 <sup>st</sup> of previous year.			
9	Group Classes: Produce of Doe, two does from same dam owned by the same exhibitor and show in above classes.			
10	Group Classes: Dam and daughter must be owned by the same exhibitor and show in the above classes.			
11	Group Classes: Members herd t classes.	three dairy goats, must be owned	by the same exhibitor and show in the above	

#### **Division H – Showmanship**

Class	Description
1	Novice A – First year in project
2	Novice B – One year completed in project
3	Advanced

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## **MEAT GOATS – DEPARTMENT 5**

Superintendent: Meg Marchan, Hillsboro FFA Advisor

#### **Department Rules & Information**

- Horns on goats are allowed in breeding doe classes.
- Horns may need to be capped at the discretion of the Superintendent.
- Intact male goats may not be exhibited at the Fair.
- Showmanship is a required class

#### Premium Information

Cash Awards: First - \$12.00, Second - \$10.00, Third - \$8.00, Fourth - \$7.00, Fifth - \$6.00. Sixth - \$5.00
 Seventh & up - Ribbon only

#### **Breeding Division:**

A – Meat Goat			
Class	Description		
1	Doe kid, born April 1 <sup>st</sup> to June 30 <sup>th</sup> of current year.		
2	Doe kid, born January 1 <sup>st</sup> to March 31 <sup>st</sup> of current year.		
3	Doe kid, born October 1 <sup>st</sup> to December 21 <sup>st</sup> of previous year.		
4	Yearling Doe, born May 1 <sup>st</sup> to September 30 <sup>th</sup> of previous year.		
5	Yearling Doe, born January 1 <sup>st</sup> to April 30 <sup>th</sup> of previous year.		
6	Mature two year old Doe must have been one year old by December 31th of previous year.		
7	Mature Doe must have been 3-4 years old by December 31 <sup>st</sup> of previous year.		
8	Aged Doe at least 5 years old by December 31 <sup>st</sup> of previous year		
9	Group Class: Dam and produce, Doe and one daughter, owned by the same exhibitor.		
10	Group Class: Members herd, three female goats owned by same exhibitor.		

#### Division B - Market For Market division, please check with your advisor for auction rules.

Class	Description	
1	Market Goat: 64 lbs & up	
2	Feeder Goat	

#### **Division C – Showmanship**

Class	Description	
1	Novice A – First year in project	
2	Novice B – One year completed in project	
3	Advanced	

## **PYGMY GOATS – DEPARTMENT 6**

Superintendent: Meg Marchan, Hillsboro FFA Advisor

#### **Department Rules & Information**

- All goats must be dehorned and disbudded
- Wethers and Does will be shown in separate confirmation classes
- Showmanship is a required class

#### Premium Information

 Cash Awards: First - \$12.00, Second - \$10.00, Third - \$8.00, Fourth - \$7.00, Fifth - \$6.00. Sixth - \$5.00 Seventh & up – Ribbon only

#### **Breeding Division:**

A – Py	A – Pygmy Goat		
Class	Description		
1	Jr. Wethers up to 6 months old by June 1, of current year		
2	Jr. Wether 6 months to a year		
3	Sr. Wether 1 to 3 years old		
4	Sr. Wether 3 years and over		
5	Doe kid, born April 1 <sup>st</sup> to June 30 <sup>th</sup> of current year		
6	Doe kid, born January 1 <sup>st</sup> to March 31 <sup>st</sup> of current year.		
7	Doe kid, born October 1 <sup>st</sup> to December 31 <sup>st</sup> of previous year.		
8	Yearling Doe, born May 1 <sup>st</sup> to September 30 <sup>th</sup> of previous year.		
9	Yearling Doe, born January 1 <sup>st</sup> to April 30 <sup>th</sup> of previous year.		
10	Mature two year old Doe must have been one years old by December 31 <sup>st</sup> of previous year		
11	Mature Doe must have been 3 to 4 years old by December 31 <sup>st</sup> of previous year.		
12	Aged Doe at least 5 years old by December 31 <sup>st</sup> of previous year.		
13	Group Class: Dam and produce, Doe and one daughter, owned by same exhibitor.		
14	Group Class: Members herd, three female goats owned by the same exhibitor.		

#### **Division B – Showmanship**

Class	Description	
1	Novice A – First year in project	
2	Novice B – One year completed in project	
3	Advanced	

### **FIBER GOATS – DEPARTMENT 7**

Superintendent: Meg Marchan, Hillsboro FFA Advisor

### **Department Rules & Information**

• Showmanship is a required class

#### **Premium Information**

• Cash Awards: First - \$12.00, Second - \$10.00, Third - \$8.00, Fourth - \$7.00, Fifth - \$6.00. Sixth - \$5.00 Seventh & up – Ribbon only

#### **Breeding Division:**

A – Angora		B - Cashmere	C - Pygora	D – Other Breeds
Class	Description			
1	Junior Wethers und	ler 12 months of age		
2	Yearling Wethers 1	2-24 months of age		
3	Aged Wethers over 2 years of age			
4	Junior Doe kid born after February 28, of current year			
5	Junior Doe kid 6-12 months of age			
6	Yearling Doe 12-24 months of age			
7	Aged Doe over 2 years of age			
8	Group Class: Dam and Produce: doe and one daughter, owned by same member			
9	Group Class: Member's Fiber Goat Herd: three fiber animals of the same breed owned by the same member; goats must be shown in another confirmation class			
10	Group Class: Pair of doe kids bred and owned by the exhibitor under 1 year of age			

#### **Division E - Fiber**

Class	Description
1	Pygora Doe
2	Pygora Wether
3	Angora Doe
4	Colored Angora Doe
5	Colored Angora Wether
6	Cashmere Doe
7	Crossbreed Fiber Goat
8	Group Class: Dam and Produce: doe and one daughter, owned by same member

#### **Division F – Showmanship**

Class	Description	
1	Novice A – First year in project	
2	Novice B – One year completed in project	
3	Advanced	

### **SWINE – DEPARTMENT 8**

Superintendent: Tim Eggleston, Banks FFA Advisor

#### **Department Rules & Information**

- Classes will be grouped at the discretion of the Superintendent and or Clerk.
- Showmanship is a required class

#### **Premium Information**

Cash Awards: First - \$12.00, Second - \$10.00, Third - \$8.00, Fourth - \$7.00, Fifth - \$6.00. Sixth - \$5.00
 Seventh & up - Ribbon only

#### **Breeding Division:**

A – Duroc		B – Hampshire	C – Spotted	C – Spotted	
D – Yorkshire		E – Crossbred	F – All Other Breed		
Class	Description				
1.	Jr.Gilt, Farrowed April 1 to May 31 of current year				
2.	Sr. Gilt, Farrowed January 1 to March 31 of current year				
3.	Jr. Yearling Sow, Farrowed from August 1 to December 31 of prior year				
4.	Sr. Yearling, Farrowed January 1 to July 31 of prior year				
5.	Aged Sow, Farrowed before January 1 of prior year				

#### **Division G - Market**

Class	Description
1.	Feeder hog – Barrow or Gilt under 229 lbs., minimum weight of 100 lbs. Designed for animals not making market weight.
2.	Market hog – Barrow or Gilt must weigh between 230-290 lbs. and grade No. 2 or better. Refer to Auction Market Animal Rules for details.
3.	Overweight

### **Division H – Showmanship**

Class	Description	
1.	Showmanship: Novice A – First Year in Project	
2.	Showmanship: Novice B - One year completed in Project	
3.	Showmanship: Advanced	

### **CAVIES – DEPARTMENT 9**

Superintendent: Kori Shackelford, Forest Grove FFA Advisor

#### **Department Rules & Information**

- Any animals found to be ill, diseased, weak, or in distress, will need to be removed from the fairgrounds. All cavies must be permanently tagged in the left ear. The ARBA-ACBA Standard of Perfection will be used as a guide to breeds, weights and color varieties.
- Showmanship is a required class
- Small Animal Barn will only house one bird/rabbit/cavy in the barn for the duration of the Fair due to space limitations. Other animals will be brought in during the carry-in show times.

#### **Premium Information**

Cash Awards: First - \$12.00, Second - \$10.00, Third - \$8.00, Fourth - \$7.00, Fifth - \$6.00. Sixth - \$5.00
 Seventh & up - Ribbon only

#### **Breeding Divisions:**

A – Americans (American, American Satins)		B — Teddy (Teddy, Teddy Satin)	C – Abyssinian (Abyssinian Satin, Coronet, Peruvian, Peruvian Satin, Silkie, Silkie Satin)
D – Texel (Texel, White Crested)		E - Crossbred	
Class	5 Description		
1.	Jr. Sow – 12 oz. to 22 oz.		
2.	Jr Boar – 12 oz. to 22 oz.		
3.	Intermediate Sow – 23 oz. to 32 oz.		
4.	Intermediate Boar 23 oz. to 32 oz.		
5.	Sr. Sow -Over 32 oz.		
6.	Sr. Boar – Over 32 oz.		

#### **Division C – Showmanship**

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Class	Description
1.	Showmanship: Novice A – First Year in Project
2.	Showmanship: Novice B - One year completed in Project
3.	Showmanship: Advanced

## **RABBITS – DEPARTMENT 10**

Superintendent: Kori Shackelford, Forest Grove FFA Advisor

#### **Department Rules & Information**

- All entries must be tattooed and tattoo entered on Fair Entry by entry deadline.
- Animals will be judged according to the ARBA Standard of Perfection.
- If there are three or more animals of the same breed in the "other class" then we will make a new Class for that breed.
- Showmanship is a required class

#### Premium Information

 Cash Awards: First - \$12.00, Second - \$10.00, Third - \$8.00, Fourth - \$7.00, Fifth - \$6.00. Sixth - \$5.00 Seventh & up – Ribbon only

#### **Breeding Divisions:**

A 0 California		B - Holland Lop	C - English Spot	D - Dutch
E - Netherland Dwarf		F - New Zealand	G - Harlequin	H - Mini Lop
l - Rex		J - Satin	K - Polish	L - Palomino
M - Mini Satin		N - Lionhead	O – Crossbred	P – All Other Breeds
Class	Description			
1.	Jr. Doe, born March 1 <sup>st</sup> to May 31 <sup>st</sup> of current year.			
2.	Intermediate doe, born January 1 <sup>st</sup> to February 28 <sup>th</sup> of current year.			
3.	Sr. Doe, born before January 1 <sup>st</sup> of current year.			
4.	Jr. Buck, born March 1 <sup>st</sup> to May 31 of current year.			
5.	Intermediate buck, born January 1 <sup>st</sup> to February 28 <sup>th</sup> of current year.			
6.	Sr. Buck, born before January 1 <sup>st</sup> of current year.			

#### **Division O – Market**

Class	Description
1.	Fryer – 3.5 pounds. to 5.5 pounds, under 10 weeks old – Show only
2.	Fryer Pen – 3 animals, same breed, 3.5 pounds. – 5.5 pounds each and not over 10 weeks old

#### **Division P – Showmanship**

Class	Description
1.	Showmanship: Novice A – First Year in Project
2.	Showmanship: Novice B - One year completed in Project
3.	Showmanship: Advanced

## **POULTRY & BIRDS – DEPARTMENT 11**

Superintendent: Kori Shackelford, Forest Grove FFA Advisor

#### **Department Rules & Information**

- Any bird found with health or parasite infestation will be immediately removed from the show.
- Any bird not in coop designated by superintendent will not be judged.
- Birds will be judged on criteria listed in the standard of perfection. Placing of birds not meeting the standard will be left to the judge's discretion.
- All birds must either be from a N.P.I.P. flock or be tested negative for Pullorum Typhoid. An ODA or USDA trained tester will be present AFTER JUDGING to test birds that have not previously been tested. The testing will be done free of charge.
- Showmanship is a required class

#### Premium Information

 Cash Awards: First - \$12.00, Second - \$10.00, Third - \$8.00, Fourth - \$7.00, Fifth - \$6.00. Sixth - \$5.00 Seventh & up – Ribbon only

#### **Division – Poultry**

A - American (includes Plymouth Rocks, Wyandottes, Delawares, Rhode Island Reds, Rhode Island Whites, New Hampshires, Javas, Dominiques, Jersey Giants, Chanticleers, Lamonas, Buckeyes, Hollands)

B – Asiatics (includes Brahmas, Cochins, Lanshans)

C – English (includes Orpingtons, Cornish, Sussex, Australorps, Dorkings)

**D** – **Mediterranean** (includes Leghorn, Minorca, Spanish, Andalusians, Anconas, Buttercups, Catalanas)

E – Continental (includes Hamburgs, Houdan, Crevecoeurs, La Fleche, Frizzles, Old English Games, Modern Games, Polish)

F – Bantams Single-Comb Clean Legged (includes Plymouth Rocks, Leghorns, Minorcas, Japanese, Rhode Island Reds, New Hampshire, Andalusians, Anconas, Orpingtons, Sussex, Frizzles, Lakenvelders, Australorps)

**G** - Bantams Rose-Comb Clean Legged (includes Sebrights, Rose Combs, Wyandottes, Leghorns, Hamburgs, Belgians, Rhode Island Reds)

H – Bantams Feather Legged (includes Cochins, Brahmas, Faverolles, Frizzles, Langshans, D'Uccle, Silkies)

#### I – Game Bantams

J – Any other comb clean legged

Class	Description
1.	Cock – male bird one year old or over
2.	Cockerel – male bird under one year
3.	Hen – female bird one year old or over
4.	Pullet – female bird one year old or over
5.	Young Trio – one cockerel and two pullets of the same breed and variety: must have been show in classes 1-4
6.	Old Trio – one cock and two hens of the same breed and variety; must have been shown in classes 1-4

#### **Division – Birds**

I – Game Birds J - Turkeys		K - Ducks	L - Geese	M - Pigeons	N - Doves	
Class	Description					
1.	Old Male, over 1 yea	ar				
2.	Young Male, under	1 year				
3.	Old Female, over 1	/ear				
4.	Young Female, unde	er 1 year				

#### **Division O – Market**

Class	Description
1.	Poultry: Broiler/Fryer, Pen of Three: (Under 8 weeks) 3 - 6 pounds each.
2.	Poultry: Roaster, Pen of Three: (8 - 16 weeks) 6 pounds live weight or more.
3.	Poultry: Turkey. Tom's must weigh at least 18 pounds and hens must weigh at least 14 pounds. No turkey shall be over 20 weeks of age.
4.	Poultry: Other: Ducks, geese, or game birds of age, size and finish appropriate to standard marketability criteria for each species and breed. Ducks and game birds will be shown as a pen-of-three. Within a pen, the heaviest animal must not weigh more than 133% of the weight of the lightest animal. Geese will be shown as single animals.

#### **Division P – Showmanship**

Class	Description
1.	Showmanship: Novice A – First Year in Project
2.	Showmanship: Novice B - One year completed in Project
3.	Showmanship: Advanced

### LIVESTOCK HERDSMANSHIP

- The Herdsmanship award is made on a chapter basis.
- To be considered for herdsmanship, the exhibitor must have his or her exhibitor card neatly completed and displayed.
- Herdsmanship is to be done by exhibitors only.
- Herdsmanship will be judged between 9 a.m. and 9 p.m.
- Awards will be given to the top chapter exhibiting beef cattle, sheep, dairy cattle, swine, dairy goats, meat goats, fiber goats, pygmy goats, cavies, rabbits, and poultry & birds.

### **MASTER SHOWMANSHIP RULES**

- In order to participate in the Master Showmanship contest, you must have won grand champion showman in your showmanship class. If an exhibitor has won multiple grand championships, exhibitor must pick one species to compete in the Master Showmanship contest. The reserve grand champion will then compete in the Master Showmanship contest for the other species not chosen by the grand champion.
- The Master Showmanship contest is only for those FFA members who are currently attending high school and for the graduating senior, following the summer of their graduating year.
- For those FFA members who have graduated one year or more but are under the age of 21, we will have a College Master Showmanship contest if there are at least four exhibitors.
- Five species of animals will be shown in the Master Showmanship contest. The species exhibited will be determined by the five species with the most individual exhibitors. This is subject to change at the advisor's discretion based on availability of animals of similar size, age, breed, type, etc. Master Showmanship participants are asked to help locate the five animals that will be used as well as helpers to hold/move animals between rotations.
- All five Master Showpersons will show the same species at the same time. A rotation will be announced ahead of time, and all five participants will rotate together. Approximately 12 minutes will be allowed per rotation with 3 minutes to rotate to next species.
- Master Showmanship participants will be judged on their ability to show/present the species, as well as their ability to answer questions asked by the judge. Fitting of the animal WILL NOT be included in the placing. Showpersons WILL NOT exhibit their own animal.
- Judges are selected at the discretion of the advisors.

## **STATIC & CHAPTER PROJECTS – DEPARTMENT 12**

Superintendent: Meg Marchan, Hillsboro FFA Advisor

#### **Department Rules & Information**

#### Member & Chapter Projects

- This may consist of placards, charts, graphs, survey of home or farm, miniature models or use of project records.
   Demonstration of improved practices may be illustrated in some form. Record books must be exhibited. Table and wall space will be 36" in width for each exhibit. Exhibits exceeding the allotted space will be disqualified. Each chapter is eligible for a Supervised Farming exhibit. The member will stand the expense of the exhibit.
- Exhibit must be in place by according to the Entry Calendar. All lettering shall be neatly printer or stenciled. Originality, with emphasis on use of light or moving displays will be encouraged.

#### **Educational Display Boards**

- In order to help the public better understand agriculture, all chapters are strongly encouraged to create and submit educational displays related to their SAE's or other FFA experience.
- Exhibits must be agriculturally related
- The exhibitors name and chapter must be clearly and neatly printed on the back of the entry.
- All material must be prepared by the students.
- Displays may be posters, storyboards or photo essays.

#### Premium Information

 Cash Awards: First - \$12.00, Second - \$10.00, Third - \$8.00, Fourth - \$7.00, Fifth - \$6.00. Sixth - \$5.00 Seventh & up – Ribbon only

#### **Divisions:**

A – M	ember & Chapter Projects	B – Educational Display Boards
Class	Description	
1.	Supervised Farming Exhibits	
2.	Work Experience Exhibits	

## **PROJECT RECORD BOOKS – DEPARTMENT 13**

Superintendent: Meg Marchan, Hillsboro FFA Advisor

#### Premium Information

Cash Awards: First - \$12.00, Second - \$10.00, Third - \$8.00, Fourth - \$7.00, Fifth - \$6.00. Sixth - \$5.00
 Seventh & up - Ribbon only

#### <u>Division</u>

A – Project Record Books	
Class	Description
1.	Advanced Project Book Contest
2.	First year Record Book, Completed
3.	First Year Book, Not Complete

## **AG MECHANICS – DEPARTMENT 14**

Superintendent: Meg Marchan, Hillsboro FFA Advisor

#### **Department Rules & Information**

- Reconstruction entries must be accompanied with a statement indication what was actually done, reason and what improvement was made. All projects need to include hours and cost involved. As well as current market value.
- All projects must be completed by the exhibitor within the last calendar year.

#### **Premium Information**

 Cash Awards: First - \$12.00, Second - \$10.00, Third - \$8.00, Fourth - \$7.00, Fifth - \$6.00. Sixth - \$5.00 Seventh & up – Ribbon only

#### Division

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	A. Large Construction		
Class	Description		
1.	Metal		
2.	Wood		
3.	Wood & Metal		
4.	Feed & Water		
5.	Tool Box		
6.	Other		
B. Tra	ilers		
1.	Stock		
2.	Utility		
3.	Machine		
4.	Pipe		
5.	Small Garden		
6.	Other		
C. Me	edium Construction		
1.	Metal		
2.	Wood		
3.	Wood & Metal		
4.	Feed & Water		
	Implement		
6.	Feeder		
D. Sm	nall Construction		
1.	Metal		
2.	Wood		
3.	Wood & Metal		
	Ladder		
5.	Saw Horse		
E. Re	E. Reconstruction		
1.	Trailers		
2.	Large Projects		
3.	Medium Projects		
4.	Small Projects		

## **CROPS & HORTICULTURE – DEPARTMENT 15**

Superintendent: All FFA Advisors

#### **Department Rules & Information**

- Each exhibitor will be allowed one entry in each class.
- All crops and horticulture will be judged on the American system.
- All exhibits of apples, pears, and prunes shall consist of 4 specimens.
- All fresh berries shall be exhibited in 1-pint baskets.
- All entries must be in place per the entry calendar
- All entries must be grown/and or harvested by the exhibitor.

#### **Premium Information**

 Cash Awards: First - \$6.00, Second - \$5.00, Third - \$4.00, Fourth - \$3.00, Fifth - \$2.00. Sixth - \$1.00 Seventh & up - Ribbon only

#### **Special Award for Home Garden Exhibit**

• THE WASHINGTON COUNTY FAIR BOARD will give an additional premium of \$15.00 for first place and \$10.00 for second place in Division D Class 41.

#### Divisions:

A. Fruit		
Class	Description	
1.	Apples – Gravenstien	
2.	Apple - Jonathan	
3.	Apples – Delicious	
4.	Apples – Winter	
5.	Blackberries	
6.	Blackcaps	
7.	Blueberries	
8.	Boysenberries	
9.	Marionberries	
10.	Raspberries	
11.	Strawberries	
12.	Kiwi	
13.	Pears – Barlette	
14.	Pears – Anjou	
15.	Pears – Winter	
16.	Plums	
17.	Prunes- dried previous season, 1 quart in plastic bag	
18.	Rhubarb	
19.	Peaches	
20.	Grapes – Table	
21.	Grapes – wine	
22.	Other	
23.	Family Orchard Exhibit – Minimum of 5 varieties not to exceed 4 sq. ft.	

B. Nu	B. Nuts	
1.	1 qt. jar Filberts unshelled only	
2.	1 qt. jar Walnuts unshelled only	
3.	Other	
C. Ho		
1.	1 pint strained	
2.	1 frame comb honey, wrapped in cellophane	
D. Cr		
1.	Beans, snap wax, 6 specimens	
1. 2.	Beans, snap wax, o specimens Beans, snap green, 6 specimens	
2. 3.	Table beets, 1 ½ to 3" diameter, 6 specimens	
3. 4.	Broccoli, 1 stalk 3-5"	
4. 5.	Brussel Sprouts, 1 stalk	
5. 6.	Cabbage, red or green 1 head	
0. 7.	Carrots, 6 specimens, topped	
7. 8.	Cauliflower, 3" head specimens	
o. 9.	Corn, sweet, 3 ears	
J. 10.	Cucumbers, slicing, 3 specimens	
10.	Cucumbers, pickling, 6 specimens	
12.	Dill, 6 specimens	
12.	Eggplant, 1 specimen	
13. 14.	Garlic, dry 4 specimens	
14. 15.	Kohlrabi, 3 specimens	
15. 16.	Lettuce, 1 head	
17.	Lettuce, 1 hunch, tied	
17.	Onions, Green 2 bunches 5 specimens per bunch	
18. 19.	Onions, Green 1 Large 4 specimens	
20.	Bell Pepper, 1 specimen	
20. 21.	All other peppers, 3 specimens	
22.	Potatoes, red, 6 specimens	
22.	Potatoes, white,5 specimens	
23. 24.	Pumpkins, 1 specimen	
2 <del>4</del> . 25.	Squash, Butternut, 1 specimen	
25. 26.	Squash, Hubard, 1 specimen	
20. 27.	Squash, Danish, 1 specimen	
28.	Squash, Winter, 1 specimen	
20. 29.	Squash, Summer, 1 specimen	
30.	Squash, Zucchini, 3 specimens	
30. 31.	Squash, Zucchini, S specimens Squash, Crookneck, 3 specimens	
32.	Swiss Chard, 6 leaves	
33.	Tomatoes, Slicing, 4 specimens	
34.	Tomatoes, Green Slicing, 4 specimens	
35.	Tomatoes, Salad, 6 specimens	
35. 36.	Tomatoes, Paste, 4 specimens	
30. 37.	Turnips, 5 specimens	
38.	Other Vegetable, 1 specimen	
39.	Most unusual Vegetable, 1 specimen	
40.	Largest Vegetable	
-10.	Lei Pest AcPetanie	

	Home Garden Exhibit.* To be selected from the home garden for which the FFA member has a major
41.	responsibility. The exhibit shall consist of from 5 to 10 vegetables of different varieties, not to exceed 20
	individual vegetables and in a display not to exceed 4 sq. ft. Exhibitor must exhibit in at least four (4) other crops or horticulture areas to receive premiums
E. Gra	iins (1 quart jar)
1.	Barley, 2 row
2.	Barley, 6 row
3.	Oats, white
4.	Wheat
5.	Oats, gray
6.	Other
F. Gra	in Sheaves
1.	Barley
2.	Oats
3.	Grass
4.	Wheat
5.	Legume
G. Gr	ass & Legume Seed
1.	Crimson Clover
2.	Ryegrass
3.	Red Clover
4.	Vetch
5.	Fescue
6.	Other
Н. На	y & Silage
1.	Corn & Red Clover Silage
2.	Timothy Hay
3.	Grain Hay
4.	Oats & Vetch
5.	Grass 1 legume hay
6.	Red Clover
7.	Meadow or wild grass hay
8.	Alfalfa
I. Nur	sery
1.	Conifer seedling, 2 specimens
2.	Deciduous seedling, 2 specimens
3.	Broadleaf evergreen seedling, 2 specimens
4.	Conifer cutting, 2 specimens
5.	Deciduous Cutting 2 specimens
6.	Broadleaf Evergreen cutting, 2 specimens
7.	Budding propagation, 2 specimens
8.	Grafting propagation, 2 specimens
9.	Fruit cuttings, 2 specimens
10.	Groundcover, 2 specimens
11.	Nursery Exhibit 5 different species, 2 specimens
J. Flo	ral
1.	Dahlia, 1 flower head

2.	Gladiolus, 1 flower spike
3.	Rose, flower/long stem unless Grandiflora, floribunda, or miniature, then one stem or spray.
4.	Marigold, 3 flowers
5.	Zinnia, 3 flowers
6.	Chrysanthemum, 3 stems, any number of flowers
7.	Daisy, 5 single flower stems
8.	Other, 1-5 of any flower not mentioned
9.	Herbaceous Blooming 2 specimens
10.	Herbaceous Foliage, 1 specimen
11.	Hanging Basket Flowering, inpatient, 1 specimen
12.	Hanging Basket Flowering, Fuchsia, 1 specimen
13.	Hanging Basket Flowering Geranium, 1 specimen
14.	Hanging Basket Flowering, Begonia, 1 specimen
15.	Hanging Basket Flowering, Mixed flowers, 1 specimen
16.	Hanging Basket Flowering, Strawberries, 1 specimen
17.	Hanging Basket Foliage, 1 specimen
18.	Hydrangea, 1 specimen
19.	Cactus/Succulents, 2 specimens
20.	Patio Planter
21.	Dish garden/Terrariums
22.	Flower arrangement
23.	Dried material 3 specimens
24.	Greenhouse Crops, commercial, 5 different species
25.	Other

## LANDSCAPE EXHIBITS – DEPARTMENT 16

Superintendent: All FFA Advisors

#### **Department Rules & Information**

- Each Chapter will select its own theme. Themes must be posted by the exhibit and on design diagram. Entries are due on July 15.
- Please see your advisor for set-up dates and times.
- Designs to consist of a plan draw to scale on 18"X 24" paper. The plans may be computer generated.
- The plan is to be drawn to scale 1"= 1'/ The scale used must be shown on plan. The name of the Chapter is to be shown at the bottom right-handed side of the sheet. The plants are to be keyed using any standard format.
- To be the work of one of more members of the Chapter. Adult involvement limited to instruction and counsel, or premium money will be withheld.
- Exhibitors will be responsible for providing all material for the exhibit. The exhibit is to occupy and outside space of 14'X14'. Space will be assigned by Fair Management. Chapters not leaving their area clean will have premium money withheld by the fair.
- Exhibitors are responsible for care of the exhibits daily. It is recommended that exhibits be check at least 3 times per day. Members failing to care for exhibit will have premiums withheld.

#### Premium Information

• Cash Awards: First - \$100, Second - \$75, Third - \$50, Fourth - \$25

#### Landscape exhibits will be judged on the following criteria:

Design and Style	30 points
Craftsmanship	15 points
Quality of plant material	20 points
Landscape plan and plan list	20 points
Theme	15 Points
Total	100 points

### **ART – DEPARTMENT 17**

Superintendent: All FFA Advisors

#### **Department Rules & Information**

- Each exhibitor will be allowed one entry in each class.
- All photos must be 8" x 10" in size.
- Each photo must be submitted with an explanation of the photo and where it was taken.
- Must show or portray agriculture in Washington County Photography
- Art must portray or represent agriculture.

#### **Premium Information**

 Cash Awards: First - \$6.00, Second - \$5.00, Third - \$4.00, Fourth - \$3.00, Fifth - \$2.00. Sixth - \$1.00 Seventh & up – Ribbon only

#### **Division**

A – Color Photography		
Class	Description	
1.	Animals	
2.	Plants	
3.	Equipment	
4.	Structures	
5.	Farm Life	
6.	People	
B – Bla	ck and White Photography	
1.	Animals	
2.	Plants	
3.	Equipment	
4.	Structures	
5.	Farm Life	
6.	People	
C – Art	– Any medium (Ex: Metal, Wood, Painting, Drawing, Fabric, Pencil, Pen, Caulk, Oils, other)	
1.	Animals	
2.	Plants	
3.	Equipment	
4.	Structures	
5.	Farm Life	
6.	People	

### **WOOL – DEPARTMENT 18**

Superintendent: All FFA Advisors

#### **Department Rules & Information**

- Each fleece must be clean, properly tied, and ready for display.
- Each fleece must be tagged with exhibitor's name, school, breed of sheep, and wool type.
- Each exhibitor will be allowed one enter ia maximum of two fleeces per class.
- Fleeces not properly tied with paper twine will be disqualified.
- All entries must be in place per the entry calendar

#### Premium Information

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#### **Division**

A - Wool		
Class	Description	
1.	Long woold	
2.	Crossbred	
3.	Medium	
4.	Natural Colored	