

2024 Junior Exhibit Guide



Junior Fair Schedule & **ONLY Animal Departments**

Northern Wisconsin State Fair
225 Edward Street, Chippewa Falls, W 54729
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Dates to remember: Dates and times are subject to change, watch the website for updates.

- **April 15** Early Bird begins **\$15.00**. Online entry is preferred, assistance available from the office.
- **May 15** Last Day for Early Bird Price. On May 16 the price is **\$20.00**.
- **June 21** Last day to enter. All paperwork due. Exhibitors are responsible to correct tags by this date.
- **Northern Wisconsin State Fair, July 10 - 14, 2024.**

Keep in mind:

- This guidebook is for 2024. Do NOT use an old guide as some changes are made each year.
- **Judges are looking for exhibits that show excellence in their competitive areas. Be selective in the items you choose to enter in our Fair competition.** Choose quality over quantity.
- By participating and exhibiting at the NWSF you authorize the use of pictures, audio and video production for advertising and marketing needs of the NWSF, our sponsors and media.
- Our fair is governed by our local fair board AND the State of Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade, and Consumer Protection. We are bound by state law in many areas of our operation.
- Carefully read and observe all the rules and regulations contained within this document. If you have questions, e-mail dtotzke@nwsfa.com or call the Entry Department at 715-723-2861, ext. #103.

Dept	Schedule	Arrival		Judging		Location	Removal
	Master Showman			Thu 7/11	1pm	Custer Coliseum	
B01	Dairy Cattle	Mon 7/8	10am-8pm	Thu 7/11	8am	Custer Coliseum	Jr. Animals may leave AFTER the concert & auction conclude.
B02	Beef Cattle	Mon 7/8	10am-8pm	Wed 7/10	9am	Custer Coliseum	
B03	Swine	Mon 7/8	10am-8pm	Tue 7/9	9am	Custer Coliseum	
	Pig Pals Show			Wed 7/10	6pm	Custer Coliseum	
B04	Sheep	Mon 7/8	10am-8pm	Tue 7/9	2pm	Custer Coliseum	
B05	Goats * Open, too	Mon 7/8	10am-8pm	Wed 7/10	4pm	Custer Coliseum	
	MAP Auction			Thu 7/11	6pm	Custer Coliseum	
	MAP Carcass			Mon 7/15	7am	Off-site	
B06	Horse	Mon 7/8	10am-8pm	Wed 7/10	9am	Horse Arena	
	Horse Fun Show			Thu 7/11	9am	Horse Arena	
B07	Poultry	Tue 7/9	10am-8pm	Thu 7/11	4pm	Poultry/Rabbit	
B08	Rabbits	Tue 7/9	10am-8pm	Thu 7/11	9am	Poultry/Rabbit	

Youth Building Exhibits

Arrival Mon July 8 between 2-6pm ~ **Judged** Mon 6-8pm ~ **removed AFTER** 4pm Sunday

B10	Vet. Sciences & Sm. Animals aka Pocket Pets	<p>Conference with judges from 2-6pm.</p> <p>Modified Danish rules will be followed. Ribbons awarded after 6pm.</p> <p>Younger Youth B17 judged Face-to-Face, all receive ribbons.</p>	B24	Mechanical
B14	Plant & Soil Sciences		B25	Foods & Nutrition
B15	Flowers & House Plants		B26	Clothing
B16	Natural Sciences		B27	Knitting & Crocheting
B17	Younger Youth Organizations		B28	Home Furnishings
B18	Cultural Art		B29	Family & Child Development
B20	Photography		B31	Demonstrations & Presentations
B21	Computers / STEAM		B32	Booths, Banners & Scrapbooks
B22	Woodworking		B33	Youth Leadership
B23	Electricity		B34	Health & Citizenship

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WELCOME! Important information for Junior Fair Exhibitors

All exhibitors in the Junior Division MUST be members of a recognized youth organization from Chippewa County. Recognized organizations have contacted the fair office, completed an application, and been approved by the NWSF Fair Board.

1. **Exhibitor Guide Availability**
 - a. April 15 is the goal each year.
 - b. Available online at no cost – or by picking up a paper copy at the following locations: the Fair office, the Chippewa Falls Public Library and the Chippewa Falls Senior Center.
 - c. Mailed only by request a \$5.00 printing and postage fee must be paid prior to mailing.
2. **Method of Entry**
 - a. Online entry is expected. MasterCard and Visa accepted. Contact the Entry Department to schedule a time for assistance. dtotzke@nwsfa.com
 - c. Full payment must be included at the time of entry.
 - d. **ShoWorks Software Terminology** – Department – Division (was Class) - Class (was Lot)
 - e. For livestock entries, all identification and health information should be included during registration. Paperwork (health, YQCA, etc.) must be delivered to the office on or before the registration deadline (see page 1).
 - f. The NWSF reserves the right to reject any entries.
3. **Perks of Entering**
 - a. Sharing your talents with the visitors to the Fair.
 - b. One (1) gate admission armband (\$25.00 value). Allows entry to the grounds for the entire fair.
 - c. Additional discounted gate admission armbands may be purchased as part of your registration for \$20.00 each. Maximum of 4 discounted tickets per exhibitor.
4. **Entry Tags**
 - a. Entry tags for non-animal exhibits may be picked up at the office 8-4pm weekdays beginning June 1. To request tags be mailed, include a \$1 fee with registration. Tags will be mailed starting June 1 and ending the day after registration closes (see page 1).
 - c. Entry tags for all non-animal exhibits must be attached as specified by the department. Tags include the following information: division, department, class.
 - d. Animal exhibitors will receive a printout, but no tags.
 - e. Keep the claim ticket portion of the tag, it must be shown to pick up all non-animal exhibits. All removal dates are listed on page one of the exhibitor book.
 - g. Items/animals that will be shown at any other Wisconsin fair that receives state aid must be declared at the time of entry. No animal or item may receive premiums more than once in a calendar year.
5. **Entry changes, additions, substitutions**
 - a. Superintendents may recommend changes after the entry deadline, including on bring-in day.
 - b. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to ensure entries are accurate.
 - c. Exhibits entered in the incorrect classes may be disqualified or at the judge's discretion they may be judged for ribbon only, no premium.
6. **Entry Fee Refunds:**
 - a. Any cancellation of entries must be made no later than five days prior to the opening of the fair. No refunds will be made after that date.
7. **Entry arrival / drop off.**
 - a. Non-animal entry arrival dates/times are listed on page 1.
 - b. **Animal entries MUST provide all required health records prior to unloading any animal.** Paper copies are preferred. The Superintendent checking in animals will have all health papers received by the office. Missing paperwork will cause delays in unloading. All animals exhibited should be identified by registration name and numbers or by ear tag number.
 - c. All interstate health certificates accompanying any exhibition animal that originate outside of Wisconsin must be provided to fair personnel to be inspected and kept on file with the fair organizer.
 - d. **All youth showing livestock (Dairy, Beef, Swine, Sheep, Goats, Poultry and Rabbits) must provide their YQCA Certificate number when registering. An electronic copy of the certificate must be on file with the office PRIOR to unloading.**
8. **Judging**
 - a. Judging times are subject to change based on entry count, and judges' schedule.

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- b. Types of judging:
- **Face-to-Face:** Used for two departments.
 - B10(A) small animals, a.k.a. pocket pets. These animals are at the fair grounds only for their conference with the judge. Ribbons will be given at the time of conferencing. Exhibitors may choose to display a picture of the animal the ribbon in the Youth building.
 - B17 Younger Youth grade K-2. Exhibitors individually discuss their project with a judge, learning the strengths and weaknesses of their project. All exhibitors in this department earn a multi-colored ribbon when they meet with the judge.
 - **Conference:** Used for all other Junior non-animal departments. The exhibitors conference with a judge, who may ask youth questions about their project and use the knowledge as well as the quality of the exhibit to place the entries according to the Danish method.
 - **Danish Method:** The judge will award ribbons AFTER all items have reviewed. This process determines the quantity of each place ribbon that can be awarded in that class. For example: if there are 15 items in a class, then only 3 may receive a blue, up to 7 may receive a red, up to 11 may receive a white, and up to 15 may receive a pink.
- c. When there are less than three exhibits entered in a class, the exhibit(s) may be moved to a Miscellaneous class at the time of judging. Learn more about this rule by researching DATCP, ATCP 160.07(1).
- d. The decision of the judges will be final.
- e. Judging reports are the only evidence for payment of premiums. Premiums are paid ONLY as listed on the signed judges' awards sheets and NOT from ribbons attached to the exhibit or any other way.
- f. No judge can make an addition or an alteration in an award book.
- g. No person can act as a judge in any case where he/she may be an exhibitor.
- h. No person shall direct abusive or threatening conduct toward judges or show or fair officials.
- i. All judges, fair and livestock show management, or other show officials shall be treated with courtesy, cooperation, and respect.
- j. Only first prize winners are eligible to compete for champions.
- k. No exhibitor will be allowed more than one exhibit in any class number, except in animal divisions as listed in the department section of the exhibitor book.
- l. No animal or article shall compete for more than one premium (except as part of a herd, collection, or special premium).
- m. To advance to the Wisconsin State Fair, non-animal exhibits must earn a Judge's Favorite Award.
 - Projects must be under 5 feet high, 5 feet long, and 5 feet wide and must be family friendly.
 - Judges' Favorite awards MAY be awarded in the following areas: Quilting, Sewing, Computers, Ceramic, Drawing, Jewelry, Fiber, Mixed Media, Painting, Sculpture, Electricity, Family & Child Development, Health, Social & Poli Sci, Home Furnishings, Environment, Knitting & Crocheting, Mechanical, non-perishable Natural Sciences, Photography, Woodworking, Youth Leadership.
 - Departments not included in the Judge's Choice MAY earn a Best in Show award.
9. **Premiums & Ribbons**
- a. Ribbons may be donated back to the Northern Wisconsin State Fair, by bringing them to the office.
 - b. Premiums may be donated back to the Northern Wisconsin State Fair, by letting the office know.
 - c. Premium amounts are listed in the guide and may vary by division, department, and class.
 - d. Premium checks will be available as listed in the department section.
 - e. No local checks will be mailed. Local is defined as zip code 54729.
 - f. Out of area checks that are not picked up will be mailed one week after the fair ends.
 - g. The NWSF reserves the right to make deductions from premiums because of early removal of exhibit from the grounds, fraud or fees owed.
 - h. Premium checks will be honored for 90 days after issuance, after which checks will not be re-issued.
 - i. Checks not received or errors in premium checks must be reported within one month after the fair ends. After that date, no changes will be made, or checks issued.
10. **Parking & Entry to the Grounds**
- a. Main Gate opens to the public at 9:00am. East Gate is staffed at 7:30am.
 - b. No admission to the grounds for anyone without a ticket, pass or wristband.

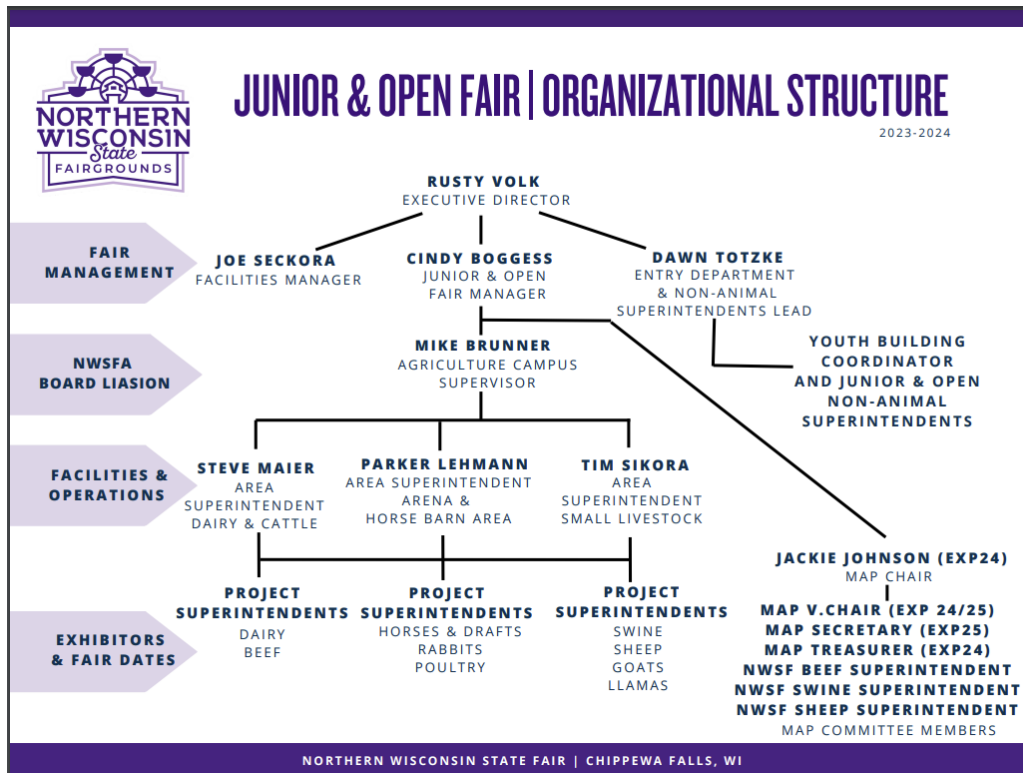
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- c. Parking passes may be purchased at the office. All exhibitors, vendors and guests with parking passes may look for spaces in the general parking areas, spaces are not guaranteed.
 - d. No trailers are allowed to park on site. After unloading animals, trailers will be taken to an off-site designated parking lot.
 - e. Watch for NEW parking regulations near the NEW buildings.
 - f. Towaway zones include: all roads within the cemetery; fire lanes behind the barns; posted no parking zones for emergency and/or authorized administration only; designated handicapped parking zones without a handicap permit; and any overnight parking without authorization.
 - g. Free Parking is available outside fairgrounds next to the cemetery and at the Chippewa Hockey Arena. Shuttle service is available, see website for hours of operation. **Please be respectful of our neighbor's properties. Do not park on the cemetery lanes.**
 - h. Follow instructions of parking lot attendants.
 - i. Drive slowly while driving through the grounds.
11. **Removal of Exhibits.**
- a. Any exhibits, equipment or decorations removed from the fairgrounds prior to the scheduled release will be subject to a penalty by the Fair Board, such as loss of awards, loss of premium, or being barred from competition.
 - Our fair is open to the public, who expect to see animals, until late afternoon on Sunday, be prepared to stay until the posted times.
 - Permission for early removal must be approved by the fair board. Contact the Department Superintendent AND the Fair Office.
 - b. Non-animal exhibits must be claimed according to the dates/times on page 1. Exhibits not picked up will be disposed of one month after the fair ends. Culinary Arts /Food exhibits will not be returned to exhibitors.
 - b. Before release of the animals from the fair, exhibitors are expected to thoroughly clean their animal's areas and cages, in all buildings and place the manure into proper manure dumpsters.
 - c. All signs, decorations, nails, tacks, and staples must be removed from stalls and display areas. This includes construction lumber (you put it up and you take it down)
12. **Camping**
- a. **Sleeping in the barns is strictly prohibited by state and local fire codes.**
 - b. Camping spaces are filled on a first come first served basis, beginning April 15, at 9am.
 - c. Reservations can be made by returning the paper reservation form (print from our website) to the office with payment.
 - d. Payment must accompany camping requests. Payment will be refunded if the campground is full. Checks are recommended so they may be held until camping spots are assigned, and returned if spaces are full.
 - e. Only camping requests from Livestock Exhibitors will be honored due to limited space.
 - f. A camping permit will be issued and must be displayed on the camper.
 - h. Rates are subject to change, watch the website for the most up to date rates.
 - i. No generators or campfires.
 - j. Water hook-up is not guaranteed. Campers may hook up to water if available with the approval of NWSF grounds supervisor.
 - k. Water hoses and picnic tables are not provided.
 - l. Minors **MUST** stay with and be supervised by their responsible adult while camping.
 - m. Campers are responsible for cleaning their camping area. Failure to clean up your area will result in forfeiture of camping privileges in the future.
 - n. Camping is not allowed in unauthorized areas of the fairgrounds.
 - o. Failure to keep alcohol in a secure location and away from minors will result in forfeiture of camping privileges in the future. All state and local laws must be followed.
13. **Leadership Structure**
- a. The general supervision of grounds and the entire exhibition is vested in the Executive Director of the NWSF.
 - b. The Superintendents of each department will oversee exhibits, employees, and volunteers in their respective departments. Superintendents will be responsible for all activities in their departments to

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present the best possible show and experience for exhibitors and guests. Superintendents are responsible for assuring all state, county and local rules and regulations are upheld.

c. This years' organizational structure graphic:



14. Ethics & Guidelines for non-animal exhibits Open 14-28 & Junior 10-33

- All non-animal exhibits, except for antiques, must be produced by the exhibitor.
- Misrepresentation of an item's origin constitutes fraud, and the exhibitor shall forfeit all awards.
- Should a premium be found to have been obtained by false evidence or misrepresentation, or a violation of any of the foregoing rules, the premium will be withheld by the NWSF.

15. Ethics & Guidelines for livestock exhibits Open 01-11 & Junior 01-13

- Exhibitors of animals at livestock shows shall always conduct themselves with honesty and good sportsmanship.
- Conduct in this competitive environment shall always reflect the highest standards of honor and integrity to promote the advancement of education in agriculture.
- All livestock exhibitors are expected to care for and groom their animals while at the Northern Wisconsin State Fair. Exhibitors must provide and use only their own utensils and water buckets when caring for livestock.
 - Fitting (clipping and grooming) can be done by the exhibitor, or with the assistance of an unpaid mentor who is teaching the exhibitor how to prepare an animal for showing at the fair. Unpaid mentors may include immediate family, another participating Junior exhibitor or an FFA/4H project leader or the owner of the animal.
- There will be no on-site livestock trailer parking. An offsite parking location is available to exhibitors.
- Absolutely no food or beverages are allowed in the barns.
- All Entries will be judged by certified specialty judges using the single judge system.
- Electrical appliances other than fans are not permitted in the barns.
- Only outdoor rated extension cords, in good condition, can be used in barns.

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- i. Exhibitors having space awarded them or any others will not be allowed to change exhibits to another position without first having obtained consent of the superintendent of the department, under penalty of a forfeiture of premiums.
 - j. **PREMISE ID REGISTRATION:** A premise ID must be provided before animals can be unloaded and exhibited. For more information you may contact: WI DATCP at 608-224-4872 or go to the DATCP website: http://datcp.wi.gov/Animals/Premises_Registration/index.aspx or the WI Livestock Identification Consortium at <http://www.wiid.org>. Please read the Animal Health Regulations and the ATCP 160 rules at the end of this document or on our website, www.nwsfa.com.
 - k. Exhibitors of livestock will be responsible for when their stock will be judged. Stock must be in the show ring shortly after being called. Any person failing to comply with this order will be ruled out of competition.
 - l. Exhibitors of livestock are required to display over each stall or pen occupied by their stock, a printed placard containing the name, breed, and age, with registry of the animal exhibited.
 - m. Each animal shall be exhibited to the entire satisfaction of the judge. No person shall be permitted in the ring while the stock is being judged except the judge, the superintendent, and the necessary attendants.
 - n. Cattle, horses, mules can enter the ring only under halter and in charge of a groom, sheep, and swine only in charge of an attendant. Livestock will not be permitted to run at large at any time.
 - o. All ribbons or cards shall be attached by the judge before the animals leave the enclosure.
 - p. Persons exhibiting purebred animals will be required to furnish the name and register numbers of the animals to be exhibited and pedigree to the superintendent in charge when the animal is checked in.
 - q. Satisfactory evidence supported by affidavit or otherwise, must be furnished to the Superintendent that breeding animals four years old and up, must have produced a living offspring within the last two years which must be considered in judging breeding qualities. No award will be made where there is unsoundness in breeding animals if there is any question as to its transmissibility.
 - r. Exhibitors showing livestock must be at least 8 years old.
 - s. Any animal that appears to have an illness or injury must be checked by a veterinarian at the exhibitor's expense before the animal will be allowed to be unloaded or participate.
 - t. The NWSF will take every precaution in its power for the safe preservation of stock and articles on exhibit after its arrival and arrangement on the fairgrounds. Exhibitors are requested to pay attention to their article or animal in the exhibition and at the close of the fair, take charge of the same. The NWSF will not be held responsible for any damage or accident that may occur. Exhibitors will be held responsible for any damage or accident which may be caused by their entries. NWSF will not in any way be responsible for non-animal articles left after 6pm on Monday following the final day of the fair.
 - u. All stock sold at the fair during fair week shall be reported to the Superintendent in charge, giving the name of the owner and purchaser. The Superintendent shall report all sales to the Entry Department.
 - v. The NWSF has adopted certain precautionary measures designed to meet the unusual animal health problems which arise whenever large numbers of animals from different sources are assembled for exhibition. All exhibitors must comply with the provisions set forth below.
 - w. Health records should be delivered to the Entry Department or the Superintendent of livestock before animals are unloaded at fairgrounds. All animals exhibited should be identified by registration name and numbers or by ear tag number. All interstate health certificates accompanying any exhibition animal that originate outside of Wisconsin must be provided to fair personnel to be inspected and kept on file with the fair organizer.
 - x. Animals must be transported in clean and disinfected cars trailers and trucks to and from the fair.
 - y. Animals should not be unloaded or left in a stockyard during transit.
 - z. Vaccination for shipping fever of dairy and beef animals is recommended.
16. **NATIONAL CODE OF SHOW RING ETHICS**
- a. The Northern Wisconsin State Fair Board has adopted the following IAFE (International Association of Fairs and Expositions) NATIONAL CODE OF SHOW RING ETHIC RULES, and as supplemented were deemed necessary by the Fair Board, which shall be applied to all exhibitors of the Northern Wisconsin State Fair:
 - b. **CODE OF SHOW RING ETHICS** Exhibitors of animals at livestock shows shall at all times deport themselves with honesty and good sportsmanship. Their conduct in this competitive environment shall

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always reflect the highest standards of honor and dignity to promote the advancement of agricultural education. This code applies to junior as well as open class exhibitors who compete in structured classes of competition. This code applies to all livestock offered in any event at a livestock show. In addition to the "IAFE Code of Show Ring Ethics," fairs and livestock shows may have rules and regulations which they impose on the local, county, state, provincial and national levels.

- c. All youth leaders working with junior exhibitors are under an affirmative responsibility to do more than avoid improper conduct or questionable acts. Their moral values must be so certain and positive that those younger and more pliable will be influenced by their fine example. Owners, exhibitors, fitters, trainers, and absolutely responsible persons who violate the code of ethics will forfeit premiums, awards and auction proceeds and shall be prohibited from future exhibition in accordance with the rules adopted by the respective fairs and livestock shows. Exhibitors who violate this code of ethics demean the integrity of all livestock exhibitors and should be prohibited from competition at all livestock shows in the United States and Canada.
- d. The following is a list of guidelines for all exhibitors and all livestock in competitive events:
 - 1) All exhibitors must present, upon request of fair and livestock show officials, proof of ownership, length of ownership, and age of all animals entered. Misrepresentation of ownership, age, or any facts relating thereto is prohibited.
 - 2) Owners, exhibitors, fitters, trainers, or responsible persons shall provide animal health certificates from licensed veterinarians upon request by fair or livestock show officials.
 - 3) Junior exhibitors are expected to care for and groom their animals while at fairs or livestock shows.
 - 4) Animals shall be presented to show events where they will enter the food chain free of violative drug residues. The act of entering an animal in a livestock show is the giving of consent by the owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer and/or absolutely responsible person for show management to obtain any specimens of urine, saliva, blood, or other substances from the animal to be used in testing. Animals not entered in an event which culminates with the animal entering the food chain shall not be administered drugs other than in accordance with applicable federal, state and provincial statutes, regulations and rules. Livestock shall not be exhibited if the drugs administered in accordance with federal, state and provincial statutes, regulations and rules affect the animal's performance or appearance at the event. If the laboratory report on the analysis of saliva, urine, blood, or other sample taken from livestock indicates the presence of forbidden drugs or medication, this shall be prima facie evidence such substance has been administered to the animal either internally or externally. 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 correct and accurate and the report received from the laboratory pertains to the sample taken from the animal in question and correctly reflects the condition of the animal at the time the sample was taken, with the burden on the owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or absolutely responsible person to prove otherwise. At any time after an animal arrives on the fair or livestock show 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.
 - 5) Any surgical procedure or injection of any foreign substance or drug or the external application of any substance (irritant, counterirritant, or similar substance) which could affect the animal's performance or alter its natural contour, confirmation, or appearance, except external applications of substances to the hoofs or horns of animals which affect appearance only and except for surgical procedures performed by a duly licensed veterinarian for the sole purpose of protecting the health of the animal, is prohibited.
 - 6) The use of showing and/or handling practices or devices such as striking animals to cause swelling, using electrical contrivance, or other similar practices are not acceptable and are prohibited. There is a zero tolerance of mistreatment of animals and exhibitors will result in loss of premiums and a ban from future showing at the NWSF.
 - 7) Direct criticism or interference with the judge, fair or livestock show 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, fair and livestock show management, or other show officials shall be treated with courtesy, cooperation and respect and no person shall direct abusive or threatening conduct toward them.

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- 8) No owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or absolutely 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. Violation of this rule shall subject such an individual to disciplinary action.
- 9) The application of this code of ethics provides for absolute responsibility for an animal's condition by an owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or participant whether he or she was actually instrumental in or had actual knowledge of the treatment of the animal in contravention of this code of ethics.
- 10) The act of entering an animal is the giving of consent by the owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or absolutely responsible person to have disciplinary action taken by the fair or livestock show for violation of this Code of Show Ring Ethics and any other rules of competition of the fair or livestock show without recourse against the fair or livestock show. The act of entering an animal is the giving of consent that any proceedings or disciplinary action taken by the fair or livestock show may be published with the name of the violator or violators in any publication of the International Association of Fairs and Expositions, including Fairs and Expos and any special notices to members.
- 11) The act of entering of an animal in a fair or livestock show is the giving of verification by the owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or absolutely responsible person that he or she has read the IAFE Code of Show Ring Ethics and understands the consequences of and penalties provided for actions prohibited by the code. It is further a consent that any action which contravenes these rules and is also in violation of federal, state, or provincial statutes, regulations, or rules may be released to appropriate law enforcement authorities

17. Liability Information

- a. Northern Wisconsin State Fair Association, Inc. and Northern Wisconsin Fairgrounds, Inc. and all their respective officers, directors, and employees (collectively, "NWSFA") shall not be held responsible for any loss, damage, theft, or injury or deaths by disease or from any other cause of any character to any property while any such property is on the Fairgrounds. NWSFA hereby assumes no responsibility for any accident, injury or mishap which may befall you, your property, or members of the fair-going public.
- b. NWSFA will not be responsible for losses or the security and protection of property and merchandise belonging to license holders, entry tag coupons, reserve seats and fair admission ticket holders anywhere on the Fairgrounds. NWSFA will provide general grounds security during the week the Fair is open; however, licensed holders and exhibitors shall take their own adequate steps to avoid theft or damage to their property. Any loss or damage should be reported to the Chippewa Falls Police Department and the NWSFA administration office.
- c. Licensees and exhibitors shall waive any claims against NWSFA for liability arising out of any damage done to their concession, exhibit, products, or property from any cause. The risk of loss occasioned by all the operations, installations, acts, errors and omissions of the licensee or the employees and agents of the licensee on the Fairgrounds shall be that of the licensee, not NWSFA. Licensees shall not seek contribution, damages, or indemnification from NWSFA for any such loss.
- d. Licensees and exhibitors shall assume all liability for injury to persons, including death, and for damage to property arising from accidents or other causes incident to movement, set-up, tear-down and operation of their exhibit and/or concession on the Fairgrounds. Licensees and exhibitors shall release NWSFA from any liability, including, but not limited to, liability for licensee's employees and to its workers' compensation insurance carrier for injuries sustained by licensee's employees in the course and scope of their employment occurring on the Fairgrounds.
- e. Licensees and exhibitors shall indemnify and hold harmless NWSFA, with counsel acceptable to NWSFA, from all damages, claims, costs, liabilities, obligations, fines, penalties, and expenses, including but not limited to, attorneys' fees, accountants' fees and court costs, arising out of the actions, errors, omissions, movement, set-up, tear-down and operation of the Licensee's and exhibitor's exhibit, concession, support equipment, and/or provision of service(s) on the Fairgrounds.
- f. If licensees, exhibitors, or others interested in any property located on the Fairgrounds desire protection against any loss, damage, or injury from fire or from any other cause, they must make their arrangements and pay for such insurance. NWSFA does not provide insurance coverage for the benefit of any licensee or exhibitor. Stock and articles on exhibit after its arrival and arrangement on the fairgrounds. Articles left after 6pm on Monday following the final day of the fair.

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Department Junior Dairy Cattle #01

Important Information:

1. Click Here for Online Entry <http://nwsfa.fairwire.com>
2. Schedule can be found online and on page 1. Exhibitors of livestock must inform themselves when their stock will be judged. Stock must be in the show ring promptly after being called. Any person failing to comply with order will be ruled out from competing.
3. **Use only this year's entry guide.**
4. General information that pertains to all departments can be found online and starting on page 2. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to follow all expectations.
5. All animals you plan to show MUST be registered prior to the entry deadline. Stall assignments will be made after registration closes.
6. Animals may not be unloaded until all paperwork is received by the Superintendent of the department. And fees paid to the office.
7. Dairy and Beef exhibitors are limited to a total of 6 entries in Departments B-1 and B-2.
8. Classes with more than 16 exhibits will be broken into heats.
9. When there are less than three exhibits entered in a class, the exhibit(s) may be moved to a Miscellaneous Class at the time of judging. Learn more about this rule by researching DATCP, ATCP 160.07(1).
10. Complete DATCP Animal Health Regulations for Fairs can be found on our website www.nwsfa.com, at the end of this book or at https://docs.legis.wisconsin.gov/code/admin_code/atcp/140/160/i/01
 - Age definitions can be found at ATCP 16.08(1)
 - In cow and offspring class, offspring shall be born after January 1 of the exhibit year.
11. PREMISE ID REGISTRATION: If you are entering animals in this department, you must provide us with your Premise Identification Number on your entry form. For more information you may contact: WI DATCP at 608-224-4872 or go to the DATCP website: http://datcp.wi.gov/Animals/Premises_Registration/index.aspx or the WI Livestock Identification Consortium at <http://www.wiid.org> . A premise ID must be provided before animals can be unloaded and exhibited.
12. By participating in the Northern Wisconsin State Fair, you are agreeing to follow the Code of Ethics set forth by the NWSFA Board. Mistreatment of any animal will not be tolerated. Any exhibitor or person found mistreating animals during the exhibition will be dismissed from the fairgrounds with loss of premiums.
13. By participating you authorize the use of your image in pictures, audio, and video productions for advertising and marketing needs of the NWSF.
14. All entries will be judged by certified specialty judges using the Danish system.
15. A charge of 5.00 per head will be made in this department. Cows with suckling calf count as one.
16. Exhibitors of livestock are required to display over each stall or pen occupied by their stock, a printed placard containing the name, breed, and age, with registry of the animal exhibited.
17. All Junior Fair blue-ribbon exhibitors of registered animals may show in open class for ribbon only. IF space allows.
18. YQCA certificate number should be entered with registration. And a copy of the certificate must be presented to the fair office by July 1. Exhibitors not providing a copy of their certificate will not be allowed to show and compete in the junior fair.
19. Showmanship: must be included at the time of entry. Showmanship classes may be further divided, depending on entry numbers, and are the decision of the Superintendent.
20. In the "Any Other Breed" class, exhibitors must have registry papers or exhibit will be considered a crossbred.
21. Entries must specify with full pedigree and post office address, the name, age, sex and breed or description with full pedigree and registered number. This information must be provided to the Department Superintendent upon check-in.
22. Cattle entered must be owned by the individuals or firms exhibiting them, but the get or progeny of animals may not be owned by the individuals or firms exhibiting them, qualifying without ownership.

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23. All purebred animals in the Department to be entitled to compete shall show certificate of registry in the government recognized Stud, Herd and Flock Books of their respective breeds.

Age Definitions per DATCP:

• **Individual Classes**

- (a) A spring calf is one born on or after March 1 of the exhibit year.
- (b) A winter calf is one whose date of birth is between December 1 of the year preceding the exhibit year and February 28 or 29 of the exhibit year.
- (c) A fall calf is one whose date of birth is between September 1 and November 30 of the year preceding the exhibit year.
- (d) A summer yearling is one whose date of birth is between June 1 and August 31 of the year preceding the exhibit year.
- (e) A spring yearling is one whose date of birth is between March 1 and May 31 of the year preceding the exhibit year.
- (f) A winter yearling is one whose date of birth is between December 1 of the second year preceding the exhibit year and February 28 or 29 of the year preceding the exhibit year.
- (g) A fall yearling is one whose date of birth is between September 1 and November 30 of the second year preceding the exhibit year.
- (h) A 2-year-old is one born between September 1 of the third year preceding the exhibit year and August 31 of the second year preceding the exhibit year. A 2-year-old includes a yearling that has freshened.
- (i) A 3-year-old is one whose date of birth is between September 1 of the fourth year preceding the exhibit year and August 31 of the third year preceding the exhibit year.
- (j) A 4-year-old is one whose date of birth is between September 1 of the fifth year preceding the exhibit year and August 31 of the fourth year preceding the exhibit year.
- (k) A 5-year-old and older born on or before August 31 of the fifth year preceding the exhibit year.

• **Group Classes**

- (a) A dairy junior get of sire shall consist of 3 animals which are the offspring of the same bull. All of these animals shall be under 2 years of age, and not more than one may be a bull. A beef junior get of sire shall consist of 3 animals which are the offspring of the same bull and are animals in the junior calf, senior calf, or the summer yearling, bull and heifer classes, with both sexes to be represented.
- (b) A dairy and beef senior get of sire shall consist of 3 animals which are the offspring of one sire. All of these animals shall be 2 years of age or over. In either a dairy or beef breed get of sire, the name of the sire shall be designated by the exhibitor. The animals need not be owned by a single exhibitor.
- (c) A produce of dam shall consist of 2 animals of any age or sex which are the produce of one cow.
- (d) A group of 3 best female cattle shall consist of 3 animals of any age which were bred and are owned by the exhibitor.

Department Junior Dairy #01 Notice the new terminology Department – Division – Class

Division A: Purebred Holstein

Division B: Purebred Jersey

Division C: Purebred Guernsey

Division D: Purebred Brown Swiss

Division E: Purebred Ayrshire

Division F: Purebred Any Other Breed

Dairy Purebred Class # - Description

Premium	1 st =\$12	2 nd =\$10	3 rd =\$8	4 th =\$6
1. Cow, 2 to 3 years				
2. Cow, 3 to 4 years				
3. Cow, 4 to 5 years				
4. Cow, 5 years and older				
5. Dry Cow, 3 years old and over				
Champion Cow, 2 years+			Ribbon	
Reserve Champion Cow, 2 years+			Ribbon	
Premium	1 st =\$7	2 nd =\$6	3 rd =\$5	4 th =\$3
6. Bull Calf, Spring				
7. Bull Calf, Winter				

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8.	Bull Calf, Fall				
	Junior Champion Bull			Ribbon	
	Reserve Junior Champion Bull			Ribbon	
Premium	1st =\$9	2nd =\$7	3rd =\$6	4th =\$5	
9.	Heifer Calf, Spring				
10.	Heifer Calf, Winter				
11.	Heifer Calf, Fall				
12.	Heifer Calf, Summer Yearling				
13.	Heifer Calf, Spring Yearling				
14.	Heifer, Winter Yearling				
15.	Heifer, Fall Yearling				
	Champion Heifer, under 2 years			Ribbon	
	Reserve Champion Heifer, under 2 years			Ribbon	
	Grand Champion Female			Rosette	
	Reserve Grand Champion Female			Rosette	

Dairy Grade Class # - Description

Division G - Grade Holstein

Division H - Grade Jersey

Division I - Grade Guernsey

Division J - Grade Brown Swiss

Division K - Grade Ayrshire

Division L - Grade, Any Other Breed

Premium	1st =\$9	2nd =\$8	3rd =\$7	4th =\$5
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Dairy Class # - Description

1.	Cow, 2 to 3 years				
2.	Cow, 3 to 4 years				
3.	Cow, 4 to 5 years				
4.	Cow, over 5 years				
5.	Dry Cow, 3 years old and over				
	Champion Cow			Ribbon	
	Reserve Champion Cow			Ribbon	
Premium	1st =\$7	2nd =\$6	3rd =\$5	4th =\$3	
6.	Bull calf, spring				
7.	Bull calf, winter				
8.	Bull calf, fall				
	Champion Bull			Ribbon	
	Reserve Champion Bull			Ribbon	
Premium	1st =\$8	2nd =\$7	3rd =\$6	4th =\$5	
9.	Heifer Calf, Spring				
10.	Heifer Calf, Winter				
11.	Heifer Calf, Fall				
12.	Heifer Calf, Summer Yearling				
13.	Heifer Calf, Spring Yearling				
14.	Heifer, Winter Yearling				
15.	Heifer, Fall Yearling				
	Champion Heifer, under 2 years			Ribbon	
	Reserve Champion Heifer, under 2 years			Ribbon	
	Grand Champion Female			Rosette	
	Reserve Grand Champion Female			Rosette	

Dairy Division M Club Herd

- Do NOT include in registration.
- Ribbon only, no premium

Division N – Dairy Showmanship

Premium	1st =\$3	2nd =\$2.50	3rd =\$2	4th =\$1.50
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Class # - Description

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1. Beginners, grades 3-6
2. Intermediate, grades 7-9
3. Senior, grades 10-13

Sportsmanship Award (Tom Hinke)

Department Junior Beef Cattle #02

Important Information:

1. Click Here for Online Entry <http://nwsfa.fairwire.com>
2. Schedule can be found online and on page 1. Exhibitors of livestock must inform themselves when their stock will be judged. Stock must be in the show ring promptly after being called. Any person failing to comply with order will be ruled out from competing.
3. **Use only this year's entry guide.**
4. General information that pertains to all departments can be found online and starting on page 2. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to follow all expectations.
5. All animals you plan to show MUST be registered prior to the entry deadline. Stall assignments will be made after registration closes.
6. Animals may not be unloaded until all paperwork is received by the Superintendent of the department. And fees paid to the office.
7. Dairy and Beef exhibitors are limited to a total of 6 entries in Departments B-1 and B-2.
8. Classes with more than 16 exhibits will be broken into heats.
9. When there are less than three exhibits entered in a class, the exhibit(s) may be moved to a Miscellaneous Class at the time of judging. Learn more about this rule by researching DATCP, ATCP 160.07(1).
10. Complete DATCP Animal Health Regulations for Fairs can be found on our website www.nwsfa.com, at the end of this book or at https://docs.legis.wisconsin.gov/code/admin_code/atcp/140/160/i/01
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19. Showmanship: must be included at the time of entry. Showmanship classes may be further divided, depending on entry numbers, and are the decision of the Superintendent.
20. In the "Any Other Breed" class, exhibitors must have registry papers or exhibit will be considered a crossbred.

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21. Entries must specify with full pedigree and post office address, the name, age, sex and breed or description with full pedigree and registered number. This information must be provided to the Department Superintendent upon check-in.
22. All purebred animals in the Department to be entitled to compete shall show certificate of registry in the government recognized Stud, Herd and Flock Books of their respective breeds.

Age Definitions per DATCP:

• **Individual Classes**

- (a) A junior calf is one born on or after January 1 of the exhibit year. The calf shall be at least 4 months old at the time of exhibit.
- (b) A senior calf is one whose date of birth is between September 1 and December 31 of the year preceding the exhibit year.
- (c) A summer yearling is one whose date of birth is between May 1 and August 31 of the year preceding the exhibit year.
- (d) A junior yearling is one whose date of birth is between January 1 and April 30 of the year preceding the exhibit year.
- (e) A senior yearling is one whose date of birth is between September 1 and December 31 of the second year preceding the exhibit year.
- (f) A 2-year-old or older cow is one born before September 1 of the second year preceding the exhibit year and which has calved during the past year.

• **Group Classes**

- (a) A dairy junior get of sire shall consist of 3 animals which are the offspring of the same bull. All of these animals shall be under 2 years of age, and not more than one may be a bull. A beef junior get of sire shall consist of 3 animals which are the offspring of the same bull and are animals in the junior calf, senior calf, or the summer yearling, bull and heifer classes, with both sexes to be represented.
- (b) A dairy and beef senior get of sire shall consist of 3 animals which are the offspring of one sire. All of these animals shall be 2 years of age or over. In either a dairy or beef breed get of sire, the name of the sire shall be designated by the exhibitor. The animals need not be owned by a single exhibitor.
- (c) A produce of dam shall consist of 2 animals of any age or sex which are the produce of one cow.
- (d) A group of 3 best female cattle shall consist of 3 animals of any age which were bred and are owned by the exhibitor.

Department Junior Beef #02 Notice the new terminology Department – Division – Class

Division A - Registered Purebred Angus

Division B - Registered Purebred Hereford

Division C - Registered Purebred Simmental

Division D - Registered, Purebred Shorthorn

Division E - Registered, Any Other Breed

Beef Class # - Description	Premium	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
1. Bull Calf, Junior		\$9	\$8	\$7	\$5
2. Bull Calf, Senior		\$9	\$8	\$7	\$5
Champion Bull		Ribbon			
Reserve Champion Bull		Ribbon			
3. Heifer Calf, Junior		\$9	\$8	\$7	\$5
4. Heifer Calf, Senior		\$11	\$9	\$7	\$5
5. Heifer, Summer Yearling		\$11	\$9	\$7	\$5
6. Heifer, Junior Yearling		\$11	\$9	\$7	\$5
7. Heifer, Senior Yearling		\$11	\$9	\$7	\$5
8. Cow, 2 years old and over		\$8	\$7	\$6	\$5
9. Cow and Offspring		\$8	\$7	\$6	\$5
Champion Female		Ribbon			
Reserve Champion Female		Ribbon			

Division F – Commercial Beef

Beef Class # - Description	Premium	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
1. Bull Calf, Junior		\$9	\$8	\$7	\$5

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2.	Bull Calf, Senior	\$9	\$8	\$7	\$5
	Champion Bull				Ribbon
	Reserve Champion Bull				Ribbon
3.	Heifer Calf, Junior	\$9	\$8	\$7	\$5
4.	Heifer Calf, Senior	\$11	\$9	\$7	\$5
5.	Heifer, Summer Yearling	\$11	\$9	\$7	\$5
6.	Heifer, Junior Yearling	\$11	\$9	\$7	\$5
7.	Heifer, Senior Yearling	\$11	\$9	\$7	\$5
8.	Cow, 2 years old and over	\$8	\$7	\$6	\$5
9.	Cow/Offspring	\$8	\$7	\$6	\$5
	Champion Female				Ribbon
	Reserve Champion Female				Ribbon
	Grand Champion Female				Rosette

(of all classes, registered and commercial)

Beef Market Divisions

Division G – Market Beef (purebred, grade or crossbred, including dairy beef crosses)

Division H – Market Dairy (both parents of dairy breeding)

Beef Class # - Description	Premium	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
11. Feeder Calf		\$8	\$7	\$6	\$5
12. Market Animal		\$8	\$7	\$6	\$5
	Grand Champion Market Animal				
	Reserve Grand Champion Market Animal				

Division I – Beef Carcass

Beef Class # - Description	Premium	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
1. Carcass (only auction eligible animals)		\$6	\$5	\$4	\$3
	Champion Carcass				
	Reserve Champion Carcass				
	Rate of Grain Champion				
	Rate of Grain Reserve Champion				
	Total Performance Champion				
	Total Performance Reserve Champion				

Division J – Beef Showmanship

Beef Class # - Description	Premium	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
1. Beginners, grades 3-6		\$3	\$2.50	\$2	1.50
2. Intermediate, grades 7-9		\$3	\$2.50	\$2	1.50
3. Seniors, grades 10-13		\$3	\$2.50	\$2	1.50

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Department Junior Swine #03 THIS IS A TERMINAL SHOW.

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All swine unloaded at the NWSF are part of the TERMINAL show. Swine not qualifying for the auction will be removed and processed prior to the auction. Guidelines subject to change. See our website for updates.

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4. General information that pertains to all departments can be found online and starting on page 2. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to follow all expectations.
5. All animals you plan to show MUST be entered prior to the entry deadline. Stall assignments will be made after registration closes.
6. Animals may not be unloaded until all paperwork is received by the Superintendent of the department. And fees paid to the office.
 - All Swine exhibitors must provide an up-to-date Wisconsin intrastate certificate of veterinary inspection (CVI or health certificate) before unloading animals.
 - Recommendations and guidelines given by the State Veterinarian regarding this show, transportation, and movement of animals will be followed.
7. The maximum number of animals which may be entered in all market classes is two (2) animals per exhibitor.
8. Classes with more than 16 exhibits will be broken into heats.
9. When there are less than three exhibits entered in a class, the exhibit(s) may be moved to a Miscellaneous Class at the time of judging. Learn more about this rule by researching DATCP, ATCP 160.07(1).
10. Complete DATCP Animal Health Regulations for Fairs can be found on our website www.nwsfa.com, at the end of this book or at https://docs.legis.wisconsin.gov/code/admin_code/atcp/140/160/i/01
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15. All entries will be judged by certified specialty judges using the Danish system.
16. A charge of 5.00 per head will be made in this department.
17. YQCA certificate number should be entered with registration. And a copy of the certificate must be presented to the fair office by July 1. Exhibitors not providing a copy of their certificate will not be allowed to show and compete in the junior fair.
18. Showmanship: must be included at the time of entry. Showmanship classes may be further divided, depending on entry numbers, and are the decision of the Superintendent.

Age definitions per DATCP:

- **Individual Classes**
 - (a) A junior yearling boar or sow is one born between January 1 and June 30 of the year preceding the exhibit year.
 - (b) A senior boar or sow is one whose date of birth is between July 1 and December 31 of the year preceding the exhibit year.

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- (c) A senior spring boar or sow pig is one whose date of birth is between January 1 and February 28 or 29 of the exhibit year. A fair board may subdivide this entry class into January-born and February-born sows or boars.
- (d) A junior spring boar or sow pig is one born during the month of March of the exhibit year.

• Group Classes

- (a) Swine. A pen of 3 feeder pigs shall consist of swine of either sex each weighing between 40 and 60 pounds. Any male pigs included in the pen shall be castrated and healed.

Market Classes-Swine

- Hogs will be placed in any of the three market hog weight classes at the discretion of the Northern Wisconsin State Fair. The fair will establish the minimum and maximum weights between the classes. The minimum weight of a lightweight market pig shall be 230 lbs. The maximum weight of a heavyweight market pig shall be 320 lbs. Pigs weighing 190 to 229 pounds may be exhibited in the ultra-light weight class if they are participating in the NWSF Meat Animal Project.

Department Junior Swine #03 Notice the new terminology Department – Division – Class

Division A - Market Swine

Swine Class # - Description	Premium	1st =\$6	2nd =\$5	3rd =\$4	4th =\$3
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21. Market Hog

Champion Market Animal

Reserve Market Animal

Division B - Carcass

Swine Class # - Description	Premium	1st =\$6	2nd =\$5	3rd =\$4	4th =\$3
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1. Carcass (only animals in auction eligible)

Champion carcass

Reserve Champion Carcass

Rate of Gain Champion

Rate of Gain Reserve Champion

Total Performance Champion

Total Performance Reserve Champion

Division C – Swine Showmanship

Swine Class # - Description	Premium	1 st =\$3	2 nd =\$2.50	3 rd =\$2	4 th =\$1.50
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1. Beginners, grades 3-6
2. Intermediate, grades 7-9
3. Senior, grades 10-13

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Department Junior Sheep #04

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 4. General information that pertains to all departments can be found online and starting on page 2. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to follow all expectations.
 5. All animals you plan to show MUST be registered prior to the entry deadline. Stall assignments will be made after registration closes.
 6. Animals may not be unloaded until all paperwork is received by the Superintendent of the department and fees paid to the office.
 - Sheep exhibitors must fill out Animal Identification Form with complete scrapie, registration, or tattoo number. This form is available on our website or in the Entry Office.
 7. Exhibitors are limited to 2 market lamb, and a total of 6 animals.
 8. Classes with more than 16 exhibits will be broken into heats.
 9. When there are less than three exhibits entered in a class, the exhibit(s) may be moved to a Miscellaneous Class at the time of judging. Learn more about this rule by researching DATCP, ATCP 160.07(1).
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 15. A charge of 5.00 per head will be made in this department.
 16. YQCA certificate number should be entered with registration. And a copy of the certificate must be presented to the fair office by July 1. Exhibitors not providing a copy of their certificate will not be allowed to show and compete in the junior fair.
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 18. All entries will be judged by certified specialty judges using the Danish system.
 19. All Lambs shown in purebred classes must have ear tags and association numbers.
- Sheep from within Wisconsin need:**
- If sexually intact, need official individual ID *at any age*
 - If not sexually intact, need official individual ID if they are *12 months or older*
 - Official ID includes scrapie ear tags or tattoos, USDA 840 ear tag, approved microchips if a reader is available and if accompanied by breed registration papers in the owner's name, or breed association tattoo if accompanied by registration papers in the owner's name
 - Cannot be under restriction for movement to fairs and shows
- Sheep from outside Wisconsin need:**
- Certificate of veterinary inspection (CVI or health certificate) and official individual ID: scrapie ear tags or tattoos, USDA 840 ear tag, approved microchips if a reader is available and if accompanied by breed

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registration papers in the owner's name, or breed association tattoo if accompanied by registration papers in the owner's name

INDIVIDUAL CLASSES-Sheep

- A spring lamb is one born on or after February 16 of the exhibit year.
- A winter lamb is one born between January 1 and February 15 of the exhibit year.
- A fall lamb is one born between September 1 and December 31 of the year preceding the exhibit year.
- A yearling ram or ewe is one born outside the date of birth limitations in parts. (a) through (c). The age of yearlings may be subject to verification by a veterinarian's examination whose findings shall be final.
- All wool breed classes of sheep, including registered Columbias, Corriedales, Rambouillets and Targhees shall be shown with not more than 2 inches of fleece.
- Lambs shown in the Breeding Classes are not eligible to show in the Market Class.

GROUP CLASSES-Sheep

- Pair of lambs may include a spring or fall ram and a spring or fall ewe lamb owned by exhibitor (Junior Division).
- Flock consists of 3 animals - a ram (yearling or lamb), an ewe lamb, and a yearling ewe owned by exhibitor (Junior Division).

Lead Lamb Class

- Open to all sheep exhibitors at the fair.
- Entrants shall wear attire made with wool fabrics.
 - The class will be judged on percentage as follows: 40% on attire of exhibitor 30% on sheep and manner on which it is handled 30% on personality and showmanship of exhibitor
- Only ewes may be used in this class.
- Entrants shall provide the sheep chairman with a short resume, including name, age, address, parents, description of outfit, youth activities and activities within sheep industry at the time of registration papers are checked.
- Cash awards provided by NWSF MAP Program.

Age definitions per DATCP:

• Individual Classes

- (a) A spring lamb is one born on or after February 16 of the exhibit year.
- (b) A fall lamb is one born between September 1 and December 31 of the year preceding the exhibit year.
- (c) A winter lamb is one born between January 1 and February 15 of the exhibit year.
- (d) A yearling ram or ewe is one born outside the date of birth limitations in pars. (a) through (c). The age of yearlings may be subject to verification by a veterinarian's examination whose findings shall be final.

• Group Classes

- (a) A get of sire shall consist of 4 lambs or yearlings, or both, of either sex, from one sire, which were bred and are owned by the exhibitor.
- (b) An exhibitor's flock shall consist of one yearling or ram lamb, 2 yearling ewes and 2 ewe lambs which are owned by the exhibitor.
- (c) A junior division pair of lambs may include a spring or fall ram and spring or fall ewe lamb owned by the exhibitor.
- (d) A junior division flock shall be comprised of 3 sheep consisting of a yearling or lamb ram, a ewe lamb, and a yearling ewe, all of which are owned by the exhibitor.

Department Junior Sheep #04 Notice the new terminology Department – Division – Class

Division A - Suffolk

Division B - Hampshire

Division C - Dorset

Division D - Tunis

Division E - Any Other Breed, Wool Type

Division F - Any Other Breed, Meat Type

Premium

1st =\$5

2nd =\$4

3rd =\$3

4th =\$2

Sheep Class # - Description

1. Yearling Ram or older
2. Fall Ram Lamb

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- 3. Winter Ram Lamb
- 4. Spring Ram Lamb
 - Champion Ram Lamb** **Ribbon**
 - Reserve Champion Ram Lamb** **Ribbon**
- 5. Yearling Ewe
- 6. Fall Ewe Lamb
- 7. Winter Ewe Lamb
- 8. Spring Ewe Lamb
- 9. Mature Ewe
 - Champion Ewe** **Ribbon**
 - Reserve Champion Ewe** **Ribbon**
- 10. Pair of lambs
- 11. Flock

Division G - Grades and Crossbreeds

Premium **1st =\$5** **2nd =\$4** **3rd =\$3** **4th =\$2**

Sheep Class # - Description

- 1. Yearling Ewe
- 2. Fall Ewe Lamb
- 3. Winter Ewe Lamb
- 4. Spring Ewe Lamb
- 5. Mature Ewe
 - Champion Ewe** **Ribbon**
 - Reserve Champion Ewe** **Ribbon**
 - Grand Champion Female-All Classes**
 - Grand Champion Male – All Classes**

Division H - Market Lambs

Premium **1st =\$5** **2nd =\$4** **3rd =\$3** **4th =\$2**

Sheep Class # - Description

- 11. Market Lamb
 - Champion Market Animal** **Ribbon**
 - Reserve Champion Market Animal** **Ribbon**

Division I - Carcass

Premium **1st =\$6** **2nd =\$5** **3rd =\$4** **4th =\$3**

Sheep Class # - Description

- 1. Carcass (only animals in auction eligible)
 - Champion Carcass**
 - Reserve Champion Carcass**
 - Rate of Gain Champion**
 - Rate of Gain Reserve Champion**
 - Total Performance Champion**
 - Total Performance Reserve Champion**

Division J – Sheep Showmanship

Premium **1st =\$3** **2nd =\$2.50** **3rd =\$2** **4th =\$1.50**

Sheep Class # - Description

- 1. Beginner, grades 3-6
- 2. Intermediate, grades 7-9
- 3. Senior, grades 10-13
 - Banners will be given to champion showman at each level.

Division K - Lead Lamb

Sheep Class # - Description

- 1. Lead Lamb Class **Ribbon only**

The Northern Wisconsin State Fair Chippewa County Meat Animal Program ('MAP') is developed to provide support, vision, educational experiences, youth leadership in livestock/animal production, and sustainability for Chippewa County youth development. This program is in addition to the Northern Wisconsin

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State Fair (NWSF) Junior Exhibit opportunities as referenced within the annual NWSF Exhibitor Guidebook. It is the responsibility of exhibitors and their families to understand the expectations related to participating in the MAP and Auction. If you have questions to what is presented, you are encouraged to visit the Fair's website or Exhibitor's Guide or contact MAP Program Chair or Junior & Open Fair Manager, Cindy Boggess, at cboggess@nwsfa.com. The NWSF Chippewa County Meat Animal Program objectives are to:

- To provide Chippewa County 4-H members and FFA members an inclusive opportunity to responsibly lead, manage and celebrate quality market animal livestock projects
- To educate a thorough understanding of the meat animal industry and evaluation, animal husbandry, ethical care and treatment of animals, biosecurity, and showmanship skills

Department Junior Goats #05

Important Information:

1. Click Here for Online Entry <http://nwsfa.fairwire.com>
2. Schedule can be found online and on page 1. Exhibitors of livestock must inform themselves when their stock will be judged. Stock must be in the show ring promptly after being called. Any person failing to comply with order will be ruled out from competing.
3. **Use only this year's entry guide.**
4. General information that pertains to all departments can be found online and starting on page 2. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to follow all expectations. Exhibitors of livestock are required to display over each stall or pen occupied by their stock, a printed placard containing the name, breed, and age, with registry of the animal exhibited.
5. All animals you plan to show MUST be entered prior to the entry deadline. Stall assignments will be made after registration closes.
6. Animals may not be unloaded until all paperwork is received by the Superintendent of the department. And fees paid to the office.
 - Sheep and goat exhibitors must fill out Animal Identification Form with complete scrapie, registration, or tattoo number. Forms available on-line or in the office.
 - All animals under 6 months of age must have an original registration, recordation certificate or duplicate application stamped by the registry office.
 - All goats of any age must be free of open skin wounds and abrasions. This includes cuts, punctures, and open horn scabs. There cannot be any animals unloaded onto the grounds that have abscesses of varying stages of progression, and previous sites must be dry, scab free with hair regrowing. No exceptions.
7. When there are less than three exhibits entered in a class, the exhibit(s) may be moved to a Miscellaneous Class at the time of judging. Learn more about this rule by researching DATCP, ATCP 160.07(1).
8. Complete DATCP Animal Health Regulations for Fairs can be found on our website www.nwsfa.com, at the end of this book or at https://docs.legis.wisconsin.gov/code/admin_code/atcp/140/160/i/01
9. PREMISE ID REGISTRATION: If you are entering animals in this department, you must provide us with your Premise Identification Number on your entry form. For more information you may contact: WI DATCP at 608-224-4872 or go to the DATCP website: http://datcp.wi.gov/Animals/Premises_Registration/index.aspx or the WI Livestock Identification Consortium at <http://www.wiid.org> . A premise ID must be provided before animals can be unloaded and exhibited.
10. Exhibitors of livestock are required to display over each stall or pen occupied by their stock, a printed placard containing the name, breed, and age, with registry of the animal exhibited.
11. By participating in the Northern Wisconsin State Fair, you are agreeing to follow the Code of Ethics set forth by the NWSFA Board. Mistreatment of any animal will not be tolerated. Any exhibitor or person found mistreating animals during the exhibition will be dismissed from the fairgrounds with loss of premiums.

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12. By participating you authorize the use of your image in pictures, audio, and video productions for advertising and marketing needs of the NWSF.
13. All entries will be judged by certified specialty judges using the Danish system
14. A charge of 5.00 per head will be made in this department.
15. YQCA certificate number should be entered with registration. And a copy of the certificate must be presented to the fair office by July 1. Exhibitors not providing a copy of their certificate will not be allowed to show and compete in the junior fair.
16. Showmanship: must be included at the time of entry. Showmanship classes may be further divided, depending on entry numbers, and are the decision of the Superintendent.

Department Junior Goats #05 Notice the new terminology Department – Division – Class

Division A - Registered

Division B - Grade

Division C - Pygmy

Premium

1st =\$5

2nd =\$4

3rd =\$3

4th =\$2

Goats Class # - Description

1. Junior Doe Kid (under 4 months)
2. Senior Doe Kid (4-7 months)
3. Junior Yearling (7-12 months)
4. Senior Yearling (12-24 months)
5. Yearling Milker (under 2 years)
6. Junior Milker (2-3 years)
7. Mature Milker (3-5 years)
8. Aged Milker (over 5 years)

Champion Junior Doe

Ribbon

Reserve Champion Junior Doe

Ribbon

Champion Senior Doe

Ribbon

Reserve Champion Senior Doe

Ribbon

Grand Champion Doe

Rosette

Reserve Grand Champion Doe

Rosette

Division E-Non-Dairy Goats

Premium

1st =\$5

2nd =\$4

3rd =\$3

4th =\$2

Goats Class # - Description

1. Pet under 1 year (females only)
2. Pet over 1 year (females & wether only that are not in milk)
3. Meat goat under 1 year
4. Meat goat over 1 year

Champion Non-Dairy Goat

Ribbon

Reserve Champion

Ribbon

Division F-Goats Showmanship

Premium

1st =\$3

2nd =\$2.50 3rd =\$2

4th =\$1.50

Goats Class # - Description

1. Beginning Showmanship (grades 3-6)
2. Intermediate Showmanship (grades 7-9)
3. Senior Showmanship (grades 10-13)

Department Junior Horses #06

Important Information:

1. Click Here for Online Entry <http://nwsfa.fairwire.com>

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2. Schedule can be found online and on page 1. Exhibitors of livestock must inform themselves when their stock will be judged. Stock must be in the show ring promptly after being called. Any person failing to comply with this order will be ruled out from competing.
 - The 2-minute time rule will be enforced unless you have asked for a tack change.
 - The show order will not be the same as the entry book order.
3. **Use only this year's entry guide.**
4. General information that pertains to all departments can be found online and starting on page 2. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to follow all expectations.
5. All animals you plan to show MUST be registered prior to the entry deadline. Stall assignments will be made after registration closes.
 - A \$5 per head fee will be charged. (All Junior animals have this fee).
 - No exhibitor may exhibit more than 2 horses.
 - A member exhibiting 2 animals may exhibit only once in a Showmanship or Equitation/Horsemanship class. They may exhibit the second animal in a second Halter or Pleasure class. A junior fair exhibitor cannot compete against themselves under the same class number.
 - No stallion born prior to January 1 of that show year may be shown. (Must be gelded by January 1 of the exhibit year)
 - Any horse 56" or under is considered a pony, and must be entered in the pony class, if available.
 - Exhibitors will be expected to house their horses in the area provided by the NWSF (barn and/or tent). Only overflow animals will be trailered in each day.
 - Two members of a family may use the same project horse and show the horse in one halter, two showmanship, one pleasure, two equitation classes and one trail class. The horse can be shown only once in a specific class number.
 - Horses must be owned or under managerial contract before June 21, 2023. A managerial animal is a horse under the care of, but not owned by the exhibitor. A copy of the managerial contract must be turned in with the negative Coggins at the time of registration
6. Animals may not be unloaded until all paperwork is received by the Superintendent of the department. And fees paid to the office.
 - Members must show an original copy of the negative Coggins Test that has been drawn within the last 12 consecutive months of July 1 of this year as stated by Wisconsin law. This test must be delivered to the Northern Wisconsin State Fairgrounds office by June 21, 2023. Only 2 Coggins tests per youth will be accepted.
 - **To compete at the fair, exhibitors are expected to safely exhibit and care for their animals.**
 - **Horse exhibitors are required to have a YQCA certificate starting with the 2024 NWSF. This number will be requested during registration. A paper or pdf copy must be turned in to the fair office. This course may be taken online at <http://yqcaprogram.org>**
 - **Organization leadership will submit a signed list of proficient riders to the fair office. A sample safety checklist is available on the NWSF website.**
7. When there are less than three exhibits entered in a class, the exhibit(s) may be moved to a Miscellaneous Class at the time of judging. Learn more about this rule by researching DATCP, ATCP 160.07(1).
8. Complete DATCP Animal Health Regulations for Fairs can be found on our website www.nwsfa.com, at the end of this book or at https://docs.legis.wisconsin.gov/code/admin_code/atcp/140/160/i/01
9. PREMISE ID REGISTRATION: If you are entering animals in this department, you must provide us with your Premise Identification Number on your entry form. For more information you may contact: WI DATCP at 608-224-4872 or go to the DATCP website: http://datcp.wi.gov/Animals/Premises_Registration/index.aspx or the WI Livestock Identification Consortium at <http://www.wiid.org> . A premise ID must be provided before animals can be unloaded and exhibited.
10. Exhibitors of livestock are required to display over each stall or pen occupied by their stock, a printed placard containing the name, breed, and age, with registry of the animal exhibited.

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11. By participating in the Northern Wisconsin State Fair, you agree to follow the Code of Ethics set forth by the NWSFA Board. Mistreatment of any animal will not be tolerated. Any exhibitor or person found mistreating animals during the exhibition will be dismissed from the fairgrounds with loss of premiums.
12. By participating you authorize the use of your image in pictures, audio, and video productions for advertising and marketing needs of the NWSF.
13. All entries will be judged by certified specialty judges using the Danish system.
 - The decision of the judge is final in all cases except where fraud, misrepresentation, or collusion, not discovered at the time of the award, is apparent. In such cases, fair protest guidelines must be followed.
 - [Showing & Judging will follow Wisconsin 4-H Association guidelines. Link](#)
14. Showmanship: must be included at the time of entry. Showmanship classes may be further divided, depending on entry numbers, and are the decision of the Superintendent.
15. A limited number of tack trailers may be allowed to park on the grounds in a designated area at the discretion of fair staff and/or superintendent decision. A parking permit must be purchased for the vehicle and trailer. No sleeping is allowed in tack trailers. If a tack trailer is used for camping, a camping permit must be requested and paid for. A space will be assigned for parking and a permit will need to be displayed. Campsites are limited so request space early.
16. A junior horse, five years or under may be shown in a bosal or snaffle if it is in accordance with USEF.org (United States Equestrian Federation) (formerly AHSA rules)
17. No horse can be ridden by anyone other than the exhibitor of that horse. No rides can be given to anyone.
18. Always walk your horse to and from the ring.
19. Exit and enter horses from the back doors only of the Horse Barn. Stay within the roped off "Horse Crossing" area. Watch for cars when crossing the road. Stop for pedestrians.
20. Stay off the blacktop as much as possible.
21. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to effectively use the dumpster behind the horse barns. Put all manure as far to the front as possible.
22. Any horse shall be considered one year old on the first day of January following the actual date of foaling. The horse's age, as of January 1, shall be maintained throughout the year.
 - Weanling and Foal Born in current year
 - Yearling Born in previous year
 - 2-Year-Old Born two years ago

Department Junior Horses 06 Notice the new terminology Department – Division – Class

Division A - Junior at Halter - Conformation of the horse or pony is judged.

Premiums **1st = 4.00** **2nd = 3.50** **3rd = 3.00** **4th = 2.50**

Horse Class # - Description

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| 1. | Pony three years of age and under at halter | | |
| 2. | Pony four years and older at halter | | |
| | Champion Pony at halter | | Ribbon |
| | Reserve Champion Pony at halter | | Ribbon |
| 3. | Horse Yearling and under | | |
| 4. | Horse three years and under at halter | | |
| 5. | Horse mares, four years and over, at halter | | |
| 6. | Horse geldings, four years and over, at halter | | |
| | Champion Horse at halter | | Ribbon |
| | Reserve Champion Horse at halter | | Ribbon |

Division B – Horse Showmanship

- Judged on the exhibitor's ability to show the horse or pony at halter and the grooming care given the horse or pony.

Premiums **1st = 4.00** **2nd = 3.50** **3rd = 3.00** **4th = 2.50**

Horse Class # - Description

1. Showmanship Beginners-grades 10-13
2. Showmanship Intermediate-grades 7-9

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3. Showmanship Senior-grades 3-6
4. Showmanship 4-H Horseless horse members only, Exhibitors-all grades

Grand Champion Showman

Reserve Grand Champion Showman at halter

Division C - Pleasure

- Horseless Horse exhibitors may only register for walk/trot classes
- A horse or pony is judged to its performance and manner as a pleasure mount or as a pleasure drive. Horses will walk, trot, canter/lope, and reverse. Usually a rail class.

Horse Class # - Description

Premiums 1st = 4.00 2nd = 3.50 3rd = 3.00 4th = 2.50

1. Western Pleasure Pony - shown under saddle-Exhibitor grades 10-13
2. Western Pleasure Pony - shown under saddle-Exhibitor grades 3-9

Champion Western Pleasure Pony

Reserve Champion Western Pleasure Pony

3. Western Pleasure Horse -Shown under western equipment-grade 10-13
4. Western Pleasure Horse -Shown under western equipment - grade 7-9
5. Western Pleasure Horse -Shown under western equipment - grade 3-6
6. Walk-trot Pleasure – Any Discipline - All grades

Champion Western Horse

Reserve Champion Western Horse

7. Driving Light Horse, Pony-Miniature, or Burro - all grades
8. Driving Draft Horse – all grades

Champion Driving Light Horse, Pony, Miniature Burro, or Draft Horse

Reserve Champion Driving Light Horse, Pony, Miniature Burro, or Draft Horse

9. Hunt Seat Pleasure - Horse or Pony -exhibitor grades 10-13
10. Hunt Seat Pleasure - Horse or Pony -exhibitor grades 7-9
11. Hunt Seat Pleasure - Horses or Pony -exhibitor grades 3-6
12. Hunter Hack-exhibitor grades 10-13
13. Hunter Hack exhibitor grades 3-9

Champion Hunt Seat Pleasure - Horse or Pony

Reserve Champion Hunt Seat Horse or Pony

Division D - Equitation/Horsemanship

- Horseless Horse exhibitors may only register for walk/trot classes.
- Horse or pony under saddle-the exhibitor's ability to ride is judged.
- Horse will walk, trot, canter/lope, reverse, and back 2 lengths.
- The rider may be required to execute any appropriate tests and answer questions about horses and equipment. Usually a patterned class.

Premiums 1st = 4.00 2nd = 3.50 3rd = 3.00 4th = 2.50

Horse Class # - Description

1. Hunt Seat Equitation – Horse or Pony - exhibitor grades 10-13
2. Hunt Seat Equitation – Horse or Pony - exhibitor grades 7-9
3. Hunt Seat Equitation – Horse or Pony - exhibitor grades 3-6

Champion Hunt Seat Equitation- horse or pony

Reserve Champion English horse or pony under saddle

4. Discipline Rail, Exhibitor grades 10-13
5. Discipline Rail, Exhibitor grades 7-9
6. Discipline Rail, Exhibitory grades 3-6
7. Walk-trot Equitation – Any Discipline - all grades
8. Equitation over fences, exhibitor grades 10-13
9. Equitation over fences, exhibitor grades 7-9
10. Equitation over fences, exhibitor grades 3-6
11. Western Horsemanship, grades 10-13
12. Western Horsemanship, grades 7-9
13. Western Horsemanship, grades 3-6

Champion Western Horsemanship

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Reserve Champion Western Horsemanship

14. Light Horse/Pony miniature or Burro-Reinsmanship-all grades
15. Draft Reinsmanship-all grades

Champion Reinsmanship/Light Horse, Pony, Miniature Burro, Draft Horse

Reserve Champion Reinsmanship/Light Horse, Pony, Miniature Burro, Draft Horse

Division E - Trail Class

- Horse or pony shown Western or English equipment - the exhibitor's ability to ride is judged. Tack and clothing style must match (all English or all Western)
- The horse will walk, trot, canter, lope, reverse, and back 2 lengths.
- The rider may be required to execute any appropriate tests and answer questions about horses and equipment.

Premiums 1st = 4.00 2nd = 3.50 3rd = 3.00 4th = 2.50

Horse Class # - Description

1. Trail, grades 10-13
2. Trail, grades 7-9
3. Trail, grades 3-6

Champion (based on score)

Reserve Champion (based on score)

4. Obstacle Driving Class-All Grades

Division F - Costume

- There are no premiums for Costume class.

Horse Class # - Description

1. Costume, riders, all grades

Exhibitors may not enter more than 6 entries in classes G and H.

Division G - Fun Show

- Will take place on day 2
- There are no premiums for the Fun Show.
- Must be entered in at least one exhibit in Class A-E.
- Sign up and details are arranged on day 1.

Class # - Description

1. Fun Show, grades 10-13
2. Fun Show, grades 7-9
3. Fun Show, grades 3-6.

Division H – Horse Projects (displays)

- Exhibits may be displayed in the Youth Building from Tues through Sunday, to provide fair goers access to these exhibits.

Premium 1st = 1.75 2nd = 1.50 3rd = 1.25 4th = 1.00

Horse Class # - Description

1. Poster or display on Horse Health & Safety. Poster may include information on Diseases, Safety, Nutrition, Hoof Care, Grooming, Parasites, Winter Care, Breeding and Reproduction, Anatomy including selection and unsoundness and other horse-related subjects. ** Consider Vet Sciences B10 instead.
2. Scrapbook of horse project activities. Member was personally involved. ** Consider Scrapbooks B32 instead.
3. Photo Story. Poster with a series of photographs you have taken presenting a photo story involving horses. **Consider Photography B20 instead.
4. Drawing, using any medium, minimum size 8.5"x 11" mounted on tag board or framed, involving horses. **Consider cultural arts B18 instead.
5. Photograph. Single photograph you have taken of a horse. **Consider photography B20 instead.
6. Horse equipment made by the exhibitor.
7. Any other item not listed.

Class I-Tack Class

- The exhibitor's equipment will be judged on safety and cleanliness, appearance & exhibitor's knowledge.
- Entry tag MUST be displayed on tack, (saddle, saddle pad, bridle, etc.).

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- Tack Class entries will be judged after the completion of day one judging.
- Each worthy exhibit will receive a uniform premium of \$1.25 and a ribbon of the judge's choice.
- All horse project exhibitors, including Horseless Horse, are encouraged to enter this class.

Horse Class # - Description

1. Exhibitor grades 10-13.
2. Exhibitor grades 7-9.
3. Exhibitor grades 3-6.

Department B-07 Junior Poultry

Important Information:

1. Click Here for Online Entry <http://nwsfa.fairwire.com>
2. Schedule can be found online or on page 1. Exhibitors of livestock must inform themselves when their stock will be judged. Stock must be in the show ring promptly after being called. Any person failing to comply with order will be ruled out from competing.
3. **Use only this year's entry guide.**
4. General information that pertains to all departments can be found online and starting on page 2. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to follow all expectations.
5. All animals you plan to show MUST be registered prior to the entry deadline. Space for the show will be allocated after registration closes.
 - Each exhibitor provides cups and feed for feeding and watering their poultry.
 - Cancellation: If the poultry show is canceled because of health concerns, fees will be refunded
 - Plastic must be put down on tables under poultry cages.
 - Shavings only (no hay or straw)
 - Exhibitors are required to help clean and put cages away following the exhibition.
 - All cockerel, pullet, and waterfowl entries must be hatched on or after January 1 in the exhibit year and are referred to as young birds.
 - Hens must be hatched prior to January 1 of the exhibit year and referred to as old birds.
6. Animals may not be unloaded until all paperwork is received by the Superintendent of the department. And fees paid to the office.
 - Poultry must provide a DATCP Poultry Certification. This form is available on our website or in the Entry Office.
 - All poultry, except waterfowl, shown in public exhibition shall originate from flocks designated "U.S. Pullorum-Typhoid Clean" under the national poultry improvement plan or from equivalent flocks, or shall have had a negative pullorum. **This certificate must be filed with the Fair entry Department before the fair starts.**
 - Typhoid test within 90 days of movement to public exhibition.
 - All turkeys must be blood tested.
 - Only sexually mature birds over four months of age with a full complement of fully developed adult feathers must be tested.
 - Testing must be arranged by the registration deadline.
 - Mature birds, without testing as required, will be disqualified.
 - All birds must be inspected before entering the show barn.
7. When there are less than three exhibits entered in a class, the exhibit(s) may be moved to a Miscellaneous Class at the time of judging. Learn more about this rule by researching DATCP, ATCP 160.07(1).
8. Complete DATCP Animal Health Regulations for Fairs can be found on our website www.nwsfa.com, at the end of this book or at https://docs.legis.wisconsin.gov/code/admin_code/atcp/140/160/i/01
9. PREMISE ID REGISTRATION: If you are entering animals in this department, you must provide us with your Premise Identification Number on your entry form. For more information you may contact: WI DATCP at 608-224-4872 or go to the DATCP website:

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http://datcp.wi.gov/Animals/Premises_Registration/index.aspx or the WI Livestock Identification Consortium at <http://www.wiid.org> .

10. Exhibitors of livestock are required to display over each stall or pen occupied by their stock, a printed placard containing the name, breed, and age, with registry of the animal exhibited. Exhibitors of livestock are required to display over each stall or pen occupied by their stock, a printed placard containing the name, breed, and age, with registry of the animal exhibited.
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12. By participating you authorize the use of your image in pictures, audio, and video productions for advertising and marketing needs of the NWSF.
13. YQCA certificate number should be entered with registration. And a copy of the certificate must be presented to the fair office by July 1. Exhibitors not providing a copy of their certificate will not be allowed to show and compete in the junior fair.
14. Showmanship: must be included at the time of entry. Showmanship classes may be further divided, depending on entry number, and are the decision of the superintendent.
15. All Entries will be judged by certified specialty judges using the Danish system.

Department Junior Poultry #07 Notice the new terminology Department – Division – Class
Standard Chickens

Premium 1st =\$2 2nd =\$1.75 3rd =\$1.50 4th =\$1.25

Division A - American

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plymouth Rock • Wyandottes • Rhode Island Reds • Any Other American Class | <p>Class # - Description</p> <p>A01 Cock, A02 Hen, A03 Cockerel, A04 Pullet
 A05 Cock, A06 Hen, A07 Cockerel, A08 Pullet
 A09 Cock, A10 Hen, A11 Cockerel, A12 Pullet
 A13 Cock, A14 Hen, A15 Cockerel, A16 Pullet</p> |
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Division B - Asiatic **Class # - Description**

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Brahmas • Cochins • Any Other Asiatic Class | <p>B01 Cock, B02 Hen, B03 Cockerel, B04 Pullet
 B05 Cock, B06 Hen, B07 Cockerel, B08 Pullet
 B09 Cock, B10 Hen, B11 Cockerel, B12 Pullet</p> |
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Division C - English

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Orpingtons • Australorps • Any Other English | <p>Class # - Description</p> <p>C01 Cock, C02 Hen, C03 Cockerel, C04 Pullet
 C05 Cock, C06 Hen, C07 Cockerel, C08 Pullet
 C09 Cock, C10 Hen, C11 Cockerel, C12 Pullet</p> |
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Division D - Mediterranean

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Leghorns • Any Other Mediterranean Class | <p>Class # - Description</p> <p>D01 Cock, D02 Hen, D03 Cockerel, D04 Pullet
 D05 Cock, D06 Hen, D07 Cockerel, D08 Pullet</p> |
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Division E - Continental

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Polish • Northern European • French • Any Other Continental Class | <p>Class # - Description</p> <p>E01 Cock, E02 Hen, E03 Cockerel, E04 Pullet
 E05 Cock, E06 Hen, E07 Cockerel, E08 Pullet
 E09 Cock, E10 Hen, E11 Cockerel, E12 Pullet
 E13 Cock, E14 Hen, E15 Cockerel, E16 Pullet</p> |
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Division F - Any other standard breed **Class # - Description**

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Orientals (Sumatra, Malay, Yokohama, etc.) • Misc (Sultan, Naked Neck, Araucana, Ameraucana) • Frizzles • All Other Standard Breeds | <p>F01 Cock, F02 Hen, F03 Cockerel, F04 Pullet
 F05 Cock, F06 Hen, F07 Cockerel, F08 Pullet
 F09 Cock, F10 Hen, F11 Cockerel, F12 Pullet
 F13 Cock, F14 Hen, F15 Cockerel, F16 Pullet</p> |
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Division G - Game

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Moderns • Old English | <p>Class # - Description</p> <p>G01 Cock, G02 Hen, G03 Cockerel, G04 Pullet
 G05 Cock, G06 Hen, G07 Cockerel, G08 Pullet</p> |
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Poultry - Bantam – Standard

Division H - Single Comb Clean Legged **Class # - Description**

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- Leghorns H01 Cock, H02 Hen, H03 Cockerel, H04 Pullet
- Plymouth Rocks H05 Cock, H06 Hen, H07 Cockerel, H08 Pullet
- Orpingtons H09 Cock, H10 Hen, H11 Cockerel, H12 Pullet
- Any Other Single Comb Clean Legged H13 Cock, H14 Hen, H15 Cockerel, H16 Pullet

Division I - Rose Comb Clean Legged Class # - Description

- Belgian Bearded D'Aners I01 Cock, I02 Hen, I03 Cockerel, I04 Pullet
- Rosecombs I05 Cock, I06 Hen, I07 Cockerel, I08 Pullet
- Sebrights I09 Cock, I10 Hen, I11 Cockerel, I12 Pullet
- Wyandottes I13 Cock, I14 Hen, I15 Cockerel, I16 Pullet
- Any Other Rose Comb Clean Legged I17 Cock, I18 Hen, I19 Cockerel, I20 Pullet

Division J - All Other Comb Clean Legged Class # - Description

- Ameraucanas J01 Cock, J02 Hen, J03 Cockerel, J04 Pullet
- Polish J05 Cock, J06 Hen, J07 Cockerel, J08 Pullet
- Any Other All Other Comb Clean Legged J09 Cock, J10 Hen, J11 Cockerel, J12 Pullet

Division K - Feather Legged Class # - Description

- Booted K01 Cock, K02 Hen, K03 Cockerel, K04 Pullet
- Belgian Bearded D'Uccle K05 Cock, K06 Hen, K07 Cockerel, K08 Pullet
- Brahamas K09 Cock, K10 Hen, K11 Cockerel, K12 Pullet
- Cochins K13 Cock, K14 Hen, K15 Cockerel, K16 Pullet
- Silkies K17 Cock, K18 Hen, K19 Cockerel, K20 Pullet
- Sultans K21 Cock, K22 Hen, K23 Cockerel, K24 Pullet
- Any other Feather Legged K25 Cock, K26 Hen, K27 Cockerel, K28 Pullet

Poultry - Pet – Standard

Division L - Any Pet Chicken / Mixed Class # - Description

- Standard Breed L01 Cock, L02 Hen, L03 Cockerel, L04 Pullet
- Bantam Breed L05 Cock, L06 Hen, L07 Cockerel, L08 Pullet

Awards

Champion Standard	Ribbon
Reserve Champion Standard	Ribbon
Champion Bantam	Ribbon
Reserve Champion Bantam	Ribbon

Poultry - Waterfowl – Ducks & Geese

Premium **1st =\$2** **2nd =\$1.75** **3rd =\$1.50** **4th =\$1.25**

Division M - Ducks-Heavy Class # - Description

- Pekins M01 Drake Young, M02 Drake Old, M03 Duck Young, M04 Duck Old
- Rouens M05 Drake Young, M06 Drake Old, M07 Duck Young, M08 Duck Old
- Muscovy M09 Drake Young, M10 Drake Old, M11 Duck Young, M12 Duck Old
- Any Other Heavy M13 Drake Young, M14 Drake Old, M15 Duck Young, M16 Duck Old

Division N - Ducks-Medium Class # - Description

- Buffs N01 Drake Young, N02 Drake Old, N03 Duck Young, N04 Duck Old
- Cayugas N05 Drake Young, N06 Drake Old, N07 Duck Young, N08 Duck Old
- Any Other Medium N09 Drake Young, N10 Drake Old, N11 Duck Young, N12 Duck Old

Division O - Ducks-Light Class # - Description

- Runners O01 Drake Young, O02 Drake Old, O03 Duck Young, O04 Duck Old
- Any Other Light O05 Drake Young, O06 Drake Old, O07 Duck Young, O08 Duck Old

Division P - Bantam Class # - Description

- Calls P01 Drake Young, P02 Drake Old, P03 Duck Young, P04 Duck Old
- East Indies P05 Drake Young, P06 Drake Old, P07 Duck Young, P08 Duck Old
- Mallards P09 Drake Young, P10 Drake Old, P11 Duck Young, P12 Duck Old

Division Q - Geese

Class # - Description

- Q01 Goose Young
- Q02 Goose Old

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- Q03 Gander Young
 - Q04 Gander Old
- Reserve Champion Waterfowl Ribbon**
Champion Waterfowl Ribbon

Poultry - Other Birds

Premium 1st =\$2 2nd =\$1.75 3rd =\$1.50 4th =\$1.25

Division R - Turkey

Class # - Description

- R01 Turkey Tom
- R02 Turkey Hen

Division S - Guinea Fowl

Class # - Description

- S01 Guinea Cock
- S02 Guinea Hen

Division T - Pigeons

Class # - Description

- T01 All Breeds
- Reserve Champion – Other Birds Ribbon**
Champion – Other Birds Ribbon

Division U – Eggs

Premium 1st =\$2 2nd =\$1.75 3rd =\$1.50 4th =\$1.25

One dozen, uniform size and color, in egg carton, clean

- U01 Brown
- U02 Blue
- U03 White

Division V - Poultry Showmanship

Premium 1st =\$2 2nd =\$1.75 3rd =\$1.50 4th =\$1.25

Class # - Description

- V01 Beginners, grades 3-6
- V02 Intermediate, grades 7-9
- V03 Senior, grades 10-13

Overall Awards

Grand Champion

Reserved Grand Champion

Department Junior Rabbits #08

Important Information:

- Rabbits may leave after judging. But are welcome to stay for the remainder of the week.
1. Click Here for Online Entry <http://nwsfa.fairwire.com>
 2. Schedule can be found online on page 1. Exhibitors of livestock must inform themselves when their stock will be judged. Stock must be in the show ring promptly after being called. Any person failing to comply with order will be ruled out from competing. Exhibitors must be present at the time of judging and bring their animal to the judge's table.
 3. **Use only this year's entry guide.**
 4. General information that pertains to all departments can be found online and starting on page 2. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to follow all expectations.
 5. All animals you plan to show **MUST** be registered prior to the entry deadline. Space for the show will be allocated after registration closes.
 - Exhibitors may not show more than (6) rabbits, not including the pen of meat rabbits.
 - Showmanship is required in all classes and must be included at the time of entry.

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- No animals for sale during the exhibition.
 - Padlocks are not permitted on the cages. Any locks will be removed. Zip ties are acceptable.
 - **Rabbits must be in show condition upon arrival at the fair, including groomed and nails trimmed. Long nails will be disqualified and sent home.**
 - The minimum age of rabbits shall be 12 weeks of age except for meat rabbits.
 - Nursing does and babies under 12 weeks of age are not to be brought for exhibit.
 - Exhibitors will be responsible for cleaning and putting cages away following the show.
 - Exhibitors are required to sign up for one hour of barn duty. Duties will be listed in barn.
6. Animals may not be unloaded until all paperwork is received by the Superintendent of the department. And fees paid to the office. And animals are inspected by the Superintendent.
 - Animals should be in an appropriately sized carrier.
 - Exhibitors must bring water cups and feed for their rabbits.
 - Exhibitors will not put hay or straw in the cages. Shavings will be provided.
 - Exhibitors are expected to check on their animals multiple times each day.
 - Plastic must be put down on tables under rabbit cages.
 - Rabbits must be in possession of the exhibitor for at least three months prior to the fair.
 7. When there are less than three exhibits entered in a class, the exhibit(s) may be moved to a Miscellaneous Class at the time of judging. Learn more about this rule by researching DATCP, ATCP 160.07(1).
 8. Complete DATCP Animal Health Regulations for Fairs can be found on our website www.nwsfa.com, at the end of this book or at https://docs.legis.wisconsin.gov/code/admin_code/atcp/140/160/i/01
 9. Identification Consortium at <http://www.wiid.org> . A premise ID must be provided before animals can be unloaded and exhibited.
 10. Exhibitors of livestock are required to display over each stall or pen occupied by their stock, a printed placard containing the name, breed, and age, with registry of the animal exhibited.
 11. By participating in the Northern Wisconsin State Fair, you are agreeing to follow the Code of Ethics set forth by the NWSFA Board. Mistreatment of any animal will not be tolerated. Any exhibitor or person found mistreating animals during the exhibition will be dismissed from the fairgrounds with loss of premiums.
 12. By participating you authorize the use of your image in pictures, audio, and video productions for advertising and marketing needs of the NWSF.
 13. YQCA certificate number should be entered with registration. And a copy of the certificate must be presented to the fair office by July 1. Exhibitors not providing a copy of their certificate will not be allowed to show and compete in the junior fair.
 14. Showmanship must be included at the time of registration. Showmanship classes may be further divided, depending on entry numbers, and are the decision of the Superintendent.
 15. All entries will be judged by certified specialty judges using the Danish system.

Department Junior Rabbits #08 Notice the new terminology Department – Division – Class

Division A - Lops (all varieties)

Division B - Dutch

Division C - Netherland Dwarf & Polish

Division D - Wool Breeds (all Angora breeds, Jersey Wooley, Lionheads, and American Fuzzy Lop)

Division E - Rex Breeds

Division F - Any other small fancy breed (Britannia Petite, Dwarf Hotot, Florida White, Havana, Himalayan, Tan)

Division G - Any other large fancy breed

(American Sable, Belgian Hare, English Spot, Harlequin, Lilac, Rhinelander, Silver, Silver Martin, Blue Holisters, Hotot)

Rabbit Class # - Description	Premium	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1. Buck, under 6 months					
2. Doe, under 6 months.					
3. Buck, over 6 months					
4. Doe, over 6 months					

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Champion
Reserve Champion

Ribbon
Ribbon

Division H - Any other large breed (American, Satin, Beveran, Champagne D'Argent, Californian, Checkered Giant, Chinchilla breeds, Cinnamon, Crème D'Argent, Flemish Giant, New Zealand, Palomino and Silver Fox)

Rabbit Class # - Description	Premium	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1. Buck, under 6 months					
2. Doe, under 6 months					
3. Buck, 6 to 8 months					
4. Doe, 6 to 8 months					
5. Buck, over 8 months					
6. Doe, over 8 months					

Champion
Reserve Champion

Ribbon
Ribbon

Grand Champion (All Breed Champions / Divisions A to H)

Division I - Meat Rabbits

Rabbit Class # - Description	Premium	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1. Pen of meat rabbits (3). All rabbits shall be of the same breed and variety. No rabbit may be over 69 days old. Weight not over 5 lbs. for each rabbit. These rabbits may not be entered in any other class.					
2. Single Fryer, not over 69 days or 5 pounds and may not be entered in any other class.					
3. Roaster Rabbit, single rabbit, either sex between 70 and 180 days of age and not less than 5 pounds. May not be entered in any other class.					

Champion
Reserve Champion

Ribbon
Ribbon

Division J - Crossbred Rabbit or Pet Rabbit

Rabbit Class # - Description	Premium	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1. Buck, under 6 months					
2. Doe, under 6 months					
3. Buck, over 6 months					
4. Doe, over 6 months					

Champion
Reserve Champion

Ribbon
Ribbon

Division K – Showmanship

Rabbit Class # - Description	Premium	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1. Beginners, grades 3-6					
2. Intermediate, grades 7-9					
3. Senior, grades 10-13					