

**DEPARTMENT N • JUNIOR MARKET SWINE SHOW**  
**September 18, 2026**



**Superintendent:** Billy Lewis

**Entry Deadline:** August 28, 2026 ONLINE ENTRIES ONLY, UNTIL 11:55 pm - NO EXCEPTIONS

**Location:** Gate 3, F Barn

**Check-in/Unloading:** September 18, Friday 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

**Judging:** Junior Swine Showmanship September 18, Friday 4:00p.m.

Junior Market Swine Show September 18, Friday immediately following Junior Swine Showmanship

Junior Breeding Gilt Show September 18, Friday immediately following Junior Market Swine Show

**Release:** After the conclusion of show

## **JUNIOR SWINE SHOWS**

### **INFORMATION TO SWINE EXHIBITORS**

1. The swine show is open to any boy or girl living in North Carolina age 21 and under as of January 1 of the current year.
2. Each exhibitor may exhibit a total of four animals: 2 in the Junior Market Swine, 2 in the Junior Breeding Gilts
3. The Health Regulations of the Veterinary Division of the N.C. Department of Agriculture will be strictly enforced. Be sure to read these under "Rules & Regulations of the Livestock Division" before entering. Animals cannot be unloaded until checked in.
4. The Grand and Reserve Grand Champion of the youth shows will be sponsored by Carolina Farm Credit.
5. Junior Market Swine Classes are open to barrows and gilts.
6. Classes will be divided by weight of the animal, with a maximum of 10 head per class.
7. No animal will be allowed to enter more than one class in the Junior Swine Show.
8. **Got to Be NC tags must be present for eligibility in Got to Be NC Champion Awards.**  
For tags go to <https://www.ncagr.gov/divisions/marketing/livestock>
9. The WNC 4-H Swine Project Show is a terminal show.

### **Showmanship**

#### **CLASS**

- NA200 Beginner – Non-competitive Youth 8 and under\*
- NA201 Novice - Youth 8 and under\*\*
- NA202 Junior – 9-13 years old\*\*
- NA203 Senior - 14-18 years old \*\*
- NA204 Senior Plus - 19-21 years old \*\*
- NA205 WNC Swine Project (ages 8 – 13) \*\*
- NA206 WNC Swine Project (ages 14 -18) \*\*

#### **PREMIUMS**

\$10 per exhibitor  
(\* Ribbon Only, \*\* Buckles for 1st)

**JUNIOR MARKET SWINE**

**CLASS**

- NB301 Classes will be determined by weight with no more than 10 animals per class. \* & \*\*
- NB302 WNC 4-H Market Hog Project \*\*\*

- \* **Grand Champion** Junior Market Swine (Sponsored) Buckle, Banner
- \* **Reserve Grand Champion** Junior Market Swine (Sponsored) Banner
- \*\***Got to Be NC Champion Junior Market Swine** (Sponsored)
- \*\***Got to Be NC Reserve Champion Junior Market Swine** (Sponsored)
- \*\*\***Grand Champion WNC 4-H Market Hog Project** (Banner)
- \*\*\***Reserve Grand Champion WNC 4-H Market Hog Project** (Banner)

<b>PREMIUMS</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> Place \$25	2 <sup>nd</sup> Place \$20	3 <sup>rd</sup> Place \$17	4 <sup>th</sup> Place \$14	5 <sup>th</sup> Place \$10
	6 <sup>th</sup> Place \$10	7 <sup>th</sup> Place \$10	8 <sup>th</sup> Place \$10	9 <sup>th</sup> Place \$10	10 <sup>th</sup> Place \$10

**JUNIOR BREEDING GILT SWINE**

**CLASS**

- NC401 Classes will be determined by weight with no more than 10 animals per class.

- \* **Grand Champion** Junior Breeding Gilt Swine, Banner
- \* **Reserve Grand Champion** Junior Breeding Gilt Swine, Banner
- \*\***Got to Be NC Champion Junior Breeding Gilt Swine** (Sponsored)
- \*\***Got to Be NC Reserve Champion Junior Breeding Gilt Swine** (Sponsored)

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