

DEPARTMENT 19 POULTRY



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Schedule of Events

August 1 - Monday

5 PM Last day for on-line entry or drop off entry form in Office

August 11 – Thursday

12PM - 7 PM **Bring all Poultry for MANDATORY testing (Building 22)**

August 18 – Thursday

5-8PM Bring all Poultry & Egg entries to Building 11

August 19 – Friday

8AM - 12AM Bring all Poultry & Egg entries to Building 11

6:30PM Showmanship, followed by Costume (Small Animal Tent)

August 20 – Saturday

8AM Judging (exhibitors welcome to attend but not required)

August 21 – Sunday

2PM Showmanship Final Drive-Round Robin
8PM Entries can be removed

General Rules for Poultry

- All entries must be pre-entered by August 1 at 5 pm, no walk in accepted.
- All entries must include full name, address, telephone number, and email of exhibitor, as well as full registered name/tag/ID Number of animal.
- Each exhibitor must attend the mandatory avian flu testing (8/11, 12pm-7pm) before entering at fair. If exhibiting 4+ birds, only 3 from the flock need tested.
- All entries are taken on a first come, first served basis.
- An exhibitor's first 8 entries will be at no cost, but any additional entries must include the **\$2.50 charge per animal**. (Except showmanship, all entries will be charged the \$2.50)
- Exhibitors will receive three (3) admission tickets and parking passes for entry and show days.
- All animals must be stalled in the designated barn, which will be open 8am-10pm for exhibitors to take care of animals.
- The decision of the judge is final.
- All awards will be made by comparison. The latest edition of the American Standard of Perfection shall be the guide of the poultry judge, whose decision is final.
- All exhibits will be cared for by the exhibitor. Exhibitors are responsible for the food, water and wellbeing of their animals during the fair.
- All poultry must be free of lice or mites. Any birds showing signs of lice or mites will be powdered by a veterinarian at check in and exhibitors will be charged \$1 per bird at checkout.

- Exhibits that show symptoms of sickness will be removed from the exhibit building.
- No age restrictions
- Fowl that constitute a pen may not be listed as singles.
- For other, miscellaneous, or AOB classes, there must be 5 entries to create and award them as a separate class.
- Exhibitors may choose to provide their own cages. Cages must be approved by superintendent before 8/11/22. (If using cages provided by fair, no alterations are to be made-exhibitors will be charged)

Default cages are as follows:

- Chickens and Guinea: 30"x20"x24" Wire bottom cage
- Turkeys and Peafowl: 7'x5'x7.5' Dirt bottom chain-link pen with no top
- Pigeons and Quail: 3 units per cage left 10", center 12", right 10"x10"x12" Wire bottom

DEFINITIONS

- Young: under 1 year old
- Mature: over 1 year old
- Pair: 1 male & 1 female
- Cock: male chicken over one year old
- Cockerel: male chicken under one year old
- Hen: female chicken over one year old
- Pullet: female chicken under one year old

Premiums and Special Awards

Premiums

Grand Champion: \$10 & rosette ribbon will be awarded to the top overall Male of Show, Female of Show, Pen of Show, Pair of Show, Trio of Show and Eggs. All classes compete for the Grand Championship.

1st place: \$5 & blue ribbon

2nd place: \$3 & red ribbon

3rd place: \$1 & white ribbon

CHICKENS *Division 19A*

CLASS

- 01** Standard cock
- 02** Standard cockerel
- 03** Standard hen
- 04** Standard pullet
- 05** Standard pair, young
- 06** Standard pair, mature
- 07** Bantam cock
- 08** Bantam cockerel
- 09** Bantam hen
- 10** Bantam pullet
- 11** Bantam pair, young
- 12** Bantam pair, mature

TURKEYS *Division 19B*

CLASS

- 13** Male heritage turkey
- 14** Female heritage turkey
- 15** Male broad-breasted turkey
- 16** Female broad-breasted turkey

PIGEONS

Division 19C

CLASS

- 17 Male meat type pigeon
- 18 Female meat type pigeon
- 19 Male flying pigeon
- 20 Female flying pigeon
- 21 Male fancy pigeon
- 22 Female fancy pigeon

OTHER POULTRY

Division 19D

CLASS

- 23 Guinea, male
- 24 Guinea, female
- 25 Peafowl, male
- 26 Peafowl, female
- 27 Quail, male
- 28 Quail, female
- 29 Other

EGGS

Division 19E

- Each entry shall consist of one dozen eggs in an egg carton.
- Shell must be natural, not oiled or otherwise treated.
- Eggs will be judged by exterior only; will not be broken.
- Eggs should be out of the same hen.
- Eggs will be disposed of after Fair, but ribbons will be available for pick-up on Sunday, August 21 after 8 pm.

What the Judges look for in Eggs

- **CLEANLINESS:** Eggs must be clean; may show small specks, stains or cage marks that do not detract from general clean appearance of the egg
- **EGG SHAPE:** Egg shapes should be approximately the usual egg shape.
- **SHELL TEXTURE:** May have rough areas that do not materially affect shape or strength.
- **RIDGES:** Should not materially affect shape or strength.
- **SHELL THICKNESS:** Should appear thick enough to withstand reasonable handling without breaking; in all cases, the shell must not be broken.
- **BODY CHECKS:** A body check is an egg which looks like the shell is cracked, but is actually still intact

CLASS

- 30 Chicken Eggs (Standard)
- 31 Chicken Eggs (Bantam)
- 32 Duck & Goose Eggs
- 33 Other Large Eggs (Turkey, Guinea, ect.)
- 34 Other Small Eggs (Quail, Pigeon, etc.)

COSTUME/DECORATING

Division 19F

- 35 Cage Decorating
- 36 Costume Class
- 37 Best decorated egg (must be fully decorated before entering)

SHOWMANSHIP

Division 19G

The top showman of each department will represent their species in the final drive-round robin championship.

(The \$2.50 per animal fee applies to this division to help toward premium and award costs).

CLASS

- 38 Showmanship over 18
- 39 Showmanship 18 and under

U.S. Poultry Facts

- 1** US Per Capita Poultry Consumption has gone from 34 pounds in 1960 to nearly 110 Pounds TODAY
- 2** The US exports approximately 16% of the chicken and 10% of the turkey produced in the nation.
- 3** In early 20th century, it took more than 5 lbs of feed to produce a pound of chicken, today it takes less than 2 lbs, decreasing the environmental impact
- 4** Poultry is the second most widely eaten meat in the world, accounting for 30% of meat production, pork is 38%
- 5** Synthetic hormones and steroids are never given to poultry, it's not economical and against federal law!
- 6** 29,500 family farms have production contracts. 95% of the broilers raised in the US are produced on those family farms.

FARM CREDIT Knowledge Center | www.FarmCreditKnowledgeCenter.com
 Sources: Virginia Poultry Federation, Mobile-Casinos.com, Broiler Facts



ENTRY # _____ (office use only)

EXHIBITOR NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____

ZIP _____ COUNTY _____

PHONE # _____

Email: _____

I hereby certify that the following animals are entered for exhibition strictly in accordance with the rules and regulations of the North Idaho State Fair as contained in the current Exhibitors Handbook. I hereby release the North Idaho State Fair from any liabilities for loss, damage or injury to ANY exhibitor or livestock or any other person or property.

Exhibitor Signature _____



POULTRY
Entry Form

REGISTRATION PAPERS: Entry forms must list name & registration numbers of animals entered and name and registration numbers of sire & dam. All exhibitors and their helpers are required to produce the registration certificates for each animal if requested.

(office use only)
Date _____
Amount Paid _____
 Paid in full
Balance _____

ENTRY FEE:

After 8 free entries _____ X \$2.50 = _____

GATE PASSES:

Exhibitors will receive 3 free admission tickets.
Additional 1-Day Adm _____ X\$8= _____
1 day parking pass _____ X\$5= _____

LATE FEE:

A \$10.00 late fee will be added after the entry due date of August 5, 2022, **NO EXCEPTIONS.**

Late Fee \$10 = _____

TOTAL = _____



NAME ON CC : _____ CC# _____ Exp. Date: _____ CVS _____

| DEPT | DIV. | CLASS | NAME OF ANIMAL | EAR # LEG BAND # | BREED | VARIETY | AGE | SEX |
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