GOLD BUCKLE EXTRAVAGANZA

2022 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Wednesday, July 20

8:00 a.m. Campground available for move-in

12:00 p.m. Barns available for move-in

Thursday, July 21

8:00 a.m. Broiler Check-In | Annex

9:00 a.m. Broiler Show | Annex

Broilers not qualifying for the Gala will be released following judging

10:00 a.m. Deadline to check-in all Country Cured Hams | FFA Building

11:00 a.m. All animals must be in place (exception: broilers)

12:00 p.m. Exhibitor Meeting & Contest Team Registration | Arena

1:00 p.m. Weigh-In of all animals at three locations:

Barrows - TBA | Goats & Lambs - TBA | Steers - TBA

2:00 p.m. Photography Contest Entry Deadline-Submit photos to Livestock Office

4:00 p.m. Stockman's Contest | Arena

5:30 p.m. Team Sales Contest | Arena

Friday, July 22

8:00 a.m. Market Beef Show followed by Beef Showmanship | Arena

11:30 a.m. Market Meat Goat Show followed by Goat Showmanship | Barn 1

2:30 p.m. Market Lamb Show followed by Sheep Showmanship | Barn 1

6:00 p.m. Market Swine Show followed by Swine Showmanship | Barn 1

6:00 p.m. Campground Cookout | TBA

Saturday, July 23

8:30 a.m. Livestock Judging Contest | Arena

11:00 a.m. Round Robin Showmanship Contest | Arena

2:00 p.m. Gold Buckle Extravaganza Awards Program | Arena

Exhibitors not qualifying for the Gold Buckle Gala will be released following the awards program

5:30 p.m. Gold Buckle Gala | Ozark Empire Fairgrounds E*Plex

OZARK EMPIRE FAIR FOUNDATION

GOLD BUCKLE GALA AUCTION

7 p.m. Saturday, July 23 | Ozark Empire Fairgrounds | E*Plex

MARKET BEEF:
The Grand Champion Market Beef will sell for a minimum of $7,000. The exhibitor will receive 75% of the total selling price in cash. The remaining 25% will go to the Ozark Empire Fair Foundation.
The Reserve Grand Champion Beef will sell for a minimum of $4,000. The exhibitor will receive 75% of the total selling price in cash. The remaining 25% will go to the Ozark Empire Fair Foundation.
The remaining top six market steers will sell at a minimum of $2,000. The exhibitor will receive 75% of the total selling price in cash. The remaining 25% will go to the Ozark Empire Fair Foundation.

MARKET LAMBS:
The Grand Champion Market Lamb will sell for a minimum of $1,000. The exhibitor will receive 75% of the total selling price in cash. The remaining 25% will go to the Ozark Empire Fair Foundation.
The Reserve Grand Champion Lamb will sell for a minimum or $500. The exhibitor will receive 75% of the total selling price in cash. The remaining 25% will go to the Ozark Empire Fair Foundation.
The third place lamb will sell at a minimum of $250. The exhibitor will receive 75% of the total selling price in cash. The remaining 25% will go to the Ozark Empire Fair Foundation.

MARKET SWINE:
The Grand Champion Market Swine will sell for a minimum of $1,000. The exhibitor will receive 75% of the total selling price in cash. The remaining 25% will go to the Ozark Empire Fair Foundation.
The Reserve Grand Champion Barrow will sell for a minimum or $500. The exhibitor will receive 75% of the total selling price in cash. The remaining 25% will go to the Ozark Empire Fair Foundation.
The third place barrow will sell at a minimum of $250. The exhibitor will receive 75% of the total selling price in cash. The remaining 25% will go to the Ozark Empire Fair Foundation.

MARKET GOATS:
The Grand Champion Market goat will sell for a minimum of $1,000. The exhibitor will receive 75% of the total selling price in cash, the remaining 25% will go to the Ozark Empire Fair Foundation.
The Reserve Grand Champion Market Meat Goat will sell for a minimum or $500. The exhibitor will receive 75% of the total selling price in cash. The remaining 25% will go to the Ozark Empire Fair Foundation.
The third place wether will sell at a minimum of $250. The exhibitor will receive 75% of the total selling price in cash. The remaining 25% will go to the Ozark Empire Fair Foundation.

HAMS:
The top four hams (Junior & Senior Grand and Reserve Grand Champions) will sell for a minimum of $100 each. The exhibitor will receive 75% of the total selling price in cash. The remaining 25% will go to the Ozark Empire Fair Foundation.

BROILERS:
The Grand Champion Broilers will sell for a minimum of $200. The Reserve Grand Champion Broilers will sell for a minimum of $100. The exhibitor will receive 75% of the total selling price in cash. The remaining 25% will go to the Ozark Empire Fair Foundation.

EXHIBITOR DRESS: Black jeans; white, collared, long-sleeve shirt; and black show harness. Tie is optional. Only western boots or dark leather shoes allowed. No hats or caps allowed.

EXHIBITOR CONDUCT: All exhibitors must conduct themselves in a manner fitting to the occasion. All portions of the Show Ring Code of Ethics and Conduct apply. Purpose of this event is to showcase youth in agriculture to an urban society and raise funds for the Ozark Empire Fair Foundation which will benefit the facilities and programs of the Fair as well as provide additional funds for grants and scholarships. The Ozark Empire Fair reserves the right to remove any exhibitor, family member or friend of an exhibitor who acts in any way unbefitting the event.

ANIMAL CONDUCT: Animals must be calm, and under control at all times. The sale ring will be surrounded with dining tables, with gala guests and spectators. If your animal shows behavior unfit for the event, you may be asked to drop from the sale.

Add-on Money To Be Accepted: 2022 Gold Buckle Gala

Add-on money will be accepted for animals sold in the Gold Buckle Gala. All add-ons that are collected (money received) by the exhibitor prior to 3 p.m. on Saturday will be retained 100% by the exhibitor. Any add-on to be invoiced or received after 3 p.m. on Saturday will be split 75/25. Seventy-five percent will go to the junior exhibitor and twenty-five percent will be retained by the Ozark Empire Fair Foundation.

JR MARKET BARROW SHOW | OZARK EMPIRE FAIR

6 p.m. | Friday, July 22

ARRIVAL: Must be in place by 11 a.m., Thursday, July 21. No arrival prior to 12 p.m., Wednesday, July 20.
RELEASE: Following the 2 p.m. Awards Program on Saturday, July 23.

This is a TERMINAL SHOW for the Top 3 Market Swine. The Top 3 Market Swine will be sold in the Gold Buckle Gala Auction on Saturday, July 23. The Ozark Empire Fair will assume custody of the Top 3 Barrows following the Gold Buckle Gala Auction. The barrows will be loaded onto trailers immediately following the Gala auction to be processed.

Ozark Empire Fair Rules, Livestock Entry Rules, Junior Show Rules and all portions of the Show Ring Code of Ethics and Conduct apply.

ELIGIBILITY: Entries will only be accepted from exhibitors who are 8 years of age as of January 1, but not over 21 years of age as of Janaury 1, and whose primary residence is in one of the following counties: Barry, Barton, Bates, Benton, Camden, Cedar, Christian, Dade, Dallas, Douglas, Greene, Henry, Hickory, Howell, Jasper, Laclede, Lawrence, McDonald, Miller, Morgan, Newton, Ozark, Polk, Pulaski, St. Clair, Stone, Taney, Texas, Vernon, Webster and Wright. Entries from exhibitors outside of these counties will not be accepted.
NOMINATION & ENTRY: Exhibitors may nominate barrows for the show by submitting a DNA sample(s) to the Ozark Empire Fair Livestock Office by May 16. A processing fee of $10 per barrow must accompany the DNA sample and is nonrefundable. **Full ownership of the animal must be established by May 16.** An exhibitor may nominate five (5) barrows, but may only show two (2) barrows. Only one (1) barrow per exhibitor will be allowed in the sale.

NOMINATION DOES NOT REPRESENT AN ENTRY.
All barrows must also be entered into the Ozark Empire Fair on an official entry form with all fees paid as designated on the entry.
Entry Fee is $12. ENTRY DEADLINE IS JUNE 15.
LATE ENTRY FEE IS $12 + A LATE ENTRY FEE OF $12 FOR A TOTAL OF $24 PER ENTRY, POSTMARKED BY JULY 1.

The exhibitor's legal guardian **must** sign the official Fair entry form. Any entries determined invalid will be returned. No refund will be made.
HEALTH QUALITY ASSURANCE: Each exhibitor will be required to maintain a Health Quality Assurance record on each entry up until the time of exhibition at the Ozark Empire Fair. This form will include all past history on the barrow as can best be determined from the time the exhibitor took ownership of the animal, as well as any veterinary treatments administered to the barrow up until exhibition. This form must be completed and submitted upon check-in at the Fairgrounds. **All exhibitors must hold a quality assurance certificate for at least one of the four species (beef, swine, lamb, goat) represented at the Gold Buckle Extravaganza.** Certification does not have to be for the same species exhibited. All state recognized programs will be accepted, including Show Me Quality Assurance. **Quality Assurance Certificate must be submitted to the livestock office with a postmark date no later than June 15.**
EARTAGS: Barrows must be identified with an OEF numbered tag provided in the nomination packet. Animals must be individually identified with the tag provided in your DNA packet. The identification on the DNA card must exactly match the identification on the animal(s) entered. Any discrepancies at weigh-in will be the responsibility of the exhibitor and the animal may be disqualified from the show. Should additional DNA testing be allowed (only if approved by show officials and determined on an individual basis), the cost to the exhibitor will be $150 payable immediately by cash or credit card only.
CHECK-IN: Upon arrival on the Fairgrounds, barrows will be weighed to determine classes. **Barrows must weigh between 230 and 290 lbs. to be eligible**. A 5-pound allowance will be made on weight. Barrows will be weighed only once. Underweight and overweight hogs will show in separate classes before judging of eligible hogs. Underweight and overweight hogs are not eligible for Gold Buckle Gala Auction or to show for Champions. Barrows must have been farrowed on or after Jan. 1, 2022. The Ozark Empire Fair reserves the right to take DNA, urine, blood and tissue samples on any and all animals. Stalls will be assigned by superintendents.
FIRST YEAR CLASS: Following the selection of the Top Three Barrows, exhibitors who have never exhibited a market barrow at the Gold Buckle Extravaganza are eligible to compete in an additional class: the first year class. This is an exhibition class only with the champion getting a prize. The class is judged based upon the merits of the animal. The exhibitor will still show in the normal weight range class and compete for a chance to be in the Top Three Barrows.
FITTING AND GROOMING: See Section L (Show Ring Code of Ethics and Conduct) under Livestock Rules found in Administration and General Rules.
SHOW PROCEDURE: Ozark Empire Fair dress code (t-shirts) required. Once class winners are selected, any exhibitor that does not want to sell his/her animal and relinquish all ownership rights, may drop out of the competition and will receive only premium monies determined by their class placing. Exhibitors must declare their intent to participate in the selection of the top 3 barrows once their class is over. Once exhibitors enter the ring for the champion drive they will no longer be able to pull out of the show and must sell their animal if selected in the top 3.
DNA SAMPLES: DNA samples will be collected on the Top 3 Barrows and any other barrow or barrows as requested by show officials. These samples, along with those submitted in May, will be analyzed. Should DNA samples taken in May, not match those taken during the Fair, exhibitors, parents and guardians may be banned from competing at future Gold Buckle Extravaganzas, Gold Buckle Galas and the Ozark Empire Fair. Additionally, a violation of any published rule may disqualify entries, and premium, sale monies and salvage value will NOT be paid.
DRUG TESTING: Any animal exhibited in a market class must meet withdrawal times and be eligible for processing for human consumption at the time of show. Urine, blood, saliva and/or tissue samples may also be taken from any barrow(s) to conduct testing for anabolic steroids, diuretics, caffeine, feed additives or drug residues. A positive test may result in disqualification, forfeiture of any premiums, sale monies and salvage value and may ban the exhibitor, along with immediate family members, from participating in the Ozark Empire Fair for three years. The exhibitor is responsible for the full payment of costs incurred for any positive samples including, but not limited to, the lab fee of $250.
SHOWMANSHIP: A jackpot beef showmanship contest will be held following the beef show. Entry in this showmanship rquires pre entry with an entry fee of $10.00

* 80% of each entry fee will be jackpotted with three (3) payouts per age division; 45% to First, 35% to second, 20% to Third.

Two winners will be selected from each of the following age divisions: Junior - 12 years and under; Intermediate - 13 to 16 years, and Senior 17 years and over. Winners will qualify for participation in the Round-Robin Showmanship Contest on Saturday, July 23.
GOLD BUCKLE GALA: Junior exhibitors with animals qualifying and selling in the Gold Buckle Gala must take their own animal through the sale ring. Animals must remain under the exhibitor's care and expense until sold. All participants in the auction warrant that (1) the carcass of their animal complies with the United States Department of Agriculture Wholesome Meat Act and is fit for human consumption; (2) the carcass of their animal contains no trace or residue of any illegal drug or any other substance not approved for administration to such animal; (3) the carcass of their animal reveals no evidence of any unethical fitting practice as defined by the Ozark Empire Fair and (4) there exists no unusual circumstance that would materially diminish the value of such carcass (5) their animal meets the definition and characteristics of the species and sex in the division in which they are exhibited. These warranties are absolute guarantees of the quality of the sale animal's carcass without regard to the exhibitor's actual responsibility or fault.
VIOLATION OF PUBLISHED RULES: Exhibitors, immediate family members, parents and guardians may be banned from competing at future Gold Buckle Extravaganzas, Gold Buckle Galas and the Ozark Empire Fair for a violation of the published 2022 Ozark Empire Fair and Gold Buckle Extravaganza rules. Additionally, a violation of any published rule may disqualify entries, and premiums, sale monies and salvage values will NOT be paid. The Ozark Empire Fair may hold any animal under quarantine for an extended period of time for any tests deemed necessary. Please be sure to review the following prior to entry: General Rules & Regulations, Livestock Entry Rules, Junior Show Rules, Livestock Health Requirements and Division Entry Rules.

ENTRY DEADLINE
JUNE 15
Entries must be POSTMARKED by June 15

2022 OZARK EMPIRE FAIR

3001 N. Grant, Springfield, MO 65803

JR MARKET ANIMALS ONLY

Use separate entry form for each species.

Gold Buckle Extravaganza

July 21-23, 2022

Only One Exhibitor per Entry Form

Exhibitor Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone (_____) _____ Birthdate _____

E-mail address _____

Social Security No. _____
Entry will not be accepted without this number.

INCOMPLETE ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED!

Only 2 Animals per species may be entered		**TOTAL**
Market Beef	____ @ $50.00	$ _____
LATE ENTRY FEE	**____ @ $50.00/head**	**$ _____**
Market Lambs	____ @ $12.00	$ _____
Market Swine	____ @ $12.00	$ _____
Market Meat Goats	____ @ $12.00	$ _____
LATE ENTRY FEE	**____ @ $12.00**	**$ _____**
Showmanship:	**____$10 Fee/ Specie Entry**	**$ _____**

Beef– ☐ Lambs– ☐ Swine– ☐ Goat- ☐

Age: (as of January 1st, 2022)_____

CAMPGROUNDS - Gold Buckle Extravaganza

Wednesday, July 20 - Sunday, July 24 **$30/night**
Monday, July 25 - Saturday, August 6 (OEF admission) **$40/night**

In Date _____ Out Date _____

Total Nights _____ @ $30 /night* Total $ _____

Total Nights _____ @ $40 /night* Total $ _____
** Add $5/night if requiring a 50 amp hookup (VERY LIMITED)*

Size of camping unit _____

TOTAL ENCLOSED

$10 (Mailed in/handwritten) + **$** _____=$_____

Please accept the following entries subject to rules and classifications governing exhibits as published in the Ozark Empire Fair Exhibitor Handbook for the current year. I hereby release the Ozark Empire Fair from any liability from loss, damage or injury to person, livestock or other property, while said property is on the fairgrounds. I have read all livestock entry rules and agree to abide by them as published.

Exhibitor Signature _____

Date _____ County _____

I am a member of: _____ 4-H _____ FFA _____ Other Assoc. or Club

Club/Chapter Name: _____

I certify that the animal(s) entered here are the qualified project of the exhibitor and that said exhibitor has met all ownership requirements as stated in Ozark Empire Fair rules.

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature:

_____ Date _____

Printed Name Parent/Legal Guardian: _____

EXHIBITOR T-SHIRT SIZE

___ Child M ___ Adult M
___ Child L ___ Adult L
___ Adult S ___ Adult XL
___ Adult XXL

Purchase Additional T-Shirts for $10
Size(s): _____
Quantity: _____
Total due for Additional Shirts: $_____

Class Numbers for Gold Buckle Extravaganza Market Animal Show

Beef:	**Division 15**	**Class Y1500**
Lambs:	**Division 13**	**Class Y1300**
Swine:	**Division 12**	**Class Y1200**
Goats:	**Division 11**	**Class Y1100**

Stalling Request: _____

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ONLY 2 ANIMALS PER SPECIE MAY BE ENTERED! **Use Separate Form for Each Specie and Exhibitor**
Indicate division number, provide OEF Tag Number and check mark appropriate specie. If this is your first year, please indicate.

	Division	ANIMAL'S OEF TAG NO.	Y1500 BEEF	Y1300 LAMB	Y1200 SWINE	Y1100 GOAT	ANIMAL BIRTHDATE	BREED	IS THIS YOUR FIRST YEAR TO SHOW THIS SPECIE AT THE GBE?
1									
2									

Quality Assurance Certificate must be submitted to the livestock office with a postmark date no later than June 15.
Entry may be made and form may be copied or downloaded at www.ozarkempirefair.com.