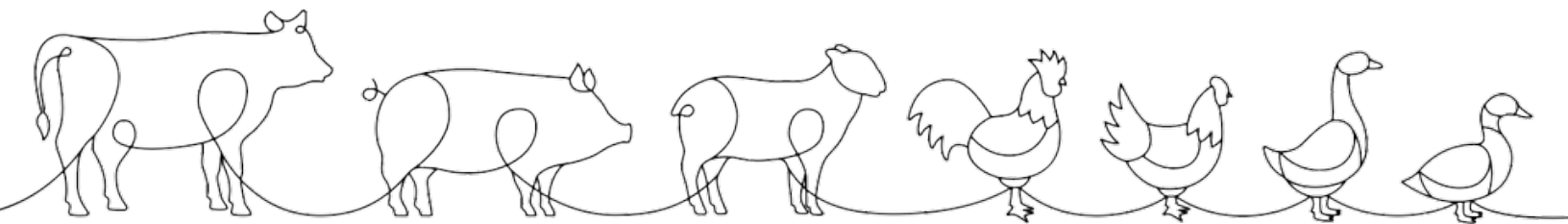




2023 Hartford Fair Livestock Quality Assurance

Beef / Dairy Cattle Project Packet



A colorful cartoon illustration of a farm scene. In the background, there are rolling green hills, a blue sky with white clouds and birds, and a farm building with a red roof. In the foreground, various farm animals are depicted: two white sheep on the left, a brown cow, a white goat, a pink pig, a white duck, a white rabbit, a brown chicken, and a yellow chicken. A wooden fence runs across the middle ground.

Good Production Practices (GPPs) For Youth Livestock Producers

- GPP 1 Use an appropriate Veterinarian / Client / Patient Relationship (VCPR) as the Basis for Medication Decision Making.
- GPP 2 Establish and Implement an Efficient and Effective Health Management Plan.
- GPP 3 Use antibiotics responsibly.
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- GPP 5 Follow Proper Feed Processing Protocols.
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2023 Focus

2023 Hartford Independent Fair Junior Fair Livestock / Animal Requirement Summary

(Last Revision 03.23.2023)

	Exhibit Limit	Possession	Pre-Fair Weigh-In/Tagging	Licking County Quality Assurance (Must attend one session) JUNE 1 st Deadline	Clinics	Entry Deadline	Animal Requirements	Health Requirements
Market Steer & Market Heifer	Maximum of 6 entries for Beef Division (Dept. 102/103/104/105)	December 10 th Weigh-In	Must be weighed, tattooed, and tagged on Saturday, December 10, 2022 (8 - 11 a.m.) Grubb Arena, Fairgrounds) Fee: \$5 / RFID Tag (if needed)	March 23 Watkins H.S. / April 5 Licking Valley H.S. / April 18 Johnstown H.S. / April 27 Licking Valley H.S. / May 1 Utica H.S. / May 13 Northridge H.S. All programs held 6:30-8:30 p.m.		Entry deadline is Monday, June 26 th . Changes must be made prior to July 21 st late entry deadline.	All animals must be dehorned and bulls castrated before December weigh-in. Must be 950 lbs. to sell	No health papers required. However, you must follow state guidelines. D.U.N.F. and U.P. feeding forms will be completed online prior to arrival to fairgrounds.
Steer Pool	May only draw 1 animal from pool to exhibit. Maximum of 6 entries for Beef Division (Dept. 102/103/104/105)	Steer Pool Selection Date (November)	Completed during selection of steers.	March 23 Watkins H.S. / April 5 Licking Valley H.S. / April 18 Johnstown H.S. / April 27 Licking Valley H.S. / May 1 Utica H.S. / May 13 Northridge H.S. All programs held 6:30-8:30 p.m.	Attend regularly scheduled Steer Pool meetings	Entry deadline is Monday, June 26 th . Changes must be made prior to July 21 st late entry deadline.		No health papers required. However, you must follow state guidelines. D.U.N.F. forms will be completed online prior to arrival to fairgrounds.
Beef Feeder Calf	Maximum of 6 entries for Beef Division (Dept. 102/103/104/105)	June 1 st	N/A	March 23 Watkins H.S. / April 5 Licking Valley H.S. / April 18 Johnstown H.S. / April 27 Licking Valley H.S. / May 1 Utica H.S. / May 13 Northridge H.S. All programs held 6:30-8:30 p.m.		Entry deadline is Monday, June 26 th . Changes must be made prior to July 21 st late entry deadline.	Calves must weigh between 300 lbs. and 700 lbs. to show for champion (steers and heifers only)	No health papers required. However, you must follow state guidelines.
Breeding Beef	Maximum of 6 entries for Beef Division (Dept. 102/103/104/105)	90 days preceding the fair	N/A	March 23 Watkins H.S. / April 5 Licking Valley H.S. / April 18 Johnstown H.S. / April 27 Licking Valley H.S. / May 1 Utica H.S. / May 13 Northridge H.S. All programs held 6:30-8:30 p.m.		Entry deadline is Monday, June 26 th . Changes must be made prior to July 21 st late entry deadline.	All breeds, except crossbreds, must be registered to show for special premiums. Registration papers will be checked at fair. (Not a sale animal)	No health papers required. However, you must follow state guidelines.
Dairy Feeder Calf	Maximum of 6 entries for Beef Division (Dept. 102/103/104/105)	May 1	Must be weighed, tagged and vaccinated on Saturday, June 3 (8 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.) Grubb Arena, Hartford Fairgrounds Fee: \$10 / animal **Must be dehorned / castrated prior to June 3 in order to be tagged**	March 23 Watkins H.S. / April 5 Licking Valley H.S. / April 18 Johnstown H.S. / April 27 Licking Valley H.S. / May 1 Utica H.S. / May 13 Northridge H.S. All programs held 6:30-8:30 p.m.	Dairy Feeder Clinic and Show will be held at the Fairgrounds immediately following weigh-in on Saturday, June 4, 2023	Entry deadline is Monday, June 26 th . Changes must be made prior to July 21 st late entry deadline.	Calf must be 100%-Holstein or Brown Swiss. Calf must be dehorned, and castrated PRIOR to weigh-in. Must weigh 400-650 lbs. to sell through Junior fair sale.	No health papers required. However, you must follow state guidelines. D.U.N.F. and U.P. feeding forms will be completed online prior to arrival to fairgrounds.
Dairy Cattle	No limit as to the number of dairy entries	90 days preceding the fair	N/A	March 23 Watkins H.S. / April 5 Licking Valley H.S. / April 18 Johnstown H.S. / April 27 Licking Valley H.S. / May 1 Utica H.S. / May 13 Northridge H.S. All programs held 6:30-8:30 p.m.		Entry deadline is Monday, June 26 th . Changes must be made prior to July 21 st late entry deadline.	No horns permitted (except on junior and intermediate heifers). (Not a sale animal)	No health papers required. However, you must follow state guidelines.
Market Hogs	May exhibit up to 2 animals per exhibitor	90 days preceding the fair	Market Hog ID papers must be submitted electronically to the Hartford Fair Office by no later than May 15.	March 23 Watkins H.S. / April 5 Licking Valley H.S. / April 18 Johnstown H.S. / April 27 Licking Valley H.S. / May 1 Utica H.S. / May 13 Northridge H.S. All programs held 6:30-8:30 p.m.		Entry deadline is Monday, June 26 th . Changes must be made prior to July 21 st late entry deadline.	Min. of 200lbs. to sell / 220-290 lbs. to show for Champion. Any breed / cross. Gilts and barrows allowed. Clipping discouraged – hair must meet ODA Rev. Code Terminal Sale.	No health papers required. However, you must follow state guidelines. D.U.N.F. forms will be completed online after tagging upon arrival to fairgrounds.
Market Lambs	May exhibit up to 5 animals (1 pen of two and 3 singles) NOTE: Can't be shown in Breeding Sheep show during Hartford Fair.	May 1	Tagging on May 6 (9 a.m. - 12 p.m.) Sheriff Office, Hartford Fairgrounds Up to 6 lambs may be tagged at that time. Fee: \$3 per animal. Scrapies tags are required for identification.	March 23 Watkins H.S. / April 5 Licking Valley H.S. / April 18 Johnstown H.S. / April 27 Licking Valley H.S. / May 1 Utica H.S. / May 13 Northridge H.S. All programs held 6:30-8:30 p.m.		Entry deadline is Monday, June 26 th . Changes must be made prior to July 21 st late entry deadline.	No rams allowed. MUST be sick shorn one week or less prior to the fair. All lambs must weigh min. of 95 lbs. (except Southdown and Cheviots 85 lbs.)	No health papers required. However, you must follow state guidelines. D.U.N.F. and U.P. feeding forms will be completed online prior to arrival to fairgrounds.
Market Lamb Pool	May select / exhibit up to two lambs. (Counts toward max of 5 that can be shown in Dept 108 Market Lamb)	Lamb Pool Selection will take place April 30 @ 3pm (Claylick Run Farm). Pre-registration required.	Completed during selection of lambs. NOTE: Lamb Pool application deadline is April 16.	March 23 Watkins H.S. / April 5 Licking Valley H.S. / April 18 Johnstown H.S. / April 27 Licking Valley H.S. / May 1 Utica H.S. / May 13 Northridge H.S. All programs held 6:30-8:30 p.m.		Entry deadline is Monday, June 26 th . Changes must be made prior to July 21 st late entry deadline.		No health papers required. However, you must follow state guidelines. D.U.N.F. and U.P. feeding forms will be completed online prior to arrival to fairgrounds.
Breeding Sheep	May exhibit up to 5 entries in Junior Fair.	90 days preceding the fair	N/A	March 23 Watkins H.S. / April 5 Licking Valley H.S. / April 18 Johnstown H.S. / April 27 Licking Valley H.S. / May 1 Utica H.S. / May 13 Northridge H.S. All programs held 6:30-8:30 p.m.		Entry deadline is Monday, June 26 th . Changes must be made prior to July 21 st late entry deadline.	May show ewes or rams. (Not a sale animal)	Must have USDA approved Scrapies tag in all breeding stock. No health papers required. However, you must follow state guidelines.

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Market Goats	May exhibit up to 2 animals.	May 20 th	Tagging on May 20 (10 a.m.–12 p.m.) Goat Barn, Hartford Fairgrounds Fee: \$2 / animal May tag up to 6 animals. Scraps tags are required for identification.	March 23 Watkins H.S. / April 5 Licking Valley H.S. / April 18 Johnstown H.S. / April 27 Licking Valley H.S. May 1 Utica H.S. / May 13 Northridge H.S. All programs held 6:30-8:30 p.m.	Goats R Us 4-H Club will host workshops on June 15 and July 13 at the Hartford Fairgrounds that are open to any youth. Contact Laney McLaughlin # 740.927.4790	Entry deadline is Monday, June 26 th . Changes must be made prior to July 21 st late entry deadline.	Minimum of 45 lbs. to sell. MUST be sick-shorn one week or less prior to the fair. Only goats entered in Junior Fair may stay on the grounds.	Must have USDA approved Scrapies identification in all goats (ear tag / microchip / tattoo / registration papers). No health papers required. However, you must follow state guidelines. D.U.N.F. and U.P. feeding forms will be completed online prior to arrival to fairgrounds.
Breeding Goats	May exhibit up to 6 animals (any market goat entries count toward this total of six entries within the goat department)	90 days preceding the fair	N/A	March 23 Watkins H.S. / April 5 Licking Valley H.S. / April 18 Johnstown H.S. / April 27 Licking Valley H.S. May 1 Utica H.S. / May 13 Northridge H.S. All programs held 6:30-8:30 p.m.	Goats R Us 4-H Club will host workshops on June 15 and July 13 at the Hartford Fairgrounds that are open to any youth. Contact Laney McLaughlin # 740.927.4790	Entry deadline is Monday, June 26 th . Changes must be made prior to July 21 st late entry deadline.	No horned goats permitted in dairy classes. No bucks permitted. (Not a sale animal) Only goats entered in Junior Fair may stay on the grounds.	Must have USDA approved Scrapies identification in all goats (ear tag / microchip / tattoo / registration papers). No health papers required. However, you must follow state guidelines.
Market Rabbits	Max of 2 per Lot, which counts toward max of 6 entries for Market and Breeding Rabbits.	30 days preceding fair	Registration/Tattooing July 8 (10 a.m. - 2 p.m.) Beef Barn, Hartford Fairgrounds Fee: \$1 / animal	March 23 Watkins H.S. / April 5 Licking Valley H.S. / April 18 Johnstown H.S. / April 27 Licking Valley H.S. May 1 Utica H.S. / May 13 Northridge H.S. All programs held 6:30-8:30 p.m.	Rabbit & Poultry Clinic & Fun Show will be held on Saturday, June 10 at the Hartford Fairgrounds.	Entry deadline is Monday, June 26 th . Changes must be made prior to July 21 st late entry deadline.	Single fryer / pen of three rabbits min 3 ½ lbs. / max 5 ½ lbs. 69 days old each at show	No health papers required. However, you must follow state guidelines. D.U.N.F. forms will be completed online prior to arrival to fairgrounds.
Breeding Rabbits	Max of 2 per Lot, which counts toward max of 6 entries for Market and Breeding Rabbits.	90 days preceding the fair	Sr. Rabbits - May 6 (10 a.m. – 2 p.m.) Behind Grandstands, Fairgrounds Jr Rabbits - July 8 (10 a.m. – 2 p.m.) Beef Barn, Fairgrounds Fee: \$1 / animal	March 23 Watkins H.S. / April 5 Licking Valley H.S. / April 18 Johnstown H.S. / April 27 Licking Valley H.S. May 1 Utica H.S. / May 13 Northridge H.S. All programs held 6:30-8:30 p.m.	Rabbit & Poultry Clinic & Fun Show will be held on Saturday, June 10 at the Hartford Fairgrounds.	Entry deadline is Monday, June 26 th . Changes must be made prior to July 21 st late entry deadline.	(Not a sale animal)	No health papers required. However, you must follow state guidelines.
Meat Poultry (broilers/turkeys / ducks)	Max of 2 per Lot, which counts toward max of 6 entries for Market Poultry. Meat turkeys, chickens and ducks must be purchased through a Hartford Fair Poultry Pool.	Meat turkeys / chickens / ducks must be purchased through Hartford Fair Poultry Pool.	Turkeys are banded May 6 (10 a.m. – 2 p.m.) Behind Grandstands, Hartford Fairgrounds All other Meat Poultry - Wing Banding July 8 (10 a.m. - 2 p.m.) Beef Barn, Hartford Fairgrounds Fee: \$1 / entry	March 23 Watkins H.S. / April 5 Licking Valley H.S. / April 18 Johnstown H.S. / April 27 Licking Valley H.S. May 1 Utica H.S. / May 13 Northridge H.S. All programs held 6:30-8:30 p.m.	Rabbit & Poultry Clinic & Fun Show will be held on Saturday, June 10 at the Hartford Fairgrounds.	Entry deadline is Monday, June 26 th . Changes must be made prior to July 21 st late entry deadline.	Meat chicken/single broiler / pen of three birds must weigh between 5 and 8 lbs. Meat turkeys, chickens and ducks must be purchased through Hartford Fair Poultry Pool.	Be prepared to show NPIP health papers. D.U.N.F. forms will be completed online prior to arrival to fairgrounds.
Breeding Poultry	Max of 2 per Lot, which counts toward max of 6 entries for Market Poultry.	90 days preceding the fair	Wing Banding May 6 (10 a.m. - 2 p.m.) Behind Grandstands, Hartford Fairgrounds Fee: \$1 / entry	March 23 Watkins H.S. / April 5 Licking Valley H.S. / April 18 Johnstown H.S. / April 27 Licking Valley H.S. May 1 Utica H.S. / May 13 Northridge H.S. All programs held 6:30-8:30 p.m.	Rabbit & Poultry Clinic & Fun Show will be held on Saturday, June 10 at the Hartford Fairgrounds.	Entry deadline is Monday, June 26 th . Changes must be made prior to July 21 st late entry deadline.	(Not a sale animal)	Be prepared to show NPIP health papers. All turkeys must be pollorum tested by a veterinarian. Health papers must be presented upon arrival to barn.
Dogs	May exhibit up to 6 Dogs, max of 6 entries.	April 1 Must be owned by exhibitor or immediate family	N/A	No Quality Assurance Program required for this species in 2023.	Entry deadline is Monday, June 26 th . Changes must be made prior to July 21 st late entry deadline.	Entry deadline is Monday, June 26 th . Changes must be made prior to July 21 st late entry deadline.	Need certificate of license & dog license tag to register. Dog must be older than 6 mos. at time of show. Dogs in heat may not be shown.	Hartford Fair Certificate of Vaccination form required. (available through Licking County 4-H Club Advisors and the Licking County Extension Office website)
Llamas	May exhibit up to 6 Llamas, max of 6 entries.	90 days preceding the fair	N/A	No Quality Assurance Program required for this species in 2023.	Entry deadline is Monday, June 26 th . Changes must be made prior to July 21 st late entry deadline.	Entry deadline is Monday, June 26 th . Changes must be made prior to July 21 st late entry deadline.	(Not a sale animal) Haul-in only. Temporary stalling will be provided day of show.	No health papers required. However, you must follow state guidelines.
Equine (Horse & Pony)	May exhibit up to 6 animals (may only stall 1 animal) NOTE: All horses and ponies must have a Body Condition Score (BCS) of at least "4" to be exhibited at 4-H events and shows.	Licking County exhibitors submit by April 27 to LC4-HH&PC Knox & Delaware exhibitors submit by May 1 to Hartford Fair Office	N/A	All Equine members must complete EquiSTEP training program by June 1 st .	Licking County Pony measurements made by appointment prior to April 10. Contact Nancy Aftidge (#614.989.5717). An educational clinic will be held April 29, sponsored by the Licking County 4-H Horse & Pony Council.	Entry deadline is Monday, June 26 th . Changes must be made prior to July 21 st late entry deadline.	(Not a sale animal) Pre-entry for classes is required. All classes must be entered by fair entry deadline.	Required Vaccinations: West Nile Combo (includes Tetanus), Rhino/Flu, and Equine Rabies. Health papers must be presented at Vet Check Point & Horse Project Grading. Veterinarian certificate and DUNF required for any and all medications with unexpired withdrawal period.

For all species divisions which are listed on this form, the youth member must be currently enrolled in the respective appropriate project in either Licking, Knox, or Delaware County 4-H / FFA/Steer Pool programs. The project must be carried through the county of which the youth is a 4-H or FFA member in good standing. Licking, Knox and Delaware County members are encouraged to attend a Quality Assurance Program within their county of membership.

Project Enrollment for 4-H and FFA Members and Showing Animals

- ✓ Ohio 4-H members are sometimes also FFA members. To keep work in both organizations clearly separate, members are advised to take a different species in each organization or, at the very least, to take market animals in one and breeding animals in the other.

	4-H	FFA
Allowable	Breeding Gilt	Market Hog
Allowable	Market Steer	Market Hog
Not Allowable	Market Lamb	Market Lamb



Photos courtesy of the Ohio State Fair.



Information

For questions about Ohio State Fair entries, rules, and deadlines please visit <https://ohiostatefair.com/livestock/>

For additional livestock project resources and scrapie information, please visit <https://go.osu.edu/livestock>

For questions related to statewide Quality Assurance policies please contact:

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Requirements of Livestock Projects for Exhibition in Ohio Fairs



Requirements of County 4-H Educators

When youth livestock project members are required to attend Quality Assurance, ensure that:

- ✓ Members are in good standing
 - Check with club advisor to make sure they have met club requirements to be in good standing.
- ✓ Youth have completed QA **at least 45 days prior** to the START of the fair (not the show day)
 - For example, if the opening day of the fair is July 20, but a youth doesn't show until July 23, QA must be completed by the youth at least 45 days prior to July 20.
 - ***If the fair takes place after the Ohio State Fair, and a youth wants to exhibit at the Ohio State Fair, they must complete QA 45 days prior to the opening day of the Ohio State Fair to be eligible to participate. ***

- ✓ Members are enrolled in the appropriate project corresponding to the class/animal they are entering
 - For example, youth must be enrolled in a market beef project to enter for a market steer/market heifer class.
 - A youth CANNOT be enrolled in only beef breeding and take a market heifer to the fair.

Requirements for Parents/Guardians/ Advisors and Youth

Make sure that children/club member(s) entering livestock at the county and/or Ohio State Fair:

- ✓ Are members in good standing
 - Have they met your club standards (attendance, forms filled out, enrolled in the proper projects, etc).
- ✓ Have completed QA **at least 45 days prior** to the START of the fair (not the show day)
 - For example, if the opening day of the fair is July 20, but the youth doesn't show until July 23, QA must be completed by the youth at least 45 days prior to July 20.
 - ***If the fair takes place after the Ohio State Fair, and the youth wants to exhibit at the Ohio State Fair, they must complete QA 45 days prior to the start of the Ohio State Fair to be eligible to participate. ***

- ✓ Are enrolled in the appropriate project corresponding to the class/animal they are entering
 - For example, youth must be enrolled in a market beef project to enter a market steer/market heifer class.
 - A youth CANNOT be enrolled in only beef breeding and take a market heifer to the fair.

Requirements for Parents/Guardians/ Advisors and Youth

- ✓ Have the project animal(s) in their possession by the approved dates (refer to county/state fair rules) and is properly tagged/identified
 - For example, beef exhibitors for the Ohio State Fair must send a DNA sample and register EID tag by January 15 to be eligible for entry.
 - County fairs will require tagging/tattoo days for market animals.
 - Sheep and goats must have scrapie tags/identification per USDA.

- ✓ Have registered/entered in the correct classes by the posted deadlines for the event.
- ✓ Understand and comply with fair rules and regulations.



For questions about project requirements, Quality Assurance dates/requirements, fair requirements, and county-related rules, please contact your county 4-H Extension Educator. Contact information can be found at licking.osu.edu.

2023 HARTFORD SENIOR FAIR BOARD

POINTS OF IMPORTANCE

VARIOUS ANIMAL UPDATES AND REMINDERS...

— BEEF.

- Additional classes will be offered within the All Other Breeds (AOB) division, separating entries by high and low percentage designations.
- Market Steer / Heifer weigh-in will take place on Saturday, immediately following Steer Pool weigh-in.

— DAIRY FEEDERS.

- Dairy Feeder calves may be only of 100% Holstein or Brown Swiss breeding.
- Weigh-in on June 3rd will run from 8:00 - 11:00 a.m., with a clinic and fun show to follow. The weigh-in will also include an independent assessor whose task will be to identify calves that may require DNA testing. Testing will be at owners' expense, but costs will be refunded if the results of the test show that the calf meets the requirements of being 100% Holstein or Brown Swiss. Calves identified as crossbred will not be eligible to show in weight classes, but will have a exhibition class available to them.
- A showmanship class is being added for beginning (first year) dairy feeder exhibitors. Open to exhibitors ages 8 and 9 as of January 1, 2023. Winner of this class will then compete for Supreme Dairy Feeder Showmanship exhibitor along with the other showmanship class winners.

— GOATS.

- All goats must have approved Scrapies identification!
- Only goats entered in Junior Fair classes may stay on the grounds.
- Market Goat show will increase to fifteen classes and be broken into three weight divisions – light middle and heavy, with division winners advance to championship drive.

— HORSE.

- Horse Department schedule will have changes... Ranch classes will be held on Thursday, with Friday morning being Versatility and Friday afternoon being reserved for Pee Wee and Fun Show activities.
- Horse exhibitors stalling at the fairgrounds will be dismissed early on Saturday, to allow time for the Rodeo to set-up in the Horse Complex for Saturday evening events.

— MARKET LAMBS.

- All market lambs which are ewes, as well as ewes and wethers that are coming from out-of-state, must have USDA approved Scrapies tag identification.
- The Market Lamb show will offer special classes for Bred and Owned entries, with those lambs needing to be designated at B&O during tagging in May.

— BREEDING SHEEP.

- Breeding sheep exhibitors must have USDA approved Scrapies tags in all ewes, rams, and wethers over 18 months (there are no breeding classes for wethers).

— **MARKET HOGS.**

- Hog Identification photos are required of all junior fair hogs and will be uploaded directly in to FairEntry (new entry system). Photos must be submitted online by 11:59 p.m. May 15th. Up to four (4) hogs may be identified. Instructions are forthcoming.
- All hogs consigned to sale will be sent to the packer on either Tuesday night or Wednesday. All youth participating in the sale must send one hog on the trailer. Hogs will not be present during the hog sale on Thursday.
- Any youth bringing a second hog for exhibition will be responsible for removing that hog from the fairgrounds on Friday. Those hogs are not permitted to be taken on the packer truck earlier in the week. These hogs are also eligible to be shown in an open market hog show on Friday.
- All pens should be cleaned by exhibitors at the time that their hog is removed from the grounds, with absolutely all pens being cleaned by end of the day on Friday.

— **RABBITS & POULTRY.**

- The May 6th banding and tattooing will take place behind the grandstands. Please enter Gate C turn right at the first driveway. There will be a rabbit line and a poultry line. Exit will be through Gate B. This will be drive-through style still, from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
- Rabbit show day schedule has been changed to allow breeding rabbits to show first, with market rabbits showing in the afternoon. This should allow more time to process weights and post class lists ahead of the show.
- All meat poultry and meat rabbits must weigh-in prior to having sale photo taken during the fair.

— **GENERAL JUNIOR FAIR LIVESTOCK.**

- Junior Fair entries will be made ONLINE in 2023 – with additional instructions forthcoming. We will be using a new entry system, called FairEntry. This is the same entry system that Delaware and Knox County Fairs have been using for a few years. It is anticipated that entries can be submitted beginning May 16th.
- All market animal exhibitors must complete their Drug Use Notification Form (DUNF) online by 11:59 p.m. on Friday, August 4th. Market Hogs will complete their forms after they have arrived to the fairgrounds and receive their official tags. DUNF instructions will be emailed one week prior to the fair.
- The General Livestock Judging Contest will consist of market / breeding sheep, market / breeding goats, and dairy feeders this year – no beef or hog classes.
- Super Showmanship... Once a member advances to Expert Showmanship and wins Expert Showmanship to advance to Super Showmanship, they will continue to compete in Expert class from that point forward until they age out or win Super Showmanship.

FACILITIES AND BARN SAFETY.

- No floor fans will be permitted in the barn areas. All fans must be hung, for the safety of small children.
- Electrical cords must be good repair and in a safe condition. Unsafe cords will be confiscated.

LIVESTOCK SALES.

- Livestock sales checks will be mailed no earlier than 30 days following the sale. All checks will be mailed, no checks will be held for pick-up! There will be a \$35 charge to re-issue a check with a stale date past the 60 days cashing period.

...AND OTHER ITEMS.

- Fair Book will be available only in electronic format and will be posted to the Hartford Fair website.
- Entries are due by 11:59 p.m. on Monday, June 26th, with late entries being due by 11:59 p.m. on Friday, July 21st. Exhibitors will be expected to review their entries online to ensure that they are accurate.
- Admission prices will be \$10 cash at the gate, or \$8 (plus fees) online in advance of arrival to the gate.
- Weekly passes will be available online for \$55 (plus fees).
- Be sure to stay up to date through the Hartford Fair website and Facebook pages.

- 4-H / FFA Advisors...
 - Will not be issued IDs in 2023, simply need to show driver's license to pick up club member premiums at the Premium Bank.
 - For gate admission, advisors will be issued admission passes that can be printed or shown on their phone to be scanned when entering through admission gates.

- 4-H / FFA Members...
 - Members will be asked to submit name, birthdate and a photo online in order for their ID to be created and printed. All photos must be submitted by June 26th fair entry deadline. Any member not submitting a photo will not have an ID printed and will need to have their parent or an advisor pick up any applicable premiums at the Premium Bank. Instructions are forthcoming.
 - For gate admission, each junior fair exhibitor will be issued an admission pass that can be printed or shown on their phone to be scanned when entering through the admission gates.
 - IDs will not be used for gate admission, that is the biggest thing to keep in mind. Passes will be used at the gates, IDs will be used only at the Premium Bank.

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What is Beef Quality Assurance?



Beef Quality Assurance is a nationally coordinated, state implemented program that provides systematic information to U.S. beef producers and beef consumers of how common sense husbandry techniques can be coupled with accepted scientific knowledge to raise cattle under optimum management and environmental conditions.

BQA guidelines are designed to make certain all beef consumers can take pride in what they purchase – and can trust and have confidence in the entire beef industry.

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Good Production Practices

- 1. Use an Appropriate Veterinarian/Client/Patient Relationship (VCPR) as the Basis for Medication Decision-Making**
2. Establish and Implement an Efficient and Effective Health Management Plan
- 3. Use Antibiotics Responsibly**
4. Properly Store and Administer Animal Health Products
5. Follow Proper Feed Processing Protocols
- 6. Establish Effective Animal Identification, Medication Records and Withdrawal Times**
7. Practice Good Environmental Stewardship
8. Maintain Proper Workplace Safety
9. Provide Proper Animal Handling and Care
10. Utilize Tools for Continuous Improvement

3

#1 Use an Appropriate Veterinarian/Client/Patient Relationship (VCPR) as the Basis for Medication Decision-Making

- Be sure to contact your vet before you get your project for the next year
- Your vet needs to know the species and the quantity of each species you will be responsible for the year to help achieve your project goals
- Make a plan with your vet for when you will be vaccinating and deworming your animals to be clear of all withdraw times

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#3 Use Antibiotics Responsibly

- Treatment of illness
- Control and prevention of disease
- Improve nutritional efficiency



5

Basic Classes of Drugs

Over-the-Counter Drugs (OTC)

- Can be purchased without a prescription
- Should consult veterinarian before use
- MUST follow label instructions EXACTLY



Prescription Drugs (R_x)

- Drugs that require a veterinarian's written permission for use (prescription)
- Label of a R_x drug will state
 - "CAUTION"
 - "Federal law restricts use by or on the order of a licensed veterinarian"

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Types of Drug Use

1. Label Use

- Using the drug EXACTLY as stated on the label

2. Off Label

- Use of a drug in a manner other than what is stated on the label AND without guidance from a veterinarian under the extra-label policy
- **ILLEGAL**

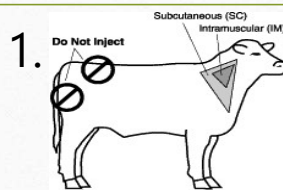
3. Extra-Label

- Using an animal drug in a manner not in accordance with the approved drug labeling, but with the guidance of a veterinarian

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Routes Of Administration

- Oral
- Topical
- Nasal
- Injection



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- EID
- Visual Ear Tag
- Tattoo
- DNA
- Freeze Branding
- Hot Branding

- Performance measurements
- Identify treated animals
- Track ownership and movement
- From birth to harvest
- Track disease outbreaks in food animal industry



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Should include:

- Individual animal ID
- Date treated
- Name of product administered
- Amount of drug administered (dosage)

Take these seriously. They ensure food safety.

DRUG NOTIFICATION FORM (DUNF)

Sections 1 through 9 must be completed prior to show

EXHIBITION / FAIR NAME:

2 DIGIT FARM CODE

PRINT CLEARLY

1. EXHIBITOR/OWNER NAME _____

2. MAILING ADDRESS _____

Street, P.O. Box Number

City, State, Zip

EXHIBITOR
PHONE () _____

3. ANIMAL IDENTIFICATION
NUMBER (Tag, Tattoo or Legband)

4. ANIMAL SPECIES (CIRCLE ONE)
CATTLE HOGS SHEEP GOATS
OTHER (Specify) _____

5. ANIMAL DESCRIPTION
(BREED, SEX, COLOR, ETC.)

6. I AM A JUNIOR FAIR MARKET LIVESTOCK EXHIBITOR AND I HAVE ATTENDED OR COMPLETED A QUALITY ASSURANCE PROGRAM DURING THE LAST 12 MONTHS OR I HAVE TESTED OUT OF A PROGRAM WITHIN MY AGE BRACKET.

YES ☐

NO ☐

7. ☐ I CERTIFY THE ABOVE ANIMAL TO BE FREE OF MEDICATION.

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IF I HAVE CHECKED THIS BOX, SIGN BELOW AND DO NOT COMPLETE THE TREATMENT TABLET

☒ THE ABOVE ANIMAL HAS BEEN TREATED WITH A MEDICATION FOR WHICH THE
WITHDRAWAL PERIOD HAS NOT ELAPSED.

Complete the treatment tablet below. ▾

TREATMENT GIVEN						DATE WITHDRAWAL TIME (± DAYS)	DATE WITHDRAWAL COMPLETE
TREATMENT TABLET	CONDITION BEING TREATED	MEDICATION GIVEN (NAME OF MEDICATION)	AMOUNT (DOSE)	ROUTE (IV, SC, PO, etc)	INSTRUCTED WITHDRAWAL TIME (± DAYS)		

IF THIS IS AN EXTRA LABEL OR B/D DRUG, A VETERINARIAN MUST HAVE PRESCRIBED THE MEDICATION LIST THE LICENSED VETERINARIAN'S NAME AND ADDRESS WHO PRESCRIBED OR DIRECTED THE TREATMENT.

VETERINARIAN NAME _____

STREET, P.O. BOX NUMBER _____

CITY, STATE, ZIP _____

8. EXHIBITOR/OWNER SIGNATURE _____

AGE _____ DATE _____

9. PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE _____

AGE _____ DATE _____

DISTRIBUTION BY Local Official
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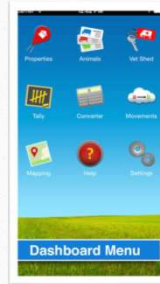
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CHAMPIONS WILL BE REQUIRED TO COMPLETE A NEW DUNF TO BE SUBMITTED WITH URINE-BASE SAMPLES TO THE TESTING LABORATORY

Recordkeeping

- ✓ VCPR
- ✓ Medical and treatment records
- ✓ Caretaker training
 - Euthanasia (VCPR)
 - Handling
 - Husbandry



VCPR – Veterinarian Client Patient Relationship

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#2 Establish and Implement an Efficient and Effective Health Management Plan

- Key to food safety
- Increases production and efficiency
- Requires less medical care
- Beneficial impact on animals' health through use of measures such as:
 - Vaccination plans
 - Biosecurity protocols
 - Emergency preparedness



Daily Evaluation of Livestock

- Average Daily Gain (ADG)
- Feed Efficiency (FE)
- Physical Evaluation
- Disease
- Behavior Abnormalities



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Important Vital Signs & Daily Checks

- Temperature Average: 101° F-103° F
- Heart rate: 40-80 bpm
- Respiratory rate: 20-40 bpm
- Dull eyes
- Droopy ears
- Swollen/puffy left abdomen
- Diarrhea
- Runny/dry nose
- Limping
- Coughing
- Unusual skin condition

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#4 Properly Store and Administer Animal Health Products

- Make sure all medication and vaccinations are always stored properly until administered to your livestock
- Question??
 - What are the FOUR routes of Administration?



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#5 Follow Proper Feed Processing Protocols

Storing Feed



Bulk Feed



Feeding on the Road



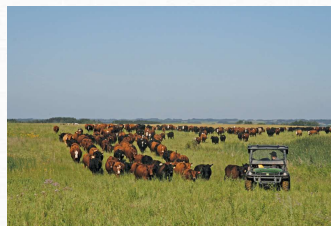
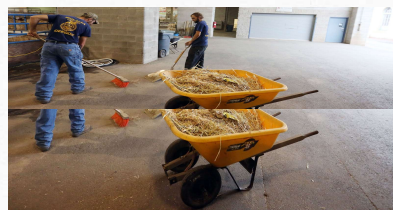
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#7 Practice Good Environmental Stewardship

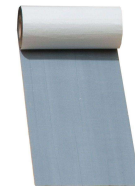
1,000 single project animals have an impact



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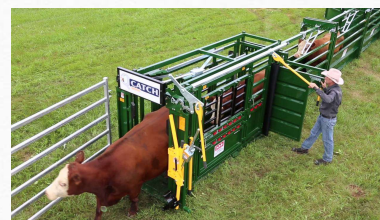
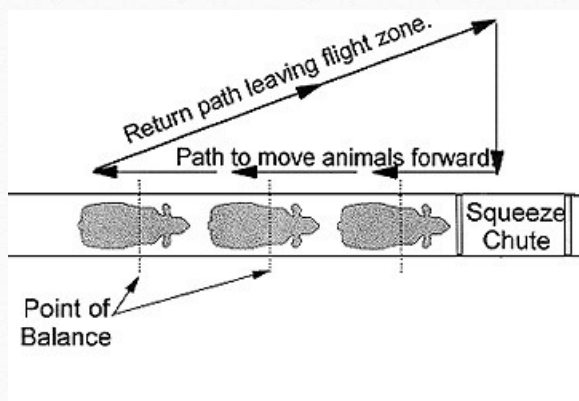
#8 Maintain Workplace Safety

Stay a Step Ahead



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#9 Provide Proper Animal Handling & Care



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#10 Utilize Tools For Continuous Improvement



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This is Important...

Emergency Plan

- Natural Disaster
- Fire
- Weather
- Power Outage
- Gate left open
- Phone Numbers: Yours, Veterinarian, Fire, Police



Store it in a safe place (online), notify your veterinarian and neighbors.

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Combined, all livestock exhibition animals make up 1% of the nation's food supply.



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Ethics & Animal Welfare

Let's real talk for a minute...

- Does the practice break FDA, state or federal laws?
 - Does the practice harm the animal?
- Does the practice falsely represent the animal?
 - Do you have to lie to cover up the practice?
- Would the public be upset if they knew about the practice?
 - Are the food products from this animal marketable?
 - Would you eat the food produced from this animal?


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**The Ease of
Communication – what's
your message?**

Positive

Everyone has access

News travels fast



Negative

Everyone has access

News travels fast

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Animal/Health Requirements

- **Market Steer/Heifer:** Animals must be 950 lbs to sell. All bred and owned (B&O) had to be designated at December weigh in.
- **Beef Feeder Calf:** Must weigh between 300 lbs to 700 lbs to show for champion (steers and heifers only)
- **Breeding Beef:** All breeds, except crossbred, must be registered to show for special premiums, papers will be checked at the fair.

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Animal/Health Requirements

- **Dairy Feeder:** must be 100% Holstein or Brown Swiss and be castrated and dehorned prior to June 3rd weigh-in. Must weigh between 400 lbs to 650 lbs to sell
- **Dairy Cattle:** No horns permitted, except on junior and intermediate heifers
- **All Cattle:** No health papers required, however, must follow state guidelines. D.U.N.F. and U.P forms will be emailed and due ahead of arrival to fairgrounds.

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Important Dates for 2023

- Dairy Feeder Weigh-In / Tagging / Vaccination: Saturday, June 3rd
 - 8 – 11 a.m. | \$10 / Head | Followed by Clinic & Fun Show
- Ohio State Fair entry Deadline is June 21st
- Hartford Fair Entry Deadline: Monday, June 26th
 - Late Entry Deadline: Friday, July 21st
- Hartford Fair Livestock Move-In: Saturday, August 5th

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2023 Hartford Independent Fair

Department 104 – Junior Fair Dairy Feeder Steer

Dairy Feeder Steer Project Guidelines...

- Pre-Fair Registration to be held Saturday, June 3rd (8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.) in the west end of Grubb Arena. Trailers will enter the grounds through the Gate D / D2 and then pull along the north side of Grubb to enter line for unloading / processing. Cost to the member will be \$10 per animal (cash accepted; checks can be made payable to Mount Vernon Animal Hospital). Only steers completing this registration process will be eligible to exhibit in Dairy Feeder classes at the Hartford Fair. All steers must be haltered in order to be moved through the vaccination, tagging, and weigh-in process.
 - All calves MUST be castrated and dehorned PRIOR TO ARRIVING to weigh-in on June 3rd.
 - A vaccination program will be administered by licensed veterinarian. Vaccine cost will be \$9.00 per calf. Vaccinations will likely include:
 - Blackleg, pinkeye, respiratory series (IBR / BVD / PI3 / BRSB / Pastorella)
 - Lice, grubs and wormer
 - No boosters will be required
 - Steers will be tagged with an official 2023 Hartford Fair ear tag at a cost of \$1.00.
 - All Steers must be of 100% Holstein or Brown Swiss breeding.
 - NEW in 2023: Calves being weighed for the dairy feeder project on June 3rd will be evaluated by an independent third party. Calves that are questionable in regard to the rule requiring 100% Holstein or Brown Swiss genetics will be identified and tissue samples will be taken for genetic testing. Testing will be at the owner's expense. Cost of the test will be reimbursed to the owner(s) of calves that meet the genetic requirement. Calves not meeting the genetic requirement will be ineligible to show in the dairy feeder show at the Hartford Fair and will not be eligible to sell in the Junior Fair sale. For those exhibitors unable to show in the dairy feeder show, there will be a class for them to exhibit and earn a premium.
 - The veterinarian, Senior Fair Board Member(s), and project volunteers will assist in observing calves that day and will provide suggestions to members regarding any concerns.
 - Weights will be taken for each calf. Rate of gain awards will be announced during the fair with awards being presented to the exhibitors owning the five highest gaining steers.

Additional Information...

- **Dairy Feeder Project Clinic & Show** – Saturday, June 3rd (immediately following weigh-in)
 - Educational Clinic: 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. / Show: 12:00 p.m.
- **Dairy Feeder Steer Barn Meeting – Hartford Fair**
 - Barn meeting will be held the first Sunday (August 6th) of the fair.

PLEASE NOTE: Dairy Feeder Calf project members wishing to show in the Ohio State Fair Dairy Feeder Show will utilize their Hartford Fair tag # when submitting OSF entry forms by June 20th.

For additional information, please feel free to contact Leanne Rex.
740.587.0721 / rmoonmeadow@netscape.net

Over-the-Counter Antibiotics Will Require Veterinary Oversight (Rx) Beginning in June of 2023

By June of 2023, all medically important antibiotics currently available at most feed or farm supply stores will now require veterinary oversight (written Rx) to be used in animals, even if the animals are not intended for food production. Examples of [affected antibiotics](#) include injectable penicillin and oxytetracycline. In addition, some retail suppliers who were able to sell these drugs/products in the past may no longer sell them after June of 2023. *This means that small and large animal veterinarians should be prepared for an increase in calls and visits from animal owners who previously may have purchased these drugs over the counter at their local farm supply store.* To continue using medically important antimicrobials, you may need to establish a veterinarian-client-patient relationship (VCPR). Consult your veterinarian for more information.

What is a veterinarian-client-patient-relationship?

A [veterinarian-client-patient-relationship \(VCPR\)](#) is defined by the American Veterinary Medical Association as the basis for interaction among veterinarians, their clients, and their patients and is critical to the health of your animal(s). The practical explanation is that it is a formal relationship that you have with a veterinarian who serves as your primary contact for all veterinary services and is familiar with you, your livestock/animals, and your farm operation. This veterinarian is referred to as your Veterinarian of Record (VoR), and both the VoR and the client should sign a form to document this relationship.

What species are included?

From companion dogs and cats to backyard poultry, and from rabbits and show pigs to large livestock farms. The same restrictions will apply to all companion and farm animal species.

How do your health protocols measure up?

Health protocols are customized for individuals and farm-specific, and practicing veterinarians are often asked to develop and write protocols for individual farms, particularly health protocols. Injectable antimicrobials alone will not work as intended if animals are experiencing pain (drop feed and water intake) and/or dehydration. OSU Veterinary Extension is available to review your health protocols, but must be submitted by a practicing veterinarian to Dr. Gustavo Schuenemann at schuenemann.5@osu.edu.



2023 HARTFORD FAIR

4-H & FFA PROJECT SKILLATHON & INTERVIEW JUDGING SCHEDULE

4-H Beef Projects...

Contest: Sunday, August 6 @ 12:30 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. (Beef Barn/Grubb Arena)
Awards: Tuesday, August 8 - Market Steer Show (Grubb Arena)

4-H Dairy Cattle Projects...

Contest: Monday, August 7 @ 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. (Grubb Arena)
Awards: Tuesday, August 8 - Junior Dairy Show (Grubb Arena)

4-H Dairy Feeder Projects...

Contest: Monday, August 7 @ 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. (Grubb Arena)
Awards: Wednesday, August 9 - Dairy Feeder Show (Grubb Arena)

4-H Goat Projects...

Contest: Wednesday, August 9 @ 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. (4-H Center)
Awards: Saturday, August 12 @ 9:00 a.m. (Grubb Arena)

4-H Horse Projects...

Contest: Sunday, August 6 @ 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. (Horse Complex)
(skillathon only—project interviews held 8:00 a.m. daily)
Awards: Wednesday, August 9

4-H Poultry Projects...

Contest: Tuesday, August 8 @ 10:00 a.m. (Rabbit & Poultry Barn)
Awards: Saturday, August 12 @ 9:00 a.m. (Grubb Arena)

4-H Rabbit Projects...

Contest: Wednesday, August 9 @ 10:00 a.m. (Rabbit & Poultry Barn)
Awards: Saturday, August 12 @ 9:00 a.m. (Grubb Arena)

4-H Sheep Projects...

Contest: Sunday, August 6 @ 10:30 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. (4-H Center)
Awards: Wednesday, August 10 just prior to beginning of Market Lamb Show (Grubb Arena)

4-H Swine Projects...

Contest: Sunday, August 6 @ 11:00 a.m. (Swine Barn West Entrance)
Awards: Tuesday, August 8 @ Market Hog Show (Swine Barn Arena)

Members should plan to bring completed project books with them to the skillathon contest. While a member's project book may not be required in order to participate in skillathon contests, it does account for a substantial amount of points. Awards are presented for (1) skillathon performance, (2) personal interview score, and (3) project book score for completion.

UPDATED of 01.10.2023

Any necessary changes to this schedule will be announced / posted during the Hartford Fair.

DRUG USE NOTIFICATION FORM (DUNF)

Sections 1 through 9 must be completed prior to show

EXHIBITION / FAIR NAME: _____ 2 DIGIT FAIR CODE _____

PRINT CLEARLY

1. EXHIBITOR/OWNER NAME _____

2. MAILING ADDRESS _____

Street, P.O. Box Number _____

EXHIBITOR

PHONE (____) _____

City, State, Zip _____

3. ANIMAL IDENTIFICATION
NUMBER (Tag, Tattoo #, Legband)

4. ANIMAL SPECIES [CIRCLE ONE]
CATTLE HOGS SHEEP GOATS
OTHER (Specify) _____

5. ANIMAL DESCRIPTION
(BREED, SEX, COLOR, ETC.)

6. I AM A JUNIOR FAIR MARKET LIVESTOCK EXHIBITOR AND I HAVE ATTENDED OR COMPLETED A QUALITY ASSURANCE PROGRAM DURING THE LAST 12 MONTHS OR I HAVE TESTED OUT OF A PROGRAM WITHIN MY AGE BRACKET.

YES ☐

NO ☐

7. ☐ I CERTIFY THE ABOVE ANIMAL TO BE FREE OF MEDICATION.

▲ IF YOU HAVE CHECKED THIS BOX, SIGN BELOW AND DO NOT COMPLETE THE TREATMENT CHART.

☐ THE ABOVE ANIMAL HAS BEEN TREATED WITH MEDICATION FOR WHICH THE WITHDRAWAL PERIOD HAS NOT ELAPSED.

Complete the treatment chart below ▼

TREATMENT DATE	CONDITION BEING TREATED	TREATMENT GIVEN				DATE WITHDRAWAL COMPLETE
		MEDICATION GIVEN (NAME OF MEDICATION)	AMOUNT (DOSE)	ROUTE (IM, IV, SQ, Oral)	INSTRUCTED WITHDRAWAL TIME (# DAYS)	

IF THIS IS AN EXTRA LABEL OR Rx DRUG, A VETERINARIAN MUST HAVE PRESCRIBED THE MEDICATION.
LIST THE LICENSED VETERINARIAN'S NAME AND ADDRESS WHO PRESCRIBED OR DIRECTED THE TREATMENT:

VETERINARIAN NAME _____ STREET, P.O. BOX NUMBER _____ CITY, STATE, ZIP _____

8. EXHIBITOR/OWNER SIGNATURE _____ AGE: _____ DATE _____

9. PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____
(REQUIRED IF EXHIBITOR IS UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE)

DISTRIBUTION by Records Official:
AGR DUNF (REV. 1/11)

WHITE FORM: REVIEW UPON COLLECTION AND IMMEDIATELY FORWARD TO ODA
YELLOW FORM: TO BE RETAINED BY THE DESIGNATED RECORDS OFFICIAL FOR ONE YEAR
PINK FORM: TO BE GIVEN TO THE OWNER/EXHIBITOR

CHAMPIONS WILL BE REQUIRED TO COMPLETE A NEW DUNF TO BE SUBMITTED WITH URINE/HAIR SAMPLES TO THE TESTING LABORATORY



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**NOTICE of REQUIREMENT for
MARKET CATTLE, GOAT, SHEEP & SWINE EXHIBITORS**

Dear Youth Exhibitor;

In 1997, the Food and Drug Administration adopted a regulation, 21 CFR 589.2000, prohibiting the feeding of any ruminant-derived protein (meat and bone meal) to cattle and other ruminants. This regulation resulted from efforts to control any possible introduction or spread of Bovine Spongiform Encephalopathy (BSE) or "Mad Cow Disease" into the domestic cattle herd of the United States.

Because of worldwide media attention over the past few years on the BSE issue and a desire to reassure consumers that all possible steps are being taken to continue to keep BSE out of the United States, a number of beef packers/processors and retail operations have established certification programs for their suppliers to insure that they are not receiving cattle or other ruminants that have been fed ruminant-derived protein materials.

Participating packers in the certification program have made it clear that they will not purchase any cattle, sheep, swine, or goats from producers who have not signed a certificate certifying that indicated animals have been fed any feed containing protein derived from ruminant tissues and/or that none of the livestock being sold have illegal levels of drug residues. Thus, for some packers and buyers to purchase your cattle, we will need to have the certification on the back of this sheet signed and turned in upon arriving to the scales during weigh-in at the fair. If your animals do not weigh in, they will be collected during barn meetings or at a specific time posted in your barn.

I hope that we can work together to insure that the animals contributed to the general food supply through the 4-H and FFA programs may continue to be both safe and wholesome. Please feel free to contact me with any questions.

Sincerely,

Lisa D. McCutcheon
Extension Educator, 4-H Youth Development

Certification Form on Back...

United

Producers, Inc.

CONTINUOUS PRODUCER AFFIDAVIT

As an affidavit is deemed by USDA as an official record of Country of Origin, I attest through first-hand knowledge, normal business records, or producer affidavit(s) that all livestock referenced by this document or other communications specific to the transaction and transferred are of (mark one):

_____ U.S. Origin (born and raised in the U.S.)

_____ U.S. and/or Canadian origin and not imported for immediate slaughter (born in Canada, raised in the U.S.)

_____ Canadian Origin (born and raised in Canada)

Should the origin of my livestock become other than that described above, I agree to notify United Producers, Inc. when this occurs.

I certify that to the best of my knowledge, none of the livestock are adulterated within the meaning of the Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act (e.g., none of them have been fed any feed derived from mammalian tissues as prohibited by 21 C.F.R. 589.2000 nor are they contaminated with foreign materials nor do they have illegal levels of drug residues).

I certify that neither the undersigned nor the person(s) from whom the undersigned purchased the livestock are on the USDA/FSIS active list of repeat violators as having had more than one residue violation in the past 12 months; or if they are on the USDA/FSIS list that the undersigned has identified the animals being sold that come from the person whose name appears on the USDA/FSIS list.

I have and will maintain records of livestock origin for one year from the date of delivery of the livestock to United Producers, Inc.

This Continuous Producer Affidavit shall remain in effect until the undersigned delivers written notice of revocation to the UPI market / staff being presented with this affidavit.

Date: _____

Farm Name: _____

Signature: _____

Name (please print): _____

Contact Information

Address: _____

City and State: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email: _____

Premise I.D. Number (if applicable): _____

Date Received: _____

(This section to be completed by United Producers, Inc.)

Market: _____

Mt. Vernon OH

Producer Number (if available): _____

Persons willfully making false, fictitious, or fraudulent statements or entries regarding the declaration of Country of Origin shall be liable for any damages due to the inaccuracy of this certification.

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General Preventive Health Recommendations for Animals Exhibited at the Hartford Independent Fair

Robert C. Krueger, DVM
Mount Vernon Animal Hospital – (740) 397.6958

It is encouraged that all participants have a current relationship with their veterinarian in order to foster the best preventive health care plan for their animals.

Please note: If your animal is under medical treatment at the fair, treatment must be overseen by the official Fair Veterinarian. Please report to the Veterinarian or the Fair Director to ensure compliance with tampering laws and exhibition rules.

Vaccination and internal parasite control must be administered at least 30 days prior to the start of the Fair.

Special Note to Market Animals: **All medications and vaccinations should be given under the guidance of a licensed veterinarian. All meat residues (withdrawal times) must be expired prior to exhibition. Consult your veterinarian for specific protocol recommendations and keep records of medication and dosages. These guidelines are to help protect the animals travelling into and out of the fairgrounds and to comply with residue avoidance guidelines.

Beef Cattle:

1. Vaccines: IBR, BRSV, BVD, PI3, Leptospirosis, Clostridial diseases(7) including Tetanus
2. Internal Parasite Control: On a preventive internal parasite protocol.**
3. External Parasite Control: Free of infectious external parasites and infections such as Lice, Mites, and Ringworm.

Dairy Cattle (including Dairy Feeder Calves):

1. Vaccines: IBR, BRSV, BVD, PI3, Leptospirosis, Clostridial diseases(7) including Tetanus
 - a. **Dairy Feeder Calves: Given at vaccination clinic as required (1st Saturday in June)
2. Internal Parasite Control: On a preventive internal parasite protocol.**
3. External Parasite Control: Free of infections external parasites and infections such as Lice, Mites, and Ringworm.
4. It is recommended that dairy heifers be dehorned prior to June 15th in order to allow complete healing prior to exhibition at the fair. (dehorning is not required of junior and intermediate heifers)

Goats:

1. Vaccines: Clostridium types C&D and Tetanus
2. Internal Parasite Control: On a preventive internal parasite protocol.**
3. External Parasite Control: Free of infections external parasites and infections such as Lice, Mites, and Ringworm.

Poultry:

1. Vaccines: Vary depending upon management protocol. Consult your veterinarian.
2. Internal Parasite Control: On a preventive internal parasite protocol.**
3. External Parasite Control: Free of infections external parasites and infections such as Lice, Mites, and Ringworm.

Rabbits:

1. Internal Parasite Control: On a preventive internal parasite protocol.**
2. External Parasite Control: Free of infections external parasites and infections such as Lice, Mites, and Ringworm.

Sheep:

1. Vaccines: Clostridium types C& D and Tetanus
2. Internal Parasite Control: On a preventive internal parasite protocol.**
3. External Parasite Control: Free of infectious external parasites and infections such as Lice, Mites, and Ringworm.

Swine:

1. Vaccines: Mycoplasma, Influenza, Erysipelas, Circovirus
2. Internal Parasite Control: On a preventive internal parasite protocol.**
3. External Parasite Control: Free of infectious external parasites and infections such as Lice, Mites, and Ringworm.

Equine – Horse / Pony:

1. Vaccines: West Nile Virus, Eastern Equine Encephalitis, Western Equine Encephalitis, Tetanus, Rhinopneumonitis (EHV 4/1), Equine Influenza, Rabies.
 - a. *These vaccines are required per fair rules.*
2. Internal Parasite Control: De-worming is individualized per horse/per stable environment. It is recommended that your horse maintain a Fecal Egg Count of < 200 epg. Consult your veterinarian for the best protocol for your individual horse.
3. External Parasite Control: Horses should be free of all infectious external parasites and infections such as Lice, Mites, and Ringworm.
4. Body Condition Score of $\geq 4/9$.

Canine:

1. Vaccines: Current Rabies, Distemper, Hepatitis (Adenovirus), Parvovirus, Parainfluenza, 4 way Leptospirosis, and Bordatella (Kennel Cough)
 - a. *These vaccines are required per fair rules.*
 - b. *Veterinarian's Certificate posted at www.licking.osu.edu > 4-H Youth Development > Member Resources*
2. Internal Parasite Control: Monthly heartworm and internal parasite control consistent with your veterinarian's recommendations for your dog.
3. External Parasite Control: Monthly prevention for fleas and ticks as well as free of all infectious external parasites and infections such as Lice, Mites, and Ringworm.
4. Body Condition Score of 2.5/5 minimum.