

Poultry

Superintendents: Debbie Buxton

Exhibit Schedule

Entries Close	Monday, June 16
Arrival - Health Check - Enter Gate 1, O'Connor Field House	Thursday, July 24, 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Exhibitor Meeting - O'Connor Field House	Thursday, July 24, 12:30 p.m.
Market Broiler Photos - Photo Tent	Thursday, July 24, 1:00 p.m.
Poultry Show - O'Connor Field House	Thursday, July 24, 1:30 p.m.
Animals Released	Immediately following show (Market Broilers will stay on the grounds)
Market Livestock Sale - Fair Building	Saturday, July 26, 10:00 a.m.
Cornhole Tournament - O'Connor Field House	Saturday, July 26, 6:30 p.m.

1. General rules listed in this guide apply to all exhibitors.
2. **SHOW LIMIT** - The number of poultry exhibited at Fair will be limited to six. A market broiler pen counts as three head. Exhibitors will be limited to one market broiler pen.
3. **HEALTH INSPECTION** - Upon entry to O'Connor Field House, all poultry will be inspected by a poultry specialist and certified free from lice, mites or disease. Birds suffering from disease or external parasites at check-in will be refused entry. Health decisions made by the check-in specialist may be verified by a veterinarian. This decision will be final.
4. All entries must include breed, variety, division, class, estimated birth date, sex and band number. Entries not completed correctly will be returned to the exhibitor.
5. All exhibits must have numbered leg bands matching the Fair entry form. Market Broilers will be assigned leg bands at the Fair during check-in time.
6. All exhibits must be health checked prior to caging. (No birds will be health checked without a numbered leg band.)
7. All poultry (except market pens) should be dusted prior to entry into the Fairgrounds. Registered pesticides can be obtained from your local feed mills or veterinary supply. Presence of lice or mites on fowl will be reason for disqualification and immediate removal.
8. Feet and legs should be clean and free from scaly leg mites prior to Fair entry.
9. A pair of ducks or geese consists of a male and a female in the same breed. A colored drake or gander and white duck or goose is not a pair.
10. Exhibitors must be present to have poultry judged in quality classes (except market broilers).
11. Poultry (other than Market Broilers) will be brought in and taken home the day of the Poultry Show.

POULTRY ENTRY CODES & CLASSIFICATION

Code Description

- P Pullet
- K Cockerel (Hatched after January 1, 2025)
- H Hen
- C Cock (Hatched prior to January 1, 2025)

All ducks, geese and turkeys should be entered with the following codes on exhibitor entry:

- O.D Old Drake
- O.H Old Hen
- O.P Old Pair
- Y.D Young Drake/Tom
- Y.H Young Hen
- Y.P Young Pair

Division 50A - Poultry Showmanship

Refer to livestock showmanship section for general rules and information on round robins.

Class

- 01 FFA
 - Grand Champion & Reserve Grand Champion FFA Showman**
- 02 Novice (Youth 8-10 years of age as of January 1, 2025 and first year showing any animal)
- 03 Junior (Youth 9-10 years of age as of January 1, 2025)
 - Grand Champion & Reserve Grand Champion Junior Showman**
- 04 Intermediate (Youth 11-13 years of age as of January 1, 2025)
- 05 Senior (Youth 14-16 years of age as of January 1, 2025)
- 06 Advanced Senior (Youth 17-18 years of age as of January 1, 2025)
 - Grand Champion & Reserve Grand Champion Senior Showman**
- 07 4-H Cloverbud (Youth 5-7 years of age as of January 1, 2025)

Division 50C - Market Broiler Pen

1. Each market pen shall consist of three meat breed or meat breed cross birds with a minimum live weight of seven pounds each.
2. Each pen will be judged on uniformity and meat quality.
3. Grand and Reserve Grand Champion pens will be required to sell at the Market Livestock Sale.
4. All eligible pens (one per exhibitor) may sell at the Market Livestock Sale.

Class

- 01 Market Broiler Pen

POULTRY QUALITY CLASSES

Division 50D - Large Fowl

Class

- 01 American
- 02 Asiatic
- 03 English
- 04 Mediterranean
- 05 Continental
- 06 All other Standard Breeds
- 07 Mixed Breed/Unrecognized Breeds & Varieties (not quality)

Division 50E - Bantams

Class

- 01 Game
- 02 Single Comb Clean Legged (Not Game)
- 03 Rose Comb Clean Legged
- 04 All other combs/Clean Legged
- 05 Feather Legged
- 06 Mixed Breed/Unrecognized Breeds & Varieties

Division 50F - Waterfowl

Class

- 01 Ducks
- 02 Geese
- 03 All Other

Division 50G - Pigeons

Class

- 01 All Pigeons

Division 50H - All Other Fowl

Class

- 01 All Other Fowl