

# SWINE

Board Members in Charge  
William B. Tolle and Marshall Coyle

Judge - Brian Arnold, Lafayette, IL

Dr. Richard Coffey, UK College of Agriculture - Superintendent

Premiums offered by Kentucky State Fair.....\$12,530.00

Friday, August 24 – 8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Turn in weight cards and registration papers at Swine Superintendent's Office

## JUDGING SCHEDULE:

Friday, August 24 – 1:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Open Market Hog Show

Saturday, August 25 – 1:00 p.m.

Open Breeding Swine Show

Show Order:

Other Purebreds (*Breeds which do not have a designated show*)

Commercial

Spotted

Sunday, August 26 - 10:00 a.m.

Open Breeding Swine Show

Show Order:

Yorkshire

Hampshire

Duroc

Landrace

All breeds will show in successive order, with approximately 15 minute breaks between breed shows.

ALL BEDDING MUST BE PROVIDED BY EXHIBITOR. THIS MAY BE BROUGHT FROM HOME OR PURCHASED AT FAIR. NO BULK SAWDUST, TAN BARK OR SHAVINGS PERMITTED. ONLY BALED OR BAGGED BEDDING ALLOWED.

BEDDING, FEED OR EQUIPMENT WILL NOT BE ALLOWED IN PENS AS SAME SHOULD BE STORED IN ALLEY BACK OF PENS OR ALONG WALLS.

## RULES

### ENTRY DEADLINE: JULY 10

1. All entries must be on livestock form furnished by the Kentucky State Fair and must be accompanied by entry fee of \$5 per head.

LATE ENTRIES: Double entry fee (\$10 per head) will be charged for all open class entries postmarked after July 10. Late entries must arrive at the Fair office by July 25. Late entries will be accepted for the open show only. No late entries will be accepted in the 4-H/FFA Youth Livestock Show.

Exhibitors now have the option of an extra late deadline. Entry Fees of

\$50 per head will be charged. Extra late entries must arrive at the Fair office by August 6.

Swine exhibitors now have the option of entering online. For more information, see page 7. To enter online, go to [www.kystatefair.org](http://www.kystatefair.org). Online entries require a credit card. Complete information must be provided.

2. **Entry fees for the swine department are charged per head. Fees do not determine number of pens. Pens will be assigned by the Superintendent.**
3. Swine that are entered in the 4-H/FFA Youth show only must be out of the barn by 7:00 p.m. on August 23.
4. **Open show swine will be accepted according to the following schedule:**

Tuesday, August 21	6:00 a.m. to Midnight
Wednesday, August 22	6:00 a.m. to Midnight
Thursday, August 23	6:00 a.m. to Midnight
Friday, August 24	6:00 a.m. to 9:00 A.M.

**Due to space considerations, out of state exhibitors may not arrive until after 8:00 p.m. on Thursday, August 23. OPEN SWINE WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO ENTER THE BARN AT ANY OTHER TIME. If this arrival time creates a hardship, please notify the superintendent or the fair office. All open show swine must be in place by 9:00 a.m., Friday, August 24. Open show swine will be released at 5:00 p.m. Sunday, August 26. With proper documentation of entry at another state fair, an exhibitor may petition for early release. All swine must be off grounds by Midnight Sunday, August 26.**

5. **All livestock entries should be brought through Gate 4 off Crittenden Drive.**
6. See General Rules for protest, health regulations and other information.
7. Powdering, oiling or any other dressing of hogs other than washing will not be allowed at the Kentucky State Fair. Exhibitors with animals entering the show ring with any dressing other than water will be disqualified from showing.
8. **All exhibitors are limited to winning two (2) premiums and two (2) ribbons in each class.**

#### OPEN MARKET HOG DIVISION

1. Animals exhibited in the 4-H/FFA Youth Market Hog Division and Breeding Gilt Division are eligible to compete in the Open Market Hog Division.
2. Both market gilts and barrows are eligible to compete in the Open Market Hog Division. Gilts exhibited in the Open Breeding Swine Division may not be shown in the Open Market Hog Division.
3. **Each exhibitor is limited to four (4) open market hogs in any one (1) breed. If an exhibitor shows more than one (1) breed of open market**

- hogs, he or she may exhibit a total of six (6) open market hogs.
4. Exhibitors will declare weights of market hogs (an official weigh-in will not be conducted by show officials). The following procedures and guidelines will be used by exhibitors to declare weights of market hogs:
    - a. Upon arrival at the State Fair, Open Swine Show exhibitors must pick up a weight card (one weight card for each market hog that will be exhibited) at the Swine Superintendent's Office.
    - b. The completed weight card must be turned in at the Swine Superintendent's Office **between 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. on Friday, August 24**. Exhibitors with purebred market hogs must bring the animal's registration paper along with the weight card to the Swine Superintendent's Office. The Swine Superintendent or their representative will conduct an inspection of purebred animals to verify that they meet registration guidelines (appropriate breed character) and that their ear notches match those on the registration paper. The weight listed on the weight card will become that market hog's official declared weight to be used for assignment to a weight class and for weigh-back purposes. **ANIMALS EXHIBITED IN THE 4-H/FFA YOUTH MARKET HOG SHOW MUST TURN IN A NEW WEIGHT CARD. THE WEIGHT DECLARED FOR THE YOUTH MARKET HOG SHOW WILL NOT BE USED FOR THE OPEN MARKET HOG SHOW. GILTS EXHIBITED IN THE YOUTH BREEDING GILT SHOW THAT WILL BE SHOWN IN THE OPEN MARKET HOG SHOW WILL NEED TO TURN IN A WEIGHT CARD. Once the weight card has been submitted, it may not be changed.**
    - c. All market hogs must weigh between 220 and 285 lbs. There will be no variance from this weight range.
    - d. At least the top three placing market hogs in each class will be weighed by the Swine Superintendent or their representative as the animals leave the show ring. Any market hog that weighs 15 pounds over or under its official declared weight will be disqualified.
  5. Open market hogs will be shown in classes of 8 - 15 animals divided by breed and weight. A breed must be represented by eight (8) animals to have a separate class for that breed. All open market hogs shown in a breed class must have a registration certificate issued by the respective breed association showing animal identification and ownership and the animal must exhibit typical breed characteristics. The sex may be listed as boar on the pedigrees for barrows. Eight (8) head minimum are required for purebred classes. If less than eight (8) head are present, they will go into a "Colored Purebreds" or "White Purebreds" category. If these two categories have less than eight (8) head, they will be combined into an "All Other Breeds" category.
  6. A Breed Champion from each purebred division will be selected in the Open Market Hog Show. The Breed Champions from each purebred division will compete with the crossbred division winners for Grand Champion Open market hog.
  7. The crossbred classes will be equally distributed into three (3) weight divisions: Light Weight, Medium Weight, and Heavy Weight. The three (3) crossbred division winners will compete with the Breed

Champions from each purebred division for Grand Champion open market hog.

- Open Market Hog Division exhibitors are responsible for removing their animals from the grounds at the conclusion of the show. Show management WILL NOT be responsible for removing animals from the grounds.

### OPEN BREEDING SWINE DIVISION

- Animals eligible to be exhibited in the Commercial Class are terminal boars and maternal gilts (crossbreeds or genetic lines).
- At the time of entry, all purebred animals entered in this department, including pigs under six (6) months old, must be properly named and recorded in the Herd Book of the breed association to which they belong.
- All Berkshire swine must be registered by the American Berkshire Association (ABA), P. O. Box 2436, 1769 US 52 West, West Lafayette, IN 47996. Said registration paper must be presented at time of check in. The ABA is the only Berkshire swine registry recognized by the National Association of Swine Records (NASR) and the National Pedigreed Livestock Council (NPLC).
- An exhibitor of more than one purebred breed must have been an active member of each breed association for more than ninety (90) days immediately prior to the show.**
- All animals to be exhibited must be properly checked in with show management prior to the show. Registration papers for purebreds must be presented at check-in.
- All animals exhibited must carry ear notches or ear tags identifying litter to which they belong.
- All animals exhibited must be January, February or March pigs. Purebred breeding swine will be broken into classes based on age. Commercial breeding swine will be broken into classes based on weight. Exhibitors of Commercial breeding swine will need to turn in a weight card declaring weights.
- All hogs to be eligible to compete must have been owned by the exhibitor for at least sixty (60) days prior to the opening day of the Kentucky State Fair. For purebred animals, the day of purchase shall be construed to be the date transfer is recorded with the Record Association.
- All animals placing will be checked for ear notches or ear tags and registration papers will be required for purebred animals.
- All purebred pigs shown must be registered in the Record Associations of the breeds to which they belong, and must be in the name of the exhibitor. All purebred pigs must exhibit typical breed characteristics. Exhibitors must be prepared to show certificates of registry and proper transfer for all purebred animals they are showing.
- Any animal that, in the opinion of the judge, is being shown out of class shall not be awarded a prize.

12. Not more than three (3) animals from the same exhibitor shall be allowed to show in any one (1) class for individual animals.
13. All animals must be shown in the judging arena unless permitted by the Superintendent of the Swine Department to do otherwise.
14. All prize money of any exhibitor failing to comply with foregoing rules, or found guilty of or party to any irregularity in connection with the show, shall be forfeited.
15. The fair will provide large, portable containers for the disposal of manure and trash. These vehicles will be parked at various locations throughout livestock buildings at all times. No bedding or manure is to be heaped in the area at any time. It must be put into the above container and will be removed when full and replaced by another receptacle. Help us keep our livestock building clean.
16. Tents or sleeping areas that are enclosed at the top are not permitted in the pen area. Please help us in complying with this fire code regulation.

**NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS**

In order to create a good public image and add to the attractiveness of the livestock area, all beds, cots, bedding, etc., must be made up and out of the aisles by 8:00 a.m. each morning. This rule will be enforced by management and will also reflect in Herdsman Award judging. If possible, all beds, feed, and bedding should be placed along the walls and **NOT** in pens that could be used for animals.

**SWINE HERDSMAN AWARDS**

**TOP HERDSMAN \$50 & BANNER  
RUNNER-UP \$40**

**3rd - \$35    4th - \$20    5th - \$15    6th - \$15    7th - \$15**

These awards will be given to the seven (7) cleanest and most attractive exhibits promoting their breed and the swine industry. Rules and judging to be determined by a committee.

**NOTE: KY classes open to Kentucky exhibitors only. Animals eligible for KY classes must be Kentucky owned or co-owned and maintained in Kentucky.**

**SWEEPSTAKES**

**To be selected from Ky. Champions of the seven breeds**

**Best Sow..... BANNER & \$100.00**

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|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| DIVISION 1301- DUROC     | DIVISION 1305- OTHER BREEDS |
| DIVISION 1302- HAMPSHIRE | DIVISION 1306- COMMERCIAL   |
| DIVISION 1303 -LANDRACE  | DIVISION 1307- SPOTTED      |
| DIVISION 1304- YORKSHIRE | DIVISION 1308- MARKET       |
|                          | HOG SHOW                    |

Age classifications for 2012 Swine Show:

- Class A Pig – Jan. 1-Jan. 31, 2012
- Class B Pig – Feb. 1-Feb. 29, 2012
- Class C Pig – Mar. 1-Mar. 31, 2012

**OPEN BREEDING SWINE AWARDS**

Grand Champions – (BANNER) – First place classes A, B and C pigs competing.

Reserve Grand Champions – (ROSETTE)-First place animals not selected for Grand Champion and second place animals from the class the Grand Champion was chosen from competing.

Kentucky Grand Champion – (BANNER)

PLEASE LIST DIVISION AND CLASS NUMBERS ON ENTRY FORM.

- DIVISION 1301 DUROC
- DIVISION 1302 HAMPSHIRE
- DIVISION 1303 LANDRACE
- DIVISION 1304 YORKSHIRE
- DIVISION 1305 OTHER BREEDS (Chester, Poland, Berkshire)
- DIVISION 1306 COMMERCIAL (Terminal Boars and Maternal Gilts)
- DIVISION 1307 SPOTTED

Amount Offered in Open Classes ..... \$960.00  
 Amount Offered in Kentucky Classes ..... \$360.00  
 Total Offered for each breed ..... \$1,320.00

SWINE

**PREMIUM SCHEDULE**

	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH	6TH
A:	45	35	25	20	20	15
B:	30	20	10			
R:	ROSETTE					
S:	BANNER					

**BOARS**

#	Class	Premium
1	Class A Boars	A
1KY	Same as above	B
2	Class B Boars	A
2KY	Same as above	B
3	Class C Boars	A
3KY	Same as above	B
4	Grand Champion Boar	S
4KY	Same as above	S
5	Reserve Champion Boar	R

**GILTS**

6	Class A Gilts	A
6KY	Same as above	B
7	Class B Gilts	A
7KY	Same as above	B
8	Class C Gilts	A
8KY	Same as above	B
9	Grand Champion Gilt	S
9KY	Same as above	S
10	Reserve Champion Gilt	R

**DIVISION 1308**

**MARKET HOG SHOW**

Amount Offered by Kentucky State Fair .....\$3,000.00

Classes will be determined after animals are checked in at the show. First place animal in each class will be awarded \$50, second place will be awarded \$35, and the remainder of the \$3,000 will be distributed among the other animals on a proportional basis after the Fair. There will be no KY premium money in the open market hog show.

Make all entries in open division market hogs in Division 1308, Class 1.