

Poultry

4-H and FFA

Poultry
Superintendents:
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Entry Form Information

Department: 206 (Use for 4-H entries)

Department: 256 (Use for FFA entries)

Division: (See listing below)

Class: (Located under each Division)

Exhibitors are responsible to read and comply with:

- Palouse Empire Fair General Rules & Regulations.
- 4-H & FFA Rules and Regulations.
- Stock Sale, Livestock, & Companion Animal Entry Rules and Regulations
- IAFE Show Ring Code of Ethics
- Department Rules and Regulations (listed below).
- Rules and Regulations posted in Barn.

General Rules and Regulations

- Poultry entries are to be received by the Fair Office no later than August 1st.
- All exhibits will be placed by 8:00 p.m. Wednesday and are not to be taken out until after 4:01 p.m. Sunday
- Superintendents will not be responsible for poultry that remain after 7:00 p.m. Sunday
- All animal entries (except hen and chicks) shall be a minimum of 16 weeks old.
- Every exhibitor MUST sign up & complete barn duty.
- All entries shall be entered by breed.
- Poultry must be free of parasites.
- All poultry is subject to veterinary inspection.
- Superintendents reserve the right to limit entries per exhibitor.
- All poultry will be dusted for mites.
- Superintendents will feed poultry. Feed is provided by Four Star Supply, Inc.

Poultry Pullorum Testing

All chickens, exotic fowl, and game birds must test negative for Pullorum-Typhoid within 90 days prior to exhibition. Waterfowl, doves, and pigeons are exempt from this rule. Exhibitors are exempt from this rule if they are members of NPIP, or within the last 12 months, have purchased their show birds from a NPIP participating producer or a feed store that purchased their chicks from a NPIP participating

producer. Please include a copy of your test results or NPIP exemption with your entry form.

Department 206 (Use for 4-H entries)

Division 1 – Fitting and Showing

Points Awarded: Blue 60, Red 40, White 30

Rules:

- All 4-H and FFA exhibitors are expected to compete in Fitting and Showing.
- The purpose of showmanship is to help young people become better acquainted with proper handling and poultry knowledge

Class:

1. Cloverbud 5-7 years
2. Junior 8-10 years
3. Intermediate 11 – 13 years
4. Senior 14 - < 19 years

Department 256 (Use for FFA entries)

Division 1 – Fitting and Showing

Points Awarded: Blue 60, Red 40, White 30

Rules:

- All 4-H and FFA exhibitors are expected to compete in Fitting and Showing.
- The purpose of showmanship is to help young people become better acquainted with proper handling and poultry knowledge

Class:

1. Novice: Freshman & Sophomore
2. Advanced: Junior & Senior

Division 2 - Chickens

Points Awarded: Blue 20, Red 10, White 5

Class:

1. Single Cock
2. Single Cockerel
3. Single Hen
4. Single Pullet

Division 3 – Waterfowl

Points Awarded: Blue 20, Red 10, White 5

Class:

1. Drake
2. Gander
3. Duck
4. Goose

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Division 4 – Pigeons and Doves

Points Awarded: Blue 20, Red 10, White 5

Class:

1. Cock
2. Hen

Division 5 – Other Fowl

Points Awarded: Blue 20, Red 10, White 5

Class:

1. Male
2. Female

Division 6 - Educational Displays

Points Awarded: (Listed under each Class)

Class:

1. Individual Poster or Display
Points Awarded: Blue 25, Red 20, White 15
2. Group Barn Display
Points Awarded: Blue 35, Red 25, White 15

Division 7 – Costume Contest

Points Awarded: 1st 20, 2nd 10, 3rd 5

Rules:

- All exhibitors will compete for overall 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place rosettes for a costume involving themselves and their poultry.

Division 8 – Judging

Points Awarded: Blue 20, Red 10, White 5

Rules:

- Exhibitors are eligible to compete in judging.
- A judging class will be made up of four birds.
- Each participant will handle and examine the poultry and place according to the quality and standards, using the Hormel scoring system.
- All participants will receive a ribbon.

Division 9 – Egg Contest

Points Awarded: Blue 20, Red 10, White 5

Rules:

- Each entry shall consist of 1 dozen chicken eggs with natural shell that is not oiled or treated otherwise.
- One entry per exhibitor.
- Eggs should be weighed prior to fair entry.

Class:

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| 1. Jumbo | 30 Oz. |
| 2. Extra Large | 27 Oz. |

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| 3. Large | 24 Oz. |
| 4. Medium | 21 Oz. |
| 5. Small | 18 Oz. |
| 6. Peewee | 15 Oz. |

Special Contests and Awards

Division 1

Champion and Reserve Champion ribbons will be awarded in each class for Fitting and Showing Division. 1. A Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion rosette will be awarded from the champion exhibitors within 4-H and FFA separately.

Grand Champion, Grand Reserve, Champion & Reserve Champion winners are encouraged to participate in the Parade of Champions on Sunday.

Whitman County Farm Bureau

Division 2 & 6. 4

Overall Grand Champion \$10

Overall Reserve Grand Champion \$5

Small Animal Round Robin

Trophy Awarded to Best Overall Showman for Rabbit, Cavy, and Poultry.

1st place \$50 & 2nd Place \$25

The Fitting & Showing judge will choose Round Robin contestants from All Youth Fitting & Showing exhibitors. Contestants will compete on all three animals to be judged Round Robin Champion. The Round Robin Contest date, time and place will be announced, check with superintendents. Note: If there is a tie, each winner will receive the designated 1st place prize money.

Special Merit Award

Goes to Top Carton.

