

2010 WARREN COUNTY FAIR SPECIE SPECIFIC RULES

BEEF RULES

Beef Cattle

- B1. Each exhibitor may show no more than two (2) single market beef at the Warren County Fair. In addition, a 4-Her may also show up to four (4) breeding animals per specie. Project books must be submitted and up-to-date on market and breeding animals in order to show at the Warren County Fair. Any heifer shown in the Market Beef Show is NOT ELIGIBLE to show in the Breeding Beef Show.
- B2. All market beef projects entered in the 4-H Beef Show & Sale must be dehorned, tagged and weighed in at the official weigh-in for this program. They will be weighed a second time when brought to the Fair. Each exhibitor may weigh in one (1) extra project beef in December to be substituted in case of sickness, injury or death (*but they may still only check-in and show 2 market beef total at the Warren County Fair!*).
- B3. Beef market steers must have been calved after January 1, 2009, must weigh **at least 1000 lbs.** and must grade at least "**Select**" or better to sell (**this includes Select and Select +, but does not include Select -**). No grace weight is allowed. If a steer does not meet these standards, it may be sold privately in the barn.
- B4. All 4-H Members must participate in the beef showmanship classes to be eligible to show in a market class and sell the animal at the auction. Underweight beef will be allowed to show in a showmanship class.
- B5. **PLEASE READ ALL RULES! ALL RULES WILL BE INFORECED!**

Feeder Calves and Bottle Fed Calves

- FC1. Feeder calves are calves born on or after January 1, 2010 and weighing 200-600 lbs. at the Fair weigh in. Bottle fed calves will weigh no more than 250 lbs. at the Fair weigh in. Feeder calves and bottle fed calves may be either beef or dairy breeds. The exhibitor must have ownership of the feeder calves by April 15, 2010 and bottle-fed calves by June 1, 2010.
- FC2. Feeder calves and bottle fed calves will NOT be sold in the Livestock Sale.

Beef Heifers and Cow-Calf Pair

- CC1. Beef Heifers and Cow-Calf Pairs must be in the care of, and registered to the exhibitor by the following dates:

Born

Before Dec. 31, 2008
Jan. 1-April 30, 2009
May 1-August 31, 2009
Sept. 1-Dec. 31, 2009
Jan. 1-Mar. 31, 2010
*Cow/Calf Pair

In Care of

Exhibitor by:

January 31, 2010
January 31, 2010
March 1, 2010
May 1, 2010
July 1, 2009
*March 1, 2010

DAIRY CATTLE RULES

Dairy Cattle

- DH1. Each exhibitor may show up to three (3) dairy cattle. Project books must be submitted and up-to-date on all dairy animals in order to show at the Warren County Fair.
- DH2. Only female cattle may be shown in the Dairy Cattle Show. Only exception is bull calves in the Cow-Calf Pair Class.
- DH3. Dairy classes will be broken by age. There is no minimum weight for Dairy Cattle, but calves born after April 5, 2010 may NOT be shown.

Feeder Calves and Bottle Fed Calves

- FC1. Feeder calves are calves born on or after January 1, 2010 and weighing 200-600 lbs. at the Fair weigh in. Bottle fed calves will weigh no more than 250 lbs. at the Fair weigh in. Feeder calves and bottle fed calves may be either beef or dairy breeds. The exhibitor must have ownership of the feeder calves by April 15, 2010 and bottle-fed calves by June 1, 2010.
- FC2. Feeder calves and bottle fed calves will NOT be sold in the Livestock Sale.

Dairy Heifers and Cow-Calf Pair

- CC1. All rules under General Rules apply to dairy heifer and cow-calf pair exhibitors. PLEASE READ!
- CC2. Dairy Heifers and Cow-Calf Pairs must be in the care of, and registered to the exhibitor by the following dates:

Born

Before Dec. 31, 2008
Jan. 1-April 30, 2009
May 1-August 31, 2009
Sept. 1-Dec. 31, 2009
Jan. 1-Mar. 31, 2010
*Cow/Calf Pair

In Care of

Exhibitor by:

January 31, 2010
January 31, 2010
March 1, 2010
May 1, 2010
July 1, 2009
*March 1, 2010

SHEEP RULES

- S1. Market lambs must weigh at least 90 lbs. and grade red-o or better to sell in the 4-H Livestock Sale. No grace weight is allowed. If a lamb does not meet these standards, it may be sold privately in the barn.
- S2. To be in compliance with the recommendations of the State Veterinarian, all sheep must be identified with an official USDA Scrapie Tag in their ear upon arrival at the initial weigh in. The official paperwork must also accompany the lamb upon arrival at the Fair in August.
- S3. All Market lambs must be ewes or wethers. No rams may be entered in a market class. All wethers must be castrated and have no evidence of testicular tissue.
- S4. **PLEASE READ ALL RULES! ALL RULES WILL BE ENFORCED!**

SWINE RULES

Swine

- SW1. All market hogs must weigh a minimum of 210 pounds and a maximum of 280 pounds for selection as Grand Champion or Reserve Grand Champion Market Hog.
- SW2. Market hogs must weigh a minimum of 210 pounds to sell in the 4-H Livestock Sale. No grace weight is allowed. If a hog does not meet this standard, it may be sold privately in the barn. Breeding hogs must weigh a minimum of 150 pounds and a maximum of 350 pounds.
- SW3. All market swine must be gilts or barrows. No boars may be entered in a market class.
- SW4. **PLEASE READ ALL RULES! ALL RULES WILL BE ENFORCED!**

MARKET GOAT RULES

Goats

- MG1. Market goats must weigh at least 50 lbs. and have been born after December 1, 2009, to sell in the 4-H Livestock Sale. No grace weight is allowed. If a goat does not meet these standards, it may be sold privately in the barn.
- MG2. To be in compliance with the recommendations of the state veterinarian, all goats must be identified with an official USDA Scrapie Tag in their ear upon arrival at the weigh in. The official paperwork must also accompany the goat upon arrival at the Fair in August.
- MG3. Extension reserves the right to dismiss any goat on the fairgrounds that has any communicable disease such as fungus, foot rot, sore mouth or any others that are identified. The Large

Animal Committee also reserves the right to call in a veterinarian of its choice to review any health decisions made by the committee.

MG4. All market goats must be does or wethers. All male goats must be castrated and have no evidence of testicular tissue. No male goats will be allowed in a market class.

MG5. **PLEASE READ ALL RULES! ALL RULES WILL BE ENFORCED!**

DAIRY GOAT RULES

Dairy Goats

DG1. Dairy Goat classes will be broken by age. There is no minimum weight for Dairy Goats, but goats born after May 31, 2010 may NOT be shown.

DG2. To be in compliance with the recommendations of the state veterinarian, all goats must be identified with an official USDA Scrapie Tag in their ear upon arrival at the Fairgrounds. The official paper work must also accompany the goat upon arrival at the Fair.

DG3. **PLEASE READ ALL RULES! ALL RULES WILL BE ENFORCED!**