



Superintendent: Brenda Strong

Department - 4-H Poultry

Entries: **Online Only** - <http://adco.fairentry.com>

Entry Deadline: Friday, June 30, 2017 by 4:30 p.m.

Entry Fee: \$2.00 Per Entry unless otherwise noted

Arrival/Vet Checks: Tuesday, August 1, from 6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. No late arrivals.

Birds must be vet checked upon arrival, before admittance.

Weigh In: Tuesday, Aug. 1 - during check-in 6:00pm

Judging: Thursday, August 3, 9:00am

Open Mini's: See Dept. Open Minis for more information.

Awards: TBA

Departure: Sunday, August 7, at 3:00 p.m.

Premium Scale:

Based on number of Entries

RULES: (Also see Livestock, Equine & Small Animal Rules)

Poultry Project members who intend to exhibit their animal(s) at the Adams County Fair must complete the following to remain eligible for fair entry and exhibition:

1. Enroll in the Poultry Project by the enrollment deadline.
2. Complete the Meat Quality Assurance Training annually.
3. Complete and turn in the Livestock Project E-Record by the deadline.
4. Review the Adams County Fair Premium Book and determine which classes you would like to participate in.
5. Enter by the Fair entry deadline.
6. You must own your project animal for no less than the requirement stated in the Fair Premium Book .
7. Your poultry will also be inspected upon their arrival and any birds that do not meet health requirements will not be permitted to enter the poultry building.

Additional Fair-related rules are listed below as well as under each Division/Class:

1. All birds shown must have legible numbered leg bands.
2. Any animal showing symptoms of disease, parasites, broken wings or beaks will not be admitted. Birds shown need to be fully feathered, no bald spots.
3. No exhibitor may have more than three entries in a class. In other non-standard breed classes, limit three Per Entry, per breed.
4. The same bird may not be entered in the 4-H show and the Open Show.
5. Exhibitor will not be present during judging of birds. Judge will answer questions following judging.
6. If there are three or more entries in a breed not listed, a new class may be added. To start a new class, three families must exhibit.
7. Exhibitor is responsible for furnishing padlock, if desired (recommended for pigeons and game birds.) If cages are locked, exhibitor is responsible for unlocking cage during judging. Locked entries will not be judged. Exhibitors may wish to furnish appropriate sized cages for pigeons and game birds.
8. Exhibitors will receive their ribbons upon release.
9. Pigeon pair entries must be same breed.
10. Ribbons and Premiums to be awarded through 5th place.
11. An exhibitor of mixed breeds may only exhibit crossbreed class during first year of showing in the Adams County Fair.
12. To cage birds by color variation, please specify the following on your entry form: Variety, Color and Bearded or Non-Bearded.
13. If animals are neglected, abused, mishandled, not fed, or pens not cleaned, the superintendent will ask the member to remove their animal from the grounds and forfeit all premiums. This exhibitor may be ineligible for future Adams County Fairs as determined by the Adams County Extension Staff
14. All 4-H members showing in poultry must take the MQA class annually.
15. All market poultry and turkeys will be weighed and identified once they have passed the veterinary inspection at the time of arrival. Poultry not meeting the requirements stated will be excused from the fairgrounds on Tuesday evening, or must remain on grounds until Sunday at **6:00 p.m.**

RULES FOR PRIVATE TREATY SALE OF POULTRY:

1. All poultry sold must be shown.
2. All poultry sold must be registered with poultry superintendent that they are for sale and have legible leg bands with numbers.
3. Poultry information needed: Sellers Name, Breed, and Price.
4. The Small Animal Committee is not responsible for the condition of poultry, this includes lost or missing animals.
5. Pickup of sold poultry through Poultry Superintendent will be after 6:00 p.m. Sunday ONLY.



RECORD BOOKS

No Entry Fee

1. Members must complete and turn in (by deadline) a record book for each species in which they exhibit at Fair. If a record book is not completed for each species exhibited, the member will forfeit premiums and be ineligible to exhibit that species at the next year's Fair.
2. Rabbit members complete Livestock E-Record and any necessary supplements.

DIVISION: RECORD BOOKS

CLASS:

1. Junior, 8-10 years and under
2. Intermediate, 11-13 years and under
3. Senior, 14 years and over

AWARDS:

1. Champion Record Book, Junior, Intermediate, & Senior - Award, Sponsored by the Small Animal Committee
2. Reserve Champion Record Book, Junior, Intermediate, & Senior - Award, Sponsored by the Small Animal Committee

SHOWMANSHIP

1. Poultry showmanship takes place at 9:00 a.m. There will be Junior, Intermediate, and Senior awards. Junior: 8-10 years, Intermediate: 11-13 years, Seniors: 14 years and over.

DIVISION: SHOWMANSHIP

CLASS:

1. Junior Poultry Showmanship – 8-10 years
2. Intermediate Poultry Showmanship - 11-13 years
3. Senior Poultry Showmanship – 14 years and over

AWARDS:

Champion Poultry Showmanship Junior & Intermediate & Senior. - Award
Res. Champion Poultry Showmanship - Award
(Junior & Intermediate & Senior)

1st and 2nd Place will qualify for the Round Robin and need to declare if they are showing in it.



LARGE FOWL

Thursday, August 3, 2017

Entry Fee \$2.00 Per Entry

AMERICAN:

DIVISION: PLYMOUTH ROCK
DIVISION: JERSEY GIANT

DIVISION: WYANDOTTE
DIVISION: NEW HAMPSHIRE

DIVISION: RHODE ISLAND
DIVISION: DELAWARE

ASIATIC:

DIVISION: BRAHMA

DIVISION: COCHIN

DIVISION: LANGSHAN

ENGLISH:

DIVISION: DORKING
DIVISION: SUSSEX

DIVISION: CORNISH
DIVISION: AUSTRALORP

DIVISION: ORPINGTON

MEDITERRANEAN:

DIVISION: LEGHORN
DIVISION: BUTTERCUP

DIVISION: MINORCA

DIVISION: ANDALUSIAN

CONTINENTAL:

DIVISION: HAMBURG
DIVISION: POLISH BEARDED
DIVISION: FAVEROLLE

DIVISION: CAQMPINE
DIVISION: POLISH NON BEARDED

DIVISION: LAKENVELDER
DIVISION: HOUDAN

ALL OTHER STANDARD BREED (AOSB):

DIVISION: SUMATRA
DIVISION: SULTAN

DIVISION: YOKAHAMA
DIVISION: NAKED NECK

DIVISION: PHOENIX
DIVISION: AMERAUCANA

DIVISION: OTHER NON-STANDARD LARGE BREEDS (SPECIFY BREED ON ENTRY FORM)

CLASS:

1. Cock, male over one year
2. Hen, female over one year
3. Cockeral, male under one year
4. Pullet, female under one year

DUCKS

Thursday, August 3, 2017

Entry Fee \$2.00 Per Entry

HEAVY:

DIVISION: PEKIN
DIVISION: MUSCOVY

DIVISION: AYLESBURY

DIVISION: ROUEN

MEDIUM:

DIVISION: CAYUGA
DIVISION: BUFF

DIVISION: CRESTED

DIVISION: SWEDISH

LIGHT:

DIVISION: RUNNER

DIVISION: CAMPBELL

DIVISION: MAGPIE

BANTAM:

DIVISION: CALL

DIVISION: EAST INDIE

DIVISION: MALLARD

CLASS:

1. Young Hen
2. Young Drake
3. Old Hen
4. Old Drake



BANTAM

Thursday, August 3, 2017
Entry Fee \$2.00 Per Entry

GAME BANTAM:

DIVISION: MODERN GAME

DIVISION: AMERICAN GAME

DIVISION: OLD ENGLISH GAME

SINGLE COMB CLEAN LEG (SCCL):

DIVISION: DUTCH

DIVISION: PHOENIX

DIVISION: JAPANESE

DIVISION: PLYMOUTH ROCK

DIVISION: LEGHORN

DIVISION: RHODE ISLAND

ROSE COMB CLEAN LEG (RCCL):

DIVISION: BELGIAN D'ANVER

DIVISION: ROSECOMB

DIVISION: HAMBURG

DIVISION: SEBRIGHT

DIVISION: RC LEGHORN

DIVISION: WYANDOTTE

ALL OTHER COMB CLEAN LEG (AOCCL):

DIVISION: AMERAUCANA

DIVISION: POLISH

DIVISION: CORNISH

DIVISION: SUMATRA

DIVISION: HOUDAN

DIVISION: YOKAHAMA

FEATHER LEG:

DIVISION: BELGIAN D'UCCLE

DIVISION: FAVEROLLE

DIVISION: BRAHMA

DIVISION: SILKIE

DIVISION: COCHIN

DIVISION: SULTAN

DIVISION: OTHER NON-STANDARD BANTAM BREEDS (SPECIFY BREED ON ENTRY FORM)

CLASS:

1. Cock, male over one year
2. Hen, female over one year
3. Cockerel, male under one year
4. Pullet, female under one year

GEESE

Thursday, August 3, 2017
Entry Fee \$2.00 Per Entry

HEAVY:

DIVISION: TOULOUSE

DIVISION: EMBDEN

DIVISION: AFRICAN

MEDIUM:

DIVISION: SEBASTOPOL

DIVISION: PILGRIM

DIVISION: BUFF

DIVISION: POMERANIAN

LIGHT:

DIVISION: CHINESE

DIVISION: ROMAN TUFTED

DIVISION: EGYPTIAN

CLASS:

1. Goose
2. Gander



TURKEYS

Thursday, August 3, 2017

Entry Fee \$2.00 Per Entry

MUST be weighed-in at 6:00 p.m. check-in evening

DIVISION : MEAT CLASS (Must go to SALE)

Turkeys: Hen; must be over 10lbs. Toms; must be over 12lbs. Scales will be available for exhibitors to weigh and choose birds.

Turkeys must be under 1 year of age.

Class 1 & 2 Only for this division

DIVISION: EXHIBITION CLASS

CLASS:

- 1. Young Hen
- 2. Young Tom
- 3. Old Hen
- 4. Old Tom

PIGEONS

Thursday, August 3, 2017

Entry Fee \$2.00 Per Entry

DIVISION: PIGEONS

CLASS:

- 1. Singles
- 2. Pairs

GAME BIRDS

Thursday, August 3, 2017

Entry Fee \$2.00 Per Entry

DIVISION: PHEASANTS

DIVISION: CHUCKERS

DIVISION: QUAIL

DIVISION: PEAFOWL

CLASS:

- 1. Singles
- 2. Pairs

PRODUCTION PENS

Thursday, August 3, 2017

Entry Fee \$2.00 Per Entry

DIVISION 136: EGG PRODUCTION PEN

- Pen of Three

CLASS:

- 1. Old Pen
- 2. Young Pen

DIVISION: MEAT PRODUCTION PEN

- 1. Meat Pen Chickens (Pen of 3); must all be same sex, Minimum of 5 weeks old, but no older than 7 months. Each bird must weigh a Minimum of 4lbs and a maximum of 11lbs. There can be no more than a ½ lb. weight difference between each bird in pen.

MUST be weighed-in at 6:00 p.m. check-in evening. A scale will be available to help exhibitors weigh their birds. This will allow exhibitors to choose compliant pens.

CLASS:

- 1. Pen of Three

Champion and Reserve Champion must go to Junior Livestock Sale.



POULTRY DISPLAY BOARD

Monday, July 31, 2017

RULES:

- Enter and bring your poster to the Al Lesser Building on Monday, July 31, 2017
- **Standard presentation display board(4x3).**
- Name, age, and club needs to be on the front bottom right corner of poster.
- Display boards will be displayed in the North End of the Exhibit Hall

DIVISION: POSTER

CLASS:

1. Mini
2. Junior
3. Intermediate
4. Senior

AWARDS:

Mini - Ribbon

Junior - Ribbon

Intermediate - Ribbon

Senior - Ribbon

POULTRY AWARDS:

1. Champion and Reserve American
2. Champion and Reserve Asiatic
3. Champion and Reserve English
4. Champion and Reserve Continental
5. Champion and Reserve Mediterranean
6. Champion and Reserve AOSB
7. Champion and Reserve Game Bantam
8. Champion and Reserve SCCL
9. Champion and Reserves RCCL
10. Champion and reserve Feather Leg
11. Champion and Reserve AOCCL
12. Champion and Reserve Duck
13. Champion and Reserve Goose
14. Champion and Reserve Meat Turkey
15. Champion and Reserve Exhibition Turkey
16. Champion and Reserve Pigeon
17. Champion and Reserve Game Bird
18. Champion and Reserve Chicken Meat Pen
19. Champion and Reserve Egg Pen
20. Champion and Reserve Large Fowl
21. Champion and Reserve Bantam
22. Champion and Reserve Waterfowl
23. Grand Champion Bird of Show
24. Reserve Grand Champion Bird of Show

HERDSMANSHIP:

1. Cages need to be cleaned by 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. daily
2. Birds need to be fed and watered by exhibitor
3. Barn isles need to be swept
4. If animals are not properly cared for, all premiums will be forfeited
5. 4-H members should assist one another and help create a positive sportsmanship environment



PREMIER POULTRY EXHIBITOR CONTEST
NO ENTRY FEE

DIVISION: PREMIER POULTRY EXHIBITOR

CLASS: 1 - All Exhibitors

Rules:

1. The purpose of this contest is to recognize exhibitors that excel in the areas of care, knowledge, and presentation of their projects.
2. The contest will have the following divisions: Beef, Goat, Sheep, Swine, Poultry and Poultry.
3. Exhibitors may have breeding or market projects or both. All ages will compete together within each species area. Exhibitors are allowed to enter the Premier Exhibitor Contest in as many species as they are enrolled in. One winner per species will be awarded.
4. Exhibitors must pre-enter this contest along with their regular fair entries. Please see department for further entry information.
b. DEPARTMENT 4-H Poultry DIVISION Premier Poultry Exhibitor Poultry; CLASS All Exhibitors
5. All entrants will identify themselves by placing a Premier Exhibitor ID on your stalls/cages.
6. The Contest will be judged on the following Criteria:
 - a. Herdsmanship - 30 points possible
There are five major judging criteria that you will be judged on for herdsmanhip. Identification of animals (stall cards), care and maintenance of animals and are while at fair (do they always have water?), stall cleanliness, stall decorations, and educational information (poster or other item). You must have your Premier Exhibitor ID on your stall sign to be judged and earn points for these criteria.
 - b. Knowledge Test – 30 points possible
Exhibitors will be required to take a 30 question, multiple choice test, designed to evaluate knowledge of their project in areas such as: health, feeding, breeding, selection, handling, carcass, and industry related issues. All questions will be taken from the recognized 4-H project manuals.
All entrants must take their specific species knowledge test at the time specified. Tests will be given at Record Book Interviews. This is the ONLY opportunity for participants to complete this test.
 - c. Showmanship – 30 points possible
Points given for showmanship placing will be broken down according to the following point chart.
 - d. Carcass Class – 20 points possible
Points given for carcass class placing will be broken down according to the following point chart. Rabbit and Poultry Exhibitors are not awarded points for this criteria.
 - e. Class Placing – 10 points possible
Each exhibitor will receive points for his/her highest placing animal. Only one animal per exhibitor (market or breeding) will be used for class placing points. Points will be broken down according to the following point chart.
 - f. Number of Animals Exhibited - 6 points possible
Exhibitors will receive one point for each market animal they exhibit (up to 3 points). Exhibitors will receive one point for each breeding animal they exhibit (up to 3 points)
 - g. Record Book – 10 points possible
Points will be awarded on the following sliding scale found in the following chart:
 - h. Bonus Points – 5 points possible
Exhibitors will receive 5 bonus points for exhibiting animals in both the market class and producer class division.
 - i. Tie Breaker
Exhibitors will fill out a short essay answer at the end of their test. This essay will be used in the event of a tie to determine a winner.
7. Points will be awarded for placing within each class based on the exhibitor's actual placing within the class regardless if all exhibitors in the class are participating in the Premier Exhibitor class.



PREMIER POULTRY EXHIBITOR CONTINUED:

AWARD:

\$125 Cash Award

Winners will be announced at the October Achievement Banquet.

Knowledge Test		Showmanship		Carcass Class		Class Placing		Record Book	
Score	Points	Score	Points	Score	Points	Score	Points	Score	Points
30	30	1st	30	1st	20	1st	10	Blue	10
29	29	2nd	28	2nd	19	2nd	9	Red	8
28	28	3rd	26	3rd	18	3rd	8	White	6
27	27	4th	24	4th	17	4th	7		
26	26	5th	22	5th	16	5th	6		
25	25	6th	20	6th	15	6th	5		
24	24	7th	18	7th	14	7th	4		
23	23	8th	16	8th	13	8th	3		
22	22	All other	12	9th	12	All other	1		
21	21			10th	11				
20	20			11th	10				
19	19			12th	9				
18	18			13th	8				
17	17			14th	7				
16	16			15th	6				