2022 Wayne County Junior Fair Swine Information

Check-in and Unloading:

- Weigh-in Thursday September 8th from 4:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. and Friday September 9th from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. A representative for the hog must be present during weigh-in.
- You DUNF must be completed online by Wednesday September 7th at 5:00 pm. If there are corrections to your DUNF you must tell the check-in staff and they will have you complete a new DUNF.
- Your Ractopamine affidavit must be filled out and signed before Wednesday September 7th at 5:00 pm.
- You are not permitted to unload your hog if your electronic DUNF and Ractopamine affidavit are not filled out and submitted. All hogs must have a Wayne County ear tag in them before they are unloaded.
- We expect all exhibitors to bring their tack prior to the start of check-in, 4 pm on Thursday.
  - Tack will not be unloaded with your hog.
- You are not allowed to move your hog from its assigned pen. If there is an issue, please contact Katie Stull during check in.
- Hogs under 200lbs and over 300lbs will not be permitted to show or be exhibited and will be removed off the grounds after 9 pm on Friday.
  - The exhibitor may send the hog to a buyer of the committees choosing and receive that day's market price or the exhibitor may transport the hog directly to a processor of their choosing.
- There will be no reweighs
- Pen assignments will be posted online under project information on the Wayne County 4-H website. They will also be posted by 5 p.m. on September the 4th on the rolling bulletin board in the swine barn.

Barn Rules:

- No clipping in pens unless using a battery-operated clipper
- Waterers are limited to 5-gallon max per hog
- Animals should be attended to daily-you will be contacted by a committee member if your animal needs care
- No attaching anything to the swine building. Please do not use any duct tape
- Barn aisle cleaning charts will be posted. Please take notice as to when it is your responsibility to clean up
- Social distancing is highly encouraged in all the barns.
- Please no social gatherings or eating in the barns by order of the health department

Show Day:

- You must have an exhibitor number on to enter the show ring.
- A nice collared shirt, nice jeans, and boots are highly suggested for show attire.
- Swine Committee recommends that the exhibitor not use any oil on the hog.
- It is highly recommended that your hog has a minimum hair length of ½ inch
- The traffic pattern will run one way on show day. Please do your best to respect the flow.
  - Current class seating. There will be a designated section of socially distanced seating available for individuals who are wearing a wrist band and whose exhibitor is currently in the ring. This section of seating will be monitored cleared between each class.
- Class sizes will not exceed 10 exhibitors
• If you receive an award this week, remember to write a thank you letter to the donor of your award. The name and address of the donor can be found on the award. Turn in your thank you to the Jr. Fair Office by the end of the fair. All rules pertaining to the swine show and junior fair are located in the junior fair book.

• There is a Remind group for all swine exhibitors. The sheet on how to sign up is in this document. The Remind will send text alerts to your phone of class calls for swine classes and any other important swine reminders. Please join!

Important dates:

• Monday September 13th 8:00am Showmanship in the Event Center
  • Oldest to youngest
  • Division Champion Drive will be completed before moving to the next age division

• Tuesday September 14th 8:00am market classes in the Event Center
  • WCBBR classes followed by Market classes
  • Lightest to heaviest weights

• Thursday September 16th 8:30am Sale starting with swine

Other:

• Sale order will be the top four Market Hogs followed by the remainder of the hogs at the committee’s discretion

• A suggestion box will be located in the swine barn please feel free to leave your comments for the committee there to be reviewed at our October Meeting

Animal / Livestock Release Times Policy

All animals must be in their designated barn’s cage, pen, or stall from 8 pm on Thursday September 15th (i.e. no “exercising” or “consolidating” animals) until the release times listed below unless released with a certificate from the Fair Veterinarian or the animal is a market animal trucked off the fairgrounds on a Fair Board designated truck.

Official Release Times

Thursday September 15, 2022

• After 9:30 pm only rabbit, poultry, sheep, and goats are released from their pens / cages to be walked off the fairgrounds
• After 10:00 pm all animals are released from their designated barn’s pens / stalls to be walked to a trailer at their barn’s loading area or the infield within the fenced in fairgrounds
• After 11:00 pm all animals (except market animals) are permitted to be walked off the fairgrounds

Consequences for Animals / Livestock Leaving Early

• Any exhibitor Jr. or Sr. in violation of the exit times will share the violation at the family level
• The family will be suspended from exhibiting any Sr. or Jr. Fair entry at the Wayne County Fair for up to 3 years
• The family will forfeit auction proceeds, premiums, and more
• Read the full policy and set of consequences in the Jr. Fair Book General Rules on Page 7. Available online at wayne.osu.edu/jrfair