

Supplemental Poultry Project Information

Poultry Baskets for Poultry Products Auction

4-H Clubs are encouraged to create a basket for the Poultry Products Auction at the fair. Gerber's Poultry has already offered twenty \$50 gift cards that will be included in each basket. We hope to have 20 baskets in the auction. If your club is creating a basket please let us know as soon as it is decided at your meeting! We will then need the baskets turned into the Extension Office by September 4th.

Poultry Posters for the Poultry Barn

The posters in the poultry barn will be judged by our two showmanship judges. The showmanship judges will be looking for:

- A picture with you and your birds of each poultry entry
- Educational content on your poster that will educate the general public in the category of your choice. Categories include: Nutrition, Showmanship, and Disease & Prevention
- Judges will also consider neatness and appearance

The posters must be collected by the club and dropped off together at the Junior Fair Office during one of first **two** Show Number Pick-Up times. These are Tuesday, September 1st 5-8 pm & Thursday, September 3rd 5-8 pm.

Each poster must have an entry slip which can be found online at: <http://wayne.osu.edu/projectinfo>

Poultry Showmanship at the Fair

Members are welcome to bring their own stuffed animal to participate in showmanship. This way they can practice at home and be comfortable with it. These birds should be of similar size to their projects, but do not have to be exact representations of their projects at home. The judge will ask you during the process what projects you have at home. The committee will have a limited number of hen and goose stuffed animals to utilize for showmanship. These supplied animals will be passed down through the showmanship line as the class proceeds.

Poster Board Pickup

Members can pick up their posters on Thursday, September 17 at 9:30 – 10:30 pm. Posters left over at that time will be moved into the Center aisle of Building 10 (4-H booth building) and then be available Friday morning September 18th from 9 am – Noon.

Auction Participation

It is mandatory that members be present during the poultry products auction to receive a portion of the proceeds received from the buyers. There will be committee members there taking attendance at the auction. If they have another show during the same time the members must at least check in with the committee members that evening at the auction and let them know they will be leaving.