



New Castle County 4-H/Smyrna FFA Chapter 8th Annual Summer Livestock Classic

Saturday, June 6, 2009

Hooper Equipment, Rt. 301
Middletown, DE

Weigh-Ins: 7:00- 8:00 a.m.

Show begins at 9:00 a.m.

Entry Fee: \$6/animal

Beef Cattle

1. Senior Showmanship (17-19)
2. Intermediate Showmanship (14-16)
3. Junior Showmanship (11-13)
4. Youth Showmanship (8-10)
5. Novice Senior Showmanship (13-19)
6. Novice Junior Showmanship (8-12)
7. Cloverbuds (5-7) - **participation awards**
8. Feeder Calf - **No Cloverbuds**
9. Market Steer - **No Cloverbuds**

Meat Goats

1. Senior Showmanship (17-19)
2. Intermediate Showmanship (14-16)
3. Junior Showmanship (11-13)
4. Youth Showmanship (8-10)
5. Novice Senior Showmanship (13-19)
6. Novice Junior Showmanship (8-12)
7. Cloverbuds (5-7) - **participation awards**
8. Market Goat - **No Cloverbuds**

Swine

1. Senior Showmanship (17-19)
2. Intermediate Showmanship (14-16)
3. Junior Showmanship (11-13)
4. Youth Showmanship (8-10)
5. Novice Senior Showmanship (13-19)
6. Novice Junior Showmanship (8-12)
7. Cloverbuds (5-7) - **participation awards**
8. Market Hog - **No Cloverbuds**

Sheep

1. Senior Showmanship (17-19)
2. Intermediate Showmanship (14-16)
3. Junior Showmanship (11-13)
4. Youth Showmanship (8-10)
5. Novice Senior Showmanship (13-19)
6. Novice Junior Showmanship (8-12)
7. Cloverbuds (5-7) - **participation awards**
8. Market Lamb - **No Cloverbuds**

Entries Postmarked by Thursday May 21, 2009

**Fees must accompany entries &
Are Non-refundable!**

Please read attached rules & regulations

**Register to
win a
special
prize!**

**Supreme
Showman
Buckle!**

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Rules & Regulations:

Entries:

- Exhibitor age is determined as of January 1, 2009. Novice exhibitors are in their first year of showing. 4-H members must be 8 years old; Cloverbuds are 5-7 years old and will exhibit in **Cloverbud Classes only**. **No entry fee for Cloverbuds.**
- **This is a market show only: all animals, except feeder calves, must be tagged in the exhibitor's name for the Delaware State Fair! You must put your DSF tag numbers on your entry forms.** You may not bring an animal specifically for showmanship - you must use one of the animals that you entered in the market show.
- Each member is allowed a **maximum** of two animals per species, and must be a member in good standing of a Delaware 4-H Club or FFA Chapter.
- **Entry fees must accompany entry forms! No exceptions!**
- In order to provide a quality show, please be sure to have your entries mailed prior to the **deadline**.
- Exhibitors must show their own animal -
Exceptions:
 1. **Due to space limitations, Cloverbuds are encouraged to show an older exhibitor's animal.**
 2. An exhibitor has two animals in the same weight class. The second animal may be shown by another junior exhibitor, but the show officials must be notified **prior** to entering the ring.
- Show officials reserve the right to send home any animal not in show condition. A representative from the State Veterinarian's office will be inspecting animals during weigh-ins.
- **All lambs must be slick-sheared within one week of the show.**

Supplies & Equipment:

- Pig pens will be provided. Bedding will NOT be provided for pigs - bring your own straw & shavings. Shavings will be available for purchase.
- Lambs, goats, & steers will be tied - bring your own halters.
- Steers will tie to livestock trailers - bring your own shade.
- Bring a pitchfork/shovel. Lamb/Goat/Beef exhibitors are expected to clean their holding area. **Failure to do so will cause exhibitor not to be allowed back in the future.**
- Water is available on-site, but not wash facilities. Please wash your animal at home.

Awards:

- **All exhibitors will receive a t-shirt, which must be worn during the show!**
- Ten place ribbons and participation ribbons in each class.
- Market Champions receive embroidered garment bags.
- Special prizes for Showmanship Champions - **BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND - *Supreme Champion Showman will receive a custom belt buckle! Once an exhibitor wins the buckle, he/she is ineligible for future Supreme Showman Championship drives.***

Schedule:

- Weigh-ins are from 7 - 8:00 am. There will be four scales - one for each species. Exhibitors meeting will be at 8:45 am.
- Show will begin at 9:00 am with showmanship classes. Beef/hogs will be shown in one show ring, sheep/goats will show in the other.
- Exhibitors are reminded to please be prompt for their classes. There will be a first and last call for each class - it is your responsibility to listen for the classes. If you miss the calls and the class starts, you will not be allowed to enter the ring. If there is a conflict with another class, **you must notify the show officials.**
- **WE WILL NOT HOLD ANY MARKET CLASSES! In market classes only:** If an exhibitor is showing in a class when a class that they have entered with another species begins, another exhibitor may show for them.
- Showmanship for all species will be before lunch; Supreme Showman will be expected to show all 4 species and will be awarded just prior to the lunch break. Market classes will begin after a 30-minute lunch break.
- **Beef** exhibitors will be released at the conclusion of the Beef Show. **All other exhibitors must remain until the conclusion of the show.** If you leave prior to your scheduled release time, you will not be allowed back in the future.
- Food stand will be provided by the New Castle County 4-H Links.

**NO ALCOHOL IS PERMITTED ON THE GROUNDS AT ANY TIME.
YOU WILL BE ASKED TO LEAVE.**