

County Fair Exhibit Ideas - Swine

The county fair . . . what a great time it is! Every summer, families flock to county fairs to see the latest 4-H project exhibits. Exhibiting is a fun way for you to showcase your project work. The following list of exhibit ideas is based on the latest 4-H curriculum. Use it to generate project entries for your next county fair. If you're a county fair superintendent, use this list to enhance your county fair premium book.

Level 1: The Incredible Pig

1. Pig breeds
2. Classing market hogs
3. Hog facility design
4. Swine digestive system
5. Swine bone structure
6. Swine grooming
7. Pork cuts
8. Swine feeding schedule
9. Swine breed matching game
10. Feed and water consumption
11. Swine diseases
12. Products with swine by-products
13. Completed member guide (BU8065)

Level 2: Putting the Oink in Pig

1. Swine health care plan
2. Swine show box
3. Pork tasting event and results
4. Careers in the pork industry
5. Swine judging techniques and reasons
6. Farrow health records system
7. Swine waste management plan
8. Feed ingredients
9. Back fat testing
10. Swine breed origins
11. Completed member guide (BU8066)

Level 3: Going Whole Hog

1. Swine breeding system
2. Preventative swine herd health program
3. Hog nutrition requirements
4. Coaching a livestock quiz bowl team
5. Organizing a swine showmanship class
6. Baby pig management
7. Applying for an internship in the pork industry
8. Completed member guide (BU8067)