

Department 7 – Poultry

Project Number 20501, 20502, 20503, 20504, 20505, 20506, 20507

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Entry Day – 1 p.m. – 8 p.m. Thursday of the Fair. Entry tags must be attached to the cages by 8:00 p.m. on entry day.

Judging Day – Saturday of the Fair

Judging Time – 9 a.m. Saturday

Judging Order – Animal Classes, then Showmanship

Check Out – Released at 6:00 p.m. on Sunday and must be removed by 8:00 p.m.

Additional Rules of Entry –

- Youth enrolled in a 4-H, FFA or other youth groups in a supervised poultry project are eligible to participate in this project.
- All health requirements must be met before animals can be entered. See WDATCP Animal Health Rules and Regulations section of the premium book. ***Pullorum test reports or hatchery certificates must be turned in to department superintendent before birds are brought into the barn. All birds requiring blood test for pullorum may be blood tested and identified on the third Saturday of July at the fair grounds in or near the small animal building. Blood testing will be done from 8 a.m. until noon.***
- Birds infested with external parasites should be treated early enough that residue of insecticidal dust is not present on the birds when brought to the Fair. Birds rejected at check-in for external parasites may not be brought back for check-in after being treated for parasites.
- Exhibitors must contact the Debby Krueger by email at debbyk@bayland.net or mail at 212 Farnsworth Ave, Oconto, WI 54153 by August 1 to reserve the number of pens they will require
- Specify cages needed for geese, turkeys, ducks, pigeons, chickens, or bantams, so cage sizes required can be planned for. Also indicate what exhibits can be doubled up if there is a shortage of cages.
- Poultry age definitions:
 - Young bird is one hatched after January 1 of the exhibit year.
 - Old bird is one hatched prior to January 1 of the exhibit year.
- Entries in "any other" breed classes cannot be birds for which regular classes have been listed.
- Poultry entered in the market class may not be shown in any other class.
- All exhibitors are responsible for feeding and watering their own animals.
- Each exhibitor must bring suitable containers for feed and water.
- Poultry exhibitors must supply their own fasteners for cages.
- Pens should be cleaned on a daily basis.
- All pens need to be cleaned prior to release of the animal.
- In accordance with WDATCP ATCP 160, classes may be combined where there is no competition, or split if too large.

AWARDS

SALE OF CHAMPIONS

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES

- Youth exhibiting in any market poultry class can qualify for the Sale of Champions by meeting the requirements outlined in this section.
- Exhibitor must have shown poultry in at least one class in addition to the market class.
- Exhibitor have completed and turned in the market poultry performance records provided by the Extension office.

- Exhibitor has entered and participated in the appropriate poultry showmanship class for the species they are showing.
- Exhibitors must certify that they have participated in a minimum of three training, educational, or project activities; or the equivalent, during the current project year. To qualify poultry for the sale, one educational activity must be specific to poultry. No duplicate activities, i.e. two jobs, three ag classes, etc. will be allowed as separate educational requirements--must be three different types of activities. A list of suggested activities meeting this requirement has been developed by the Youth Animal Sciences committees and is available from the Oconto County UW Extension office.
- Exhibitors may sell only one item in the Sale of Champions. An individual qualifying for more than one exhibit for the sale will elect the exhibit they wish to sell; the next ranked qualifying exhibit would then be eligible to sell. Exhibits must earn a blue ribbon to be eligible to sell. Exhibitors eligible to sell more than one exhibit must decide which to sell and report their decision to the chairman of the sale of champions or Extension agriculture agent no later than one hour following the end of the last show of the fair. If the exhibitor does not comply, the Sale of Champions committee will make the decision.
- Exhibit birds must be in the possession of the exhibitor by June 1 except market broilers.
- To reduce time required and confusion, birds will be weighed upon entry rather than on show day.
- Poultry exhibited in the Junior Fair Show cannot be shown in Open Class.
- The whole blood rapid plate test is no longer acceptable for turkeys going to an exhibition. This is based on NPIP's requirement for member breeder flocks. The problem with using the plate test for turkeys is that it gives an excessive number of false positives. A negative plate test is considered to be accurate. However, since Pullorum is a reportable disease, a positive plate test would need to be reported and further testing done to confirm or clear the plate test result. Previously, the whole blood rapid plate test was accepted for birds going to exhibitions, as long as the test was negative. Note: Only the Pullorum test is required for turkeys for exhibition. Members of the NPIP Plan would also need to have their samples tested for MG.
- Keep in mind that young turkeys would not need to be tested for exhibition. The requirement states that only sexually mature birds over 4 months of age need to be tested. Turkeys do not mature sexually until 6 months of age, so turkeys under 6 months of age would be exempt.
- If further clarification is needed, contact the Superintendents.
- Exhibits will be accepted from 1:00 p.m. to until 8:00 p.m. Thursday. Entry tags must be attached to the cages by 8:00 p.m. on entry day.
- **An extra 2 percent will be deducted from the checks of sellers who fail to help set up and take down for the auction and contribute a minimum of two hours to help with cleanup on the Monday following the Fair.**

NOTE: THE JUNIOR AND OPEN POULTRY SHOW WILL BE HELD ON SATURDAY. THE JUNIOR SHOW WILL BEGIN AT 9:00 A.M. THE OPEN SHOW WILL BEGIN WHEN THE JUNIOR SHOW IS COMPLETED.

PREMIUM	<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>
All Classes	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
Showmanship	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50

Other Awards:

Sponsored trophies are awarded to first blue showmanship award winners and Best of Show award winners.

GROUP HERDSMANSHIP RIBBON ONLY

CHICKENS

AMERICAN

CLASS AA–Barred Plymouth Rock
CLASS AB–White Plymouth Rock
CLASS AC–Any other Plymouth Rock
CLASS AD–Rhode Island Red, Single Comb
CLASS AE–White Wyandotte
CLASS AF–Any other Wyandotte
CLASS AG–Any other American Breed

ASIATIC

CLASS AH–Light Brahma
CLASS AI–Any other Brahma
CLASS AJ–Black Cochin
CLASS AK–White Cochin
CLASS AL–Any other Cochin
CLASS AM–Any other Asiatic Breed

CONTINENTAL

CLASS AN–Any Polish Bearded or Non-Bearded
CLASS AO–Any Faverolles
CLASS AP–Any Hamburgs
CLASS AQ–Any Other Continental Breed

MEDITERRANEAN

CLASS AR–White Leghorn
CLASS AS–Brown Leghorn
CLASS AT–Any other Leghorn
CLASS AU–Any Minocras
CLASS AV–Any Anconas (single comb)
CLASS AW–Any other Mediterranean Breed

ENGLISH

CLASS AX–Any Cornish
CLASS AY–Any Orpington
CLASS AZ–Any Australorps
CLASS BA–Any other English Breed

OTHER STANDARD BREEDS

CLASS BB–Any Sumatra
CLASS BC–Any Americana
CLASS BD–Any Other Standard Breed

CROSSBREDS

CLASS BE–Egg Type (White Ear Lobe)
CLASS BF–Meat Type (Red Ear Lobe)

BANTAMS-Single Combed, Clean Legged

CLASS BG–Barred Plymouth Rock
CLASS BH–White Plymouth Rock
CLASS BI–Any Other Plymouth Rock
CLASS BJ–Any Japanese

CLASS BK–White Leghorn
CLASS BL–Brown Leghorn
CLASS BM–Any Other Leghorn
CLASS BN–Rhode Island Red, Single Comb
CLASS BO–Any other single combed, clean legged

ROSE COMBED, CLEAN LEGGED (RCCL)

CLASS BP–White Wyandotte
CLASS BQ–Black Wyandotte
CLASS BR–Any other Wyandotte
CLASS BS–Any Seabright
CLASS BT–Any Antwerp Belgian
CLASS BU–Any other RCCL Breed

FEATHER LEGGED (FL)

CLASS BV–Black Cochin
CLASS BW–White Cochin
CLASS BX–Buff Cochin
CLASS BY–Any other Cochin
CLASS BZ–Light Brahma
CLASS CA–Buff Brahma
CLASS CB–Any other Brahma
CLASS CC–White Silkie
CLASS CD–Black Silkie
CLASS CE–Any d'Uccle
CLASS CF–Any other Feather Legged Breed

GAME BANTAMS

CLASS CG–Black Breasted Red Old English
CLASS CH–Silver Duckwing Old English
CLASS CI–Red Pyle Old English
CLASS CJ–Black Old English
CLASS CK–Any Other Old English
CLASS CL–Birchin Modern Game
CLASS CM–Brown Red Modern Game
CLASS CN–Any Other Modern Game

OTHER CLEAN LEGGED BANTAMS

CLASS CO–Any Cornish
CLASS CP–Any Polish
CLASS CQ–Any Ameraucana
CLASS CR–Any other Clean Legged Breed

PIGEONS

PERFORMING BREEDS (Sporting)

CLASS CS–Homers
CLASS CT–Rollers
CLASS CU–Tiplers
CLASS CV–Tumblers

CLASS CW—Any other Performing Pigeon Breed

UTILITY BREEDS

CLASS CX—Corneaus

CLASS CY—Kings

CLASS CZ—Moundains

CLASS DA—Any other Utility Breed

FANCY BREEDS

CLASS DB—Fantail

CLASS DC—Frill

CLASS DD—Pouters

CLASS DE—Any other Fancy Breed

CLASS DF—Any other Standard Variety Pigeon Breed

Lot Numbers for Class AA through DF

1. Old Male Hatched prior to January 1st
2. Old Female Hatched prior to January 1st
3. Young Male Hatched after January 1st
4. Young Female Hatched after January 1st

DUCKS

CLASS DG—Any Standard Pekin

CLASS DH—Any Standard Muscovy

CLASS DI—Any Standard Mallard

CLASS DJ—Any Standard Rouen

CLASS DK—Any Standard Runner

CLASS DL—Any other Standard Duck

BANTAM DUCKS

CLASS DM—Any Call Duck

CLASS DN—Any East India

CLASS DO—Any other Bantam Duck

Lot Numbers for Class DG through DO

1. Old Drake Hatched prior to January 1st
2. Old Hen Hatched prior to January 1st
3. Young Drake Hatched after January 1st
4. Young Hen Hatched after January 1st

TURKEYS

CLASS DP—Broad White

CLASS DQ—Bronze

CLASS DR—Royal Palm

CLASS DS—Any other Standard Turkey

Lot Numbers for Class DP through DS

1. Old Tom Hatched prior to January 1st
2. Old Hen Hatched prior to January 1st
3. Young Tom Hatched after January 1st
4. Young Hen Hatched after January 1st

GEESE

CLASS DT—Toulouse

CLASS DU—Embden

CLASS DV—African

CLASS DW—Chinese

CLASS DX—Any other Standard Geese

Lot Numbers for Class DT through DX

1. Old Gander Hatched prior to January 1st
2. Old Goose Hatched prior to January 1st
3. Young Gander Hatched after January 1st
4. Young Goose Hatched after January 1st

CLASS DY—POULTRY MARKET CLASS (All birds hatched after January 1 of current year)

Lot numbers

1. Fryer Chickens (2 birds, each 2.5 to 4.5 pounds – under 6 weeks of age)
2. Broiler Chickens (2 birds, each 4.5 to 5.5 pounds – 6 weeks of age)
3. Roaster Chickens (2 birds, each 9 to 10.5 pounds – 12 weeks old)
4. Young Duck (1 bird, either sex, 5 lbs or more)
5. Young Goose (1 bird, either sex, 7 pounds or more)
6. Young Turkey (1 bird, 20 to 24 weeks of age; hens – 12 to 14 pounds; toms – 22 to 24 pounds)

CLASS DZ--POULTRY SHOWMANSHIP

1. Beginner Showmanship, Grades 3-5
2. Intermediate Showmanship, Grades 6-8
3. Senior Showmanship, Grades 9 & up