

**FFA SWINE DEPARTMENT**

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**SCHEDULE**

**Monday, August 10**

4:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Exhibitors may unload tack in the Swine Barn

**Tuesday, August 11**

1:00 a.m. Swine may arrive  
 8:00 - 11:00 a.m. Exhibitor check-in  
 8:00 a.m. - Noon Iowa Purebred Swine Council will check pedigrees for VIP Program  
 9:00 a.m. Swine must be in  
 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. All Market Swine check-in and turn in weigh cards  
 Noon - 3:00 p.m. All Registered Breeding Gilts and Crossbred Breeding Gilts check-in and turn in weigh cards

**Wednesday, August 12**

8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. Carcass Value Swine check-in, scan and turn in weigh cards  
 10:00 a.m. Exhibitor Meeting (east show ring)  
 10:30 a.m. Showmanship (east show ring)  
 Following Showmanship Premier Exhibitor Contest

**Thursday, August 13**

8:30 a.m. Purebred Market Swine Show (west show ring)  
 Breeding Swine Show (east show ring)  
     Crossbred Gilts  
     Registered Gilts  
     Supreme Champion Breeding Gilt  
 2:00 p.m. Carcass Value Show (west show ring)  
 7:30 p.m. All Commercial and Registered Breeding Gilts, Carcass Value Swine and Purebred Market Swine released (until 7:00 a.m. Friday)

**Friday, August 14**

8:30 a.m. Crossbred Market Swine Show (east show ring)  
     Market Barrows  
     Market Gilts  
     Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion Market Pig (includes division winners in Market Barrow, Market Gilt and Purebred divisions)  
 Swine may be released after completion of their class  
 7:00 p.m. Swine must be out

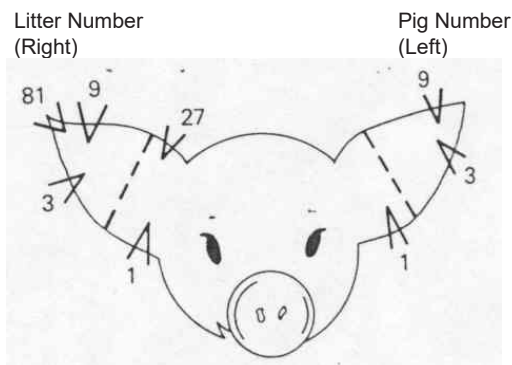
If you have questions, please contact the Iowa State Fair Entry Department at 515-262-3111 ext. 246 or ffa@iowastatefair.org.

**DEPARTMENT RULES**

- General rules and regulations and health requirements listed on the Iowa State Fair website and in the FFA section apply in this department, with special emphasis on the following sections: Member Eligibility, Supervision and Lodging, Good Conduct Policy, Medication and Drug Testing, and Showing and Fitting Ethics.
- Nominations must be submitted online on or before May 15.** Nomination fee is \$5 per nomination. A maximum of 40 head may be nominated. All swine must also provide a DNA (hair) sample to the Entry Office on or before May 15. Swine will be subject to DNA testing at time of exhibition.
- All pigs must have been ear notched at birth and identified using the universal ear notching system (1-3-9-27-81). Any small or irregular notches will disqualify animals. All pigs must have notches in both ears. Tears or injuries to the ears that occur after nominations should be documented and brought to the attention of the swine committee prior to arrival at the Fair. **Ear notches will be checked at State Fair and must match nomination and entry records. If you have any questions about reading ear notches, please get a second opinion. Read ALL notches as they are in the corresponding ear.**

**Right Ear:**

The right ear is used for litter mark and all pigs in the same litter must have the same ear notches in this ear. The right ear is the pig's own right.



**Left Ear:**

The left ear is used for notches to show individual pig number in the litter. Each pig will have different notches in this ear. The left ear is the pig's own left.

- All swine must be owned by the nomination due date by the exhibitor, or in a partnership, school sponsored cooperative or a corporation. Ownership must be maintained from the nomination date through the exhibition date of the Iowa State Fair.

5. **Entries must be submitted online on or before July 1.** Entry fee is \$10 per head. A pen is approximately 4x4 feet and will accommodate **two** pigs. Only wood shavings or straw may be used for bedding (no sawdust, cobs, etc.).
6. All FFA Swine Exhibitors must have YQCA status. Certificate number must be provided in the online exhibitor profile at the time of entry. PQA and PQA Plus will not be accepted.
7. Swine may be in the barn starting at 1:00 a.m. and must be in the barn by 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, August 11. Late animals (those which arrive after 9:00 a.m. on August 11) will not be accepted. All FFA swine will be released after the Market Swine Show on Friday, August 14 and must be out by 7:00 p.m. on August 14. Exception: The Grand Champion Market Pig and Reserve Grand Champion Market Pig will be retained for the Hall of Champions.
8. **Due to industry standards, hair length cannot be shorter than 1/2 inch.**
9. **DECLARED WEIGHTS.** A declared weight system will be used for official weights. A weight card obtained from the superintendent's office must be filled out by all (4-H, FFA, Open Class) market exhibitors and turned in by the designated time. The weight turned in will become the official weight. If weight cards are not turned in by the deadline, those animals will not be eligible to show in their respective shows.  
  
Scales will be provided in areas throughout the barn; such scales are unofficial and are provided for exhibitors' convenience only. Official scales will be used by Superintendents to determine official weights. No other scales will be allowed.  
  
The top two animals in each class will be weighed immediately following their class to determine if they are eligible to return for division champions. Pigs not weighing within 15 pounds of its official weight will be disqualified. All market swine and commercial gilts are subject to be selected to be weighed.
10. The FFA Swine Show will be non-terminal; there will not be any swine loaded out for harvest. The only exception will be for the following which are scheduled to be harvested at a harvesting facility designated by the Iowa State Fair Authority: Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion FFA Market Hog. Exhibitors should have a good biosecurity plan for returning home.
11. Only immediate family members, FFA advisors and fellow active FFA chapter members shall be permitted to assist with fitting. Exhibitors who hire professionals shall be disqualified. Family members include and are limited to: parent/legal guardian, brother, sister or step-siblings.
12. No portable fitting pens allowed in the Swine Barn.
13. FFA chapter signs may be placed above pens to attract people to FFA exhibitor pens. However, individual farm signs and advertising will not be permitted.
14. **There shall be no coloring agents or powder used on hogs. Hogs in violation will not be allowed to show.**
15. Drug affidavits are required for ALL FFA Swine (i.e. Market, Commercial, Registered and Carcass Value animals).
16. No drugs or medications or medical treatment of any kind may be administered at the Iowa State Fair except by an Official Iowa State Fair Veterinarian. All animals will be subject to chemical testing and analysis of saliva, urine, blood, other excretions or tissues to determine whether a substance or drug has been induced or whether a substance or drug has been introduced to interfere with the testing procedure. Positive tests will result in forfeiture of ribbons, trophies, premiums and sale prices.
17. A purple, blue, red or white ribbon will be awarded to each entry.
18. Only purple and blue ribbon winners can be named Champion of a show/division/class.

**REGISTERED BREEDING GILTS - DIVISION 880  
SPECIAL RULES**

1. Registered breeding gilt exhibitors must follow FFA Swine Department rules listed on previous pages.
2. **Nominations must be submitted online on or before May 15.** Nomination fee is \$5 per nomination. A maximum of 40 swine may be nominated. All swine must also provide a DNA (hair) sample to the Entry Office on or before May 15.
3. Entries must be registered in the name of the exhibitor. However, ownership can be with a family partnership or corporation or school sponsored cooperative.
4. Only registered pigs farrowed on or after December 1, 2025 may be shown in purebred classes. All breeding swine must have been ear notched at birth and identified using the universal ear notching system (1-3-9-27-81). All pigs must have notches in both ears. Fresh ear notches will disqualify animals. The use of tattoos **shall not** be considered for approved identification instead of ear notches.
5. All FFA Registered Gilts must be identified by all of the following methods at nomination time:
  - a. Ear notches
  - b. FFA issued ear tag
  - c. Breed
  - d. Hair samples to be used for DNA testing
6. **Entries must be submitted online on or before July 1.** Entry fee is \$10 per head. Each exhibitor may enter and show a maximum of **SIX** registered breeding gilts.
7. Check-in of registration papers of registered breeding swine and turn in of weigh cards will be on Tuesday, August 11. Name, date of birth and registry number of each animal entered will be collected at check-in time. Registered breeding animals must meet all qualifications of the National Breed Registry Rules.
8. Number of pigs in each class will be determined by the number shown in each breed and will be divided by birth date. If there are 15 or fewer gilts shown in a division, there will be one class; 16-30 shown, two classes.
9. Monetary premiums will be paid to the top three entries in each class. Premiums paid will be \$20, 10, 5.
10. Class Champions and Reserve Champions will receive rosettes.

**CLASS**

- 1 Berkshire
- 2 Chester White
- 3 Duroc
- 4 Hampshire
- 5 Hereford
- 6 Landrace
- 7 Poland China

- 8 Spotted
- 9 Tamworth
- 10 Yorkshire

Special Note:

1. Poland Chinas registered in the Spot Herdbook may show in Spot Classes if evidence of this registration is provided by the exhibitor.
2. A qualified animal may be shown by an exhibitor as a Spot or as a Poland China, but an animal so qualified may not show in both breeds, either in individual or group classes.

**CROSSBRED BREEDING GILTS - DIVISION 881  
SPECIAL RULES**

1. Crossbred breeding gilt exhibitors must follow FFA Swine Department rules listed on previous pages.
2. **Nominations must be submitted online on or before May 15.** Nomination fee is \$5 per nomination. A maximum of 40 swine may be nominated. All swine must also provide a DNA (hair) sample to the Entry Office on or before May 15.
3. Entries open to grade or crossbred breeding gilts farrowed on or after December 1, 2025 and on or before March 31, 2026.
4. All gilts must have been ear notched at birth and identified using the universal ear notching system (1-3-9-27-81). All pigs must have notches in both ears. Fresh ear notches will disqualify animals. The use of tattoos **shall not** be considered for approved identification instead of ear notches.
5. All FFA Crossbred Breeding Gilts must be identified by all of the following methods at nomination time:
  - a. Ear notches
  - b. FFA issued ear tag
  - c. Hair samples to be used for DNA testing
 All nominations and weighing shall be supervised by one FFA advisor and another adult.
6. **Entries must be submitted online on or before July 1.** Entry fee is \$10 per head. Each exhibitor may show **TWO** crossbred breeding gilts.
7. Crossbred breeding gilts cannot be from the same litter from which gilts are shown in registered classes, nor can they be shown in market classes.
8. Crossbred breeding gilt weigh cards will be turned in to break classes at the east edge of the show ring from Noon until 3:00 p.m. on Tuesday, August 11. Gilt classes will be broken by weight. **Minimum declared weight for crossbred breeding gilts is 230 pounds.**
9. Each class will have no more than 17 gilts.
10. Crossbred breeding gilts will be judged on the basis of their potential value as breeding stock in profitable commercial swine operation.
11. A purple, blue, red or white ribbon will be awarded to each entry.
12. Monetary premiums will be paid to the top three entries in each class. Premiums paid will be \$20, 10, 5.
13. Champion and Reserve Champion Crossbred Breeding Gilts will be selected from the first, second and third place winners in each division determined by the number of exhibits.

**CLASS**

- 11 Crossbred Breeding Gilts .....Premiums top 3
  - Division Champions.....Banner
  - Reserve Division Champions .....Banner
  - Champion Crossbred Breeding Gilt.....Trophy & Rosette
  - Reserve Champion Crossbred Breeding Gilt.....Plaque & Rosette
  - 3rd Overall Crossbred Breeding Gilt .....Banner
  - 4th Overall Crossbred Breeding Gilt.....Banner
  - 5th Overall Crossbred Breeding Gilt.....Banner

**SUPREME AND RESERVE SUPREME BREEDING GILT**

A Supreme Overall FFA Breeding Gilt and Reserve Supreme Overall FFA Breeding Gilt will be selected from the Champion and Reserve Registered Breeding Gilt and the Champion and Reserve Crossbred Breeding Gilt.

- Supreme Breeding Gilt.....Banner & Trophy
- Reserve Supreme Breeding Gilt.....Banner & Plaque

**BREEDING SWINE CHAPTER AWARD**

THE SUPREME BREEDING SWINE EXHIBITOR'S AWARD recognizes the cooperative efforts of a chapter. The banner/ribbons are awarded to the chapters with outstanding overall exhibits of registered swine and commercial gilts. No entry form or entry fee is required. The awards are based on a point system. A committee will tabulate the results during the progress of the show.

Chapter Award: 1<sup>st</sup> - Banner; 2<sup>nd</sup> through 10<sup>th</sup> place - Ribbons

**MARKET SWINE - DIVISION 882  
SPECIAL RULES**

1. Market swine exhibitors must follow FFA Swine Department rules listed on previous pages.
2. **Nominations must be submitted online on or before May 15.** Nomination fee is \$5 per nomination. A maximum of 40 swine may be nominated. All swine must also provide a DNA (hair) sample to the Entry Office on or before May 15.
3. All market pigs must have been ear notched at birth and identified using the universal ear notching system (1-3-9-27-81). All pigs must have notches in both ears. Fresh ear notches will disqualify animals. The use of tattoos **shall not** be considered for approved identification instead of ear notches.
4. All FFA Market Swine must be identified by all of the following methods at nomination time:
  - a. Ear notches
  - b. An FFA issued ear tag
  - c. Breed, if registered, or Crossbred
  - c. Sex of Pig
  - d. Hair samples to be used for DNA testing
 All nominations and weighing shall be supervised by one FFA advisor and one other adult.

5. **Entries must be submitted online on or before July 1.** Entry fee is \$10 per head. Each exhibitor may enter a maximum of **FOUR** crossbred market pigs and **FOUR** purebred market pigs.
6. Entries open to purebred, crossbred and/or grade pigs, either barrows or gilts, fed for market that were **farrowed on or after December 1, 2025.** **Minimum declared weight for market pigs is 230 pounds.** There is no maximum weight, and there will be no reweighs. Pigs must be owned by the exhibitor, or in a partnership or a corporation.
7. Registered market pigs must be specified by breed on the nomination form and be in compliance with the market hog show rules if they are to qualify for exhibition in the market swine breed classes.
8. Market swine registered with their national swine breed association, may be shown by breed. Certification of individual registration papers for market individuals in the breed classes must be completed during check-in on Tuesday, August 11. A Top Five Purebred Market Hogs will be selected and held for the Final Drive on Friday.
9. Gilts shown in market classes cannot be shown in registered nor commercial gilt classes.
10. All FFA crossbred and purebred market pigs must turn in weigh cards at the designated check-in time. All carcass value pigs will be scanned and turn in weigh cards at the designated check-in time.
11. Market pigs will be shown by weight, breed and sex classes with not more than 17 pigs shown in any one class.
12. The Iowa State Fair reserves the right to RE-WEIGH any and all FFA Market Hogs immediately following exhibition in the show ring and reserves the right to conduct random tests. Hogs that deviate more than 15 pounds from their documented weight will be disqualified.
13. The Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion Market Pigs will not be given the opportunity to show in the Open Class Hawkeye Market Swine Show. Likewise, no other FFA barrows or gilts may be retained and shown in the Hawkeye Market Swine Show, **including those that were too light for exhibition.** Market barrows/gilts which were not exhibited in the FFA Market Swine Show may be shown in the Open Class Hawkeye Market Swine Show if proper entries are made by July 1 on Open Class entry forms.
14. Pigs in each weight class will be placed in purple, blue, red or white award groups according to type, finish and market desirability and the first 10 in each class will also be placed in order.
15. Champion and Reserve Champion will be selected from the first, second and third place winners in each division in each weight class. A top 5 registered purebred market swine will be selected from all the breeds. Weight class champions and their reserves along with the top 5 registered purebred market swine will compete for Grand and Reserve Grand Champion.
16. Monetary premiums will be paid to the top three entries in each class. Premiums paid will be \$20, 10, 5.

**CLASS**

- 12 Purebred Market
- 13 Crossbred Market

Division Champions will receive rosettes and \$25; Reserve Division Champions will receive rosettes and \$15. There will be six total Divisions.

Grand Champion Market Hog .....Trophy, Banner & Rosette

Reserve Grand Champion Market Hog .....Plaque, Banner & Rosette

**MARKET SWINE CHAPTER AWARD**

THE SUPREME MARKET SWINE EXHIBITOR'S AWARD recognizes the cooperative efforts of a chapter. The banner/ribbons are awarded to the chapter with outstanding overall live derby swine and market swine exhibits. No entry form or entry fee will be required. The awards are based on a point system. A committee will tabulate the results during the progress of the show.

Chapter Award: 1<sup>st</sup> - Banner; 2<sup>nd</sup> through 10<sup>th</sup> place - Ribbons

**CARCASS VALUE - DIVISION 883  
SPECIAL RULES**

1. Carcass Value swine exhibitors must follow FFA Swine Department rules listed on previous pages.
2. THERE IS NO SPRING WEIGH IN DATE FOR THE CARCASS CONTEST.
3. **Nominations must be submitted online on or before May 15.** Nomination fee is \$5 per nomination. A maximum of 40 swine may be nominated. All swine must also provide a DNA (hair) sample to the Entry Office on or before May 15.
4. Exhibitors may nominate both barrows and gilts.
5. All carcass pigs must have been ear notched at birth and identified using the universal ear notching system (1-3-9-27-81). All pigs must have notches in both ears. Fresh ear notches will disqualify animals. The use of tattoos **shall not** be considered for approved identification instead of ear notches.
6. All FFA Carcass Pigs must be identified by all of the following methods at nomination time:
  - a. Ear notches
  - b. FFA issued ear tag
  - c. Breed, if registered, or Crossbred
  - d. Sex of Pig
  - e. Hair samples to be used for DNA testing
7. All nominations shall be supervised by one FFA advisor and one other adult.
8. **Entries must be submitted online on or before July 1.** Entry fee is \$10 per head. Each exhibitor may enter and show a maximum of **FOUR** carcass pigs with the option of two market pigs also being shown in a carcass class. These market pigs may be designated as also showing as carcass at check-in with no additional entry fee.
9. Exhibitors showing four carcass pigs will compete in the Carcass "Rail" Class. The contest winner will be determined by averaging the matrixes of the four carcass pigs entered.
10. Pigs must declare a minimum of 230 pounds at the time of weigh-in at the Fair.
11. Carcass swine entries will be ranked according to a matrix: "Carcass Weight, Percent Lean Premium/Discount. Carcass Loin area larger than 10 sq. In., Carcass with less than .5 in back fat."
12. All carcass swine entries will be scanned by a Real Time Scanner and a Certified Technician at the Fair instead of actual measurement at the packing plant.

13. Carcass pigs registered with their national swine breed association, may be shown by breed if there are six or more entered and shown in any specific breed. If fewer than six are shown, they will be shown in Any Other Breeds Class. Verification of individual registration papers for carcass individuals in the breed classes must be completed during check-in on Tuesday, August 11.
14. Purebred carcass pigs will be shown by breed. Animals will be divided by ending weight into classes of not more than 17 and barrows and gilts will be shown separately. All carcass pigs will be placed live. A purple, blue, red or white ribbon will be awarded to each entry. A "live" Carcass Champion and Reserve Champion will be named.
15. To be eligible for Carcass Breed Awards in the Swine Special Awards section, exhibitors must present proof of breed eligibility at weigh-in. Entries must be registered in the name of the exhibitor.

**CLASS**

- 14 Carcass Pig - Live Class  
Purebred Carcass Division Champion .....Banner  
Grand Champion Live Carcass Pig .....Plaque & Rosette  
Reserve Grand Champion Live Carcass Pig .....Plaque & Rosette  
Premiums for the top three in each class: \$20, 10, 5
- 15 Carcass Pig - Carcass Class  
Premiums for the top three in each class: \$20, 10, 5  
Ribbons (purple, blue, red or white) will be awarded to all pigs shown based on final index.  
Grand Champion Carcass Pig.....Trophy & Rosette  
Reserve Grand Champion Carcass Pig .....Plaque & Rosette
- 16 Carcass Group of Four  
Ribbons will be awarded to live groups of four Carcass Pigs which will show in the Carcass "Rail" class.
- 17 Carcass "Rail" Class  
Ribbons (purple, blue, red or white) will be awarded to all exhibitors based on the average index of the four carcass hogs.  
Premiums for the top three in this class: \$25, 20, 15

**SHOWMANSHIP - DIVISION 884  
SPECIAL RULES**

1. Showmanship show will take place on Wednesday, August 12 at 10:30 a.m. in the east show ring.
2. Exhibitors will sign up on Tuesday, August 11 during the handing out of the weigh in numbers.
3. There will be two classes based on grade completed during the 2025-2026 school year.
4. Exhibitor must use their own animal that will be shown in the regular swine show.
5. Classes may be broken and will be no larger than 17 head.

**CLASS**

- 18 Middle School - 10<sup>th</sup> Grade  
Champion .....Banner  
Reserve Champion.....Banner
- 19 11<sup>th</sup> Grade - Out of School Membership  
Champion .....Banner  
Reserve Champion.....Banner

**FFA SWINE SPECIALS**

Additional FFA Swine Specials offered by the **Iowa Foundation for Agricultural Advancement** are available online at <https://www.iowastatefair.org/>.

The **American Yorkshire Club** will offer \$250 to the Grand Champion Yorkshire Gilt in the FFA breeding gilt show. The American Yorkshire Club requires a photo and a copy of the registration paper of the Grand Champion Yorkshire Gilt from the owner to receive their premium. This information must be submitted by October 1, 2026. Please submit to the National Swine Registry, Attn: Clay Zwilling, 2639 Yeager Rd., West Lafayette, IN 47906.

The **Chester White Swine Record Association**, PO Box 9758, Peoria, IL 61612, will award \$100 to the exhibitor of the Grand Champion Market Pig over all breeds providing it is a Chester White from a recorded litter. Also, a story of the project and a picture of the animal are to be sent to this office by the winner.

The **Iowa Chester White Breeders Association** is offering \$25 to the Champion and \$10 to the Reserve Champion in the FFA Market Barrow Chester White class. A trophy will also be awarded to the Champion. After the Fair, the winner must contact Randy Schmidt at 2471 V Avenue, Williamsburg, IA 52361 or 319/668-2546.

The **Iowa Chester White Breeders Association** is offering \$100 to Grand Champion Carcass Value Pig over all breeds with proof that it was sired by a pedigreed Chester White boar or from a pedigreed Chester White sow.

The **Iowa Duroc Breeders Association** will provide a \$300 buying certificate to two FFA exhibitors of purebred Duroc market pigs or breeding gilts. The winners will be randomly selected from those exhibitors who bring their market pig or breeding gilt to the ring and participate in the show. Need not be present to win.

The **Iowa Duroc Breeders Association** will provide banners to the FFA Champion and Reserve Champion Duroc Gilt.

The **Iowa Hampshire Breeders Association** will be offering at least \$1800 in awards to the first five (5) Hampshires not receiving VIP awards in both the purebred Hampshire market and breeding classes. Be sure to follow the IHBA Facebook page for the specific distribution of awards.

The **Iowa Hampshire Breeders Association** will award banners to the FFA Champion and Reserve Champion Hampshire in both the market and breeding classes.

The **Iowa Purebred Swine Council\*** is offering the following in the FFA Market Swine Show: Class Champions, \$500, (breeds include: Berkshire, Chester White, Duroc, Hampshire, Hereford, Landrace, Poland China, Spotted, Tamworth and Yorkshire). If an AOB class is formed due to a lack of participation in a breed, the premium will be award to the winner of the class, regardless of the amount of breeds competing.

The **Iowa Purebred Swine Council\*** is offering the following in the FFA Market Swine Show: Breed Champions, \$1,000 and Reserve Breed Champions, \$750 (breeds include: Berkshire, Chester White, Duroc, Hampshire, Hereford, Landrace, Poland China, Spotted, Tamworth and Yorkshire). If an AOB class

is formed due to a lack of participation in a breed, the premiums will be awarded to the top placing pig of the respective breed.

The **Iowa Purebred Swine Council\*** is offering the following premiums for Champion Iowa Purebreds in the FFA Market Swine Show: \$5,000 for the Champion Purebred Market Hog (breeds include: Berkshire, Chester White, Duroc, Hampshire, Hereford, Landrace, Poland China, Spotted, Tamworth and Yorkshire), \$4,000 for Reserve Champion, \$3,000 for Third Overall, \$2,000 for Fourth Overall and \$1,000 for Fifth Overall. In the event of a tie or same placing in a class, discretion will be left to the judge or an IPSC representative.

The **Iowa Purebred Swine Council\*** is offering the following in the FFA Breeding Gilt Show: Breed Champions, \$250 and Reserve Breed Champions, \$150 (breeds include: Berkshire, Chester White, Duroc, Hampshire, Hereford, Landrace, Poland China, Spotted, Tamworth and Yorkshire). If an AOB class is formed due to a lack of participation in a breed, the premiums will be awarded to the top placing pig of the respective breed.

*\* In order to receive any **Iowa Purebred Swine Council Award**, your pig must be registered as Verified Iowa Pure (VIP). If your pig is not VIP, the placement will not be paid out. It will transfer as funds for the following year's awards.*

The Third Overall FFA Purebred Breeding Gilt will be awarded a banner sponsored by **Lane Show Pigs - Ken & Austin Lane**, Spragueville, IA.

The Fourth Overall FFA Purebred Breeding Gilt will be awarded a banner sponsored by **Lane Show Pigs - Ken & Austin Lane**, Spragueville, IA.

The Fifth Overall FFA Purebred Breeding Gilt will be awarded a banner sponsored by **Lane Show Pigs - Ken & Austin Lane**, Spragueville, IA.

The Third Overall FFA Market Hog will be awarded a banner sponsored by **Lane Show Pigs - Ken & Austin Lane**, Spragueville, IA.

The Fourth Overall FFA Market Hog will be awarded a banner sponsored by **Lane Show Pigs - Ken & Austin Lane**, Spragueville, IA.

The Fifth Overall FFA Market Hog will be awarded a banner sponsored by **Lane Show Pigs - Ken & Austin Lane**, Spragueville, IA.

The **National Spotted Swine Record, Inc.**, P.O. Box 9758, Peoria, IL 61612, will award \$100 to the exhibitor of the Grand Champion Market Pig, if sired by boar and out of a sow recorded in the Record, provided the exhibitor is a junior member. A picture and story must be submitted to the Record by the exhibitor.

The **National Swine Registry**, 2639 Yeager Rd., West Lafayette, IN 47906, will offer \$500 to the Grand Champion Animal (overall) of the FFA Market Hog Show (live) if this animal is a registered Duroc, Hampshire, Landrace or Yorkshire. The FFA exhibitor must have a transferred pedigree of the Grand Champion Animal in hand at the time of being named Grand Champion. The exhibitor must submit this animal to a DNA verification test and the animal must meet all registration requirements to receive this special premium. A representative of the National Swine Registry must collect the pedigree and must be present at the time of DNA sampling. This special premium will be paid directly from the National Swine Registry. If this animal is disqualified for any reason, the exhibitor is not eligible for this special premium.

The **National Swine Registry**, 2639 Yeager Rd., West Lafayette, IN 47906, will offer \$250 to the Reserve Grand Champion Animal (overall) of the FFA Market Hog Show (live) if this animal is a registered Duroc, Hampshire, Landrace or Yorkshire. The FFA exhibitor must have a transferred pedigree of the Reserve Grand Champion Animal in hand at the time of being named Reserve Champion. The exhibitor must submit this animal to a DNA verification test and the animal must meet all registration requirements to receive this special premium. A representative of the National Swine Registry must collect the pedigree and must be present at the time of DNA sampling. This special premium will be paid directly from the National Swine Registry. If this animal is disqualified for any reason, the exhibitor is not eligible for this special premium.

The FFA Grand and Reserve Grand Champion Spotted Breeding Gilt will be awarded a banner sponsored **in memory of Darwin Niehaus**.

The FFA Grand and Reserve Grand Champion Spotted Market Hog will be awarded a banner sponsored **in memory of Darwin Niehaus**.

The **Poland China Record Association**, PO Box 9758, Peoria, IL 61612, will award \$100 to the exhibitor of the Grand Champion Barrow overall breeds and a trophy to the exhibitor of the Grand Champion Carcass overall breeds providing they are out of recorded Poland China litter. A picture of the winning animal, barrow certificate and certification by an Iowa State Fair official must be sent to the Poland China Record Association within 30 days of show.