

FFA POULTRY DEPARTMENT

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SCHEDULE

Tuesday, August 6

10:00 a.m. Poultry may arrive (Poultry/Rabbit Building - N.E. corner of Fairgrounds)
10:00 a.m - Noon Check-in of Breeding and Market Birds
Noon Poultry must be in
12:30 p.m. Exhibitor Meeting

Wednesday, August 7

9:00 a.m. Poultry Show - Market Broilers followed by Breeding Birds
After Show Poultry released
5:00 p.m. Poultry 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

1. General rules, 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.
2. **Health Requirements** - ALL birds (including water fowl) must be accompanied by a) copy of the exhibitor's National Poultry Improvement Plan (NPIP) official flock certificate, b) NPIP 9-2 Test Report or c) NPIP approved state plan certificate. Please bring these to the Fair with your birds. All poultry exhibited must come from a U.S. Pullorum-Typhoid clean or equivalent flocks, or have had a negative Pullorum-Typhoid test within 90 days of public exhibition and the test must have been performed by an authorized tester. Poultry purchased from a hatchery and raised for exhibition are not exempt from Pullorum-Typhoid testing requirements.
3. All cages must be returned to vehicle after birds are unloaded.
4. Exhibitors are to bring zip ties and cleaning supplies.
5. Exhibitors need to provide their own feeders, feed and waterers. Cages and litter will be provided for each exhibitor's birds.

MARKET BROILER PROJECT - DIVISION 864

SPECIAL RULES

1. Market broiler exhibitors must follow FFA Poultry Department rules listed above.
2. **The market broiler order form must be postmarked on or before May 1.** Exhibitors must purchase 50 birds. Cost, to be paid to the Iowa State Fair, is \$93.50 per order. Participation will be limited to the first 100 FFA members.
3. Two or more siblings or members of the same chapter are allowed to purchase 50 birds in partnership and each person is allowed to exhibit birds from this pen. Each member in the partnership must be listed on the market broiler order form.
4. Birds will be shipped from the hatchery contracted by the Iowa State Fair directly to the FFA members in June.
5. All market broiler chicks will be identified with numbered wing bands for FFA project identification purposes. If a wing band is lost, the Iowa State Fair office must be notified prior to arrival at the Fair.
6. **Entries must be submitted online on or before July 1.** Entry fee is \$5. Each exhibitor may enter one broiler pen.
7. Each pen of five birds must weigh a minimum of 20 pounds. Wide variation in weight of individual birds will cause the pen to be sifted.
8. Exhibitors may bring one extra bird to be weighed in, but only five will be shown.
9. Each exhibit must be healthy and clean or they will be sifted upon arrival.
10. Each FFA member will be responsible for his or her own birds and must be present when they are judged.
11. **PREMIUMS** - Monetary premiums will be paid to the top three entries. Premiums paid will be \$100, 50, 25.

Class

- 1 Market Broiler Pen

BREEDING AND COMMERCIAL BIRDS - DIVISION 865, 866 & 867

SPECIAL RULES

1. Breeding and commercial bird exhibitors must follow FFA Poultry Department rules listed above.
2. **Entries must be submitted online on or before July 1.** The entry fee is \$2 per class. Each exhibitor will be allowed a total of 10 entries.
3. **Division(s) and class(es) must be specified at entry time.** All entries must also provide breed and variety information. Example: Class - American, Breed - Plymouth Rock, Variety - Barred.
4. A pen consists of one male and two females, old or young (i.e. one cock and two hens or one cockerel and two pullets). An individual bird may also be shown as part of a pen.
5. All breeding birds will be defined as:
 - a. Cock - male chicken, 1 year or older
 - b. Hen - female chicken, 1 year or older
 - c. Cockerel - male chicken, less than 1 year old
 - d. Pullet - female chicken, less than 1 year old
6. Gender is the only allowed change to entries. Change can be made at check-in.
7. Each FFA member will be responsible for his or her own birds and must be present when they are judged.
8. **ALL BREED ENTRIES WILL BE JUDGED ACCORDING TO THE AMERICAN STANDARD OF PERFECTION AND MUST BE LISTED IN THE AMERICAN STANDARD OF PERFECTION.**
 - a. Pre-approval must be provided for any purebred not listed in the American Standard of Perfection and will be shown in the All Other Standard Breeds Class.
 - b. No crossbred entries will be allowed in the breed classes.
 - c. Varieties by Show Supervisor discretion.

9. There will be a Poultry Showing Class. No entry is required in this division. Showing will be judged while exhibiting in the various classes and announced towards the end of the show. See Showing Division for general showmanship rules.
10. **PREMIUMS** - Monetary premiums will be paid to the top three entries in each class. Premiums paid will be \$5, 4, 3.

BREEDING BIRDS - DIVISION 865

Class

American

- 1 One Cock
- 2 One Hen
- 3 One Cockerel
- 4 One Pullet
- 5 One Pen

Bantams - Single Comb, Clean Legged

- 41 One Cock
- 42 One Hen
- 43 One Cockerel
- 44 One Pullet
- 45 One Pen

Breeder Turkey

- 81 Old Tom
- 82 Old Hen
- 83 Young Tom
- 84 Young Hen
- 85 One Pen

Asiatic

- 6 One Cock
- 7 One Hen
- 8 One Cockerel
- 9 One Pullet
- 10 One Pen

Bantams - Rose Comb, Clean Legged

- 46 One Cock
- 47 One Hen
- 48 One Cockerel
- 49 One Pullet
- 50 One Pen

Guinea Fowl

- 86 One Cock
- 87 One Hen
- 88 One Cockerel
- 89 One Pullet
- 90 One Pen

Mediterranean

- 11 One Cock
- 12 One Hen
- 13 One Cockerel
- 14 One Pullet
- 15 One Pen

Bantams - Any Other Comb, Clean Legged

- 51 One Cock
- 52 One Hen
- 53 One Cockerel
- 54 One Pullet
- 55 One Pen

Peafowl

- 91 One Cock
- 92 One Hen
- 93 One Cockerel
- 94 One Pullet
- 95 One Pen

English

- 16 One Cock
- 17 One Hen
- 18 One Cockerel
- 19 One Pullet
- 20 One Pen

Bantams - Feather Legged

- 56 One Cock
- 57 One Hen
- 58 One Cockerel
- 59 One Pullet
- 60 One Pen

Quail

- 96 One Cock
- 97 One Hen
- 98 One Cockerel
- 99 One Pullet
- 100 One Pen

Continental

- 21 One Cock
- 22 One Hen
- 23 One Cockerel
- 24 One Pullet
- 25 One Pen

Bantams - Ducks

- 61 Old Drake
- 62 Old Duck
- 63 Young Drake
- 64 Young Duck
- 65 One Pen

Pheasant

- 101 One Cock
- 102 One Hen
- 103 One Cockerel
- 104 One Pullet
- 105 One Pen

All Other Standard Breeds

- 26 One Cock
- 27 One Hen
- 28 One Cockerel
- 29 One Pullet
- 30 One Pen

Medium Breed Ducks

- 66 Old Drake
- 67 Old Duck
- 68 Young Drake
- 69 Young Duck
- 70 One Pen

Pigeon

- 106 Fancy
- 107 Flier
- 108 Utility

Bantams - Modern Game

- 31 One Cock
- 32 One Hen
- 33 One Cockerel
- 34 One Pullet
- 35 One Pen

Large Breed Ducks

- 71 Old Drake
- 72 Old Duck
- 73 Young Drake
- 74 Young Duck
- 75 One Pen

Bantams - Old English Game

- 36 One Cock
- 37 One Hen
- 38 One Cockerel
- 39 One Pullet
- 40 One Pen

Breeder Geese

- 76 Old Gander
- 77 Old Goose
- 78 Young Gander
- 79 Young Goose
- 80 One Pen

COMMERCIAL BIRDS - DIVISION 866

Class

- 109 Broilers - two birds per pen, either sex, weight under 12 pounds total (May not be shown in Division 864.)
- 110 Roasters - two birds per pen, either sex, weight over 12 pounds total (May not be shown in Division 864.)
- 111 Market Ducks - two birds per pen, either sex, over 8 weeks of age
- 112 Market Geese - two birds per pen, either sex, over 12 weeks of age
- 113 Market Turkeys - two birds, same sex, over 15 weeks of age for hens and 16 weeks of age for toms

EGG PRODUCTION - DIVISION 867

1. Egg production exhibitors must follow FFA Poultry Department rules listed above.
2. **Entries must be submitted online on or before July 1.** The entry fee is \$1 per class.
3. Exhibitors may make one entry in the Egg Production class.
4. Birds will be shown as a pen of three females, light breed type.
5. Birds shown in the Production Classes must be at least 16 weeks old at the time of the show.

6. Birds will be judged on health, vigor, uniformity in type, weight and production.
7. Cages and litter will be provided for each exhibitor's birds.
8. All exhibitors will be responsible for his/her own birds and must be present when they are judged.

Class

114 Egg Layer

POULTRY CHAPTER AWARD

THE SUPREME POULTRY EXHIBITOR'S AWARD recognizes the cooperative efforts of a chapter. The recognition will be based on number of animals shown and final performance placings. No entry form or entry fee will be required. The awards are based on a point system.

Chapter Award: 1st - Banner; 2nd through 10th place - Ribbons

FFA POULTRY SPECIALS

The FFA Champion Laying Pen will receive a plaque sponsored by the **North Central Poultry Association and Iowa Egg Council**.

The FFA Champion Broiler Pen will receive a plaque sponsored by the **North Central Poultry Association and Iowa Egg Council**.