

BY ENTERING AN EXHIBITOR AND ANIMAL IN THE DUCHESNE COUNTY LIVESTOCK SHOW IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO READ THESE RULES AND REGULATIONS!!!

## DUCHESNE COUNTY FAIR

### LIVESTOCK SHOW 2023

#### Rule Book

*The Duchesne County Fair Livestock Committee reserves the final and absolute right to interpret all the rules and regulations, arbitrarily settle and determine all matters, questions, and differences in regard to, arising out of or connected with the Duchesne County Fair Livestock Show, and the right to amend or add to these rules as it is determined necessary. An exhibitor who violates any of the rules will forfeit all privileges and premiums and will be subject to such penalty as the Livestock Committee may order.*

*All exhibitors will be under the control and direction of the Livestock Committee, but the Duchesne County Fair Livestock Committee, Duchesne County, Utah State University, or its officers, directors, agents, or employees will in no case be responsible for any loss, injury, or damage that may occur. Each exhibitor will be solely responsible for any loss, injury, or damage that may occur to him or his officers, agents, employees, or animal during the show. The exhibitor shall indemnify the show against any and all legal proceedings in regard to the above and against damage or injury to any other person or property, caused by the exhibitor, his officers, agents, employees, or animal.*

TO BE ELIGIBLE TO SHOW AT THE DUCHESNE COUNTY FAIR LIVESTOCK SHOW, THE FOLLOWING MUST BE COMPLETED:

- You Must live in Duchesne County or attend a Duchesne County School
- You must either be enrolled in 4H at [4h.zsuite.org](http://4h.zsuite.org) with fees paid **PRIOR** to animal tagging,
- Or be an FFA member and have approval of FFA Advisor with enrollment and fees completed **prior** to tagging.
- Your animal must be tagged before deadline(s). **No Exceptions.**
- You and your livestock project will be **Completely entered, and fees paid** on [duchesnecountyfair.fairentry.com](http://duchesnecountyfair.fairentry.com) before June 15, 2023

**Failure to do so will make you ineligible to participate in the Duchesne County Fair Livestock Show. No exceptions will be given!**

## **CODE OF ETHICS**

This code of ethics applies to anyone exhibiting animals in livestock shows in the State of Utah. It includes Junior as well as Open Class exhibitors who compete in structured classes of competition. All classes of livestock offered at the livestock events are included. The following practices or procedures are unacceptable and are defined as deceptive, fraudulent, unethical, and inhumane in the care, fitting, preparation, and showing of all classes of livestock:

### **Use of illegal drugs is considered a premeditated act. The use of any illegal drugs is prohibited.**

Legal or illegal substances used to phenotypically affect the appearance of an animal entered in livestock events are prohibited. Any information obtained in the practice of illegal alteration of an animal will be turned over to the proper authorities for criminal prosecution. **This is a one-strike, and you are out policy.** Exhibitors will forfeit any premium, awards, or auction proceeds, and will be prohibited from further competition at shows in the State of Utah, as well as being subject to criminal prosecution if proven guilty.

Treating an animal internally or externally, with any irritant, counterirritant, or other substance used to artificially change the conformation or appearance of an animal for show is considered unethical, inhumane, and is prohibited. This includes, but is not limited to, the use of graphite, powders, hemp, artificial hair, coloring, common products such as fly spray, ointment, or liniment used to the point that it is irritating, or similar type products. The use of dyes, spray paint, or other artificial coloring which result in altering an animal's true and natural appearance and/or color is prohibited. Adding false hair or hair like material, fleece, or skin at any point, spot, or area of the animal's body is illegal and will result in immediate disqualification. Any liquid or substance not considered part of an accepted and normal diet for livestock is deemed illegal and inhumane. For example: the use of alcoholic or carbonated beverages as a drench or filler, etc.

**The use of tranquilizers, sedatives, or depressants which alter the physical or physiological state of the animal is illegal.** Exceptions to this rule would be licensed, certified veterinarians' treatment for a recognized disease or injury, or recommendation for tranquilizing breeding animals in heat that might compromise the safety of others. The drugs must be approved by the Food and Drug Administration for use in meat producing animals. **All exhibitors will advise show management of any drug and/or medication administered to an animal that might be detected at the time of showing or at meat inspection.** The name of the drug, its purpose, the person who administered the drug, time, and date of the administration will be presented to show management prior to the showing and sale of the animal. Failure to report this information to the show management will result in severe penalties and/or disqualification. Any use of drugs or substances not approved by the Food and Drug Administration is strictly prohibited. All animals entered in the livestock competition will be subject to testing for foreign substances that exceed acceptable levels established by the DFA, FSIS, USDA, or EPA. During the livestock event, in the case of an animal requiring treatment, all medication shall be administered by a licensed veterinarian and the livestock show officials shall be notified.

Surgery, injection, or insertion of foreign material under the skin and/or into the flesh of an animal to change the natural contour, conformation, or appearance of an animals' body is illegal. This includes vegetable oil, silicon, or any other substance used to alter the shape of an animal.

Acceptable practices of physical preparations which are allowed including: Clipping of hair, trimming of hooves, dehorning, or removal of ancillary teats.

The use of inhumane fitting, showing and/or handling practices of animals shall not be tolerated. For example: breaking of tails, striking of the animal to cause swelling or for bracing purposes, use of an electrical contrivance, **muzzles**, etc. is NOT acceptable.

Direct criticism or interference with the judge, show management, other exhibitors, breed representatives, or show officials before, during, or after the competitive event is prohibited.

At the time an animal is sold at auction at the livestock show the exhibit shall be held directly responsible for animals that are rejected at the processing center for any reason. The seller may be liable to the buyer for an amount equal to three times the purchase price and may also be liable for attorney's fees and civil penalties. Show management may share acceptable intelligence and evidence information with FDA or USDA. If, for any reason, the FDA or USDA inspectors must remove any part of a meat animal carcass, the market price will be discounted.

Show management reserves the right to require animal health certificates. Health inspection and diagnostic test may be made before or after animals are on the livestock show premises for exhibitor and animal safety, or to inaugurate disease control procedures which may become necessary in emergencies as determined by animal health officials. Any violation of the "Utah State Junior Livestock Show Ring Code of Ethics" or specific rules as designated by individual fairs and livestock shows will result in forfeiture of premiums and awards, disqualification, and may result in probationary status and/or loss of eligibility for future participation in organized livestock competitions. Possible civil penalties may be imposed by the proper authorities based on evidence provided by the livestock show of exhibitors in violation of the Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic act/or the animal mistreatment, neglect, and abandonment laws that apply on the local, state, and national levels.

Other cooperating shows will be notified of the action taken by show management which may affect the eligibility of the individual, group, or sponsoring organization for participation at other shows. The decision of the livestock show management will be final.

**Drug Withdrawal:** It is unethical and, in most cases, even unlawful to administer drugs to livestock within 20 to 30 days of slaughter. Animals too unmanageable to show should be withdrawn from their class rather than be tranquilized. This situation will be monitored by the Duchesne County Fair Livestock Show Committee and the show veterinarian. By federal regulation, random testing will occur at slaughter, and animals will be condemned which have been given any injection or oral dosages of tranquilizers, painkillers, antibiotics, diuretics, steroids, or other foreign substances during withdrawal periods before slaughter. All sales money will be withheld in such cases. Bloat medicine and other medication with no withdrawal requirements may be permissible. Exhibitors need to be aware of potential health hazards to consumers who eat animals that have received any of the above-mentioned dosages. Please do not put someone's life in jeopardy.

- **ALL ADULTS working with any Jr exhibitor are under an affirmative responsibility to do more than avoid improper or questionable acts. Their moral values must be SO certain**

*and positive that those younger and more pliable will be influenced by their fine example.*

- **ALL YOUTH: exhibitors of livestock shall at ALL times deport themselves with honesty and good sportsmanship. Their conduct in this competitive environment shall ALWAYS reflect the highest standards of honor and dignity to promote the advancement of agriculture education.**
- **\*\*\*ANY\*\*\* exhibitor, family member, or persons associated with an exhibitor caught breaking the rules, mistreating animals, or involved in un-sportsman like conduct (this INCLUDES both physical and verbal actions) in any Junior Livestock Show WILL BE BANNED from the Duchesne County Fair Livestock Show for at least one year, with up to a possible lifetime ban if deemed necessary. Any animal that tests positive for illegal drugs, the exhibitor will receive a lifetime ban from the Duchesne County Fair Livestock Show and Sale. Any exhibitor who vandalizes the area before the sale will be banned from the sale. Any vandalism committed by an exhibitor after the sale will result in the exhibitor being banned from participating in next year's show.**
- It is **ALL** our duty to uphold the 4-H and FFA MOTTO'S:
- **4-H MOTTO: "TO MAKE THE BEST BETTER."**
- **FFA MOTTO: "Learning to do, doing to learn, earning to live, living to serve."**

## **GENERAL LIVESTOCK RULES**

**All exhibitors are cautioned to carefully READ the following rules and regulations, as well as each division rules, they will be strictly enforced.**

1. Judging of all market classes are open only to 4-H members and FFA members in good standing, enrolled in a Duchesne County School also enrolled in a Duchesne County 4-H Club or FFA Chapter.
2. Exhibitors need to live in Duchesne County OR attend a Duchesne County School.
3. For an animal to be judged, the exhibitor must be able to handle and control the animal, the exhibitor must be able to protect themselves, other exhibitors, and those watching the show. This will be determined and controlled by the Livestock Committee. Those animals not able to be controlled will be asked to be taken home.
4. Exhibitors must OWN their animals at the beginning of and throughout the feeding periods. Exhibitors must feed and care for animals daily. The exhibitor will own and possess his or her project for **not less than 100 consecutive days for market beef and 60 consecutive days for market hogs, market lambs and market goats**. No interruption of ownership or possession can occur. If this rule is NOT adhered to, an individual will not be allowed to show the animal(s).
  - a) Name change – If an animal has been shown in a market show in-state or out-of-state, it must be shown in the same exhibitor's name in all subsequent shows.
  - b) No animal shall be allowed to enter the Duchesne County Livestock Show and Sale that has been sold through any other Jr. Livestock Sale.
5. Market animals **will be tagged** to determine ownership. **Market Beef before April 29, 2023. Market Lambs, Market Goats and Market Hogs before June 3, 2023.** Entry forms and fees must

be completed online at [duchesnecountyfair.fairentry.com](http://duchesnecountyfair.fairentry.com) and are due by **June 15, 2023**. Entry fee is non-refundable. **NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE CONSIDERED**. Contestants arriving at the show not registered in 4-H or FFA, with animals that were not tagged, entered properly on the [fairentry.com](http://fairentry.com) site, with the wrong tag number reflected on the entry form or with a tampered with tag will **NOT** be eligible for the show.

6. No animal will be tagged, unless the exhibitor is registered for the current 4-H year and enrollment fees have been **paid** on [4h.zsuite.org](http://4h.zsuite.org) or to the 4-H Extension Office. FFA members must also be registered through their FFA Advisor. All exhibitors, along with animals, must be registered by **June 15, 2023**, at [duchesnecountyfair.fairentry.com](http://duchesnecountyfair.fairentry.com).

a) Ear tags will be used throughout the show for identification purposes, therefore must be clean and present and NOT tampered with.

b) The Species Chairperson/Livestock Program Coordinator must be notified immediately if an ear tag is lost. The animal will be subject to review by such committee and may be subject to disqualification if deemed tampered with.

7. Exhibitors must accompany his/her animal at tagging, be present at weigh-ins, and at check-in.

8. If for any reason there is a question about the weight of any animal, the animal will be backed off the scale, the scale balanced, and the animal will be **immediately re-weighed ONLY one more time. NO time shall lapse between first and second weighing.**

a) Only animals which are **DRY** and clean at weigh-in time will be permitted to cross the scales.

b) **Lambs must be tightly shorn within 1 week of weigh in. This is NOT-Negotiable! Please be honest.**

9. **All exhibitors will be allowed to sell one animal through the auction.** With the exception that the exhibitor has shown two animals, and each has placed in the top ten of its species, then both animals are permitted to sell in the auction.

10. FFA and 4-H exhibitors **may enter no more than two market animals.** The animals may be from one species or a combination of two species.

11. Animals that do not make weight (either over or under) can be shown in Showmanship but will NOT be able to show in the Market Classes or go through the Livestock Sale.

12. Exhibitors must SHOW THEIR OWN animals in the Show Ring. If unable to do so for any of the following reasons, a substitute exhibitor may be obtained:

a) Death in the immediate family.

b) Verified medical condition.

13. The Livestock President shall have the right to refuse the entry of any animal, which in their judgment, is unworthy of exhibition for injury or illness, or which may be a menace to the physical/medical safety of other livestock, the exhibitors, or spectators.

14. An animal judged to be sick or infectious will not be allowed to remain on the fairgrounds, including goats, lambs, or breeding sheep showing signs of a contagious disease (such as fungus).

Lambs or goats showing signs of currently being prolapsed, or an open sore on the dock (rosebud) will not be permitted to show. No animals with open wounds will be permitted. **These animals need to leave the show barn and fairgrounds immediately, so they don't infect other animals.**

15. Male animals must be castrated.

16. Animals must remain in livestock area throughout the duration of the fair, **ABSOLUTLY NO taking animal back to livestock trailer or out of designated livestock areas during fair!**

17. **ALL** exhibitors will be **ASSIGNED** a pen/stall for their animal in the appropriate area for that species and must remain in their assigned pens or stalls for the duration of the Livestock Show. **Designated areas for show boxes and fitting stands/chutes are provided. Be considerate of other exhibitors when deciding how much room you need for your fitting stands/show boxes, etc. SHOW BOXES/CHUTES ARE NOT PERMITTED IN THE Event Center/Warm Up Barn PRIOR TO 8:00 AM MONDAY, AUGUST 7, 2023.**

18. **ALL PENS/STALLS WILL BE CLEANED BY EXHIBITOR UPON CHECK-OUT, THIS IS MANDATORY! IF PEN/STALL IS LEFT DIRTY EXHIBITOR WILL BE CHARGED A \$75 CLEANING FEE THAT WILL BE TAKEN OUT OF THEIR SALE CHECK. THIS WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED! PENS WILL BE PRE-ASSIGNED, AND A COPY OF PEN ASSIGNMENTS WILL BE OBTAINED. LET'S ALL DO OUR PART AND CLEAN UP AFTER OURSELVES 😊**

19. Exhibitors are responsible for feeding, watering, and caring for their animal projects for the duration of the fair. Exhibitors must furnish their own feed, feeders, water containers and are responsible for keeping the pens and stall areas always clean. Exhibitors must abide by Division feeding rules (please check your division for specific rules). **Please feed, water, and clean the feed pans only in the area designated for that division.** Any Exhibitor failing to feed or water animals then the Exhibitor shall remove their animal project from the fairground premises, shall forfeit all prizes and awards for that animal project. If pen/fitting area is not kept, in a clean orderly manner Exhibitor will be asked to clean it, if this is not done premium money shall be forfeited.

a) **All feed and bedding (shavings) must be provided by the exhibitor. Feed cannot be stored in barns.**

20. All animals exhibited in the Duchesne County Fair Livestock Show must be trained, fitted, and dressed for the show. Each exhibitor must be working with the project animal and be in attendance with the animal during the fitting process. The fitting of animals will take place in areas designated by the Duchesne County Fair Livestock Show.

21. **ABSOLUTLY NO DRENCHING!** THERE WILL BE **NO WARNINGS**, IF YOU'RE CAUGHT DRENCHING YOUR ANIMAL YOU WILL BE DISQUALIFIED. Drenching will only be allowed for emergency purposes only such as hydration and bloating. This is to be determined by a licensed veterinarian. If you feel there is an emergency contact the Species Chairman for your division, the Livestock Committee President or the Livestock Coordinator.

22. NO MUZZLES.

23. **The use of dyes, spray paint, or other artificial coloring which result in altering an animal's true and natural appearance and/or color is prohibited.** No decorating of the animal using ribbons, paints, costumes, glitter, etc. will be allowed on sale day.

24. All animals must be presented for competition when called, there will be two (2) class calls. One to be on deck and the other to enter the ring. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to listen for classes being announced.
25. Spectators will not be allowed in the Show Ring.
26. The decision of the Judge is **FINAL**.
27. Every Exhibitor is required to provide their animals for Jr. Judging if asked to do so. This is NOT-Negotiable! The judge picks the classes, please be compliant.
28. **Classes will be posted as soon as they are completed. NO information on classes will be available until the livestock president has verified all the information. Failure to cooperate with this matter will only prolong the process. PLEASE BE PATIENT!** 😊
29. ONCE A CLASS HAS BEEN PLACED AND IT IS DETERMINED THAT THERE IS A DISQUALIFICATION OF A PLACING ENTRY, ALL PRIZES AWARDED TO THAT PLACED ENTRY ARE DEEMED FORFEITED AND ALL REMAINING PLACED ENTRIES WILL BE ADJUSTED UP TO FILL THE VACATED PLACING.
30. \*\*\* Record books are **MANDATORY!** This year 4Her's will be following the **State 4-H Format of submitting a Cover Letter and Resume for their animal(s). FFA members will be required to submit the FFA AET Record Book. Due by July 26, 2023\*\*\***
- a) Duchesne County Livestock Show 4-H Resume and Cover Letter and FFA Record Books, will be due two weeks before the start of the Duchesne County Fair for judging. 4-H Resumes and Cover letters can be submitted at the Duchesne (130 S Center Street) or Roosevelt (57 N 100 E) USU Extension Offices or by email to [duchesnecountyextension@gmail.com](mailto:duchesnecountyextension@gmail.com). FFA Record books should be turned in to your local advisor. They must be turned in on or before the due date of July 26<sup>th</sup> to be eligible to participate in the Premier Exhibitor Award. Exhibitors who do not have an up to date 4-H Resume and Cover Letter by weigh-ins will be disqualified from the market division and auction (**NO EXCEPTIONS**) but will still be allowed to compete in the showmanship division.
  - b) Exhibitors who miss the July 26<sup>th</sup> due date must still turn in a 4-H cover letter & Resume or an AET FFA Record Book at weigh into be eligible to show their animal project at the fair.
  - c) **Exhibitors who do not turn in a 4H Resume and Cover Letter or a AET FFA record book will be disqualified from the market division and auction. (NO EXCEPTIONS) but will still be allowed to compete in the showmanship division.**
- b) Exhibitors are responsible for picking up their physical Resume's and FFA AET Record books.** It is the exhibitor's responsibility to keep track of their 4-H resumes and FFA record books. We feel that this educational addition to our youth market animal projects will increase the quality of our exhibitors and better prepare our youth to become better livestock producers in the future.

### 31. Dress Code:

\* **4-H:** A white long or short sleeve shirt which fastens down the front and has a collar is mandatory. There is to be a 4-H emblem or patch on all 4-H member's shirts.

\* **FFA:** Either white shirt and tie and FFA jacket or white shirt with FFA emblem and tie.

-The following will NOT be allowed: T-shirts, tank tops, tube tops, sleeveless shirts or shirts with logos, shorts, and no open toed shoes. Exhibitors who fail to abide by dress standards will forfeit prize money.

32. To file an official protest/complaint, you must submit a written letter of complaint/protestation with a fee of \$100.00 CASH, to the livestock committee chair. Your fee will be forfeited if protest/complaint is not sustained.

33. By entering your livestock project in the Duchesne County Fair Livestock Show, you and those associated with you, agree to abide by the rules and regulations of the Duchesne County Fair Livestock Show.

**34. ANY FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH ANY APPLICABLE DUCHESNE COUNTY FAIR LIVESTOCK SHOW RULES MAY RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION FROM PARTICIPATION IN THE DUCHESNE COUNTY LIVESTOCK SHOW FOR THE YEAR IN WHICH THE VIOLATION OCCURS AND THE EXHIBITOR WILL FORFEIT ALL AWARDS AND/OR PROCEEDS. THE EXHIBITOR MAY ALSO BE DISQUALIFIED FROM PARTICIPATING IN THE DUCHESNE COUNTY FAIR LIVESTOCK SHOW IN THE FUTURE.**

**\*\*\*SPECIAL RULES OR CONDITIONS ARE PUBLISHED IN EACH DIVISION WHERE NECESSARY. IF THERE IS A CONFLICT BETWEEN THE SPECIAL RULES OF ANY DIVISION AND THE GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS, THE SPECIAL RULES WILL GOVERN.**

### Drug Rule

*To foster fair competition, to provide a level playing field and to protect the safety of food the following will be strictly abided by:*

1. The use of animal drugs or other substances in any manner other than in accord with the labeling approved by FDA is a violation of federal law. The exhibitor and exhibitor's parents and/or guardians are absolutely and completely responsible for the care and custody of their animal while at the County Fair/Fairgrounds/Etc. The showing of any animal that has been administered during its life any quantity of any unapproved drug, chemical or medication is strictly prohibited. Such drugs include, but are not limited to, any diuretic, tranquilizers and sedatives, unapproved growth stimulant or other unapproved medication.

b. Unapproved means not approved by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) and or the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) for slaughter including animals that may be destined for human consumption.

c. All animals must remain free and clear of all drug and chemical residues while at the Duchesne County Fair. As a condition for participation in the Jr. Livestock Show and Sale, the exhibitor, and their parents and/or guardians must agree to submit any animal entered for inspection. They agree to have such animal submitted to any tests requested by the show management. The show management specifically reserves the right to have tissue, hair, blood, or urine laboratory analysis



made on any animal entered for competition. The conclusions reached by the laboratory shall be final and binding without recourse against the show management.

d. If an exhibitor's animal tests positive for any unapproved drug, even if the exhibitor and the exhibitor's parents or guardians are innocent of any wrongdoing and did not administer the drug, or even if the source of the drug is unknown, the exhibitor shall be disqualified. An exhibitor of an animal that is found to be unethically fitted and or tests positive for any drug or medication or unapproved chemical shall forfeit all rights and privileges to exhibit livestock in the future at the Duchesne County Fair. This will be a lifetime ban. Exhibitor, will also be required to forfeit all premiums, awards, recognition, and auction proceeds. If the animal has been sold through the Jr. Livestock Auction, auction proceeds shall be returned to the buyer/supporter.

e. Exhibitor shall be responsible for all damages to persons or property that results from any drug, medication or other unapproved chemical and shall defend and indemnify Duchesne County and the Livestock Committee for all claims and expenses that arise from this section.

f. In the event an exhibitor has been banned under this section and can demonstrate exigent circumstances warranting a reinstatement, the exhibitor may petition the Duchesne County Jr. Livestock Committee in writing. If the Committee believes that there are exigent circumstances that may qualify for a reinstatement, the Committee may appoint a three-member board that will hear the evidence and render a decision. This board's decision shall be binding and final.

### **MARKET LIVESTOCK SHOW AGE DIVISIONS**

**JUNIOR** - Exhibitors 8 years old **AND** in the 3<sup>rd</sup> grade, 4<sup>th</sup> grade, 5<sup>th</sup> grade as of **Sep 1, 2022**

**INTERMEDIATE**- Exhibitor's 6<sup>th</sup> grade, 7<sup>th</sup> grade, and 8<sup>th</sup> grade as of **Sep 1, 2022**

**SENIOR** - Exhibitor's 9<sup>th</sup> grade, 10<sup>th</sup> grade, 11<sup>th</sup> grade, and 12<sup>th</sup> grade as of **Sep 1, 2022**

### **MARKET SWINE RULES**

**CHAIRPERSON: Kevin Michaelson**

**Jason Gillman**

**ENTRIES DUE: All entries must be submitted online, by June 15, 2023.**

**WEIGH-IN: Monday, August 7, 2023, 2-4 PM Event Center**

**SIFTING: 230 lbs. min- 330 lbs. max**

**MARKET SHOW: TUESDAY, August 8, 2023, 8:30 am @ Event Center**

**SHOWMANSHIP: WEDNESDAY, August 9, 2023, 8:30 am @ Event Center**

1. All entries for this division will be subject to the General Livestock Rules of the Duchesne County Fair Jr Livestock Show except where they conflict with the requirements of this division in which case the division rules will prevail. In the event of special circumstances that may

arise, or a conflict between rules, decisions of the Species Chairperson and the Livestock President will be final.

2. The Duchesne County Livestock Show will NOT be a terminal show for swine.
3. All swine exhibitors are required to bring a self-watering hog waterer!
4. **Absolutely NO drenching!** Drenching will only be allowed for emergency purposes, such as hydration and bloating. This is to be determined by a licensed veterinarian. If you feel there is an emergency contact the Specie Chairman of your division, the Livestock Committee President, or the Livestock Coordinator.

## **MARKET LAMB RULES**

**CHAIRPERSON(S): MIKE CASPER**

**LEWIS FAUSETT**

**ENTRIES DUE: All entries must be submitted online by June 15, 2023.**

**WEIGH-IN: Monday, August 7th 4-6 pm @ Event Center**

**SIFTING: 110 lbs. min -170 lbs. max**

**MARKET SHOW: Tuesday, August 8<sup>th</sup>, 2023, Event Center, following market Hog Show**

**SHOWMANSHIP: Wednesday, August 9<sup>th</sup> 2023, @ Event Center, following Showmanship Hog Show**

1. All entries for this division will be subject to the General Livestock Rules of the Duchesne County Fair Livestock Show except where they conflict with the requirements of this division in which case the division rules will prevail. In the event of special circumstances that may arise, or a conflict between rules, decisions of the Species Chairperson and the Livestock President will be final.
2. ALL market lambs must be slick shorn within 1 week of Show.
3. Lambs must be dry to weigh in.
4. No chain halters to weigh-in lambs.
5. Market lambs must be carrying all milk teeth in the proper place. Committee/Chairpersons have the right to mouth any lamb they feel needs verified.
6. All market ewe lambs require a Scrapie tag at the time of weigh-in.
7. Any female showing signs of pregnancy at show will be disqualified (Pregnancy may be determined by the show judge or the Market Lamb chairperson.)
8. Market lambs must show no signs of udder or testicular development.
9. **Absolutely NO drenching!** Drenching will only be allowed for emergency purposes only such as hydration and bloating. This is to be determined by a licensed veterinarian. If you feel there is an emergency contact the Specie Chairman of your division, the Livestock Committee President, or the Livestock Program Coordinator.

## **MARKET GOAT RULES**

**CHAIRPERSON: JOE JOHNSON**

**ENTRIES DUE: All entries must be submitted online by June 15, 2023.**

**WEIGH-IN: Monday, August 7, 2023, 4-6 pm @ Event Center**

**SIFTING: 50 lbs. min - 110 lbs. max**

**MARKET SHOW: Tuesday August 8<sup>th</sup> @ Event Center, following market Lamb Show**

**SHOWMANSHIP: Wednesday August 9<sup>th</sup> @ Event Center, following Lamb Showmanship**

1. All entries for this division will be subject to the General Livestock Rules of the Duchesne County Livestock Show except where they conflict with the requirements of this division in which case the division rules will prevail. In the event of special circumstances that may arise, or a conflict between rules, decisions of the Species Chairperson and the Livestock President will be final.

2. Market Show is open to any MEAT breed or crossbred Female (unbred) or Wether goat. Meat Goat animals will be shown by weight class with no distinction between breeds unless need arises, which will be determined by the show committee, which includes: the Goat Species Chair, Livestock President, and the Livestock Program Coordinator.

3. Any female showing signs of pregnancy at show will be disqualified (Pregnancy may be determined by the show judge or the Market Goat chairperson.)

4. Market Goats must show no signs of udder or testicular development.

5. All Market Goats must be slick shorn with 3/8 inch of hair or less above the knee or hock joints at check-in/weigh-in.

**6. ALL GOATS MUST BE DE-HORNED OR TIPPED. NO TIPPING OF HORNS ON FAIRGROUNDS!**

7. Exhibitors will be allowed to use halters, or collars in the show ring.

8. Market goats must be carrying all milk teeth in the proper place. Livestock Committee/Chairpersons have the right to mouth any goat they feel needs verified.

9. **All Female Market goats will require a scrapie tag at the time of weigh-in.**

10. **Absolutely NO drenching!** Drenching will only be allowed for emergency purposes only, such as hydration and bloating. This is to be determined by a licensed veterinarian. If you feel there is an emergency contact the Species Chairman of your division, the Livestock Committee President, or the Livestock Coordinator.

## **MARKET BEEF SHOW RULES**

**CHAIRPERSON: AARON ABBOTT**

## DUANE HOUSTON

**ENTRIES DUE: All entries must be submitted online by June 15, 2023.**

**WEIGH-IN: Monday, August 7, 2023, 2-4 pm**

**SIFTING: 1100 lbs. min-1700 lbs. max**

**MARKET SHOW: Tuesday, August 8, 2023 @ Event Center following market Goat Show but no earlier than 2 pm**

**SHOWMANSHIP: Wednesday, August 9, 2023 @ Event Center following market Goat Show but no earlier than 2 pm**

1. All entries for this division will be subject to the General Livestock Rules of the Duchesne County Fair Livestock Show except where they conflict with the requirements of this division in which case the division rules will prevail. In the event of special circumstances that may arise, or a conflict between rules, decisions of the Species Chairperson and the Livestock President will be final.
2. For safety reasons, all beef must be de-horned prior to check-in.
3. Beef must be halter broke for the Fair. Any beef which cannot be handled by the Exhibitor during check-in will automatically be sifted.
4. A brand inspection will be required for all market beef to cross the scales at the time of weigh-in, a fee will be paid from the money collected on commission.
5. Any female showing signs of pregnancy at show will be disqualified (Pregnancy may be determined by the show judge or the Market Beef chairperson.)
6. Market Beef classes will be divided by weight.
7. **Absolutely NO drenching!** Drenching will only be allowed for emergency purposes only such as hydration and bloating. This is to be determined by a licensed veterinarian. If you feel there is an emergency contact the Specie Chairman of your division, the Livestock Committee President, or the Livestock Program Coordinator.

### **SHOWMANSHIP RULES**

1. There will be **Senior, Intermediate, and Junior** Showmanship divisions in each species with an **Over All Grand Master** class in each species:

- a) Market Hog
- b) Market Lamb
- c) Market Goat
- d) Market Beef

2. There will be **Pee Wee, Junior, Intermediate, and Senior** Showmanship divisions with an **Overall Champion** Class:

- a) Heifer Show

3. There will be **Pee Wee** and **8 & over** Showmanship classes as follows:

- a) Breeding Sheep
- b) Open Goat
- c) Open Poultry
- d) Open Rabbit

4. Only the eligible owner of the animals will be allowed to participate in the showmanship class. **NO** substitute exhibitor will be allowed to compete in Showmanship.

### **Livestock Auction Rules**

1. All animals sold will be charged a commission of the total sale price as follows BEEF 4%, HOGS 4%, SHEEP 4% and GOATS 4%. Check off list assessments will be deducted from the check.

2. The top support to be paid by the Support Buyer will be 145 pounds for lambs, 110 pounds for goats, 300 pounds for hogs, 1400 pounds for market beef.

**3. The Grand and Reserve Champion of each Market Species must be sold in the sale.**

***4. If any exhibitor does not want to sell an animal, he/she must notify the clerk upon naming of the Grand and Reserve Champion. If an animal is pulled after the sales order has been printed, a sales commission (which is the average commission for that species) will be charged to that individual.***

5. The Duchesne County Fair Jr Livestock Show Committee reserves the right to restrict the number of animals entering the sale depending on the number and quality of animals offered. White ribbon animals will not go through the sale; however, the committee will try to have a support price for these animals.

6. No animal will be allowed to leave the fairgrounds after the sale without the permission of the sale barn manager/species chairperson.

7. **The individual bidding for a company is responsible for the bid if the company refuses to pay the bid price. If the bill is not paid within 60 days after the first invoice a late fee of \$35 will be assessed and the fee will continue to accrue each month the bill remains unpaid.**

8. **The payment (check) from the sale of animals will not be issued the day of the sale. They will be issued within 90 days of the livestock sale\*\* by the Duchesne County Auditor, by mail. \*\* Pending buyers have paid in full.**

9. **Boosts that are not paid on the day of or within 30 days after the sale will NOT be added to exhibitor's checks.**

10. **Boost forms are for buyers only! Boost Cards will only be given to an adult with a buyer number. There will be NO SOLICITING of Buyer(s) for the purpose of boosting animal(s) the day of the sale.**

11. **Sale Order for 2023 goes as follows: Hogs, Beef, Lambs, Goats.**

### **BREEDING SHEEP:**

**CHAIRPERSON: ASHLEY WILCOX**

**OPEN BREEDING EWES: 5 years old & over**

**OPEN SHOWMANSHIP: 8 years & over**

**OPEN PEE WEE SHOWMANSHIP: 3-5 years old, 6-8 years, 8 years olds cannot participate if they participated in the Market Showmanship classes.**

**Friday August 11<sup>th</sup>, 2023**

**Check-in at 8:00 am**

**Show at 8:30am**

1. Junior exhibitors will need to have an entry form completed by **July 26, 2023**, online at [duchesnecountyfair.fairentry.com](https://duchesnecountyfair.fairentry.com) to be eligible to show.
2. Sheep to be shown at the Duchesne County Fair Jr Livestock Show must be in possession of the animal at least 60 days prior to the show date. Junior exhibitors may show animals owned by others in a breeding class provided he or she has used it as a project and maintained a record of production.
3. The Lamb Species Chair and County Extension Agent reserve the right to dismiss any animals that appear to be unhealthy or pose any undue harm or risk to exhibitors, livestock, or patrons of the show, as well as animals that do not conform to the rules of the show.

**4. Market ewe lamb can be shown in the breeding class, only if ownership has NOT changed.**

5. Breeding Ewe: classes will be determined after registration: Ewe Lamb, Yearling Ewe, Aged Ewe.

## **OPEN GOAT RULES**

**CHAIRPERSON: ASHLEY WILCOX**

**OPEN BREEDING DOES: 5 years old & over**

**OPEN SHOWMANSHIP: 8 years & over**

**OPEN PEE WEE SHOWMANSHIP: 3-5 years old, 6-8 years, 8 years olds cannot participate if they participated in the Market Showmanship classes.**

**Friday August 11<sup>th</sup>, 2023**

**Check-in 10:00 am**

**SHOW: At the conclusion of the breeding sheep show.**

1. Junior exhibitors will need to have an entry form completed by **July 26, 2023**, online at [duchesnecountyfair.fairentry.com](https://duchesnecountyfair.fairentry.com) to be eligible to show.

2. Goats to be shown at the Duchesne County Fair Jr Livestock Show must be in possession of the animal at least 60 days prior to the show date. Junior exhibitors may show animals owned by others in a breeding class provided he or she has used it as a project and maintained a record of production.
3. The Goat Species Chair and County Extension Agent reserve the right to dismiss any animals that appear to be unhealthy or pose any undue harm or risk to exhibitors, livestock, or patrons of the show, as well as animals that do not conform to the rules of the show.
4. **Market goats can be shown in the breeding class, only if ownership has NOT changed.**
5. Breeding Doe classes will be determined after registration: Doe Lamb, Yearling Doe, Aged Doe.
6. Goats should be shown with a halter or collar.

## **Bucket Calf Rules**

**CHAIRPERSON: Gilbert Evans**

**OPEN Show for youth Pee Wee Class (ages 7 and under) and Open Class (Ages 8 and in the third grade- age 12)**

**Friday August 11th**

**Check In: Noon.**

**Show 12:30pm**

1. Each participant must have their own individual weaned calf, broke to lead
2. Calves must be shown on halter.
3. Record Books are optional [4hzsuite.com](http://4hzsuite.com) or for a copy.
4. Class divisions will be determined after the check-in at the fair.
5. Exhibitors in the Pee Wee division are for ages 7 and under. Exhibitors in the Open Class ages 8 (and in the third grade)-12 years old, must be a 4-H member enrolled in Duchesne County and must abide by the general rules. Kindergarten-7 yrs. are encouraged to enroll as Clover buds at [4h.zsuite.org](http://4h.zsuite.org)
6. Exhibitors will complete a record of their exhibit, due July 26, 2023, to the Duchesne County USU Extension Office (130 S Center Street) 2 weeks before the Fair.
7. Steers and heifers of any breeds are allowed. NO BULLS.
8. Calves must be born after January 1 and before April 30 of the current year.) Exhibitors must have possession of the calf by June 4th, 2023 and have an entry form completed online at **[duchesnecountyfair.fairentry.com](http://duchesnecountyfair.fairentry.com) by July 26, 2023.**
10. Evaluation for bucket calves will be based on:
  - a) What the exhibitor has learned about care and raising his/her calf

- b) Cleanliness and proper showing of the calf
- c) General health, condition, and management of the calf.
- d) Exhibitor's knowledge of the project

11. Calves must be shown on halter.

12. Exhibitors not taking care of their bucket calf during the fair will be asked to take the animal home.

## **Heifer Show Rules**

**CHAIRPERSON: KEVIN SMART**

**OPEN SHOW (all ages, Pee Wees 7 & under, Open Classes 8 over)**

**Friday August 11<sup>th</sup>, 2023**

**Check-in 1 PM**

**Show 1:30 PM (followed by Heifer showmanship)**

1. Must be a resident of Duchesne County. This is an open show for all ages.
2. Entry forms and a fee of \$20 per animal are due online at **[duchesnecountyfair.fairentry.com](https://duchesnecountyfair.fairentry.com) by July 26, 2023.**
3. Heifer must be two years or yearling at time of show
4. Number of classes and breed of class will be determined after the entry deadline.
5. If there is enough interest shown by exhibitors, showmanship classes will be arranged.
6. Market Beef Heifers can be shown in the breeding class only if ownership has NOT changed.

## **Poultry Showmanship**

**CHAIRPERSON: LORI DAVIES**

**Open Show for youth ages Pee Wee 7 & under, 8 & over**

**Check-in: 2:30 PM @ Event Center August 11, 2023**

**Show: Friday 3 Pm @ Event Center August 11, 2023**

1. The exhibitor is responsible for supplying feed, water, bowls, and bedding for their poultry. The exhibitor is also responsible for keeping their bird's area clean and ensuring their animal is fed and watered. Duchesne County Fair Jr Livestock Show will provide poultry cages.
2. Poultry NOT eligible for auction, open to all chickens for competition only.
3. All youth must be present for the judging of their birds.
4. Poultry will be judged by American Poultry Association standards
5. All birds must be in good health, free of parasites, in presentable condition and clean.



6. Exhibitors must have an entry form completed online at **[duchesnecountyfair.fairentry.com](https://duchesnecountyfair.fairentry.com)** by **July 26, 2023**.

## **Open Rabbit Show**

**CHAIRPERSON: LORI DAVIES**

**Open Show for youth ages Pee Wee 7 & under, 8 & over.**

**Check-in 3pm August 11, 2023**

**Show: Friday August 11, 2023**

1. Open Market Rabbit (not eligible for auction, open to all market rabbits for competition only)
2. Rabbits will be shown and judged on a judging table.
3. Showmanship classes will be judged on cage appearance, condition of animal and handling skills of exhibitor.
4. Exhibitor is responsible for supplying feed, water, bowls, and bedding for their rabbits. The exhibitor is also responsible for keeping their rabbit's area clean and ensuring their animal is fed and watered. Duchesne County Livestock Show will provide rabbit cages.
5. Rabbits should be free of all disease symptoms. Rabbits showing signs of disease will not be allowed to be shown. Rabbits showing signs of sickness may be pulled at any time during the show by the Rabbit chairperson only and at the chairperson's discretion. Any rabbit with symptoms of disease **MUST BE IMMEDIATELY REMOVED** from the barn.
6. Exhibitors must have an entry form completed online at **[duchesnecountyfair.fairentry.com](https://duchesnecountyfair.fairentry.com)** by **July 26, 2023**.

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