

MARKET SWINE

Division 400

Department 440

Superintendents - Alan Meyer

Judging: 4:00 p.m.

Monday, August 3

RULES:

1. All hogs must have at least one notch in each ear; notches should be uniform, healed by the time of the County Fair and per National Swine Registry rules, any hogs that have questionable notches or do not match the swine ID forms will not be allowed to show.
2. All participants must be currently certified with a Youth Pork Quality Assurance Plus certificate.
3. An exhibitor can bring a maximum of 4 market pigs. If an exhibitor has 1-2 pigs, they will receive 1 pen; with 3-4 pigs, 2 pens will be allotted. Family members will be required to group pigs together if pens are needed. All Swine exhibits will be bedded with wood chips, provided by the exhibitor.
4. No straw will be allowed.
5. Clipping of hogs is prohibited at the fairgrounds.
6. Swine must be shown without hair dressing compounds, including oils, paints, powders, and other dressings.
7. It is highly recommended that if pigs are clipped, the pigs should have at least 1/2 inch of hair on the body, except for the head and tail. Packers are concerned about buying short clipped pigs. Also, this rule is highly recommended by most swine judges.
8. Market swine must be at the fairgrounds by 6:00 p.m. Sunday, August 2.
9. Pens will have two 2"x10" boards bolted on the top of pens for tack.
10. **In the market swine, classes will be broken down with approximately the same number of animals in each class. Classes may be broken with same weight animals in two different classes. (This will be more equitable for determining sale eligibility).**

**NOTE: HOGS MUST BE ON FAIR GROUNDS
BY 6:00 p.m. SUNDAY**

PREMIUMS OFFERED:

1st Place - \$5.00

2nd Place - \$4.00

3rd Place - \$3.00

4th Place (thru end of class) - \$2.00

Showmanship 1st-5th placings: \$5, \$4, \$3, \$2, \$1

SWINE SHOWMANSHIP (age as of 1/1/09):

1. Senior, 16 & over

4. Intermediate, 13-15

7. Junior, 12 & under

Sponsor: Morgan County Pork Council Women

CLASS DETERMINATION:

Superintendents and Extension Agent in charge will determine weight breaks and divisions for classes following weigh-in, these will be posted and have the right to add or remove classes as deemed necessary. Hogs weighing less than 225 lbs., or more than 275 lbs., are not eligible for sale, Grand, or Reserve Grand Champion awards.

LIGHTWEIGHT DIVISION:

CLASSES 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46

CHAMPION LIGHTWEIGHT DIVISION MARKET SWINE

Sponsor Ron & Tonie Yetter, Fort Morgan

RESERVE CHAMPION LIGHTWEIGHT DIVISION MARKET SWINE - Ribbon

MEDIUMWEIGHT DIVISION:

Classes 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56

CHAMPION MEDIUM WEIGHT DIVISION MARKET SWINE

Sponsor: Morgan County Pork Council Women

RESERVE CHAMPION MEDIUMWEIGHT DIVISION MARKET SWINE - Ribbon

LIGHT-HEAVY WEIGHT DIVISION:

Classes 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66

CHAMPION LIGHT HEAVYWEIGHT DIVISION MARKET SWINE

Sponsor: RE/MAX Homestead, Inc., Brush

**RESERVE CHAMPION LIGHT-HEAVY WEIGHT
DIVISION MARKET SWINE - Ribbon**

HEAVYWEIGHT DIVISION:

Classes 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76

**CHAMPION HEAVY WEIGHT DIVISION
MARKET SWINE**

Sponsor: Flat River Agri, Inc., Brush

**RESERVE CHAMPION HEAVY WEIGHT
DIVISION MARKET SWINE - Ribbon**

86. Catch-It-Pig

CHAMPION CATCH-IT-PIG PARTICIPANT

Sponsor: Fort Morgan Young Farmers, Fort Morgan

GRAND CHAMPION MARKET SWINE

Sponsor: Cleary Buildings, Fort Morgan/Brush

**RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION MARKET
SWINE**

Sponsor: Brush News Tribune, Brush