

Department 107 - Poultry

Judging Friday at 8:30 AM

Entry Information

- Open to youth enrolled in the 4-H poultry project or youth of other groups doing equivalent work.
- Entries are limited by species. Due to space, exhibitors may enter only 6 geese and 6 turkeys. All other species are not limited. No more than 1 entry per class lot number.
- Entries will not be accepted without Animal ID or Premise ID.
- All poultry must be feathered and not younger than 6 weeks of age. Old female/male are birds hatched before January 1 of the exhibit year. Young female/male are bird hatched after January 1 of the exhibit year.
- Animal fee is \$1/entry.

Exhibitor Information

- All exhibits must abide by Wisconsin County Fair animal health rules.
- All exhibitors are required to turn in the Animal Check-In Form at the time of entry. Premise ID MUST be listed.
- Any fowl showing any symptoms of a contagious or infectious disease or parasites cannot be exhibited. If any exhibitor's fowl shows general symptoms of any specific issue, their entire exhibit will be ordered removed.
- All poultry, except pigeons, must be certified Pullorum-Typhoid free. Exhibitors must show proof that their birds are Pullorum-free on entry day. Poultry no having proof will not be allowed in exhibit building.
- All exhibitors MUST attend a mandatory meeting. Exhibitors who do not attend will not receive trophies or special awards. Poultry Production exhibitors must attend a mandatory meeting to be eligible for the sale. Trophies, awards, or auction entries will not be replaced with the next eligible exhibitor.
- Feed and water containers that are non-breakable must be furnished by the exhibitor.
- Fowl MUST be fed and watered daily. Cages MUST be cleaned daily.
- All exhibitors must be present (or provide a substitute) for judging. This includes birds that are judged in their cages. Birds will not be presented to the judge by the superintendent or their assistants if the exhibitor is absent. Exhibitors must present chickens, bantams, and ducks to the judge's table for group conference judging. All other fowl will be judged in the cage or beside the cage; exhibitors may be asked to remove their birds.
- Judges will award no premium on inferior fowl or birds improperly classified, even though there is not competition. All specimens will be judged by

comparison. The judges will use "The American Standard of Perfection" as their guide.

- All poultry is characterized and described by class, breed, and variety. Fizzles may be shown as a variety in any recognized breed – large fowl or bantam.
- Top 2 qualifying Market (Class RD) animals in each lot number must be sold in auction. Market animals will be weighed before 8 PM on entry day. Members exhibiting in the market class are responsible for contacting buyers to attend the auction.
- Exhibitors in the sale must report to the Small Animal building to assist with moving animals and setting up for the auction. (TIME TBD) Exhibitors must also assist with clean up after the sale. Poultry production exhibitors will not be eligible for the auction if they do not attend a mandatory meeting.
- FOR SALE signs are allowed AFTER judging is complete.
- All poultry entries must be claimed between 5:00 and 7:00 PM on Sunday.

Premiums: \$2.00 - \$1.75 - \$1.50 - \$1.25

LARGE FOWL – American

- Class AA – Plymouth Rocks
- Class AB – Rhode Islands
- Class AC – Wyandottes
- Class AD – Chanteclers
- Class AE – All other American breeds

LARGE FOWL – Mediterranean

- Class AF – Leghorns
- Class AG – Minorcas
- Class AH – All other Mediterranean breeds

LARGE FOWL – Asiatic

- Class AI – Brahmas
- Class AJ – Cochins
- Class AK – Langshans

LARGE FOWL – English

- Class AL – Australorps
- Class AM – Orpingtons
- Class AN – All other English breeds

LARGE FOWL – Continental

- Class AO – Faverolles
- Class AP – Polish
- Class AQ – All other Continental breeds

Lot numbers for Classes AA - RB

1. Young Female
2. Young Male
3. Old Female
4. Old Male



LARGE FOWL – All other Standard breeds

- Class AR – Ameraucanas
- Class AS – Sumatras
- Class AT – Phoenix
- Class AU – All other Standard breeds not listed

Grand Champion & Reserve Champion Large Fowl

BANTAMS – Single Comb Clean Leg

- Class BA – Plymouth Rock
- Class BB – Japanese
- Class BC – Leghorn
- Class BD – Rhode Island
- Class BE – All other Single Comb Clean Leg



BANTAMS – Rose Comb Clean Leg

- Class BF – Belgian Bearded d’Anvers
- Class BG – Wyandotte
- Class BH – Sebrights
- Class BI – All other Rose Comb Clean Leg

BANTAMS – Feather Leg

- Class BJ – Cochins
- Class BK – Belgian Bearded D’Uccle
- Class BL – Silkie
- Class BM – All other Feather Leg Bantams

BANTAMS – All other Comb Clean Leg

- Class BN – Ameraucanas
- Class BO – Buckeyes
- Class BP – Chanteclers
- Class BQ – All other Comb Clean Leg

BANTAMS – All Game Bantams

- Class BR – Old English
- Class BS – Modern
- Class BT – All other Game Bantams

Grand Champion Bantam - Reserve Champion Bantam

**** BEST CHICKEN IN SHOW ****

- Lot numbers for Classes AA - RB**
1. Young Female
 2. Young Male
 3. Old Female
 4. Old Male

DUCKS – Heavy Breeds

- Class DA – Pekin
- Class DB – Rouens
- Class DC – Muscovies
- Class DD – Silver Appleyard
- Class DE – All other Heavy Breeds



DUCKS – Medium Breeds

- Class DF – Swedish
- Class DG – Cayuga
- Class DH – All other Medium Breeds

DUCKS – Light Breeds

- Class DI – Runner Ducks
- Class DJ – Campbells
- Class DK – Magpie
- Class DL – Welsh Harlequin
- Class DM – All other Light Breeds

DUCKS – Bantam Breeds

- Class DN – Call Ducks
- Class DO – All other Bantam Breeds

Grand Champion Duck -- Reserve Champion Duck

GEESE – Heavy Breeds

- Class GA – Emden
- Class GB – African
- Class GC – Toulouse
- Class GD – All other Heavy Breeds



GEESE – Medium Breeds

- Class GE – American Buff
- Class GF – Pilgrim
- Class GG – All other Medium Breeds

GEESE – Light Breeds

- Class GH – Chinese
- Class GI – Tufted Roman
- Class GJ – All other Light Breed

Grand Champion Goose - Reserve Champion Goose

TURKEYS

- Class MA – Bronze
- Class MB – White Holland
- Class MC – Bourbon Reds
- Class MD – All other Turkey Varieties



Grand Champion Turkey - Reserve Champion Turkey

PIGEONS

Class PA – All Homers
Class PB – Carneau
Class PC – All Modenas
Class PD – Giant Runt
Class PE – Lahore
Class PF – All Kings
Class PG – Barb
Class PH – Dagoon
Class PI – Scandaroon
Class PJ – All Trumpeters
Class PK – Fantail
Class PL – Frillback
Class PM – Indian Fantail
Class PN – Jacobin
Class PO – All Syrians
Class PP – All Owls
Class PQ – All Frills
Class PR – All Croppers
Class PS – All Pouters
Class PT – Archangel
Class PU – All Swallows
Class PV – All Tumblers
Class PW – All Rollers
Class PX – All High Flyers and Tipplers
Class PY – All Storks
Class PZ – All other Pigeon Breeds

Grand Champion Pigeon - Reserve Champion Pigeon

POULTRY PRODUCTION CLASSES

Class RA – Crossbred Egg Type – specify variety
Class RB – Crossbred Meat Type – specify variety

Class RC – Lot 5 – Yearling Hen, 12-18 months of age
with ½ dozen eggs

Class RD – **Market Poultry**
(birds in this class are eligible for the auction)
Lot 6 – Non-commercial type young market
chickens – 2 birds – ready for market
Lot 7 – Commercial type (all Cornish Cross)
Roasters – 2 birds – 8-12 weeks old
Lot 8 – Commercial type (all Cornish Cross) Broilers - 2
birds – under 8 weeks old
Lot 9 – Young Guinea – 1 young bird – hatched
January 1 or later
Lot 10 – Young Duck – 1 bird – under 16 weeks old
Lot 11 – Young Goose – 1 bird – under 1 year old
Lot 12 – Young Turkey – 1 bird – ready for market
Lot 13 – Young market Gamebird (all species) – 1
bird – ready for market

Lot numbers for Classes AA - RB

1. Young Female
2. Young Male
3. Old Female
4. Old Male



Class RF – Market Eggs

- Premiums: \$1.75 - \$1.50 - \$1.25 - \$1.00

Lot 15 – 6 white eggs – in ½ carton

Lot 16 – 6 brown eggs – in ½ carton

Lot 17 – 6 Blue/Green eggs, in ½ carton

Class S – Showmanship

- Judged Danish
- Premiums: \$3.00 - \$2.50 - \$2.00 - \$1.50

Lot 18 – Members in grades 3-5

Lot 19 – Members in grades 6-8

Lot 20 – Members in grades 9-13

Class Z – Educational Displays

- No more than 3 exhibits – 1 per lot
- See Poster Rules
- Exhibits must be brought to Building #4 (Small Animal) on entry day.
- Judging will take place on Friday.
- Premiums: \$1.75 - \$1.50 - \$1.25 - \$1.00

Lot 100 - Educational poster on the parts of poultry

Lot 101 - Educational poster on the breeds of poultry

Lot 102 - Educational poster on the basic needs of poultry

Lot 103 - Educational poster on the health of poultry

Lot 104 - Educational poster on the basic uses of poultry (meat, feather, etc.)

Lot 105 - Educational poster on how to market poultry

Lot 106 - Any other educational display related to poultry

Poster Rules - ALL Departments

- Posters must be designed on or affixed to standard poster board.
- Size: 14"x22" or 22"x28"
- Posters may use any medium: watercolor, ink, crayon, acrylic, charcoal, oils, computer generated, collage, etc.
- Staple entry tag to front of poster in the top right-hand corner.
- Posters should be dated on back with current fair year.