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DAIRY CATTLE

ELIGIBILITY

- Open to 4-H and FFA exhibitors carrying Dairy projects.
- All 4-H Exhibitors will exhibit in a show dress (white shirt and white pants).
- All 4-H and FFA non-milking Dairy projects must be entered at the Youth Fair 10 AM-12 PM Tuesday.
All milking Dairy must be to the fair by Wednesday at 8 PM.
- The fair reserves the right to refuse any or all entries and may combine or split classes.
- Milking equipment will be on hand for animals in milk. If you use it, clean it!
- Absolutely **NO CLIPPING** in the Parlor. If you attempt this, your animal will be disqualified!
- Health certificates (to include rabies certification) and registration papers must be presented at the time of unloading.
- Bring your own feed, bedding, health charts, and watering equipment.
- 4-H/FFA Dairy Projects may not leave the Youth Park until 9:00 PM Friday evening. Unless you are participating in the Championship show in Huntingdon, you will be dismissed at the conclusion of the Dairy Show on Thursday evening.
- All animals must be entered on the Youth Fair Dairy Entry, enclosed with this book.
- Please duplicate the entry page for additional cattle.
- Additional entry forms are also available from the Penn State Extension Office.
- Entries are due to the Extension Office by **JULY 22nd** Failure to return the registration forms by the dead line will result in you not being able to show. **ABSOLUTELY NO EXCEPTIONS!**
- All animals must be recorded in the registry association for the respective breed.
- Animals not bred by the exhibitor shall be owned by the exhibitor by June 1, except animals that have freshened before the show date. They must have been owned by the exhibitor before January 1 of the current year.
- All animals must be properly transferred by June 1 to the exhibitors name.

NOTE: Classes listed below are to apply to each of the following breeds:

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| 1. Ayshire | 4. Holstein | 6. Milking Shorthorn |
| 2. Brown Swiss | 5. Jersey | 7. Linebacks |
| 3. Guernsey | | |

HEALTH RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR DAIRY CATTLE

- A Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI) must be issued within 30 days prior to the opening date of exhibition. The CVI must bear the unique permanent identification and presented to the designated Fair Committee or leaders prior to unloading the animals.
- No animals showing clinical signs of contagious or infectious disease, including active ring worm, warts, lice, and mange, will be admitted to any show or fair event.
- Animals appearing unhealthy upon arrival will be asked to leave the grounds.
- ALL CATTLE MUST HAVE AN OFFICIAL IDENTIFICATION. This would include: a USDA issued metal ear tag; or a ISO-compliant RFID tag; or a state registered tattoo.

VACCINATION REQUIREMENTS

- A current RABIES VACCINATION is highly recommended for animals 3 months of age or older.
- It is strongly recommended that all cattle be immunized against IBR, PB, BYD. The recommendation is that at least one vaccination against IBR, PB, BRSY and BYD be given January 2016.

Class Category

- 0101 Spring Heifer Calf (born between March 1, 2016 and May 31, 2016)
- 0102 Winter Heifer Calf (born between December 1, 2015, and February 28, 2016)
- 0103 Fall Heifer Calf (born between September 1, 2015 and November 30, 2015)
- 0104 Summer Yearling Heifer (born between June 1, 2015 and August 31, 2015)
- 0105 Spring Yearling Heifer (born between March 1, 2015 and May 31, 2015)
- 0106 Winter Yearling Heifer (born between December 1, 2014 and February 28, 2015)
- 0107 Fall Yearling Heifer (born between September 1, 2014 and November 30, 2014)
- Junior Champion Female and Reserve Junior Champion Female
- 0108 Fall Yearling Heifer, in milk (born between September 1, 2014 and November 30, 2014)
- 0109 Dry Cow Senior, 4 Years and under (born on or after September 1, 2011)
- 0110 Dry Cow Senior, 5 years and over (born prior to September 1, 2011)
- 0111 Junior 2 year old (born between March 1, 2014 and August 31, 2014)
- 0112 Senior 2 year old (born between September 1, 2013 and February 28, 2014)
- 0113 Junior 3 year old (born between March 1, 2013 and August 31, 2013)
- 0114 Senior 3 year old (born between September 1, 2012 and February 28, 2013)
- 0115 Cow 4 year old (born between September 1, 2011 and August 31, 2012)
- 0116 Cow 5 Year old (born between September 1, 2010 and August 31, 2011)
- 0117 Cow 6 year old and older (born prior to September 1, 2010)
- Senior Champion Female and Reserve Senior Champion Female
- Grand Champion Female and Reserve Champion Female
- 0118 150,000 lb. Cow (Lifetime Production)
- 0119 Junior Best Bred and Owned Three Females by Exhibitor
- 0120 Senior Best Bred and Owned Three Females by Exhibitor
- 0121 Produce of Dam
- 0122 Daughter Dam

DAIRY CATTLE SHOWMANSHIP

4-H and FFA exhibitors MUST show in the showmanship contest in order to compete in type classes.

Class Category

- 0201 First Year Showman
- 0202 Junior Showman (8 to 11 years old)
- 0203 Intermediate Showman (12 to 14 years old)
- 0204 Senior Showman (15 and up)
- 0205 FFA

Grand Champion Showman**Reserve Champion Showman**

DAIRY FEEDER STEERS

ELIGIBILITY

- 4-H and FFA exhibitors must register their feeder steers Sunday of Fair between 1:00-8:00 PM. Positively NO unloading of animals prior to check-in/weigh-in times or the animals will be disqualified!
- Weigh-ins will occur when the animal is unloaded from the trailer, at which time the exhibitor or representative appointed by the exhibitor must be present.
- Bring your own feed, water equipment, bedding, and health charts.
- Animals will be shown by weight class.
- Final classes will be set at the fair and may combine or split classes listed below.
- All feeder steers will be sold at the public auction Saturday at 10:00 AM
- All exhibitors are expected to present their feeder steer for show and sale.
- All 4-H exhibitors will exhibit in a 4-H shirt or the sponsored Fair shirt. All 4-H exhibitors will sell their animal wearing the sponsored Fair shirt. Failure to do so results in disqualification!
- Any member not present to show their animal will be ineligible to sell that animal. The member and their animal will be asked to leave immediately following the show.
- 4-H and FFA exhibitors MUST show in the showmanship contest in order to compete in the type competition.
- See Dairy Feeder Steer rules and guidelines for more information regarding eligibility.

Class	Category	Class	Category
0301	Light Weight	0306	Heavy Middle Weight
0302	Medium Light Weight	0307	Light Heavy Weight
0303	Heavy Light Weight	0308	Medium Heavy Weight
0304	Light Middle Weight	0309	Heavy Weight
0305	Middle Weight		

HEALTH RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR DAIRY FEEDER STEERS

- No animals showing clinical signs of contagious or infectious disease, including active ring worm, warts, lice, and mange, will be admitted to any show or fair event.
- ALL FEEDER STEERS TO BE EXHIBITED MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY A CERTIFICATE OF VETERINARY INSPECTION (CVI) and issued within 30 days prior to the opening of Fair.
- Health papers will be checked upon arrival at the Mifflin County Youth Fair.
- All Dairy Feeder steers must have a Mifflin County Youth Fair Ear Tag and USDA tag

VACCINATION REQUIREMENTS

- Dairy feeder steers need to receive final vaccination/booster so that there is 15 day withdrawal.
- All cattle are highly recommended to be vaccinated against Bovine Diarrhea (BVD) with USDA approved product given according to label directions, with one given prior to the centralized identification. It is strongly recommend for one booster shot to be given no more than 180 days prior to the start of the Fair. Hyper immune serum may not be used as a substitute for the above vaccination requirement.
- It is strongly recommended that cattle entering be immunized against IBR, PI3, BVD and BRSV.
- A signed and witnessed statement, unless administered by licensed vet, of such treatment, vaccination, and/or additional vaccination specifying the biologics used, date of administration, and complete identification of the animal must accompany the animal.

DAIRY-FEEDER STEER RULES AND REGULATIONS

- The dairy feeder steer must be born between January 15 and before March 15.
- All dairy feeder steers must be identified by a Mifflin County tag at centralized identification in April.
- Dairy feeders are recommended to be in members' care from three days to one week old.
- The calf must be under the care of the member by March 15 of the current year.
- Dairy feeder calves must attend the centralized identification and come off the trailer at the event.
- Dairy feeder must have a starting weight of 300 lb and under at centralized identification in April.
- Dairy feeder steers MUST BE 100% Holstein bloodline.
- Dairy feeder calves must be male and properly castrated.
- NO IMPLANTS!
- Dairy feeder calves must be naturally polled or properly dehorned, WITH NO GROWTH, or will be disqualified.
- Dairy feeder calves must be castrated by identification and must be free of any testicular tissue and healed to show at Fair, or they will be disqualified at registration.
- Dairy feeder steers must weigh at least 300 lbs. at fair weigh-ins. All calves under this weight will be sent home. NO RE-WEIGHS!!
- Dairy feeder steers will be shown by weight. Final classes will be set at Fair and may combine or split classes listed on the previous page.
- If the exhibitor cannot handle their dairy feeder, they will be disqualified from the show and sale and will be asked to remove the animal from the fairgrounds.
- If the exhibitor can not show or sell the animal due to a personal medical reason the member will not be eligible for showmanship competition, but will be eligible to use a substitute showman for the type competition.
- All substitute showmen must be a 4-H or FFA member exhibiting a dairy feeder and all substitutions must be approved by the Dairy Feeder Steer club leaders, 4-H Youth Development Extension Educator, and FFA Advisor.
- Steers must have a rope halter and neck collar with tie (furnished by the member) on them at all times. The rope halter will become the property of the new owner at the conclusion of the public auction.

ANIMAL GOALS:

To develop an animal that will be ready for a feed lot. This feeder steer must be on dry rations prior to the Youth Fair. to select an animal that will weigh at least 300 lbs. at fair time.

FFA MEETING REQUIREMENTS

Records must be up to date and signed by the Ag Advisor and presented at pen set-up, immediately returned and then registered at the Fair during Green Building Registration in order to show/sale.

4-H MEETING REQUIREMENTS

All members must be signed up by March 1. All members must make 50% of the meetings. Books must be turned in on time. The books must be complete to show!

DAIRY FEEDER STEER SHOWMANSHIP

4-H and FFA exhibitors may show in the showmanship contest provided it has been carried as a project and is owned by the exhibitor.

Class	Category	
0406	First Year Showman	
0407	Junior Showman (8 to 11 years old)	
0408	Intermediate Showman (12 to 14 years old)	
0409	Senior Showman (15 years old and up)	
0410	FFA	
		Grand Champion Showman
		Reserve Champion Showman

BEEF CATTLE

ELIGIBILITY

- 4-H and FFA exhibitors must register steers Sunday of Fair between 1:00-8:00 PM
- Positively NO unloading of animals prior to check-in/weigh-in times or animals will be disqualified!
- Weigh-ins will begin at 8:00 PM Sunday at which time the exhibitor or a representative appointed by the exhibitor must be present.
- Steers must weigh a minimum of 1,000 lb in order to show/sale. All others will be sent home.
- Bring your own feed, watering equipment, bedding, and health charts.
- Animals will be shown by weight class, not breeds.
- Final classes will be set at the fair and may combine or split classes listed below.
- Steers will be sold at the public auction Saturday at 10:00 AM
- All exhibitors are expected to present their steer for show and sale.
- All 4-H Exhibitors will exhibit in a 4-H shirt or the sponsored Fair shirt. All 4-H exhibitors will sell their animal wearing the sponsored Fair shirt. Failure to do so results in disqualification!
- No buddy steers will be sold at the Fair.
- Any member not present to show their animal will be ineligible to sell that animal. The member and their animal will be asked to leave immediately following the show.
- 4-H and FFA exhibitors MUST show in showmanship contest to compete in the type competition.
- See steer rules and guidelines for more information regarding eligibility.

Class	Category	Class	Category
0501	Light Weight	0507	Light Heavy Weight
0502	Medium Light Weight	0508	Medium Heavy Weight
0503	Heavy Light Weight	0509	Heavy Weight
0504	Light Middle Weight		
0505	Middle Weight		
0506	Heavy Middle Weight		

Champion & Reserve for each weight division
Grand Champion
Reserve Champion

HEALTH RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR BEEF CATTLE

- No animals showing clinical signs of contagious or infectious disease, including active ring worm, warts, lice, and mange, will be admitted to any show or fair event.
- ALL STEERS TO BE EXHIBITED MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY CERTIFICATE OF VETERINARY INSPECTION (CVI), signed by an accredited veterinarian that includes a statement of any vaccinations or treatments. The CVI must be issued within 30 days of admission to the fair.
- All health papers will be checked upon arrival at the Mifflin County Youth Fair.
- ALL STEERS MUST HAVE AN OFFICIAL MIFFLIN COUNTY YOUTH FAIR EAR TAG

VACCINATION REQUIREMENTS

- All cattle are highly recommended to be vaccinated against Bovine Diarrhea (BVD) with USDA approved product given according to label directions with one given prior to the centralized identification and strongly recommend for one booster shot given no more than 180 days prior to the start of the fair. Hyper immune serum may not be used as a substitute for the above vaccination requirement.
- It is strongly recommended that cattle entering be immunized against IBR, PI3, BVD and BRSV, and Rabies.
- A signed and witnessed statement, unless administered by licensed vet, of such treatment, vaccination, and/or additional vaccination specifying the biologics used, date of

BEEF RULES AND REGULATIONS

- The calf must be under the care of the member by January 1 of the current year. On the third Saturday of January (weather permitting) all exhibitors will be required to bring their steer to the Youth Park in Reedsville for a centralized identification between the hours of 8:00-10:00 AM. This same steer will be shown at the Youth Fair in August. If the weather prohibits identification, it will be scheduled for the next consecutive Saturday until complete.
- Market steer must be castrated by December 31 and healed by fair, or they will be shown as stags and given a merit ribbon and sold at the end of the market steer sale with no buy back.
- Steers will be shown by weight class, regardless of breed.
- No nurse cows may be used.
- Each youth participant may show only one steer at the county show.
- Parents are NOT allowed in the show ring, except for appointed ring personnel.
- If the exhibitor cannot handle the steer they will be disqualified from the show and sale and will be asked to remove the animal from the fairgrounds.
- If the exhibitor cannot show or sell the animal due to a personal/medical reason, the member will not be eligible for showmanship competition but will be eligible to use a substitute showman for the type competition.
- All substitute showmen must be a beef club member or FFA member exhibiting a beef project, and all substitutions must be approved by the beef club leaders, 4-H and youth development, Extension educator, and FFA advisor.
- At the time of registering at the show, the participants will designate whether or not the steer is to be sold. Steers may not be withdrawn after registration.
- Grand champion and reserve champion steers must be sold at the Mifflin County Youth Livestock Sale.
- Steers must have a rope halter and neck collar with tie (furnished by the member) on them at all times. The rope halter will become the property of the new owner at the conclusion of the auction.
- Members are encouraged to feed an additional steer if they so desire and show at the Keystone Livestock Exposition. This is not in violation of bullet #5. Additional (buddy) steers will not be shown or sold at the public auction.
- Positively no professional fitting. Fitting may be done with help by other current members **ONLY!** We encourage older members to help the younger members.
- If anything other than a food subsidy needs to be given to the steer at the Fair grounds, you must report to the leaders or advisor and Extension Educator prior to usage for approval.

ANIMAL GOALS:

- To select an animal that should be ready for market by fair time.
- To select an animal that will peak between 1,100 lbs. and 1,300 lbs., depending on the breed.

FFA MEETING REQUIREMENTS

Records must be up to date, signed by the Ag Advisor, presented at pen set-up, immediately returned, and then registered at the Fair during Green Building Registration in order to show/sale.

4-H MEETING REQUIREMENTS

All members must attend meetings and complete appropriate project requirements.

BEEF CATTLE SHOWMANSHIP

4-H and FFA exhibitors MUST show in the grooming and showmanship contest in order to compete in the type competition.

Class	Category
0605	First Year Showman
0607	Intermediate Showman (12-14 years old)
0609	FFA

Class	Category
0606	Junior Showman (9-11 years old)
0608	Senior Showman (15 years and up)
	Grand Champion Showman
	Reserve Champion Showman

COMMERCIAL BEEF HEIFER

ELIGIBILITY

- 4-H and FFA exhibitors must register heifers Sunday of Fair between 1:00 -8:00 PM.
- Dismissed Friday at 9:00 PM—no earlier!
- All exhibitors must be enrolled members in the 4-H or FFA programs of Mifflin County.
- All 4-H Exhibitors will exhibit in a 4-H shirt or the sponsored Fair shirt.
- Bring your own feed, watering equipment, bedding and Health Charts.
- Animals will be shown by birth classes, not breeds.
- Final classes will be set at the fair and may combine or split classes listed below.
- No nurse cows will be permitted.
- All exhibitors are expected to present their heifer for show.
- Any member not present to show their animal will be asked to remove that animal immediately following the show.
- See Beef Heifer rules and guidelines for more information regarding eligibility.

Class	Category	
0510	Spring Yearling	March 1 - May 31, 2015
0511	Summer Yearling	June 1 - August 31, 2015
0512	Fall Calves	September 1 - December 31, 2015
0513	Spring Calves	January 1 - April 30, 2016

Grand Champion Reserve Champion

HEALTH RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR BEEF HEIFER

- No animals showing clinical signs of contagious or infectious disease, including active ring worm, warts, lice and mange, will be admitted to any show or fair event.
- ALL HEIFERS TO BE EXHIBITED MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY CERTIFICATE OF VETERINARY INSPECTION (CVI), signed by an accredited veterinarian that include a statement of any vaccinations or treatments. The CVI must be issued within 30 days to the fair.
- All health papers will be checked upon arrival at the Mifflin County Youth Fair.
- ALL CATTLE MUST HAVE AN OFFICIAL IDENTIFICATION. This would include: a state issued metal ear tag; or a ISO-compliant RFID tag; or a state registered tattoo.

VACCINATION REQUIREMENTS

- Follow the recommendations set forth by the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture.
- A current RABIES VACCINATION administered by a licensed vet is required for animals 3 months of age and older. A rabies certificate must accompany the animal or the vaccination information must be included on the CVI.
- It is strongly recommended that heifers entering be immunized against IBR, PI3, BVD, BRSV.
- A signed and witnessed statement, unless administered by licensed vet, of such treatment, vaccination, and/or additional vaccination specifying the biologics used, date of administration and complete identification of the animal must accompany the animal.

BEEF HEIFER RULES AND REGULATIONS

- The heifer must be under the care of the member by June 1 of the current year, with lease papers by June 1.
- Heifers will be shown on Wednesday of Fair at 6:30 PM, by birth classes, regardless of breed.
- No nurse cows may be used.
- Each youth participant may show only one heifer at county show.
- Parents are NOT allowed in the show ring, except for appointed ring personnel.
- If the exhibitor cannot handle the heifer they will be disqualified from the show and will be asked to remove the animal from the fairgrounds.
- If the exhibitor can not show the animal due to a personal medical reason the member will be eligible to use a substitute showman.
- All substitute showmen must be a beef club member or FFA member exhibiting a beef project and all substitutions must be approved by the beef club leaders, 4-H and youth development Extension educator, and FFA advisor.
- Heifers must have a rope halter and neck collar with tie (furnished by the member) on them at all times.
- Positively no professional fitting. Fitting may be done with the help by other current club members **ONLY!** We encourage older members to help younger members.
- There is no judging of showmanship or fitting, but both are part of the judging of the heifer.
- All awards for the show will be ribbons.
- Heifers must be fed properly and taken care of everyday and this includes their stay at the Fair.
- Heifers will dismissed from the fairgrounds on Friday at 9:00 PM—not earlier!

FFA MEETING REQUIREMENTS

Records must be up to date and signed by the Ag Advisor and presented at pen set-up, immediately returned and then registered at the Fair during Green Building Registration in order to show/sale.

4-H MEETING REQUIREMENTS

- All members must attend 3 meetings and complete appropriate project requirements.
- Follow the 4-H Code of Conduct
- Attend an MQA Ethics training.
- Recite the pledge, color, and motto.

BREEDING SHEEP

ELIGIBILITY

- Limit to two project animals which are classified breeding sheep.
- Open to 4-H and FFA members carrying Sheep Breeding project.
- 4-H and FFA members must be present and have charge of their animals at the time of the judging .
- Lambs shown in breeding classes cannot be shown in market classes or vice versa.
- Bring your own feed, watering equipment, bedding, and health forms.
- All breeding sheep will be released starting at 9:00 PM on Friday evening.
- See lamb rules and guidelines for more information regarding eligibility.
- Final classes will be set at the fair and may combine classes listed below

BREEDING PROJECT RULES AND GUIDELINES

- Must have breeding projects by May 1 and identified at centralized identification.
- Limited to one breeding animal.
- Breeding Project: 1 yearling or 1 ewe lamb
- Breeding stock may be cross or registered. If registered you must provide appropriate paperwork.

HEALTH RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR BREEDING SHEEP

- A current RABIES VACCINATION administered by a licensed vet is highly recommended for animals 3 months of age and older (market lambs are exempt). A rabies certificate must accompany the animal or the vaccination information must be included on the CVI.
- No animals showing clinical signs of contagious or infectious disease including caseous lymphadenitis, sore mouth, active ring worm, foot rot, warts, lice, and mange will be admitted to any show or other fair event.
- ALL ANIMALS MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN OFFICIAL CERTIFICATE OF VETERINARY INSPECTION within 30 days of the fair and be presented to the designated Fair Committee member prior to unloading the animal.
- All sheep must bear an official USDA scrapie identification.

Class Category

0703 Ewe, 1 year and under 2

0704 Senior Ewe Lamb

0705 Junior Ewe Lamb

Grand Champion**Reserve Champion**

**If there are at least 3 purebreds in a class we will make a purebred class.

MARKET LAMBS

ELIGIBILITY

- Member may tag and show two (2) Lambs.
- All 4-H Exhibitors will exhibit in a 4-H shirt or the sponsored Fair shirt. All 4-H exhibitors will sell their animal wearing the sponsored Fair shirt. Failure to do so results in disqualification!
- All market lambs must be present at the centralized identification the first Saturday in May from 9:00-10:00 AM at the Youth Park. NO EXCEPTIONS!
- All animals must be owned by May 1, and be identified with a scrapie tag and official Mifflin County Youth Fair tag at the centralized identification (all other tags will be cut out).
- Market lambs must be a wether or ewe lamb. All wethers must be properly castrated by May 1.
- Tails must be docked .
- Animals must be properly castrated so that no testicular tissue is present at Fair.
- Members must register lambs Sunday of Fair between 1:00-8:00 PM.
- Weigh-ins will occur when the animal is unloaded from trailer, at which time the exhibitor or representative appointed by the exhibitor must be present. Positively NO unloading of animals prior to check-in/weigh-in times or the animals will be disqualified!!
- All lambs must be slick shorn prior to weigh-ins.
- Lambs must weigh at least 80 lbs. with NO YEARLING teeth at Fair weigh-ins.
- Any member that completes project requirements but animal fails to make weight, may show in the showmanship competition using another members animal, with leader advisement.
- Bring your own feed, watering equipment, bedding, and official health charts.
- All lambs will be sold at the public auction Saturday starting at 10:00 AM
- All members are expected to present their lambs for show and sale.
- Any member not present to show their animals will be ineligible to sell that animal. The member and their animal will be asked to leave the grounds immediately following the show.
- 4-H and FFA exhibitors MUST show in the showmanship contest in order to compete in the type competition.
- Final classes will be set at the fair and may combine or split classes listed below.

Class	Category	Class	Category	Sheep Showmanship
0801	Light Weight	0806	Heavy Middle Weight	First Year Showman
0802	Medium Light Weight	0807	Light Heavy Weight	Junior Showman (ages 9-11)
0803	Heavy Light Weight	0808	Medium Heavy Weight	Intermediate Showman (ages 12-14)
0804	Light Middle Weight	0809	Heavy Weight	Senior Showman (ages 15 and up)
0805	Middle Weight			FFA Showman

Champions for each weight division
Grand Champion Reserve Champion

HEALTH RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR MARKET LAMBS

- No animals showing clinical signs of contagious or infectious disease including caseous lymphadenitis, sore mouth, active ring worm, foot rot, warts, lice, and mange will be admitted to any show or other fair event.
- ALL ANIMALS MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN OFFICIAL CERTIFICATE OF VETERINARY INSPECTION within 30 days of the fair and be presented to the designated Fair Committee member prior to unloading the animal.
- All sheep must bear an official USDA scrapie identification.
- Rabies Vaccination is highly recommended to be given to market lambs.

SWINE

ELIGIBILITY

- Only two (2) swine per exhibitor may be used as project animals per project year.
- All members must be signed up by March 31st with your leader.
- Project animals must be owned by exhibitor, under direct care by May 1 and must be tagged the 1st Saturday in May at the centralized identification from 8-10 AM, Youth Park.
- All swine must have required testing as stipulated by the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture to show at the Youth Fair.
- Pigs will be received and weighed Sunday of Fair from 1:00-8:00 PM Positively NO unloading of animals prior to check-in/weigh-in times or the animals will be disqualified!
- Market animals can be barrows and/or gilts.
- All castrations must be done properly that no testicular tissue is present at fair.
- All members are required to bring their own feed, watering equipment, and health certificates.
- Health certificates must be turned in to designated Fair Committee person before unloading pigs.
- All swine will be sold at the public livestock auction Saturday starting at 10:00 AM
- All members are expected to present their pigs for show and sale.
- All 4-H Exhibitors will exhibit in a 4-H shirt or sponsored Fair shirt. All 4-H Exhibitors will sell their animal wearing the sponsored Fair shirt. Failure to do so results in disqualification!
- All pigs may be bedded with sawdust, shavings or straw—NO PAPER BEDDING.
- Any member not present to show their animals will be ineligible to sell that animal. The member and their animal will be asked to leave the grounds immediately following the show.
- 4-H and FFA exhibitors MUST show in the showmanship contest in order to compete in the type competition.
- See swine rules and guidelines for more information regarding eligibility.
- The fair reserves the right to combine or split classes listed below:

Class	Category	Class	Category
1001	Light Weight	1006	Heavy Middle Weight
1002	Medium Light Weight	1007	Light Heavy Medium
1003	Heavy Light Weight	1008	Medium Heavy Weight
1004	Light Middle Weight	1009	Heavy Weight
1005	Medium Middle Weight		

Champions of the Light, Middle, Heavy Weight Classes
Grand Champion
Reserve Champion

HEALTH RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR MARKET SWINE

- No animals showing clinical signs of contagious or infectious disease, or external parasites will be admitted to any show or other fair event.
- Swine to be exhibited must be accompanied by a CERTIFICATE OF VETERINARY INSPECTION. It must state that the animals show no signs of contagious or infectious diseases. This certificate must be issued within 30 days of the opening date of the Fair.
- MARKETSWINE MUST HAVE AN OFFICIAL MIFFLIN COUNTY YOUTH FAIR EAR TAG
- Animals that will be slaughtered shall not receive any treatment with drugs or biologics within the withdrawal time prior to slaughter. If upon slaughter a recent injection of drugs or biologics is the cause of condemnation of a carcass, the loss of the carcass will be borne by the exhibitor.

SWINE RULES AND GUIDELINES

WEIGHT LIMITS

- The weight limit will be 215-300lbs.
- All animals below 215 lbs. or over 300 lb. will be sent home. NO EXCEPTIONS!
- There will be absolutely no re-weights!
- Any member that completes project requirements but animal fails to make weight, may show in the showmanship competition using another member's animal, with the leader advising this choice.

SWINE SHOWMANSHIP

4-H and FFA exhibitors MUST show in the showmanship contest in order to compete in the type competition.

Class Category

- 1105 First Year Showman
- 1106 Junior Showman (9 to 11 years old)
- 1107 Int. Showman (12 to 14 years old)
- 1108 Senior Showman (15 and up)
- 1109 FFA Showman

**First Year Champion Showman
Junior Champion Showman
Intermediate Champion Showman
Senior Champion Showman
FFA Champion Showman
Grand Champion Swine Showman**

**First Year Reserve Champion Showman
Junior Reserve Champion Showman
Intermediate Reserve Champion
Senior Reserve Champion Showman
FFA Reserve Champion Showman**

FFA MEETING REQUIREMENTS

Records must be up to date and signed by the Ag Advisor and presented at pen set-up, immediately returned and then registered at the Fair during Green Building Registration in order to show/sale.

MEETING REQUIREMENTS

All 4-H members must attend meetings and complete the appropriate project and book requirements as established by the club leader.

DAIRY AND COMMERCIAL GOATS

ELIGIBILITY

- All 4-H Exhibitors will exhibit in a 4-H shirt or sponsored Fair shirt.
- Members may tag a Maximum of 3 goats to show in any combination. For example, 3 dairy goats, or 2 dairy goats and 1 market goat, or 1 dairy goat and 2 market goats.
- All exhibitors may bring up to 3 total goats from the following classes—dairy/commercial/market goats to centralized identification, 1st Saturday in May from 9:00-10:00 AM
- Entries are due at centralized tagging to be eligible to show in the Dairy & Commercial Goat show at the Youth Fair—NO EXCEPTIONS!
- Animals not bred by the exhibitor shall be owned by the exhibitor by May 1, except animals that have freshened before the show date, they must be owned before March 31 of the current year.
- All goats that will be in milk at the fair must be owned by the exhibitor, under the direct care of the exhibitor by March 31 of the current year, and registered with the club leader. Then it must be tagged/tattooed at the centralized identification on the first Saturday in May.
- All market and production animals are highly recommended to be disbudded (only exception: Meat and Fiber Production goats with horns as a show standard)
- Members should register their goats at the Youth Fair Sunday of Fair between 1:00-8:00PM. Positively NO unloading of animals prior to check-in/weigh-in times, or the animals will be disqualified!!
- Bring your own feed, bedding, watering equipment, and official health charts to the fair.
- There will be a 12 hour mandatory milk out before the start of the goat show.
- See goat rules and guidelines for more information regarding eligibility.
- The fair reserves the right to combine or split classes listed below.

Class Category

- 1201 Kids—up to 6 months
 1202 Kids—over 6 months and under 1 year
 1203 Doe—under 2 (never been in milk)
 1204 Senior Doe—over 2 years (in milk)
 1205 Best Udder
 1206 Dam and Daughter

Best Doe in show (will consist of the champion doe in each breed)

NOTE: The same classes stated above will be used for each breed.

Dairy Goat Classes:

Alpine (French, Rock, and Swiss)
 Toggenberg
 Oberhalsi
 LaMancha
 Saanen
 Nubian
 Mixed

Commercial Breed Classes:

Angora
 Spanish Meat
 Keiko
 Pygmy
 Tennessee Meat
 Kinders
 Nigerian
 Boer

MARKET GOAT

ELIGIBILITY

- All 4-H Exhibitors will exhibit in a 4-H shirt or a sponsored Fair shirt. All 4-H Exhibitors will sell their animal wearing the sponsored Fair shirt. Failure to do so results in disqualification!
- You may own and identify two (2) market goats at the centralized identification the first Saturday in May from 9:00-10:00 AM. You may show/sell a maximum of 2 market goats.
- Members must enter their goats on the Sunday of the Youth Fair between 1:00-8:00 PM
- Positively NO unloading of animals prior to check-in/weigh-in times or the animals will be disqualified!
- Market Goats must weigh at least 60 lb. with No YEARLING TEETH! NO REWEIGHS! All market goats will be weighed as they come off the trailer.
- Market goats must be a wether or a doe. No unaltered males.
- It is highly recommended that market goats are dehorned; however, goats may have horns at the owner's discretion.
- Market goats will be disqualified if their yearling teeth are showing.
- Market goats must be properly castrated so that no testicular tissue is present at fair.
- Bring your own feed, bedding, watering equipment, and official health charts to the fair.
- All goats will be sold at the public auction Saturday morning at 10:00 AM
- All exhibitors are expected to present their goat for show and sale.
- Final classes will be set at the fair and may be combined or split as listed below.

Class Category

1320	Light Weight	1321	Medium Weight	1322	Heavy Weight
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Grand and Reserve Champion**GOAT SHOWMANSHIP**

4-H and FFA members MUST show in the showmanship contest in order to compete in the type classes.

Class Category

1405	First Year Showman	1406	Junior Showman (9 to 11 years old)
1407	Intermediate Showman (12-14 years old)	1408	Senior Showman (15 and above)
1409	FFA		

HEALTH RULES AND REQUIREMENTS FOR MARKET/DAIRY/COMMERCIAL GOATS

- No animals showing clinical signs of contagious or infectious disease including caseous lymphadenitis, sore mouth, active ring worm, foot rot, warts, lice, and mange will be admitted to any show or other fair event.
- ALL ANIMALS MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY A CERTIFICATE OF VETERINARY INSPECTION
- An accredited vet shall sign the statement of health that he examined the animal within 30 days prior to the opening date of the exhibition is required and stating that the animal is free of infectious and contagious diseases.
- Market goats must have an official Mifflin County Youth Fair ear tag and a USDA scrapie identification tag.
- All BREED goats must be tattooed and have an USDA scrapie identification tag. All breed goats having a breed registration tattoo and accompanied by a registration certificate are exempt from the scrapie ID requirement if the tattoo is legible and the registration certificate or CVI lists the tattoo and registry accompanies the animal at all times during transport from the premises of birth.
- All market and milk goats must have required testing as stipulated by the PA Department of Agriculture.

RABBIT

ELIGIBILITY

- Open to 4-H and FFA members carrying a rabbit project.
- No rabbit may compete in more than one class.
- In order to show a market rabbit, you must also exhibit a breeding project.
- All 4-H Exhibitors will exhibit in a 4-H shirt or a sponsored Fair shirt. All 4-H Exhibitors will sell their animal wearing the sponsored Fair shirt. Failure to do so results in disqualification!
- Members must raise, groom, enter, and show their own rabbits.
- If an exhibitor brings a pregnant doe it should not be too close to having young.
- Members are responsible for the care of their project animals while at the Fair. Rabbits will be dismissed if not properly attended to.
- Exhibitors must attend the judging.
- All rabbits must be entered and housed Sunday from 1:00-8:00 PM Absolutely NO unloading of animals prior to check-in/weigh-in times or the animals will be disqualified! That means do not pen the rabbits until they are checked by a club leader or advisor!
- Market rabbits will be weighed on Sunday of the Fair from 1:00-8:00 PM upon entry.
- All meat pens will be sold at the public auction Saturday beginning at 10:00 AM
- All exhibitors are expected to present their rabbits for show and sale.
- Final classes will be set at the fair and may be combined or split as listed below.
- See rabbit rules and guidelines for more information regarding eligibility.

Class Category**Grade Class — Pure Breed**

- 1501 Adult Doe (over 6 months of age)
- 1502 Adult Buck (over 6 months of age)
- 1503 Junior Doe (under 6 months of age)
- 1504 Junior Buck (under 6 months of age)
- 1505 Doe and Litter

Grade Class — Mixed Breed

- 1506 Adult Doe (over 6 months of age)
- 1507 Adult Buck (over 6 months of age)
- 1508 Junior Doe (under 6 months of age)
- 1509 Junior Buck (under 6 months of age)
- 1510 Doe and Litter

Meat Pen Class

- 1511 Pen of 3 rabbits

Single Fryer Market Class

- 1513 Single Fryer

Cavy Class

- 1514 All Cavy

COMMERCIAL AND FANCY TYPES DESIGNATED BY THE A.R.B.A.*HEALTH RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR RABBITS**

- No animals showing clinical signs of infectious disease will be admitted to any show or other Fair events. Rabbits will be screened on arrival for health and show condition.
- Rabbits will be checked upon entry to the show. Signs of disease or other health problems are grounds for refusing entry, and the animal must be removed from the show grounds by the owner.
- Health checks are the responsibility of the 4-H leader or FFA advisor. Decisions made will be final.

BREED RABBIT RULES & GUIDELINES

- Maximum of four (4) breed projects are to be tattooed at centralized identification in May with three (3) breed projects entered at fair.
- All rabbits must have a clear form of identification (i.e. tattoo).
- Each exhibitor shall be allowed to show a total of three (3) breed rabbits or cavies. A doe and litter will be considered a one-rabbit entry (litter must be 28 days old or older).
- In addition to the breed class, a exhibitor may show a single fryer or a meat pen.
- Breed classes at the Youth Fair will consist of: Junior Doe (under 6 mo.); Senior Doe (over 6 mo.); Junior Buck (under 6 mo.); Senior Buck (over 6 mo.); and Doe and Litter in each A.R.B.A. breed. These classes will also be available in a mixed breed category.

MEAT PEN RABBIT RULES & GUIDELINES

- Meat Pen is a pen of 3 rabbits, raised by the exhibitor, that is to be judged on uniformity and is sold as a pen.
- Members may choose to compete in a meat pen class or single fryer class, but not both.
- Up to 2 does will be identified in May to be used for the litter. A maximum of 6 rabbits will be tattooed at the meat pen tagging with 3 selected to bring to the fair for competition.
- Rabbits must weigh between 3-5 lbs. or they will be sent home.

SINGLE FRYER (MARKET RABBIT) RULES & GUIDELINES

- Only two (2) market rabbits will be permitted to be identified 4 weeks prior to fair, with one (1) market rabbit brought to the fair to be shown. (recommended to be purchased at 6 weeks)
- Meat pen class will consist of 1 rabbit not over 10 weeks old and weighing not less than three (3) and no more than five (5) pounds. If the rabbit weighs under 3 lb. or over 5 lbs. the rabbit will be sent home.
- In order to show a meat pen, the exhibitor must enter at least one (1) rabbit or cavy in a breed class.
- Each exhibitor is responsible for the care of his or her own project animal while at the Youth Fair.
- Exhibitors must raise, groom, enter, and show their own rabbits or cavy.
- Exhibitors should be prepared to answer questions posed by the judge about the age, sex, breed, date of purchase, etc. of their animals and should also be able to discuss information from their project books.

RABBIT SHOWMANSHIP

4-H and FFA exhibitors MUST show in the showmanship contest in order to compete in the type competition.

Class Category

1405	First Year Showman (any first year member)
1406	Junior Showman (9 to 11 years old)
1407	Intermediate Showman (12 to 14 years old)
1408	Senior Showman (15 years and up)
1409	FFA

FFA MEETING REQUIREMENTS

Records must be up to date and signed by the Ag Advisor and presented at pen set-up, immediately returned and then registered at the Fair during Green Building Registration in order to show/sale.

4-H MEETING REQUIREMENTS

4-H exhibitors must complete the appropriate project requirements.

POULTRY

ELIGIBILITY

- All 4-H Exhibitors will exhibit in a 4-H shirt or a sponsored Fair shirt. All 4-H exhibitors will sell their animal wearing the sponsored Fair shirt. Failure to do so will result in disqualification!
- Open to 4-H and FFA members carrying a poultry project.
- Poultry exhibitors may compete in other Fowl classes.
- Each exhibitor is limited to two (2) exhibition birds.
- Exhibitors must attend the judging.
- All poultry must be entered and housed Sunday 1:00-8:00 PM (this includes the meat pen birds).
- All meat birds must weigh-in on Sunday from 1:00-8:00 PM. All birds over or under weight will be sent home immediately.
- All exhibition birds MUST be released on Friday of the fair at 9:00 PM
- Final classes will be set at the fair and may combine or split classes.
- See health requirements for all poultry.

Chicken Classes

1601 Pullet 1602 Cockerel 1603 Hen

Category (2)

1604 Cock

Other Fowl Classes

1605 Drake 1606 Duck 1607 Gander

Category (2)

1608 Goose 1609 Tom 1610 Hen 1611 Pigeon

MEAT BIRD

ELIGIBILITY

- Open to 4-H and FFA members carrying a poultry project.
- Raise and show one (1) pen of two (2) meat type chickens within 3 to 8.5 pounds and 7-8 weeks of age.
- Meat birds are to be brought in on Sunday and weighed in from 1-8 PM, no late entries accepted. The show will begin promptly at 9:00 AM Thursday of the fair.
- Exhibitors must attend the judging.
- All pens will be sold at the youth livestock sale on Saturday beginning at 10:00 AM

HEALTH RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR POULTRY

- All birds must bear a unique individual identification leg band.
- An owner-endorsed health form must accompany all poultry.
- All birds must come from Pullorum-Typhoid free flock (present flock card or certificate from hatchery) or test negative for Pullorum-Typhoid.
- All birds must test negative for Avian Influenza and tested by a Certified Poultry Technician.
- All test results must accompany the birds.

POULTRY SHOWMANSHIP

4-H and FFA members MUST show in showmanship contest in order to be eligible to compete in the type competition.

Class Category

1405 First Year Showman

1406 Junior Showman (9-11 years old)

1407 Intermediate Showman (12-14 years old)

1408 Senior Showman (15 and above)

1409 FFA