

SECTION 09 – POULTRY

Rules and Regulations 2023
New York State Livestock Requirements
& General Rules apply



- (a) New York State Regulations and General Rules apply.
- (b) Pullorum testing is required before entering the fairgrounds.
- (c) A clinic will be held prior to fair – contact office for date and time.
Do not bring any birds to the fair if they are, or appear to be, affected with any contagious disease. Birds must be **show quality condition**: clean, healthy, vigorous, mature, fully feathered, and free of lice and mites.
- (d) Ownership of Poultry Exhibits **must be by June 1st of current year.**

All Poultry Exhibits will be in place TUESDAY AT 10:00 A.M.

- The exhibitor is responsible for placing their exhibits in the cage/coop(s).
 - Exhibitor meeting by Superintendent shortly after 10AM
 - Each exhibitor is to feed and water his/her own exhibits.
 - Each exhibitor must help wash & clean their cage/coops(s) at the end of fair and to help with dismantling the area.
- (e) Double entry cards must be used and must be filled out properly attaching the entry tag (white color) to the coop. Otherwise, the exhibit will not be judged.
 - (f) **CLOVERBUDS** are allowed to show only one (1) entry in Showmanship Class.
 - (g) Showmanship is required of all exhibitors.
 - (h) A **maximum of 10 Birds** per exhibitor may be entered.
 - (i) Judging will be on TUESDAY with showmanship classes first. (Only exhibitors will be allowed in roped-off area at judging time).
 - (j) **ANIMAL PROJECT RECORD** - one project record is needed for one project animal that a 4-H'er has. If showing more than one species, the 4-H'er should only pick one animal. Website: <http://cortland.cce.cornell.edu/4-h-youth/cortland-jr-fair>
 - (k) **NON-OWNED ANIMAL**(s) accompanied with a **non-ownership certificate** must be properly filled out, along with registration papers to prove designation.
 - Youth are **limited to ONE (1) non-owned animal** per species at the fair. (i.e., Beef, Poultry, Rabbits, Swine & Sheep).
Website: <http://cortland.cce.cornell.edu/4-h-youth/cortland-jr-fair>
 - Youth may register **TWO (2) Non-Owned Animal per species**- "*but may only show one*" at the fair. (i.e., Dairy Goats & Meat Goats).
 - **A designated non-owned project animal** must be shown only by registered exhibitor and not by youth owner and must accompany the animal entering the fairgrounds.
 - **Dual designation of one animal is not permitted.**
 - (m) **Poultry Clean Up**: All exhibitors must come on Sunday Morning, to scrub and wash their cages & pens before dismantling and putting away.

(n) **READ INSERT GUIDELINES FOR MARKET CLASSES:**

Up-to-date Project Records are mandatory (Turkeys & Broilers)

Note: market Sale checks will be mailed to exhibitor after fair, once exhibitor has met the two final requirements listed:

1. Market Record Book must be turned in by Saturday, July 9th by 10:00 a.m.
2. Must help dismantle/clean of the poultry area Sunday, July 10th at 6-8:00 a.m.

Premiums and Market proceeds will be withheld if records are not turned in. 4-H Club signs and displays are encouraged.

(o) Barn Closes to the public at 10:00 p.m.

NO one is allowed to stay overnight in the Ag. Corp. Building.

(p) Fans - Must be provided by exhibitor.

POULTRY SHOW

Tuesday July 4th -12:00 Noon - AGRICULTURAL BUILDING

STANDARD BREEDS:

American
Asiatic
English
Mediterranean
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BANTAM BREEDS:

Feather Legged Bantam
Single Comb Clean Legged Bantam
Game Bantams
Rose comb clean Legged Bantam
All Other Clean Legged Bantam

Class# **POULTRY - SHOWMANSHIP** : (see general rules)

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| 120 | (A) Cloverbud | (D) Advanced 5+Yrs |
| | (B) Beginner 1-2 Years | (E) Market Turkey |
| | (C) Intermediate 3-4 Years | (F) Market Broiler |

POULTRY BREED CLASSES:

- 121** Cock - male bird hatched prior to 1/01/23
122 Hen - female bird hatched prior to 1/01/23
123 Cockerel - male bird hatched 1/01/23 or after
124 Pullet - female bird hatched 1/01/23 or after
125 Egg Class - (1) one-dozen: same species, same color – from your own birds.

~ OTHER POULTRY CLASSES ~

Ducks, Geese, Turkey, Guineas, Pheasants, Quail and Pigeons

- 126** Single or Pair born prior to 1/01/23
127 Single or Pair born 1/01/23 or after
128 Poster Contest – posters must be 22” x 28 to be hung in area. (**Fair theme is: “Find Your Spark”**). All Animals will be weighed in on Tuesday evening starting at 7PM Weigh-In Schedule will be posted - Read Guidelines for Market Animals

MARKET BIRDS

- 129** **Market Broilers** – (showmanship & Market class Tuesday evening- Schedule)
130A **Market Turkey** – (showmanship & Market class Wednesday 10a.m.)
130B **Market Hen** – (showmanship & Market class Wednesday 10a.m.)

◆ **YOU MUST FILL OUT A VOUCHER SHEET** TO RECORD ALL YOUR PROJECT ENTRIES ON THE FORM INCLUDING YOUR ANIMAL ENTRIES IN ALL SPECIES

◆ **NO VOUCHER SHEET – NO PREMIUMS!**

ANIMALS IN PLACE ON TUESDAY, 6:00 P.M. –

ALL ANIMALS WILL BE RELEASED ON SUNDAY BETWEEN 6:00-8:00 A.M.

Exhibitors/parents must help with dismantling and cleaning your areas and pens. It is not the responsibility of the staff or Fairboard directors and volunteers!

All awards are listed in the back of the fair book and may be changed or deleted, if necessary, by staff or judge.