

DEPARTMENT 37

4-H AND FFA PIGEONS, GAME AND CAGE BIRDS

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Before entering, refer to General Information, Livestock Rules and Regulations, Youth Rules, and Market Stock Rules.

All exhibitors will be required to sign a release regarding their birds health before their fowl will be allowed in the building.

1. **REGISTRATION:** Pre-registration is mandatory: [Register Here!](#)
2. **YQCA Certification:** All department 37 exhibitors must have current Youth for the Quality Care of Animals (YQCA) Certification by July 1 in order to be eligible to show at fair. This certification can be completed online <http://yqca.org> or classes offered. Please contact Kennewick Extension Office at (509) 735-3551.
3. Birds are to arrive on the grounds between 10 a.m.–8 p.m. Mon., 8/20. Birds to be released between 8–10 a.m. Sun., 8/26. The superintendent and Fair are NOT responsible for any birds left after that time.
4. **LIMIT:** Two per division, per class; 12 entries total per exhibitor.
5. Pigeon judging to take place Tue., 8/21. Pigeons will be judged by the National Pigeon Association standards.
6. Fitting and Showing will take place on Tuesday following poultry. Fitting and Showing Champions will advance to the Small Animal Round Robin at 5 p.m. Wed., 8/22. All 4-H contestants must enter Fitting and Showing to receive premium points.
7. All exhibitors must sign-up for barn duty. Pigeon Herdsmanship includes the entire barn. All exhibitors must keep their animals, barn area, and grooming area clean or monies will be withheld. Cages must be cleaned by 9 a.m. daily.
8. All exhibitors must provide their own feed, grit and shavings for the entire week. Shavings will be available to purchase at the Fair Office or you may bring your own. All livestock exhibitors will be subject to a \$5 bedding fee, which includes one bag of shavings.
9. Superintendents are not responsible for providing or caring for supplies and equipment.
10. **ABSOLUTELY NO BARN BIRDS.**
11. All birds must be banded: Young birds seamless 2017 bands; split bands must be entered as old birds.

12. FEATHER AUCTION WILL BE HELD AT NOON (subject to change) ON Fri., 8/24. Auction is held through the 4-H Poultry department. Check Dept. 38 for rules. Forms must be to the superintendent by 10 p.m. Wed., 8/22, in order to be eligible to sell.

SPECIAL AWARDS

Champion Rare, Show Sporting, Flying, Sporting, Fancy Utility - Ribbon

Champion Pigeon of Show - Rosette Ribbon

Reserve Champion of Show - Rosette Ribbon

FITTING AND SHOWING

4-H and FFA exhibitors MUST enter and exhibit in Fitting and Showing to receive premium monies. Be sure to mark Fitting and Showing on entry form or it will be returned. Champion showmen will compete in the Round Robin on Wed., 8/22.

PREMIUM POINTS

<u>G. CHAMPION</u>	<u>RES. CHAMPION</u>	<u>BLUE</u>	<u>RED</u>	<u>WHITE</u>
100	75	30	22	15

DIVISION

- A. Fitting and Showing

CLASS

1. Junior
2. Intermediate
3. Senior

PREMIUM POINTS

<u>BLUE</u>	<u>RED</u>	<u>WHITE</u>
10	6	4

DIVISION

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| B. Old Cock | D. Old Hen |
| C. Young Cock | E. Young Hen |

Limit: Two per division per class. Not to exceed 12 total entries for the entire department.

RARE

CLASS/BREED NUMBER

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| 1. Berliner Short Face Tumbler | 5. Scandaroon |
| 2. Ice | 6. Stettiner Tumbler |
| 3. Polish Lynx | 7. Other, list breed |
| 4. Saxon Monk | |

SHOW-SPORTING

CLASS/BREED NUMBER

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| 8. Parlor Tumbler | 11. Show Racing Homer |
| 9. Show Ballhead Roller | 12. West England |
| 10. Show Birmingham Roller | 13. Other, list breed |

FLYING SPORTING

CLASS/BREED NUMBER

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| 14. American Flying Tumbler | 16. Flying Roller |
| 15. Flying Racing Homer | 17. Other, list breed |

FANCY

CLASS/BREED NUMBER

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| 18. African Owl | 28. Jacobin |
| 19. American Show Racer | 29. Komorner Tumbler |
| 20. Brunner Pouter | 30. Modena |
| 21. Chinese Owl | 31. Mookee |
| 22. Domestic Show Flight | 32. Norwhich Pouter |
| 23. English Trumpeter | 33. Oriental Frill Blondinette |
| 24. Fantail | 34. Oriental Frill Satinette |
| 25. Frillback | 35. Swallow |
| 26. German Beauty Homer | 36. Turbit |
| 27. Helmet | 37. Other, list breed |

UTILITY

CLASS/BREED NUMBER

38. Miscellaneous -- Game and Cage birds, list breed