

Junior Poultry

Market Broilers

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**THE STATE FAIR OF LOUISIANA SUPPORTS THE ARK-LA-TEX
AGRICULTURAL COUNCIL JUNIOR LIVESTOCK SALE RULES**

(PLEASE READ IN GENERAL RULES & JUNIOR GENERAL RULES)

ENTRIES CLOSE SEPTEMBER 7, 2019

Premiums to be paid for 1st and 2nd place only in classes of 10 or smaller.

Check or money order for entry fees must accompany application for entries. Entry Fee: \$.7.50 per pen.

Entry fees will not be refunded unless cancellation is made in writing and received prior to closing entry date September 7, 2019.

SPECIAL ATTENTION IS CALLED TO THE GENERAL RULES GOVERNING THE EXHIBIT OF LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY IN THIS DIVISION.

All rules, regulations, premium offerings, etc., appearing in this catalog are subject to correction in event of any printing errors that would tend to change the meaning or intent.

Exhibitors must be present and part of the group when their pen of birds is presented to be evaluated by the official judge at 1:30 pm on Friday, October 27, 2019.

COOP IN TIME FOR BROILERS IS 12 NOON FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2019. ALL BROILERS MUST BE IN PLACE BY THIS TIME!

SPECIAL RULES

A. An exhibitor may enter two (2) pens of broilers. This same exhibitor may also enter either standard-bred or bantam poultry. (See special rules for bantam and standard-bred poultry.)

B. An entry must consist of three pullets or three cockerels.

C. The entry must weigh at least nine pounds and must be 49 days of age or younger.

D. The entry must have been purchased from the LSU AgCenter must be been grown by the exhibitor. Chicks are secured by the superintendent in charge from a commercial broiler hatchery at one day of age and distributed to exhibitors who pre-order.

E. The top 15 pens of broilers will be ranked in order of one through fifteen and given awards and premiums as follows:

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| 1 st Champion Rosette \$25.00 | 6 th Purple Ribbon \$8.00 |
| 2 nd Reserve Champion Rosette \$20.00 | 7 th Purple Ribbon \$7.00 |
| 3 rd Purple Ribbon \$15.00 | 8 th Purple Ribbon \$6.00 |
| 4 th Purple Ribbon \$10.00 | 9 th Purple Ribbon \$5.00 |
| 5 th Purple Ribbon \$ 9.00 | 10 th Purple Ribbon \$4.00 |

F: Prior to the Championship Drive, exhibitors must secure two other handlers to help them during the Championship Drive (4-H and FFA members are preferred handlers). Exhibitors with two pens of broilers need to secure handlers for both pens of broilers.

RULES FOR BROILERS

1. Pullets and cockerels will be judged together.
2. After entries have been cooped, they must not be handled by anyone except the judge until all judging is completed.
3. Judging Procedure — U.S. Standard for live chickens will be used. Placing will be made on the basis of market qualities. Extension Agents and FFA Advisors are responsible for having youth holders at judging, otherwise broilers will not be considered for premiums.
4. The show specifically reserves the right to have a tissue or blood laboratory analysis made on any poultry entered for competition.
5. If an Exhibitor bird dies, it will not be placed any higher than at time of death.
6. All Boilers must have State Fair leg band. All leg bands will be checked before the championship.
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DRUG TESTING: All Champion Market Broilers will be drug tested. All other Market Broilers are subject to drug testing upon request from State Fair of Louisiana officials.

Any food animal must not exceed FDA/EPA/USDA-established tolerances for any foreign substance (identified or unidentified) including drugs, pesticides, feed additives, or other chemicals.

Positive test results of residue testing are subject to investigation by USDA and FDA for prosecution.

Any misrepresentation of a food animal that can potentially affect the acceptability of the carcass will be considered fraud.