

LIVESTOCK DATES & TIMES

Superintendents: BLANCHE CAMPBELL & DON MYERS

ENTRY CLOSING: Tuesday, August 14th, by 6:00 PM

August 30th - Last day for all rabbit, poultry and dairy goat substitutions.

August 25th - Gymkhana Events (Saturday), check in 8:30 a.m.

August 26th - Horse Show (Sunday), check in 8:30 a.m.

September 1st - Rabbit & Poultry Show, check in 8:00 a.m.

September 1st - Companion Bird Show, check in 9:00 a.m.

September 1st - Dog Obedience, 11:00 a.m.

September 2nd - 8:30a.m. to 9:00a.m. Pygmy & Dairy Goat check-in

Pygmy Show at 9:00a.m. & Dairy Goat at 10:00a.m.

RECEIVING FOR LIVESTOCK BEFORE 10:00AM or AFTER 4:00PM - MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 3rd

	MONDAY Sept. 3rd	TUESDAY Sept. 4th	WEDNESDAY Sept. 5th	THURSDAY Sept. 6th	FRIDAY Sept. 7th	SATURDAY Sept. 8th
Official Weigh In - Hogs	5-8 PM.					
Official Weigh In - Sheeps & Goats		4-7 PM				
Official Weigh In - Beef		6-6:30 PM				
*All animals in place		7:00 PM				
*All display panels in place		8:00 PM				
GOATS: Boer Breeding			9:00 AM			
GOATS: Market			*****			
GOATS: Meat Goat Showmanship			*****			
BEEF: Judging (at Beef Ring)			10:00 AM			
Market / Feeder / Club & Chapter			*****			
BEEF: Showmanship			*****			
BEEF: Breeding						
DAIRY CATTLE: Showmanship				9:00 AM		
DAIRY CATTLE: Breeding				*****		
DAIRY CATTLE: Replacement Heifers				*****		
SWINE: Breeding			8:30 AM			
SWINE: Market			*****			
SWINE: Showmanship			*****			
SHEEP: Breeding				8:00 AM		
SHEEP: Market				*****		
SHEEP: Showmanship				*****		
SHEEP: Lads & Lassies Lead				TBA.		
LIVESTOCK JUDGING CONTEST				4:00 PM.		
Pee Wee Showmanship					12:00 NOON	
Rouind Robin Showmanship					2:00 PM	
• Small Animal 4H/FFA					4:00 PM	
• Intermediate 4H/FFA					6:00 PM	
• Advanced 4H/FFA						
Paint Brand Hogs						TBD
Auction Buyers Luncheon						11AM-12PM

Sunday, September 9th

Tack released before 10:00 a.m.

Exhibitors Lunch at 11:00 a.m. followed by Special Awards

Livestock released following Awards Luncheon

MANDATORY LEADER AND ADVISOR MEETING HELD TUESDAY, SEPT. 4, 2018 @7:30pm IN BEEF SHOW RING

JUNIOR LIVESTOCK AWARDS

***Special awards not claimed
within ten days will be forfeited.***

Outstanding Overall Exhibitor
Sponsored By:
Evan's Feed & Livestock

Outstanding 4-H Beef Exhibitor
Roger Lyons Memorial Award
Sponsored By:
Dixieland 4-H

Outstanding Horned Hereford
Exhibitor Award
Sponsored By:
Bret & Amy Mercer

Outstanding Angus Exhibitor
Sponsored by:
Susan Martin Costales

Outstanding Swine Showmanship
Neal Bursey Memorial
Sponsored By:
Madera County Ag. Boosters

Beef Showmanship Awards
Sponsored by:
Madera County Cattlewomen

Champion Bred & Fed
Market Lamb
Sponsored by:
Bret & Amy Mercer

Champion Farrowed & Fed Market Hog
Sponsored by:
Small Town Genetics
Scott Jackson Family

Outstanding 4-H Sheep Exhibitor
Tim Lovelace Memorial
Sponsored by:
Madera County 4-H Leaders Council

Champion Bred & Fed Market Goat
Travis Myers Memorial
Sponsored by:
Dawna Dowell

Sheep Rate of Gain Awards
Sponsored by:
Ann Fahey
Forest & Judith Fleming
Jerry & Phyllis Waag
Dustin & Hillary Snyder
Clarence & Joanne Ylarregui
David & Tracy Ylarregui
Gary and Debbie Sumpter
Art & Laurie Fringer

Advanced Master Showmanship Buckles
Sponsored by:
Jerry & Phyllis Waag

Intermediate Master Showmanship
Buckles
Sponsored by:
4-H – Sierra & Mackenzie Meyers
FFA – Rick Gambriel Family

GRAND CHAMPION MARKET BUCKLES
Sponsored by:
Fresno Madera Farm Credit Services

Small Animal Master Showmanship Buckles
Sponsored by:
4H - Julie Luxon
FFA - Petaluma Poultry

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Thank You to our 2017 BUYERS and BUMP BIDDERS!

GRAND CHAMPION BUYERS:

Madera Pump - Agri World - Talley Oil Inc.

CHAMPION:

3-7's

McDonald Crop Insurance
Talley Transportation
G & J Trunk Sales Inc.
Ponderosa Telephone Company
Evans Feed & Livestock Supply

Fresno-Madera Farm Credit
Stanislaus Farm Supply
N & S Tractor
Les Schwab of Madera
Alan Deniz
Bigelow Farms

PREMIUM:

J W Myers, Inc
Vlot Calf Ranch
Kenesco Farms
Iest Family Farms
Tom & Carrie Mitchell
JAB Farms
D & D Holsteins
San Joaquin Wine Co. Inc.

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San Joaquin Sand & Gravel
Luanne Silkwood
United Rentals
Keith Bursey
Scott Bursey
Schafer Ranch
Schoettler Tire
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Madera 20-30 Club
David & Tracy Ylarregui
Schafer Metal Stake
Midland Tractor
Dejager Cattle
Georges Auto
Excelsior Construction, Inc
Allen Cosyns & Susan Cosyns

BEST OF SHOW:

Ray Seibert Ranch
Johnson Farm Meat Racing
Gary Bursey Farming
Certis
S & J Farms
Robert O'Keefe
Lee Farms
Note Servicing Center
Brent Martin
47th Place Carpet One
Ed & Susan Martinazzi

S.C.B.I
Joe & Sandy Dowell
Valley Irrigation Service, Inc
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Rodney & Julianne Cosyns
Nolo Farms II
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McKinney Farming
Curtis Katuin Trucking
Ren & Lyda Pitman
Coarsegold Rodeo Association
Tesei Petroleum
Savant Holsteins
Congressman James Costa

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SHOWMANSHIP:

Michael Tyndal
Clarence & Joanne Yarrregui
Meras Engineering
Judy Shaubach & Leeroy Tucker
Casey Aalto
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Vernon & Betty Martinazzi
Sam Balbas Painting
Duarte's Breeding Service
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Cosyns Farms
The Oval Office Mobile Luxury
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Valley Feed
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Macihara Farms

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Pinnacle Premix
HB Construction & Backhoe
Kennedy Livestock
Tune Almonds
Gary & Bonnie Gagnani
Lyons Magnus.
All Valley Electric
Cornerstone Granite
Wes & Holly Haynes
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Roger & Karen Evans
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Loquaci Ranch
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Campbell Herefords
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David & Arlene Vargas
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Tyler & Amanda Berry
Adam Basila
Jessica & Vince Marshall
Pitman Farms
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Danny Cosgrove
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Kassie Dewey & Brad Mendes
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Art & Laurie Fringer
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Bruno Sambueso
ABH Livestock
Edward & Sharon Greene
Tractoropolis
Cassie Johnson
Dustin & Adrienne McCaslin
Thomas Turini
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Adam Land Developers, Inc
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Madera Co. Sheriff Jay Varney
Sanhotena Farms
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Dotson Custom Tile
Mitch Yarrregai
Beverly Gutierrez
Big Cedar Springs
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Pediatric Associates California
Samantha Downey
Steve's Pet Shop
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Heather Hibner

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EDDIE & SUSAN MARTINAZZI
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SIERRA MEYERS
MIDLAND TRACTOR
MYERS CREEK NUBIANS
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LAURA NORMAN
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BRAD & MINDY SCHNOOR
SCOTT JACKSON FAMILY
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SMALL TOWN GENETICS
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JERILON VON FLUE
JERRY & PHYLISS WAAG
CRAIG & LISA WAAG
WESTSIDE TRUCK REPAIR
WESTWAY FEED PRODUCTS
SHERRI WIGGINS
VINCE WIGGINS
TRAVIS & TERI WRIGHT
CLARENCE & JOANNE YLARREGUI
DAVID & TRACY YLARREGUI
DAN & ANN ZIMMERMAN

JUNIOR LIVESTOCK AUCTION RULES

LIMIT: Each exhibitor will be limited to one sale animal or meat pen [rabbit/avian]. There are two exceptions to this rule: (1) Exhibitor(s) who have one or more Grand or Reserve Grand Champions. All Grand and Reserve Grand Champions must sell. (2) The exhibitors of the Grand or Reserve Grand Meat Pen of Rabbits or Avian [four exhibitors only] will also be allowed to sell a large animal if they exhibit one that qualifies for sale.

SELLING: Exhibitors of all species shall exhibit their own animals in the sales ring at the time of sale. No exceptions will be made except in extreme emergency. Exceptions must be requested in writing to the Livestock Superintendent. The responsibility for market livestock at the auction remains with the exhibitor until the transportation company moving the stock has it loaded aboard its truck. Thereafter, responsibility will rest with the transportation company for safe delivery.

WEIGHING: All sheep, swine, and goats shall be weighed upon arrival at the Fairgrounds for sale weight. All beef shall be weighed following judging for sale weight.

SALES FEE: A 5 percent sales fee will be deducted and will go to The Madera District Fair for sale cost and promotion. Any unused funds will be put into a Contingency Fund to cover losses due to uncollectible debts, animal loss reimbursement, and other costs directly related to the auction. In addition, brand inspection and meat promotion fees required by the State of California will be deducted from beef sales, an assessment for the National Pork Producers Council will be collected from each hog sale, an assessment for Lamb Promotion will be collected from lamb sales, and a photo fee of \$7.00 will be deducted from each exhibitor's check.

ANIMAL INJURY & ILLNESS: All market animals must be physically able to walk through the sale ring and be loaded onto the slaughter facility truck.

REIMBURSEMENT: A market animal that dies at the Fair or is physically unable to load on the slaughter truck after sale will be covered as a contingency loss. The owner will be paid only the amount of the prevailing resale price for that species.

If the animal is judged to have been ill or injured at the time of entry it will not be covered. There will be no contin-

gency for breeding stock injuries or illness. Fair Management will have the final decision on all contingency claims.

BUYER: Each buyer will be required to sign a sales slip showing the type of livestock, weight, and price per pound, total price, and the seller's name.

TERMS: Buyers shall pay the Madera District Fair for their purchases immediately after the sale.

SUCCESS: The success of the sale largely depends on the number of bidders that will be on hand. Therefore, it is important that effort be put forth by you, the seller, in contacting potential buyers to participate in the sale.

GRADE: The following grades will be sold:

Market Steer	Group A-B
Market Lambs	Group A-B
Market Hogs	Group A-B
Market Goat	Group A-B
Market Pen Rabbits & Avian	Group 1-2

****POLICY FOR JUNIOR LIVESTOCK CHECKS****

1. Checks will no longer be mailed to exhibitors.
2. All Auction and Bump checks must be picked up by the exhibitor or a parent.
3. Auction checks will be available beginning the Wednesday following the Fair.
4. Bump checks will be issued at the end of each month and will be available for pickup on or after the 5th of each month.
5. Bump checks will be paid and distributed to exhibitor only when there is a total of more than \$50.00 in paid bumps due, or once all bumps for an exhibitor have been collected.
6. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to make sure that Auction and Bump checks are cashed in a timely manner. Checks not collected or cashed within 90 days of issue will be charged a \$25 dollar reissue fee.

If you have any questions regarding this new policy, please feel free to contact the Fair office at 674-8511 for more information.

LIVESTOCK LOCAL RULES

A copy of the 2018 State Rules may be obtained at the Fairgrounds main office or at:

www.cdffa.ca.gov/fe/

1. All local rules apply.
2. **GENERAL:** All livestock will be under the direction of the superintendents of the livestock department. The Fair Management will in no case be responsible for any loss or damage that may occur. Each exhibitor or his representative will be solely responsible for a consequential or other loss, injury or damage to, or occasioned by or arising from an animal exhibited by him, and for its description as given in the premium list; shall indemnify the ASSOCIATION against all legal or other proceedings thereto.
3. **ELIGIBILITY:** The Junior Department is restricted to members of the Future Farmers of America, who are under the supervision of the Bureau of Agricultural Education, State Department of Education, and members of 4-H Youth groups who are under the supervision of the Cooperative Extension Service, University of California.
4. **INDEPENDENT:** Independent exhibitors not affiliated with a junior organization must enter an open junior or independent class unless one is not available. If an open junior or independent class is not available, junior exhibitors may enter appropriate FFA/4-H class. The entry form of an independent or open junior exhibitor must be signed by parent/guardian. Independent exhibitors must be 9 years of age on January 1, 2018 and may exhibit until the end of the calendar year in which they become 19. Independent junior exhibitors must own all exhibits entered 60 consecutive days (120 consecutive days for market beef or horse; 30 days for rabbit or poultry) prior to the opening date of the Fair. If, during the preparation of an exhibit an independent junior exhibitor terminates membership in a recognized junior organization, the exhibitor may not show the same type of exhibit within 60 consecutive days (120 consecutive days for market beef or horse) of the terminated membership. **Independent exhibitors of market animals must comply with State Rule VII number 19.** Independent exhibitors entering breeding animals must notify the Fair of their intent 60 days prior to opening day of the Fair. An independent junior exhibitor can show only in classes of one recognized organization in a calendar year to the extent that such classes are available.
5. **INSURANCE:** It is strongly recommended that **ALL junior exhibitors take out a liability insurance policy in order to cover themselves and their exhibits.** Liability insurance is the responsibility and at the discretion of the junior exhibitor. This insurance may be purchased from the Fair Office for \$35 per family for large animals. This coverage may also be available as part of your "ranch" insurance.
6. **ATTIRE FFA:** The official FFA show uniform to be worn by all FFA exhibitors and by helpers in individual and chapter groups while showing at fairs and livestock shows shall consist of white trousers, white dress shirt (short or long sleeved) with the FFA emblem attached to the left pocket and the official FFA four-in-hand necktie. The official FFA jacket is optional; if worn, the shirt emblem is not required. Hats or headgear of any kind shall not be worn with the official show uniform while showing. **NO SANDALS.**
7. **ATTIRE 4-H:** The official 4-H show uniform consists of white trousers, white shirt, green 4-H tie, 4-H cap for boys; white dress or white shirt and white slacks with green collar, 4-H cap for girls. Shoes or boots should enclose the foot. **NO SANDALS.**
8. **EXHIBITS:** No Animal shall be admitted or remain on the grounds that shows any evidence of any communicable disease or unsightly condition. This may include, but not limited to, ringworm, club lamb fungus, contagious ecthyma (sore mouth), prolapsed or open wounds. All exhibits must remain on display for the duration of the fair and may be removed only with written permission of the Fair management. **If an entry is removed without a release form, that exhibitor will forfeit all premiums and sale proceeds and maybe subject to further disciplinary action.** Junior livestock will be released on Sunday, September 9th, following the awards luncheon.
9. **CLEANING OF BARN AREA:** Feeding and barn cleaning must be completed by 8:00 AM. Animals, pens, and stalls must be kept groomed and in show condition at all times or they will be ineligible for consideration for premiums or special awards. (Judges please note). Due to the presence of drought conditions, use of water may be greatly curtailed by Fair management. Including but not limited to washing, cooling and other water uses in the Livestock area. **Nozzles** are required on all hoses.
10. **PASSES:** All passes for livestock will be issued at the livestock office after entry forms are checked. **ALL EXHIBITORS MUST CHECK IN BEFORE EXHIBITING LIVESTOCK.**
11. **LIMIT OF ENTRIES:** An exhibitor will be allowed to enter two large market animals (beef, goat, sheep, or swine) of any combination. However, only one animal may be sold at the auction, unless an exhibitor has one or more Grand Champions or Reserve Grand Champions. **Grand Champions and Reserve Grand Champions must sell.**
12. **MAXIMUM NUMBER OF ENTRIES:** Animals which may be entered by an individual exhibitor: Beef - 12; Dairy - 12; Swine - 12; Boer Goats - 15; Sheep - 15. An individual exhibitor may not enter more than 18 animals total (large animals). Avian, Dairy Goats and Rabbits - no limit on total number of breeding entries. See division for class limits. Meat Pens of Rabbit or Avian limited to one entry per exhibitor.
13. **WEIGH-IN:** There will be no check weights at the scale. In case of a disputed weight, exhibitor must immediately ask for reweigh. At no time will the animal in question be allowed to leave the scale area. Excessive liquid filling of animals will be discriminated against and said animal will be sifted out or disqualified for sale. No private scales will be allowed on the fairgrounds.
14. **MARKET ANIMALS:**
 - A. All market beef must be officially weighed, pictured and tagged May 6, 2018 at Producer's Livestock Auction to be eligible for the Livestock Auction.
 - B. Brand inspection is required at the beef scale. In addition a copy should be attached to the entry form.
 - C. All market sheep and goats must be officially weighed and tagged on July 7th at Madera Fairgrounds between 7 am and 11:30 am.
 - D. All market swine must be pictured and ear tagged. Instructors/leaders must file an exhibitor's list with ear tag numbers, pictures, breed and sex of animal at the Madera Fairgrounds by Monday, July 2nd. Independent exhibitors of market swine must turn in ear tags numbers and picture by July 2nd.

- E. 4-H Project Leaders & FFA Instructors must submit a list of students currently under their supervision in a poultry or rabbit project 60 days prior to the show date - on or before July 2, 2018. Independent exhibitors must notify the fair of intent to show poultry or rabbits on or before July 2, 2018.
- F. Predominant breed will be determined at the scale.
- G. Market animals exceeding the maximum weights printed in the premium book will be allowed to exhibit in a super heavy weight class. If qualified these animals may sell at the weight maximum listed for their species. **Exception: Market swine weighing in at 271 pounds or more will be sifted at the scale but will be eligible for a non- sale division & showmanship.**
- H. No premiums will be paid on any market animals.
- I. All market animal exhibitors must complete and sign a certificate of animal medication prior to exhibiting at the Fair.
- J. All market animals sold through the Junior Livestock Auction are terminal – no take home live.
- K. All market and breeding sheep and goats must have official individual identification that meets California Department of Food and Ag scrapie requirements.
- 15. **BREEDING:**
 - a. In the “All Breeds” divisions all animals in group entries must be of one breed.
 - b. Animals bred and owned by exhibitor in registered breeding classes are eligible for an additional 20% of premium earned.
 - c. Breeding animals (registered and grade) must be owned by the exhibitor for 30 consecutive days prior to the opening day of the fair.
- 16. **CLASSES:** After entries close management may combine classes with less than 3 entries or split classes deemed to have excessive numbers.
- 17. **SHOWING:** Exhibitor must show and sell their own animal. Any exception to this rule must be cleared by the exhibitor’s project leader or Ag instructor through the livestock superintendent. It is the exhibitor’s responsibility to be at the sale arena on time with their animal. Animals not in place will be passed over and not sold.
- 18. **DRUG TESTING:** Any market or breeding animal may be tested, as requested by Fair Management, for drugs and/or stress at anytime by a licensed veterinarian. Any market animal rejected for drug residues at the processing plant will be the responsibility of the exhibitor and all sale proceeds from that animal returned to the fair. All costs to dispose of rejected carcass or any other incidental costs will be incurred by the exhibitor. Auction checks will be held until animals shipped by fair have been processed.
- 19. **JUDGING:** Any interference with the judge by unauthorized personnel may result in the elimination of the exhibitor.
- 20. An exhibitor must be present and physically taking part in the fitting process. (All species).
- 21. **POST ENTRIES:** Showmanship only may be added to an existing entry form after closing date, with payment of a \$5 late fee. Horse show exhibitors see Horse Show rules for post entry information.

RULES OF CONDUCT FOR 4-H, FFA AND INDEPENDENTS

1. Lights in the barns shall be turned off at midnight, or on special occasions, at the discretion of the patrol committee of 4-H and FFA. All participants staying on the fairgrounds are to be in bed by this time, and all participants not staying on the fairgrounds shall be out of the barn area. All youth staying on the Fairgrounds must be chaperoned by an adult, 21 years old or older.
2. Lariats, bullwhips or other pieces of equipment subjecting anyone to injury shall not be used in the barns or show areas.
3. No exhibitor is to leave the grounds without permission of his instructor/leader. No cars are to be used at any time without approval of those in charge.
4. The use of tobacco in any form by any exhibitor will not be permitted while he is showing, taking part in any official activity of the show or while wearing any part of the official uniform. Smoking or the use of alcohol or drugs is not permitted in the barns or barn areas.
5. Participants who are reported as neglecting the care of their animals will be referred to the Livestock Superintendent and then reported to their instructor or leader for appropriate action.
6. Exemplary conduct is expected from exhibitors at all times. Obscene language, water fights, or rough-housing will not be tolerated at any time.
7. Exhibitors shall be in uniform while exhibiting their animals and at special presentations as requested by the livestock department.
8. Leaders and advisors in charge of exhibitors shall be responsible for their conduct at all times.
9. Anyone caught in possession of stolen items will forfeit their right to show their animal and lose all proceeds from the livestock sale.
10. Any participant who is found with firecrackers, firearms, or noisemaking nuisances in his possession will be sent home and his premiums withheld from the fair.
11. Penalties for minor violations shall be left up to the discretion of the instructors or leaders.
12. Individuals who are found by the livestock superintendent to have violated these rules shall be subjected to discipline by the fair board with the request of the show management that the individual or individuals be barred immediately from any further activity at the fair.

4-H YOUTH DIVISIONS FOREWARD

4-H youth programs are non-formal voluntary educational programs under the supervision of the Cooperative Extension Service of the University of California and the United States Department of Agriculture. They are part of Extension teaching. The projects exhibited at fairs by members of these groups are the results of their efforts under the supervision of volunteer adults. Youth enrolling must be 9 years old by December 31, 2017, and may be members until the end of the calendar year in which they become 19.

The 4-H Club livestock department is open to 4-H Club members from Madera County only. Exception: Avian, Rabbits, Dairy Goat, and specified Horse Show/Gymkhana classes

FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA FOREWARD

The Future Farmers of America is a national organization of students enrolled in high school vocational agriculture classes. The local unit is the chapter in each high school offering vocational agriculture, under the supervision of the agriculture teacher who is always the local chapter adviser. The state unit includes all chapters in the state, under the supervision of the State Department of Education as represented by the Bureau of Agricultural Education,

**MANDATORY LEADER AND
ADVISOR MEETING
All Clubs & Chapters must
have representation
TUESDAY, SEPT. 4, 2018
@7:30 PM BEEF SHOW RING**

with its headquarters at the State Education Building, Sacramento, California. The national unit is the group of associations in each state and Puerto Rico under the supervision of the Agricultural Education Division of the U.S. Office of Health, Education and Welfare, Washington, D.C.

Every Future Farmer project in livestock, fruit or crops, is a part of the practical education of the vocational agriculture student who owns it. The program includes the improvement of agricultural leading ultimately to their ownership of farms and the development of good rural citizenship. Participation of fairs and livestock shows is recognized as having educational value as well as stimulation for better results and finer projects, under supervision of the qualified chapter advisor with the cooperation of the fair management.

Limited to FFA members attending the following high schools or in Jr. High programs supervised by the following high schools: Liberty High School, Madera High School (Madera), Chowchilla Union High School (Chowchilla), Yosemite Union High School (Oakhurst), Minarets High School (O'Neals), Firebaugh-Las Deltas Unified School District (Firebaugh) located in Madera County. Exception: avian, rabbits, cavy, dairy goat, specified Horse Show/Gymkhana Classes.

7th and 8th graders may exhibit in FFA if they are enrolled in a supervised Jr. High vocational agriculture program under the local high school. All other FFA members may participate in classes when they enroll in high school vocational agricultural classes and may exhibit as members to the end of the calendar year following graduation.

SHOWMANSHIP

1. Only animals owned, fitted, and shown by the exhibitor in Junior Department livestock classes are eligible.
2. Entries in showmanship must be on the original entry.
3. NOTE: All exhibitors are required to wear the official uniform of the organization they represent. (Girls may wear slacks instead of skirts.)
4. 4-H hats must be on the exhibitor's person.

SCORECARD FOR JUDGING SHOWMANSHIP

Appearance of Animal:	40%
Condition	
Grooming and or clipping	
Cleanliness	
Appearance of Exhibitor:	10%
Showing In the Ring:	50%
Moving or leading	
Poise	
Show animal to best advantage	
Poise, alertness, and attitude	
TOTAL:	100%

ADVANCED SHOWMANSHIP

No Entry Fee No Premiums

Division 300 4-H Showmanship – 9th Grade & Up

Division 301 FFA Showmanship – 10th, 11th & 12th Grade

CLASS

1 Beef Cattle	5 Dairy Goats
2 Dairy Cattle	6 Meat Goats
3 Swine	7 Horses
4 Sheep	

JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP

No Cash Award

Ribbons Only

1st through 8th place

Exhibitors placing 1st through 3rd may advance from 4-H Junior to Intermediate and from FFA Novice to FFA Intermediate (if grade eligible)

Division 302 4-H Junior Showmanship – 4th & 5th Grades

Division 303 4-H Intermediate Showmanship 6th, 7th & 8th

Grades – (Winners participate in 4-H Intermediate Master Showmanship)

Division 304 FFA Novice Showmanship - Exhibiting for the first time no prior experience with any species

Division 305 Intermediate FFA – 7th, 8th and 9th grades

(experience with 4-H or FFA in any species). Winners participate in FFA Intermediate Master Showmanship.

CLASS

8 Beef Cattle	12 Dairy Goat
9 Dairy Cattle	13 Meat Goat
10 Swine	14 Horses
11 Sheep	

RULES FOR LARGE ANIMAL MASTER SHOWMANSHIP

1. An exhibitor may enter showmanship in multiple species but can only participate in one of the following Large Animal Master Showmanship Contests. 4H Advanced; FFA Advanced, 4H Intermediate or FFA Intermediate.
2. Top showman from each Advanced division qualify for Advanced Master Showmanship and top showman from each Intermediate division qualify for Intermediate Master Showmanship. [Exception see Rule #4]
3. Exhibitors competing in multiple species will represent the first species that they qualify in. The only exception to this rule is an exhibitor that has previously won Master Showmanship. [Exception see Rule #4]
4. A previous winner of 4H/FFA Advanced Master Showmanship or 4H/FFA Intermediate Master Showmanship at the Madera District Fair may compete again, at this level, by qualifying in a different species. An exhibitor who qualifies in an Intermediate FFA division and a Advanced 4H division must notify the livestock office which organization they will be representing.

DIVISIONS FOR ROUND ROBIN

4-H Advanced	FFA Advanced
4-H Intermediate	FFA Intermediate

RULES FOR SMALL ANIMAL MASTER SHOWMANSHIP

Friday, September 7th 2:00 p.m.

1. An exhibitor may enter showmanship in multiple species but can only participate in 4H Small Animal Master Showmanship or FFA Small Animal Master Showmanship.
2. 1st place winners in Advanced divisions of Poultry, Rabbit, Pygmy Goat, Turkey & Cavy showmanship, plus Dog Obedience will qualify. In combined 4H/FFA showmanship classes (i.e. Poultry, Turkey, Pygmy & Cavy) the highest placing FFA or 4H contestant, respectively, will qualify for their division. [Exception see Rule #3]
3. A previous winner of Small Animal Master Showmanship at the Madera District Fair may compete again by qualifying in a different species. An exhibitor who qualifies in more than one species must choose which species to represent and notify the Livestock Office at the conclusion of the small animal show.

PEE WEE SHOWMANSHIP

Open to Juniors 9 years of age and under not enrolled in 4-H.

Friday, September 7th at 12 noon

1. All animals must be shown by the exhibitor. (continued next pg.)

2. Entries shall be made on livestock entry forms provided by the Fair. Pre enter before Wednesday, Sept. 5th. The signature of a parent or guardian is required.
3. All State & Local Rules apply to these entries.
4. **All sheep and goat entries in this division must have an official USDA scrapie tag in the ear.**

Division 306 Pee Wee Showmanship

CLASS

- 15 Exhibitor 5 to 9 years old; Animal shown must be under 150 pounds
- 16 Exhibitor under 5 years old; Animal shown must be under 50 pounds

BEEF CATTLE

JUNIOR BEEF CATTLE DIVISIONS REGISTERED PUREBRED BREEDING ANIMALS

1. Beef Cattle. All females 24 (twenty-four) months of age or older at the beginning day of the fair must: a) have a calf at side; OR b) show obvious signs of pregnancy; OR c) have a veterinarian's certificate of pregnancy.
2. **NOTE:** Nurse Cows will not be permitted on Fairgrounds.

Prizes Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
\$40.00	\$35.00	\$30.00	\$25.00	\$20.00

Entry Fee: \$5.00 per entry per class

Division 307 4-H & FFA - All Other Breeds

CLASS

BULLS

Date of Calving

- 17 Junior or Senior Calf Sept. 1, 2017-May, 10, 2018
- 18 Yearling Sept.1, 2016 - Aug 31, 2017

CLASS

FEMALES

- 19 Junior Calf Jan 1, 2018 - May 10, 2018
- 20 Senior Calf Sept. 1, 2017 - Dec. 31, 2017
- 21 Summer Yearling May 1, 2017 - Aug.31, 2017
- 22 Junior Yearling Jan 1, 2017 - Apr 30, 2017
- 23 Senior Yearlings & 2 year old females
 Mar. 1, 2016 - Dec 31, 2016

GROUPS

All owned by one exhibitor and entered as individuals. All animals entered as groups must be of one breed.

CLASS

- 24 Pair of females
- 25 Produce of dam - 2 animals, any age, either sex. The Produce of one cow. Dam identified by registration number on entry.
- 26 Pair of calves - 2 calves either sex.

COW AND CALF

Premiums Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th
\$25.00	\$20.00	\$15.00	\$10.00

Entry fee \$3.00 per entry per class

Division 308 Cow and Calf Class

CLASS

- 27 Registered or Grade cows any breed born prior to March 1, 2016 with calf at side under 210 days of age.

All breeds judged together. Lactating cow with natural calf at side. Calf must be identified on entry form by tattoo number or ear tag and birth date. Registered calf meeting age requirements may also be shown in the junior calf class (preceding Division).

COMMERCIAL BEEF HEIFERS

Premiums Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th
\$25.00	\$20.00	\$15.00	\$10.00

Entry fee \$3.00 per entry per class

Special Cash awards sponsored by:
Madera County Cattlewomen Association
1st Place \$25.00, 2nd Place \$15.00 per class

Division 309 All Breeds & Crossbreeds

CLASS

- 28 Heifer Calves Sept 1, 2017 - May 10, 2018
- 29 Yearling Heifers Jan 1, 2017- August 31, 2017
- 30 Sr. Yearling – 2 yr. old March 1, 2016–Dec. 31, 2016
- 31 Pair of Females - shown in the above classes
- 32 Produce of dam

SINGLE MARKET ANIMALS

All market beef must be officially weighed, pictured and tagged May 6, 2018 at Producer's Livestock Auction to be eligible for the Livestock Auction.

DANISH SYSTEM OF JUDGING

1. It is the intent of the Division of Fairs and Expositions and of Fairs that the quality standards established for market animals be maintained. Therefore, classification will be subject to change in the event there are changes made in Federal grading.
2. All breeds judged together (name breed).
3. After weighing, market beef may be divided into weight lots within the 1000 to 1300 pound limitations as desired by management for convenience in judging. See Local Rules for exhibiting animals over the weight limitations.
4. All market beef must be individually owned by the exhibitor for 120 consecutive days prior to the opening day of the Fair.
5. A brand inspection or an out billing from a sale yard must be made out to the Exhibitor showing 120 consecutive day ownership, or a signed statement that the animal was dropped from the Exhibitor's cow and was raised by the Exhibitor.

MARKET BEEF CORECARD

MARKET READY A

Animals of superior or above average conformation with the fat deposition to Grade USDA Prime, Choice, or Select Plus Yield Grade 1 or 2.

MARKET READY B

Animals of average or below conformation with the fat deposition to Grade USDA Prime, Choice, or Select Plus. Yield Grade 1, 2, or 3.

NOT MARKET READY

Animals lacking sufficient fat deposition to produce a desirable consumer product USDA Select – or lower grade

**No premiums will be paid to market animals.
Entry fee \$5.00 per entry per class**

Division 310 4-H

Division 311 FFA

CLASS

33 Steer or Heifer 1000 to 1300 Pounds.

See Local Rules for exhibiting animals over the weight limit

SPECIAL CARCASS PREMIUMS

To recognize animals with superior cut-ability and carcass quality. To qualify the beef must be slaughtered at designated slaughterhouse and evaluated by USDA grader.

Carcass Grade	Premiums Offered Yield Grade	Premium
Choice or Prime	2.9 or less	\$35
High Select	2.5 or less	\$25
Choice or Prime	3.0 to 3.9	\$10

BEEF CONTEST

CARCASS CONTEST

Sponsored By:
Madera County Cattlemen

Objective: To recognize and reward 4-H and FFA beef projects that have superior merit when evaluated on the basis of profitability, live weight gain, and carcass worth.

Rules:

1. Animals entered must be enrolled in current 4-H club or FFA projects.
2. Animals must be weighed, photographed and permanently identified at the Producers Sale Yard- Madera, May 6th.
3. Open to all breeds and crossbreeds.
4. Steers /Heifers must be shown at the Madera District Fair and sold either through the Fair Auction or by private treaty so that they will be delivered with the Fair animals for kill at their designated slaughterhouse.
5. Two animals may be nominated, but only one can compete. Designation to be made immediately following judging of market classes at the fair.
6. Bring Brand Inspection or Bill of Sale on weigh day.

Prizes Offered

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
\$110.00	\$90.00	\$80.00	\$70.00	\$60.00

No entry fee

NOTE: All market beef must be weighed in for the Carcass Contest to be eligible for auction at the 2018 Madera District Fair.

MADERA COUNTY BRED AND FED MARKET STEER CONTEST

Sponsored By:

Madera County Cattlemen's Association
\$500.00 will be offered to the top placing
Madera County Bred and Fed Steer.

This market steer contest sponsored by the Madera County Cattlemen's Association recognizes the quality of locally bred steers grown by our agricultural youth for consumers. This educational event provides direct information to local breeders and feeders about

market steer quality in a competitive environment. By combining information gained from live evaluation of market steers in this contest with carcass contest evaluation of the steers' yield, quality, and profitability, the local livestock community can produce animals that best meet the preferences of today's consumer. This contest is open to steers only.

To be eligible for the contest at the 2018 Madera District Fair in Madera, contestants must meet all of the following criteria:

- Contestant's primary residence must be in Madera County.
- Contestant must be enrolled in either a 4-H or FFA beef project.
- Contestant must be enrolled in the Madera District Fair Beef Carcass Contest.
- Contestant's steer must have been bred by a member of a local County Cattlemen's Association. (Madera, Merced, Mariposa, or Fresno/Kings County Cattlemen's Association)
- Contestants must provide a dated certificate signed by the breeder certifying the steers location at birth. The breeder's county association affiliation along with a brand inspection and bill of sale are also required. **This information must be received by closing entry date, Tuesday, August 14th** and will be reviewed for acceptance by the Madera County Cattlemen's Association.
- Following the selection of beef market champions, entries will be shown in one class composed of both 4-H and FFA participants, all breeds and weights judged together. Selection of the winning steer will be made by the show judge.

SINGLE STOCKER AND FEEDER ANIMALS

DANISH SYSTEM OF JUDGING

All Breeds Judged Together (Name Breed)

Premiums Offered Per Class

1st Group	Prime	\$10.00
2nd Group	Choice	\$ 5.00
3rd Group	Good	No premium
4th Group	Standard	No premium

Entry fee: \$5.00 per entry per class

Champion – Ribbon

No premium award will be paid on any animal that does not meet the weight requirements of the class.

After weighing, classes may be divided for convenience in judging.

Division 312 4-H

Division 313 FFA

CLASS

34 Feeder steers or heifers 350 to 999 lbs.

CLUB OR CHAPTER GROUP

Cash Award	1st place
Ribbons	2nd & 3rd places

No entry fee

Division 314 Breeding Group

Division 315 Market Group

CLASS

4-H FFA

35 36 Three animals shown in class as specified, owned by members of one Club or Chapter. No Club or Chapter member may enter more than one animal.

DAIRY CATTLE

JUNIOR DAIRY CATTLE DIVISIONS

Registered Purebred Breeding Animals and Grade Animals or Unregistered Purebred by Registered Sire. All breeds are eligible.

Premiums Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
\$40.00	\$35.00	\$30.00	\$25.00	\$20.00

Entry Fee: \$5.00 per entry per class

Senior and Junior yearlings in milk must be shown with two-year-olds in both the individual and group classes (Note "in milk" on your entry form.)

4-H & FFA All Breeds

Division 316 4-H & FFA All Breeds - (Name Breed)

CLASS	BULLS	Date of Calving
37	Junior or Senior Calf	Sept 1, 2017 thru May 10, 2018

FEMALES

CLASS		
38	Junior Calf	Mar 1, 2018 - May 10, 2018
39	Winter Calf	Dec 1, 2017- Feb 28, 2018
40	Senior Calf	Sept 1, 2017- Nov 30, 2017
41	Summer Yearling	May 1, 2017 - Aug 31, 2017
42	Junior Yearling	Jan 1, 2017 – Apr 30, 2017
43	Senior Yearling	Sept. 1, 2016 – Dec. 31, 2016
44	Two years, under three	Sept 1, 2015 - Aug 31, 2016
45	Three years and over	Prior to Aug. 31, 2015

GROUPS

Owned by one exhibitor and entered as individuals.

46 Best Three Head - 3 animals owned by one exhibitor

BEST UDDERED COW

Ribbon only No Entry Fee

Best uddered cow, in milk, any age. To be judged on udder only and to be milked in ring if judge so desires.

DAIRY HEIFER REPLACEMENT

DANISH SYSTEM OF JUDGING

- Open to 4-H & FFA exhibitors.
- Limit one animal per exhibitor per class.
- Attach copy of Dairy Replacement heifer contract and bill of sale to entry form for class 47.

NOTE: Dairy Heifer Replacement Project rules can be obtained at 4-H office. All breeds judged together.

Grand Champion
Reserve Grand Champion

Calf Champion
Yearling Champion

Premiums Offered Per Class

1st group	2nd group
\$20.00	\$10.00

Entry Fee: \$4.00 per entry per class

Division 317 4H Dairy Heifer Replacements

Division 318 FFA Dairy Heifer Replacements

CLASS

47 Heifer calf	Mar 1, 2018 - Mar 31, 2018
48 Yearling heifer	Mar 1, 2017 - Mar 31, 2017

CLUB OR CHAPTER GROUP

Cash award for 1st place.
Ribbons for 2nd & 3rd place
No Entry Fee

Division 319 4-H Club Group

Division 320 FFA Chapter Group

CLASS

- 49 Three animals that have been shown in this division (replacement heifer), owned by members of one club or chapter. No exhibitor may enter more than one animal.

SWINE

All market swine must be pictured and ear tagged. Instructors/leaders must file an exhibitor's list with ear tag numbers and pictures at the Madera Fairgrounds by July 2, 2018.

JUNIOR SWINE DIVISIONS

- Sows, junior yearling or older, must have raised a litter of pigs to be eligible for entry.
- Gilts entered in the market or feeder hog divisions may not be entered in the breeding divisions, or vice versa. Any violation of this rule will exclude the offending exhibitor from competition in all departments of the Fair.
- Draw notching on entry form. Do not use numbers to identify notching.**

REGISTERED AND COMMERCIAL BREEDING ANIMALS

Premiums Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th
\$20.00	\$15.00	\$12.00	\$10.00

Entry Fee: \$2.50 per entry per class

Champion Sow

Res. Champion Sow

Division 321 4-H & FFA All Breeds - name breed

CLASS

SOWS

50 Junior Yearling	Jan 1, 2017 - June 30, 2017
51 Fall Pig	July 1, 2017 - Dec 31, 2017
52 January-Feb. Pig	Jan 1, 2018 - Feb 28, 2018
53 March - April Pig	Mar 1, 2018 - April 30, 2018

GROUPS

All owned by one exhibitor and entered as individuals. All animals entered as groups must be of one breed.

CLASS

- 54 Pair of Females: 2 sows

SINGLE MARKET ANIMALS

DANISH SYSTEM OF JUDGING

It is the intent of the Division of Fairs and Expositions and of Fairs that the quality standards established for market animals be maintained. Therefore, classifications will be subject to change in the event there are changes made in Federal grading.

MARKET HOG SCORECARD

GRADE

MARKET ACCEPTABLE A: U.S. No. 1 hogs of superior and above average conformation excelling in leanness, muscularity and production traits.

MARKET ACCEPTABLE B: U.S. No. 1 hogs of average conformation and U.S. No. 2 hogs that are acceptable in leanness, muscularity and production traits.

NOT MARKET ACCEPTABLE: U.S. No. 3, U.S. No. 4 and Utility grade hogs.

Entry Fee: \$5.00 per entry per class
No premiums will be paid to market animals

NOTE: After weighing market hogs may be divided into weight classes by predominant breed as desired for convenience in judging.

Name Breed

Division 322 4-H (Name breed)

Division 323 FFA (Name breed)

CLASS

55 Barrow or Gilt 215 – 270 pounds

Market swine weighing 271 lbs. and over are not eligible for the Junior Livestock Auction, but may be exhibited in Div. 325 and showmanship.

Division 324 4H/FFA Market Group

No Entry Fee

CLASS

56 Pair of market hogs – 2 market hogs owned by one exhibitor.

Division 325 Non-Sale 4-H & FFA Swine

Market swine weighing in at 271 pounds or more, and those 214 pounds or less, will be moved into this non-sale division for evaluation. (No champions in this non-sale division). Exhibitors may still participate in showmanship.

FARROWED AND FED

Special Sponsored Awards

No Entry Fee

Division 326 4-H & FFA Farrowed and Fed

CLASS

57 Market entries bred and farrowed in the exhibitors own herd and entered in the market division.

SINGLE FEEDER ANIMALS

DANISH SYSTEM OF JUDGING

All Breeds Judged Together
 (Name Breed)

No Premiums Offered

1st Group	U.S. No. 1 Grade
2nd Group	U.S. No. 2 Grade
3rd Group	U.S. No. 3, No.4, Utility and Cull

Entry Fee: \$1.50 per entry

Division 327 Feeder Animals 4-H & FFA

CLASS

58 Feeder Pigs 60 – 125 lbs.

Division 328 Club or Chapter Group

Cash awards for first place, ribbons for second and third places.

One entry per club or chapter Market.

Three animals that have been shown in classes as specified owned by members of one club or chapter. No exhibitor may enter more than one animal.

CLASS

59 4-H

60 FFA

SHEEP

All market sheep and goats must be officially weighed and tagged on July 7th at Madera Fairgrounds between 7 am and 11:30 am. Each potential market lamb or goat must have an official USDA scrapie ear tag.

JUNIOR SHEEP DIVISION

1. Flock numbers shall be used to identify all entries. Numbers shall be on regular and practical ear tags attached to the ear or tattooed in the ear.
2. Lambs must show lamb teeth.
3. **All breeding and market sheep must be enrolled in the scrapie eradication program. Each entry must have an official I.D. either USDA scrapie tag or registration tattoo.**
4. All breeding sheep must have an ear tag in the ear. Put flock tag number and USDA scrapie number on entry form. Entry forms without ear tag or scrapie tag numbers by entry closing date will be subject to a \$5 per entry fine.
5. In the Wether Type Division ewe lamb classes may be divided by weight if sufficient numbers are entered.

REGISTERED BREEDING SHEEP

(Registered purebred sheep registered with a recognized breed assoc.)

Premiums Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
\$25	\$20	\$17	\$15	\$13

Entry Fee: \$3.00 per entry per class

Champion Ram

Champion Ewe

Division 329 4-H & FFA All Breeds

CLASS

RAMS

DATE

61 Yearling or Ram Lamb Sept. 2016 - June 2018

EWES

DATE

CLASS

62 Yearling Sept. 2016 - Aug. 2017
 63 Fall Lamb Sept. 2017 - Dec. 2017
 64 Spring Lamb Jan. 2018 - June 2018

GROUPS

All owned by one exhibitor and entered as individuals. Maximum 2 entries per class per exhibitor.

- 65 Pair of Ram Lambs.
- 66 Pair of Yearling Ewes: Two yearling ewes.
- 67 Pair of Ewe Lambs: Two ewe lambs, owned by exhibitor.
- 68 Young Flock: One ram lamb and two ewe lambs owned by exhibitor.

WETHER TYPE BREEDING SHEEP

(Unregistered, grade or crossbred sheep.
Judged strictly on wether type basis)

- 1. Must be identified on original entry form with birth date and Scrapie tag number. Entries without this information will be subject to a \$5.00 per head penalty.

Premiums Offered Per Class

1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	6 th
\$22.00	\$18.00	\$15.00	\$13.00	\$11.00	\$9.00

Entry Fee: \$3.00 per entry per class

Division 330 4-H & FFA All Breeds and Crossbreds

CLASS

RAMS

DATE

- 69 Yearling or Ram Lamb Sept. 2016 – June 2018

EWES

DATE

- 70 Yearling Sept. 2016 - Aug. 2017
- 71 Fall Ewe Lamb Sept. 2017 – Dec. 2017
- 72 Spring Ewe Lamb Jan. 2018 – June 2018

GROUPS

All owned by exhibitor and entered as individuals. Maximum 2 entries per class per exhibitor.

- 73 Pair of Yearling Ewes: Owned by exhibitor
- 74 Pair of Ewe Lambs: Owned by exhibitor
- 75 Young Flock: One ram lamb & Two ewe lambs: Owned by exhibitor

SINGLE MARKET ANIMALS

DANISH SYSTEM OF JUDGING

- 1. It is the intent of the Division of Fairs and Expositions and of Fairs that the quality standards established for market animals be maintained. Therefore, classifications will be subject to change in the event there are changes made in Federal grading.
- 2. No premiums paid to market animals.
- 3. Market Lambs must be entered by predominate breed characteristics on entry form.
- 4. **All market lambs must have USDA scrapie program ear tags.**
- 5. **List scrapie ear tag number on entry form.**

MARKET LAMB SCORECARD

Market Ready A: USDA Prime or Choice with 12th rib back fat range .16 - .35, superior and above average conformation. Yield Grade 2 or 3 **Market Ready B:** USDA Prime or Choice quality with 12th rib back fat range .16 - .35, average conformation and cutability.

Not Market Ready: Good or lower quality grade with 12th rib backfat range >.16 or <.35; under finished lambs grading USDA good or lower, below-average conformation or cutability.

Entry Fee: \$5.00 per entry

NOTE: After weighing, market lambs may be divided into weight classes by predominant breed as desired for convenience in judging.

Division 331 4-H

Division 332 FFA

CLASS

- 76 Wether or ewe lamb 100 to 150 pounds. See Local Rules for exhibiting animals over weight limitations.

EXCEPTION: Southdowns 90 - 130 lbs.

Division 333 4H/FFA Market Group

No Entry Fee

CLASS

- 77 Pair of market lambs – 2 market lambs owned by 1 exhibitor

BRED & FED MARKET LAMB

No Entry Fee

Special Sponsored Award

Division 334 Bred & Fed

CLASS

4-H & FFA

- 78 Market entries bred in the exhibitors own flock and entered in the market division.

SINGLE FEEDER LAMBS

DANISH SYSTEM OF JUDGING

No Premiums Offered

1st GROUP	Fancy
2nd GROUP	Choice
3rd GROUP	Good
4th GROUP	Medium and Common

Entry Fee: \$1.50 per entry

Division 335 4H & FFA

CLASS

- 79 Feeder Lambs - 75 to 99 pounds

Market Lamb Rate of Gain and Market Ready Merit Award

Criteria for evaluation and determination of merit awards:

All market lambs having .66 pound or more rate of gain from the Madera District Fair pre-weigh date to the official fair weigh in date are eligible.

- All eligible market lambs shall be ranked one through qualifying numbers, by the highest rate of gain to minimum of .66 pounds.
- Official rate of gain ranking shall determine the points given to market lambs.
- All eligible market lambs shall return to the ring and be evaluated on market ready quality and ranked one through qualifying numbers by the official market lamb judge.
- Market Ready ranking points shall be in two point increments (i.e., 1st = 2 points, 2nd = 4 points, 3rd = 6 points).
- Top five lambs with the lowest combined total of rate of gain plus market ready points shall be determined the winners of the cash awards.
- Ties shall be broken by 1st – highest rate of gain, 2nd – highest market ready ranking.
- All eligible market lambs shall receive a merit award certificate.

CLUB OR CHAPTER GROUP

Cash award for first place
Ribbons for second and third place

Division 336 4-H Breeding Group

Division 337 4-H Market Group

Division 338 FFA Breeding Group

Division 339 FFA Market Group

CLASS

80 Three animals that have been shown in classes as specified owned by members of one Club or Chapter. No member may enter more than one animal.

LADS AND LASSIES LEAD

- Each Entrant shall provide their own sheep or make arrangements to borrow one. NO RAMS may be shown.
- Entry is open to all members of 4-H and FFA. Independents must be registered as such with this fair.
- Entries will be judged on mode of dress selected, which must be appropriate, attractive and lend elegance to the class.
- Entrants must furnish their own outfit which must be made of either 100% WOOL or a minimum of 70% WOOL and no more than 30% SYNTHETIC FIBER.
- Entrants must also provide their commentary sheet based on the qualifying event. The commentary must be typed and written in "THIRD PERSON" and must be included with the official entry form.
- Sheep must be conditioned, fitted and trained to show at halter.
- **All grooming preparation for show must be done by entrant.**
- Outfits do not have to be made by entrant.
- Ribbons will be awarded for 1st - 4th Place.
- Lads and Lassies Lead contestant must provide a sample of wool material with entry form.
- Outfits must be new to this fair.

No Entry Fee

Division 340 Lads and Lassies Lead

CLASS

81 Juniors (13 years and under)

82 Seniors (14 years and over)

LEAD CLASS SCORECARD

General Appearance	50%
Coordination of ensemble (use of wool)	
Suitability of style	
Presentation of garment	
Coordination of outfit for sheep	
Eye appeal	
Showmanship	30%
Ability to lead	
Handling of sheep	
Appearance of animal	
Personal Presentation	20%
Poise	
Gracefulness	
TOTAL	100%

GOATS PYGMY, DAIRY & BOER

AMERICAN SYSTEM OF JUDGING

All market sheep and goats must be officially weighed and tagged on July 7th at Madera Fairgrounds between 7 am and 11:30 am. Each potential market sheep/goat entry must have an official USDA scrapie ear tag.

JUNIOR GOAT DIVISIONS 4-H & FFA

1. All goats must have a legible tattoo number either in the ear or the tail web.
2. All animals are entered at the exhibitors' own risk.
3. All goats must be owned by the exhibitor for at least 60 consecutive days prior to opening day.
4. Limit 2 premiums per class.
5. The dairy and pygmy goat show is a one day show, Sept. 2nd. Exhibitors may use pens in the sheep barn for the day. Please make plans to clean out pens used before you leave the showgrounds or your premiums will be withheld.
6. Only Does may be exhibited in Dairy, and Boer goat classes.
7. Does 2 years of age or older must have freshened at least once to be eligible for show.
8. Pygmy & Dairy goat breeding classes open to exhibitors from Madera, Merced & Fresno counties. Showmanship class open to Madera County only.
9. No substitutions after August 30th 2018.

BIRTHDATES FOR REGISTERED AND GRADE DAIRY GOATS

Four and over	Prior to Dec 31, 2014
Three year old	Jan 1, 2015 - Dec 31, 2015
Two year old	Jan 1, 2016 - Dec 31, 2016
Yearling, milker	Jan 1, 2017 - Dec 31, 2017
Yearling, not in milk	Jan 1, 2017 - Dec 31, 2017
Senior Kid	Jan 1, 2018 - Feb 28, 2018
Intermediate Kid	Mar 1, 2018 - Apr 30, 2018
Junior Kid	May 1, 2018 - July 9, 2018

Prizes Offered Per Class

1st	2 nd	3rd	4th	5th
\$18.00	\$14.00	\$11.00	\$8.00	\$6.00

Entry Fee: \$2.00 per entry per class

Division 341 4H & FFA Predominate Breed

Division 342 4H & FFA 2nd Predominate Breed

Division 343 4H & FFA All Other Registered and Grade Dairy Goats

CLASS

83 Junior Kid	92 Produce of Dam – ID w/Dam Reg #
84 Intermediate Kid	93 Daughter & Dam – list ID# of daughter & dam
85 Senior Kid	94 Get of Sire – 3 does sired by same buck. At least 1 to have kidded. One entry by the same buck per exhibitor. Place sire reg. # on entry for
86 Yearlings not in milk	
87 Yearlings in milk	
88 2 year old	
89 3 year old	
90 4 years & older	
91 Best 3 Females	

4-H & FFA ALL BREEDS

CLASS

95 To be entered at the ring. Best uddered goat, in milk, any age. To be judged on udder only and to be milked in ring if judge so desires. **One award for overall Best Uddered Doe**

CLUB OR CHAPTER GROUP

Cash award for first place

No Entry Fee

Division 344 4H Club Group Dairy goat

Division 345 FFA Chapter Group Dairy Goat

CLASS

96 Three animals that have been shown in previous classes, owned by members of one chapter or club. No member may enter more than one animal.

PYGMY GOATS

Prizes Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th
\$9.00	\$7.00	\$5.00	\$4.00

Entry Fee: \$2.00 per entry per class

Division 346 4H & FFA Registered or Grade Pygmy Goats

CLASS: DOES (ages as of day of show)

- 97 Junior Kid – 3-5 months
- 98 Intermediate Kid – 6-8 months.
- 99 Senior Kids – 9-11 months
- 100 Pair of Doe Kids
- 101 Jr. Yearling – 12-17 months
- 102 Sr. Yearling-18-23 months
- 103 2&3 yr. old as of show
- 104 4yr old &older as of show
- 105 Best Pair – 2 does owned &exhibited by (1)exhibitor

CLASS: WETHERS (ages as of day of show)

- 106 Junior under 1 year
- 107 Senior over 1 year

Division 347 Pygmy Goat Showmanship (Madera Co. 4H/FFA)

No Entry Fee

CLASS

- 108 Pygmy Goat Showmanship - Mini Members (Mini members enrolled in a supervised mini member Pygmy Goat project may enter here)
- 109 4H/FFA Novice Pygmy Goat Showmanship-showing goats for the first time.
- 110 4H/FFA Pygmy Goat Showmanship

REGISTERED OR GRADE BOER GOATS

1. All breeding Boer goats registered and grade must have birthdate and scrapie tag number on original entry form. Entries without this information will be subject to a \$5 per head penalty.
2. Doe kid classes may be divided by weight if sufficient numbers are entered. (This will mean fewer classes offered.)
3. Does 2 years of age or older must have freshened at least once to be eligible for show.

Prizes Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
\$18.00	\$14.00	\$11.00	\$8.00	\$6.00

Entry Fee: \$2.00 per entry per class

NOTE: Boer Goat Show Wed. Sept. 9th

Division 348 Registered or Grade Boer Goats

CLASS

- 111 Doe – May 1, 2018 to July 1, 2018 (2 to 4 months)
- 112 Doe – Mar 1, 2018 – Apr 30, 2018 (4 to 6 months)
- 113 Doe – Dec 1, 2017 – Feb 28, 2018 (6 to 9 months)

- 114 Doe – Sept 1, 2017 – Nov 30, 2017 (9 to 12 months)
- 115 Best Pair Doe Kids (1 entry per exhibitor)
- 116 Doe – Sept 1, 2016 – Aug 31, 2017 (12 to 24 months, dry, never freshened)
- 117 Doe – Sept 1, 2016 – Aug 31, 2017 (12 – 24 months, freshened)
- 118 Doe – Born before Sept 1, 2015 (24 months & older)
- 119 Best 3 Does
- 120 Daughter & Dam

CLUB OR CHAPTER GROUP

Cash award for first place

No Entry Fee

Division 349 4-H Club Group Boer Goats

Division 350 FFA Chapter Group Boer Goats

CLASS

121 Three animals that have been shown in previous classes, owned by members of one chapter or club. No member may enter more than one animal.

SINGLE MARKET ANIMALS

DANISH SYSTEM OF JUDGING

1. It is the intent of the Division of Fairs and Expositions and of Fairs that quality standards established for market animals be maintained.
2. Market goats may be Wether or Doe kids. All males must be castrated. Market goats should be dehorned. Scurs or horn stubs no longer than 1 inch will be accepted.
3. All Market goats must be owned and cared for by the exhibitor for 60 consecutive days prior to opening day of the fair.
4. The Grand Champion and Grand Reserve Champion market goat must sell at the Junior Livestock/Small Animal Auction.
5. No premiums offered on market class.
6. **All market goats must have an official USDA scrapie program ear tags.**
7. **List scrapie ear tag on entry form.**

MARKET GOAT (CHEVON) SCORECARD

MARKET READY A: USDA Prime or Choice quality with 12th rib back fat range .08-.12 above average conformation and cutability.

MARKET READY B: USDA Prime or Choice quality with .13-.22 back fat range average conformation and cutability.

NOT MARKET READY: USDA Good or lower quality grade with 12th rib fat range <.08 or >.22. Under finished goats grading USDA Good or lower, below average conformation or cutability.

Entry Fee: \$5.00 per Entry

Champion Reserve Champion

Division 351 4-H Division Market Goats

Division 352 FFA Division Market Goats

CLASS

- 122 Market goats 60 to 105 pounds (meat type)
- 123 Market goats 60 to 105 pounds (dairy type)

Division 353 4-H & FFA Feeder Goats

CLASS

- 124 Feeder goats 45 to 59 pounds (meat type)
- 125 Feeder goats 45 to 59 pounds (dairy type)

Division 354 Bred & Fed Market Goat
Special sponsored award
No entry Fee

1. **Identify animal with scrapie tag number on original entry form.**

CLASS

126 Market entries bred in the exhibitors own herd and entered in the market division

CLUB OR CHAPTER GROUP

Cash award – First Place
No Entry Fee

Division 355 4-H Club Group

Division 356 FFA Chapter Group

CLASS

127 Three animals that have been shown in previous market classes, owned by members of one chapter or club. No member may enter more than one animal.

RABBITS

AMERICAN SYSTEM OF JUDGING
 Official A.R.B.A youth sponsored show

Glen Carr, Secretary, P.O. Box 5667, Bloomington, IL 61702

2018 ARBA Convention will be held in West Springfield, MA.

NO SUBSTITUTIONS AFTER August 30th

Rules, definitions and judging procedures as prescribed in the latest edition of the Guide Book and Standard of the American Rabbit Breeders Association, Inc., shall apply to all district and county fair rabbit shows, provided they do not conflict with any of the rules and regulations prescribed by the Department of Food and Agriculture. Rabbits will be entered, shown and judged in proper division and class for breed, variety, age and sex. All rabbits must be owned by exhibitor for a minimum of thirty (30) consecutive days.

Rabbits found to be in ill health will be refused from the show by the show committee and MUST be removed from the Fairgrounds. A list of general disqualifications and eliminations may be obtained from the Cooperative Extension Service Office in Madera.

Entries are limited to two (2) per class, per exhibitor, per division. Exception: One meat per entry per exhibitor.

All rabbits must be permanently ear marked in the animal's left ear conforming with the entry card on arrival at the show. Any duplication of ear markings, by one exhibitor, in the same division, must be eliminated and the change recorded on the judging sheet before judging. This will be a one day carry case show. Rabbits will remain in carry case except during judging.

Exhibitors are responsible for getting their animals to the judging table time. Exhibitors shall not state ownership of any animal to the judge.

All rabbits are entered at owner's risk. The Fair, employees, judges and show personnel are not responsible in any way for loss, injury or death of entries. All reasonable precautions will be taken to insure their safety.

Please pick up your judging cards before leaving. They will not be mailed.

Breeding rabbit classes open to 4-H/FFA/Independent exhibitors from Madera, Merced, Fresno, & Mariposa Counties.

Meat pen entries and showmanship classes limited to Madera County ONLY.

Exhibitors will wear the official uniform of the organization they represent.

The age in months, as of opening day of the fair, (4 months, etc.) must be entered on the entry card for each animal entered in breed divisions.

Must use special rabbit entry forms.

Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion meat pen must sell at Livestock/Small Animal Auction, Saturday, September 8th.

Exhibitor will assume full responsibility for dressing and delivery of meat pens. Payment for meat pens will be held by the fair until dressed rabbits are delivered or the buyer notifies management of alternate arrangements.

**4-H Project Leaders & FFA Instructors must submit a list of students currently under their supervision in a poultry or rabbit project 60 days prior to the show date – on or before July 2nd. Independent exhibitors must notify the fair of intent to show poultry or rabbits on or before July 2nd.

Prizes Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th
\$3.00	\$2.50	\$2.00	\$1.50	\$1.00	\$.75

Entry Fee: \$1.00 per entry per class

Market Entry Fee: \$5.00 per entry per class

No Premiums on markets

Please attach a COMPLETED Drug Form

Tattoos for meat pens & single fryers

limited to two digits per rabbit

Division 357 4-H & FFA Meat Pen - All breeds together

CLASS

128 Pen of three – consists of three (3) rabbits - all the same breed and variety. Not necessarily from same litter. Age limit not over ten (10) weeks, weight limit not over 5 ½ pounds each rabbit.

129 Single Fryer – single fryer rabbit not over 10 weeks of age. Weight limit 5½ pounds.

SCORECARD FOR LIVE JUDGING OF MEAT PEN

Meat type	45%
Condition of flesh	35%
Condition of fur	20%
TOTAL POINTS	100%

SPECIFY BREED AND CLASS NUMBER ON ENTRY FORM

Rabbits will be divided into divisions after close of entries. Breeds must have at least 12 animals entered by at least 3 exhibitors to qualify for a separate division.

All others will be shown in ALL OTHER HEAVYWEIGHTS or ALL OTHER LIGHTWEIGHTS as applicable.

HEAVY WEIGHT BREEDS 4H & FFA

Divisions 358 – 367

CLASS

- 130 Senior Buck, over 8 months of age
- 131 Intermediate Buck, over 6 months and under 8 months
- 132 Junior Buck, under 6 months of age
- 133 Senior Doe, over 8 months of age
- 134 Intermediate Doe, over 6 months and under 8 months
- 135 Junior Doe, under 6 months of age

LIGHT WEIGHT BREEDS 4H & FFA

CLASS

- 136 Senior Buck, over 6 months of age
- 137 Junior Buck, under 6 months of age
- 138 Senior Doe, over 6 months of age
- 139 Junior Doe, under 6 months of age

Division 368 4H & FFA - Fur

CLASS

- 140 Fur - Rex, Mini Rex
- 141 All other white
- 142 Satin
- 143 All other colored
- 144 Wool

One Overall Best of Show

Fur will be selected from the above 5 classes.

Division 369 Rabbit Showmanship – Madera County only No Premiums

CLASS

- 145 4-H Mini Member Exhibitor 7 – 9 years of age not in 4th grade (must be enrolled in a supervised mini member rabbit project)
- 146 4-H Junior Showmanship – 4th & 5th grade
- 147 4-H Intermediate Showmanship 6th through 8th grade
- 148 4-H Advanced Showmanship
- 149 FFA Novice Showmanship – Showing rabbits for the 1st time
- 150 FFA Showmanship

CAVY SHOW

American System of Judging

NO ENTRY FEE NO PREMIUMS

Best of Show and Best Opposite – Rosettes Ribbons to 5th place

1. All entries must be entered on the rabbit entry form.
2. All animals must be identified by permanent ear markings or ear tag conforming with the entry form on arrival at the show. Any duplication of ear markings by one exhibitor, in the same class, must be eliminated and the change recorded on the judging sheet before judging.
3. The birth date (mm-yyyy) for each animal must be on each entry form.
4. Thirty (30) day ownership is required.
5. The Fair is not responsible for the death, loss, or injury of any entry although care will be taken to protect the animal.

Division 370 All Cavy Breeds

CLASS

- 151 Senior Boar – Over 6 months of age or over 32 ounces
- 152 Senior Sow – Over 6 months of age or over 32 ounces
- 153 Jr. Boar – Minimum weight of 12 oz. & maximum weight of 22 oz. up to 4 months
- 154 Jr. Sow – Minimum weight of 12 oz. & maximum weight of 22 oz. up to 4 months

Division 371 4H/FFA Cavy Showmanship

CLASS

- 155 4H/FFA Novice Cavy Showmanship
(no previous experience w/cavy or rabbits)
- 156 4H/FFA Cavy Showmanship
(winners advance to Small Animal Master Showmanship)

AVIAN

AMERICAN SYSTEM OF JUDGING

RULES:

1. All Poultry including meat pens, waterfowl, turkeys, gamebirds, and pigeons must be health inspected upon arrival at the Fair. Health checks will be performed by a certified Poultry Health Inspector and any suspect animals will be dismissed from the Fairgrounds. All birds including meat pens must be **clean** when presented to the inspector.
The inspector's decision is final!
2. One meat pen entry per exhibitor. No limit on breeding entries. Exhibitor may receive only 2 premiums per class. All birds must be part of a supervised poultry project for a minimum of sixty (60) days and each individual owned by the exhibitor for a minimum of thirty (30) days.
3. This will be a one day carry case show. Birds will remain in carry case except during judging. **Exhibitors are expected to clean out any pens used for holding birds (e.g. turkeys in sheep pens). Failure to clean areas used will result in forfeiture of premiums and/or sale privileges.**
4. Exhibitors are responsible for getting their birds to the judging table on time. Exhibitors shall not state ownership of any bird to the judge.
5. All birds are entered at the owner's risk. The fair, employees, judges and show personnel are not responsible in any way for loss, injury or death of entries. All reasonable precautions will be taken to insure their safety.
6. All birds entered in individuals and in Best Pair classes must be identified by leg band number on the original entry form. There will be a \$2 penalty per bird for all entries without leg band numbers on entry closing date. **Any Birds without leg band numbers on Aug. 30th will be scratched from the show.**
7. Exhibitors are responsible for bringing their own birds to the health inspection table, check-in, and coop in. No adult allowed in show area. Leg bands must be in place and correspond to the entry form at check in or the bird will be eliminated. All birds will be released following showmanship.
8. Any changes on the coop card, not made by the poultry superintendent will result in elimination of that entry.
9. **A copy of the hatchery receipt or delivery invoice and a completed drug form must be attached to the entry form for meat pens. Entries without this information will be refused.**
10. This is a terminal sale all meat pens will be processed. It is the responsibility of each exhibitor to contact the Poultry Superintendent for shipping instructions.
11. Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion meat pen must sell at the Junior Livestock/Small Animal Auction.
12. Entries in the avian breeding classes are open to 4-H/FFA or Independent exhibitors from Madera, Merced, Fresno, and Mariposa Counties.
13. Meat pen entries and showmanship classes are limited to Madera County exhibitors ONLY.
14. ****4-H Project Leaders & FFA Instructors must submit a list of students currently under their supervision in a poultry or rabbit project 60 days prior to the show date – on or before July 2nd. Independent exhibitors must notify the fair of intent to show poultry or rabbits on or before July 2nd.**

AVIAN-NO SUBSTITUTIONS AFTER

August 30th

**Division 372 Poultry Showmanship – Madera County only
No Premiums Offered**

CLASS

- 157 4H Mini Member Exhibitor 7–9 years of age (must be enrolled in a supervised mini member poultry project).
- 158 4H Junior Poultry Showmanship 4th & 5th grade
- 159 4H Intermediate Poultry Showmanship 6th, 7th & 8th grade
- 160 4H & FFA Advanced Poultry Showmanship High School 4H; 7th – 12th grade FFA w/poultry experience.
(Winners qualify for Small Animal Master Showmanship)
- 161 4H/FFA Novice Turkey Showmanship – 1st time exhibitor with no previous experience w/poultry (winner does not move to Advanced)
- 162 4H/FFA Advanced Turkey Showmanship – High School 4H; 7th – 12th grade FFA w/poultry experience.
(Winners qualify for Small Animal Master Showmanship)
- 163 4H/FFA Market Chicken Showmanship (not a qualifier for Master Showmanship)

CLASS DESCRIPTIONS AVIAN

Cock	male over 1 year
Cockerel	male under 1 year
Hen	female over 1 year
Pullet	female under 1 year
Old Drake	male over 1 year
Young Drake	male under 1 year
Old Duck	female over 1 year
Young Duck	female under 1 year
Old Goose	female over 1 year
Young Goose	female under 1 year
Old Gander	male over 1 year
Young Gander	male under 1 year

Prizes Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th
\$3.00	\$2.50	\$2.00	\$1.50	Ribbon	Ribbon

Entry Fee: \$1.00 per entry per class
Market Animals: \$5.00 per entry per class
Please attach a COMPLETED Drug Form

Division 373 4H & FFA Meat Pen of Birds

CLASS

- 164 Pen of two market Chickens or Ducks same breed.
Chickens not over 10 weeks old; Ducks not over 16 weeks old.
Lightweights – 4 ½ to 6 lbs., each bird
Heavyweights – over 6 lbs., each bird
Chickens over 8 lbs. or ducks over 12 lbs. will be disqualified
- 165 One Market Turkey: over 14 lbs.; Hens not over 20 weeks old; Toms not over 24 weeks old, (suggested weights: hens 17 – 18 pounds at 20 weeks, toms 28 pounds at 20 weeks, 35 pounds at 24 weeks).
- 166 Game Birds: pen of three not over 6 months of age (quail, dove, pigeons, etc.).
- 167 Any Other Heavyweight: one animal over 5 lbs.: not over 18 weeks old (goose, pheasant, etc.).

If there are sufficient entries a Champion will be selected in each of the above classes. These Champions will compete for Overall Grand Champion Meat Pen.

4-H & FFA LARGE POULTRY

SPECIFY BREED AND

CLASS NUMBER ON ENTRY FORM

Large poultry may be divided into additional divisions (American, Asiatic, English, Mediterranean or Continental) if sufficient numbers are entered.

Please use the following abbreviations on your entry forms:

C – Cock, H – Hen, K – Cockerel, P – Pullet

Division 374 4-H & FFA All Standard Breeds

CLASS

- 168 Cock
- 169 Hen
- 170 Cockerel
- 171 Pullet
- 172 Best Pair: 1 male & 1 female or 2 females must be entered as individuals (classes 168 – 171)

4H & FFA BANTAM BREEDS (Specify breed)

Division 375 Single Comb, Clean Leg

Division 376 Other Comb, Clean Leg

Division 377 Feather Legged

CLASS

- 173 Cock
- 174 Cockerel
- 175 Hen
- 176 Pullet
- 177 Best Pair: 1 male & 1 female or 2 females must be entered as individuals (classes 173 – 176)

Division 378 4H & FFA Waterfowl (Specify breed)

Large ducks, Bantam ducks & Geese will be judged together unless there are 3 or more exhibitors of Bantam or large ducks or geese with at least 12 entries.

CLASS

- 178 Old Drake, Old Gander
- 179 Young Drake, Young Gander
- 180 Old Duck, Old Goose
- 181 Young Duck, Young Goose
- 182 Best Pair: 1 male & 1 female or 2 females entered as individuals

Division 379 4H & FFA Non Standard and Utility Birds

CLASS

- 183 Cock
- 184 Cockerel
- 185 Hen
- 186 Pullet

Division 380 4H & FFA Pigeons

CLASS

- 187 Cock – any age
- 188 Hen – any age

Division 381 4H & FFA Turkeys

CLASS

- 189 Tom
- 190 Hen

Division 382 4-H & FFA Other Poultry (Specify breed)

CLASS

- 191 All Game Birds

Division 383 Companion Bird

CLASS

- 192 Large – Parrot, African grey, Amazon, Cockatoo
- 193 Medium – Cockatiel, Conure, Hahns Macaw
- 194 Small – Lovebirds, Parrotlet, Budgie, Parakeet
- 195 Softbill – Finch, Dove, Canary

Division 384 4H & FFA Eggs

Eggs must be the property of the exhibitor, produced by his/her own hens. Exhibitors must have entries in individual poultry classes to enter this division.

CLASS

- 196 One dozen large or bantam, chicken or duck eggs

DOG

Saturday, September 1st
Age as of January 1st

1. Attach current copy of rabies vaccination to entry form.
2. Dogs (pure or mixed breed) must belong to the exhibitor or the exhibitor’s immediate family and must have been trained by the exhibitor only.
3. Open to Madera County only.

Division 385 Dog Obedience

CLASS

- 197 4-H Mini Member-Exhibitor 7 - 9 years of age, not 9 prior to 12/31/17
- 198 Junior - Exhibitors 9-12 years of age.
- 199 Senior - Exhibitors 13 years of age and over.

4H & FFA PANEL DISPLAY DIVISION

AMERICAN SYSTEM OF JUDGING
One Best of Show Ribbon

1. Panel should be livestock/horse related.
2. NO more than one entry per species per club.
3. Panel must be 4x8 plywood or other rigid material. No lattice please. To be supplied by club, (back painted), prepared to hang horizontally.
4. Panels will be displayed in Livestock area, outdoors, please no loose materials.
5. All panels **must** be designed, constructed, and displayed by club or chapter members only. Adults may only supervise.
6. Panels accepted Monday, September 3rd, through Tuesday, September 4th. All panels must be in place by 8:00 PM, September 4th.

SCORECARD FOR PANEL DISPLAYS	
Promotional Value:	
How well Ag product is promoted to public	25%
Educational Value:	
Informational value to the public through labeling and legends	30%
Effect of Ag on Consumer:	20%
Quality and Cleanliness:	15%
Decoration and Arrangement:	
Proper grouping of commodities to achieve balanced harmony	10%
TOTAL:	100%

Prizes Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd
\$25.00	\$15.00	\$10.00

Entry Fee: \$5.00 per entry per class

Division 386 4-H & FFA Panel Displays

CLASS

- | | |
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| 200 Avian | 204 Horses |
| 201 Beef | 205 Rabbits |
| 202 Dairy | 206 Sheep |
| 203 Goats | 207 Swine |

MADERA COUNTY 4H & FFA HORSE SHOW

Gymkhana – Sat. Aug. 25th, check in 8:30 AM
Horse Show – Sun. Aug. 26th, check in 8:30 AM

1. Horse showmanship Divisions 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, and 305 open to 4H Club members from Madera County and to FFA Members from Chowchilla, Madera, Firebaugh, Oakhurst, Yosemite, Minarets & Liberty High Schools and those 7th and 8th grade FFA members in a supervised vocational agricultural program.
2. Horse Show & Gymkhana classes 208– 277 open to 4-H & FFA members from Madera, Merced, Fresno, and Mariposa Counties. Horses, ponies and mules may be exhibited.
3. Riders must be sole owner of the horse, or have a long term lease on the horse. The horse can’t be in training with a professional trainer.
4. Rider must have a minimum of 120 days consecutive days possession prior to showing.
5. Proof of ownership or a copy of lease agreement must be sent in with the horse entry form and received by entry closing date. Entries received without this information will be returned.
6. All Stallions will be excluded as will all other horses considered by the management to be unsafe among exhibitors.
7. No tie downs, draw reins, or martingales allowed in trail classes. Tie downs allowed in gymkhana classes.
8. Horses 4 years old and younger may be shown in hackamore or snaffle bit.
9. No horse may be shown in any one class by more than one contestant.
10. Animals used in showmanship must be shown in another class by the same exhibitor.
11. Coaching and instructions by leaders or other adults given to a contestant during the judging of a class will result in the elimination of that contestant.
12. Entries must be made on official Horse Show entry forms and turned in to the Fair Office by the closing date.
13. **Post entries will be accepted up until the first class enters the ring each day. Post entry fee is \$5.00 per class. Entries made on day of show must be paid in cash.
14. A properly fitted equestrian safety helmet that is ASTM/SEI approved is required for all contestants in all classes.
15. Horses entered in this event may be subject to random drug testing at the discretion of the management.
16. NO DOGS are allowed at this event.
17. Place a red ribbon on your horse’s tail if your animal is a kicker.

DRESS: Official 4-H or FFA show uniform is required for showmanship and may be used in all other classes except English.

English classes require appropriate English tack, boots, and pants (jacket optional).

All other classes contestants may wear blue or black denim (Wrangler/Levi) pants with long sleeved white shirt, belt, boots, and appropriate 4H/FFA tie or scarf are required.

The classes for English, Western and Gymkhana classes will be divided as follows:

4H JUNIOR	9 – 10 years old
4H INTERMEDIATE	11 – 13 years old
4H ADVANCED	14 – 19 years old
FFA	7 th grade and above

FFA – will show in Advanced classes if no FFA class is offered.

NOVICE – Any age 4-H/FFA. Rider has never shown at a lope or canter in any 4H, FFA, breed or open show. Limited to first year showing in mounted classes, may enter walk/jog classes only.

4H and FFA divided in classes where numbers warrant.

All divisions show together in halter.

English Showmanship classes count for high point English awards but do not qualify exhibitor for Master Showmanship.

Classes with less than 5 entries may be combined.

Prizes Offered

No Premiums. Rosettes Offered 1st through 6th

Entry Fee: \$2.00 per class

Division 387 4H & FFA Horse Show

NOTE: Showmanship classes see Showmanship

Division on page 42. Check carefully as descriptions may vary from those listed above.

CLASS

- 208 Halter Mares
- 209 Halter Geldings
- 210 Advanced Bareback Equitation
- 211 Novice Walk/Jog Western Pleasure
- 212 4H Junior Western Pleasure
- 213 4H Intermediate Western Pleasure
- 214 4H Advanced Western Pleasure
- 215 FFA Western Pleasure
- 216 Novice Walk/Jog Western Equitation
- 217 4H Junior Western Equitation
- 218 4H Intermediate Western Equitation
- 219 4H Advanced Western Equitation
- 220 FFA Western Equitation
- 221 Novice Walk/Jog Western Horsemanship
- 222 4H Junior Western Horsemanship
- 223 4H Intermediate Western Horsemanship
- 224 Advanced Western Horsemanship
- 225 Novice Walk/Jog Trail
- 226 4H Junior Trail
- 227 4H Intermediate Trail
- 228 4H Advanced Trail
- 229 FFA Trail
- 230 English Showmanship – Novice/4H Junior/4H Intermediate
- 231 English Showmanship – Advanced 4H/FFA
- 232 Novice Walk/Jog English Pleasure
- 233 4H Junior English Pleasure
- 234 4H Intermediate English Pleasure
- 235 Advanced English Pleasure
- 236 Novice Walk/Jog English Equitation
- 237 4H Junior English Equitation
- 238 4H Intermediate English Equitation
- 239 Advanced English Equitation
- 240 Novice Walk/Jog English Horsemanship
- 241 4H Junior English Horsemanship

- 242 4H Intermediate English Horsemanship
- 243 Advanced English Horsemanship
- 244 4H Junior Walk/Jog Hunter Hack Ground Rails
- 245 4H Intermediate Hunter Hack
- 246 Advanced Hunter Hack

Division 388 4H & FFA Gymkhana

- 247 Junior Poles
- 248 Intermediate Poles
- 249 4H Advanced Poles
- 250 FFA Poles
- 251 Junior Bi-Rangle Stake Race
- 252 Intermediate Bi-Rangle Stake Race
- 253 4H Advanced Bi-Rangle Stake Race
- 254 FFA Bi-Rangle Stake Race
- 255 Junior Single Stake Race
- 256 Intermediate Single Stake Race
- 257 4H Advanced Single Stake Race
- 258 FFA Single Stake
- 259 Junior Big T
- 260 Intermediate Big T
- 261 4H Advanced Big T
- 262 FFA Big T
- 263 Junior Cloverleaf Barrels
- 264 Intermediate Cloverleaf Barrels
- 265 4H Advanced Cloverleaf Barrels
- 266 FFA Cloverleaf Barrels
- 267 Junior Speed Barrels
- 268 Intermediate Speed Barrels
- 269 4H Advanced Speed Barrels
- 270 FFA Speed Barrels
- 271 Junior Figure 8 Flags
- 272 Intermediate Figure 8 Flags
- 273 4H Advanced Figure 8 Flags
- 274 FFA Figure 8 Flags
- 275 Junior Water Race
- 276 Intermediate Water Race
- 277 Advanced Water Race

Hot Dog Dinner

**Tuesday Sept 4th
5 - 7 pm**



**The Dinner is open to
ALL 4-H &
FFA Exhibitors.
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