

Ozark Empire Fair Hay Show Entry

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RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Hay/haylage must be harvested in the State of Missouri in 2017.
2. Entries may be either dry hay or haylage in either small bales or large packages.
3. Exhibitors are limited to two entries per class. No more than one entry per field, per cutting, may be made.
4. Sampling of the hay will be done by the University of Missouri regional faculty or a designated person, such as FFA advisors.
5. Entries will be tested for moisture, crude protein, acid detergent fiber, neutral detergent fiber. Calculations will be made for energy values Relative Forage Quality (RFQ).
6. An entry will consist of core samples from ten bales.
7. The entries will be tested at Custom Laboratory, Golden City, MO
8. Entry fee will be \$23 per sample. Make checks payable to: Ozark Empire Fair. Send samples to Custom Lab, Golden City. Send the entry form and check to Lawrence County Extension Center, P.O. Box 388, Mt. Vernon, MO 65712.
9. Placings in each class are based entirely on the RFQ values. There is no subjective evaluation of the hay/haylage.
10. Entry deadline is July 10, 2017.
11. Ribbons and prize money will be mailed to the exhibitor after August 31, 2017.
12. An educational display of hay quality will be set up in the hay show area.

Prize Money

1st - \$20 2nd - \$15 3rd - \$15 4th - \$10 5th - \$10 6th - \$10

Ribbons awarded through 8th place.

Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion – Rosettes

Hay Classes

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| 1. Legume | 2. Cool Season Grass | 3. Warm Season Perennial Grass | 4. Grass/Legume Mix |
| 5. Summer/Winter Annual Grass | | | |

Haylage Classes

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| 1. Legume | 2. Cool Season Grass | 3. Warm Season Perennial Grass | 4. Grass/Legume Mix |
| 5. Summer/Winter Annual Grass | | | |

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Mail or deliver your entry to your University of Missouri Extension Center by July 10.

Make checks payable to the Ozark Empire Fair.

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Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone _____

Number of entries _____ @ \$23 each. Total amount enclosed \$ _____

Class number						
Type of Hay						
Variety						
Cutting Date (month/day)						
Previous Cutting Date, if 2nd or 3rd cutting						
Field Size						
Bales per Acre This Cutting						
Average Weight per Bale						
Preservative or Drying Agents Used						
Fertilizer Treatment (Total Amount)						
Most recent pH Test						