2019
Pasco County Fair Hog Committee
Show and Sale Rules

It is the exhibitor's responsibility to know, understand and abide by the stated rules

IMPORTANT DATES

1. **September 15, 2018** – 11:59 PM - Deadline for online entry. **There will be a $20.00 (non-refundable) registration fee, per exhibitor, to be submitted online. www.pascocountyfair.com** 4-H and FFA leaders may request a list of registered exhibitors after September 15, 2018 by emailing Tammy Hanlon at tammy.hanlon@gmail.com.

2. **October 1, 2018 –** 6:30 PM- **Mandatory Educational Seminar for ALL exhibitors**, in Dan Cannon Auditorium at Pasco County Fairgrounds. Parents are encouraged to attend. Please bring a copy of this rule book as well as a copy of the record book for your level. Swine Resource books will be provided for those who do not have one. All exhibitors and parents/guardians will be required to sign an Exhibitor Entry Statement noting that they have read the entire rule book and understand the rules as stated. This will be due when exhibitor's hog is tagged.

3. **November 17, 2018** – 8:00 AM -11:00 AM – Hog Tagging
   December 1, 2018 – 8:00 AM -11:00 AM – Hog Tagging
   - Rule book statement signed by exhibitor and parent/guardian. **Mandatory**
   - Swine Resource books will be provided at tagging.
   - Both tagging days are held at Pasco County Fair Grounds. One of the two days is **Mandatory.**

4. **February 10, 2019** - 2:00 PM to 4:00 PM
   - Ethics Certification turn-in. **www.floridastatefairag.com Mandatory**
   - Report Card turn-in at Higgins Hall, Pasco County Fairgrounds. **Mandatory**
   - Record Book turn in after report card has been accepted. **Mandatory**
   - Swine Skills Test at Higgins Hall, Pasco County Fairground.
   - Raffle ticket and money turn in.

5. **February 21, 2019** - 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM - Hog weigh-in at the Livestock Barn, Pasco County Fairgrounds. Mandatory exhibitor meeting at approximately 1:00 PM in the livestock arena. Sign up for Showmanship on Friday Evening must be noted on the PIG ID Card that is turned in at weigh in.
6. **February 22, 2019** – **6:00 PM Hog Showmanship. Please note this is on Friday evening and is open to all exhibitors who want to compete for showmanship.**
7. **February 23, 2019** - 8:00 AM - Hog Show will begin
8. **February 23, 2019** - 3:00 PM to 4:45 PM - Hog Buyer's Dinner, Madill Building.
9. **February 23, 2019** - 4:45 PM - Exhibitor's Awards Presentation, Livestock Barn.
10. **February 23, 2019** - 5:00 PM – Hog Sale will begin.

11. **February 24, 2019** - Clean pens and turn in thank you letters. Pen cleaning starts at 11:00 AM ends at 1:00 PM. Thank you letters starts at 12:00 PM ends at 2:00 PM. **Mandatory**
12. Exhibitor check pick-up will be announced at a later date via email. It will be sometime early May, 2019. If you fail to pick your check at the designated time and place it will be your responsibility to contact the Committee to make arrangements to pick-up your check. Checks that are not cashed within 90 days, will be voided and a reissue fee of $100.00 will be applied.

ALL REQUIRED FORMS, RULE BOOKS, RECORD BOOKS, AND GUIDELINES ARE AVAILABLE ONLINE
www.pascocountyfair.com

RULES

The Pasco County Fair Hog Committee reserves the right to amend, add to and interpret the following Rules and Regulations; and to arbitrarily settle and determine all questions and differences in regard thereto, or otherwise arising out of, connected without incident to the Fair.

1. **Terminal Market Hog Show ***. Entries must be either **barrows or open gilts** (no stags or boars).

2. All exhibitors must belong to a Youth Agricultural Organization. This organization must be a Pasco County 4-H Club, Pasco County FFA Chapter or other Pasco County youth agricultural organization. All exhibitors must be enrolled in a K-12 public, private or home school. Minimum age, as of September 1, 2018, is 8 years old.

3. Completed record book **must** be presented for an animal to be eligible to compete in the show or participate in the sale. **All record books must be in a binder (no larger than ½ inch) or a 4-H cover with exhibitor name on the outside**. **Stapled and/or paper clipped record books will not be accepted**. All exhibitors must have a **current Ethics certificate** received from the Youth Livestock Show Ethics and Animal Care Workshop. **www.floridastatefairag.com** **Mandatory.**

4. Elementary School/Junior **(grades 2-5)** – Academic Report for Elementary School Exhibitors Form. **Mandatory.**

5. Middle School/Intermediate **(grades 6-8)** – A school **issued report card** showing a minimum 2.0 GPA for the **previous semester** must be submitted. **Mandatory.**

6. High School/Senior **(grade 9-12)** – A **school issued report card**, from the most recent semester grading period, showing a minimum **cumulative** un-weighted 2.0 GPA (Grade Point Average). **Mandatory.**

7. Home School – Proof of a minimum grade point average of 2.0 or better is required to show your animal. You may substitute a report card for the Academic Report for Home Schooled Exhibitors Form. If a home schooled exhibitor wishes to compete for the GPA award, a report card from a state recognized home education program which reflects a full course load using the grading system A-F may be submitted for grades 6-12.

8. CHAPTER ANIMALS – FFA Chapter & 4H Club entries will register online with a named exhibitor. That exhibitor will be held to the same standards as individual exhibitor's qualification requirements. No substitutions once entry is tagged. Exhibitors may show only one market animal.

9. Each exhibitor (including chapter animals) may tag two animals but may only bring one animal to qualify for show and sale. **Each exhibitor must declare a #1 pig. Siblings may share 1 back up hog. If each sibling has an individual back-up pig, they must declare their back up pig at the time of tagging.** If an exhibitor shows a steer, they may not show a hog; if an exhibitor shows a hog, they may not show a steer. Exhibitors may show only one market animal. This includes chapter animals.

10. **Exhibitors will be given a Pig ID card to be used at the scales to note the exhibitor name and the tag number of pig they are showing. Pigs cannot be switched between siblings once this card is turned in when the pigs are unloaded.**

11. **ALL EAR TAGS ARE TO BE CLEANED PRIOR TO ARRIVAL AT THE FAIR* If the tag cannot be read at weigh in the pig will not be unloaded and trailer will go to the end of the line and ear tag cleaned before being unloaded. If an ear tag falls out of the hog's ear, a committee member must be notified immediately. Hogs covered with excess mud will be moved to the end of the line so the hog can be cleaned before being unloaded.**

12. **All hogs will be evaluated prior to weighing by a state certified inspector.**

    *Health Regulations; all swine consigned to the show will go directly to a state certified slaughter house. Swine may be entered for exhibition without official health certificates or movement permit provided such animals are presented at the exhibition area during hours when a state designated representative is on duty. This time will be from 8 am to 12 noon on Thursday, Feb 22, 2019.

13. **CRITERIA TO QUALIFY FOR SHOW** – Refer to the Basic Procedures of Weigh-In and Sift.
    Each hog must meet the quality grade specifications of a **USDA #1** or **USDA #2** Market Hog and have at least **average muscling**. Each hog must weigh a minimum of **236** pounds and no more than the maximum of **290** pounds to qualify for the show. All hogs must have a minimum of .30 to the maximum of 1.24 back fat. All Swine will be weighed in on the certified scales at the Fairgrounds. Each hog will be allowed to weigh only once. Exhibitor and parent or guardian must be present at weigh-in unless alternate arrangements have been made with the hog committee prior to weigh in day. (Hogs that do not meet the criteria to qualify for the show will be sent directly to slaughter).

USDA Grade Back fat thickness range	
U.S. No. 1	Less than 1.00 inch.
U.S. No. 2	1.00 to 1.24 inches.
U.S. No. 3	1.25 to 1.49 inches.
U.S. No. 4	1.50 inches and over.

Degrees of muscling
Muscle score #1 - Thin (Inferior)
Muscle Score #2 - Average
Muscle Score #3 - Thick (Superior)

"Thick" muscling moves a hog up one grade. **"Thin"** muscling will automatically **disqualify** a hog from the show.

*** ANIMALS THAT DO NOT MEET THE CRITERIA TO QUALIFY WILL NOT BE ELIGIBLE TO SHOW**.

14. **Sifting** – Refer to the Basic Procedures of Weigh-In and Sift.
    If there is a shortage in pen space after all hogs have gone thru the qualifying process an appointed **"Sifting Committee"** will sift based on current market trends. If there are open pens there will be no sift. **Animals that do not meet the criteria to qualify for show (rule 13) are not allowed to fill empty pens just because there are pens available.** (Hogs that are sifted will be sent directly to slaughter).

15. The Executive Committee and/or Sifting Committee reserve the sole right to remove any animal from the barn due to physical limitations or illness. Any such animal that exhibits inferior characteristics will be placed in a holding pen and removed from the barn at the convenience of the committee.

16. After weigh in an exhibitor meeting will begin at approximately **1:00 p.m**. in the livestock barn arena. **No** exhibitors/parents/guardians are allowed in the barn on Thursday until after exhibitors' meeting.

17. Pen placement of hogs will be determined by the barn committee as the hogs are unloaded; placement is final when the barn committee opens the barn to the exhibitors. If a hog location is changed by someone other than a committee member, that pig will be removed from the barn and the exhibitor disqualified from participating. The Hog Committee will divide entries into workable classes by weight after arrival at the Fair.

18. All exhibitors must feed and care for their animal during the Fair and are responsible for their hog until end of sale. Automatic watering towers and clip on feeders with lock down chains are authorized to stay in pens. The clip on feeders are NOT allowed to be attached to the door. No free standing feed pans/buckets, containers or personal items of any sort can be left in the pens. Items left in the pens will be removed by the Hog Committee. Hay and straw is not allowed

for pen bedding, wood shavings must be used.

19. Each and every exhibitor must be in their pen or with their animal at the show and sale to exhibit their animals. **Once the show starts no one but the exhibitor is allowed to groom their hog**. If the exhibitor is not in the pen or with their animal at the time their class is called for the show the exhibitor will be disqualified and their animal will be sold to the packer at the packer price announced at the beginning of the sale. If the exhibitor is not in the pen or with their animal at the time the animal is sold the exhibitor will be moved to the end of the sale and if they haven't shown up at that time, the animal will be sold to the packer at the packer price. There can be no substitutions of animals during the show and/or showmanship.

20. Only exhibitors will be allowed in the hog barn during the show and sale **(NO PARENTS, PROFESSIONAL FITTERS OR HANDLERS).** The barn closes 20 minutes prior to show and sale and remains closed until the end of each event.

21. **Clipping of hogs** is not a standard industry practice because it causes problems with the slaughter process. Packer/Slaughter price per pound may be discounted by the Packer/Slaughter facility for excessively clipped hogs. Discounted hogs will be fined double the discounted packer value. Show clipping (ears, tail, underline and long hair on eyes, nose and mouth) and total body clipping no less than ½" are safe accepted methods to avoid discounting.

***THE COMMITTEE SUGGESTS NO LESS THAN ½"CLIP LENGTH FOR TOTAL BODY CLIPPING.**

***THE COMMITTEE WILL NOT PERMIT CLIPPING OF ANY KIND IN THE BARN AFTER WEIGH-IN. ONLY PROFESSIONAL GROOMING PRODUCTS SHOULD BE USED. NO GLITTER IS ALLOWED!!**

22. Prior to the Sale there is a buyer's dinner beginning at 3:00 pm in the Madill Building. All exhibitors are encouraged to attend to help serve the potential buyers. Exhibitors are able to sign up after the Thursday meeting.

23. Each hog will be sold in the auction. No private treaty sales are allowed. All Sale monies will go through the Sale Committee. A 5% commission will be taken from the sale price of each hog to cover show expenses. Hog weights will not be shrunk. If add-ons are processed through the Sale Committee, a 5% commission will be deducted.

24. The Grand Champion will sell first and sets the maximum price; Reserve Champion must sell for at least $.01 (1 cent) per pound less than the Grand Champion. Remaining hogs will be sold starting with class winners, second place and all other places following and must sell for at least $.01 (1 cent) per pound less than the Reserve Grand Champion.

25. **ORIGINAL THANK YOU LETTER(s)** to your buyer(s) **MUST** be given to the Hog Committee between **12:00 PM and 2:00 PM** on Sunday February 25, 2019; **pens must be clean prior to turning in thank you letter**. Pen clean up will be between **11:00 AM and 1:00 PM. Pens that are not cleaned by 1:00 PM will be charged a $25.00 fine.** No generic form letters allowed. The committee will provide a 5x7 envelope ready for mailing and postage will be provided by the hog committee. The committee will mail the thank you letter(s) along with the sale picture to the buyer. **Mandatory. If letter is not turned in, there will be a $5.00 fine per day for every day late.**

26. It is a courtesy for exhibitors to have a Buyer's Basket for their buyer. Buyer's baskets that are not claimed by the end of the sale become the property of the Hog Committee.

27. It is expected that exhibitors help clean the arena after showmanship, the show and the sale.

The Pasco County Fair Hog Committee reserves the right to amend, add to and interpret the Rules and Regulations; and to arbitrarily settle and determine all questions and differences in regard thereto, or otherwise arising out of, connected without incident to the Fair.

The Pasco County Fair Association, Inc. does not discriminate against any person on the basis of age, race, color, sex, disability, religion or national origin.

The Pasco County Fair Hog Committee, FFA Agricultural Departments, Florida Cooperative Extension Service or the Pasco County Fair Association will not be responsible in any way for sickness or accident of any nature which might occur to the exhibitor or animals during the Pasco County Fair nor are they responsible for damage to or loss of personal property.

Any person who violates any of these rules will forfeit all privileges and can/will result in the disqualification of the exhibitor.

Herdsman Respect Policy

- The Hog Committee will treat exhibitors, parents, fellow volunteers and members of the public with respect and will expect the same in return.
- The Hog Committee will not conduct business with those who use obscenities or otherwise speak in a demanding, loud, insulting or threatening manner.
- Volatile, hostile or aggressive actions and words will not be tolerated, and individuals who engage in these activities may face penalties up to, and including, criminal prosecution.

This policy promotes mutual respect, civility and orderly conduct among all committee members, exhibitors and parents. It is intended to maintain, to the extent that is possible and reasonable, a safe, harassment-free show & sale for exhibitors, families and volunteers, that is free of disruptive, demeaning, intimidating, threatening or aggressive behaviors.

***EXHIBITORS ARE ELIGIBLE FOR THE FOLLOWING AWARDS IF THEIR HOG IS IN THE SHOW AND SALE. ALL ENTRIES ARE ELIGIBLE TO WIN RAFFLE TICKET SALES PRIZES.**

AWARDS

Swine Skills Test (Elementary, Middle, & High School)

1st Place	$75.00
2nd Place	$50.00
3rd Place	$25.00

Show

Grand Champion	Rosette, Trophy & Banner
Reserve Champion	Rosette, Trophy & Banner
Third Overall	Award****
Fourth Overall	Award****
Fifth Overall	Award****
Class Winners	Rosette & Trophy

Showmanship (Elementary, Middle, & High School)

1st Place	Rosette & Trophy
2nd Place	Rosette & Trophy
3rd Place	Rosette & Trophy

4-H Grade Point Avg. (Middle & High School)
FFA Grade Point Avg. (Middle & High School)

High School award is based on weighted cumulative GPA

1st Place	$75
2nd Place	$50
3rd Place	$25

Overall Exhibitor (Elementary, Middle, & High School)

Belt Buckle

PRIZES

Raffle Ticket Sales

1st	$100
2nd	$75
3rd	$50
Club	$100

YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW ETHICS AND ANIMAL CARE WORKSHOP

The Pasco County Fair believes that every youth exhibitor should receive proper training and information for raising and showing a youth animal project. It is important that the exhibitor understand:

- **The purpose of youth livestock projects**
- **The importance of ethics in youth livestock projects**
- **Proper animal handling and management**
- **The difference between animal welfare and animal rights**
- **Be prepared to be an ambassador for animal agriculture**

The Youth Livestock Show Ethics and Animal Care Workshop is designed to certify students to meet the MANDATORY certification requirements that will be in effect for the Pasco County Fair.

This program has been endorsed by the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services and the University Of Florida, Institute of Food Agriculture Sciences (IFAS).

The certification involves attending a 3 to 4 hour workshop presented by a Certified Ethics Trainer. All approved workshops will be posted on the Florida State Fair website www.floridastatefairag.com. The exhibitor's certification will be valid for 3 years after which the exhibitor must be recertified.

Once the trainer submits that the exhibitor has met the certification requirements the Florida State Fair will issue a letter to the exhibitor with their certification number.

If the exhibitor should misplace their certification number, they can retrieve their number by going to the Florida State Fair website www.floridastatefairag.com. Then go to the Ethics tab and enter the exhibitors name and city.

HOG EXHIBITORS will be required to list their certification number on their project record book when participating in the Pasco County Fair livestock events.

You must attend one of these ethics classes to be allowed to participate in weigh-in, show and sale. NO EXCEPTIONS!

IAFE (INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF FAIRS AND EXPOSITIONS) NATIONAL CODE OF SHOW RING ETHICS

Exhibitors of animals at livestock shows shall at all times deport themselves with honesty and good sportsmanship. Their conduct in this competitive environment shall always reflect the highest standards of honor and dignity to promote the advancement of agricultural education. This code applies to junior as well as open class exhibitors who compete in structured classes of competition. This code applies to all livestock offered in any event at a livestock show. In addition to the "IAFE National Code of Show Ring Ethics," fairs and livestock shows may have rules and regulations which they impose on the local, county, state, provincial and national levels. All youth leaders working with junior exhibitors are under an affirmative responsibility to do more than avoid improper conduct or questionable acts. Their moral values must be so certain and positive that those younger and more pliable will be influenced by their fine example. Owners, exhibitors, fitters, trainers and absolutely responsible persons who violate the code of ethics will forfeit premiums, awards and auction proceeds and shall be prohibited from future exhibition in accordance with the rules adopted by the respective fairs and livestock shows. Exhibitors who violate this code of ethics demean the integrity of all livestock exhibitors and should be prohibited from competition at all livestock shows in the United States and Canada. The following is a list of guidelines for all exhibitors and all livestock in competitive events:

1. All exhibitors must present, upon request of fair and livestock show officials, proof of ownership, length of ownership and age of all animals entered. Misrepresentation of ownership, age, or any facts relating thereto is prohibited.
2. Owners, exhibitors, fitters, trainers, or absolutely responsible persons shall provide animal health certificates from licensed veterinarians upon request by fair or livestock show officials.
3. Junior exhibitors are expected to care for and groom their animals while at fairs or livestock shows.
4. Animals shall be presented to show events where they will enter the food chain free of volatile drug residues. The act of entering an animal in a livestock show is the giving of consent by the owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer and/or absolutely responsible person for show management to obtain any specimens of urine, saliva, blood, or other substances from the animal to be used in testing. Animals not entered in an event which culminates with the animal entering the food chain shall not be administered drugs other than in accordance with applicable federal, state and provincial statutes, regulations and rules. Livestock shall not be exhibited if the drugs administered in accordance with federal, state and provincial statutes, regulations and rules affect the animal's performance or appearance at the event. If the laboratory report on the chemical analysis of saliva, urine, blood, or other sample taken from livestock indicates the presence of forbidden drugs or medication, this shall be prima facie evidence such substance has been administered to the animal either internally or externally. It is presumed that the sample of urine, saliva, blood, or other substance tested by the laboratory to which it is sent is the one taken from the animal in question, its integrity is preserved and all procedures of said collection and preservation, transfer to the laboratory and analysis of the sample are correct and accurate and the report received from the laboratory pertains to the sample taken from the animal in question and correctly reflects the condition of the animal at the time the sample was taken, with the burden on the owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or absolutely responsible person to prove otherwise. At any time after an animal arrives on the fair or livestock show premises, all treatments involving the use of drugs and/or medications for the sole purpose of protecting the health of the animal shall be administered by a licensed veterinarian.
5. Any surgical procedure or injection of any foreign substance or drug or the external application of any substance (irritant, counterirritant, or similar substance) which could affect the animal's performance or alter its natural contour, conformation, or appearance, except external applications of substances to the hoofs or horns of animals which affect appearance only and except for surgical procedures performed by a duly licensed veterinarian for the sole purpose of protecting the health of the animal, is prohibited.
6. The use of showing and/or handling practices or devices such as striking animals to cause swelling, using electrical contrivance, or other similar practices are not acceptable and are prohibited.
7. Direct criticism or interference with the judge, fair or livestock show management, other exhibitors, and breed Representatives, or show officials before, during, or after the competitive event is prohibited. In the furtherance of their official duty, all judges, fair and livestock show management, or other show officials shall be treated with courtesy, cooperation and respect and no person shall direct abusive or threatening conduct toward them.
8. No owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or absolutely responsible person shall conspire with another person or persons to intentionally violate this code of ethics or knowingly contribute or cooperate with another person or persons either by affirmative action or inaction to violate this code of ethics. Violation of this rule shall subject such individual to disciplinary action.
9. The application of this code of ethics provides for absolute responsibility for an animal's condition by an owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or participant whether or not he or she was actually instrumental in or had actual knowledge of the treatment of the animal in contravention of this code of ethics.
10. The act of entering an animal is the giving of consent by the owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or absolutely responsible person to have disciplinary action taken by the fair or livestock show for violation of this Code of Show Ring Ethics and any other rules of competition of the fair or livestock show without recourse against the fair or livestock show. The act of entering an animal is the giving of consent that any proceedings or disciplinary action taken by the fair or livestock show may be published with the name of the violator or violators in any publication of the International Association of Fairs and Expositions, including Fairs and Expositions and any special notices to members.
11. The act of entering an animal in a fair or livestock show is the giving of verification by the owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or absolutely responsible person that he or she has read the IAFE National Code of Show Ring Ethics and understands the consequences of and penalties provided for actions prohibited by the code. It is further a consent that any action which contravenes these rules and is also in violation of federal, state, or provincial statutes, regulations, or rules may be released to appropriate law enforcement authorities with jurisdiction over such infractions.

PASCO COUNTY FAIR HOG COMMITTEE
2018-2019 OFFICERS

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MR. TIM SMITH

Other parents, 4-H Leaders, agriculture teachers and hog producers are invited and encouraged to get involved with the hog project efforts. Suggestions and assistance are appreciated. Contact us if you are interested.

BASIC PROCEDURES OF WEIGH-IN AND SIFT FROM RULE BOOK

Hog Sift

Upon arrival all hogs are weighed, back fat at the 10th rib is measured & diameter of the loin is measured (only if hog is very low muscled), and last a muscle score is assigned. As the weights, measurements, and scores are taken, hogs that do not meet the criteria to qualify for the Hog Show are disqualified immediately. After all information is gathered and entered into a databases, a report that gives the number of qualifying hogs and their weight, back fat, loin measurement and muscle score is printed.

Procedures of the hog sift are based on Market trends and will be implemented only due to lack of pen space. The objective is to sift the lowest quality hogs remaining. The Sift is based on back fat measurement and/or muscle score (using the loin diameter to help establish muscle). These measurements and muscle scores are determined by a Certified Ultrasound Technician from the University of Florida who is employed by the Hog Committee.

Market trends see .6" to .8" back fat as perfect. In the event of a sift, the hog committee will use the following sifting criteria to ensure the highest quality market hog in our show.

Sift #1	1.24 to 1.00	Muscle-2	1.24	**DOWN**	**DOWN**- starting at the highest back fat number and work down to the lowest back fat number in this range.
Sift #2	1.24 to 1.00	Muscle-3	1.24	**DOWN**	
Sift #3	Under .50	Muscle-2		**LESS** to .49	**LESS** – starting at the lowest back fat number and work up to the highest back fat number in this range.
Sift #4	Under .50	Muscle-3		**LESS** to .49	
Sift #5	.99 to .90	Muscle-2	.99	**DOWN**	**DOWN** – starting at the highest back fat number and work down to the lowest back fat number in this range.
Sift #6	.99 to .90	Muscle-3	.99	**DOWN**	
Sift #7	.89 to .81	Muscle-2	.89	**DOWN**	**DOWN –** starting at the highest back fat number and work down to the lowest back fat number in this range.
Sift #8	.89 to .81	Muscle-3	.89	**DOWN**	
Sift #9	Under .60	Muscle-2		**LESS** to .59	**LESS** – starting at the lowest back fat number and work up to the highest back fat number in this range.
Sift #10	Under .60	Muscle-3		**LESS** to .59	

2019 EXHIBITOR ENTRY STATEMENT
TO BE COLLECTED AT TAGGING

1. I have read and understand, consent to, and agree to abide by the INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF FAIRS AND EXPOSITIONS CODE OF SHOW RING ETHICS.

2. I have read and understand rule #6 regarding a school issued report card from the most recent grading period, and the minimum **cumulative** un-weighted 2.0 GPA. (For high school/Senior Grades 9-12 exhibitors)

3. I have read and understand rule #9 regarding the declaration of back up pigs.

4. I have read and understand, consent and agree to abide by the Pasco County Fair Hog Committee Show and Sale Rules.

5. I have read and understand rules # 13 - minimum weight 236 and #14 regarding the criteria to qualify to show and sifting.

6. I understand that I must have a valid up to date Ethics Certificate received from the Youth Livestock Show Ethics and Animal Care Workshop.

7. I understand that my hog check needs to be cashed/deposited within 90 days of the issue date on the check. If the check is not deposited within 90 days, a reissuance fee of $100.00 will be charged.

8. Each hog must weigh a minimum of **236** pounds and no more than the maximum of **290** pounds to qualify for the show.

   Ethics Number_____

   I have not attended a State Fair Ethics Workshop or I need to recertify. I will attend on _____ Workshop date.

Exhibitor Signature _____ Date_____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____