

# 2011 Boone County Fair 4-H/FFA Swine Show

**Superintendent: Nathan Martin, Phone: 573-682-7781**

**Mandatory Swine Show Pre-Registration Deadline: Monday, May 2, 2011**

**Boone Co. Fair Entry Deadline: Wednesday, June 15, 2011**

## **Tuesday, July 19**

5:30 pm Pen Set Up

## **Monday, July 25**

7:00 pm Earliest arrival time for all swine. Check in at the Livestock Office for pen assignments **prior to unloading.**

## **Wednesday, July 27**

7:30 am All swine must be in place.

9:00-10:30 am Weigh-in all market hogs, paint brand, and ultrasound.

11:00 am Exhibitor meeting.

7:00 pm Swine Show: Breeding animals, followed by market animals.

## **Friday, July 29**

9:30 am Mandatory Exhibitor meeting for all species.

6:00 pm Livestock Auction (all hogs are released after the conclusion of the auction).

## **Saturday, July 30**

1:00 pm Mandatory meeting for all exhibitors with auction animals.

## **Swine Show Rules:**

1. **Rules listed in the General Rules section in addition to following rules will apply to the Swine Show.**
2. Exhibitors must be enrolled and a member in good standing in a 4-H Swine Project or FFA SAE program in Boone County.
3. All project animals must be owned and in the possession of the exhibitor by **Sunday, May 1, 2011.**

4. **Market class barrows and gilts must be identified by ear notches only.**
5. **The Mandatory Pre-Registration Form sent to the Boone County Extension Center by Monday, May 2, 2011.**
6. Health certificates are not required for each animal; all animals must meet the current health requirements of the Missouri Department of Agriculture, State Veterinary Health Regulations.
7. **All exhibitors must complete the required PQA III or Show Me Quality Assurance training for their age in order to be eligible to show.**
8. Exhibitors may show a **maximum of 3 head total** in the Market Classes.
9. Exhibitors may show a **maximum of 2 head** per Breeding Class.
10. Pigs born after **Dec. 1, 2010** will be eligible to show. Breeding classes will be determined by age and breed. Market classes will be determined by weight. Individual animals are not eligible for both breeding and market classes.
11. Hogs entered in the market class that weigh **less than 230 pounds** will be placed in a lightweight class, and are **not eligible for the sale or the breeding gilt class.**
12. **Production Derby Class** (this is optional and is not required to be eligible for the auction.) Special premium offered for this class by the Boone County Pork Producers.

**Guidelines:**

- **Must have the Signature of the Breeder verifying date of birth included with the Mandatory Pre-Registration Form which is due Monday, May 2, 2011 to the Boone County Extension Center.**
- Must weigh a minimum of 230 pounds at Boone County Fair weigh-in.
- A formula based as follows: 20% live score, 40% growth rate score, and 40% carcass score will be used to determine the class placing.
- Growth rate will be calculated by determining weight per day of age.
- At the Fair weigh-in, the animal's carcass traits will be measured by ultrasound to determine a carcass placing. There will be a \$5-\$10 charge per head to enter (payable at the time of check-in at the fair, not with advance entries).

- Exhibitors must be a participating member of the Boone County Pork Producers (work a shift in the food stand).
- All hogs not in the Junior Livestock Auction will be released on Thursday, July 28 at 8 a.m.
  - A Herdsmanship Award will be given. All exhibitors are expected to maintain their exhibit in a clean attractive manner. Failure to do so will result in forfeiture of premiums.
  - Pens will be assigned by the Superintendent to group Clubs or Chapters together. This will be posted in the Livestock Office.
  - Bedding will be provided.
  - Have fun and be cooperative with all other exhibitors.**

### SWINE SHOW CLASSES

#### **Instructions for entering Class Numbers on the Fair Animal Entry Form:**

#### **Breeding Classes will be listed by using a two step process:**

**Step 1:** The first part of the class number will use the following Breed ID's:

<b>WD)</b> Duroc;	<b>WB)</b> Berkshire;
<b>WH)</b> Hampshire	<b>WY)</b> Yorkshire;
<b>WS)</b> Spotted;	<b>WL)</b> Landrace;
<b>WC)</b> Chester White;	<b>WT)</b> Tamworth;
<b>WP)</b> Poland;	<b>WX)</b> Crossbreds

**Step 2:** The Breed ID is followed by one of the following breeding class numbers.

#### **Breeding Class Number:**

- 3** Purebred Boar (Dec, Jan, Feb, March)
- 4** Crossbred Gilt (Dec, Jan, Feb, March)
- 5** Purebred Gilt (Dec, Jan, Feb, March)

#### **Market Classes will be identified by the following:**

- W1 Market Hog.**
- W2 Production Derby**

**ENTRY EXAMPLE:** If you have a purebred Duroc gilt to show as breeding and a crossbred to show as a market hog, this is how you would fill out the Fair Entry Form:

Species	Animal Id	Breed	Sex	DOB	Class Name	Class Number
Swine	8-3	Duroc	F	1-25-11	Purebred Gilt	WD5
Swine	10-2	Cross	F	1-15-11	Market Hog	W1
Swine	10-2	Cross	F	1-15-11	Production Derby	W2