

Junior Fair Notes

Junior Fair Building

Still Project Displays - Members in clubs without booths can display their still projects along the east side of the Junior Fair Building in the miscellaneous area.

Projects for the Miscellaneous Booth will be accepted **Thursday, August 8 from 3-8 p.m. and Saturday, August 10, from 9 a.m.-12 p.m.** and must be signed in upon arrival.

Projects will be released on Saturday, August 17, 7-8 p.m. Exhibitors who remove projects early will not receive a premium and will not be able to exhibit a still project in 2020.

Cloverbud Booth - Clubs with Cloverbuds that do not have a booth can submit a group display for the Cloverbud Booth. Displays will be accepted in the Miscellaneous Booth on **Thursday, August 8 from 3-8 p.m. and Saturday, August 10, from 9 a.m.-12 p.m.**

Booths – Set up will be on Thursday, August 8 from 3-8 p.m. and Saturday, August 10, from 9 a.m.-12 p.m.

Booth tear down is Saturday, August 10, 7-8 p.m. only. **Projects/booths cannot be removed before 7 p.m.** Organizations that take down booths prior to 7 p.m. on Saturday forfeit this year's premium and are not eligible to have a booth in the Junior Fair Building in 2020.

Junior Fair Parade

The **Junior Fair parade will be Sunday, August 11 at 5:30 p.m.** Floats must be on the track by the 4-H horse barn by 4:30 p.m. for judging. All other parade participants should be on the track by 5:00 p.m.

Parade line-up will not be mailed out prior to the fair. Parade participants should report to the track for parade line-up at the designated time listed above and check in with Junior Fair Board.

2019 Junior Fair Rules

Junior Fair Rules, including 2019 changes, can be viewed in the Muskingum County Fair Book beginning on page 50.

The Fair Book can be downloaded from our website under [4-H Youth Development>Junior Fair](#).

Community Bank Giveaway

Community Bank will set up a tent to give away buckets to exhibitors near the Junior Fair Office Monday, August 12 from 12-2 p.m.

Barn Superintendents/ Committee Chairs

Beef:	Jim Porter
Dairy:	Pam Mitchell
Goats:	Julie Morrow
Hog:	Doug Lindsley
Horse:	Jonna Sharp
Poultry:	Peggy Anderson
Rabbit:	Christy McCandlish
Sheep:	Mark Sterling
Livestock Sale Committee Chair: Matt Bell	
Small Animal Sale Committee Contact: Christy McCandlish	

Sunday Barn Meetings

All Junior Fair exhibitors are expected to attend barn meetings.

Beef, Sheep, Dairy:	9 a.m., Coliseum, Dairy will also meet at 12:30 p.m.
Goat:	2:30 p.m., Goat Barn
Hog:	11:45 a.m., Hog Arena
Horse:	12:30 p.m., Horse Arena
Poultry:	8:30 a.m., 3 Gables
Rabbits:	4 p.m., Rabbit Barn

Dress for Show and Sale

Check your species rules in the fair book to see if you have specific attire requirements when showing your animals. We understand the fair may be hot, but you still need to represent yourself, your family, your club, and your industry in a respectable manner.

Livestock Fair Weigh-in Times

Market Lambs	1 p.m. Sunday
Market Wethers	3 p.m. Sunday
Market Hogs	7 p.m. Sunday
Market Steers	8 a.m. Monday
Feeder Calves (Beef & Dairy)	2 p.m. Wednesday

Fans

One per animal. All fans must have three prong plugs and be at least 24 inches off the ground. No surge protectors are permitted. Extension cords must be 12/3 wire with no wrapping around posts. Zanesville Fire Department will be on site to check for compliance.

Livestock Bedding

Livestock bedding - No large bark bedding is permitted, but reground fine bedding, chip bedding and straw are allowable.

Treatment of Sick Animals

Any animal on the fair grounds treated by a veterinarian other than the fair vet (Masterson's Veterinary Clinic) must be reported to the Senior Fair Office and proper paperwork completed.

Alternate Exhibitor Request Form

Each exhibitor must show and sell his/her own animals. Animals shown for judging or sale by anyone other than the exhibitor will not be allowed, except by special arrangement with the Barn Superintendents in advance. Only another Muskingum County Junior Fair exhibitor can show the animal. Exhibitors must complete the Alternate Exhibitor Request form and submit it at their species barn meeting. The form is available on our website at [4-H Youth Development>Junior Fair](#).

Showmanship Sign Ups

BEEF SHOWMANSHIP: Sign up will take place at the fair. Members must sign up in the Junior Fair Office NO LATER THAN 10:00 A.M. ON WEDNESDAY. NO EXCEPTIONS.

GOAT SHOWMANSHIP: Sign up will take place at the fair. Members must sign up in the Junior Fair Office NO LATER THAN 10:00 A.M. ON WEDNESDAY. NO EXCEPTIONS.

RABBIT SHOWMANSHIP: Sign up will take place at the fair. Members must sign up in the Rabbit Barn NO LATER THAN 11:00 A.M. ON WEDNESDAY. NO EXCEPTIONS.

POULTRY SHOWMANSHIP: Sign up will take place at the fair. Members must sign up in the Poultry Barn NO LATER THAN 10:00 A.M. ON WEDNESDAY. NO EXCEPTIONS.

SHEEP SHOWMANSHIP: Sign up at the Junior Fair Office or at Market Lamb Weigh-in during the fair. Youth MUST BE SIGNED-UP BY THE END OF MARKET LAMB WEIGH-IN ON SUNDAY OF FAIR, WHICH STARTS AT 1:00 P.M. NO EXCEPTIONS.

Livestock Sale Information

Exhibitors may sell only one lot of livestock in the animal livestock sales or Bossy's Jug. The exception to this is that all overall Grand and Reserve Grand Champions must sell. Youth with multiple projects must declare which will sell in auction at the Junior Fair Office.

Buyer Thank You Signs

All youth are encouraged hang thank you signs for 2018 buyers. Blank signs will be available during barn meetings.

Buyer Photo Change for Large Animal Sales

There will be no photographer at the large animal sales printing photos for the buyer cards this year. **Each youth with a market project is required to bring a photo to affix to their buyer card.** Buyer cards will be available at your respective barn meetings and are due with your picture attached at your species weigh-in.

The requirements for the picture are as follows:

- 4x6 photo of youth and their animal
- Landscape orientation
- Must follow showmanship dress code

Sale Buyer Contacts

In order to have successful sales, it is helpful for prospective buyers to know about the sales. Members should contact potential buyers with information about when the sales are, how a person/business can make a purchase, etc. Members should not ask the business or individual to purchase their own animal, but to invite them to support the sales.

Sale Sheets will be posted on Muskingum Livestock's Facebook page and website (muskingumlivestock.com) as they become available.

Announcements will not be made during the sale by auctioneers for the youth selling. If you want to donate a portion of their sale check to a specific person or cause, you may do so on your own time. Unfortunately, with the large number of youth selling, there is just not the time permitted to stop and make special announcements for individual youth.

Dairy Reminders

- The Junior Fair Dairy Show is Tuesday, August 13 at 9 a.m., beginning with Showmanship. Dairy exhibitors show in white shirts and white pants. We will meet in the Coliseum arena for a group photo, IN YOUR SHOW WHITES at 8:45 a.m., where we also may get instructions from the judge. Let Pam Mitchell, the barn superintendent, know if you have any questions.
- There will be a short barn meeting for just dairy exhibitors on Sunday, August 11 at 12:30 p.m. Pizza and drinks will be provided.
- Dairy exhibitors are asked to work at least one shift in the Ice Cream Barn, please contact Karen Solt (740-868-3113) if you have not already signed up.

Goat Reminders

New this Year! The Goat Dress Up Contest will include an Adult Class.

Horse Reminders

Please note that **NO ONE** is to be mounted on a horse inside the horse barns. For safety reasons, you must take your horse outside the horse barn to mount your horse.

Poultry Reminders

- Poultry will be checked in between **5 p.m. and 10 p.m. on Saturday, August 10.** Everyone must arrive during these hours only. Bring NPIP paperwork, if necessary. All birds will be checked for lice and other health conditions by the Poultry Committee.
- Exhibitors must provide their own shavings.
- Poultry Barn opens at 7:00 a.m. and closes at 10:00 p.m. daily during the fair.
- The Poultry Committee will host a Showmanship session in the Three Gables Building on Monday, August 12 at 7 p.m.

Poultry Dress Up

New this year! Poultry Committee will host a Dress Up on Thursday at 6 p.m. in the Three Gables Building.

Age Divisions:

- 8 years old and under
- Juniors (8-10 years old)
- Intermediate (11-13 years old)
- Senior (14-18 years old)
- Adult

Peewee Showmanship

New this year! Peewee Poultry Showmanship immediately after breeding show on Wednesday.

Poultry Poster Contest

Rules of Contest:

- Open to 4-H and FFA members only.
- Poster must be done on white poster board with a 3x5 card in the right corner with member's name, age and 4-H club
- Posters are to be educational and help promote the poultry industry
- Posters will be graded as follows:
 - Educational value: 40%
 - Originality: 20%
 - Creativity: 20%
 - Neatness and organization: 20%

Posters are to be turned in on Saturday of the fair as you check in and the winners will be announced at the Junior Poultry Show on Tuesday.

Cash and ribbon awards for first, second and third place in each class.

Four age group classes (ages as of Jan. 1, 2019):

- Peewee - age 5 and under
- Cloverbuds - K-2 grade
- Junior - 8 to 10 years old
- Intermediate - 11 to 14 year olds
- Senior - 15 to 18 year olds

Rabbit Reminders

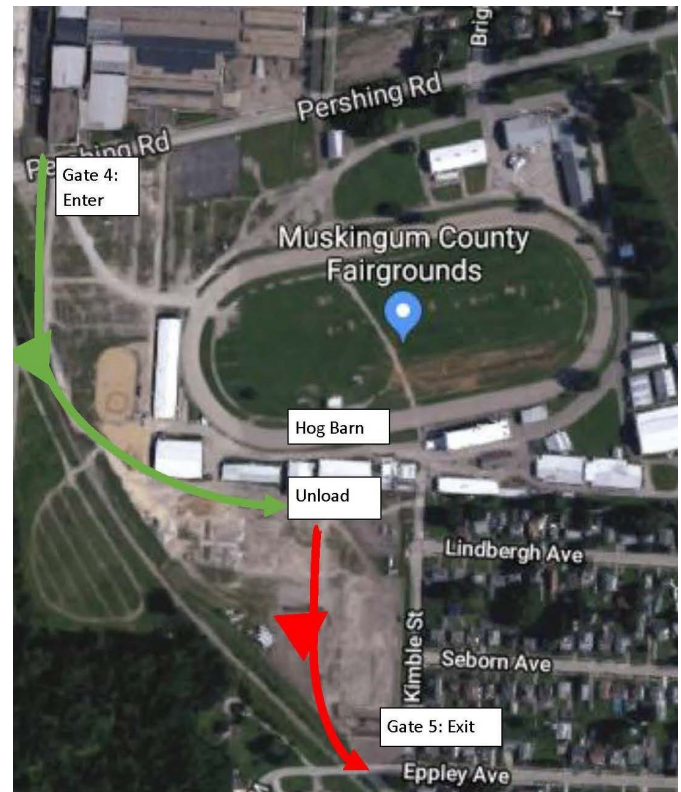
- Check-in for all rabbits is Saturday, August 10 from 11:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.
- Auction Basket Donations: We need \$5-\$10 from each club to purchase the items for the auction basket. This is the main fundraiser of the committee and we rely on donations to make it successful.
- Risers are available for \$5/each - You can bring your own and they are required in every pen. Monies provide a pizza party at the end of the week. (We do run out, so come early).
- Crocks are provided free of charge.
- Exhibitors need a white jacket/shirt during the show.
- Tack boxes are acceptable but **MUST** fit under the pens. They cannot be in the aisle. (Under 18 inches tall)
- Exhibitors must supply their own shavings.

Swine Reminders

Please pay close attention to the following details to make your arrival and participation in the swine activities during the Muskingum County Junior Fair a smooth and rewarding experience for your 4-H member.

- Arrival time: Saturday, August 10, 7:00 p.m. through Sunday, August 11, 8:00 a.m.
- Youth must unload tack and set up stalls before arrival begins on Saturday at 7 p.m. Youth will not be permitted to unload tack during the arrival window.
- Enter Fairgrounds at Gate 4 – Pershing Road.
- Exit Fairgrounds at Gate 5 – Eppley Ave.
- Refer to map for traffic flow directions.

Please refer to the map below for entrance and exit locations. As a reminder, **there will be NO charge for parking when trucks with trailers bring in livestock, but trailers must LEAVE after livestock is unloaded.**



The time for Showmanship is incorrectly listed in the Fair Book. Showmanship is Monday at 4 p.m.

The Livestock Committee would like to make sure all swine exhibitors know the following prior to their arrival at fair:

- **ALL show boxes must be stored above the exhibitors pen** on sturdy board braces provided by the exhibitor. The widest pen in the barn is 6' wide. No show boxes will be permitted in the aisle ways or outside the perimeter of the swine barn. Show boxes found anywhere but on top of the exhibitor's pen will be removed.
- Each club with swine exhibitors is asked to provide a nice hurdle to be used by hog barn volunteers during fair week.
- During the Swine Barn Meeting, each club will be asked to have at least one adult sign up to help during the shows. A volunteer/adult from each club will also be responsible for signing out and turning in the club's DUNF forms.
- Each club is asked to donate a bottle of rubbing alcohol and Pepto Bismol for use during the fair.
- No Junior Fair hogs can stay for the open show on Saturday. All hogs must leave on the Muskingum Livestock trucks after the sale.

Hog Shaving

Hog shaving/grooming (as taken from the fair book) – no "slick clipping or body shaving of market hogs except on the ears, tails and underline." Slick clipping or body shaving is defined as less than 1/2" length of hair. Only water is permitted to be sprayed on hogs on show days.

All hogs will have their hair measured prior to market hog weigh-in. Any hog with hair below 1/2" will be disqualified and sent home. All hogs in the final drive for a weight division will also have their hair measured prior to entering the show arena. Any hog with hair below 1/2" will be disqualified. Any disqualified hog will be required to stay on the grounds, but will not be permitted to sell in the Junior Fair Livestock Sale.

2019 Cattle, Goat & Sheep Routes

Reminder, Senior Fair Board established special arrival times for a few species and designated traffic patterns to help with the flow of traffic dropping off and picking up animals.

All Junior Fair cattle exhibits must arrive through Gate 6 between 12:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. on Saturday, August 10.

All Junior Fair sheep and goat exhibits must arrive through Gate 6 between 1:00 p.m. Saturday, August 10 and 8:00 a.m. on Sunday, August 11.

Senior Fair Board would like to remind everyone of arrival times for animals including those not required to be in place by 8:00 a.m. on Sunday, August 11 or dismissal times different than 7:00 p.m. on Saturday, August 17.

Junior Fair Feeder Calves and Beef Heifers have 2 options:

1. Arrive by Sunday morning, 8:00 a.m.
2. Arrive Wednesday by 10:00 a.m.

NO ARRIVALS ON MONDAY OR TUESDAY

All Junior Fair dairy heifers will be required to stay until 7:00 p.m. Saturday. Dairy cows released at 3:00 p.m. Tuesday.

All Junior Fair sheep and goat exhibits may be removed between 2:00 p.m. and 3:00 p.m. on Saturday, August 17. All sheep and goats not removed by 3:00 p.m. must remain in place until 7:00 p.m.

All vehicles picking up animals must enter through Gate 1 on Pershing Road and exit through Gate 6.

