



Wyandot County Junior Fair

P.O. Box 3, Upper Sandusky, OH 43351

January 2025

Welcome to the 2025 Wyandot County Fair. Enclosed in this packet you will find the following information to share with the members of your organization:

- 2025 Wyandot County Junior Fair Exhibitor Requirements
- Due date for Junior Fair Entries /Secretary's Office Hours
- Completion of Junior Fair Entries and Bringing Projects to the Fair
- Junior Fair Livestock Information Letter (which includes: Entries, Exhibitor Passes and Prices, Livestock Health Requirements, Check In, Exhibiting at the Fair, Junior Fair Livestock Shows, Junior Fair Livestock Sale, Complaint Process, and Incident Report)
- Showman of Showmen guidelines
- Junior Fair Leadership and Service Opportunities

All the above information will be available online at www.thewyandotcountyfair.com by mid-February. As well as Booth and Flower Judging Score sheets and Guidelines, Float Guidelines, Livestock Royalty Applications and Requirements.

2025 Fair Theme: Ridin' Ropin' & Rockin' Rollin'

Please check www.thewyandotcountyfair.com web site for any further updates or corrections. Any updates or corrections will be posted on the website and communicated to advisors. If changes occur, Jr. Fair Organizations and OSU Extension will be made aware. For official rules please refer to The Official 2025 Wyandot County Fair Premium Book available early May 2025.



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Cloverbud Information:

Entry Deadline is July 15 at <https://wyandot.fairwire.com>

- Cloverbud members under eight (8) years old by the date of the Fair are not required to have an exhibitor pass.
 - Members under eight (8) without an exhibitor pass are still eligible to display a project in the club booth and receive a participation ribbon but **will not receive a premium.**
- 4-H Cloverbud members who are 8 years old by the date of the fair, and who wish to receive a \$1.00 premium (given to their 4-H club), must have an **exhibitor pass and complete an on-line entry prior to the July 15** deadline.
 - Complete the personal information and then put "Cloverbud" in the project area.
 - Cloverbuds are not required to complete an entry form if they do not purchase an exhibitor pass.

Only Cloverbud members who have met the following requirements will earn the \$1.00 premium (given to their 4-H club):

Purchased an exhibitor's pass by August 15, 2025

Completed an online entry July 15, 2025

Displayed a project in the Cloverbud booth.

These requirements need to be completed so that checks can be issued. **4-H Cloverbuds premiums will be paid to the Club**; individual checks will not be issued.

No premium checks will be mailed.

Sincerely,

Kayla Weaver

Jr. Fair Coordinator

Audrey Thiel

Jr. Fair Data Entry Clerk

Changes for 2025

- ✓ **New release times for Sunday Sept. 14th**
- ✓ **Clean Pen Award**
- ✓ **New Premium Check process**
- ✓ **Grooming/ Chute Space Guidelines**
- ✓ **Allowance for 2 reweighs in the following departments: Swine, Sheep, Rabbits, Feeders, Steers**
- ✓ **Poultry Show is now at 8:30am on Monday**
- ✓ **Feeder Calves: If the classification of animals at check in results in too many in a class, exhibitors may choose to show up a class (dairy feeders bump to crossbred, crossbred bump to beef) rather than going home**
- ✓ **Crossbred Dairy Feeder is now it's own class at entry time**
- ✓ **Added Crossbred Dairy Steer Class**
- ✓ **Beef Feeder show is now at 12pm on Thursday**
- ✓ **Beef Breeding show is now at 10am on Thursday**
- ✓ **Simplified breeding rabbit classes**
- ✓ **Up to 10 rabbit entries can be made as long as the exhibitor is following the maximums listed in the rabbit section**
- ✓ **New Horse Classes: Driven Trail & Ground Roping**

Important Dates & Information for 2025

- ❖ **All Junior Fair Information is online at www.thewyandotcountyfair.com**
- ❖ **Junior Fair Board Nomination Forms and Assistant Forms are due **Nov. 1st online, turn in to the Sr. Fair Office, or emailed to weaver.kayla@gmail.com.****
- ❖ **Clubs participating in planting flower bed need call the office or text/call Audrey Thiel (419-310-5043) by **June 1st**. Plant by **June 15**.**
- ❖ **Enter your projects online at <https://wyandot.fairwire.com> between **May 15** and **July 15, 2025**.**
- ❖ **Jr Fair King & Queen Nominations are due **July 1st** to weaver.kayla@gmail.com or the Sr. Fair Office. Nominees will receive an online application that will be due **July 15th**.**
- ❖ **Jr Fair Livestock Royalty Application are due **July 15th** (Application will be available online or in the office)**
- ❖ **All Feeder Calves, All Market Lambs & All Market Goats must be ear-tagged at the fairgrounds **Saturday, June 7th**. All Feeder Calves will receive a vaccination on this day. (\$8 per calf) Those participating in rate-of-gain will be weighed.**
- ❖ **The 2nd vaccination needs to be administered by your vet between **July 10th & August 15th**.**

- ❖ Swine Production weigh-in is **Saturday, June 21st** at the fairgrounds.
- ❖ **All Poultry** projects need to turn in **NPIP Hatchery papers or Pullorum Testing Results online (new this year, more info to come) or at check in.**
- ❖ Purchase exhibitor's passes by **August 15th**.
- ❖ Complete Quality Assurance by **July 15** if you are taking a Market animal. (See QA paper for dates)
- ❖ Pick up Fair Pass Friday, Sept. 5, Saturday, Sept. 6, or Sunday Sept.7. **You will need your pass to enter the fair on Monday.**
- ❖ Move in Day is on Sunday! Projects/Animals need to be in place and checked in by **7:00 pm Sunday, September 7th**. Animals may not be brought to the Fairgrounds before 8:00 am Sunday. Scales are open **2:00 pm to 7:00 pm Sunday**.
- ❖ Premium monies for exhibiting in the Jr. Fair will be available **starting Friday of fair week. Hours and locations will be posted at Jr. Fair Office and listed in this packet.**
- ❖ Release day is **Sunday September 14th**.

7:00 am	Champion Trailer
7:00 - 9:00 am	Base Bid / Designated Slaughter Trucks
8:00 am	Draft Horses
9:00 am	Poultry/ Rabbits
10:00 am	Horses/ Cattle/ Goats/ Still Projects

**All items in the Beef Barn should be removed before the back to farm sale at 1pm

Jr. Fair Pass

All Jr Fair Exhibitors are required to purchase
a Jr. Fair Exhibitor Pass for

\$5.00

A Pass must be purchased by
August 15th

Passes will cost \$15.00 from August 16th to September 1st
After September 1st, the exhibitor is not eligible to show or
receive a premium check.

****Exhibitors participating in Open Class must purchase a
Jr. Open Class Pass for \$15.00 before August 15th. ****
No exhibitor needs two passes. The Jr. Open Class Pass works for
Jr. Fair Projects but not vice versa.

All Passes must be picked up at the Junior Fair Office
Friday, Sept. 5; Saturday, Sept 6 or Sun., September 7.

**You will need your pass to enter the fair on
Monday, September 8.**

****It is recommended that your organization collects money from your
members and an advisor purchases the passes all at once. If you choose to
do that please fill out the enclosed paper for Jr. Fair Passes to keep track of
the passes that need purchased. Please check with exhibitor if they are
participating in Open Class or in another organization so they get the
correct type of pass or do not purchase 2 passes. They will only be given 1
pass.**

PREMIUM MONEY

**(DOES NOT INCLUDE MONEY FROM THE SALE)
WILL BE AVAILABLE STARTING FRIDAY OF THE FAIR**

**FRIDAY: 2PM – 8PM at the Jr. Fair Office
SATURDAY: 11AM – 3PM (location TBD)
SUNDAY: 8AM – 11AM at the Jr. Fair Office**

**** NO Premium Money will be given to any
Exhibitor who did not purchase a Jr. Fair Pass or Bring a
Project to the Fair. ****

NO MONEY WILL BE MAILED

**PREMIUMS paid to Clubs
Jr Fair Booth Participation/Awards
Flower Bed Participation/Awards
Float Participation
Cloverbud Participation
Scouts Participation**

ADVISORS: Club advisors that would like to pick up premium money for their members must turn in a list, containing only members that do not plan to pick their money up themselves, to Audrey Thiel no later than Thursday of the fair at 7p.m. Advisors can pick up a packet of the premium money requested during one of the pickup times listed below.

**All Premiums must be picked up by
Sunday, September 14, 2025 at 11a.m.**

**It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to make sure that their
premium money gets picked up, but they may ask someone else to pick
it up for them if these times do not work for them.**

**(UNCLAIMED PREMIUMS WILL BE DONATED TO THE WYANDOT COUNTY JR.
FAIR)**

Completion of Junior Fair Entry Forms & Bringing Projects to the Fair

- **Entry deadline is July 15. Entries are online at <https://wyandot.fairwire.com>**
- **If you have any questions, please refer to the Official Fair Premium Book or contact the Jr. Fair Office at 419-294-4320 or wyandotcountyjuniorfair@gmail.com.**

Release of Liability: Will be online and included with your Entry.

Junior Fair Entry: Complete all the required information: Name, Birth date, Address, Phone, Club, Parents Name and Signature, etc. **Grade in school is the grade you just completed.**

Cloverbuds: Exhibits will be displayed in the Junior Fair Building. Since most Cloverbud exhibitors are under 8 years old they are not required to have the exhibitor pass. However, a \$1.00 premium will be given **only if** the exhibitor has an exhibitor pass. Each exhibitor will receive a participation ribbon. Premium checks will be issued to the club, not to individuals. Exhibits must be in place by 7:00 p.m. on Sunday, September 7.

Scouts: Troop Leaders will complete a Group Entry Form. A premium check will be issued to the Troop, not individual exhibitors. Exhibits must be displayed in the Scout Building by 7:00 p.m. on Sunday, September 7.

4-H Project Exhibitors: Must complete a 4-H project entry form online. Use the project number from the 4-H project book or the 4-H Handbook. Description is the project name. Exhibits must be in place in the Junior Fair Booth Building by 7:00 p.m. on Sunday, September 7.

4-H Gardening and 4-H Crop Exhibitors: Use the Project numbers provided online and enter a description. Bring exhibit to the Junior Fair Booth Building on Sunday, Sept 7, between 2:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. Judging will be held June 23 at Fairgrounds. Exhibitors **must be present** for judging.

Industrial Arts Exhibitors: Use the project numbers provided online. Please enter a description of the project. **Bring projects to the Culinary Building on Friday, September 5, 3:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. or Saturday, September 6 between 8:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. or Sunday, September 7, from 2:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.** Judging will be on Monday. Exhibitor need not be present for judging.

Vo-Ag Engineering, Vo-Ag Gardening and Crop Exhibitor: Use the Project numbers provided online and enter a description such as poster, cord caddy, soybeans, etc. Bring exhibit to the FFA Building on Sunday, September 7, between 2:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. The judging will be on Monday. Exhibitor needs not be present for judging.

Livestock Exhibitors. Use numbers from the "Livestock Birth Dates, Possession Dates, and Junior Fair Class numbers from the 2025 Official Fair Premium Book. **Exhibitor, Parent or Advisor must enter on-line.**

Rabbit Exhibitors: Rabbits exhibited at this year's fair must have the required birthdate, breed and tattoo information filled in on the Livestock Entry Form that is due July 15 by midnight. **Meat Pen and Fryer Rabbit exhibitors** must also submit their Livestock Entry Form by this time. The **tattoo ID and birthdate information** must be submitted to the Data Entry Department at the Senior Fair Office **by September 1** in order to exhibit. **No Exceptions. To be eligible to exhibit a Born & Raised xMeat Pen, the exhibitor must exhibit (bring to the fair) at least one parent animal from the breeding project (buck or doe).**

Horse Exhibitors: Must enter online **Horse Class Entry Form for each horse in the classes they are showing in. You may not add a class the day of the show.** Horse's **name** must be on the class form. **Horseless Horse projects** must complete a 4-H Entry Form. Mark "Poster" and enter #173-Horseless Horse in order to receive a premium. Horseless Horse projects **may not** bring a horse.

Junior Fair Entries

are open

May 15 thru July 15

Enter online at <https://wyandot.fairwire.com>

Open Class Entries

Dates are TBD. Check Premium Book for official dates.

Enter online at <https://wyandotsfo.fairwire.com>

Jr. Fair and Open Class Entries MUST be separate.

Secretary's Office Hours:

(NORMAL HOURS)

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, 8:30 am – 2:30 pm

Beginning July 14, 2024

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday 8:00 am – 4:00 pm

Beginning August 4, 2024

Monday – Friday, 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Saturday before Sr. Fair Entries Close 11:00 am – 4:00 pm

2025 Rules for Booth Judging

4-H and Scout Booths

2025 Booth Theme: Ropin' Ridin' & Rockin' Rollin' Colors: Your Choice

- The title of the theme does not have to be displayed.
 - The booth design should create or interpret some aspect of the theme in the display of projects.
- The theme colors (your choice) should be used in the booth as well as the emblem/colors that represent your club/organization.
- All Junior Fair Organizations that design a booth exhibit will receive \$20.00.
- Booths winning an award will receive an additional \$5.00.
 - A banner will be displayed in the winning booths during the Fair.

Categories for judging:

Best Display of Projects

Most Creative

Most Eye Catching

Honorable Mention (Given at the Judge's Discretion)

Booth Requirements:

- The booth theme and colors may be used in any creative way.
- The club/organization name must be displayed.
- Staples must be ½ inch or less. All staples must be removed during tear-down at the end of the fair.
- No food may be displayed in the booth including cake frosting (exception: Royal Icing).
- Exhibitors' displays should be the project exhibit that was taken to judging day (posters, scrapbooks, items of clothing, etc.).
 - **Projects must be displayed with half-sized posters** due to limited space.
- Members' projects must be displayed individually for members to receive a premium.
 - Group projects can be displayed in a group.
 - Animal projects may be displayed in groups as members' animals will be displayed in the respective livestock barns.
- Straw or other flammable materials are not permitted.
 - Nothing may be attached to front bars on the booth.

2025 Grand Parade Float Requirements

- Any Junior Fair organization may enter a float in the contest held Monday, September 8th. The Grand Parade begins at 6:15 p.m.
- Float entry forms are available at the Junior and Senior Fair Offices.
 - Clubs/Organizations must complete a float entry form and return it to the Junior Fair Office by 7:00 p.m. on Sunday, September 7 to be registered for the parade.

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- For the safety of all float participants, each Junior Fair exhibitor must be seated on the float. No standing will be allowed.
- Only Junior Fair exhibitors may ride on the float with no more than two advisors.
- No live animals are permitted on the float for safety and welfare of the animals.
- The Junior Fair Organization's name must be displayed on the float.
- Each Junior Fair Organization that constructs a float and participates in the Grand Parade will receive \$20.00.

2025 Flower Bed Contest

Sponsored by The Wyandot County Senior Fair Board

Would your club like to participate in a project to beautify the Fairgrounds?

This is an opportunity for a "Community Service" Project for your group!

Each participating club will receive \$25.00 if their score is above 80 points, and \$10 if their score is below 80 points.

Clubs have the chance to win one of the prizes awarded.

First place receives \$50 and second place receives \$35.00.

Deadline to enter is June 1

Flowers must be planted by June 15

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Colors: Your Choice

If interested, please text or call Audrey Thiel: 419-310-5043

When you call:

- An area will be assigned to your club. The area must be planted by June 15.
- You will receive a copy of the score sheet, so you know how the judges will score each flowerbed (included in packet).
 - Each planting area must contain a combination of annual and perennial flowers.
 - Flower beds will be checked twice a month and *must be cared for through the entire summer.*
- **Important: Please call by June 1 to confirm the same location if you participated last year.**
- Please call by June 1 if you **do not plan** to maintain a flower bed in an assigned area this year. The area will be assigned to another group if you do not participate.

***More Flower Beds Are Available for TLC!**

Call And Reserve one for your Club today!!!

2025 Junior Fair Livestock Information Letter

- You are able to exhibit at the Wyandot County Fair if you are a **member in good standing** with your Junior Fair organization, have **purchased an Exhibitor Pass**, and have **made a Junior Fair entry**.

Interview judging will be held at the discretion of your Jr. Fair organization.

All guidelines, rules, and requirements are listed in the Official Fair Premium Book. For more detailed information, please refer to this book. Also available online at www.thewyandotcountyfair.com.

Entries

- Please complete Junior Fair entry on-line at <https://wyandot.fairwire.com>
- **Entry site is open May 15, 2025 and closes July 15, 2025.**
- A separate entry must be completed for each animal in all departments. The only exceptions are **meat pens of rabbits** and **pens of poultry**.
- A Release of Liability is required to be signed by each exhibitor. This form is included with your on-line entry.
- **Junior Fair on-line entry must be submitted by July 15, 2025 by midnight.**
- **1 week grace period for entries and a \$50 late fee for EACH ENTRY. Manual entry will be made by the Jr. Fair. Grace period ends July 24 AFTER THE GRACE PERIOD - NO ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED!**
- If you are unable to bring your animal to the fair because it is sick, has died, is too unruly, etc., you must display a poster and attend interview judging to be eligible to receive a premium.
 - Your livestock entry form should be marked "**Poster**" and list the department (beef, horses, rabbits, etc.).
 - The poster will need to be "**checked in**" at the respective department during species check-in on Sunday, September 7, between 2:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.

Exhibitor Passes and Prices

- Every exhibitor must have an exhibitor pass. Pass prices are:
 - \$5.00 for Junior Fair exhibitors **OR** \$15.00 for a Youth Season Ticket for Junior Fair exhibitors also showing in Senior Fair Open Classes
 - \$30.00 for advisors

Livestock Health Requirements

- Please see rules and regulations in the Official Fair Premium Book.
- Health papers are not required for in-state animals.
- A certificate of Veterinary Inspection (Health Paper) is required for animals from out-of-state.
- Exhibitors are responsible for any drug residue in all market animals. A drug use notification form (DUNF) must be completed for all Junior Fair market livestock.
 - Exhibitors are advised to check for medications in their animals' feed that may require a withdrawal time.
 - Tranquilizers are considered illegal drugs and are not acceptable.
- If exhibitors have any concerns about whether or not your animal is healthy, they should have the animal examined by a veterinarian prior to arriving at the Fair.
- An animal inspection will be Sunday, September 7 as animals enter the Fairgrounds. A veterinary inspection will also be conducted on Monday morning, September 8.
 - All animals must be in their assigned pens and **without body coverings such as**

blankets and hoods.

- The Wyandot County Fair reserves the right to dismiss an animal based on the nutritional and wellbeing per the recommendation of the majority vote of the Wyandot County Fair Vet., Advisory Board Department Head, Jr. Fair Coordinator, Sr. Fair Board and the President of the Sr. Fair Board or the Executive/Representative.
- Any decision made by the Fair Veterinarians and the Judges will be final.

Feeder Calves

- All feeder calves must be tagged on June 7th at the fairgrounds.
- A certificate of Vaccination is required for feeder calves. This can be filled out by a veterinarian at the time of vaccination and does require a visual inspection of the animals within **30 days** of the fair.
- All feeder calves are required to receive 2 vaccinations for IBR, BVD, BRSV, P13, and Pasteurella. A veterinarian will give the first official vaccination on weigh-in/tagging day June 7th. The second vaccine must be given by a veterinarian between July 10 and August 15. Your veterinarian must sign your Certificate of Vaccination and list the date the vaccine was administered. Certificates will be passed out to exhibitors on June 7th.
- All feeder calf projects will be required to present their Certificate of Vaccination to the Department Advisors at weigh-in.
- Male feeder calves must be castrated on or before July 15, 2024. Any feeder calf with evidence of testicular tissue at Sunday night check-in (September 7, 2025) will be **disqualified** and will not receive premium.
- All feeder calves must be properly dehorned with regrowth of 1in. or less.
- All cattle must be free of ringworm and warts. Any animal with these diseases will have to be removed from the fairgrounds.

Swine

- Swine will not need a pseudorabies virus test unless from out of state. **If a hog was purchased from out-of-state it must be tested for pseudorabies.**

Horses

- A certificate of Vaccination is required for horses. This can be filled out by a veterinarian at the time of vaccination and does not require a visual inspection of the animals within 30 days of the fair.
- Horses must be vaccinated by a veterinarian for equine influenza between March 1 and August 31 of 2025. The vaccination for Rhinopneumonitis is administered at the discretion of the horse's owner. Proof of vaccination will be a completed Certificate of Vaccination. **This Certificate must be presented to the Horse Department Advisor at check in.**

Sheep & Goats

- All Market Sheep and Market Goats must be tagged June 7th at the fairgrounds.
- All sheep and goats must have an official USDA Scrapie ID tag or tattoo. Tattooed animals must be accompanied by official Scrapie documentation.

Rabbits & Poultry

- Any rabbits or poultry exhibiting common diseases such as mites, cankers, etc. will have to be taken home. To prevent this, exhibitors may have animals checked prior to arrival at the fairgrounds. Rabbits and poultry will be examined when they arrive at the fair or soon after.
- Poultry must be hatched from an NPIP hatchery or from a state certified Pullorum-Typhoid Tested Flock, or be tested with a certified Pullorum test prior to September 1. **All poultry over one year old must be tested with a certified Pullorum test prior to September 1.**
 - Pullorum tests are performed at the owner's expense.
- Documentation NPIP form and hatchery form must be turned in **through a new google form or at Sunday check in.**

Check In

- Check In/Scales open - Sunday, September 7 from 2 p.m to 7:00 p.m. All livestock must be in place by 7:00 p.m.
- No animal may arrive before 8:00 a.m. on Sunday, September 7 and may have to forfeit its premium, may be graded in its stall or pen, may be ineligible from entering the show ring, may be ineligible for county awards, and/or may be prohibited from selling in the Junior Fair Livestock Sale.
- When bringing in livestock please enter through the front entrance to the Fairgrounds (SH 53) and leave through the gates at the back of the Fairgrounds (CH 50).
 - Please exit the grounds with livestock trailers immediately upon unloading.
 - **If there is an emergency and you will be late to check in, inform the Junior Fair Coordinator, Kayla Weaver (567-232-1921).**
 - The most congestion occurs between 5:00 and 7:00 p.m. Please take this into consideration when planning your arrival time.
 - All exhibits, supplies, etc. shall be in place by 7:00 p.m. on Sunday, September 7. Barns will close at this time.
- Unless the Junior Fair Office is notified beforehand, **any animal arriving after 7:00 p.m. will be considered a late entry.** The animal will be graded in its stall or pen, receive an A, B, or C grade, and be ineligible for county awards and prohibited from selling in the Junior Fair Livestock Sale.

Exhibiting at the Fair

- Exhibitors are responsible for their animals from check-in throughout the course of the fair, until release time. (Sunday September 14)
- Junior Fair animals are exhibits; people walk through the barns to look at the livestock. Therefore, exhibitors are expected to keep animals, pens, and aisles clean and presentable.

Stall/Pen Assignments

- All species departments will make stall assignments which will be posted Saturday, September 6 by 11:30 a.m. in the respective barns. You may bed your stall/pen after that time. No Gates will be allowed until Sunday after 7:00 p.m. and all animals are in place.

Feed, Bedding, and Supplies

- Feed is not furnished. Not all departments furnish bedding (see exceptions below). Exhibitors must supply these items.
 - **Horses:** Sawdust bedding for Junior Fair horses and ponies will be provided by the Wyandot County Horse Committee. There will be a mandatory \$10.00 charge per horse which will be collected by 4-H/FFA advisors at the time Junior Fair entries are completed. Sawdust payment is required to show. No sawdust or straw bedding brought in by Junior Fair exhibitors will be permitted.
 - **Rabbits:** Shavings are provided for \$3.00 per pen. All rabbit exhibitors must pay this fee at the time of check in Monday evening. No sawdust or straw bedding brought in by Junior Fair exhibitors will be permitted.
- **Stalls and pens may not be used as storage space for feed, bedding, or supplies.**
- The Sheriff's Department will allow vehicles to enter the Fairgrounds each day until 10:00 a.m. to bring feed, straw, hay, etc. Exhibitors must display a fair pass to enter and vehicles must be removed immediately after delivery.
 - Poultry exhibitors must bring their own shavings/bedding on a daily basis due to the shortage of storage space in the poultry barn.
- Hoses used for washing must be returned to show boxes.
- Nipple waterers are prohibited from use on the fairgrounds. Other than swine according to swine guidelines.

*****New** Grooming/ Chute Space Guidelines***

- No chutes, stands, tents or supplies are permitted on the fairgrounds before Saturday before check-in at 8:00a.m. This includes markings on the ground or stakes and/or ropes of any kind.
- Only chutes and grooming supplies should be in grooming areas. Please use reasonable judgement – department personnel may ask you to remove items not used in caring for or grooming livestock.
- Exhibitors should plan to bring their own power – our buildings and electric are not equipped to handle the demand.
- In an effort to have room for everyone, we ask that exhibitors limit their space to only what is necessary – partner up with friends/family/club members when possible.
- Consequences of violating these guidelines will be based on severity and frequency of violations to include: verbal warning, written warning, loss of privileges to bring tents and/or grooming chutes to the Wyandot County Fair.

Junior Fair Livestock Shows

- Please refer to the Official Fair Premium Book for times and dates of livestock species shows. Available online at www.thewyandotcountyfair.com

Junior Fair Dress Code

This is a requirement for show and sale: Exhibitor must wear a full button-up shirt (no polos), to be buttoned from bottom to at least two buttons from the collar and tucked in for all shows/sale. No pants/jeans with holes. Judges will be informed of the dress code. Exhibitors will not be permitted to enter the show/sale ring without wearing appropriate attire. ***Dress code may vary by department***, so exhibitors should check the Official Fair Premium book for special requirement for their species. Available online at www.thewyandotcountyfair.com.

Showmanship Classes

Livestock exhibitors are encouraged to enter showmanship class competitions. In showmanship the focus is on the exhibitor and how they handle their animal, knowledge of the species, appearance, attentiveness, ability to follow directions, etc.

- Exhibitors do not need to list showmanship on their entry form but should check the bulletin board in their department to see if a “sign-up” is required.
- The exhibitor’s age on January 1 of 2025 will determine the showmanship class that exhibitor will participate in.
- Showmanship classes and requirements are listed in the Official Fair Premium book.
- Showmanship winners have the option to move up to the next group. Exhibitors may only win each age division once.

Ohio’s Livestock Show Reform Act and Ohio Department of Agriculture Exhibition Rule: 901-19-31 Responsibilities of and Assistance to Jr Fair Exhibitors

Care, Grooming, and Preparation of Livestock

- Junior Fair livestock exhibitors are responsible for the continuous care, grooming, and preparation of their livestock.
- An exhibitor may receive assistance in the care, grooming, and preparation of their animals during the Junior Fair livestock show, provided that assistance is limited to explanation or minimal demonstration provided by the following:
 - Family members
 - Household members
 - Advisors or adult volunteers in the exhibitor’s club or county
 - Vo-Ag instructors
 - Extension educators
 - Department representatives
 - Members of the exhibitor’s 4-H Club, FFA chapter, or other organization
 - Veterinarians
- Any person not specified above who provides assistance to a Junior Fair exhibitor shall register in writing with the Junior Fair Board. It is the exhibitor’s responsibility to register their assistants. An assistant may register to help more than one exhibitor. Failure to register constitutes grounds for disciplinary action against the exhibitor.
- **Visit the Jr Fair Office or see department head for Registration paperwork.**

Junior Fair Livestock Sale

The sale will be held Saturday, September 13 beginning at 9:00 a.m. in the Junior Fair Arena. **Back to the farm** sale will begin at Sunday, September 14, 1:00 pm in the Arena.

- Sale Order: Steers, Lambs, Hogs, Dairy Feeders, Beef Feeders, Goats, Gallon of Milk, Rabbits, and Poultry/Eggs.
- The purpose of this sale is to provide a marketing opportunity for small and large animals and animal products. All animals must have been exhibited in the Junior Fair show to be eligible to sell.
- The Sale Committee may refuse to accept animals that are sick or not in compliance with rules in the Official Fair Premium Book.
- Exhibitors may sell **one time only** in the sale, including the gallon of milk. If an exhibitor has more than one Grand Champion or Reserve Grand Champion, they are required to sell each Grand Champion or Reserve Grand Champion.
- The **Grand Champion** and **Reserve Grand Champion** of each species are required to sell in the Junior Fair Livestock Sale, with the exception of beef and dairy beef feeder calves.
- Exhibitors will be allowed to change an earlier sale choice by 11:59 p.m. on Thursday, if and only if a subsequent project wins a Grand Champion title.
- Junior Fair exhibitors planning on selling their animals or participate in the gallon-of-milk

sale must complete a sale entry form Sunday at Check in.

- The decision to sell an animal cannot be reversed/changed *unless* an exhibitor's animal wins a Grand Champion or Reserve Grand Champion. There will be a limit of two times through the sale with a Champion.
 - In this situation, the first project signed to sell may sell base bid or be taken home.
- All lambs and hogs will sell as pairs except for Champions and Reserve Champions.
- In case an animal fails to receive a bid it remains the property of the exhibitor.
- Deductions to cover sale expenses are
 - All livestock: 3%
 - All Division Champions and Reserve Division Champions: 4%
 - All Grand Champions and Reserve Grand Champions: 5%
- Exhibitors may not decorate themselves or their animals, other than special awards shown or exhibited during the current fair. Junior Fair Department Royalty for this year's Fair may wear sash and/or crown, but only in the department they represent. The current year's Junior Fair King and Queen may wear their sashes and/or crowns to sell any species at this year's fair only. This is at the discretion of the Sale Committee.
- Junior Fair exhibitors are responsible to have their animals in the sale ring at the time they are to be sold. They are also responsible for returning their animals to the barn in the proper stall or pen and remain responsible for their animals until species release time. Buyers assume risks for animals following release times.
- Donations will be accepted following the sale of the gallon of milk. These contributors will be recognized at the sale. Anyone else may still donate and be listed and thanked in a newspaper ad provided the 3 percent commission has been paid to the sale committee.
- If an exhibitor wishes to donate all or some of their sale proceeds from the Junior Fair Livestock sale to a charitable organization, they must obtain a Charitable Contribution Intent Form (CCIF) from the Senior Fair Office. The completed CCIF must be submitted to the Senior Fair Secretary by 5:00pm 10 days prior to the sale.
- Special Charitable donations will not be announced during the sale and cannot be solicited on the fairgrounds during the week of the fair.
- **Buyer's Note:** All sales must be paid for within 48 hours of the Sale *or* a definite settlement arrangements must be made with the clerk before leaving the Arena. Shipping instructions must be put on the bill at the time of settlement. Exhibitors' checks will be held until all buyers' payments have been received.
- All calves sold at base bid must be paid in full before leaving the Fairgrounds property. Family members must pay for any livestock purchased.
- Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion hogs, beef, sheep, and goats will be tagged immediately following champion selection.
 - These animals will be slaughtered at a Senior Fair Board designated slaughterhouse. These animals must be slaughtered with procedures to be followed as specifically directed by the Senior Fair Board, and either ODA or USDA will inspect the carcasses.

Complaint Process

Protests regarding any Junior Fair competition shall be put into writing and submitted to the Junior Fair Coordinator no later than 12:00 p.m. (noon) the day following the competition. A party making a protest must submit a fee of \$75.00 to the Junior Fair Board. See the Official Fair Premium Book for details.

Incident Report

Incident Report forms are available in the Junior and Senior Fair Offices. If an animal gets injured or dies, or if a project is lost, a report should be filed.

Thank You

Thank you for participating in the 2025 Wyandot County Fair. Wyandot County boasts one of the best county fairs in the state of Ohio. We are proud of the important role you play to ensure the success of our Fair. If you have any questions, please contact your advisor, the Department Advisors, the Junior Fair Coordinators, or any of the Directors of the Senior Fair Board.

- Senior Fair Office: 419-294-4320

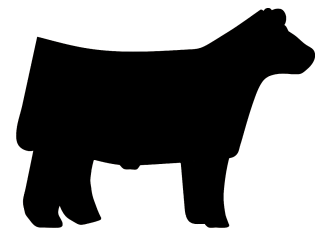
Sincerely,

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Beef Exhibit

- Livestock Birth Dates, Possession Dates, and Jr. Fair Classes for the 2025 Wyandot County Fair
- Steers must be in the exhibitor's possession by December 15, 2024.
 - Exhibitors must participate in tagging/weigh-in day in December.
 - **New** All market beef will have 2 ear tags. If an ear tag falls out, you must notify the Jr Fair Coordinator immediately (Kayla Weaver, 567-232-1921, weaver.kayla@gmail.com) if both tags are missing animal is ineligible to be exhibited at the wyandot county fair.**
 - **At December Tagging/weigh in Steers will be checked by vet for evidence of testicular tissue. Steers have until August 15 to have no evidence of testicular tissue and be noted by Veterinarian on the health certificate.**
 - Steers taken to the Ohio State Fair must also be in the exhibitor's possession by December 15, EID ear tag number and hair sample must be sent to the Ohio State Fair by January 15.
 - The premium an exhibitor receives will be based on the grade the animal receives in the show ring.

Exhibiting at the Fair

- Drug Use Notification Forms must be completed and turned in at check-in on Sunday, September 7th.
- Stall space is not to be used to store hay, straw, feed, or supplies.
- Beef Breeding judging at 10:00a.m. Thursday September 11th.
- Beef Feeder judging 12:00p.m. Thursday September 11th.
- Market Beef, Crossbred Steer and Dairy Steer judging will be held Thursday September 11th at 5:00p.m. (showmanship will take place at the start of the show)

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Market and Breeding Class Rules

- All market animals must be properly dehorned with 1in. of regrowth or less.
- Market heifers and heifer feeder calves cannot show in breeding classes.
- Market heifers **must not be bred.**
- No paint will be allowed on animals.
- No generators, radios, or music is permitted in the wash rack area.
- All market beef animals will show by weight class only.
- A Beef steer or heifer is a steer or heifer with only beef breeding.
- A Crossbred steer is a cross between any dairy and beef breeds.
- A Dairy steer is a steer with dairy breeding. The following are recognized dairy breeds:
 - o Holstein, Jersey, Guernsey, Brown Swiss, Ayrshire, and Milking Shorthorn.
 - o All recognized purebred dairy and crosses within the previously mentioned recognized dairy breeds only will be allowed.
- A Team of 3rd party evaluators will be present at Sunday night check in to determine breed eligibility of ALL market steers. The decision that is made by the evaluators is final. Any market steers determined to be entered in the wrong class at check-in will be moved to the appropriate class provided the exhibitor does not exceed the limit for MARKET BEEF / BEEF BREEDING in that class. If an exhibitor exceeds the entry limit (2) for a class, excess animals will not be permitted to be exhibited.
- Market beef minimum weight is 900 pounds. Animals under this weight will not be considered for

awards.

- o Market beef weighing within 10lbs of 900lbs are allowed 2 reweighs prior to 7:00 p.m. during check-in.

Junior Fair Classes

Market Beef Classes

- Market Steer
- Market Heifer
- Market Dairy Steer
- Market Crossbred Steer

Breeding Beef Classes

- Junior Heifer Calf (born January 1, 2025 or after)
- Senior Heifer Calf (born September 1 to December 31 of 2024)
- Summer Yearling Heifer (born May 1 to August 31 of 2024)
- Junior Yearling Heifer (born January 1 to April 30 of 2024)
- Senior Yearling Heifer (born September 1 to December 31 of 2023)

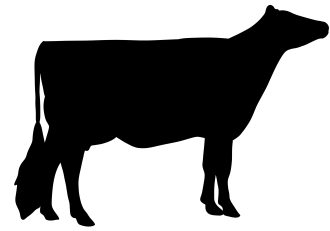
*****Beef Showmanship - Beef Feeders will show separate from the Market Beef/Beef Breeding (ages for both will be as follows)**

- Junior (ages 8-13)
- Senior (ages 14-18)

Dairy Steer/ Crossbred Steer Showmanship

- Junior (ages 8-13)
- Senior (ages 14-18)

Dairy Exhibit



- The premium an exhibitor receives will be based on the grade the animal receives in the show ring.

Exhibiting at the Fair

- Drug Use Notification Forms must be completed and turned in at check-in on Sunday, September 7.
- Stall space is not to be used to store hay, straw, feed, or supplies.
- Cows in milk can go home after the show except the Champion of Champion, which must remain for the week.
- The Dairy show will be held Monday, September 8 at 10:00 am.

Dairy Department Dress Code

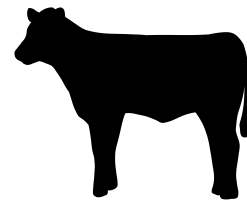
This is a requirement for show and sale: Exhibitors must wear a white full button-up shirt (no polos), to be buttoned from bottom to at least two buttons from the collar and tucked in. Exhibitors must also wear white pants/jeans with no holes. Exhibitors will not be permitted to enter the show/sale ring without wearing appropriate attire.

Junior Fair Classes

- Junior Heifer Calf (born after March 1, 2025, or over 4 months old)
- Intermediate Heifer Calf (born after December 1, 2024 and before March 1, 2025)
- Senior Heifer Calf (born after September 1, 2024 and before December 1, 2024)
- Summer Yearling Heifer (born after June 1, 2024 and before September 1, 2024)
- Junior Yearling Heifer (born after March 1, 2024 and before June 1, 2024)
- Intermediate Yearling Heifer (born after December 1, 2023 and before March 1, 2024)
- Senior Yearling Heifer (born after September 1, 2023 and before December 1, 2023)
- Cow over 2 years old and under 3 years old
- Cow 3 years old and over

Showmanship Classes

- Junior (ages 8-13)
- Senior (ages 14-18)



Feeder Calf Exhibit

- Beef feeder calves must be born between March 1 and April 30 of the current year. Dairy feeder calves and Crossbred Dairy Beef feeder calves must be males born between March 15 and May 15 of the current year.
- Dairy feeder calves are feeder calves with dairy breeding. The following are recognized dairy breeds:
 - Holstein, Jersey, Guernsey, Brown Swiss, Ayrshire, and Milking Shorthorn.
 - Only recognized purebred dairy or crosses only of recognized breeds will be allowed in the dairy feeder show.
- Dairy breeds crossed with beef breeds may not show as Dairy Feeders; they will be shown in the Crossbred Dairy Beef Feeder Show. This will be determined by a team of third party evaluators at check in on Sunday September 7th.
- A Team of 3rd party evaluators will be present at Sunday night check in to determine breed eligibility of feeder calves. The decision that is made by the evaluators is final. Any feeder calves determined to be entered in the wrong class at check-in will be moved to the appropriate class provided the exhibitor does not exceed the limit (2) for that class. If the classification of animals at check in results in too many in a class, exhibitors may choose to show up a class (dairy feeders bump to crossbred, crossbred bump to beef) rather than going home.
- All feeder calves must be ear-tagged by the Junior Fair Department on tagging day, Saturday, June 7.
- A Certificate of Vaccination issued by a veterinarian must accompany all feeder calves. Calves are also required to have two vaccinations.
 - The first vaccination will be administered at tagging day on Saturday, June 7.
 - The second vaccination will be administered between July 10 and August 15 when the certificate is issued.
- All male feeder calves must be properly castrated before July 15. Castration date and no evidence of testicular tissue must be noted by the veterinarian on the health certificate. If there is any evidence of testicular tissue at check in on Sunday September 7th, the animal will be disqualified and the exhibitor will not receive premium.
- Exhibitors may tag up to 3 feeder calves per project on June 7th but are limited to ENTERING and showing two feeder calves per class by July 15th.
- The premium exhibitors receive will be based on the grade their animal receives in the show ring.
- No gates are to be set up in the Dairy Feeder barns before 7:00 p.m. on Sunday evening of check-in.

Exhibiting at the Fair

- Drug Use Notification Forms must be completed and turned in at check-in on Sunday September 7th for **all** feeder calves.
- All feeder calves must be properly dehorned, with 1in.of regrowth or less.
- Maximum weight for dairy and beef feeder calves is 650 lbs. All feeder calves will be weighed during check-in on Sunday, September 7th.
 - 2 re-weighs will be allowed prior to 7:00 p.m. during check-in for calves within 10 lbs. of the maximum weight of 650 lbs.
 - Over-weight calves will not be eligible for market class awards but will be eligible for rate-of-gain awards.
- The Dairy Feeder show will be held Wednesday, September 11th at 8:30 a.m., with the Crossbred Dairy Beef Feeder show immediately following.
- The Beef Feeder show will be held Thursday, September 11th at 12:00p.m. **with showmanship at the start of the show.**

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Junior Fair Classes

- Heifer Beef Feeder Calf
- Beef Feeder Calf
- Dairy Feeder Calf
- Crossbred Dairy Feeder Calf

Showmanship Classes – Dairy Feeders & Crossbred Dairy Feeders (combined showmanship)

- First Year (under 12 years)
- Beginner (ages 8-10)
- Junior (ages 11-12)
- Intermediate (ages 13-14)
- Senior (ages 15-18)

Showmanship Classes -Beef Feeders

- Junior (ages 8-13)
- Senior (ages 14-18)

Goat Exhibit



- Goats must be in the exhibitor's possession by June 1.
- Exhibitors showing market goats are required to attend tagging and weigh-in on June 7.
- Exhibitors are limited to showing two animals in each class.
- The premium exhibitors receive will be based on the grade their animal receives in the show ring.

Goat Project Rules

- All male market goats must be properly castrated. No intact males will be allowed on the fairgrounds.
 - Recommended castration procedures are surgical, banded, or clamped. There can be no evidence of testicular tissue.
- Dairy market kids may be doe or wether. Boer market kids may be doe or wether.
- All horns must be either tipped or have a protective structure covering the tip during the show.
- **All goats must be either tattooed, tagged, or micro-chipped with an official USDA scrapie identification.**
- Market class animals and dairy goats must be shaved. Boer breeding does must be clipped.

Exhibiting at the Fair

- Drug Use Notification Forms must be completed and turned in at check-in on Sunday, September 7th.
- Check-in is Sunday, September 7th from 2:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.
- **All goats need the scrapie tag before being unloaded at the fair. A Wyandot County Junior Fair goat scrapie identification form must be completed and turned in by 7:00 p.m. on check-in night.**
- All dairy goats will be milked out at 9:00 p.m. before the day of the show.
- Animals will be checked before they are penned.
- Exhibitors must use provided pens assigned by the Jr. Fair Department.
- All class winners will compete for breeding doe champion and reserve.
- The Goat show will be held Monday, September 8th beginning at 1:00 p.m.
- ****NEW**** Dairy Market Kid and Boer Market Kid will have a separate Rate of Gain competition.

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Junior Fair Classes

- Junior doe kid (born April 1 to June 1, 2025)
- Senior doe kid (born January 1 to March 1, 2025)
- Yearling doe, not in milk (born after January 1, 2024 and before January 1, 2025)
- Senior doe, not in milk (born before January 1, 2024)
- Doe in milk
- ****Dairy Market kid (wether or doe), (born January 1 to April 30, 2025)**
- Angora kid, wether class (under one year old)
- Angora kid, doe class (under one year old)
- Angora goat, wether class, no intact males (one year and older)
- Angora goat, doe class (one year and older)
- Pygmy doe kid (under one year old)

- Pygmy doe (one year and older)
- Pygmy wether (under one year old)
- Pygmy wether (one year and older)
- Boer doe, 0 to 6 months old
- Boer doe, 6 to 12 months old
- Boer doe, 12 to 18 months old
- Boer doe, 18 to 24 months old
- Boer doe, 2 to 3 years old
- Boer doe, 3 to 4 years old
- Boer doe, over 4 years old
- ****Boer Goat Market Class-born Jan 1 through April 30, 2025**

** Indicates class for market goats for Junior Fair Sale

Showmanship Classes

- Junior (ages 8-10)
- Intermediate (ages 11-13)
- Senior (ages 14-18)

Horse Exhibit

- Horses must be in exhibitor's possession by June 1.
- 1st Year Exhibitor Shared Horse Program
 - Must be a first year 4-H member (any age) and share a lease with another Wyandot County 4-H member. All other Jr. Fair horse and pony exhibitors must show his or her own projects.
 - Must have completed the contract between the 1st year exhibitor and the exhibitor that they are leasing the horse from by June 1st. This contract will be provided by the Jr. Fair.
 - Exhibitors participating in this program may **only** participate in two classes.
- There is no limit on the number of classes an exhibitor can enter, **except for 1st year exhibitors participating in the Shared Horse Program.**
- The number of horses is limited to **no more than two** horses or combination of horses and ponies per exhibitor.
- Weanling beside a mare does not count toward combination total.
- Horses are over 58", Ponies are 58" and under, Mini Ponies are 38" and under. Official show heights will be determined in June.
- No stallions beyond foaling year may be stalled in the Junior Fair Horse Barn or entered in any Junior Fair classes.
- Exhibitors must complete an Entry online at <https://wyandot.fairwire.com> and enter classes to show in at the fair. If you do not enter for a class online, you will not be able to add it the day of the show.
- Exhibitors entering posters must complete an Entry and indicate "poster."
- The premium an exhibitor receives will be based on the grade their animal receives in the show ring.

Helmet Requirement

Junior Fair members (4-H, FFA) age 19 and under are required to wear a helmet when riding on the fairgrounds. Helmets are recommended for everyone.

Dress Code

Exhibitors must follow the "Attire described in the Uniform Rules for 4-H Horse Shows," available from the Extension Office.

Check-in, Stalling, and Exhibiting

- Horses may be brought to the Fairgrounds from 8:00 a.m. on Sunday, September 7th until 7:00 p.m.
- Sawdust bedding for all Junior Fair horses and ponies will be provided by the Wyandot County Horse Committee. There will be a mandatory \$10.00 charge **per horse** which will be collected by 4-H/FFA advisors at the time Junior Fair entries are completed. Payment must be received to show.
 - No sawdust or straw bedding brought in by Junior Fair exhibitors will be permitted.
- All Junior Fair horses and ponies must be stalled on the fairgrounds for the duration of the Fair.
- No horses or ponies are permitted outside the immediate area of the Junior Fair Horse barn during the Fair. Horses should be in the barn, wash rack, or arena at all times.
- The Junior Fair Horse Arena will be closed and locked from 12:00 a.m. (midnight) to 6:00 a.m.

Health Requirements

In addition to state health regulations, the following health regulations will be enforced by the local Fair Board upon recommendation of Wyandot County Veterinarians:

- A Certificate of Vaccination from a veterinarian is required and must be presented to the Horse Department Advisors prior to the fair.

- An Equine influenza vaccination must be given between March 1 and August 31 of 2025.
- The Rhino pneumonitis & Rabies vaccination is to be given at the discretion of the horse's owner.

Members Showing in the Pleasure Classes must choose 1 type of pleasure class. Must choose either Ranch or Western. Exhibitor and Horse/ Pony combination may not cross enter.

Junior Fair Classes

Monday Show Classes – September 8th at 9:00 a.m.

- Western Horse/ Pony Showmanship – Ages 14-18
- Western Horse/ Pony Showmanship – Ages 8-13
- Ranch Horse/ Pony Showmanship - Ages 14-18
- Ranch Horse/ Pony Showmanship - Ages 8-13
- Mini Horse Showmanship – Ages 8-18
- English Horse/ Pony Showmanship – Ages 14-18
- English Horse/ Pony Showmanship – Ages 8-13
- First year only Showmanship – Ages 8-18
- Draft Showmanship – Ages 8-18
- Production Class
- Hunter Equitation Horse/ Pony 14-18
- Hunter Equitation Horse/ Pony 8-13
- Walk Trot Hunter Equitation Horse/ Pony 14-18
- Walk Trot Hunter Equitation Horse/ Pony 8-13
- Hunter Under Saddle Horse 14-18
- Hunter Under Saddle Horse 8-13
- Hunter Under Saddle Horse 14-18
- Hunter Under Saddle Horse 8-13
- Draft Hitch 8-18
- Mini Hitch 8-18
- Reinsmanship 8-18
- Mini Obstacle Course 8-18
- Trail Horse/ Pony 8-18
- Ranch Trail Horse/ Pony 8-18
- Mini Hunter Jumpers 8-18
- Mini Jumpers 8-18
- Western Horsemanship Horse/ Pony 14-18
- Western Horsemanship Horse/ Pony 8-13
- Ranch Horsemanship Horse/ Pony 14-18
- Ranch Horsemanship Horse/ Pony 14-18
- Walk Trot Western Horsemanship Horse/ Pony 14-18
- Walk Trot Western Horsemanship Horse/ Pony 8-13
- Walk Trot Ranch Horsemanship Horse/ Pony 14-18
- Walk Trot Ranch Horsemanship Horse/ Pony 8-13
- Walk Trot 1st Year Only Horsemanship Horse/ Pony 8-18
- Western Pleasure Horse 14-18
- Western Pleasure Horse 8-13
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- Ranch Pleasure Horse 14-18
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- Ranch Pleasure Pony 14-18
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- Western Reining Horse/ Pony 8-18
- Ranch Riding Horse/ Pony 8-18
- Driven Trail Horse/Pony 8-18
- Ground Roping Horse/ Pony 8-13
- Ground Roping Horse/ Pony 14-18
- Costume Class

High Point Sr Division

High Point Jr Division

Champion of Champion Showmanship – All first place Showmanship winners. Champion will represent the Horse department in the Showman of Showmen contest.

Tuesday Show Classes – September 9th at 9:00am

- Pole Bending Horse – Ages 14-18
- Pole Bending Horse – Ages 8-13
- Pole Bending Pony– Ages 14-18
- Pole Bending Pony– Ages 8-13
- Stakes Horse– Ages 14-18
- Stakes Horse – Ages 8-13
- Stakes Pony– Ages 14-18
- Stakes Pony– Ages 8-13
- KeyHole Horse – Ages 14-18
- KeyHole Horse– Ages 8-13
- KeyHole Pony– Ages 14-18
- KeyHole Pony– Ages 8-13
- Barrels Horse – Ages 14-18
- Barrels Horse – Ages 8-13
- Barrels Pony– Ages 14-18
- Barrels Pony – Ages 8-13
- Flag Race Horse – Ages 14-18
- Flag Race Horse– Ages 8-13
- Flag Race Pony – Ages 14-18
- Flag Race Pony – Ages 8-13
- Stakes with Cones Horse – Ages 14-18
- Stakes with Cones Horse– Ages 8-13
- Stakes with Cones Pony– Ages 14-18
- Stakes with Cones Pony– Ages 8-13
- Ball Race Horse -Ages 14-18
- Ball Race Horse– Ages 8-13
- Ball Race Pony – Ages 14-18
- Ball Race Pony – Ages 8-13

High Point Sr Division

High Point Jr Division

Grundtisch Outstanding Horseman Award

Please look at the class numbers and order. **(new class numbers are TBD and will be posted online and in the premium book)** The show will be ran how it is listed in the book. Wyandot County Horse Committee Fun Show is at 1p.m. on Saturday September 13th.

Llama Exhibit

- Llamas must be in the exhibitor's possession by June 1.
- The premium exhibitors receive will be based on the grade their animal receives in the show ring.

Exhibiting at the Fair

- The Llama show will be held Monday, September 8th in the Sheep Arena at 1:00 p.m.
- Awards will be presented to Champion Female, Champion Male, and Champion Gelding. From these champions, a Grand Champion will be selected.

Junior Fair Dress Code

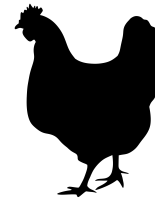
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Junior Fair Classes

- Llama
Specify on Livestock Entry Form: Female, Male, or Gelding

Showmanship

- First Year Exhibitor
- Junior Showmanship (ages 8-10)
- Intermediate Showmanship (ages 11-13)
- Senior Showmanship (ages 14-18)



Poultry Exhibit

- All poultry projects must be in the exhibitor's possession by August 1, except for eggs.
- The dates listed with the classes are a window of time that all Jr. Fair exhibitors are to have poultry hatched and in their possession in order to be considered for competition.
- Weigh-in will be required for Market poultry.
- Exhibitors are limited to one entry per class. Classes include but are not limited to market chickens, market turkeys, market ducks, market geese, and market eggs.
- All poultry must be hatched from a NPIP hatchery **or** from a state certified PullorumTyphoid Tested Flock **or** be tested with a certified Pullorum test prior to September 1.
- ALL poultry over one year old must be tested with a certified Pullorum test prior to September 1.
- Pullurom tests are performed at the owner's expense. A copy of the negative Pullorum testing results may be turned in electronically starting August 1 or physical copies must be provided by 7pm at Sunday night check in.
- Hatchery papers or a copy of hatchery papers **must be turned in electronically starting August 1st or at the Poultry check in on Sunday September 7th.**

Exhibiting at the Fair

- Drug Use Notification Forms must be completed and turned in at check-in on Sunday, September 7th.
- Poultry exhibitors must bring shavings **daily** due to lack of storage space in the Poultry Barn.
- No personal fans will be allowed in the Poultry Barn.
- The premium an exhibitor receives will be based on the grade the animal receives in the show ring.
- The Poultry Show and Showmanship will be Monday, September 8th beginning at 8:30a.m. in the Pavilion.

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Junior Fair Classes

Market Poultry Projects – These classes are for commercial meat production, not breed production, so select and rear birds accordingly.

- Market Chicken (pen of 3 males) hatched July 23-July 31
- Market Ducks (pen of 2 males) hatched June 18-July 31
- Market Geese (pen of 2 males) hatched May 21-July 31
- Market Turkeys (pen of 2 males) hatched May 7-July 31
- Market Eggs with Production Hen(one dozen eggs)
 - Exhibitors must exhibit 1 production hen from the previous year's Standard Pullet project (hatch date Feb 15, 2024) with eggs. On Sunday night check-in Exhibitors must bring the dozen eggs (in a carton) that they wish to have judged. These eggs will be transferred to a clear egg carton, provided by the Jr. Fair Board. Eggs cannot be removed from the barn once checked in and will be disposed of on Sunday during release. A fresh dozen of eggs must be provided on sale day by the exhibitor.

Exhibition Poultry Projects

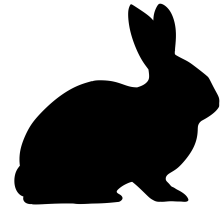
- Standard Pullets (2 females, less than one year old) – hatched on or after Feb. 15
- Standard Cockerels (2 males, less than one year old) – hatched on or after Feb. 15
- Bantam Pullets (2 females, less than one year old) – hatched on or after Feb. 15
- Bantam Cockerels (2 males, less than one year old) – hatched on or after Feb. 15
- Standard Breeds (1 female and 1 male or 2 females, over one year old and not entered into the market eggs class)
- Bantam Breeds (1 female and 1 male or 2 females, over one year old and not entered into the market eggs class)
- Ducks (1 female and 1 male, over six months but less than one year old) – hatched before May 15
 - Large Breeds, Medium Breeds, Small Breeds, Bantam Breeds
- Geese (1 male and 1 female, over six months but less than one year old) – hatched before May 15
 - Large Breeds, Medium Breeds, Small Breeds
- Turkeys (1 male and 1 female, over six months but less than one year old) – hatched before May 15
 - Needs Pullorum test

Showmanship Classes

- Junior (ages 8-10)
- Intermediate (ages 11-13)
- Senior (ages 14-18)

Rabbit Exhibit

Judging – Wednesday, September 10 at 4:00 p.m.



Junior Fair Dress Code —

Requirements for all Shows/Sale. Pants/Jeans with no holes. Full button up shirts, no polos, to be buttoned from bottom to at least two buttons from the collar and tucked in for all shows/sale. Exhibitor will not be permitted to enter the ring without wearing appropriate attire. Judges will be informed of this dress code. Please check Dairy and Horses for their additional dress code requirements.

- **No tan bark or mulch; limited to straw, shavings or sawdust on whole fairgrounds.**
- Due to lack of storage space in the Rabbit Barn, all exhibitors will be required to pay \$3.00 per pen for shavings for each rabbit exhibited. This can be paid at the time of check-in on Sunday evening. This will entitle you to clean shavings for the entire period of the Fair.
- Pens are expected to be clean..
- Pen space is not to be used for feed or supplies. Barn personnel will do their best to provide each exhibitor with space below their cage to store feed and other supplies.
- Project requirements are as follows:
 - Market Rabbit (2 fryers, 2 meat pens or combination thereof) Only rabbits classified as “meat type” rabbits should be entered in the meat pen/ fryer rabbit classes
 - Breeding/ Pet Rabbit (maximum of 5 rabbits)
- Tattooing will be available for all rabbits during livestock interview judging on August 2nd, 1:00 - 5:00pm. All rabbits (including pet rabbits) must be tattooed to be exhibited at the fair and can be tattooed at this time.

Showmanship Classes:

- Beginner: (ages 8-10)
- Junior (ages 11-12)
- Intermediate (ages 13-14)
- Senior (ages 15-18)

Classes

- Breeding/ Pet Rabbit Buck
- Breeding/ Pet Rabbit Doe
- Born & Raised Meat Pen (*see explanation)
- Born & Raised Fryer (*see explanation)
- Independent Meat Pen (*see explanation)
- Independent Fryer (*see explanation)

- Rabbits including breeding doe/buck (excluding meat pens/fryers) must be in member’s possession by May 15th.
- Rabbits (excluding meat pens/fryers) must have permanent earmark or tattoo **entered** on the Jr. Fair Livestock on line entry in space under identification, along with the class number, breed, sex and age by July 15th entry deadline.
- All permanent earmarks or tattoos must be in left ear and legible.
- Meat pen/fryer rabbits must be entered on Livestock Entry Form by July 15th
- A maximum of two (2) substitutions per member will be allowed. Substitutions for breeding/pet rabbits must be within the same breed and class as the original entry. Substitutions for market classes can be changed to any other market class so long as all other

requirements are met, and pen limits are respected.

- Premiums will be paid on the grade an exhibitor receives on each animal/ pen.
- The project requirements specify the number of animals allowed.
- No doe and litter combinations are to be exhibited.
- The grand champion over all breeds rabbit cannot be shown at the fair in succeeding years.

A maximum of 7 pens may be exhibited at the Fair. Breeding/ Pet Rabbits – up to 5 rabbits; Market Rabbits – maximum of 2 pens (2 fryers, 2 meat pens or combination thereof). Each meat pen/fryer counts as one (1) pen. Up to 10 entries can be made online prior to July 15th but the number of rabbits/pens that are exhibited at the fair must not exceed the maximums listed above.

General Market Rabbit Information

- All meat pen and fryer rabbits must be tattooed prior to the Fair. Exhibitors should make online entry by July 15th without tattoo number since rabbits cannot be tattooed until August. Requirements: meat pen and fryer rabbits must have their own tattoo and not be identical to the other rabbits in the meat pen or fryer combination, and tattoo ID's must be provided during check-in on Sunday. No Exceptions.
- A meat pen will consist of three rabbits from the same breed and variety. They can weigh no less than 3.5 pounds each and no more than 5.5 pounds each and cannot be over 12 weeks or 84 days old.
- A fryer rabbit can weigh no less than 3.5 pounds and no more than 5.5 pounds and cannot be over 12 weeks or 84 days old.
- All meat pens and fryers will be weighed on arrival at the Fair by the weigh master.
- All overweight and underweight market rabbits will have their own class but will not be considered for grand champion or reserve grand champion. The overweight and underweight market rabbits will be eligible to participate in the livestock sale.
- Meat pen and fryer rabbits may not be shown in any other class.
- All rabbits sold at the Jr. Fair Sale must leave the fairgrounds with buyer or base bid buyer. No rabbits are to be brought onto the fairgrounds on Sunday of the fair for the purpose of selling them.

***Born & Raised Meat Pen or Born & Raised Fryer Rabbit explanation**

- The breeding doe/buck must be in the exhibitor's possession by May 15th. Doe must be bred May 15th or after for meat pen to be no more than 84 days old by the Wyandot County Fair.
- To be able to exhibit a born & raised meat pen or born & raised fryer, each exhibitor must exhibit at least one rabbit from their breeding project of one buck or doe of the same breed as the meat pen or fryer.
- Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion Born & Raised Meat Pen and Born & Raised Fryers will be selected and they must be sold in the Jr. Fair Livestock Sale.

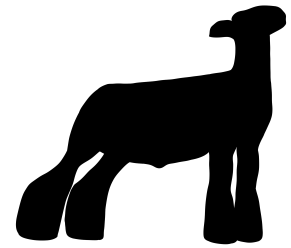
*** Independent Meat Pen or Independent Fryer Rabbit explanation**

- All independent Meat Pen and Independent Fryer rabbits **MUST** be tattooed by a Wyandot County Fair designated person with a designated tattoo. These tattoos will be done the same day as 4-H livestock interview judging, August 2nd, 1:00 - 5:00pm or other designated date determined by the rabbit department junior fair advisor. All other rabbit projects may be tattooed at this time as well.
- The Independent Meat Pen or Independent Fryer must be in the exhibitor's possession by August 1st.
- Each Jr. Fair Exhibitor can tattoo no more than 7 rabbits to be used in their Independent Meat

Pen and Independent Fryer exhibits.

- Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion Independent Meat Pen and Independent Fryers will be selected and they must be sold in the Jr. Fair Livestock Sale.

Sheep Exhibit



- All sheep must be in the exhibitor's possession by June 1.
- The premium an exhibitor receives will be based on the grade the animal receives in the show ring.
- All market lambs are to be slick shorn before weigh-in day at the fair but no earlier than 10 days before show day. If this rule is not followed, the lambs will be judged in their pen.
- All sheep must be tagged with a USDA scrapie tag before unloading at check-in on Sunday night.
- All exhibitors wishing to show in "Pen of two" market lamb class must enter each lamb individually and as separate entries online.
 - Another single-entry must be completed for "Pen of two" (pair) class.

Rate of Gain Competition

- All market lambs must be ear tagged at the fair on Saturday June 1st. Weigh in is not mandatory for any exhibitor that does not wish to participate in rate of gain.
- Up to 5 (five) market sheep can be weighed and tagged by each exhibitor for participation in the rate of gain competition. Only 2 (two) market sheep may be brought to the fair for participation in the rate of gain competition.

Exhibiting at the Fair

- Drug Use Notification Forms must be completed and turned in at check-in on Sunday, September 7th.
- Wyandot County Junior Fair Sheep Scrapie Identification Forms must be completed and turned in by 7:00 pm on check-in night.
- Lambs must weigh 85-150 pounds. 2 reweighs will be allowed by 7pm during check in. Animals weighing more or less will not be considered for champion or reserve champion. They may be sold in the Junior Fair Livestock Sale.
- The Sheep Show will be on Tuesday, September 9th.
 - Jr. Breeding sheep show runs concurrently with the Open Lamb show.
 - Market lamb show begins at 6:00 p.m.

Junior Fair Dress Code

This is a requirement for show and sale: Exhibitor must wear a full button-up shirt (no polos), to be buttoned from bottom to at least two buttons from the collar and tucked in for all shows/sale. No pants/jeans with holes. Judges will be informed of the dress code. Exhibitors will not be permitted to enter the show/sale ring without wearing appropriate attire.

Junior Fair Classes

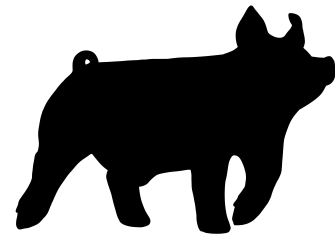
- Market lamb (wethers and ewes shown by first-year exhibitors 8-11 years old)
- Market lamb (wethers and ewes shown by experienced exhibitor)
- Pair of Market Lambs
- Ewe Lamb
- * Ewe Lamb
- Yearling Ewe
- * Yearling Ewe
- Ram Lamb
- * Ram Lamb
- Yearling Lamb
- * Yearling Lamb

Showmanship Classes

- Junior (ages 8-11)
- Intermediate (ages 12-14)
- Senior (ages 15-18)

*Classes are for exhibitors who wish to exhibit more than one breed of sheep. No one may exhibit more than two animals of the same breed, age, and sex.

Swine Exhibit



- All swine must be in the exhibitor's possession by June 15.
- The premium an exhibitor receives will be based on the grade the animal receives in the show ring.
- **Each** hog must be entered online at <https://wyandot.fairwire.com> entry deadline is July 15.

Junior Swine Production Contest

- Swine Production is open to all Junior Fair exhibitors with swine projects. Exhibitors wishing to compete must enter the class online at entry time. This class must be entered into by June 1.
- Each exhibitor entered in the Junior Swine Production Contest will be eligible to enter their hogs in both the market hog class and the swine production class.
- Exhibitors participating in the Swine Production Contest must bring their Swine Production hogs to **mandatory** weigh-in and tagging on Saturday, June 21st from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. at the Fairgrounds Swine Barn. Exhibitors not entered in the Swine Production Contest are not required to attend.
- If you cannot attend you must call the Senior Fair Office by 3:00 p.m. on Friday, June 20th.
- If an emergency occurs after that time and you cannot attend you must call the following individual before 9:00 a.m. on Saturday, June 21st.
Kayla Weaver - 567-232-1921
- Up to 10 (ten) hogs may be weighed and identified by each participant on the June weigh-in day. Only two (gilt/barrow, barrow/barrow, or gilt/gilt)may be entered in the production class and brought to the fair.
 - The identification includes an ear-tag number, weight, and color description of each hog.
- Average of the two hogs for placing will be determined by amount of lean gain per day.
- Lean gain will be determined by an ultrasound measurement by a certified technician.
 - Ultrasound measurements will be done at 11 a.m. on Monday of the fair. Participants are encouraged to attend. Signs will be posted in the barn with date and time.

Exhibiting at the Fair

- Drug Use Notification Forms must be completed and turned in at check-in on Sunday, September 7th.
- All market hogs will be weighed during check-in on Sunday, September 7th. All hogs will be divided into weight classes in the gilt and barrow shows. The weight requirement for market hogs is as follows: minimum weight 220 lbs., maximum weight 290 lbs. Weight guidelines do not apply to Swine Production.
 - 2 re-weighs will be allowed during check in by 7pm for hogs weighing 210-219 or 281-290 lbs., with a 3lb weight allowance permitted.
- Over and under-weight hogs will have their own class and will be eligible to participate in the Junior Fair Livestock Sale.
- **Nipple waterers:** Allowance of nipple waterers that are no larger than 6 inches in diameter and no taller than 32 inches. There will be **no permanent modifications allowed** to be made to the gates or the pens to allow use of the waterer.
- Exhibitors may not feed their swine in the wash area.
- Cleaning of food pans in the wash area is prohibited.
- Hogs must be kept in the pen they are assigned to so the number on the card matches the ear tag.
- Swine are prohibited from leaving the fairgrounds after arrival.
- ****No dressing of any sort will be permitted to get hogs ready for show. Water only. NO oil or oilbased products allowed on the fairgrounds, this includes weigh-ins and show day. Water soluble products are only allowable to wash and clean the swine. Show day is a WATER ONLY SHOW.**

This will apply to both the Junior and Open classes. Anyone who uses prohibited products will be disqualified from showing.

- ****Clipping is prohibited in the swine barn and on the fairgrounds.**

****Under the Livestock Exhibition Rules by the Ohio Department of Agriculture, the following rules are in effect as of February 15, 2003:**

OAC 901-19-33 (D) prohibits the slick clipping or body shaving of market hogs except on the ears and tail. The word “underline” has been removed from this rule. Even if the sponsor opts out of one or more of the optional tampering rules, the statute prohibits the use of any material, gas, solid, or liquid that conceals, transforms, or enhances the true conformation or configuration of all livestock, including by way of example but not limited to rope, false hair, graphite, and hemp.

Swine Show and Sale

- The Swine Show will be held Tuesday, September 9th beginning at 8:30 a.m.
- There will be Division Champions in each barrow and gilt division. All hogs entered are eligible for Grand and Reserve Champion.
- An Overall Champion and Reserve Champion barrow and gilt will be selected.
- Division Champion honors will be awarded only at the discretion of the judges.
- As of this time this is a non-terminal show and sale. All swine brought to the fairgrounds may go home or to slaughter.
- Out-of-state hogs must follow the rules of the Ohio Department of Agriculture Inspection and Health Requirements of Livestock Exhibited in Ohio.

Junior Fair Dress Code

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Junior Fair Classes

- Market Hog
- Junior Swine Production Contest

Showmanship Classes

Beginner (Ages 8 -10)

Junior (ages 11-12)

Intermediate (ages 13-14)

Senior (ages 15-18)

Showman of Showmen

Saturday September 13, 2025 – 5:00 p.m.

Junior Fair Arena

1. The Showman of Showmen show is a competition between the representatives of the senior showmanship classes. All senior showmanship division winners in beef feeders, dairy, dairy feeders, dairy steers, goats, horses, market beef or beef breeding, poultry, rabbits, sheep, and swine departments are eligible to compete. In order to add a livestock species to this list there must be a minimum of 10 exhibitors showing that species in one year. Additions and changes will be made the following year to the livestock list as long as 10 exhibitors are expected that year. The departments will determine how their senior age participant is elected.
2. Dress for the contest should reflect proper and appropriate show ring apparel for the specific species represented. The junior fair dress code requirements are pants/jeans with no holes and full button up shirts, no polos, to be buttoned from bottom to at least two buttons from the collar and tucked in. Dairy and horse exhibitors may have additional dress code requirements. Livestock do not need to be groomed, only presented clean and with proper show equipment.
3. Should one contestant have won two Senior Showmanship Divisions, they must decide which specie they choose to represent with the runner-up in the other division taking their place.
4. Should someone be unable to participate, the runner-up will show. It is the responsibility of the winner to notify the runner-up of their opportunity.
5. Each participant will sign a release of liability form in order to participate.
6. The contest participant will provide their animal and show equipment for the competition in the fair arena at 4:50 p.m. Saturday of the show. If you feel your animal would not do well in the Showman of Showmen and be able to be handled by all contestants, please find a suitable replacement. The poultry division must be represented by a market broiler, no matter what was shown by the winning poultry exhibitor. Animals may be switched out between rotations if needed due to animal fatigue.
7. Due to the similarity of the style of showmanship between the market beef and dairy steers and the beef feeders and dairy feeders, these exhibitors will show based on rotation basis every two years (even years = market beef and dairy feeder, odd years = dairy steer and beef feeder).
8. Contestants will be asked to rotate to different species every five minutes. In addition, one rotation will be a 10-question general knowledge test on the species exhibited and the livestock industry. A second rotation will be public speaking where participants will introduce themselves, tell where they are from, what organization they represent, which species they represent, which species they show, what they like about the fair, what they are most looking forward to showing and most scared of showing, and then any additional comments they would like to make.
9. Each judge will rate the participants on a scale of one (1) to ten (10), with ten being the best. The highest cumulative score will win the contest. Each contestant's score on their own species will not be used in the scoring, though they will begin by showing their own species. The livestock species "out" for the year will begin at the general knowledge test and public speaking.
10. In order to account for an uneven number of scores for those representing the cattle departments, the beef feeder and dairy feeder participants will not receive a score in either area and the market beef and dairy steer participants will not receive a score in either area as well. This equalizes the number of scores.
11. Calculating the deviation in the contestant's scores will break a tie. The highest score will be subtracted from the lowest score, yielding the deviation in the contestant's scores. If a tie still exists, then the tiebreaker will be the contestant's score on the general knowledge test.
12. A suitable representative or representatives chosen by the Wyandot County Agricultural Education Instructors will judge each division.
13. An exhibitor may only win the Showman of Showmen contest once during their Junior Fair Career. Contestants may participate more than one time depending on senior showmanship eligibility as set by the departments.

Exhibitors winning their age division (with the exception of the senior division) have the option of moving up an age division or remaining in that age division the following year(s) until they age out of the division.

Unless noted for the department, exhibitors may show multiple years in senior showmanship, even after having won that senior showmanship division previous years.

BEEF

Market Beef/Breeding Beef

Winner of senior showmanship represents the department in Showman of Showmen.

Beef Feeders

Winner of senior showmanship represents the department in Showman of Showmen.

DAIRY AND CROSSBRED DAIRY BEEF STEERS

Winner of senior showmanship represents the department in Showman of Showmen.

DAIRY

Must advance to Dairy Showman of Showmen after winning Senior Showmanship. Dairy Showman of Showmen (any Jr. Fair Exhibitor who has previously won Sr. Showmanship). Winner of Dairy Showman of Showmen represents the department in Showman of Showmen.

DAIRY AND CROSSBRED DAIRY BEEF FEEDERS

Winner of senior showmanship represents the department in Showman of Showmen.

GOATS

Winner of senior showmanship represents the department in Showman of Showmen.

LLAMAS

Not represented in Showman of Showmen

POULTRY

Winner of senior showmanship represents the department in Showman of Showmen.

RABBITS

Winner of senior showmanship represents the department in Showman of Showmen.

SHEEP

Market/Breeding Sheep

Senior winners of the Sheep Showmanship and Breeding Sheep Showmanship will show against each other and the overall winner will represent the department in Showmanship of Showmen.

SWINE

Winner of senior showmanship represents the department in Showman of Showmen.

HORSES

See Horse & Pony Department for age and category divisions.

The highest placing exhibitor in the Champion of Champion Showmanship contest will represent the horse department in Showman of Showmen.

Wyandot County Junior Fair Royalty Nomination Requirements

Dates

- Nominees must submit a nomination form by July 1. Candidates may apply on their own or be nominated by a Junior Fair organization.
- Nominees will be sent an application form/contract on or before July 1st which must be submitted to the Junior Fair by **July 15**.

Candidate Requirements

- Must be 16-19 years of age as of January 1.
- Must have completed three years of 4-H work or two years of work with any other Jr. Fair organization or school department.
- Must currently be an active member of 4-H, FFA, Scouts, or another Jr. Fair organization.
- Anyone who has been on the court in previous years has the option to reapply, but not for more than two years.

Application Form Requirements

- Completed applications, contract and all attachments must be postmarked **no later than July 15**.
- Attachments include:
 - A current photo (suitable for newspaper publication)
 - Two letters of recommendation
 - Recommendation letters may be from Jr. Fair organization advisors, troop leaders, or teachers.
 - Recommendation letters from family members **will not** be accepted.

Selection

- Candidates will be selected based on participation in the Junior Fair in previous years, their leadership ability, extracurricular activities, and their poise in presenting themselves before a group.
- All qualifying potential candidates will be sent a letter regarding preliminary interviews on August 6th at a dinner hosted for the candidates.
 - These are individual interviews conducted by judges who are not from Wyandot County. The judges will make their selection for five King and five Queen candidates who will participate in the Royalty Pageant on Monday of the Fair.
- The Royalty Pageant Coronation ceremony will be held in the Masters' Building on Monday September 8, 2025.
- Further details about the pageant will be in the Official Fair Premium Book and letters the candidate will receive.

Please contact the Senior Fair Office at (419) 294-4320 for more information.

Junior Fair Royalty Nomination Form

- Nominees may submit an entry for themselves or be nominated by a Junior Fair Organization.
- Nomination forms must be returned by **July 1** to:

Wyandot County Junior Fair
P.O. Box 3
Upper Sandusky, Ohio 43351
Or email weaver.kayla@gmail.com

Wyandot County Junior Fair King Nomination

Name of Candidate _____ Age (as of January 1) _____

Address _____ City _____

Phone Number _____ Email _____

Member of (Jr. Fair Organization/ Club/ Troop) _____

Number of Years as Member _____

Name of Recommending Jr. Fair Organization (if applicable) _____

Wyandot County Junior Fair Queen Nomination

Name of Candidate _____ Age (as of January 1) _____

Address _____ City _____

Phone Number _____ Email _____

Member of (Jr. Fair Organization/ Club/ Troop) _____

Number of Years as Member _____

Name of Recommending Jr. Fair Organization (if applicable) _____