

RULES AND REGULATIONS

***NO STRAW OR BEDDING WILL BE PROVIDED FOR LIVESTOCK.**

1. All animals must be in their places Sunday, August 7 before 3 P.M.; no animal will be paid an awarded premium unless said animal has remained continuously on exhibition during the Fair, and no animal will be allowed to be removed from the Grounds until Saturday, August 13, at **3:00 P.M.**, except 4-H pony exhibitors. All animals will be checked **before** unloading. **No Exceptions!** Hours are 8:30 A.M. - 2:00 P.M. for inspection by an authorized agent on Sunday. **All exhibitors must bring on Sunday the Owner/Caretaker Verification paper unless going to another fair and have made arrangements with proof of entry.**

2. Exhibitors of purebred stock must be in a position to show Registration Certificate if demanded by judges, other exhibitors or superintendents. **Exhibitors of all livestock must be prepared to show health certificates at any time.**

3. Individual animals shown in all of the group and herd classes must have entered and shown in one of the classes for single animals.

4. Any Superintendent or Extension Personnel has complete authority on regulations and order of the Livestock Building and rules of this book.

5. **Safety** – No motorcycles, bicycles will be permitted in the Livestock Building. No smoking!

6. No alcoholic beverages permitted.

7. No blocking of sheep on washracks; no blocking stand on washracks.

USE CAUTION WHEN FITTING YOUR ANIMALS

Be sure to use only grooming products that are approved for use on meat and dairy animals when fitting your animals for show. Unapproved products may contain ingredients that result in unacceptable residues in the meat or milk. If you are not certain that a product is residue safe and approved for use on meat or dairy animals, DO NOT USE IT! **IMPORTANT! If upon slaughter treatment with drugs, biologics, or ANY CHEMICAL FROM FITTING PRODUCTS, is the cause of condemnation of a carcass, the loss of the carcass and any other damages will be borne by the exhibitor.**

8. All animals on display must be entered, Fee paid, and shown with exception of leader dogs & carnival.

9. **Substitutions** will be accepted only in case of an accident to or sickness of the animal originally entered. All requests for substitutions after entries are closed must be made to the Secretary's Office before 3 P.M. on Sunday, and a new entry blank must be completed, or no premium will be paid.

11. No horses or ponies allowed outside of barns, unless they are entered in a participating event; and all bulls over 1-year old must have nose lead. No walking of animals above cattle barn or in carnival area! No livestock in bleachers!

12. Violation of Rules and Regulations will result in the dismissal of Exhibitor and his or her livestock with forfeit of premium and entry fee.

13. All protests regarding judging must be made in writing, and must plainly state the cause of the complaint or appeal. Such protests must be filed at the Fair Office within 24 hours of the occurrence.

14. The Management reserves the right to withhold any premium awarded under false representations or not in accordance with Rules and Regulations and the offered premium list. Where entry or entries are not up to standard, the Judge may award no premium, or may award no First Premium and may award Second Premium, even where there is but one entry.

15. Security will be on the grounds by day and watchmen by night, and care will be taken for the preservation of stock and articles on exhibition, and for safety of visitors, but the management will not be responsible for loss or accident from any cause whatever.

16. The management reserves the right to refuse entries in any department in excess of stall or other provisions for the proper care of same.

17. Gambling and gambling devices are strictly prohibited on the grounds.

18. Please use entry blank, which is enclosed in the Catalog. Please complete in detail.

19. No more than two entries may be entered in any one class by same exhibitor of animals.

20. All entries must be made in the name of the actual owner, or authorized agent of the owner.

21. All livestock exhibits must remain on the grounds, continuously until 3:00 P.M. the final day of fair. No removal of tack, show boxes until this time also. All other exhibits must remain on grounds until Sunday, the day after fair ends, unless arrangements have been made of entry info for another fair.

22. Occupants of stalls are required to keep them open during the hours of Exhibition.

23. Any exhibitor attempting to influence a judge in his decision, shall forfeit all claims to the premiums.

24. Exhibitors must deliver their stock and articles to the Superintendent of the various departments.

25. Unless otherwise specified, all entries close June 30, 2011 by postmark, by which time entry fee must be paid. No exhibit may be shown unless entry fee has been paid.

26. Exhibitors must be ready to show stock at the time designated in the program.

27. All 4-H and FFA animals must be registered in Greene County 4-H or FFA Club member's name by June 1, 2011. All 4H/FFA projects/animals must have a completed project book handed in to the extension office by June 1. Failure to do so entry is null and void.

28. No entry fee will be refunded.

29. All entries close June 30, 2011.

30. Mail entries to: Greene County Fair Board, P.O. Box 806, Waynesburg, PA 15370.

31. Camper space will be available at \$70.00 per week. This includes sewerage and water hook ups! Please include payment with entry form. Camper space will be assigned. Park at your own risk! Camper or car.

32. No pets permitted in fair area, pets with exhibitors camping must remain in camper area – with the exception of 4-H Leader dogs. And must have all vaccinations!

33. All returned checks will be surcharged \$35.00

34. Parking in camper area only for persons camping and handicap.

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Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Dept. of Agriculture
Bureau of Animal Industry

ANIMAL HEALTH RULES FOR SHOWS FOR BREEDING PURPOSES IN PENNSYLVANIA

ANIMAL HEALTH REGULATIONS

IMPORTANT: ALL HEALTH PAPERS MUST BE CHECKED BEFORE UNLOADING

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*****Important!*** If upon slaughter, treatment with drugs, biologics or any chemical from fitting products, is the cause of condemnation of a carcass, the loss of the carcass and any other damages will be borne by the exhibitor.**

PENNSYLVANIA EQUINE ANIMALS

Requirements:

1. A Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI) issued within 60 days is required.
2. All animals must be free of infectious and contagious diseases.
3. An *Animal Owner or Caretaker's Verification of Veterinarian-Client-Patient Relationship* (VCPR) form must accompany each animal, and must be presented upon arrival at the exhibition.
4. All equine animals must be test negative for EIA by an official test within the 12 months prior to the opening date of the exhibition. Laboratory test results must accompany each animal to its final destination (a copy of the original lab report is acceptable). Foals less than six months of age accompanied by a dam which meets the above requirements are exempt from EIA testing requirements. If the foal is not accompanied by the dam, a copy of the dam's test results must accompany the foal to its final destination.
5. A current rabies vaccination administered by a licensed veterinarian is required for animals three months of age and older. However, if a mare was currently vaccinated against rabies when she foaled, the foal is not required to be vaccinated until six months of age, with a second vaccination administered two-four weeks later. All vaccine label directions must be followed, and all rabies vaccinated equine animals must be accompanied by a rabies vaccination certificate or the vaccination information must be included on the CVI. The certificate must contain legible name and contact information of the veterinarian who administered the vaccine and the veterinarian's signature. A copy of the original rabies vaccination certificate is acceptable.

OUT OF STATE EQUINE ANIMALS

Requirements:

1. A Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI) issued within the 60 days prior to the opening date of the exhibition is required. The CVI shall include a statement verifying that "all animals identified on this certificate of veterinary inspection have been examined and found to be free from Vesicular Stomatitis (VS). During the past 90 days, these animals have neither been exposed to VS nor located within 10 miles of a site where VS has been diagnosed."
2. All animals must be free of infectious and contagious diseases.
3. An *Animal Owner or Caretaker's Verification of Veterinarian-Client-Patient Relationship* (VCPR) form must accompany each animal, and must be presented upon arrival at the exhibition.
4. All equine animals must be test negative for EIA by an official test within the 12 months prior to the opening date of the exhibition. Laboratory test results must accompany each animal to its final destination (a copy of the original lab report is acceptable). Foals less than six months of age accompanied by a dam which meets the above requirements are exempt from EIA testing requirements. If the foal is not accompanied by the dam, a copy of the dam's test results must accompany the foal to its final destination.
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6. If an equine animal has resided in Texas for a cumulative total of 30 days or more within the six months preceding the date of entry into the Commonwealth, that animal must be test-negative for Piroplasmiasis on a competitive enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay (c-ELISA) test, or a Department-approved equivalent test, with the test occurring within the 30 days preceding entry into Pennsylvania. This requirement shall not be applicable to an equine animal that is being transported

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through the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to another State, and that is not offloaded or commingled with other equine animals while within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. The written laboratory test report, confirming compliance with the requirement described in the preceding paragraph, shall accompany the equine animal in transit to a destination within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; and the date of test and the test results shall be written on the Certificate of Veterinary Inspection.

PENNSYLVANIA CATTLE

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4. Individual official animal identification is required. Official 10 includes:
 - A USDA-issued metal eartag; or
 - A breed registration tattoo if the tattoo is legible and the animal is accompanied by a copy of the registration certificate; or
 - A breed registration eartag if the animal is accompanied by a copy of the registration certificate; or
 - An ISO-compliant 15-digit eartag (including RFID).
5. A current rabies vaccination administered by a licensed veterinarian is required for animals 3 months of age and older (market cattle are exempt from this vaccination requirement). All vaccine label directions must be followed, and all rabies vaccinated cattle must be accompanied by a rabies vaccination certificate or the vaccination information must be included on the CVI. If a rabies vaccination certificate is provided, the certificate must contain legible name and contact information of the veterinarian who administered the vaccine and the veterinarian's signature. A copy of the rabies vaccination certificate is acceptable.

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2. All animals must be free of infectious and contagious diseases and a statement of this is required on the CVI (the statement is pre-printed on the CVI).
3. An *Animal Owner or Caretaker's Verification of Veterinarian-Client-Patient Relationship* (VCPR) form must accompany each animal, and must be presented upon arrival at the exhibition.
4. Individual official animal identification is required. Official ID includes:
 - A USDA-issued metal eartag; or
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5. A current rabies vaccination administered by a licensed veterinarian is required for animals 3 months of age and older (market cattle are exempt from this vaccination requirement). All vaccine label directions must be followed, and all rabies vaccinated cattle must be accompanied by a rabies vaccination certificate or the vaccination information must be included on the CVI. If a rabies vaccination certificate is provided, the certificate must contain legible name and contact information of the veterinarian who administered the vaccine and the veterinarian's signature. A copy of the rabies vaccination certificate is acceptable.
6. Testing: Brucellosis Requirements:
 - No test is required for exhibition animals which originate from a Brucellosis-free state or are members of a Certified Brucellosis-free Herd.
 - Test eligible animals (unvaccinated animals over 8 months (269 days of age) and those calftlood vaccinated over 14 months (449 days) of age) originating from Brucellosis Class A, Band C states shall be Brucellosis test negative within 60 days of the opening date of the show. The negative test results and date of test must be included on the CVI or the animal must be accompanied by a negative laboratory test report (a copy of the original lab report is acceptable).
 - An approved laboratory in the state of origin or Canada shall conduct an official blood test for brucellosis, and the imported test-eligible animals shall be negative to one of the following approved tests:
 - Buffered Acid Plate Antigen Test (BAPA).
 - Standard Tube Agglutination Test. The imported animals shall be negative in the 1:50 dilution.
 - Official Card Test.
7. Testing: Tuberculosis Requirements:
 - No test is required for animals originating from "Accredited Free" states or zones.

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- All animals originating from states or zones designated “Modified Accredited Advanced” must be test negative within the 60 days prior to the date of importation. The negative test results and date of test must be included on the CVI or the animal must be accompanied by a negative laboratory test report (a copy of the original lab report is acceptable).
- All animals originating from states or zones designated “Modified Accredited” must originate from herds in which all animals 12 months of age and older are test negative within the 12 months prior to the date of importation; and the animals to be imported are test negative within the 60 days prior to the date of importation and at least 60 days after the negative whole herd test. The negative test results and date of test must be included on the CVI or the animal must be accompanied by a negative laboratory test report (a copy of the original lab report is acceptable).

PENNSYLVANIA GOATS

Requirements:

1. A Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI) issued within 60 days is required.
2. All animals must be free of infectious and contagious diseases.
3. An Animal Owner or Caretaker’s Verification of Veterinarian-Client-Patient Relationship (VCPR) form must accompany each animal, and must be presented upon arrival at the exhibition.
4. Individual official animal identification is required. Official ID includes:
 - An official USDA scrapie eartag. Contact the USDA to obtain scrapie eartags at 1-866-873-2824, weekdays from 9 AM to 5 PM. Your order may take several weeks for processing, so order tags early; or
 - An ISO-compliant 15-digit eartag (including RFID); or
 - A USDA-approved custom scrapie eartag; or
 - A USDA-approved scrapie tattoo. Goats with an official scrapie tattoo must also have a unique individual animal ID (tattoo) to meet the scrapie ID requirement; or
 - Goats having a breed registration tattoo and accompanied by a registration certificate are exempt from the scrapie ID requirement if the tattoo is legible and a registration certificate (copy acceptable) or a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection which lists the tattoo and registry accompanies the animal at all times during transport from the premises of birth.

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4. Testing requirements: Tuberculosis:
 - No test is required for animals originating from “Accredited Free” states or zones.
 - All animals originating from states or zones designated “Modified Accredited Advanced” must be test negative within the 60 days prior to importation. The negative test results and date of test must be included on the CVI or the animal must be accompanied by a negative laboratory test report (a copy of the original lab report is acceptable).
 - All animals originating from states or zones designated “Modified Accredited” must originate from herds in which all animals 12 months of age and older have tested negative within the 12 months prior to the date of importation; and the animals to be imported have tested negative within the 60 days prior to the date of importation and at least 60 days after the negative whole herd test was completed. The negative test results and date of test must be included on the CVI or the

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PENNSYLVANIA SHEEP

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2. All animals must be free of infectious and contagious diseases and a statement of this is required on the CVI.
3. An *Animal Owner or Caretaker's Verification of Veterinarian-Client-Patient Relationship* (VCPR) form must accompany each animal, and must be presented upon arrival at the exhibition.
4. Individual official USDA scrapie animal identification is required. Official scrapie 10 includes:
 - An official USDA scrapie eartag. Contact the USDA to obtain scrapie eartags at 1-866-873-2824, weekdays from 9 AM to 5 PM. Your order may take several weeks for processing, so order tags early; or
 - A USDA-approved custom scrapie eartag; or
 - A USDA-approved scrapie tattoo with individual animal 10 (tattoo); or
 - An ISO-compliant 15-digit eartag (including RFID).
5. A current rabies vaccination administered by a licensed veterinarian is required for animals 3 months of age and older (*market sheep are exempt from this vaccination requirement*). All vaccine label directions must be followed, and all rabies vaccinated sheep must be accompanied by a rabies vaccination certificate or the vaccination information must be included on the CVI. If a rabies vaccination certificate is provided, the certificate must contain legible name and contact information of the veterinarian who administered the vaccine and the veterinarian's signature. A copy of the rabies vaccination certificate is acceptable.

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PENNSYLVANIA RABBITS

Requirements:

1. An *Animal Owner or Caretaker's Verification of Veterinarian-Client-Patient Relationship* (VCPR) form must accompany all PA rabbits, and must be presented upon arrival at the exhibition.
2. All animals must be free of infectious and contagious diseases.