

## Dept. 19 - Swine

Superintendent – Van Buren County (Vo-Ag Teachers)

All Swine must be owned by the Exhibitor by July 15, 2018.

Maximum weight for Market, Commercial Gilts, and Barrows is 280 lbs. for 2018.

Minimum weight for Market, Commercial gilts and Barrows is 200 lbs for 2018.

**PLEASE NOTE: In the past, min and max weight caps have been lifted. For 2018 Fair, due to limited stalling, min and max weights WILL be enforced. Any pig not meeting weight requirements will be asked to leave premise to allow for adequate stalling. -Reannon Russell, Livestock Superintendent**

All hogs must be entered online and entry fees paid by September 1, 2018. If an exhibitor does not have access to a computer, contact your County Extension Agent or Vo-Ag Instructor. **Late entries will not be accepted.**

### Market Hogs

1. Market hogs can only be exhibited by junior exhibitors.
2. Each Vo-Ag teacher or county Agent will be issued a weight sheet to record the declared weight of the animal. They must be filled out in ink. Animals may also be weighed on official scales and weight recorded by the superintendent or a person designated by the superintendent.

### Barrows

1. The Grand Champion Market Hog will not compete in the Barrow Show.
2. The Barrow show will run simultaneous with the market hog show.

### Commercial Gilts

1. Commercial gilt is defined as any gilt that is crossbred or any purebred gilt that is ineligible for registration. Commercial Gilt weight ranges for 2014: 220 pounds is the minimum and there is NO MAXIMUM weight for Commercial Gilts.
2. The Grand Champion Market Hog will not compete in the Commercial Gilt Show.
3. The Grand Champion Gilt will not show for Supreme Breeding Swine.

### Breeding Swine

1. All animals must have a registration certificate at time of entry. No pending registration will be accepted. Pigs farrowing after April 30, 2017 cannot compete.

**Chapter Entries:** all animals must be registered in the name of the FFA Chapter. Registration papers must be in the hands of the youth exhibitor or inspected by the department clerk before showing for proof of ownership and age of animal.

Breeding swine will be shown in the following order: (1) Duroc, (2) Hampshire, (3) Yorkshire, and (4) All Other Breeds.

### Points Value

All classes will be placed as follows: 1<sup>st</sup> place – 24 pts, 2<sup>nd</sup> place – 20 pts, 3<sup>rd</sup> place – 18 pts, 4<sup>th</sup> place – 17 pts, 5<sup>th</sup> place – 16 pts, 6<sup>th</sup> place – 15 pts, 7<sup>th</sup> place – 14 pts, 8<sup>th</sup> place – 13 pts, 9<sup>th</sup> place – 11 pts and 10<sup>th</sup> place – 10 pts.

<b>Class #</b>	<b>DIVISION 190: JUNIOR MARKET HOGS</b>	<b>Placing</b>
<b>01</b>	<b>Market Hog (Sub -Classes will be determined by weight)</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> place</b>
	<b>Grand Champion Market Hog</b>	<b>No Points</b>
	<b>Reserve Champion Market Hog</b>	<b>No Points</b>
	<b>Supreme Market Hog</b>	<b>No Points</b>
	<b>DIVISION 191: COMMERCIAL GILT</b>	<b>Points</b>
<b>01</b>	<b>Commercial Gilt (Sub-Classes will be determined by weight)</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> place</b>
	<b>Grand Champion Commercial Gilt</b>	<b>No Points</b>
	<b>Reserve Champion Commercial Gilt</b>	<b>No Points</b>
	<b>Supreme Commercial Gilt</b>	<b>No Points</b>
	<b>DIVISION 192: BARROWS</b>	
<b>01</b>	<b>Barrow (Sub-Classes will be determined by weight)</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> place</b>
	<b>Grand Champion Barrow</b>	<b>No Points</b>
	<b>Reserve Champion Barrow</b>	<b>No Points</b>
	<b>Supreme Barrow</b>	<b>No Points</b>
	<b>DIVISION 193: BREEDING SWINE</b>	
<b>01</b>	<b>April Boar</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> place</b>
<b>02</b>	<b>March Boar</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> place</b>
<b>03</b>	<b>February Boar</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> place</b>
	<b>Grand Champion Boar</b>	<b>No Points</b>
	<b>Reserve Champion Boar</b>	<b>No Points</b>
<b>04</b>	<b>April Gilt</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> place</b>
<b>05</b>	<b>March Gilt</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> place</b>
<b>06</b>	<b>February Gilt</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> place</b>
	<b>Grand Champion Gilt</b>	<b>No Points</b>
	<b>Reserve Champion Gilt</b>	<b>No Points</b>
	<b>Supreme Breeding Boar (from all breeds)</b>	<b>No Points</b>
	<b>Supreme Breeding Gilt (from all breeds)</b>	<b>No Points</b>
	<b>DIVISION 194: SWINE SHOWMANSHIP</b> <b>(Age as of date of show)</b>	
<b>01</b>	<b>Wee Jr. Swine Showmanship (Ages 8 and under)</b>	<b>No Points</b>
<b>02</b>	<b>Junior Swine Showmanship (Ages 9-13)</b>	<b>No Points</b>
<b>03</b>	<b>Senior Swine Showmanship (Ages 14-19)</b>	<b>No Points</b>

<b>DIVISION 390: OPEN BREEDING SWINE</b>		
<b>01</b>	<b>April Boar</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> place</b>
<b>02</b>	<b>March Boar</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> place</b>
<b>03</b>	<b>February Boar</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> place</b>
	<b>Grand Champion Boar</b>	<b>No Points</b>
	<b>Reserve Champion Boar</b>	<b>No Points</b>
<b>04</b>	<b>April Gilt</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> place</b>
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	<b>Reserve Champion Gilt</b>	<b>No Points</b>
	<b>Supreme Breeding Boar (from all breeds)</b>	<b>No Points</b>
	<b>Supreme Breeding Gilt (from all breeds)</b>	<b>No Points</b>