# 78th Annual

# Volusia County Fair & Youth Show

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## Livestock Exhibitor Handbook



The Volusia County Fair is under Florida State Statues Chapter 616 as a County Fair serving residents of Volusia County. The fair is dedicated to promoting the agricultural, horticulture, creative arts, sciences and educational opportunities for the residents of Volusia County while providing quality and affordable entertainment for the people of Central Florida. The Fair Association is recognized as a 501(C)-3 nonprofit organization by the Federal Government and the State of Florida.

The Volusia County Fair Assn., Inc. appreciates the support from individuals and businesses who help the fair reach its goals to serve the residents and provide the youth in Volusia County a place to show their exhibits and attend the fair events.

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#### 5C-3.001 Definitions.

For the purpose of this chapter, the definitions in Section 585.01, F.S., and the following shall apply:

- (1) Accredited Veterinarian. A state licensed veterinarian accredited by the United States Department of Agriculture, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (USDA, APHIS) to perform certain functions of federal and cooperative state-federal programs in accordance with the provisions of 9 C.F.R. 161.1 (JAN 2018), incorporated in subsection 5C-4.0015(1), F.A.C.
  - (2) Administrator. The Administrator of USDA, APHIS or any person authorized to act for the Administrator.
- (3) Animal(s). This term is as defined in Section 585.01(10), F.S., which provides that the term "animal" shall include wild or game animals whenever necessary to effectively control or eradicate dangerous transmissible diseases or pests which threaten the agricultural interests of the state.
- (4) Approved Livestock Facility. A stockyard, livestock market, buying station, concentration point, or any other premises under State or Federal veterinary supervision where Livestock are assembled and that has been approved under 9 C.F.R. §71.20 (2018). 9 C.F.R. §71.20 (2018) is hereby incorporated by reference and available online at <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?</a> No=Ref-10862.
- (5) Approved Tagging Site. A site or location specifically approved by the Department in accordance with chapter 5C-31, F.A.C., to apply Official Individual Identification to cattle.
- (6) Avian Influenza (AI) or Exotic Newcastle Disease (END) Affected State. Any state in which AI subtypes H5 or H7 or END virus has been diagnosed in poultry within the last ninety (90) days prior to importation into Florida.
- (7) Avian Influenza (AI) Approved Test. Antibody or antigen capture methodologies recognized by the National Poultry Improvement Plan (NPIP) and conducted at a laboratory approved to conduct such tests by USDA, APHIS.
- (8) Cervidae Herd Health Plan. A Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services (FDACS) disease surveillance plan for Cervids as defined and required in Chapter 5C-26, F.A.C.
- (9) Cervids. Any farmed or captive member of the family Cervidae and hybrids, including deer, elk, moose, caribou, reindeer, and related species that are raised or maintained in captivity for the production of meat and other agricultural products, for sport, or for exhibition.
- (10) Cleaned and Disinfected. Free of organic matter and disinfected in accordance with 9 C.F.R. §§71.7 and 71.10-71.12 (2018). 9 C.F.R. §§71.7 and 71.10-71.12 (2018) is hereby incorporated by reference and available online at <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10863">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10863</a>.
- (11) Commuter Herd. A herd of cattle moved interstate during the course of normal livestock management operations without a change of ownership or comingling of cattle of different ownership directly between two premises, as provided in a commuter herd agreement. The Commuter Herd participating states are Alabama, Florida, Georgia, and Mississippi.
- (12) Competitive Enzyme-linked Immunosorbent Assay (cELISA). A test that uses antibodies and color change to identify and quantify total antibodies in a sample.
  - (13) Department. The Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services.
  - (14) Division. The Division of Animal Industry of the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services.
- (15) "Domestic Animal" shall include any equine or bovine animal, goat, sheep, swine, domestic cat, dog, poultry, ostrich, emu, rhea, or other domesticated beast or bird.
  - (16) Domestic Fowl. Any member of the class Aves that is propagated or maintained under control of a person for commercial,

exhibition or breeding purposes, or as pets.

- (17) Electronic Equine Infectious Anemia (EIA) Form (A.K.A. Coggins Form). An electronic version of a USDA, APHIS and Department approved EIA form which must be complete, legible, and accurate with a detailed description of the equine that the test record represents, including the breed registration number or registry tattoo, when applicable; the name of the equine; the age, breed, sex and color; all other distinctive markings, including markings on the legs and face, color patterns, body brands, scars, whorls and blemishes, and digital images of the Equine. The digital images must consist of three (3) color images to include a full view of both sides of the Equine and the face from above the ears to below the muzzle.
- (18) Emergency Management Response Services (EMRS). A USDA, APHIS, web-based application for authorized users in the reporting of routine investigations of foreign animal diseases (FAD), surveillance and control programs, state specific disease outbreaks, and national animal health emergency responses (all-hazards).
- (19) Endemic Disease. A disease will be characterized as an Endemic Disease in a particular locality, region, state, or U.S. possession based on known positive cases, prevalence of the disease, presence of competent vectors and/or evidence of natural transmission of the disease such that the disease is maintained in the population without external inputs.
  - (20) Equine. Any member of the family Equidae, including horses, mules, asses, and zebras.
- (21) Equine Event Extension. A document accompanied by the original Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (OCVI), valid for six (6) months from the date of issuance, and proof of a negative EIA test within the previous twelve (12) months, is accepted by participating states for interstate movement.
- (22) Equine Infectious Anemia (EIA). A viral disease of horses, commonly known as swamp fever, which is infectious and is spread primarily by bloodsucking insects. Transmission can also occur through transfer of infected blood by fomites, such as contaminated hypodermic needles and other instruments.
- (23) Equine Interstate Passport. A card produced by the Department that serves as proof of negative EIA test and OCVI that is accepted by participating states for interstate movement.
- (24) Exotic (virulent) Newcastle Disease (END) Approved Test. Antigen capture methodologies recognized by the National Animal Health Laboratory Network (NAHLN) and conducted at a laboratory approved to conduct such tests by the USDA, APHIS.
- (25) Feeder Swine. A weaned gilt or barrow weighing forty (40) eighty (80) pounds at six (6) eight (8) weeks of age that is sold to be finished for slaughter.
- (26) Feral Swine. Swine that have lived all (wild) or any part (feral) of their lives as free-roaming. This definition does not include those exotic swine maintained by a zoo or aquarium accredited by the Association of Zoos & Aquariums.
- (27) Import, Imported, Importation. The movement of animals into Florida, from another state, United States (U.S.) possession, or foreign country.
  - (28) Lagomorph. Any member of the taxonomic order Lagomorpha.
- (29) Livestock. Grazing animals, such as cattle, horses, sheep, swine, goats, other hoofed animals, ostriches, emus, and rheas which are raised for private use or commercial purposes.
- (30) National Poultry Improvement Plan (NPIP). A cooperative state-federal-industry program for prevention and control of certain hatchery-disseminated diseases and for improvement of Poultry and Poultry Products as provided in 9 C.F.R. §§145-147 (2018). 9 C.F.R. §§145-147 (2018) is hereby incorporated by reference and available online at <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10899">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10899</a>.
- (31) Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (OCVI). A legible record or certificate made on an official form from the animal's state of origin, issued and signed by veterinarians licensed and accredited in the animal's state of origin for the purpose of certifying the Official Individual Identification, test requirements, and health status of specific animals for movement, exhibition, and other designated purposes.
- (32) Official Individual Identification. An individual animal identification that uniquely identifies the animal, the owner, the Premises where the animal was identified, and the state in which the Official Individual Identification was applied as referenced in 9 C.F.R §86.1., 9 C.F.R. §86.1 (2018) is hereby incorporated by reference and available online at <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10864">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10864</a>.
- (33) Owner-Shipper Statement. Any document signed by the owner or shipper as evidence of ownership or authority for possession of and for the transport of animals. Information required on the Owner-Shipper Statement is listed in subsection 5C-3.002(2), F.A.C.
- (34) Permit for Movement of Restricted Animals, VS Form 1-27 (JUN 89). A permit issued by an employee of the state or federal government, or a licensed veterinarian accredited by the USDA, who is authorized to conduct animal disease control and eradication activities, prior to the interstate shipment of animals infected or exposed to dangerous transmissible regulated diseases, which shall include:
  - (a) The number of animals to be moved;
  - (b) The purpose for which the animals are to be moved;
  - (c) The points of origin and destination; and,
  - (d) The consignor and consignee.

Permit for Movement of Restricted Animals, VS Form 1-27 (JUN 89) is hereby incorporated by reference and available online at <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10865">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10865</a>.

- (35) Poultry. Chickens, turkeys, quail, pheasants, chukars, peafowl, guineas, ratites and waterfowl. The term also includes other Domestic Fowl used for commercial, exhibition or breeding purposes, or as pets.
- (36) Poultry and Eggs for Hatching Purposes. A specific designation of those species of Domestic Fowl and the qualified eggs produced by these fowl that are eligible for testing and qualification under the supervision of the National Poultry Improvement Plan (NPIP). This term is also referred to as Eggs for Hatching Purposes.
- (37) Poultry Products. Hatching eggs, chicks, poults, litter, and offal, but not table eggs or processed poultry for human consumption.
  - (38) Premises. A location where animals are housed or kept.
- (39) Premises Identification Number. A nationally unique number assigned by a state, tribal, and/or federal animal health authority to a Premises that is, in the judgment of such state, tribal, and/or federal animal health authority, a geographically distinct location from other Premises.
- (40) Prior Permission Number. Specific permission granted by the State Veterinarian or Division representative prior to movement of certain animals and Poultry into Florida. A Prior Permission Number will be granted when the Division determines that the animal(s) meets the requirements of this chapter. When prior permission is required by this chapter, the Prior Permission Number must be written on the OCVI or on the Owner-Shipper Statement accompanying the animal(s). Such prior permission may be either written permission or issuance of a permission number requested by telephone, facsimile message, or email. A Prior Permission Number may be obtained by calling, faxing, or emailing the Division of Animal Industry during normal business hours.

Phone: (850)410-0900 Fax: (850)410-0946

Email: AnimalPermits@FDACS.gov.

- (41) Pullorum-Typhoid (PT) Approved Test. Antibody or antigen capture methodologies recognized by the NPIP and conducted at a laboratory approved to conduct such tests by USDA, APHIS. The NPIP number of a registered flock will be recorded on this form titled, Poultry Testing, FDACS-09123, Rev. 09/17. Poultry Testing, FDACS-09123, Rev. 09/17 is hereby incorporated by reference and available online at <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10866">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10866</a>. The test results of Non-NPIP registered flocks will be documented on Poulty Testing, FDACS-09123, Rev. 09/17.
- (42) Quarantine. Strict isolation on animals or premises or other defined geographic areas, to prevent the spread of diseases or pests.
- (43) Rabbit Hemorrhagic Disease (RHD). A highly fatal hemorrhagic disease of rabbits and other lagomorphs caused by viruses in the family Caliciviridae, including Rabbit Hemorrhagic Disease Virus and Rabbit Hemorrhagic Disease Virus 2.
- (44) Racing Pigeon. Racing Pigeons are homing pigeons used to race. The homing pigeon is a variety of domestic pigeon (*Columba livia domestica*) derived from the rock pigeon, selectively bred to find its way home over extremely long distances.
- (45) Recognized Slaughtering Establishment. An animal slaughtering establishment operating under the provisions of the Federal Meat Inspection Act (21 U.S.C. §§601-695), or an equivalent in the animal's state of origin state meat inspection program.
  - (46) Restricted Animals. Animals that are quarantined, infected with, or exposed to any infectious or communicable disease.
  - (47) Service Animal. A dog or minature horse as defined and limited in Sections 413.08(2)-(4), F.S.
- (48) State Veterinarian. The Director of the Division of Animal Industry of the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services.
  - (49) Transitional Swine. Swine that have been, or have potentially been, exposed to Feral Swine.
- (50) Triple Trunk Wash (TW) Culture. A direct test designed to detect viable *Mycobacterium tuberculosis* (Mtb) organisms via culture of material obtained from an elephant trunk wash. The recommended routine Mtb monitoring is an annual triple mycobacterial trunk wash culture. Each testing event should consist of three (3) independent collections on three (3) days within a one (1) week period. It is recommended that food and water be witheld from elephants for two (2) hours before the TW is performed to help minimize the contamination of the TW sample.
- (51) Trichomoniasis Approved Test. Testing utilizing polymerase chain reaction (PCR) analysis performed on bovine preputial wash samples submitted by a Category II Accredited Veterinarian to an American Association of Veterinary Laboratory Diagnostics (AAVLD) accredited laboratory in accordance with protocols provided by the laboratory and consistent with national standards.
  - (52) USDA, APHIS. The United States Department of Agriculture, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Services.
- (53) Vesicular Stomatitis (VS)-Affected State. Any state in which either of the VS virus serotypes New Jersey or Indiana have been diagnosed and one or more Premises is currently under state or USDA, APHIS quarantine.
- (54) Working Dogs. Any dog in the possession of a federal, military, state or local governmental agency or private organization that is trained for the purpose of human search and rescue, body recovery, arson detection, bomb detection, narcotics detection, food and agricultural product detection, criminal apprehension, police assistance or other related purposes, whether in the performance of such tasks or while traveling to and from such tasks.

Rulemaking Authority 570.07(23), 585.002(4), 585.08(2)(a) FS. Law Implemented 570.07(15), 570.36(2), 585.003, 585.08(2)(a), 585.11(1), (4), 585.145(1), (2), 585.16 FS. History—New 6-29-62, Amended 2-5-85, Formerly 5C-3.01, Amended 9-6-89, 3-23-94, 6-4-95, 12-12-04, 5-24-10, 2-19-14, 2-8-16, 8-19-19, 1-31-21.

#### 5C-3.002 General Requirements and Limitations.

- (1) Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (OCVI) Required. Animals Imported into Florida must be accompanied by an OCVI unless exempted by this rule. The OCVI must be in the possession of the driver of the vehicle or person otherwise in charge of the animals. The OCVI must accompany the animals to their final destinations in Florida.
- (a) Information Required. The OCVI must be legible and fully completed by the issuing Accredited Veterinarian and must include the following:
  - 1. The name and address of the consignor;
  - 2. The name and address of the consignee;
- 3. The physical address and Premises Identification Number of the point of origin, if assigned by state officials in the animal's state of origin. If a Premises Identification Number is assigned by Florida state officials, it will be documented on an Application For Premises Registration, FDACS-09215, Rev. 05/13. as incorporated by reference in Rule 5C-31.006, F.A.C.
  - 4. The physical address of the point of destination;
  - 5. The date of examination;
  - 6. The number of animals examined;
  - 7. The Official Individual Identification of each animal, and the name or registered brand or tattoo number;
  - 8. The sex, age, and breed of each identified animal;
  - 9. Test results and herd or state status on certain diseases as specified in this chapter;
  - 10. Prior Permission Number, if required in paragraphs 5C-3.002(3)(a)-(d), F.A.C.;
- 11. A statement by the issuing veterinarian that the animals identified on the OCVI are free of signs of infectious or communicable disease; and
- 12. In addition to the above, for Equine only, the establishment or Premises location at which the animal was examined, body temperature at examination, and a description sufficient to identify the individual Equine including name, sex, breed, color, markings, and unique and permanent forms of identification when present (e.g. brands, tattoos, scars, cowlicks, blemishes, or biometeric measurements).
- (b) Division Notification. A copy of the OCVI must be forwarded, by the issuing Accredited Veterinarian, within seven (7) calendar days of issuance for all Livestock and Poultry, including Equines, and within thirty (30) days of issuance for all non-livestock species to the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Division of Animal Industry, 407 South Calhoun Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0800.
- (c) OCVI Notification. The OCVI will be void thirty (30) days from the date of inspection/issuance, with the exception that an OCVI may be valid less than thirty (30) days as provided in subsections 5C-3.002(5) and 5C-3.003(4), F.A.C., or extended as provided in subsection 5C-3.003(5), F.A.C.
- (2) Owner-Shipper Statement. Animals which are not required to be accompanied by an OCVI for Importation, as exempted by this chapter, must be accompanied by an Owner-Shipper Statement signed by the owner or agent as evidence of ownership or authority for possession of the transported animals. This document must disclose:
  - (a) The name and address of the consignor;
  - (b) The name and address of the consignee;
  - (c) The physical address of the point of origin;
  - (d) The physical address of the point of destination;
  - (e) The number of animals covered by the statement;
- (f) A description of the animals and Official Individual Identification as required by subsection 5C-3.002(1), F.A.C., or other identification sufficient to identify them for any and all purposes; and
  - (g) A Prior Permission Number, if required by this chapter.
  - (3) Prior Permission Number. A Prior Permission Number is required for:
  - (a) All farmed or captive Cervids:
  - (b) All hoofed animals from VS-Affected States;
  - (c) Equines from Contagious Equine Metritis (CEM) affected countries;
- (d) Equines consigned directly to a veterinary medical treatment facility for emergency medical care which do not have appropriate documentation for interstate movement;
  - (e) Poultry and Poultry Products requiring a Prior Permission Number in accordance with paragraphs 5C-3.012(2)(a)-(f), F.A.C.;
  - (f) Animals exposed to or infected with a contagious, infectious, communicable, or dangerous transmissible disease;
- (g) Cattle or bison from states with less than Accredited Tuberculosis-Free or Brucellosis Class-Free status; pursuant to 9 CFR §§77 and 78.

- (h) All swine; and
- (i) Equines Imported from U.S. possessions where Equine Piroplasmosis (EP) is endemic.
- (4) Restricted Animals. All Restricted Animals must be accompanied by a Permit for Movement of Restricted Animals, VS Form 1-27 (JUN 89) as adopted by reference in Rule 5C-3.001, F.A.C., permit, have a Prior Permission Number, and the Prior Permission Number must be written on the Permit for Movement of Restricted Animals, VS Form 1-27 (JUN 89) for Importation into Florida or to be transported within Florida.
  - (5) Vesicular Stomatitis.
  - (a) Certification for Vesicular Stomatitis (VS).
- 1. All hoofed animals, including horses, ruminants, swine, exotic, and wild hoofed animals, not originating from a Premises within ten (10) miles of an affected Premises in a VS-Affected State must be accompanied by an OCVI, dated within five (5) days of entry or reentry into Florida. The OCVI must be signed by an Accredited Veterinarian.
- 2. The following statement must be written on the OCVI by the examining Accredited Veterinarian: "All animals susceptible to Vesicular Stomatitis (VS) identified and included in this OCVI for shipment have been examined and found to be free from clinical signs and vectors of VS, have not been in contact with VS-affected animals, and have not been within ten (10) miles of a VS-affected Premises within the last thirty (30) days."
- (b) Prior Permission Number. Animals originating from non-affected Premises in a VS-affected state will require a Prior Permission Number. The Prior Permission Number must be written on the OCVI.
  - (6) Violations. Violators of this rule chapter will be penalized in accordance with Rule 5C-30.003, F.A.C.

Rulemaking Authority 570.07(23), 585.002(4), 585.08(2)(a) FS. Law Implemented 570.07(15), 570.36(2), 585.11(1), 585.145(1), (2), 585.16 FS. History—New 6-29-62, Amended 2-5-85, Formerly 5C-3.02, Amended 9-6-89, 3-23-94, 6-4-95, 12-12-04, 5-24-10, 8-19-19.

#### 5C-3.003 Equine.

- (1) Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (OCVI) Required. The OCVI must list the description sufficient to identify the individual Equine including name, age, breed, color, gender, distinctive markings, and unique and permanent forms of identification when present (eg. Brands, tattoos, scars, cowlicks, or blemishes), and temperature at the time of exam. An OCVI must accompany all Equines Imported into Florida, except the following:
- (a) Equines consigned directly to a veterinary medical treatment facility for emergency medical care until treatment is completed and the Equine exits the state; or
- (b) Equines accompanied by an Equine Event Extension document, Equine Interstate Passport Card, or equivalent from the animal's state of origin, signed by the State Veterinarian or chief animal health official as provided in subsection 5C-3.003(5), F.A.C.
  - (2) Prior Permission Number. A Prior Permission Number must be obtained for:
- (a) Equines consigned directly to a veterinary medical treatment facility for emergency medical care which do not have appropriate documentation for interstate movement;
- (b) Equines Imported into Florida from areas within the United States or foreign countries, where Equine Piroplasmosis (EP) is endemic; or
  - (c) Equines Imported into Florida from countries where Contagious Equine Metritis (CEM) is endemic; or
  - (d) Equines Imported into Florida from non-affected Premises in VS-Affected States.
  - (3) Equine Infectious Anemia (EIA) Test.
- (a) All Equines Imported into Florida must be accompanied by evidence of an official negative EIA serologic test as provided in the Equine Infectious Anemia: Uniform Methods and Rules, APHIS 91-55-064, January 10, 2007, completed within twelve (12) months prior to Importation. Equine Infectious Anemia: Uniform Methods and Rules, APHIS 91-55-064, January 10, 2007 is hereby incorporated by reference and available online at <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10867">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10867</a>. The following are exempt from the EIA Serologic testing requirement:
  - 1. Foals under six (6) months of age accompanied by their dam which has met the EIA test requirements; and
  - 2. Equines exempted from the OCVI requirement under paragraph 5C-3.003(1)(a), F.A.C.
- (b) The EIA test information must be recorded on the OCVI, the Equine Event Extension document, the Equine Interstate Passport Card, or equivalent from the animal's state of origin as provided in subsection 5C-3.003(5), F.A.C., approved by the State Veterinarian or chief animal health official, and must include the following:
  - 1. The date the EIA test sample was collected;
  - 2. The result of the test:
  - 3. The name of the testing laboratory; and
  - 4. The laboratory accession number.
  - (4) Equine Piroplasmosis Requirements.
- (a) The Commonwealth of Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands of the United States have been determined to be endemic for Equine Piroplasmosis (EP) and Equines moved from these areas to Florida are subject to the requirements of paragraphs 5C-3.003(2)(b) and

- (4)(b), (c) and (d), F.A.C. Pursuant to section 585.14, F.S., the Division of Animal Industry, under the direction of the State Veterinarian, shall publish notice of other localities, regions, states, or U.S. possessions, where Equine Piroplasmosis (EP) is determined to be endemic on its website (www.FreshFromFlorida.com/Divisions-Offices/Animal-Industry) and in the Florida Administrative Register as necessary.
- (b) Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (OCVI). Notwithstanding paragraph 5C-3.002(1)(c), F.A.C., for Equines from localities, regions, states, or U.S. possessions where Equine Piroplasmosis (EP) is determined to be endemic, the inspection date of the OCVI that must accompany Equines Imported into or through the State of Florida shall be issued no more than fourteen (14) days prior to the entry of the Equine into the state. The OCVI must also include the following statement: "No animals identified on this certificate have not been on a Premises found positive for Theileria equi (Babesia Equi) or Babesia caballi or under quarantine within the past thirty (30) days. All animals identified on this certificate have been inspected and found free of ticks, and have been thoroughly treated with an approved acaricide labeled for use in Equine within fourteen (14) days of entry."
- (c) Testing. All Equines Imported into Florida from localities, regions, states or U.S. possessions where Equine Piroplasmosis (EP) is determined to be endemic must be accompanied by evidence of a negative Competitive Enzyme-linked Immunosorbent Assay (cELISA) test for both Babesia caballi and Theileria equi (Babesia equi), performed at the USDA, APHIS National Veterinary Services Laboratories (NVSL) or other laboratory authorized by the USDA, APHIS, NVSL. The blood sample for the test must be taken within thirty (30) days prior to entry into Florida. The result and accession number must be listed on the OCVI.
- (d) Tick Vectors. All Equines identified on the OCVI as originating from localities, regions, states, or U.S. possessions where Equine Piroplasmosis (EP) is determined to be endemic must be examined for, and found free of, ticks and must be thoroughly treated for ticks with a United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) registered acaricide labeled for use in horses.
- (e) Exemption. Equines from Florida consigned to localities, regions, states, or U.S. possessions where Equine Piroplasmosis (EP) is determined to be endemic that are returned to Florida within thirty (30) days of the issuance of the Florida OCVI are exempt from the requirements of this rule.
- (5) Equine Event Extension, FDACS-09051 Rev. 03/06 is hereby incorporated by reference and can be found online at <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10868">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10868</a> or Equine Interstate Passport Card. Equine Interstate Passport Card FDACS-09207 Rev. 08/18 is herby incorporated by reference and can be found online at <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10869">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10869</a>. Equine Event Extension document, or Equine Interstate Passport Card, or equivalent from the animal's state of origin, when used in place of an OCVI, must certify the existence of an official negative EIA test within the previous twelve (12) months and a valid OCVI. The Equine Event Extension document, Equine Interstate Passport Card, or equivalent from the animal's state of origin, will be valid for up to six (6) months from date of issuance of the OCVI provided that:
- (a) The purpose is to allow routine intrastate and interstate movement of Equines to attend events such as horse shows or exhibitions, fairs, and trail rides. These documents may not be used for movement of Equines for breeding purposes or change of ownership.
- (b) The Equine Event Extension document or Equine Interstate Passport Card, or equivalent from the animal's state of origin shall include all other information required by subsections 5C-3.002(1) and 5C-3.003(3), F.A.C.;
- (c) The Equine Event Extension document or Equine Interstate Passport Card, or equivalent of the animal's state of origin expiration date will not be later than the expiration date of the EIA test or six (6) months from date of issue of the OCVI.
- (d) An Equine Event Extension document or Equine Interstate Passport Card or equivalent from the animal's state of origin, does not supersede or replace the requirements of any given event; and
- (e) An Equine Event Extension document, or Equine Interstate Passport Card, may be applied for by owners of Florida-origin horses, by submitting an Application for Equine Event Extension, FDACS-09078 Rev. 09/17 or an Application for Equine Interstate Passport Card, FDACS-09219 Rev. 12/09, to: Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Division of Animal Industry, 407 South Calhoun Street, Mayo Building, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0800, or by Fax at (850)410-0949. Application for Equine Event Extension, FDACS-09078 Rev. 09/17 is hereby incorporated by reference and available online at <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10870">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10870</a>.

Application for Equine Interstate Passport Card, FDACS-09219 Rev. 12/09 is hereby incorporated by reference and available online at <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10871">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10871</a>. Applications may be obtained from: Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Division of Animal Industry, 407 South Calhoun Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0800, or by Fax at (850)410-0949.

(6) Brucellosis. Equines which are positive to a brucellosis test or which show evidence of "poll evil" or "fistulous withers," whether draining or not, will not be allowed to enter the state for any purpose.

Rulemaking Authority 570.07(23), 585.002(4), 585.08(2) FS. Law Implemented 570.07(15), 570.36(2), 585.002(5), 585.08(1), (2)(a), 585.14, 585.145(1), (2), 585.16 FS. History—New 11-21-65, Amended 6-26-66, 3-1-72, 10-15-73, 3-17-76, 9-14-82, 2-5-85, Formerly 5C-3.03, Amended 9-6-89, 3-23-94, 6-4-95, 12-12-04, 5-24-10, 8-19-19.

- (1) Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (OCVI) Required. All cattle or bison Imported into Florida must be accompanied by an OCVI, except the following, which must be accompanied by an Owner-Shipper Statement as provided in subsection 5C-3.002(2), F.A.C.:
  - (a) Cattle or bison consigned directly to an Approved Livestock Facility;
  - (b) Cattle or bison consigned directly to Recognized Slaughtering Establishments;
  - (c) Cattle moving directly to an Approved Tagging Site and returning to the out of state Premises of origin;
  - (d) Cattle moving under a Commuter Herd Agreement;
- (e) Cattle moving from an Approved Livestock Facility in Georgia, Alabama, or Mississippi and moving directly to Florida, accompanied by an approved state of origin Permit for Interstate Movement from a USDA Approved Livestock Facility; and
- (2) Official Individual Identification. The OCVI must list the individual animal identification unless exempted by this rule. The Official Individual Identification requirements for cattle include:
  - (a) Identification that complies with 9 C.F.R. §86.4(a)(1) (2013), as incorporated in Rule 5C-31.006, F.A.C.; or
- (b) Tattoos and registered brands such as ear breed registration tattoos when accompanied by breed registration papers or an official breed registration brand when accompanied by a breed registration certificate; or
- (c) Is submitted to and verified by the Department as meeting the requirements for Official Individual Indentifications such that state officials can determine the herd in which the animal was officially identified.
  - (d) Animals exempt from the Official Identification requirements are:
  - 1. Beef cattle less than eighteen (18) months of age, unless consigned to exhibition or rodeo;
  - 2. Cattle consigned directly to an Approved Tagging Site;
  - 3. Cattle consigned directly to an Approved Livestock Facility;
  - 4. Cattle consigned directly to Recognized Slaughtering Establishments; or
  - 5. Cattle moving under an approved Commuter Herd Agreement and Owner-Shipper Statement.
  - (3) Other Requirements and Limitations.
- (a) Cattle or bison infected with or exposed to tuberculosis or brucellosis or which are positive to an organism detection test for paratuberculosis (Johne's Disease) may be Imported only if consigned directly to a Recognized Slaughtering Establishment. Such animals must be accompanied by a Permit for Movement of Restricted Animals, VS Form 1-27 (JUN 89) and must have a Prior Permission Number. The Prior Permission Number must be written on the Permit for Movement of Restricted Animals, VS Form 1-27 (JUN 89).
- (b) Permit for Interstate Movement from USDA Approved Livestock Facility, FDACS-09158 Rev. 04/18, or equivalent form approved by the state of origin, can be issued by an Approved Livestock Facility as a valid interstate movement document for cattle moving between Florida, Alabama, Georgia, or Mississippi. Permit for Interstate Movement from USDA Approved Livestock Facility, FDACS-09158 Rev. 04/18 is hereby incorporated by reference and available online at <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?</a>
  <a href="No=Ref-10872">No=Ref-10872</a>. For cattle originating at an Approved Livestock Facility in Florida, this form must be completed fully and legibly. Within seven (7) days of sale, a copy of the form must be submitted, to: Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Division of Animal Industry, Cattle Programs Office, 2232 North East Jacksonville Road, Ocala, Florida 34470; and by Fax at (352)620-7212; and by Email at CattleForms@FreshFromFlorida.com. This form must include the following information:
  - 1. Name of the Approved Livestock Facility;
  - 2. State of destination;
  - 3. Date of sale:
  - 4. Purchaser and phone number;
  - 5. Complete physical location of destination including contact phone number;
- 6. Animal description including USDA backtag number or lot number. If no backtag was applied, age, sex, breed (to include designation as dairy or beef cattle), invoice number, and Official Identification, unless specifically exempt below:
- a. Cattle moving directly to slaughter are exempt from Official Identification requirement. Backtag information need not be listed on the Permit for Interstate Movement from a USDA Approved Livestock Facility, FDACS-09158 Rev. 04/18 if provided on the invoice and the invoice is attached.
  - b. Beef cattle less than eighteen (18) months of age are exempt from the Official Identification requirement.
- (c) Commuter Herd Agreement is an official document issued by participating states, which is used in lieu of an Official Certficate of Veterinary Insection (OCVI). All Official Individual Identification requirements and interstate disease testing requirements must be met. A Commuter Herd Agreement must be applied for by owners of Florida-origin cattle by submitting a completed Commuter Herd Agreement FDACS-09264 Rev. 06/19 to: Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Division of Animal Industry, Cattle Programs Office, 2232 North East Jacksonville Road, Ocala, Florida 34470; Fax: (352)620-7212; Email: CattleForms@FreshFromFlorida.com. Commuter Herd Agreement FDACS-09264 Rev. 06/19 is hereby incorporated by reference and available online at <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10873">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10873</a>.
  - (d) Testing Requirements.
  - 1. Tuberculosis Test.

- a. Dairy cattle, six (6) months of age or older, which originate from accredited tuberculosis-free herds in tuberculosis-free states or areas, may enter Florida without tuberculosis testing. The herd accreditation number and state or area status and date of last negative herd test within the previous twelve (12) months must be listed on the OCVI.
- b. Dairy cattle moved into Florida from adjacent states as part of normal ranching or farm operations between Premises under common ownership or management are exempt from the tuberculosis testing requirements of this section if:
- (I) They are moved from a closed herd or a herd which requires herd additions to be tested for tuberculosis prior to entry into the herd; and
  - (II) There is no change of ownership of the animals and the movement between Premises does not exceed 50 miles.
- c. Beef cattle or bison, six (6) months of age or older, which originate from an accredited tuberculosis-free herd or tuberculosis-free state or area may enter Florida without tuberculosis testing. The accredited tuberculosis-free herd number and the date of the last negative herd test within the previous twelve (12) months or the tuberculosis-free state or area status must be written on the OCVI.
- d. All other dairy and beef cattle or bison, six (6) months of age or older, which are not otherwise exempt from negative tuberculosis test requirements, must test negative to an official tuberculosis test, as provided in the Bovine Tuberculosis Eradication, Uniform Methods and Rules, APHIS 91-45-011, Effective January 1, 2005, within sixty (60) days prior to entry into Florida. Bovine Tuberculosis Eradication Uniform Methods and Rules, APHIS 91-45-011, Effective January 1, 2005 is hereby incorporated by reference and can be found online at <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10877">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10877</a>. The test date and negative tuberculin test results must be recorded on the OCVI.
  - e. Rodeo Bulls or Roping Steers.
- (I) Rodeo bulls or roping steers, six (6) months of age or older, performing in rodeo events must have a negative test for tuberculosis within twelve (12) months prior to being Imported into Florida.
- (II) Rodeo bulls, six (6) months of age or older, Imported for purposes other than performing in rodeo events must meet the requirements of sub-subparagraph 5C-3.004(3)(b)1.c. or d., F.A.C.
  - f. All cattle or bison consigned directly to a recognized slaughtering establishment may enter Florida without tuberculosis testing.
  - 2. Brucellosis Test.
  - a. A brucellosis test is not required for dairy and beef cattle or bison for Importation into Florida provided that the animals:
  - (I) Originate from a Brucellosis Class-Free State or Area;
- (II) Originate from a Certified Brucellosis Free Herd. The herd certification number and date of the last negative herd test within the previous twelve (12) months must be listed on the OCVI;
  - (III) Are official brucellosis vaccinated animals under eighteen (18) months of age, or are steers or spayed heifers;
  - (IV) Are consigned directly to a recognized slaughtering establishment.
- b. A negative brucellosis test, as provided in the Brucellosis Eradication: Uniform Methods and Rules, USDA, APHIS 91-45-013, Effective October 1, 2003, is required within thirty (30) days prior to Importation for dairy and beef cattle or bison not exempted in sub-subparagraph 5C-3.004(3)(d)2.a., F.A.C. Brucellosis Eradication: Uniform Methods and Rules, USDA, APHIS 91-45-013, Effective October 1, 2003, is hereby incorporated by reference and can be found online at <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10878">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10878</a>.
  - c. Rodeo Bulls.
- (I) Rodeo bulls performing in rodeo events may be Imported without tests provided the bulls are not changing ownership and are under eighteen (18) months of age; or individual bulls are negative to a brucellosis test, as provided in the Brucellosis Eradication: Uniform Methods and Rules, USDA, APHIS 91-45-013, Effective October 1, 2003, within twelve (12) months prior to Importation.
- (II) Rodeo bulls Imported for purposes other than performing in rodeo events must meet the requirements for Importation in subsubparagraph 5C-3.004(3)(d)2.a. or b., F.A.C., above.
  - 3. Trichomoniasis Testing
- a. All non-virgin bulls and all bulls eighteen (18) months of age and older, which are not otherwise exempt from negative trichomoniasis test requirements, must test negative to an official Trichomoniasis Approved Test, as defined in subsection 5C-3.001(51), F.A.C., within sixty (60) days prior to entry into Florida. The laboratory name, accession number, test date, negative trichomoniasis test results and Official Identification must be recorded on the OCVI or Owner-Shipper Statement. Exemptions to the trichomoniasis testing requirement are:
  - (I) Bulls consigned directly to a Recongnized Slaughtering Establishment.
- (II) Bulls entering Florida, moving directly to an Approved Livestock Facility and being sold in slaughter only channels. Test eligible bulls moving directly to an Approved Livestock Facility which are not accompanied by a negative Approved Trichomoniasis Test shall be visibly identified and shall be announced during the sale as selling for slaughter only. These bulls must move directly from the Approved Livestock Facility to a Recognized Slaughtering Establishment.
- (III) Bulls entering Florida for exhibition or rodeo, provided they do not commingle with female cattle and return to state of origin immediately following exhibition or rodeo event.
- (IV) Virgin bulls less than eighteen (18) months of age, as determined by breed registry records or absence of permanent central incisor teeth in wear. The OCVI or Owner-Shipper Statement must include any and all identification and a statement declaring the

bull(s) as virgin and less than eighteen (18) months of age.

- b. Approved Livestock Facilities shall maintain a list of all Trichomoniasis test eligible bulls arriving via interstate movement, and shall indicate whether or not the bull has a negative Trichomoniasis test. The list of bulls, Trichomoniasis test status, and a copy of all the negative Approved Trichomoniasis Test reports shall be made available to Department personnel for verification on the day of the sale.
- c. Bulls eighteen (18) months of age and older, moving under a Commuter Herd Agreement, FDACS-09264, Rev. 06/19, are to be accompanied by proof of a negative annual Trichomoniasis Approved Test within twelve (12) months of movement. The following statement shall be on the accompanying Owner-Shipper Statement: "All herd bulls over eighteen (18) months of age are tested annually for Trichomoniasis and all herd bull additions are tested negative prior to commingling. The bull(s) included in this shipment have not commingled with Trichomoniasis positive bulls or cows exposed to Trichomoniasis positive bulls."
  - (4) Prior Permission Number. A Prior Permission Number shall be required for all cattle or bison originating from:
  - (a) Non-Tuberculosis Accredited-Free State or areas,
  - (b) Non-Brucellosis Class-Free State or areas, or
  - (c) VS Affected-States.

Rulemaking Authority 570.07(23), 585.002(4), 585.08(2) FS. Law Implemented 570.07(15), 570.36(2), 585.08(1), (2)(a), 585.145(1), (2), 585.16 FS. History—Amended 3-22-63, 8-20-64, 9-23-65, 7-25-66, 11-15-67, 3-1-68, 3-12-70, 7-1-70, 9-1-72, 4-5-77, 7-1-79, 7-1-80, 9-30-80, 8-9-81, 9-14-82, 6-26-83, 2-5-85, Formerly 5C-3.04, Amended 9-6-89, 3-23-94, 6-4-95, 12-12-04, 5-24-10, 8-19-19, 1-31-21.

#### 5C-3.005 Goats or Sheep.

- (1) Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (OCVI) Required. All goats or sheep Imported into Florida, except goats or sheep consigned directly to Recognized Slaughtering Establishments, must be accompanied by an OCVI. The OCVI must include the following:
- (a) The Official Individual Identification of each animal which must conform to the identification guidelines of the USDA, APHIS Scrapie Eradication Uniform Methods and Rules, USDA, APHIS 91-55-079, June 1, 2005. USDA, APHIS Scrapie Eradication Uniform Methods and Rules, USDA, APHIS 91-55-079, June 1, 2005 is hereby incorporated by reference and available online at <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10879">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10879</a>. Approved methods of identification include:
  - 1. Official USDA-APHIS-VS Scrapie eartags;
- 2. Premises identification tattoos (must be legible and contain the flock number and unique animal number. The flock number is assigned by the USDA, APHIS and is required to be on the OCVI);
- 3. Official breed registry tattoos (must be accompanied by either the official breed registration certificate or an OCVI that includes the corresponding official registration number); or
- 4. Electronic microchip/implant (must be accompanied by owner statement of ID numbers, chip manufacturer, chip reader for verification of placement and the USDA flock number recorded on the OCVI) when the breed registry allows for electronic implant identification, as recorded on a registration certificate.
- (b) A statement that each goat or sheep is free of the clinical signs of the diseases: caseous lymphadenitis, contagious ecthyma (Orf), chlamydial keratoconjunctivitis, scabies, scrapie, and contagious footrot.
- (2) Prior Permission Number. A Prior Permission Number shall be required for all sheep or goats originating from VS-affected states under state or USDA, APHIS quarantine. The Prior Permission Number must be written on the OCVI.
- (3) Immediate Slaughter Goats or Sheep. Slaughter goats or sheep are not required to have an OCVI, as exempted by this rule, but do require:
- (a) Owner-Shipper Statement. Evidence of ownership or authority to transport the animals as provided in subsection 5C-3.002(2), F.A.C.; and
- (b) Official Identification. All goats or sheep entering Florida for slaughter purposes must be individually identified in accordance with paragraph 5C-3.005(1)(a), F.A.C.; and
- (c) The goats or sheep must be moved directly to a Recognized Slaughter Establishment without stopping or unloading at other livestock facilities in route.
  - (4) Testing Requirements for Dairy Goats.
- (a) Tuberculosis Test. Dairy goats six (6) months of age or older must originate from an Accredited Tuberculosis-Free Herd, or have had a negative caudal fold tuberculosis test within ninety (90) days prior to Importation into Florida. If originating from an Accredited Tuberculosis-Free Herd, the herd accreditation number and date of last herd accreditation test within the previous twelve (12) months must be written on the OCVI.
- (b) Brucellosis Test. Dairy goats six (6) months of age or older must originate from a Certified Brucellosis-Free Herd, or have documentation of a negative brucellosis test within ninety (90) days prior to Importation to Florida. If originating from a Certified Brucellosis-Free Herd, the herd certification number and date of the last herd certification test within the previous twelve (12) months must be written on the OCVI.

(c) Test Exemptions. There are no tuberculosis or brucellosis test requirements for meat type or pygmy goats.

Rulemaking Authority 570.07(23), 585.002(4), 585.08(2) FS. Law Implemented 570.07(15), 570.36(2), 585.08(1), (2)(a), 585.145(1), (2), 585.16 FS. History—New 6-29-62, Amended 2-5-85, Formerly 5C-3.05, Amended 9-6-89, 3-23-94, 6-4-95, 12-12-04, 5-24-10, 8-19-19.

#### 5C-3.006 Sheep.

Rulemaking Authority 585.002(4), 585.08(2) FS. Law Implemented 585.08(1), (2)(a), 585.145(1), (2) FS. History–New 6-29-62, Amended 2-5-85, Formerly 5C-3.06, Amended 9-6-89, 3-23-94, Repealed 6-4-95.

#### 5C-3.007 Swine.

- (1) Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (OCVI) Required. All swine Imported into Florida, except swine consigned directly to a Recognized Slaughtering Establishment or an Approved Livestock Facility for sale to slaughter, must be accompanied by an OCVI. Swine exempted from the OCVI requirement must be accompanied by an Owner-Shipper Statement as provided in subsection 5C-3.002(2), F.A.C.
- (2) The OCVI must contain the Official Individual Identification. Official Individual Identification is required for all swine, six (6) months of age or older. Official Individual Identification for swine includes:
- (a) Identification that complies with the United States Department of Agriculture 9 C.F.R. §§71.19(a)-(c) (2018). United States Department of Agriculture 9 C.F.R. §§71.19(a)-(c) (2018) is hereby incorporated by reference and available online at <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10880">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10880</a>, or
  - (b) Breed registration tattoos, or ear notches, when accompanied by breed registration papers,
- (3) Prior Permission Number. A Prior Permission Number is required on all swine Imported into Florida. The Prior Permission Number must be written on the OCVI or Owner-Shipper Statement accompanying the animals.
  - (4) Testing Requirements.
  - (a) Brucellosis Test.
- 1. All swine six (6) months of age or older Imported into Florida, not consigned directly to a Recognized Slaughtering Establishment must:
- a. Originate from herds not known to be infected with or exposed to brucellosis and be accompanied by proof of an official negative brucellosis test, as provided in 9 CFR §78.1 and 78.33(b)(2) (2018), conducted within thirty (30) days prior to Importation. 9 C.F.R. §§78.1 and 78.33(b)(2) (2018) are hereby incorporated by reference and available online at <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10901">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10901</a> and <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10881">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10881</a>;
- b. Originate directly from a Validated Brucellosis-Free Herd. The Validated Brucellosis-Free Herd number and the date of the last certification test within the past twelve (12) months must be written on the OCVI.
  - (b) Pseudorabies Test.
- 1. All swine six (6) months of age or older Imported into Florida, not consigned directly to a Recognized Slaughtering Establishment must:
- a. Originate from a herd not known to be infected with or exposed to pseudorabies and be accompanied by proof of an official negative pseudorabies test, as provided in 9 CFR §§85.1 and 85.7(c)(2) (2018), conducted within thirty (30) days prior to Importation. 9 C.F.R. §§85.1 and 85.7(c)(2) (2018) are hereby incorporated by reference and is available online at <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10909">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10909</a> and <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10882">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10882</a>;
  - b. Originate from a Qualified Pseudorabies-Negative (QN) Herd, or
  - c. Originate from a Pseudorabies-Monitored Feeder Pig Herd (MFPH);
  - (5) Immediate Slaughter Swine.

Swine not known to be infected with or exposed to brucellosis or pseudorabies may enter Florida without tests, for slaughter purposes, provided they are accompanied by an Owner-Shipper Statement, have Official Individual Identification as required in subsection 5C-3.007(2), F.A.C., and have a Prior Permission Number. The Prior Permission Number and Official Identification must be written on the accompanying document. Such swine must be:

- (a) Consigned directly to a Recognized Slaughtering Establishment; or
- (b) Consigned directly to an Approved Livestock Facility and then sold to a Recognized Slaughtering Establishment.
- (6) Transitional Swine.

Transitional Swine may be Imported into Florida provided they are accompanied by an OCVI, have Official Individual Identification as required in subsection 5C-3.007(2), F.A.C., and have a Prior Permission Number. The Prior Permission Number and Official Identification must be written on the accompanying document. Transitional swine may be Imported into Florida for slaughter as provided in subsection 5C-3.007(5), F.A.C. Transitional swine Imported into Florida, not consigned directly to a Recognized Slaughter Facility, must be:

(a) Tested negative for pseudorabies and brucellosis, as provided in 9 C.F.R. §§85.1 and 78.33(b)(2) (2018), on two (2) consecutive official tests conducted not less than thirty (30) days apart with the last test being within thirty (30) days of Importation;

and

- (b) They have been isolated from all other swine, from the time of the first pseudorabies and brucellosis test until Imported into Florida.
  - (7) Feral Swine may not be Imported into Florida.

Rulemaking Authority 570.07(23), 585.002(4), 585.08(2) FS. Law Implemented 570.07(15), 570.36(2), 585.08(1), (2)(a), 585.145(1), (2), 585.16 FS. History—Amended 3-24-65, 11-7-67, 6-20-68, 1-1-71, 3-1-72, 8-4-77, 2-5-85, 10-23-85, Formerly 5C-3.07, Amended 9-6-89, 3-23-94, 12-12-04, 5-24-10, 8-19-19.

#### 5C-3.008 Poultry.

Rulemaking Authority 585.002(4), 585.08(2) FS. Law Implemented 585.08(1), (2)(a), 585.145(1), (2) FS. History–Amended 8-20-65, 8-17-72, 2-5-85, Formerly 5C-3.08, Amended 9-6-89, Repealed 3-23-94.

#### 5C-3.009 Dogs or Cats.

- (1) Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (OCVI) Required. Except for dogs or cats Imported only for exhibition purposes, which will remain in the state for less than six (6) months, any Service Animal, any Working Dog, and any privately owned pets traveling with their owners, all dogs and cats imported into Florida must be accompanied by an OCVI stating that they:
  - (a) Are free from signs of any infectious or communicable disease;
  - (b) Did not originate within an area under quarantine for rabies; and
  - (c) Are not known to have a history of exposure to a rabies-infected animal prior to Importation.
  - (2) Dogs or Cats for Sale or Adoption Requirements for Importation.
  - (a) Each dog or cat Imported into Florida must:
  - 1. Be accompanied by an OCVI, and
- 2. Meet the minimum standards for vaccinations, tests, and anthelmintic treatments, and be eight (8) weeks of age or older as specified in Section 828.29, F.S.
- (b) Evidence of Compliance with Section 828.29, F.S., shall accompany the owner or agent having custody of such dogs or cats Imported into Florida or to which ownership is being transferred.
- (3) Rabies Vaccination. All dogs or cats, three (3) months of age and older, transported into Florida, including exhibition dogs or cats, Service Animals, Working Dogs, and privately owned pets traveling with their owners, must have proof of a current rabies vaccination.
- (4) Prior Permission Number. Dogs or cats originating from areas under quarantine for rabies must have a Prior Permission Number from the Division as provided in subsection 5C-3.002(3), F.A.C. The Prior Permission Number must be written on the OCVI.

Rulemaking Authority 570.07(23), 585.002(4), 585.08(2) FS. Law Implemented 570.07(15), 570.36(2), 585.08(1), (2)(a), 585.145(1), (2), 585.16, 828.29(1)(a), (2)(a) FS. History–New 6-29-62, Amended 2-5-85, Formerly 5C-3.09, Amended 9-6-89, 3-23-94, 6-4-95, 12-12-04, 5-24-10, 8-19-19.

#### 5C-3.0091 Domestic Cats.

Rulemaking Authority 585.002(4), 585.08(2) FS. Law Implemented 585.08(1), (2)(a), 585.145(1), (2) FS. History—New 9-6-89, Amended 3-23-94, Repealed 6-4-95.

#### 5C-3.010 Violation of Rules.

Rulemaking Authority 585.002(1), (2), (4), 585.004, 585.005, 585.08(2) FS. Law Implemented 585.08(2), (3), 585.007(1), (2) FS. History–New 6-29-62, Amended 2-5-85, Formerly 5C-3.10, Repealed 3-23-94.

#### 5C-3.0091 Domestic Cats.

Rulemaking Authority 585.002(4), 585.08(2) FS. Law Implemented 585.08(1), (2)(a), 585.145(1), (2) FS. History—New 9-6-89, Amended 3-23-94, Repealed 6-4-95.

#### 5C-3.010 Violation of Rules.

Rulemaking Authority 585.002(1), (2), (4), 585.004, 585.005, 585.08(2) FS. Law Implemented 585.08(2), (3), 585.007(1), (2) FS. History–New 6-29-62, Amended 2-5-85, Formerly 5C-3.10, Repealed 3-23-94.

#### 5C-3.011 Cervids (Farmed or Captive).

(1) Farmed or captive Cervids will be denied entry into the State of Florida unless accompanied by a valid Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission license or permit as referenced in Rule 68A-4.0051, F.A.C., except Cervidae, other than white-tailed deer, which are:

- (a) Moving to and originating from a zoological facilities which meet or exceed all applicable Association of Zoos and Aquariums (AZA) accreditation standards (2013) as required by subsection 68A-4.0051(1) F.A.C.; or
  - (b) Reindeer entering temporarily (less than ninety (90) days for exhibition) provided that:
- 1. The reindeer do not originate from a facility located in a county where Chronic Wasting Disease has been documented or a county which adjoins to a county where Chronic Wasting Disease has been documented; and
  - 2. Will not be kept at a Premises in Florida with other species of the family Cervidae.
  - (2) Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD) Status.
- (a) All Cervids Imported into Florida must originate from herds that are performing CWD surveillance and are not located in a county or an adjoining county where CWD has been documented; and
- (b) The animal health officials in the originating state must confirm the surveillance and the location of any positive CWD cases in the originating state.
  - (3) Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (OCVI) Required.
- (a) All Cervids Imported into Florida must be accompanied by an OCVI. The OCVI must list the official identification of each animal, the date and negative results for any required tests as provided below, and a Prior Permission Number.
  - (b) All information required on the OCVI must be completed by the issuing Accredited Veterinarian and shall include:
  - 1. The name, physical address and phone number of the consignor;
  - 2. The name, physical address and phone number of the consignee;
  - 3. The point of origin;
  - 4. The point of destination;
  - 5. The date of examination;
  - 6. The number of animals examined;
  - 7. The Official Individual Identification number of each cervid;
  - 8. The age, sex, and breed of each animal;
  - 9. The test results and CWD herd status for brucellosis and tuberculosis as specified in Rule 5C-26.005, F.A.C.
- 10. A statement by the issuing Accredited Veterinarian that the animals identified on the OCVI are free of signs of infectious, communicable, or neurologic disease;
  - 11. The phone number of the issuing Accredited Veterinarian;
  - 12. The purpose for which the animals are being moved;
  - 13. The CWD herd status of the herd of origin; and
  - 14. The prior permission number.
- (c) A copy of the OCVI shall be forwarded immediately by Email to AnimalPermits@FreshFromFlorida.com or via facsimile message, Fax: (850)410-0946, to the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Division of Animal Industry, prior to shipment for review and verification that Import requirements have been met and issuance of a Prior Permission Number.
  - (d) The OCVI shall be void thirty (30) days after issuance.
- (4) Prior Permission Number. All Cervids Imported into Florida, must have a Prior Permission Number. The Prior Permission Number must be written on the OCVI accompanying the animals.
  - (5) Testing Requirements and Exemptions.
- (a) Chronic Wasting Disease Test. There is no chronic wasting disease test presently required for Importation of Cervids into Florida. However, the animal(s) Imported must meet the requirements of subsection 5C-3.011(2), F.A.C., prior to Importation.
  - (b) Tuberculosis Test.
- 1. Cervids from an Accredited Tuberculosis-Free Herd, as provided in 9 C.F.R. §§77.33(f) (2018), are exempt from this test. 9 C.F.R. §77.33(f) (2018) is hereby incorporated by reference and available online at <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?</a> No=Ref-10883. The herd status must be listed on the accompanying OCVI.
- 2. Cervids which do not originate from Accredited Tuberculosis-Free Herds and are not known to be affected with or exposed to tuberculosis may be Imported into Florida if they are:
  - a. Under six (6) months of age;
- b. Originate from a herd which has been classified negative to an official tuberculosis test, as provided in 9 C.F.R. §77.20 (2018), of all eligible animals conducted within the past twelve (12) months, and the animals to be Imported are negative to a second official tuberculosis test conducted within ninety (90) days of Importation. 9 C.F.R. §77.20 (2018) is hereby incorporated by reference and available online at http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10884;
- c. The animals to be Imported have two (2) consecutive negative official tuberculosis tests, as provided in 9 C.F.R. §77.20 (2018), conducted not less than ninety (90) days apart, the second test conducted within ninety (90) days prior to Importation, with animals isolated from all other members of the herd during the testing period;
  - d. The official tuberculosis test results and dates of tests must be recorded on the OCVI accompanying the animals.
  - (c) Brucellosis Test.
  - 1. Cervids originating from a Certified Brucellosis-Free Herd as defined in the USDA, APHIS, Brucellosis in Cervidae: Uniform

Methods and Rules, USDA, APHIS 91-45-16, Effective September 30, 2003, are exempt from this test. USDA, APHIS, Brucellosis in Cervidae: Uniform Methods and Rules, APHIS 91-45-16, Effective September 30, 2003, is hereby incorporated by reference and available online at <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10885">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10885</a>. The herd status must be listed on the accompanying OCVI.

- 2. Cervids which do not originate from Certified Brucellosis-Free Herds and are not known to be affected with or exposed to brucellosis may be Imported if they are:
  - a. Under six (6) months of age;
- b. Sexually intact animals, six (6) months of age or older, and negative to an official brucellosis test, as provided in the Brucellosis in Cervidae: Uniform Methods and Rules, APHIS 91-45-16, Effective September 30, 2003, conducted within ninety (90) days prior to Importation. The official brucellosis negative test results must be recorded on the OCVI accompanying the animals.
- (6) Consignee's herd shall be registered and comply with requirements of the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services Cervidae Herd Health Plan as provided in Chapter 5C-26, F.A.C.

Rulemaking Authority 570.07(23), 585.002(4), 585.08(2) FS. Law Implemented 570.07(15), 570,36(2), 585.08(1), (2)(a), 585.145(1), (2) FS. History—New 3-23-94, Amended 12-12-04, 5-24-10, 8-19-19.

#### 5C-3.012 Domestic Fowl, Poultry, Poultry Products and Ratites.

- (1) Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (OCVI) Required. All Domestic Fowl, Poultry, and Eggs For Hatching Purposes Imported into Florida, unless exempted by this rule, must be accompanied by an OCVI. Poultry and Eggs For Hatching Purposes under provisions of the National Poultry Improvement Plan (NPIP) may substitute Report of Sales of Hatching Eggs, Chicks, and Poults, VS Form 9-3 (FEB 2016), for the OCVI. Report of Sales of Hatching Eggs, Chicks, and Poults, VS Form 9-3 (FEB 2016) is hereby incorporated by reference and available online at <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10886">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10886</a>. Racing Pigeons that are transported out of Florida for racing purposes in a sealed crate(s) and reenter Florida with unbroken seals are exempt from the OCVI Importation requirements. The OCVI or VS Form 9-3 must include the Official Identification approved by the United States Department of Agriculture in accordance with 9 C.F.R. §§86.4(a)(3) (2018). 9 C.F.R. §§86.4(a)(3) (2018) is hereby incorporated by reference and can be found online at <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10887">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10887</a>.
- (2) Prior Permission Number. To acquire a Prior Permission Number, an Official Avian Permit FDACS-09257, Rev. 05/18 must be completed and submitted to the Division of Animal Industry. Official Avian Permit FDACS-09257, Rev. 05/18 is hereby incorporated by reference and available online at <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10891">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10891</a>. A Prior Permission Number is required on the accompanying documentation for Importation of all Domestic Fowl, Poultry, and Eggs For Hatching Purposes, except those listed below in paragraphs (a)-(f), that originate from a state not affected by Exotic New Castle Disease (END) or Avian Influenza (AI):
  - (a) Poultry consigned directly to a Recognized Slaughtering Establishment for slaughter;
  - (b) Individual exotic birds;
  - (c) Racing Pigeons returning to Florida in unbroken, sealed containers;
  - (d) Exhibition birds originating in NPIP participating flocks in Florida and returning to Florida;
- (e) Those shipments moving through Florida for transhipment outside of the United States and traveling on an international OCVI, consigning the shipment to a foreign country, provided the shipping containers are not opened in Florida.
- (f) Eggs for Hatching Purposes or chicks less than four (4) days of age originating from NPIP participating flocks accompanied by a Report of Sales of Hatching Eggs, Chicks, and Poults, VS Form 9-3 (FEB 2016).
  - (3) Testing Requirements.
  - (a) Pullorum-Typhoid testing requirement.
- 1. An official negative test for Pullorum-Typhoid, as provided in 9 C.F.R. §§147.1-147.5 (2018), as adopted in rule 5C-3.001, F.A.C., is required within thirty (30) days of Importation into Florida for poultry or on the flock from which Eggs for Hatching Purposes originate. However, no Pullorum-Typhoid test is required for the following:
- a. Importing Poultry or Eggs For Hatching Purposes originating from flocks classified under provisions of the NPIP as U.S. Pullorum-Typhoid Clean, as provided in 9 CFR §§145.23(b), 145.33(b), 145.43(b), 145.53(b) and 145.63(b) (2018), as adopted in rule 5C-3.001, F.A.C.
- b. Quail, pheasants, and other birds used strictly for hunting purposes that are consigned directly to a Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission licensed hunting preserve;
  - c. Ratites:
  - d. Waterfowl Imported for exhibition purposes;
  - e. Exotic birds;
  - f. Pigeons and doves of the family Columbidae;
- g. Exhibition birds originating from NPIP-participating flocks in Florida returning to Florida. These birds must be accompanied by proof of a valid NPIP flock testing record for pullorum-typhoid indicating that the flock test, in accordance with 9 C.F.R.

§145.53(b) (2018), as adopted in rule 5C-3.001, F.A.C., was conducted within the previous twelve (12) months or proof of a valid NPIP participant card current within the past twelve (12) months; or

- h. Poultry consigned directly to a Recognized Slaughtering Establishment for slaughter.
- 2. Pullourm-Typhoid testing records for exhibition birds not originating from a NPIP-participating flock will be documented by an Authorized Representative from the state or USDA at the Fair Exhibition Poultry Summary of Pullorum-Typhoid Testing, FDACS-09170, Rev. 09/17. Fair Exhibition Poultry Summary of Pullorum-Typhoid Testing, FDACS-09170, Rev. 09/17 is hereby incorporated by reference and available online at <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10890">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10890</a>.
  - (b) Avian Influenza (AI) testing requirements.
  - 1. Poultry or Poultry Products originating from a non-AI affected state.
- a. All Poultry and Poultry Products must be accompanied by proof of a negative, approved test for Avian Influenza (AI). All samples collected by the Division will be documented by an Authorized Representative from the state on Avian Influenza/Exotic Newcastle Disease Poultry Surveillance Submission Form, FDACS-09230, Rev. 09/17. Avian Influenza/Exotic Newcastle Disease Poultry Surveillance Submission Form, FDACS-09230, Rev. 09/17 is hereby incorporated by reference and available online at <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10892">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10892</a>.
  - b. Entry into Florida must be within twenty-one (21) days of the AI sample being taken; and,
- c. If a flock with greater than thirty (30) birds is to be Imported, then no less than thirty (30) samples per flock must be taken with at least ten (10) samples taken per house; or
  - d. If a flock of less than thirty (30) birds is to be Imported, then all birds must be tested.
- 2. Exemptions to the AI testing requirements for Poultry and Poultry Products originating from a non-AI affected state. No AI test is required for the following:
- a. Poultry or Poultry Products originating from flocks classified as U.S. Avian Influenza Clean, as provided in 9 C.F.R. §§145.23(h), 145.33(1), 145.43(g), 145.53(e), and 145.63(b) (2018), as adopted in rule 5C-3.001, F.A.C., in non-AI affected states;
  - b. Ratites;
  - c. Exotic birds; or
  - d. Pigeons and doves of the family Columbidae.
- 3. Proof of negative Avian Influenza (AI) testing and the Department issued Prior Permission Number, unless exempted from Prior Permission Number requirement in accordance with subsection 5C-3.012(2), F.A.C., must be documented on the Report of Sales of Hatching Eggs, Chicks, and Poults, VS Form 9-3 (FEB 2016), or OCVI listing the description of birds, test date, test results, and the name of the laboratory.
  - 4. Poultry Products originating from an Avian Influenza (AI) affected state.
- a. From a Quarantine or Control Area as defined by originating state. No Domestic Fowl, live Poultry or Poultry Products or Eggs for Hatching Purposes originating from a Quarantine or Control Area in an AI affected state may enter Florida, except for Imported birds that have completed all USDA or state of origin requirements to move from a Quarantine or Control Area, and have completed Florida Import requirements as described in subsections (1)-(3) of this rule. The Department shall verify USDA requirements have been met through the Emergency Management Response System (EMRS) prior to permitting for entry into Florida by the State Veterinarian's Office.
  - b. Non-Quarantine or Control Areas as defined by originating state. All Poultry and Poultry Products:
  - (I) Must be accompanied by proof of a negative, approved test for AI; and,
  - (II) Entry into Florida must be within seven (7) days of the AI sample being taken; and,
- (III) If a flock with greater than thirty (30) birds is to be Imported, then no less than thirty (30) samples per flock must be taken with at least ten (10) samples taken per house; or
  - (IV) If a flock of less than thirty (30) birds is to be Imported, then all birds must be tested.
- 5. The following Poultry and Poultry Products originating from a non-quarantined area in an AI affected state are exempt from the AI testing requirements described in sub-subparagraph (3)(b)4.b.:
  - a. Ratites;
  - b. Exotic birds; or
  - c. Pigeons and doves of the family Columbidae.
- 6. Proof of negative AI testing and a Department issued Prior Permission Number must be documented on the Report of Sales of Hatching Eggs, Chicks, and Poults, VS Form 9-3 (FEB 2016), or OCVI listing the description of birds, test date, test results, and the name of the laboratory.
- (c) Exotic Newcastle Disease (END) testing requirements. END testing requirements apply to only those shipments of Poultry or Poultry Products originating from an END affected state.
- 1. Quarantine or Control Areas. No Domestic Fowl, live Poultry or Poultry Products, or Eggs for Hatching Purposes originating from a Quarantine or Control Area may enter Florida except for Imported birds that have completed all USDA and originating state requirements to move from a Quarantine or Control Area, have completed Florida Import test requirements as described in subsections (1)-(3) of this rule, and are permitted for entry into Florida by the State Veterinarian's Office.

- 2. Non-Quarantine or Control Areas.
- a. All Poultry and Poultry Products must be accompanied by proof of a negative, approved test for Exotic Newcastle Disease (END). END samples submitted by the Division will be documented by an Authorized Representative from the state on Avian Influenza/Exotic Newcastle Disease Poultry Surveillance Submission Form, FDACS-09230, Rev. 09/17, as incorporated in paragraph 5C-3.012(3)(b), F.A.C.
  - b. Entry in Florida must be within seven (7) days of the Exotic Newcastle Disease (END) sample being taken; and,
- c. If a flock with greater than thirty (30) birds is to be Imported, then no less than thirty (30) samples per flock must be taken with at least ten (10) samples taken per house; or
  - d. If a flock with less than thirty (30) birds is to be Imported, then all birds must be tested.
- 3. Documentation. Poultry or Poultry Products must be accompanied by a Report of Sales of Hatching Eggs, Chicks, and Poults, VS Form 9-3 (FEB 2016), or OCVI indicating Poultry or Poultry Product originated from an END-negative flock, listing the Department issued Prior Permission Number, description of birds, test date, test results, and the name of testing laboratory.
- (4) Containers for Shipment. All Imported Domestic Fowl, Poultry, and Eggs For Hatching Purposes must be shipped in new or Cleaned and Disinfected reusable containers.

Rulemaking Authority 570.07(23), 585.002(4) FS. Law Implemented 570.07(15), 570.36(2), 585.08(1), (2)(a), 585.145(1), (2), 585.16 FS. History—New 3-23-94, Amended 12-12-04, 5-24-10, 2-8-16, 8-19-19, 1-31-21.

#### 5C-3.013 Penalties for Violation.

Rulemaking Authority 585.002(4) FS. Law Implemented 585.007(1), (2), 585.145(3) FS. History-New 3-23-94, Repealed 6-4-95.

#### 5C-3.014 Elephants.

- (1) Elephant *Mycobacterium tuberculosis* (Mtb) Categories. Elephants are placed into one of three (3) categories depending on their risk of being positive for Mtb as classified in the Recommendations for the Diagnosis, Treatment, and Management of Tuberculosis (*Mycobacteria tuberculosis*) in Elephants in Human Care (2017). Recommendations for the Diagnosis, Treatment, and Management of Tuberculosis (*Mycobacteria tuberculosis*) in Elephants in Human Care (2017) is hereby incorporated by reference and available online at <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10889">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10889</a>. The three (3) Mtb catagories are:
- (a) Category A: Elephants have had no known exposure to an Mtb culture-positive animal within the past five (5) years. They are also consistently negative by an annual Triple Trunk Wash (TW) technique.
- (b) Category B: Elephants have had contact with an Mtb positive animal within the past five (5) years, but are themselves consistently negative by annual triple TW series technique.
- (c) Category C: Elephants are positive on TW cultures or culture of other body fluid. These animals cannot travel except for specific medical reasons. They are considered infected with Mtb.
- (2) Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (OCVI) required. Only Category A and B elephants are permitted to be Imported into Florida and must be accompanied by an OCVI. The OCVI must include the following:
  - (a) The animal's name, age, sex, any identifying marks, and microchip number, if applicable;
  - (b) The animal's Mtb category; and
  - (c) The most recent TW culture history to include:
  - 1. The date the TW sample was taken;
  - 2. The full name of the testing laboratory;
  - 3. Test accession number: and
  - 4. Test result.
  - (3) Test Requirements
- (a) Category A animals require proof of a negative TW culture with the sample taken within twelve (12) months of Importation into Florida.
- (b) Category B animals require proof of a negative TW culture with the sample taken within ninety (90) days of Importation into Florida.

Rulemaking Authority 570.07(23), 585.002(4), 585.08(2) FS. Law Implemented 570.07(15), 570.36(2), 585.08(1), (2)(a), 585.145(1), (2), 585.16 FS. History—New 8-19-19.

#### 5C-3.015 Rabbits.

- (1) All Lagomorphs originating from a state that has had RHD diagnosed in wild or domestic animals in the past twenty-four (24) months, are required to be accompanied by an Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection. The OCVI must include the statement in subsection 5C-3.015(2), F.A.C. and be signed and dated by the examining veterinarian within seventy-two (72) hours prior to entry into Florida.
  - (2) The OCVI must include the following statement from the examining veterinarian, "All animals on this shipment have not been

exposed to a known or suspected case of RHD and show no clinical signs of diseases on the inspection date of (inspection/examination date)."

Rulemaking Authority 570.07(21), (23), 585.08(2)(a) FS. Law Implemented 585.08(1), 585.145 FS. History-New 1-31-21.

#### CHAPTER 5C-4 ADMISSION OF ANIMALS FOR EXHIBITION

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#### 5C-4.0015 Definitions.

For the purposes of this chapter the following definitions shall apply:

- (1) Accredited Veterinarian. A veterinarian licensed in the state of origin and accredited by the United States Department of Agriculture, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (USDA, APHIS) to perform certain functions of the federal and cooperative-state-federal programs in accordance with the provisions of Title 9 Code of Federal Regulations (9 CFR) § 161 (2005).
  - (2) Animal(s). This term shall include:
  - (a) Livestock including grazing animals, such as cattle, horses, sheep, swine, goats, and other hoofed animals;
  - (b) Ratites, limited to ostriches, emus, and rheas;
  - (c) Poultry or Domestic fowl which are propagated or maintained for commercial or breeding purposes; and
  - (d) Wild or game animals which may threaten the agricultural interests of Florida.
- (3) Authorized Representative. An employee of the state or federal government, or a licensed veterinarian accredited by the USDA, who is authorized to conduct animal disease control and eradication activities.
- (4) Commercial Production Swine. Swine that have been subjected to and found negative on an annual brucellosis and pseudorabies test and have been continuously managed with adequate facilities and practices to prevent exposure to either transitional or feral swine and so recognized by state animal health officials.
  - (5) Group. One or more animals maintained on the same premises or in contact with one another.
  - (6) Horse. Any horse, mule, ass, zebra or other equidae.
- (7) Isolation. Separation of individual animals by a physical barrier in a manner that assures one animal does not have access to the body, excrement, or discharges of another animal; does not share a building with a common ventilation system; and is not within ten feet of another animal.
- (8) Market Class. An exhibition class consisting of finished fed animals that all go directly to slaughter immediately following the exhibition.
- (9) Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (OCVI). A legible record or certificate made on an official form from the state of origin or from the USDA, or a Department-approved electronic format, issued and signed by veterinarians licensed and accredited in the state of origin for the purpose of certifying the official individual identification, test requirements, and health status of specific animals for movement, exhibition, and other designated purposes.
- (10) Official Individual Identification. An individual animal identification that uniquely identifies the animal, the owner, the premises where the animal was identified and the state in which the official individual identification was applied and:
  - (a) For Cattle:
- 1. Is approved by the United States Department of Agriculture in accordance with 9 C.F.R. § 86.4(a)(1) (2013), as incorporated in Rule 5C-31.006, F.A.C.; or
- 2. Is submitted to and verified by the Department as meeting the requirements for official individual identification such that state officials can determine the herd in which the animal was officially identified.
  - (b) For Livestock Other than Cattle:
- 1. Tattoos and registered brands such as ear, tail-web or flank tattoos, breed registration tattoos when accompanied by breed registration papers; or an official breed registration brand when accompanied by a brand registration certificate;
  - 2. Official leg or wing bands for poultry;
  - 3. Color digital images or notarized color photographs of the animal, signed by a state-licensed, USDA-accredited veterinarian; or

- 4. Implanted electronic chips with a unique number that is recorded in a single, central database.
- (11) Official test. A test conducted by a method approved by Department rules for the specific disease and animal species.
- (12) Poultry, Domestic Fowl or Ratites. Chickens, turkeys, quail, pheasants, chukars, peafowl, guineas, ratites (limited to ostriches, emus and rheas) and waterfowl that are propagated or maintained for commercial or breeding purposes.
- (13) Segregated. To maintain a group of animals separate from another group of animals in such a manner as to prevent physical contact between animals of the two groups.

Rulemaking Authority 585.002(4), 585.08(2), 585.145(2) FS. Law Implemented 585.08(2)(a), 585.145(1), (2) FS. History–New 1-19-95, Amended 6-4-95, 6-21-06, 2-19-14.

#### 5C-4.0016 Applications, Cards, Forms, Other Official Documents Required and Fees.

- (1) USDA. VS Form 10-11. An official USDA, APHIS, VS form required for submitting samples and reporting results of Equine Infectious Anemia (EIA) tests.
  - (2) Division.
- (a) Official Certificates of Veterinary Inspection (OCVI). These certificates are provided only to Florida-licensed and USDA-accredited veterinarians and may be obtained as provided in subsection 5C-4.0016(3), F.A.C. Depending on species and purpose (sale or movement), the following are Florida-recognized OCVIs:
- 1. Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection, DACS-09000; for use with all species, in association with movement or sale. Cost is \$65 per book of 25 certificates.
- 2. Official Equine Certificate of Veterinary Inspection, DACS-09002; for use with equine, in association with movement or sale. Cost is \$65 per book of 25 certificates.
- (b) Equine Interstate Passport Card, DACS-09207, is an official card provided by the Department to the horse owner, which certifies the existence of an official negative EIA test within the previous 12 months and a valid Florida Official Equine Certificate of Veterinary Inspection for interstate movement for exhibition purposes in states which accept the card. The document is valid for six (6) months provided the conditions in subsections 5C-3.003(5)(a)-(f), F.A.C., are met. The Equine Interstate Passport Card is not acceptable for change of ownership purposes. It may be applied for by submitting an Application for Equine Interstate Passport Card, DACS-09219, to the Division with the associated fee of \$15.00 for the first equine and \$5.00 for each additional equine on the same application. Copies may be obtained as provided in subsection 5C-4.0016(3), F.A.C.
- (c) Negative EIA Test Verification Card, DACS-09160, is an official document provided by the Department to the horse owner to show proof of a negative EIA test within the previous 12 months, for purposes other than change of ownership. The document is valid for 12 months from the date the blood was drawn and is renewable annually with an associated fee of \$5.00 per application (Card). The Negative EIA Test Verification Card may be applied for by submitting the Application for Negative EIA Test Verification Card, DACS-09206. Copies may be obtained as provided in subsection 5C-18.0011(4), F.A.C.
- (d) Equine Event Extension (A Permit), DACS-09051, an official document provided by the Department to the horse owner, which certifies the existence of an official negative EIA test within the previous 12 months and a valid Florida Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection. The document is valid for six (6) months provided the conditions in subsections 5C-3.003(5)(a)-(f), F.A.C., are met. It may be applied for by submitting the Application for Equine Event Extension, DACS-09078, to the Division as referred to in subsection 5C-3.003(5), F.A.C., with the associated fee of \$10.00 for the first equine and \$5.00 for each additional equine on the application; copies of which may be obtained as provided in subsection 5C-3.0011(4), F.A.C.
- (3) Forms. VS Form 10-11 (APR 90), is hereby incorporated by reference. Copies may be obtained from the United States Government Printing Office, Superintendent of Documents, Mail Stop SSOP, Washington, D.C. 20402-9328. Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection, DACS-09000 Rev. 07/03; Official Equine Certificate of Veterinary Inspection, DACS-09002 Rev. 10/05; Equine Event Extension (A Permit), DACS-09051 Rev. 03/06, Application for Equine Event Extension, DACS-09078 Rev. 10/05, Equine Interstate Passport Card, DACS-09207 Rev. 07/05, Application for Equine Interstate Passport Card, DACS-09219 Rev. 10/05, Negative EIA Test Verification Card, DACS-09160 Rev. 07/05, and Application for Negative EIA Test Verification Card, DACS-09206 Rev. 10/05, are hereby incorporated by reference. Copies may be obtained from the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Division of Animal Industry, 407 S. Calhoun St., Tallahassee, FL 32399-0800; (850)410-0900.

Rulemaking Authority 585.002(4), (5), 585.08(2)(a), 585.145(2) FS. Law Implemented 585.08(2)(a), 585.145(1), (2) FS. History-New 6-21-06.

#### 5C-4.0017 General Requirements, Exemptions and Limitations.

- (1) Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (OCVI) Required. Animals presented for exhibition purposes in Florida, unless specifically exempted, must be accompanied by an OCVI issued by a veterinarian accredited in the state of origin.
- (a) The OCVI must be complete including the breed, sex, and registration number, and the official individual identification of each animal.
- (b) Results of a specific test requirement or herd accreditation, certification or validation number for each animal must be recorded on the OCVI with the date of the test or herd accreditation, certification or validation.

- (2) Expiration of Required OCVI.
- (a) For Florida-origin animals an OCVI is valid for 90 days from the date of issue; or until the expiration date of any required tests, whichever is the earliest date.
- (b) For animals imported into Florida for exhibition purposes only, the OCVI is valid for 30 days, except that, for equine imported into Florida using a current Equine Interstate Passport Card, DACS-09207, or equivalent of the state of origin signed by the State Veterinarian or chief animal health official, the OCVI will be extended to the date of expiration of the Equine Interstate Passport Card or its equivalent of the state of origin.
- (3) Exemption to Required OCVI. An OCVI is not required for animals originating in Florida and entered in market classes provided that animals are segregated from other animals and the pens are occupied only by the animals in a market class. Pens used for market classes must not be reused until after cleaning and disinfecting.
- (4) Inspection Required. Prior to immediate acceptance at an exhibition, all animals presented for exhibition must be visually inspected by an authorized representative for:
  - (a) The required official individual identification of the animal; and
- (b) Clinical signs of disease including, but not limited to: caseous lymphadenitis, blisters/ulcers around the mouth, nostrils, coronary band, pinkeye, pox, scabies, lice, ringworm, atrophic rhinitis, or multiple warts that are clearly visible; and
  - (c) Evidence of compliance with animal tests and OCVI requirements, where required.
  - (5) Animals Rejected for Exhibition.
  - (a) Any animal in noncompliance with animal tests and OCVI requirements, or
  - (b) Any animal not meeting the official individual identification requirements, or
- (c) Any animal which is suspected of having or showing clinical signs of dangerous transmissible, contagious or infectious disease on visual inspection, or any animal which is known to be exposed to such diseases must be:
  - 1. Immediately withdrawn from exhibition and returned to the place of origin, or
- 2. Examined by a Florida-licensed and USDA-accredited veterinarian at the owner's expense within 24 hours, who certifies by a signed, written statement, that the animal is free of dangerous transmissible, contagious or infectious disease and pests.
- (6) Forms. Equine Interstate Passport Card, DACS-09207 Rev. 07/05, is hereby incorporated by reference. Copies may be obtained from the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Division of Animal Industry, 407 S. Calhoun St., Tallahassee, FL 32399-0800.

Rulemaking Authority 585.002(4), 585.08(2)(a), 585.145(2) FS. Law Implemented 585.08(2)(a), 585.145(1), (2) FS. History-New 6-21-06.

#### 5C-4.002 Cattle or Bison.

- (1) OCVI Required.
- (a) Florida-origin cattle or bison moved for exhibition must be accompanied by an OCVI dated not more than 90 days prior to exhibition.
- (b) Cattle or bison imported from other states for exhibition must be accompanied by an OCVI dated not more than 30 days prior to exhibition.
  - (2) Test or Certification Required.
  - (a) Tuberculosis.
  - 1. Florida-origin cattle or bison may be entered for exhibition without a tuberculin test.
- 2. Imported dairy cattle may be entered for exhibition provided they have a negative caudal fold tuberculin skin test within 30 days prior to the date of the exhibition; except that, dairy cattle from Accredited Tuberculosis-Free Herds originating in Tuberculosis-Free States, are exempt from this test requirement.
- 3. Imported beef cattle or bison may be entered for exhibition without a negative caudal fold tuberculin skin test provided they originate from Accredited Tuberculosis-Free States or Herds. Otherwise, they must meet the requirements in subparagraph 5C-4.002(2)(a)2., F.A.C.
  - (b) Brucellosis.
- 1. Test Required. Cattle or bison, six (6) months of age or older, must have evidence of a negative brucellosis test within 30 days prior to the date of exhibition.
  - 2. Exemption from Required Brucellosis Test.
  - a. Steers and spayed heifers; and
- b. Cattle or bison originating from a Certified Brucellosis-Free Herd, or a Brucellosis Class Free State or Area which when certified, the OCVI must show the certified herd number and the date of the last herd certification test; and
- c. Cattle or bison from non-quarantined herds originating from Class A State or Area provided that the cattle are under 18 months of age.

Rulemaking Authority 585.002(4), 585.08(2)(a), 585.145(2) FS. Law Implemented 585.08(2)(a), 585.145(1), (2) FS. History–Amended 7-25-66, 11-15-67, 1-1-70, 7-1-71, 9-1-72, 8-7-77, 8-8-79, 9-30-80, 6-26-83, Formerly 5C-4.02, Amended 4-17-89, 1-19-95, 6-21-06.

#### 5C-4.003 Swine.

- (1) OCVI Required.
- (a) Swine for exhibition must be accompanied by an OCVI dated not more than 90 days prior to presentation for exhibition.
- (b) Swine imported for exhibition must be accompanied by an OCVI dated not more than 30 days prior to presentation for exhibition.
  - (2) Tests or Certification Required for Breeding Swine.
  - (a) Brucellosis.
  - 1. Swine six (6) months of age or older must be negative to an official test for brucellosis within 30 days prior to exhibition, or
  - 2. Originate from a Validated Brucellosis-Free Swine herd as defined in 9 CFR § 78.1, or
  - 3. Originate from a Commercial Production Swine Herd as defined in subsection 5C-4.0015(4), F.A.C.
- (b) Pseudorabies. Swine six (6) months of age or older must be negative to an official test for pseudorabies within 30 days prior to exhibition, or
  - 1. Originate from a Qualified Pseudorabies-Free Herd as defined in 9 CFR § 85, or
  - 2. Originate from an Approved Commercial Production Swine Herd.
- (3) Exemptions. Swine for exhibition as "market class" swine are exempt from the OCVI and test requirements provided that all swine in the class go directly to slaughter following the exhibition.
- (4) Isolation. Breeding swine returning to the farm from exhibitions must be isolated from other swine at least 30 days before being returned to the herd. Breeding swine for exhibition must be maintained in isolation between exhibitions or move directly between exhibitions.
- (5) Materials. 9 CFR § 78 (2005) and § 85 (2005) are hereby incorporated by reference. Copies may be obtained from the United States Government Printing Office, Superintendent of Documents, Mail Stop SSOP, Washington, D.C. 20402-9328.

Rulemaking Authority 585.002(4), 585.08(2)(a), 585.145(2) FS. Law Implemented 585.08(2)(a), 585.145(1), (2) FS. History–Amended 3-21-64, 6-20-68, 1-1-71, 3-1-72, Formerly 5C-4.03, Amended 4-17-89, 1-19-95, 6-21-06.

#### 5C-4.004 Poultry, Domestic Fowl or Ratites.

- (1) OCVI Required. An OCVI is required for poultry, domestic fowl or ratites for movement into Florida, but not specifically for exhibition. However, poultry, domestic fowl or ratites presented for exhibition without an OCVI, must be inspected as provided in subsection 5C-4.0017(4), F.A.C.
- (2) Test or Certification Required. All poultry or domestic fowl entered for exhibition must originate from Pullorum-Typhoid Clean flocks or hatcheries, as provided in 9 CFR § 145 (2005) and § 147 (2005), or have a negative pullorum-typhoid test within 90 days prior to exhibition.
- (3) Materials. 9 CFR § 145 (2005) and § 147 (2005) are hereby incorporated by reference. Copies may be obtained from the United States Government Printing Office, Superintendent of Documents, Mail Stop SSOP, Washington, D.C. 20402-9328.

Rulemaking Authority 585.002(4), 585.08(2)(a), 585.145(2) FS. Law Implemented 585.08(2)(a), 585.145(1), (2) FS. History–Amended 4-20-67, 4-18-84, 4-4-85, Formerly 5C-4.04, Amended 6-21-87, 4-17-89, 1-19-95, 6-4-95, 6-21-06.

#### 5C-4.005 Goats or Sheep.

- (1) OCVI Required.
- (a) Florida-origin goats or sheep presented for exhibition must be accompanied by an OCVI dated not more than 90 days prior to presentation.
- (b) Goats or sheep imported into Florida for exhibition must be accompanied by an OCVI completed within 30 days prior to exhibition.
- (2) Identification. All goats or sheep entered for exhibition purposes must have an official individual identification in accordance with the National Scrapie Eradication Uniform Methods and Rules, APHIS 91-55-066, June 1, 2005.
  - (3) Test or Certification Required.
- (a) Tuberculosis Test. All dairy goats six (6) months of age or older imported for exhibition purposes must originate from an Accredited Tuberculosis-Free Herd, or have had a negative caudal fold tuberculosis test within 90 days prior to exhibition. When originating from accredited tuberculosis-free herds, the OCVI must show, the accredited herd number and the date of the last herd accreditation test.
- (b) Brucellosis Test. All dairy goats six (6) months of age or older imported for exhibition purposes must originate from a Certified Brucellosis-Free Herd, or have had a negative brucellousis test within 90 days prior to exhibition. When originating from a certified brucellosis-free herd, the OCVI must show the certified herd number and the date of the last herd certification test.
- (c) Exemption From Test Requirements. There are no tuberculosis or brucellosis test requirements for meat type goats or Florida-origin dairy goats.
  - (4) Materials. Scrapie Eradication Uniform Methods and Rules, APHIS 91-55-066, June 1, 2005, is hereby incorporated by

reference. Copies may be obtained from the United States Government Printing Office, Superintendent of Documents, Mail Stop SSOP, Washington, D.C. 20402-9328.

Rulemaking Authority 585.002(4), 585.08(2)(a), 585.145(2) FS. Law Implemented 585.08(2)(a), 585.145(1), (2) FS. History–New 11-4-76, Formerly 5C-4.05, Amended 4-17-89, 1-19-95, 6-4-95, 6-21-06.

#### 5C-4.008 Horses.

- (1) OCVI Required. An OCVI or an Equine Interstate Passport Card, DACS-09207, or equivalent of the state of origin, signed by the State Veterinarian or chief animal health official, is required for horses for movement into Florida, but not specifically for exhibition.
- (2) Test or Certification Required. All horses presented for exhibition must be accompanied by evidence of a negative official test for Equine Infectious Anemia (EIA), conducted within 12 months prior to exhibition. The negative EIA test must be reported on:
  - (a) An original owner's copy of a VS Form 10-11;
  - (b) A laboratory certified copy of a VS Form 10-11;
  - (c) A legible photocopy of a VS Form 10-11;
- (d) An Equine Interstate Passport Card, DACS-09207, or equivalent of the state of origin signed by the State Veterinarian or chief animal health official; which may be applied for by submitting the Application for Equine Interstate Passport Card, DACS-09219 as provided in subsection 5C-4.008(4), F.A.C.;
- (e) A Negative EIA Test Verification Card, DACS-09160, or equivalent of the state of origin signed by the State Veterinarian or chief animal health official; which may be applied for by submitting the Application for Negative EIA Test Verification Card, DACS-09206 as provided in subsection 5C-4.008(4), F.A.C., or
  - (f) A Department-approved electronic EIA form containing clear, color digital images.
- (3) Exemption to Test Requirement. A foal under six (6) months of age accompanied by its dam which has met the EIA test requirement is not required to have an EIA test.
- (4) Forms. VS Form 10-11 (APR 90), Equine Infectious Anemia Laboratory Test, is hereby incorporated by reference. Copies may be obtained from the United States Government Printing Office, Superintendent of Documents, Mail Stop SSOP, Washington, D.C. 20402-9328. Application for Equine Interstate Passport Card, DACS-09219 Rev. 10/05, Equine Interstate Passport Card, DACS-09207 Rev. 07/05, Application for Negative EIA Test Verification Card, DACS-09206 Rev. 10/05, and Negative EIA Test Verification Card, DACS-09160 Rev. 07/05, are hereby incorporated by reference. Copies may be obtained from the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Division of Animal Industry, 407 S. Calhoun St., Tallahassee, FL 32399-0800.

Rulemaking Authority 585.002(4), 585.08(2)(a), 585.145(2) FS. Law Implemented 585.08(3), 585.145 FS. History—New 1-19-95, Amended 6-4-95, 6-21-06.



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# **Upcoming Changes to the State Exhibition Rule** F.A.C. 5C-4 Summary

May 30, 2018

The following is a summary of changes to the Florida Exhibition Rule, F.A.C. 5C-4. These changes are made at the request of industry and are expected to take effect on or around July 1, 2018.

#### The changes include:

- The accepted time period for valid testing results on Florida origin breeding swine has been extended from 30 days to 90 days. The 90-day time frame coincides with the length of time the Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (OCVI) is valid.
- Florida origin sheep and goats less than three months of age and accompanied by their dam are exempt from the OCVI requirement.
- Sheep and goats less than three months of age are exempt from the Scrapie Identification requirements.

For questions or clarification on the state rule, please contact the division at (850) 410-0900.

In addition to the changes above, federal regulation <u>9CFR. 71.19</u> requires that all swine shown at fairs or exhibitions (interstate commerce) be accompanied by official individual identification.

Presented swine that do not meet the federal official individual identification requirements may not be allowed entrance into the fair.

For more information on swine identification requirements, see the attached document, *Identification of Swine, Fairs and Exhibitions*, or contact Melinda Springer at Melinda.A.Springer@aphis.usda.gov, (352) 745-0576, or Amy Whicker at Amy.R.Whicker@aphis.usda.gov, (352) 342-5914.





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### Announcement **Interstate Movement of Swine**

In a few months, there will be a change to the Florida Importation Rule 5C-3. Beginning July 1, 2018, all swine being imported into Florida, six months of age or older, must be officially identified and test negative for Swine Brucellosis and Pseudorabies. While the state rule will require swine six months of age or older to be officially identified, the current federal regulation, 9 C.F.R. 71.19, requires all swine in interstate commerce to be officially identified. The list of approved swine identification devices/methods includes:

#### Standard Movement (Identification must be listed on the Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection)

- Radio Frequency Identification (RFID) ear tags, Official Premises Identification Number (PIN) or National Uniform Ear-tagging System (NUES) ear tags.
- Ear notching, if the ear notching has been recorded in the book of record of a purebred registry association.
- Tattoos on the ear or inner flank of any swine, if the tattoos have been recorded in the book of record of a swine registry association.

#### Slaughter Only (Identification must be listed on the Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection or bill of sale)

- USDA backtags (applied directly to an animal's back) only when used on swine moving in slaughter channels.
- For slaughter swine and feeder swine, an ear tag or tattoo bearing the PIN assigned by the State Animal Health Official to the single premises on which the swine originated.
- Official swine tattoos (issued and authorized by State or Federal Animal Health Officials) on swine moving in slaughter channels.

#### Testing Requirements (Testing information must be listed on the Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection)

- All swine six months of age or older are required to test negative for the Swine Brucellosis and Pseudorabies virus within 30 days prior to importation, unless:
  - They originate from a Validated Brucellosis-free herd (No Brucellosis test required).
  - They originate from a Qualified Pseudorabies-Negative Feeder Pig Herd (No Pseudorabies test required).
  - The shipment is consigned directly to a USDA approved slaughter facility.

Based on the state rule, swine six months of age or older and not identified by one of the above-mentioned methods, or do not have proof of negative testing, will be denied entry into Florida. Those swine less than six months of age without official ID will be allowed entry into Florida with an Advisory Notice issued at the Agricultural Interdiction Station and those transporters will be contacted by the USDA.

#### **EXAMPLES OF SWINE IDENTIFICATION**











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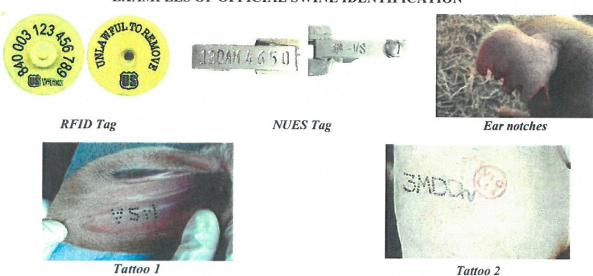
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# Identification of Swine Fairs and Exhibitions

Federal regulation 9 CFR. 71.19 requires that all swine being shown at fairs or exhibitions (interstate commerce) must have official individual identification. Swine presented that do not meet the federal official individual identification requirements may not be allowed entrance into the fair. The list of approved swine identification devices/methods includes:

- Radio Frequency Identification (RFID) ear tags;
- National Uniform Ear tagging System (NUES) ear tags;
- Ear notching, if the ear notching has been recorded in the book of record of a purebred registry association, with registry association documentation accompanying animal; and
- Ear or flank tattoo, for those recorded in the book of record of a swine registry association, with registry association documentation accompanying animal.

#### **EXAMPLES OF OFFICIAL SWINE IDENTIFICATION**



Please contact Amy Whicker at <u>Amy.R. Whicker@aphis.usda.gov</u>, (352) 342-5914 or Melinda Springer at <u>Melinda.A.Springer@aphis.usda.gov</u> or (352)745-0576, for those who wish to order free tags from the USDA. For those who wish to purchase their own tags, the following are the approved tag suppliers:

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## IAFE (INTERNATIONAL ASSN. OF FAIRS AND EXPOSITIONS) NATIONAL CODE OF SHOW RING ETHICS

Exhibitors of animals at Livestock shows shall at all times deport themselves with honesty and good sportsmanship. Their conduct in this competitive environment shall always reflect the highest standards of honor and dignity to promote the advancement of agricultural education. This code applies to junior as well as open class exhibitors who compete in structured classes of competition. This code applies to all Livestock offered in any event at a Livestock show. In addition to the IAFE National Code of Show Ring Ethics, fairs and Livestock shows have rules and regulations which they impose on the local, county, state, provincial and national levels.

All youth leaders working with junior exhibitors are under an affirmative responsibility to do more than avoid improper conduct or questionable acts. Their moral values must be so certain and positive that those younger and more pliable will be influenced by their fine example. Owners, exhibitors, fitters, trainers and absolutely responsible persons who violate the code of ethics will forfeit premiums, awards and auction proceeds and shall be prohibited from future exhibition in accordance with the rules adopted by the respective fairs and Livestock shows. Exhibitors who violate this code of ethics demean the integrity of all Livestock exhibitors and should be prohibited from competition at all Livestock shows in the United States and Canada.

The following is a list of guidelines for all exhibitors and all Livestock in competitive events:

- All exhibitors must present, upon request of the fair and Livestock officials, proof of ownership and age of all animals entered. Misrepresentation of ownership, age, or any facts relating thereto is prohibited.
- 2. Owners, exhibitors, fitters, trainers, or absolutely responsible persons shall provide animal health certificates from licensed veterinarians upon request by Fair or Livestock show officials.
- 3. Exhibitors are expected to care for and groom their animals while at Fairs or Livestock shows.
- 4. Animals shall be presented to show events where they will enter the food chain free of volatile drug residues. The act of entering an animal in a Livestock show is the giving of consent by the owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer and/or absolutely responsible person for show management to obtain any specimens of urine, saliva, blood, or other substances from the animal to be used in testing. Animals not entered in an event which culminates with animal entering the food chain shall not be administered drugs other than in accordance with entry fee federal, state and provincial statutes, regulations and rules. Livestock shall not be exhibited if the drugs administered in accordance with federal, state and provincial statutes, regulations and rules affect the animal's performance or appearance at the event. If the laboratory report on the analysis of saliva, urine, blood, or other sample taken from Livestock indicates the presence of forbidden drugs or medications, this shall be prima facie evidence such substance has been administered to the animal either internally or externally. It is presumed that the sample of urine, saliva, blood, or other substance tested by the laboratory to which it is sent is the one taken from the animal in question, its integrity is preserved and all procedures of said collection and preservation, transfer to the laboratory and analysis of the sample are correct and accurate and the report received from the laboratory pertains to the sample taken from the animal in question and correctly reflects the condition of the animal at the time the sample was taken, with the burden on the owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or absolutely responsible person to prove otherwise. At any time after an animal arrives on the fair or Livestock show premises, all treatments involving the use of drugs and/or medications for the sole purpose of protecting the health of the animal shall be administered by a licensed veterinarian.
- 5. Any surgical procedure or injection of any foreign substance or drug or the external application of any substance (irritant, counterirritant, or similar substance) which could effect the animal's performance or alter its natural contour, confirmation, or appearance except for surgical procedures performed by a duly licensed veterinarian for the sole purpose of protecting the health of the animal, is prohibited.
- 6. The use of showing and/or handling practices or devices such as striking animals to cause swelling, using electrical contrivance, or other similar practices are not acceptable and are prohibited.
- 7. Direct criticism or interference with the judge, fair or livestock show management, other exhibitors, breed representatives, or show officials before, during, or after the competitive event is prohibited. In the furtherance of their official duty, all judges, fair and livestock show management, or other show officials shall be treated with courtesy, cooperation and respect and no person shall direct abusive or threatening conduct toward them.
- 8. No owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or absolutely responsible person shall conspire with another person or persons to intentionally violate this code of ethics or knowingly contribute or cooperate with another person or persons either by affirmative action or inaction to violate this code of ethics. Violations of this rule shall subject such individual to disciplinary action as determined by the Volusia County Fair Management.
- 9. The application of this code of ethics provides for absolute responsibility for an animal's condition by an owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or participant whether or not he or she was actually instrumental in or had knowledge of the treatment of the animal in contravention of this code of ethics.
- 10. The act of entering an animal is the giving of consent by the owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or absolutely responsible person to have disciplinary action taken by the fair or Livestock show for violation of this Code of Show Ring Ethics and any other rules of competition of the fair or Livestock show without recourse against the fair or Livestock show. The act of entering an animal is the giving of consent that any proceedings or disciplinary action taken by the fair or Livestock show may be published with the name of the violator or violators in any publication of the International Assn. of Fairs and Expositions, including Fairs and Expositions and any special notices to members.
- 11. The act of entering of an animal in a fair or Livestock show is the giving of verification by the owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or absolutely responsible person that he or she has read this IAFE National Code of Show Ring Ethics and understands the consequences of and penalties provided for actions prohibited by the code. It is further a consent that any action which contravenes these rules and is also in violation of federal, state, or provincial statutes, regulations, or rules may be released to appropriate law enforcement authorities with jurisdiction over such infractions.

Please Note: The Volusia County Fair Assn., Inc. has the final interpretation of Show Ring Ethics Rules. Any exhibitor, advisor, parent or any other responsible person who violates the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show Ring Code of Ethics demeans the integrity of all Livestock exhibitors and could be prohibited from the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show competition and livestock shows.

#### **ETHICS CERTIFICATION**

**Ethics Certification:** The Volusia County Fair & Youth Show believes that all youth exhibitors should receive proper information and training for raising and showing an animal project. Exhibitors that exhibit at the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show will be required to have completed the ethics training class in order to show at the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show. It is important that youth exhibitor understand:

- · Purpose of youth livestock projects.
- The importance of ethics in youth livestock projects.
- · Proper animal handling and management.
- · The difference between animal welfare and animal rights.
- Be prepared to be an ambassador for animal agriculture.

The Youth Livestock Show Ethics and Animal Care Workshops are designed to certify students/exhibitors meet the mandatory certification requirements that will be in effect for showing at the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show. Certification is valid for a three (3) year period. The program is endorsed by the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Service and the University of Florida, Institute of Food and Agriculture on the entry form or at check in.

Ethics Certification: Ethics certification is required for exhibitors of livestock and small animals in the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show. If an exhibitor is found at check in to have an invalid ethics certification number, their animal(s) will be removed. If an invalid ethics certification number is found after check in, the exhibitor will forfeit premiums.

Livestock exhibitors are required to provide a valid Ethics certification number on the entry form annually.

Bring a copy of your ethics certification with all entries. Should you have an expired ethics certificate, you must provide a new certificate within 7-10 days after completion of a new ethics class. Please submit your ethics certification to <a href="mailto:sales@volusiacountyfair.com">sales@volusiacountyfair.com</a>

Ethics certification numbers can be checked against the Florida State Fair's list.

Check the Florida State Fair website for locations, dates and times for Ethics certification classes.

**Note:** Due to the early printing of this book, changes, errors, deletions or omissions may occur, in which case, the Volusia County Fair Assn. has the right to amend its own rules and regulations and to decide all matters and difference in regards thereto including amendments.

The Volusia County Fair & Youth Show reserves the right to alter or delete premiums and awards, delete or change categories and change sponsorship and change entry dates and times as may be necessary.

### **Volusia County Fair & Youth Show Livestock Show General Rules**

- 1. Rule Interpretation: The management of the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show has the right to amend, add to, interpret and administer the rules and regulations, and to arbitrarily settle and determine all questions and differences in regard thereto, or otherwise arising out of, connected with or incident to the Volusia County Fair, and their decision will be final. By virtues of membership to the IAFE, we accept and adopt their rules. Any complaints must be in writing within thirty (30) days of the date of the complaint and delivered to the fair office of the Volusia County Fair Assn., Inc., at 3150 E. New York Avenue, DeLand, FL 32724. Any evidence of fraud coming to the attention of the fair management will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law. Check back often for new revisions of the handbook.
- 2. Eligibility of Exhibitor: Exhibitor must reside in Volusia County, meet age requirement as of September 1st, of the current year and be enrolled and in attendance in an elementary school through high school or home school in Volusia County at the time of the fair. Any one having graduated or dropped out of high school shall be ineligible to enter or show. The Livestock Committee or Fair Management reserves the right to ask for proof of school records and proof of residence. Exhibitor may be a member of a FFA Chapter, 4-H Club or an Independent exhibitor. Ethics certification is required to show at the Volusia County Fair. The fair reserves the right to not accept entry forms that are late, incomplete, without entry fee, unsigned, without a bill of sale or statement of ownership, livestock exhibitor certificate, copy of ethics certificate or waiver.
- **3. Ethics Certification:** Ethics certification is required for exhibitors of livestock and small animals. Current ethics numbers are to be on the entry form and a copy of ethics certificate attached to the entry form. Livestock exhibitors are required to provide a valid ethics certification number on the entry form annually. Bring a copy of your ethics certification with all entries. Should you have an expired ethics certificate, you must provide a new ethics certificate within 7-10 days after completion of a new ethics class.
- **4. Social Security or Federal ID Number:** If a Social Security Number or Federal ID Number is not provided, the Volusia County Fair has the right to not issue premium check or money.
- 5. Exhibitor Liability Responsibility: The owner or custodian of all property of any kind whether entered for exhibit or for other purposes assumes, as a condition of admission to the grounds, all responsibility for loss, damages, thefts or personal injury to self or others. Due diligence will be used to insure the safety of exhibits, but under no circumstances will the Volusia County Fair Assn., Inc. be held responsible. Its officers, agents and employees shall be indemnified by the exhibitor against all legal or other proceedings relating thereto.
- 6. Exhibitor Liability for Animals: Exhibitor assumes all liability in case of death, injury or loss of their animal until the animal is removed from the fairgrounds. If an exhibitor's animal becomes sick or injured while at the fair, consult your veterinarian and contact the Superintendent, Livestock Chairmen or Fair Management immediately. If an exhibitor is unavailable to ensure prompt attention to their animal, in case of illness, injury or death, the exhibitor gives a superintendent and/or the Livestock Chairmen the authorization to contact a veterinarian. The exhibitor agrees to be responsible for all expenses incurred. Sick animals may be released immediately. The Superintendent and/or the Livestock Chairmen will determine if the animal will be allowed to stay at the fair.
- 7. Exhibiting Animals and Replacement Exhibitor: Only animals being shown at the Volusia County Fair are permitted on the fairgrounds. Animals will be shown by the entered exhibitor only. If an entered exhibitor is unable to show an animal, the exhibitor must contact the Superintendent and Livestock Chairman. A replacement exhibitor must be approved by the Livestock Chairman and the Superintendent. Approved exhibitor changes will require a new entry form to be completed, signed and turned into the fair office by the deadline entry date. No changes after the deadline date.
- 8. Unprofessional Actions: Any exhibitor, parent, advisor, teacher, leader or other, who display unprofessional and/or inappropriate behavior or actions on any social media toward any member of the Fair Board, Fair Staff, Livestock Chairman, Livestock Committee, Graders, Judges or exhibitors may be just cause for the exhibitor and their animal(s) to be disqualified and removed from the fairgrounds. Exhibitors may also be barred from showing at future fairs. Each person is responsible for his or her own actions and behavior.
- **9. Food, Drink or Tobacco Products in Livestock Areas:** Food, drinks, tobacco products, drugs and alcoholic beverages are strictly prohibited in the livestock barn, small animal barn and all animal areas of the fairgrounds.

Drugs and alcoholic beverages are not allowed in any area of the fairgrounds.

- 10. Animal Control and Area Restrictions: Exhibitors must be able to safely handle and control their animal. Failure to maintain animals and exhibit area to acceptable standards and/or failure to cooperate with fair management may result in forfeiture of premiums, disqualification and/or dismissal from the fair. Animals are restricted to designated areas of the fairgrounds and must not be taken from this area. Violators are liable for any damage incurred by owner or animal. Only animals being shown are permitted on the fairgrounds. No dogs are allowed, except Service Dogs.
- 11. Animal Grooming: Animals must be properly groomed for shows and showmanship. Grooming chute spaces are not allowed to be set up early. Grooming chutes may be left only during the time assigned exhibitor has an animal showing. Grooming areas must be cleaned of hair, manure and trash immediately after grooming and shearing or the exhibitor will be asked to remove equipment. Grooming and clipping of animals are limited to FFA Advisors, 4-H Leaders, parents and exhibitors. Sheep are to be sheared and groomed before brining to the fair. Sheep grooming and shearing are not allowed at the fair.
- **12. Treatment of Animals:** Exhibitors must treat all animals in a humane way and understand they will forfeit their right to show at the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show if this rule is violated. The use of all artificial products is prohibited. Refer to IAFE Code of Ethics for information.
- **13. Veterinarian on Fairgrounds:** Veterinarians called to treat or examine an animal entered in the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show must check in at the barn with the Livestock Chairman. The owner of the animal is responsible for veterinarian charges.
- 14. Removal of Animals: Animals must be removed from the fairgrounds on the check out day and time. Animals removed before the check out day and time, unless the animal is sick or injured and is released by the Division Superintendent and Livestock Chairman or animals left after check out day and time, will not receive premiums. The fair accepts no responsibility for animals remaining after the check out day and time.
- **15. Pen Cleaning and Awards:** Exhibitor will forfeit premium awards and will not be invited to show next year, on any exhibit removed before 8:00 a.m. on the check out day or if pens are not cleaned on check out day in the allotted daily pen cleaning time.
- **16. Premiums and Awards:** The Volusia County Fair & Youth Show reserves the right to alter or delete premiums and awards, delete or change categories and/or change sponsorships.
  - 1. Premiums will be paid on the basis of the judging and cash award reports, which must be verified and signed by the department superintendent.
  - 2. Premiums and awards are given to exhibitors at check out where time allows.
  - 3. Award checks or money not picked up at check out, will be available at the fair office.
  - 4. The fair will not mail checks or money.
  - 5. Checks and money will be held for sixty (60) days after the last day of the fair.
  - 6. Premium checks must be cashed within ninety (60) days from the check date.
  - 7. If an exhibitor fails to timely negotiate a check or collect money, the exhibitor shall be deemed to have made an unconditional and irrevocable gift of said check or cash to the Volusia County Fair Association.
- 16. A Market Sale Check Distribution: Market sale checks will be available thirty (30) days after the last day of the fair in the fair office or as designated by fair management. Checks will be held for sixty (60) days after the last day of the fair, in the fair office. Checks are to be cashed within ninety (90) days from the last day of the fair. If an exhibitor fails to timely negotiate a check or collect award money, the exhibitor shall be deemed to have made an unconditional and irrevocable gift of said award money (cash or check) to the Volusia County Fair Association, Inc. The Volusia County Fair Association, Inc. does not do add-ons.
- 17. Market Sale Animals and Exhibitors: Individual exhibitors are allowed to show and sell only one (1) market sale animal. Individual market exhibitors shall be ineligible to show FFA Chapter or 4-H Cub animals. FFA Chapters and 4-H Clubs may exhibit and sell one (1) of each market sale animal. Livestock Judging Teams and other groups will be disallowed from exhibiting and showing market animals.
- **18. Cattle Identification and Exhibition:** Steers will be required to have a USDA Cattle Identification Tag beginning in 2016 for the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show. Beef breeding cattle, 18 months of age and older entered in the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show will be required to have a USDA Cattle Identification Tag.

- **19. Exhibitor Special Needs:** It is the responsibility of the exhibitor and a parent to inform the Livestock Chairman if the exhibitor has any special needs (i.e., hearing or physical disability). Special arrangements cannot be made if fair management is not aware of the need.
- 20. Livestock Barn Helpers: For a show, auction or grooming area:

Department Superintendents, FFA Advisors and 4-H Leaders are to give the Livestock Chairman the names of barn helpers. Those not authorized to be in the barn area will be asked to leave. This is for the safety and security of the exhibitors, patrons and animals.

- 21. Attire: Livestock exhibitors are required to wear the following for shows and sales:
- FFA Exhibitors Official dress for FFA as defined in the official manual.
- 4-H Exhibitors Dark pants, belt, white shirt with collar, 4-H insignia, 4-H jacket.
- Independent Exhibitors Dark blue or black pants, belt, white shirt with collar, tie or scarf. No 4-H or FFA insignias or jackets.
- · Shirts must be tucked into pants. Belts are recommended. Skirts are not recommended.
- · No hats, caps or headgear allowed in the show ring.
- · No blue jeans in the show ring.
- Closed toe shoes or boots must be worn in the barn and show ring. Flip-flops, open toe shoes, athletic shoes (sneakers/tennis shoes) or boat shoes (Sperry's) are not to be worn in the barn area.
- 22. Quota System on Animals: A quota system is used, where necessary.
- 23. Show Time: Exhibitor must stay with their animal until the show or sale is concluded. There will be mandatory exhibitor meeting one (1) hour before each show or sale. Only exhibitors showing in the livestock show or sale will be allowed in the barn thirty (30) minutes before the show or sale. Parents must be out of the barn starting thirty (30) minutes before a show or sale and remain out until the show or sale is concluded.

#### 24. Showing Animals:

- 1. Exhibitors must designate on the entry form which organization they will be showing under, 4-H or FFA or as an Independent. No exhibitor will be allowed to change their organization after they have turned in the entry form. Exhibitors are not allowed to show an animal in the same department/division under FFA, 4-H or as an Independent.
- 2. Chapter or Club animals may be shown by an approved member who is not showing another animal and has been responsible for the care and training of the animal.
- 3. The Volusia County Fair Board has the right to limit the number of animals in all shows and sales and to change classes/divisions when necessary.
- 4. Exhibitor must stay with their animal until a show or sale is concluded.
- 5. There will be a mandatory exhibitor meeting one (1) hour before each show or sale.
- 6. For safety and security, only exhibitors showing in the livestock show or sale will be allowed in the barn thirty (30) minutes before the show or sale. Parents and others must be out of the barn starting thirty (30) minutes before a show or sale and remain out until the show or sale is concluded.

#### **25. Youth Groups:** (FFA Chapter or 4-H Club)

- a. Animals owned by a youth group will be shown, judged, sold and awards given under the youth group division.
- b. Youth group divisions must have two (2) or more entries for a class or there is no youth group. See division rules on required youth group entries.
- c. Youth group divisions will not compete with individual owners except in classes where there is no youth group division.
- d. Only one (1) animal may be entered by any youth group in each youth group division of each livestock class.
- e. Only one (1) exhibitor per animal.

#### 26. Judging - Danish System:

All animals will be judged under the Danish System.

The Volusia County Fair & Youth Show uses the Danish System of judging. The Danish System of judging is based upon established standards of quality for each type of product. In this system each exhibit is judged according to how well it meets that standard rather than how it compares with other exhibits. The Danish System of judging does not compare one person's work to another. The evaluation is made against a project standard. The judge evaluates whether the requirement's have been met. Ribbons are awarded according to the degree that the exhibitor's project meets the standards. Also, in the Danish System everyone whose work fulfills the minimum

qualifications receives a ribbon.

Blue Ribbon - Excellent Award: Exhibits that rank "excellent" meet the standards. Blue indicates that the exhibit meets or exceeds product standards and meets exhibit requirements; overall, the work is of high quality - excellent. Red Ribbon - Good Award: Exhibits that rank "good" in relation to the project standards or expected achievement. Red means the exhibits meets minimum product standards and exhibit requirements; overall, the work is of average quality - good. Red indicates good quality; however, there is room for improvement in the exhibit.

White Ribbon - Fair Award: Exhibits that do not meet the product standards and needs much improvement.

White Ribbon - Fair Award: Exhibits that do not meet the product standards and needs much improvement. White indicates serious or considerable deficiencies in meeting product standards and/or exhibit requirements of fair. These exhibits upon evaluation are found lacking and rate only average, acceptable or satisfactory for the standards established. No award or no ribbon may be given if exhibits which, for one reason or another, fails to produce that level of achievement which can be reasonably expected in relation to the specific class or performance in which they are entered.

- 1. The decision of the judges shall be final. In case of a tie, the decision of the judges is final.
- 2. A judge may disqualify any exhibit not of show quality.
- 3. Group owned animals (4-H Club and FFA Chapter youth groups) shall be judged separately, except in classes with no youth group division.
- 4. Youth group divisions must have two (2) or more entries for a class or there is no youth group. See division rules on required youth group entries.
- 27. Animal Identification and Health Certificates: Every animal entered in the Volusia County Fair must carry positive identification such as ear tags, ear tattoos or brands. Individual animal identification number must correspond with the numbers on the official health certificate. Proper health certificates must be available and checked by the Livestock Inspector. The certificate must comply with state regulations.

NO BULLS, RAMS, BUCKS, BILLY'S OR BOAR'S ALLOWED.

MARKET ANIMALS WILL HAVE SAMPLES TAKEN AT TAG IN FOR DNA.

- 28. <u>Animal Inspections</u>: Animals must be in the possession of the exhibitor and on the property of the exhibitor, school property, property of lessor or other property located within the **Volusia County School District**.
- 29. Animal Care: Animals are restricted to a designated area of the fairgrounds and are not to be taken from this area. Violators are liable for any damage incurred by owner or animal. Only animals being shown at the fair are permitted on the fairgrounds the exception being service animals. Failure to maintain animals and exhibit to acceptable standards and/or failure to cooperate with fair officials will result in a verbal warning and may result in premium award forfeiture. If the problem continues, there will be a \$25.00 a day fine. Exhibitor may be barred from future fairs.
- **30. Record Book:** Record books are optional for livestock and small animal entries.
- 31. Showing a Market and/or Breeder Animal or Pregnant Animals: An animal may be shown only as a breeder or a market animal, but not both. No animal may be replaced after the entry deadline date without approval of the Livestock Chairmen and Division Superintendent. Pregnant animals may be shown in breeding classes except for breeding swine. The fair accepts no responsibility for pregnant animals entered in the fair. Any market animal found to be pregnant after the sale, will result in forfeiture of sale money by the exhibitor. The buyer will be refunded their purchase price and the exhibitor will be responsible for any settlement with the slaughter facility.

#### 32. Animals in Barn:

- 1. All cattle must be secured by a halter, lead rope and a necktie.
- 2. Animal must be halter broken and exhibitor must be able to safely handle the animal. Livestock animals will be screened.
- 3. Any animal that is determined to be unmanageable, by the livestock management, will be removed from the fairgrounds.
- 4. Exhibitors that fail to care for his or her animal during the fair will receive a verbal warning. If the problem continues, a \$25.00 per day fine will be assessed, and the exhibitor could be barred from future fairs. Only animals being shown at the Volusia County Fair are permitted on the fairgrounds.
- **33. Livestock Judging:** Animals entered in the fair are subject for use in Livestock Judging.
- 34. Dehorning Cattle: All cattle must be dehorned. Horn stubs shall be no longer than two (2) inches. NO BULLS.

- 35. Livestock Area: Livestock exhibits must be presented and kept in an attractive manner. Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning and maintaining livestock area and for securing their equipment. All tack, grooming, show equipment and extra feed must be kept in an adequate show box or brought in and removed daily. Show boxes may be kept outside of the Townsend Livestock Pavilion along the West wall (area must be kept neat and clean). No divider panels allowed in the Townsend Livestock Pavilion. The fair is not responsible for items left at the fairgrounds. Do not alter or remove equipment belonging to the fair.
- **36. Animal Grooming:** Animals must be properly groomed for shows and showmanship. Grooming chute spaces are not allowed to be set up early. Grooming chutes may be left only during the time the assigned exhibitor has an animal showing. Grooming areas must be cleaned of hair, manure and trash immediately after grooming and shearing or the exhibitor will be asked to remove equipment. Grooming and clipping of animals are limited to FFA Advisors, 4-H Leaders, parents and exhibitors.
- **37. Daily Care and Feeding of Animals:** Exhibitors are responsible for the daily feeding, care and cleaning of their animal until the animal leaves the fairgrounds. All feeders must be removed from pens immediately after feeding. No self-feeders are allowed.
- 38. Bedding: The upper layer of shavings must be removed and shavings replaced daily, hay is not permitted.
- **39. Daily Pen Cleaning:** Pens must be cleaned daily. Exhibitors are responsible for daily pen cleaning. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, pens are to be cleaned between 12:00 p.m. (Noon) and 6:00 p.m.; Saturday and Sunday, pens are to be cleaned between 8:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.
- **40. Pen Cleaning and Sign Out on Check Out Day:** After the animal has been removed from the barn, on the scheduled check out day, pens must be cleaned by 12:00 p.m. (Noon) or as scheduled by the Barn Superintendent or a Livestock Chairman. The exhibitor must be present on check out day to clean the pen and sign out with the Superintendent or Livestock Chairman. If a pen is not cleaned and the exhibitor fails to sign out, the exhibitor will be subject to the forfeiture of premium money and a fine of \$25. Market animal exhibitors are responsible for daily pen cleaning with an exception on removal day only. Do not take items belonging to the fair. Fair equipment is not to be disconnected, altered or removed at any time this included watering equipment.
- **41. Livestock Barn Closing Times:** The barn will close each night at 10:00 p.m., except after a show, sale, or auction and the barn will then close thirty (30) minutes after a show, sale or auction. Exhibitors are to be out of the barn and off the livestock area grounds no later than 10:00 p.m. when the barn is closed and thirty (30) minutes after a show, sale or auction.

#### 42. Animal Areas:

- Animals are restricted to a designated area of the fairgrounds and must not be taken from this area.
- No animals are allowed in front of the Townsend Livestock Pavilion at any time.
- No riding of livestock animals allowed at any time.
- Animals are not allowed to be removed from pens during fair hours, unless that section of the barn is closed and/or under the supervision of a Livestock Chairman.
- Exhibitors are responsible for any damage incurred by owner or animal.
- Only animals being shown at the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show are permitted on the fairgrounds. Failure to maintain animals and exhibit areas to acceptable standard and/or failure to cooperate with fair officials will result in a verbal warning and may result in premium award forfeiture.
- If the problem continues, exhibitor may be charged a fine of \$25.00 a day and may be barred from future fairs.
- 43. Signs: All signs put on the pens and in the barn are regulated by the Volusia County Fair Assn., Inc.
- **44. Livestock Show Fans:** Livestock show fans only will be allowed in the livestock area of the barn. No butt fans allowed. No fans allowed in the aisle ways, fan must have 8' clearance off floor and be designed for livestock barns. All fans must be approved by the Livestock Chairman. If a fan is not approved, it must be removed from the livestock barn.
- **45. Livestock Supplies:** Exhibitor must supply feed, blankets, halters, grooming supplies, show box, water and feed buckets (not to exceed 18" in diameter no five (5) gallon buckets allowed). Fair equipment is not to be disconnected,

altered or removed at any time - this includes watering equipment.

- **46. Livestock Pen Assignment:** Livestock animals will be placed in pens by group based on FFA Chapters and 4-H Clubs. These areas will be assigned by the Livestock Chairman. Pens may not be opened to make them larger without approval of the Livestock Chairman.
- **47. Livestock Trailer Parking:** Livestock trailer parking will be allowed along the West fence area at the direction of the Livestock Chairman. Trailers must be in designated area and owner identification on the trailer. The fair retains the right to remove any trailer blocking traffic flow. Trailers must be clean and disinfected.
- **48. Food Area:** The parking chairman will assign an area for FFA and 4-H food tents/trailers. This is the only area food will be allowed for exhibitors. Food and drinks are not allowed in the livestock barn area or the small animal barn.
- **49. Livestock Exhibitor Entrance and Parking:** There is a livestock gate for livestock exhibitors to walk thru to bring in feed. No vehicles are allowed in the area behind the barn or to park in this area unless approved by the Livestock Chairman. Large animal livestock exhibitors are to enter through the livestock walk through gate entrance.
- **50.** Bill of Sales: All Bill of Sales must have sellers name, address and phone number on it. Bill of Sales must also have animal's Premise ID number and/or Scrapies Tag number as well.
- **51.** You will not receive your jacket at the end of your show. Jackets will be ordered after the fair and will be distributed at the market check dinner on December 12, 2023.

Check back often for new revisions of the handbook.

#### 2023 Livestock Information

**Note:** Due to the early printing of this book, changes, errors, deletions or omissions may occur, in which case the Volusia County Fair Assn., Inc. has the right to amend its own rules and regulations, and to decide all matters and differences in regards thereto including amendments.

June 19 - August 4 - Entries are first come, first serve and accepted in the fair office from 9 am to 4 pm only. (No email, fax or mail) (no online entries)

- Breeding swine, ewe, beef breeding, market swine, market lamb, prospect steer and breeding goats All livestock (excluding market steer) will be entered at the fair office.
- At the time of entering, a copy of the entry form, bill of sale or statement of ownership, livestock exhibitor certificate, copy of ethics certificate and waiver must be turned in to the fair office.

## July 31 - September 1 - Entries are first come, first serve and accepted in the fair office from 9 am to 4 pm only. (No email, fax or mail) (no online entries)

- Rabbits, guinea pigs, poultry and fowl.
- At the time of entering, a copy of entry form, ethics certificate and waiver must be turned in to the fair office.
- 1. Livestock Entry Fees: \$30 per entry for breeding heifers. \$30 entry fee for market steers (only one per exhibitor) and prospect steers (only one per exhibitor). \$25 entry fee for market lamb and market swine (only one per exhibitor). \$20.00 for all goat entries (limit of three per exhibitor). \$10 per entry for rabbits, guinea pigs, poultry and fowl (limit of five per exhibitor).
  - You must attend the mandatory livestock meeting in September.
  - Entry fees are nonrefundable and payable by cash, check or credit card.
  - Returned checks will be charged a fee as charged by the bank.
  - The returned check charge and entry fee must be paid in cash, before the opening day of the fair.
- 2. The fair reserves the right not to accept entry forms that are late, incomplete or unsigned.
- **3. Social Security or Federal ID Number:** The Volusia County Fair Association reserves the right to not issue premium checks or money if a Social Security Number or Federal ID Number is not provided.
- **4. Premiums and Awards:** The Volusia County Fair Association reserves the right to change premiums, awards and fees and delete or change categories and/or sponsorship.
- **5.** Exhibitor must designate at time of entry which organization, (4-H / FFA) or Independent they will be conducting their project. No exhibitor will be allowed to change the organization (4-H / FFA) or Independent, after the entry has been accepted.

#### 6. Cattle & Steer Information:

- All cattle 18 months of age and over are required to have a USDA ID Tag.
- Prospect steers and market steers are required to have a health certificate.
- 7. Buyer baskets are not allowed at the livestock auction.
- **8. Ethics Certification:** Ethics certification is required for exhibitors at the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show.
  - Have your ethics certification number written on the entry and attach a copy of your ethics certificate to your entry form. Livestock exhibitor are required to provide a valid ethics certification number on the entry form annually. Bring a copy of your ethics certification with all entries. Should you have an expired ethics certificate, you must provide a new ethics certificate Within 7-10 days after completion of a new ethics class.

#### 9. Livestock Barn Helpers:

- Barn helpers are required to have fair ID credentials for admittance to the barn.
- 10. Exhibitor Special Needs: It is the responsibility of the exhibitor and a parent to inform the Livestock Chairman of special needs (i.e., hearing or physical disability) an exhibitor may have. Special arrangements cannot be made if fair management is not aware of the need.

#### 11. Livestock Exhibitor and Parent Gate Entry:

- Count bracelet and tickets upon receipt of envelope.
- No replacement once exhibitor has left the livestock office. Livestock exhibitors will be issued a livestock bracelet.
- The livestock bracelet will allow entrance to the fair each day through the livestock gate.
- If an exhibitor is showing a small animal and a large animal, they will only get tickets as a large livestock exhibitor and not as a small animal exhibitor.
- Be sure to utilize the single day tickets to cover the days you want to be at the fair.
- No additional tickets will be issued. A broken bracelet will be replaced when brought to the fair office. A lost bracelet will be replaced at a charge of \$15.00.
- 12. The livestock barn will close at 10:00 p.m. each night except after a show or sale, and the barn will close thirty (30) minutes after the close of the show or sale.
- 13. No food or drink allowed in the livestock barn or small animal barn where animals are present.

### **2023 Date and Time Information**

June 10	STEER WEIGH IN ONLY - FIRST COME FIRST SERVE			
	8 - 10 a.m Market steer entry and 1st market steer weigh In Townsend Livestock Pavilion Must have for entry: Completed and signed entry form with bill of sale or statement of ownership livestock exhibitor certificate, copy of ethics certificate and waiver, entry fee \$30 by cash or check.			
•	Market steer minimum weigh in weight is 700 pounds.  Market steers must have USDA Identification Tag.  Market steers are required to have a health certificate on check in day.  Market steers will be required to weigh in at a minimum of 700 pounds at the 1st weigh in.  Market steers are recommended to have a weight gain of one (1) pound a day from the 1st weigh in to check in day.  Check in weight for the fair is a minimum of 950 pounds.			
•	Animals weighing less than 950 pounds on check in day will not meet weight requirements and will be denied entry to the fair.  Livestock auction max sale weight is 1450 pounds.			
September 9	7 a.m 9 a.m Market swine tag in - Show quality of the market swine will be determined. Behind Townsend Livestock Pavilion			
September 9	7 a.m 9 a.m Market lamb tag in - Townsend Livestock Pavilion			
September 11	Mandatory livestock meeting: 7 p.m. in Townsend Livestock Pavilion Breeding animals, market animals and breeding goats			
September 12	Mandatory livestock meeting: 7 p.m. in Townsend Livestock Pavilion Poultry, fowl, rabbits and guinea pigs			
	Livestock Buyer Invitations - Names & addresses are due — no more than (3) per exhibitor			
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November 4	5 p.m.	Beef breeding heifer show	Cow/Calf	
November 4	5 p.m.	Beef breeding heifer show	European/Continental Influence	
November 4	5 p.m.	Beef breeding heifer show	Florida Commercial Brahman Influence	
November 5	11 a.m.	Poultry contests Gates open at 11 a.m., no access for	Townsend Livestock Pavilion or the general public prior to gate opening.	
November 5	8 - 11 a.m.	Check out day: Breeding animals breeding heifers, breeding swine and breeding ewes		
November 5	1 - 5 p.m.	Market animal record books due	Livestock Office 2	
November 5	12 - 4 p.m.	Check in day: Market steer, swine, lamb & prospect steers All market animals will be weighed at check in.  Market Steer:  Minimum weight of 950 pounds for entry to the fair; Max sell weight 1450 pounds Steers under 950 pounds will be denied entry to the fair.  Market steers are required to have a health certificate and USDA Tag.  Market steer must not be over 25 months of age.  Prospect Steer:  Prospect steers maximum check in weight is 700 pounds.  Prospect steer are required to have a health certificate.  Prospect steer must be 8 - 12 months of age.  Market Swine:  Minimum weight of 230 pounds and maximum weight of 320 pounds for entry to the fair. Max sell weight is 300 pounds.  Must not be over 10 months of age.  Market Lamb:  Minimum weight of 90 pounds for entry to the fair.  Market lambs must be less than one (1) year of age.  Lambs must be slick sheared, washed and clean upon arrival.		
November 6	7 p.m.	Market lamb show	Townsend Livestock Pavilion	
November 7	6 p.m.	Market swine show	Townsend Livestock Pavilion	
November 8	7 p.m.	Prospect & market steer shows	Townsend Livestock Pavilion	
November 9	6 p.m.	Livestock market auction - Buyers baskets are banned from the auction.		
November 10	2 - 5 p.m.	Check in day - Goats		
November 10	6 p.m.	Goat showmanship	Townsend Livestock Pavilion	
November 11	12 p.m. 1 p.m. 2 p.m. 3 p.m. 7 p.m.	Breeding dairy goat show Breeding dwarf goat show Breeding meat goat show Market meat goat show Goat costume show	Townsend Livestock Pavilion	
November 11 & 12	11 a.m 2 p.m Buyer's thank you letters		Townsend Livestock Pavilion	

#### **Buyer Thank You Letters:**

Delivered to livestock office 2 - Townsend Livestock Pavilion on:
 November 11, Saturday 11 a.m. - 2 p.m.
 Thank you letters must be a WORD Document, a PAGES Document or typed to be accepted.

- Letters not in proper format are subject to return. Neatness is a priority. <u>No HANDWRITTEN LETTERS WILL BE</u>
   ACCEPTED.
- Note cards are not acceptable.
- Letters are to be in a stamped, unsealed, legal size envelope addressed to the buyer with the exhibitor's return address on the envelope. The fair office does not provide stamps or envelopes.
- After 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, buyer thank you letters are to be delivered to the fair office.
- Letters received after 2:00 p.m., on Sunday, the exhibitor will have a \$25 late fee deducted from the market check.
- Letters received after November 30th, will have a \$50 late fee deducted from the market check.
- · Exhibitors will not receive the market check until a letter is received by fair management.
- Market checks are given to the exhibitor or a parent.
- Market checks for FFA and 4-H Club animals are given to the Ag Advisor or 4-H Club Leader.

November 12	11 a.m.	Rabbit and guinea pig contests Gates open at 11 a.m., no access	Townsend Livestock Pavilion for the general public prior to gate opening.
November 12	4:30 - 6:30 p		Townsend Livestock Pavilion r superintendent to receive your award money.
November 12	5 - 6 p.m.	Small animal awards ceremony	Townsend Livestock Pavilion
November 12	6-8 p.m. (	Check out for small animals Talton	Small Animal Barn
November 12	9 p.m.	Fair closes	

- · Market check distribution dinner -
- December 12, 2023 @ 6:00 p.m. Tommy Lawrence Arena for exhibitors and parents only.
- RSVP to the fair office (386-734-9514) December 4th 8th, 2023
- Market checks not picked up at the dinner will be available in the fair office.
- Checks will be held for sixty (60) days after the last day of the fair in the fair office.
- Checks are to be cashed within sixty (60) days from the last day of the issue date.
- If an exhibitor fails to timely negotiate a check or collect award money, the exhibitor shall be deemed too have made an unconditional and irrevocable gift of said award money (cash or check) to The Volusia County Fair Association, Inc.
- The Volusia County Fair Association, Inc. does not do add-ons.
- Social Security Number or Tax Identification Number: If a Social Security Number or Federal ID Number is not provided, the Volusia County Fair has the right to not issue premium money or checks.
- You will not receive your jacket at the end of your show. Jackets will be ordered after the fair and will be distributed at the market check dinner on December 12th, 2023

The Volusia County Fair & Youth Show reserves the right to alter or delete premiums and awards, delete or change categories and change sponsorships and change entry dates and times as may be necessary.

## **Livestock Contact Information**

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386-202-0110 Rabbit & Guinea Pig Supt.

## **Record Books - Livestock Division**

Superintendent: Sandy Hull 386-424-4454

Record Book Turn In: Record books (except market animals)

November 1, 2023 1:00 p.m. - 5 p.m Livestock Office 2 Townsend Livestock Pavilion

Market Animal Record Book Turn In:

November 5, 2023 1:00 p.m. - 5 p.m. Livestock Office 2 Townsend Livestock

All Record Book Pickup: Sunday, November 12, 2023 12:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. Livesto Record books not picked up on the last day of the fair, may be picked up at the 4-H Off responsibility for record books after the last day of the fair.

## Age Divisions:

A: Pee Wee Age 5 - 7
B: Junior Age 8 - 10
C: Intermediate Age 11 - 13

D: Senior Age 14 - 18 (thru grade 12 in high school)

#### AWARDS:

Cash Awards Provided by Volusia County Fair

#### Pee Wee:

1st Place ...... \$25 & Plaque

Junior:

1st Place...... \$25 & Plaque

2nd Place\$15 & 2nd Place Rosette3rd Place\$10 & 3rd Place Rosette

Cash Awards Sponsored by Volusia County 4-H

#### Intermediate:

1st Place...... \$25 & Plaque

2nd Place S15 & 2nd Place Rosette
3rd Place S10 & 3rd Place Rosette

Senior:

1st Place...... \$25 & Plaque

2nd Place \$15 & 2nd Place Rosette
3rd Place \$10 & 3rd Place Rosette

#### **RULES:**

- 1. Exhibitors are responsible for reading and complying with the record book rules. Incomplete books will not be graded. Late books will not be accepted.
- **2.** The fair will not issue printed record books. Record books may be downloaded from the Volusia County Fair website at **www.volusiacountyfair.com**. Exhibitors must print their own record books.
- 3. Only one (1) record book entry is permitted per exhibitor. If entering more than one (1) livestock animal, elect one (1) livestock entry for your record book.
- 4. Record books may be in pen or pencil. Use only one (1) staple in the upper left-hand corner. No binders accepted.
- **5.** Exhibitor must start a record book beginning at the time of ownership or lease agreement and must maintain a financial record throughout the duration of ownership or lease agreement.
- **6.** The Volusia County Fair & Youth Show does not require a record book for entering an animal in the fair. A livestock record book is optional. Check with your 4-H Club or FFA Chapter on record book requirement.
- 7. Required copies for record book: Entry form, proof of ownership: bill of sale, lease agreement or statement of ownership, registration certificate and all other require paperwork must be included in the record book.
- **8.** Market class exhibitors must include a copy of the buyer's letter and a list of three (3) prospective buyers with addresses.
- **9.** Exhibitor needs to record important dates for animal: Animal's date of birth, veterinary checkups, dates medication is prescribed, de-worming dates, wash dates, shearing dates, hoof trimming dates, etc.

## **Market Livestock Auction Rules**

**Superintendent:** Bill Hester 386-734-1614 **Assistant:** Bill Johnson 386-490-3421

Livestock Market Auction: Thursday, November 9, 2023 - 6:00 p.m. Townsend Livestock Pavilion

- Buyer baskets are not allowed at the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show Livestock Auction.
- The livestock market auction is a terminal auction: 5C-4.0015
- Market Class: Do not remove ear tags.
- An exhibition class consisting of finished fed animals that all go directly to slaughter immediately following the exhibition.
- Market animals will leave the fairgrounds in authorized trailers and will be transported to an assigned slaughter facility.

#### **Market Sale Animals and Exhibitors:**

- Individual exhibitors are allowed to show and sell only one (1) market sale animal.
- Individual market exhibitors shall be ineligible to show FFA Chapter or 4-H Club animals.
- FFA Chapters and 4-H Clubs may exhibit and sell one (1) of each market sale animal.
- Livestock judging teams and other groups will be disallowed from exhibiting, showing or selling market animals.

#### Sale Order:

- Sale order will be determined by fair management.
- Show placing determines the order of the animals in the sale.
- Do not remove ear tags. Ear tags are for identification of the animals.

## **Showing a Market Animal:**

- · Show ring attire is require on auction sale night.
- A market animal may only be shown as a market animal.
- · No animal may be replaced without approval of the Livestock Chairmen and division superintendent.
- Pregnant animals will be disqualified from the market classes.
- Any market animal found to be pregnant after the sale, will result in forfeiture of sale monies by exhibitor. The buyer will be refunded their purchase price and the exhibitor will be responsible of any settlement with the slaughter facility.

**Check Out After Sale:** Market animals will be loaded onto trailers after the sale auction for removal to an authorized slaughter house by fair personnel and/or Livestock Committee members. Do not remove ear tags.

**Pen Cleaning:** After the market animals have been loaded and left the barn, pens will be cleaned by a cleaning crew.

Buyer's Names & Addresses: Please supply us with no more than three (3) prospective buyers no later than October 13, 2023 to sales@volusiacountyfair.com - NO EXCEPTIONS

## **Buyer Thank You Letters:**

- Delivered to Livestock Office 2 Townsend Livestock Pavilion on:
   November 11, Saturday 11 a.m. 2 p.m.
   OR
   November 12, Sunday 11 a.m. 2 p.m.
- Thank you letters must be in WORD Document or typed to be accepted.
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- Market checks are given to the exhibitor or a parent.
- Market check for FFA and 4-H Club animals are given to the Ag Advisor or 4-H Club Leader.

Social Security Number or Tax Identification Number: If a Social Security Number or Federal ID Number is not provided, the Volusia County Fair has the right to not issue premium money or sale check.

## **Market Livestock Auction Rules**

#### **Market Check Fees:**

Seven percent fee (7%) of the sale value of the animal will be deducted from the exhibitor's sale check to assist with the
expenses of the livestock auction. A charge of \$35.00 for a buyer's plaque will also be deducted from exhibitor's sale
check.

## **Buyer's Auction Payment:**

• Payment is due at the end of the livestock auction - cash, check or credit card.

## Slaughter, Cut & Wrap:

- Animal must have ear tag for identification. Do not remove ear tag.
- Slaughter, cut & wrap is not included in the auction sale price.
- The buyer is responsible for the cost of slaughter, cut and wrap and this is paid to the slaughter facility.

## **Condemned Animals:**

- Any animals sold at auction and condemned at slaughter by a State Inspector will be the financial responsibility of the exhibitor.
- The sale money will be refunded to the buyer by the Volusia County Fair Assn., Inc.

# LIVESTOCK BUYER'S BBQ INVITATION ONLY - NOVEMBER 9, 2023 - 4:00-5:30 p.m. - Tommy Lawrence Arena

Buyer's names with complete addresses are to be provided by market livestock exhibitors. Send to: <a href="mailto:sales@volusiacountyfair.com">sales@volusiacountyfair.com</a>

DEADLINE to submit to the sales e-mail is October 13, 2023 - NO EXCEPTIONS! NO other e-mail address will be excepted.

## YOU MAY ONLY SUBMIT UP TO THREE (3) BUYERS PER EXHIBITOR ONLY

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# **Breeding Heifer Cow/Calf - Division 100**

Superintendent: Dallas Hull 386-576-3874

- Breeding swine, breeding ewe, beef breeding, market swine, market lamb, prospect steer and breeding goats
- All livestock (excludes market steer) will be entered in the fair office.
- At time of entry, a copy of entry form, bill of sale or statement of ownership, livestock exhibitor certificate, wavier and copy of ethics certificate must be turned in to the fair office.
- · You must attend the mandatory livestock meeting in September.

## Entry Fee: \$30 per entry - non-refundable fee

Check-in day:Wednesday,November 11 - 5 p.m.Townsend Livestock PavilionShow time:Saturday,November 45 p.m.Townsend Livestock PavilionCheck out day:Sunday,November 58 - 11 a.m.Townsend Livestock Pavilion

- Beef breeding entries will be weighed on check in day. Livestock management will determine the final classification.
- · Bring health certificate on check in day.
- All cattle must be secured by a halter, lead rope and necktie.
- If there is only one (1) entry in the cow/calf division, it will be put in the heifer division.
- · Grooming chute areas will be monitored by fair management or fair personnel.
- Cattle eighteen (18) months of age and over entered in the Volusia County Fair are required to have a USDA cattle Identification tag.
- The first 72 entries, in beef breeding/cow/calf division, will be entered in the fair.
- Florida commercial brahman influence beef breeding females must have 1/8 or more brahman influence and be conducive to commercial cattle raised in a Florida climate; to withstand the elements in a Florida commercial cow-calf operation. Cattle must be able to perform on low quality forage in subtropical conditions and will be judged accordingly. Livestock Management will determine the final classification.

## AWARDS:

Cow/Calf Division:	
•	Jacket & Banner Sponsored by Volusia County Cattlewomen's Assn \$100 Provided by Volusia County Fair
	Banner Sponsored by Volusia County Cattlewomen's Assn.
	\$75 Provided by Volusia County Fair
3rd Overall Winner	Announced
4th Overall Winner	Announced
5th Overall Winner	Announced
	8th Grade) Banner & \$35 Sponsored by DeLand Breakfast Rotary Club rade) Banner & \$35 Sponsored by DeLand Breakfast Rotary Club
Ribbons & Cash AwardsBlue \$30Red \$20	Provided by Volusia County Fair Assn.

You will not receive your jacket at the end of your show. Jackets will be ordered after the fair and will be distributed at the market check dinner on December 12, 2023.

# **Breeding Heifer Cow/Calf - Division 100**

Read the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show Livestock Show General Rules

**Eligibility of Exhibitor:** Exhibitor must be ten (10) years of age through high school; reside in Volusia County, meet age requirements as of September 1st, of the current year, be enrolled and in attendance in an elementary school through high school or home school in Volusia County at the time of the fair.

**Eligibility of Animal:** As of August 1, the exhibitor must show ownership of animal and be in possession of the animal. Only female animals may be shown. No dairy influence breeds allowed. Crossbred is not a breed. All animals will be judged under the Danish System.

Official Entry Forms, Entry Fee: Deliver the completed, signed entry form and entry fee to the fair office. Bill of sale or statement of ownership, livestock exhibitor certificate, waiver and copy of ethics certificate must be attached to the entry form. Entries are accepted from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Ethics Certification: Ethics certification is required for all exhibitors at the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show. Livestock exhibitors are required to provide a valid ethics certification number on the entry form annually. Bring a copy of your ethics Certification with all entries. Should you have an expired ethics certificate, you must provide a new ethics certificate within 7-10 days after completion of a new ethics class.

## Proof Of Ownership:

- As of August 1, the exhibitor must show ownership of animal and be in possession of the animal.
- Bill of sale or statement of ownership with the name of breeder (seller), breeders address and phone number, date of purchase, date of birth, breed of animal, USDA Tag ID number must be attached to the entry form.
- · Statement of ownership must be signed by a parent or guardian.
- If proof of ownership is not with the entry form, the fair reserves the right to not accept the entry form.
- · Bring health certificate to check in.

Youth Group: All exhibitors will compete in the same classes/divisions, no separate youth group class/division.

**Health Requirements:** Health certificate is required. Entries must meet health rules set forth by the State of Florida. Admission of Animals for Exhibition. State Health and U.S.D.A. requirements will supersede any other rules or health requirements.

## Bring health certificate on check-in day.

Barn Check-In: Animals must be checked in by the Superintendent before entering the barn.

- · Animals will have one (1) trip across the scales at barn check in.
- Animals should be on a 12 15 foot lead rope.
- Exhibitors that fail to care for his or her animal during the fair will receive a verbal warning.
- If the problem continues, a \$25.00 per day fine will be assessed, and exhibitor could be barred from future fairs.
- · Only animals being shown at the Volusia County Fair are permitted on the fairgrounds.

**Animal Limit:** Exhibitors may enter a limit of three (3) animals in the Florida commercial, European continental beef breeding or cow/calf division combined. Limit of only three (3) per the beef breeding division. Only one (1) animal per age division is permitted. Cow/calf pairs are included in the three (3) animal limit.

**Cow/Calf Pair:** Cows must be over 1 year of age, calf must be 1 month - 6 months of age. Cow/calf pairs that will have a non-exhibitor showing the calf will not receive livestock credentials.

The non-exhibitor showing the calf must have ethics certification letter and check in with the Livestock Chairman and division superintendent on the day of the show.

# **Breeding Heifer Cow/Calf - Division 100**

**Livestock Barn Closing Time:** The barn will close each night at 10:00 p.m., except for after a show, sale or auction and the barn will then close thirty (30) minutes after a show, sale or auction. Exhibitors are to be out of the barn and off the livestock area grounds no later than 10:00 p.m. when the barn is closed and thirty (30) minutes after a show, sale or auction.

Livestock Area: Livestock exhibits must be presented and kept in an attractive and clean manner. Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning and maintaining livestock area and for securing their equipment. All tack, grooming, show equipment and extra feed must be kept in an adequate show box or brought in and removed daily. Show boxes may be kept outside of the Townsend Livestock Pavilion along the west wall (area must be kept neat and clean). No divider panels allowed in the Townsend Livestock Pavilion. The fair is not responsible for items left at the fairgrounds. Do not alter or remove equipment belonging to the fair.

**Daily Care and Feeding of Animals:** All animals are the responsibility of the exhibitor to fed, water and pens cleaned daily until the animals leave the fairgrounds. All feeders must be removed from pens immediately after feeding. No self-feeders are allowed.

Bedding: The upper layer of shaving only must be removed and shavings replaced daily. Hay is not permitted.

**Daily Pen Cleaning:** Pens must be cleaned daily. Exhibitors are responsible for daily pen cleaning. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, pens are to be cleaned between 12:00 p.m. (Noon) and 6:00 p.m.; Saturday and Sunday, pens are to be cleaned between 8:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Any exhibitor failing to do a daily cleaning of the animal pen or to care for their animal: After a verbal warning, will be fined \$25.00 a day and may not be allowed to show at future fairs or may be asked to remove the animal from the fairgrounds.

Pen Cleaning and Sign Out on Check Out Day: After the animal has been removed from the barn on the scheduled check out day, pens must be cleaned by 12:00 p.m. (Noon) or as scheduled by the Barn Superintendent or a Livestock Chairman. The exhibitor must be present on check out day to clean the pen and sign out with the superintendent or Livestock Chairman. If a pen is not cleaned and the exhibitor fails to sign out, the exhibitor will be subject to the forfeiture of premium money and a fine of \$25. Market animal exhibitors are responsible for daily pen cleaning with the exception on removal day only. Do not take items belonging to the fair. Fair equipment is not to be disconnected, altered or removed at any time - this includes watering equipment.

**Animal Grooming:** Grooming chute areas will be monitored by fair management or fair personnel. Animals must be properly groomed for shows and showmanship. Grooming chute spaces are not allowed to be set up early. Grooming chutes may be left only during the time the assigned exhibitor has an animal showing. Grooming areas must be cleaned of hair, manure and trash immediately after grooming and shearing or the exhibitor will be asked to remove equipment. Grooming and clipping of animals are limited to FFA Advisors, 4-H Leaders, parents and exhibitors.

## **BEEF BREEDING - SHOW QUALITY AND CONDITION:**

Show quality and condition will be determined by livestock management. Grooming for all cattle will be "blow and go" and no artificial products allowed.

Animal Show Condition: Animals must be clean, washed and in show condition.

- All livestock received must be disease and pest free and in show quality condition.
- Show condition is described as clean, groomed coat, not matted or manure caked, hooves must be trimmed to an attractive length.
- All animals will be wiped down before entering the show ring for any product on coat. If any product is found on the animal or in the barn, the animal will be disqualified.

The fair reserves the right to not accept entry forms that are late, incomplete, without entry fee, unsigned, without bill of sale or statement of ownership, livestock exhibitor statement, waiver or copy of ethics certificate.

# **Beef Breeding - Division 101** Florida Commercial Brahman Influence

Superintendent: Dallas Hull 386-576-3874

9 a.m. to 4 p.m. (No e-mail, fax, mail or online)

- · Breeding swine, breeding ewe, beef breeding, market swine, market lamb, prospect steer and breeding goats
- · At time of entry, a copy of entry form, a copy of ethics certification, bill of sale or statement of ownership, livestock exhibitor certificate and waiver must be turned in to the fair office.
- You must attend the mandatory livestock meeting in September.

## Entry Fee: \$30 per entry - non-refundable fee

Check-in day: Wednesday, November 1 Townsend Livestock Pavilion 1 - 5 p.m. Show time: Saturday, November 4 5 p.m. Townsend Livestock Pavilion Check out day: Sunday, November 5 8 - 11 a.m. Townsend Livestock Pavilion

- · Beef breeding entries will be weighed on check-in day. Livestock management will determine the final classification.
- Bring health certificate on check-in day.
- · All cattle must be secured by halter, lead rope and a necktie.
- If there is only one (1) entry in a division or class, it must be a blue ribbon to be eligible for Grand Champion or Reserve Champion.
- · Grooming chute areas will be monitored by fair management or fair personnel.
- · Cattle eighteen (18) months of age and over entered in the Volusia County Fair are required to have a USDA cattle
- The first 72 entries, in the beef breeding division, this includes cow/calf division, will be entered in the fair.
- · Florida commercial brahman Influence beef breeding females must have 1/8 or more Brahman Influence and be conducive to commercial cattle raised in a Florida climate; to withstand the elements in a Florida commercial cow/calf operation. Cattle must be able to perform on low quality forage in subtropical conditions and will be judged accordingly. Livestock management will determine the final classification.

Heifers must be 6 months to 31 months of age to be shown and without a calf.

Florida Commercial Brahman Influence Beef Breeding

**Division - Weight** 

Light Weight - up to 700 pounds

Middle Weight - 701 pounds - 1000 pounds

Heavy Weight - 1001 pounds and up

AWARDS:	
Grand Champion	Jacket & Banner Sponsored by Volusia County Cattlewomen's Assn. \$100 Provided by Volusia County Fair
Grand Champion	Belt Buckle Sponsored by Davis Brothers Heating & Air Conditioning
Reserve Champion	Banner Sponsored by Volusia County Cattlewomen's Assn.
	\$75 Provided by Volusia County Fair
3rd Overall Winner	Announced
4th Overall Winner	Announced
5th Overall Winner	Announced
Light Weight Division Winner	Banner Provided in Memory of Helen Pleterski
Middle Weight Division Winner	Banner Provided in Memory of Carl Reynolds
Heavy Weight Division Winner	Banner Provided in Memory of TR Townsend

Banner & \$35 Sponsored by Luznar Feed Mills, Inc. & Seville Slaughter House Sr. Showmanship (9th - 12th Grade).... Volusia County Bred & Born Top Placing Belt Buckle Sponsored by Volusia County Cattlemen's Assn.

Jr Showmanship (age 10 Yr - 8th Grade). Banner & \$35 Sponsored by Davis Brothers Heating & Air Conditioning

Ribbons & Cash Awards......Provided by Volusia County Fair Assn. Blue \$30......Red \$20......White \$10

# Beef Breeding - Division 101 Florida Commercial Brahman Influence

Read the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show Livestock Show General Rules

**Eligibility of Exhibitor:** Exhibitor must be ten (10) years of age through high school; reside in Volusia County, meet age requirements as of September 1st, of current year, be enrolled and in attendance in an elementary school through high school or home school in Volusia County at the time of the fair.

**Eligibility of Animal:** As of August 1st, the exhibitor must show ownership of animal and be in possession of the animal. Only female animals may be shown. No dairy influence breeds allowed. Crossbred is not a breed. All animals will be judged under the Danish System.

**Official Entry Forms, Entry Fee:** Deliver the completed, signed entry form and entry fee to the fair office. Entry form must have a bill of sale or statement of ownership, livestock exhibitor certificate, copy of ethics certificate and waiver attached. Entries are accepted from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

**Ethics Certification:** Ethics certification is required for all exhibitors at the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show. Livestock exhibitors are required to provide a valid ethics certification number on the entry form annually. Bring a copy of your ethics certification with all entries. Should you have an expired ethics certificate, you must provide a new ethics certificate within 7-10 days after completion of a new ethics class.

#### **Proof of Ownership:**

- As of August 1st, the exhibitor must show ownership of animal and be in possession of the animal.
- Bill of sale or statement of ownership with the name of breeder (seller), breeders address and phone #, date of purchase, date of birth, breed of animal, USDA Tag ID number must be attached to the entry form.
- Statement of ownership must be signed by a parent or guardian.
- If proof of ownership is not with the entry form, the fair reserves the right not to accept the entry form.
- · Bring health certificate to check in.

Youth Group: All exhibitors will compete in the same classes/divisions, no separate youth group class/division.

**Health Requirements**: Health certificate is required. Entries must meet health rules set forth by the State of Florida, Admission of Animals for Exhibition. State Health and U.S.D.A. requirements will supersede any other rules or health requirements.

## Bring health certificate on check-in day:

Barn Check In: Animals must be checked in by the superintendent before entering the barn.

- Animals will have one (1) trip across the scales at barn check-in.
- Animals should be on a 12 15 foot lead rope.
- · Animal's health certificate will be checked on check-in day
- · Exhibitors that fails to care for his or her animal during the fair will receive a verbal warning.
- If the problem continues, a \$25 per day fine will be assessed, and exhibitor could be barred from future fairs.
- Only animals being shown at the Volusia County Fair are permitted on the fairgrounds.

**Animal Limit:** Exhibitors may enter a limit of three (3) animals in the Florida commercial and European continental beef breeding divisions combined. Limit of only three (3) per the beef breeding divisions. Only one (1) animal per division is permitted. Cow/calf pairs are included in the three (3) animal limit.

Age of Animal: Heifers must be 6 months to 31 months of age to be shown and without a calf.

**Champion Competition:** Division winners of each weight group, from each show, will be combined to determine a Grand and Reserve Champion. If there is only one (1) entry in a division or class, it must be a blue ribbon to be eligible for Grand Champion or Reserve Champion.

# Beef Breeding - Division 101 Florida Commercial Brahman Influence

**Livestock Barn Closing Time:** The barn will close each night at 10:00 p.m., except for after a show, sale or auction and the barn will then close thirty (30) minutes after a show, sale or auction. Exhibitors are to be out of the barn and off the livestock area grounds no later than 10:00 p.m. when the barn is closed and thirty (30) minutes after a show, sale or auction.

Livestock Area: Livestock exhibits must be presented and kept in an attractive and clean manner. Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning and maintaining livestock area and for securing their equipment. All tack, grooming, show equipment and extra feed must be kept in adequate show box or brought in and removed daily. Show boxes may be kept outside of the Townsend Livestock Pavilion along the West wall (area must be kept neat and clean). No divider panels allowed in the Townsend Livestock Pavilion. The fair is not responsible for items left at the fairgrounds. Do not alter or remove equipment belonging to the fair.

**Daily Care and Feeding of Animal:** All animals are the responsibility of the exhibitor to be fed, watered and pens cleaned daily until the animals leave the fairgrounds. All feeders must be removed from pens immediately after feeding. No self-feeders are allowed.

Bedding: The upper layer of shavings only must be removed and shavings replaced daily. Hay is not permitted.

**Daily Pen Cleaning:** Pens must be cleaned daily. Exhibitors are responsible for daily pen cleaning. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, pens are to be cleaned between 12:00 (Noon) and 6:00 p.m.; Saturday and Sunday pens are to be cleaned between 8:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Any exhibitor failing to do a daily cleaning of the animal pen or to care for their animal: After a verbal warning, will be fined \$25.00 a day and may not be allowed to show at future fairs or may be asked to remove the animal from the fairgrounds.

Pen Cleaning and Sign Out on Check Out Day: After the animal has been removed from the barn, on the scheduled check out day, pens must be cleaned by 12:00 p.m. (Noon) or as scheduled by the Barn Superintendent or a Livestock Chairman. The exhibitor must be present on check out day to clean the pen and sign out with the Superintendent or Livestock Chairman. If a pen is not cleaned and the exhibitor fails to sign out, the exhibitor will be subject to the forfeiture of premium money and a fine of \$25. Market animal exhibitors are responsible for daily pen cleaning with an exception on removal day only. Do not take items belonging to the fair. Fair equipment is not to be disconnected, altered or removed at any time - this includes watering equipment.

**Animal Grooming:** Grooming chute areas will be monitored by fair management or fair personnel. Animals must be properly groomed for shows and showmanship. Grooming chute spaces are not allowed to be set up early. Grooming chutes may be left only during the time the assigned exhibitor has an animal showing. Grooming areas must be cleaned of hair, manure and trash immediately after grooming and shearing or the exhibitor will be asked to remove equipment. Grooming and clipping of animals are limited to FFA Advisors, 4-H Leaders, parents and exhibitors.

## **BEEF BREEDING - SHOW QUALITY and CONDITION:**

Show quality and condition will be determined by livestock management. Grooming for all cattle will be "blow and go" and no artificial products allowed.

**Animal Show Condition:** Animals must be clean, washed and in show condition.

- All livestock received must be disease and pest free and in show condition.
- Show condition is described as clean, groomed coat, not matted or manure caked, hooves must be trimmed to an attractive length.
- All animals will be wiped down before entering the show ring for any product on coat. If any product is found the animal or in the barn, animal will be disqualified.

The fair reserves the right to not accept entry forms that are late, incomplete, without entry fee, copy of ethics certificate, bill of sale or statement of ownership, livestock exhibitor certificate or waiver.

You will not receive your jacket at the end of your show. Jackets will be ordered after fair and will be distributed at the market check dinner on December 12, 2023.

# **Beef Breeding - Division 102 European/Continental Influence**

Superintendent: **Dallas Hull** 386-576-3874

June 19 - August 4......Entires are first come, first serve and only accepted in the fair office from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. (No e-mail, fax, mail or online)

- · Breeding swine, breeding ewe, beef breeding, market swine, market lamb, prospect steer and breeding goats
- · At time of entry, copy of the entry form, bill of sale or statement of ownership, livestock exhibitor certificate, copy of ethics certificate and waiver must be turned in to the fair office.
- You must attend the mandatory livestock meeting in September.

## Entry Fee: \$30 per entry - non-refundable fee

Check-in day: Wednesday, November 1 Townsend Livestock Pavilion 1 - 5 p.m. Show time: Saturday, November 4 5 p.m. Townsend Livestock Pavilion Check out day: Sunday, November 5 8 - 11 a.m. Townsend Livestock Pavilion

- Beef breeding entries will be weighed on check in day. Livestock management will determine the final classification.
- Bring health certificate on check in day.
- All cattle must be secured by a halter, lead rope and necktie.
- If there is only one (1) entry in a division or class, it must to be a blue ribbon to be eligible for Grand Champion or Reserve Champion.
- Grooming chute areas will be monitored by fair management or fair personnel.
- · Cattle eighteen (18) months of age and over entered in the Volusia County Fair are required to have a USDA cattle Identification Tag.
- The first 72 entires, in the beef breeding division, this includes cow/calf division will be entered in the fair.
- Heifers must be 6 months to 31 months of age to be shown and without a calf.

## Beef Breeding - European/Continental Influence Division - Weight:

Light Weight - up to 700 pounds Middle Weight - 701 to 1000 pounds Heavy Weight - 1001 pounds and up

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Grand Champion	Jacket, Banner & \$100 Sponsored by Seville Slaughter House & Luznar Feed Mills, Inc.
Grand Champion	Belt Buckle Sponsored by Davis Brothers Heating & Air Conditioning
Reserve Champion	Banner & \$75 Sponsored by DeLand Breakfast Rotary Club
3rd Overall Winner	Announced
4th Overall Winner	Announced
5th Overall Winner	Announced
Light Weight Division Winner	Banner Provided In Memory of Harley Cutlip
Middle Weight Division Winner	Banner Provided by Volusia County Fair
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Jr. Showmanship (Age 10 Yr - 8th Grade).....Banner & \$35 Sponsored by DeLand Breakfast Rotary Club Sr. Showmanship (9th - 12th Grade)......Banner & \$35 Sponsored by DeLand Breakfast Rotary Club

Ribbons & Cash Award: Provided by Volusia County Fair Assn. Blue \$30......Red \$20......White \$10

You will not receive your jacket at the end of your show. Jackets will be ordered after the fair and will be distributed at the market check dinner on December 12, 2023.

Check back often for new revisions of the handbook.

# **Beef Breeding - Division 102 European/Continental Influence**

Read the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show Livestock Show General Rules

**Eligibility of Exhibitor:** Exhibitor must be ten (10) years of age through high school; reside in Volusia County, meet age requirements as of September 1st, of current year, be enrolled and in attendance in an elementary school through high school or home school in Volusia County at the time of the fair.

**Eligibility of Animal:** As of August 1st, the exhibitor must show ownership of animal and be in possession of the animal. Only female animals may be shown. No dairy influence breeds allowed. Crossbred is not a breed. All animals will be judged under the Danish System.

**Official Entry Forms, Entry Fee:** Deliver the completed, signed entry form and entry fee to the fair office. Entry form must have a bill of sale or statement of ownership, livestock exhibitor certificate, copy of ethics certificate and waiver attached. Entries are accepted from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

**Ethics Certification:** Ethics certification is required for all exhibitors at the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show. Livestock exhibitors are required to provide a valid ethics certification number on the entry form annually. Bring a copy of your ethics certification with all entries. Should you have an expired ethics certificate, you must provide a new ethics certificate within 7-10 days after completion of a new ethics class.

## **Proof of Ownership:**

- · As of August 1st, the exhibitor must show ownership of animal and be in possession of the animal.
- Bill of sale or statement of ownership with the name of breeder (seller), breeders address and phone #, date of purchase, date of birth, breed of animal, USDA Tag ID number must be attached to the entry form.
- Statement of ownership must be signed by a parent or guardian.
- If proof of ownership is not with the entry form, the fair reserves the right not to accept the entry form.
- Bring health certificate to check in.

Youth Group: All exhibitors will compete in the same classes/divisions, no separate youth group class/division.

**Health Requirements**: Health certificate is required. Entries must meet health rules set forth by the State of Florida, Admission of Animals for Exhibition. State Health and U.S.D.A. requirements will supersede any other rules or health requirements.

## Bring health certificate on check in day:

**Barn Check In:** Animals must be checked in by the superintendent before entering the barn.

- Animals will have one (1) trip across the scales at barn check in.
- Animals should be on a 12 15 foot lead rope.
- · Animal's health certificate will be checked on check in day
- Exhibitors that fails to care for his or her animal during the fair will receive a verbal warning.
- If the problem continues, a \$25 per day fine will be assessed, and exhibitor could be barred from future fairs.
- Only animals being shown at the Volusia County Fair are permitted on the fairgrounds.

**Animal Limit:** Exhibitors may enter a limit of three (3) animals in the Florida commercial and European continental beef breeding divisions combined. Limit of only three (3) per the beef breeding divisions. Only one (1) animal per division is permitted. Cow/calf pairs are included in the three (3) animal limit.

Age of Animal: Heifers must be 6 months to 31 months of age to be shown and without a calf.

**Champion Competition:** Division winners of each weight group, from each show, will be combined to determine a Grand and Reserve Champion. If there is only one (1) entry in a division or class, it must be a blue ribbon to be eligible for Grand Champion or Reserve Champion.

# **Beef Breeding - Division 102 European/Continental Influence**

**Livestock Barn Closing Time:** The barn will close each night at 10:00 p.m., except for after a show, sale or auction and the barn will then close thirty (30) minutes after a show, sale or auction. Exhibitors are to be out of the barn and off the livestock area grounds no later than 10:00 p.m. when the barn is closed and thirty (30) minutes after a show, sale or auction.

Livestock Area: Livestock exhibits must be presented and kept in an attractive and clean manner. Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning and maintaining livestock area and for securing their equipment. All tack, grooming, show equipment and extra feed must be kept in adequate show box or brought in and removed daily. Show boxes may be kept outside of the Townsend Livestock Pavilion along the West wall (area must be kept neat and clean). No divider panels allowed in the Townsend Livestock Pavilion. The fair is not responsible for items left at the fairgrounds. Do not alter or remove equipment belonging to the fair.

**Daily Care and Feeding of Animal:** All animals are the responsibility of the exhibitor to be fed, watered and pens cleaned daily until the animals leave the fairgrounds. All feeders must be removed from pens immediately after feeding. No self-feeders are allowed.

Bedding: The upper layer of shavings only must be removed and shavings replaced daily. Hay is not permitted.

**Daily Pen Cleaning:** Pens must be cleaned daily. Exhibitors are responsible for daily pen cleaning. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, pens are to be cleaned between 12:00 (Noon) and 6:00 p.m.; Saturday and Sunday pens are to be cleaned between 8:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Any exhibitor failing to do a daily cleaning of the animal pen or to care for their animal: After a verbal warning, will be fined \$25.00 a day and may not be allowed to show at future fairs or may be asked to remove the animal from the fairgrounds.

Pen Cleaning and Sign Out on Check Out Day: After the animal has been removed from the barn, on the scheduled check out day, pens must be cleaned by 12:00 p.m. (Noon) or as scheduled by the Barn Superintendent or a Livestock Chairman. The exhibitor must be present on check out day to clean the pen and sign out with the Superintendent or Livestock Chairman. If a pen is not cleaned and the exhibitor fails to sign out, the exhibitor will be subject to the forfeiture of premium money and a fine of \$25. Market animal exhibitors are responsible for daily pen cleaning with an exception on removal day only. Do not take items belonging to the fair. Fair equipment is not to be disconnected, altered or removed at any time - this includes watering equipment.

**Animal Grooming:** Grooming chute areas will be monitored by fair management or fair personnel. Animals must be properly groomed for shows and showmanship. Grooming chute spaces are not allowed to be set up early. Grooming chutes may be left only during the time the assigned exhibitor has an animal showing. Grooming areas must be cleaned of hair, manure and trash immediately after grooming and shearing or the exhibitor will be asked to remove equipment. Grooming and clipping of animals are limited to FFA Advisors, 4-H Leaders, parents and exhibitors.

## **BEEF BREEDING - SHOW QUALITY and CONDITION:**

Show quality and condition will be determined by livestock management. Grooming for all cattle will be "blow and go" and no artificial products allowed.

Animal Show Condition: Animals must be clean, washed and in show condition.

- All livestock received must be disease and pest free and in show condition.
- Show condition is described as clean, groomed coat, not matted or manure caked, hooves must be trimmed to an attractive length.
- All animals will be wiped down before entering the show ring for any product on coat. If any product is found on the animal or in the barn, animal will be disqualified.

The fair reserves the right to not accept entry forms that are late, incomplete, without entry fee, copy of ethics certificate, bill of sale or statement of ownership, livestock exhibitor certificate or waiver.

Check back often for new revisions of the handbook.

# **Breeding Swine - Division 103**

Superintendent: Greg Akin 386-576-6844

Assistant:

**June 19 - August 4**.....Entries are first come, first serve and only accepted in the fair office from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. (**No e-mail, fax, mail or online**)

- Breeding swine, breeding ewe, beef breeding, market swine, market lamb, prospect steer and breeding goats
- At time of entry, a copy of entry form with bill of sale or statement of ownership, livestock exhibitor certificate, copy of ethics certificate and waiver must be turned in to the fair office.
- You must attend the mandatory livestock meeting in September.

## Entry Fee: \$25 per entry - non-refundable fee

Check-In day:Wednesday, November 11 - 5 p.m.Townsend Livestock PavilionShow time:Thursday, November 27 p.m.Townsend Livestock PavilionCheck out day:Sunday, November 58 - 11 a.m.Townsend Livestock Pavilion

- Breeding swine will be ear tagged and bled for health certificates on the same day.
- · Bring health certificate on check in day.
- · Breeding swine will be weighed on check in day.
- Only swine weighing between 200 and 320 pounds on check in day and conforming to established show quality and standards for grading US Grade 1 or 2 will be accepted in the fair.
- BREEDING SWINE WILL HAVE ONE (1) TRIP ACROSS THE SCALES! NO RE-WEIGHS!
- Breeding swine must not be over ten (10) months of age. Only female animals may be shown.
- Swine shown in the breeding swine division are not allowed to be entered in the market swine division.
- Grooming chute areas will be monitored by fair management or fair personnel.
- Premise ID number is required.

## 40 Breeding Swine slots available

## AWARDS:

·	\$300 Sponsored by Luznar Feed Mills, Inc. & Seville Slaughter House
Reserve Champion	Banner Sponsored by Seville Slaughter House & Luznar Feed Mills, Inc. \$200 Sponsored by Seville Slaughter House & Luznar Feed Mills, Inc.
3rd Overall Winner	
4th Overall Winner	Announced
5th Overall Winner	Announced
	Grade) Banner & \$35 Sponsored by
Sr. Showmanship (9th - 12 gra	ade) Banner & \$35 Sponsored by Brian's Bar-B-Q Restaurant & Catering
Volusia County Bred & Born To	op Placing: Banner and \$35 Provided by Volusia County Fair
Ribbons & Cash Awards Blue \$20 Red \$15	White \$10

Grand Champion......Jacket & Banner Sponsored by Luznar Feed Mills. Inc. & Seville Slaughter House

You will not receive your jacket at the end of your show. Jackets will be ordered after the fair and will be distributed at the market check dinner on December 12, 2023.

The fair reserves the right to not accept entry forms that are late, incomplete, without entry fee, unsigned, without a bill of sale or statement of ownership, livestock exhibitor certificate, copy of ethics certificate or waiver.

# **Breeding Swine - Division 103**

**Eligibility of Exhibitor:** Exhibitor must be eight (8) years of age through high school; reside in Volusia County, meet age requirements as of September 1st, of current year and be enrolled and in attendance in an elementary school through high school or home school in Volusia County at the time of the fair.

**Eligibility of Animal:** As of August 1, the exhibitor must show ownership of animal and be in possession of the animal. Animal must not be over ten (10) months of age. Only female animals may be shown. No piney wood rooters allowed. Breed must be on the entry form; crossbred is not a breed. Date of birth must be on the bill of sale, statement of ownership or lease agreement. Pregnant animals will be disqualified. All animals will be judged under the Danish System.

• Swine shown in the breeding swine division are not allowed to be entered in the market swine division.

**Official Entry Forms & Entry Fee:** Deliver the completed, signed entry form and entry fee to the fair office. Entry form must have bill of sale, statement of ownership or lease agreement, livestock exhibitor certificate, copy of ethics certificate and waiver attached to entry form to be accepted. Entries are accepted from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

**Ethics Certification:** Ethics certification is required for all exhibitors at the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show. Livestock exhibitors are required to provide a valid ethics certification number on the entry form annually. Bring a copy of your ethics certification with all entries. Should you have an expired ethics certificate, you must provide a new ethics certificate within 7-10 days after completion of a new ethics class.

## **Proof of Ownership:**

- As of August 1, the exhibitor must show ownership of animal and be in possession of the animal.
- Bill of sale or statement of ownership with the name of the breeder (seller), breeders address and phone number, date of purchase, date of birth, breed of animal, USDA Tag ID number must be attached to the entry form.
- Statement of ownership must be signed by a parent or guardian.
- If proof of ownership is not with the entry form, the fair reserves the right to not accept the entry form.
- · Bring health certificate to check in.

**Weight Limit:** Only swine weighing between 200 and 320 pounds on check in day and conforming to the established show quality and standards in conformation and grading 1 or 2 will be accepted in the fair. Animals may be screened. Breeding swine will be allowed one (1) weigh in. One (1) trip across the scales - no re-weighs.

**Animals Allowed:** Exhibitor is allowed to enter one (1) animal in the breeding swine division. Swine shown in the breeding swine division are not allowed to be entered in the market swine division. Bred gilts or boars are not allowed.

**Health Requirements:** Breeding swine must be bled and tested within thirty (30) days of the check in day at the fair. Entries must meet health rules set forth by the State of Florida. State Health and U.S.D.A. requirement will supersede any other rules or health requirements. Bring health certificate in on check in day.

Ear Tags: Breeding swine must be ear tagged thirty (30) days before the opening day of the fair.

## Bring health certificate on check in day.

**Health Certificate:** Breeding swine are required to have a health certificate. Health certificates are good for ninety (90) days before the check in day at the fair.

**Watering Animal to Cool:** Water only may be used to spray swine to cool down. Water is provided by the fair management and used by Ag Advisors and 4-H Leaders to spray the animal down.

Livestock Area: Livestock exhibits must be presented and kept in an attractive and clean manner. Exhibitors are responsible for the cleaning and maintaining livestock area and for securing their equipment. All tack, grooming, show equipment and extra feed must be kept in an adequate show box or brought in and removed daily. Show boxes may be kept outside of the Townsend Livestock Pavilion along the West wall (area must be kept neat and clean). No divider panels allowed in the Townsend Livestock Pavilion. The fair is not responsible for items left at the fairgrounds. Do not alter or remove equipment belonging to the fair.

# **Breeding Swine - Division 103**

**Livestock Barn Closing Times:** The barn will close each night at 10:00 p.m., except for after a show or auction sale. The barn will close thirty (30) minutes after a show for auction sale. Exhibitors are to be out of the barn and off the livestock area grounds no later than 10:00 p.m., and no later than thirty (30) minutes after the close of a show or auction sale.

**Daily Care and Feeding of Animals:** All animals are the responsibility of the exhibitor to be fed, watered and pens cleaned daily until the animal(s) leave the fairgrounds. All feeders must be removed from pens immediately after feeding. No self-feeders are allowed.

**Bedding:** The upper layer of shavings only must be removed and shavings replaced daily. Hay is not permitted.

**Daily Pen Cleaning:** Pens must be cleaned daily. Exhibitors are responsible for daily pen cleaning. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday: pens are to be cleaned between 12:00 p.m. (Noon) and 6:00 p.m.; Saturday and Sunday: pens are to be cleaned between 8:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Any exhibitor failing to do a daily cleaning of the animal pen or to care for their animal: After a verbal warning, will be fined \$25.00 a day, and may not be allowed to show at future fairs and/or asked to remove the animal from the fairgrounds.

Pen Cleaning and Sign Out on Check Out Day: After the animal has been removed from the barn, on the scheduled check out day, pens must be cleaned by 12:00 p.m. (Noon) or as scheduled by the Barn Superintendent or a Livestock Chairman. The exhibitor must be present on check out day to clean the pen and sign out with the Superintendent or Livestock Chairman. If a pen is not cleaned and the exhibitor fails to sign out, the exhibitor will be subject to the forfeiture of premium money and a fine of \$25. Do not take items belonging to the fair. Fair equipment is not to be disconnected, altered or removed at any time - this includes watering equipment.

**Animal Grooming:** Grooming chute areas will be monitored by fair management or fair personnel. Animals must be properly groomed for shows and showmanship. Grooming chute spaces are not allowed to be set up early. Grooming chutes may be left only during the time the assigned exhibitor has an animal showing. Grooming areas must be cleaned of hair, manure and trash immediately after grooming and shearing or the exhibitor will be asked to remove equipment. Grooming and clipping of animals are limited to FFA Advisors, 4-H Leaders, parents and exhibitors.

#### **BREEDING SWINE - SHOW QUALITY & CONDITION:**

• Show quality and condition will be determined by Livestock Management.

## **Animal Show Condition:**

- · Animals must be clean, washed and in show condition.
- All livestock received must be disease and pest free and in show quality condition.
- Show condition is described as clean, groomed coat, not matted or manure caked, hooves must be trimmed to an attractive length.
- All animals will be wiped down before entering the show ring for any product on coat. If any product is found on animal or in the barn, animal will be disqualified.

**NOTE:** Due to the early printing of this book, changes errors, deletions or omissions may occur, in which case, the Volusia County Fair Assn. reserves the right to amend its own rules and regulations, and to decide all matters and differences in regards thereto including amendments.

- The Volusia County Fair & Youth Show reserves the right to alter or delete premiums and awards, delete or change categories and change sponsorships and change entry dates and times as may be necessary.
- The fair reserves the right to not accept entry forms that are late, incomplete, without entry fee, unsigned, without a bill of sale or statement of ownership, livestock exhibitor certificate, copy of ethics certificate, or waiver.

You will not receive your jacket at the end of your show. Jackets will be ordered after the fair and will be distributed at the market check dinner on December 12, 2023.

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# Breeding Ewe - Division 104 Hair/Black Face/White Face/Mixed or Cross

Superintendent: Laura Conaway 386-316-5138

- · Breeding swine, breeding ewe, beef breeding, market swine, market lamb, prospect steer and breeding goats
- At time of entry, bill of sale or statement of ownership, livestock exhibitor statement, copy of ethics certificate and waiver must be with entry form. You must attend the mandatory livestock meeting in September.

## Entry Fee: \$25 per entry - non-refundable fee

Check-In day:Wednesday, November 11 - 5 p.m.Townsend Livestock PavilionShow time:Friday, November 36 p.m.Townsend Livestock PavilionCheck out day:Sunday, November 58 - 11 a.m.Townsend Livestock Pavilion

Breeding ewes will be weighed on check in day. Minimum weight of 70 pounds on check in day.

## 115 Breeding ewes slots available

## Breeding Ewe Classes will be determined by weight: Minimum weight 70 pounds.

Classes\* (\*Age classes may be combined as necessary to facilitate show)

6 months and under (Exhibitor's responsibility to make sure the animal stays in pen)

6 months to 12 months of age 13 months to 24 months of age

25 months to 36 months of age Max age is 36 months

#### **DIVISIONS:**

**HAIR:** Ewes are registered with a particular breed registry or of a cross that is fitted, groomed and clipped in a manner appropriate for the breed. If purebred - indicate breed and registration number on entry form.

Grand Champion......Jacket, Banner & \$50 Sponsored by The Gamble Family

Reserve Champion......Banner & \$35 Sponsored by The Gamble Family

**BLACK FACE:** Ewes that are registered with a particular breed registry or of a cross that is fitted in wool no longer than two (2) inches. If ewe is purebred - indicate breed and registration number on entry form.

Grand Champion......Jacket, Banner & \$50 Provided by Volusia County Fair

Reserve Champion.....Banner & \$35 Sponsored by Hickling Feed, Inc.

WHITE FACE: Ewes that are registered with a particular breed registry or of a cross that is fitted in wool no longer than

two (2) inches. If ewe is purebred - indicate breed and registration number on entry form.

Grand Champion......Jacket, Banner &50 Sponsored by DeLand Breakfast Rotary Club Reserve Champion.....Banner & \$35 Sponsored by DeLand Breakfast Rotary Club

MIXED/CROSS BREED: Ewes that are registered with a particular breed registry or of a mixed or cross that is fitted in

wool no longer than two (2) inches or fitted in hair, whichever the animal more closely resembles.

Grand Champion......Jacket, Banner & \$50 Sponsored by Greg's Feed & Farm Supplies, DeLand

Reserve Champion.....Banner & \$35 Sponsored by Flat Wallet Farm

3rd, 4th & 5th Overall Winners in each Division...... Announced

One (1) showmanship award for the breeding ewe division.

Jr. Showmanship (Age 8 Yr - 8th Grade)...... Banner & \$35 Sponsored by Meat Sheep Alliance of Florida

Sr. Showmanship (9th - 12th Grade)......Banner & \$35 Sponsored by Donald Kanfer, DVM

Ribbons & Cash Awards......Provided by Volusia County Fair Assn. Blue \$20.....Red \$15......White \$10

# **Breeding Ewe - Division 104**

**Eligibility of Exhibitor:** Exhibitor must be eight (8) years of age through high school; reside in Volusia County, meet age requirements as of September 1st, of the current year, be enrolled and in attendance in an elementary school through high school or home school in Volusia County at the time of the fair.

Eligibility of Animal: As of August 1, the exhibitor must show ownership of animal and be in possession of the animal. Only female animals may be shown, NO RAMS. Ewes must have a minimum weight of 70 pounds on check in day. Sheep shown in the breeding ewe division are not allowed to be entered in the market lamb division. Breeding sheep may be registered or non-registered sheep. All animals will be judged under the Danish System. Lambs brought with a breeding ewe must be less than three (3) months of age to be allowed in the pen with a ewe. If Ewes jump out of the pen twice, they will be sent home.

Exhibitor must declare the division they are showing in and no change is allowed after entry form is accepted by the fair office or at check in.

**Official Entry Form & Entry Fee:** Deliver the completed, signed entry form along with entry fee to the fair office. Entry form must have bill of sale, statement of ownership or lease agreement, livestock exhibitor certificate, copy of ethics certificate and waiver attached to entry form to be accepted. Entries are accepted from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

- Proof of ownership must have Breeder's name, name of breed, date of purchase, animals' date of birth and scrapie tag number.
- Scrapie tag number must be on the entry form.

**Ethics Certification:** Ethics certification is required for all exhibitors at the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show. Livestock exhibitors are required to provide a valid ethics certification number on the entry form annually. Bring a copy of your ethics certification with all entries. Should you have an expired ethics certificate, you must provide a new ethics certificate within 7-10 days after completion of a new ethics class.

#### **Proof of Ownership:**

- As of August 1, the exhibitor must show ownership of animal and be in possession of the animal.
- Bill of sale or statement of ownership with the name of the breeder (seller), breeders address and phone number, date of purchase, date of birth, breed of animal and scrapie tag number must be attached to the entry form.
- Statement of ownership must be signed by a parent or guardian.
- If proof of ownership is not with the entry form, the fair reserves the right to not accept the entry form.
- Bring health certificate to check in.

**Animal Limit:** Exhibitors may show two (2) animals in the breeding ewe division. Rams are prohibited. Breeding ewes must have three (3) or more animals in a division/class or will be placed within the breed division/class.

Youth Group: There is no youth group division. Youth groups will show with the individuals in their respective division.

## Tagging requirements for Sheep and Goats for Public and/or Private Sales and Shows/Fairs:

- Must be officially identified (ID) by a USDA-approved method (i.e., free USDA-issued ear tags) for the National Scrapie Eradication Program before change in ownership. Breed registration tattoos may be used for animals if accompanied by the breed registration certificate.
- Animals received at a market or sale must be officially identified by the owner before commingling with other animals. Market management may agree to act as agent for the owner but must also maintain the required ID records.
- Animals without official ID must be immediately returned to the farm of birth/origin.
- Sheep and goats must have the scrapie tag number for entry to the fair.

**Identification:** All sheep must meet the new identification requirements mandated by the USDA. They must have a tattoo or ear tag and be registered with the Florida USDA, APHIS or VS Office. The complete scrapie tag number must be on all documents. See photo on Page 6. All identification must match the scrapie tag # on the official fair entry form, health certificate and Scrapie Tag #. Any discrepancies on identification and the animal may be disqualified. Lost tags must be reported to the Superintendent or Livestock Chairmen.

**Scrapie ID Tag Required:** See section on sheep & goats identification requirements. Animals originating from states known to have scrapie must have a health certificate stating the animal has been dipped in accordance with U.S.D.A. Standards

# **Breeding Ewe - Division 104**

**Health Certificate and Requirements:** Breeding ewe are required to have a health certificate. All sheep must be participating in the Scrapie Eradication Program. All tattoos and ear tags must correspond with scrapie number.

Note: To obtain the free USDA official ear tags, the owner must first obtain a flock/heard identification number and
official ear tags must be obtained through the USDA.

**Livestock Barn Closing Times:** The barn will close each night at 10:00 p.m., except for after a show, sale or auction and the barn will then close thirty (30) minutes after a show, sale or auction. Exhibitors are to be out of the barn and off the livestock area grounds no later than 10:00 p.m. when the barn is closed and thirty (30) minutes after a show, sale or auction.

Livestock Area: Livestock exhibits must be presented and kept in an attractive and clean manner. Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning and maintaining livestock area and for securing their equipment. All tack, grooming, show equipment and extra feed must be kept in an adequate show box or brought in and removed daily. Show boxes may be kept outside of the Townsend Livestock Pavilion along the West wall (area must be kept neat and clean). No divider panels allowed in the Townsend Livestock Pavilion. The fair is not responsible for items left at the fairgrounds. Do not alter or remove equipment belonging to the fair.

**Daily Care and Feeding of Animal:** All animals are the responsibility of the exhibitor to be fed, watered and pens cleaned daily until the animals leave the fairgrounds. All feeders must be removed from pens immediately after feeding. No self-feeders are allowed.

Bedding: The upper layer of shavings only must be removed and shavings replaced daily. Hay is not permitted.

Equipment: Water and water bucket will be provided. Do not remove or alter fair property.

**Halters:** Halters are allowed for breeding ewes; use of a halter may exclude the exhibitor from showmanship at the discretion of the judge.

**Daily Pen Cleaning:** Pens must be cleaned daily. Exhibitors are responsible for daily pen cleaning. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, pens are to be cleaned between 12:00 p.m. (Noon) and 6:00 p.m.; Saturday and Sunday, pens are to be cleaned between 8:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Any exhibitor failing to do a daily cleaning of the animal pen or to care for their animal: After a verbal warning, will be fined \$25 a day, and may not be allowed to show at future fairs or may be asked to remove the animal from the fairgrounds.

Animal Grooming: BREEDING EWE - SHOW QUALITY & CONDITION.

- Show quality and condition will be determined by livestock management.
- Grooming chute areas will be monitored by fair management or fair personnel
- Ewes must be slick sheared, washed and clean upon arrival. No shearing or grooming at fair.
- Breeding ewes should show length, height and body capacity with adequate bone size and muscling.
- Animals must be properly groomed for show and showmanship.
- · All livestock received must be disease and pest free and in show quality condition.
- Show condition is described as clean, groomed coat, not matted or manure caked, hooves must be trimmed to an attractive length.
- To achieve show condition animals should be walked, trotted, jumped or braced daily.
- All animals will be wiped down before entering the show ring for any product on coat.
- If any product is found on animal or in the barn, animal will be disqualified.

Brucellosis and TB: See 5C-4.005 goats and sheep animal health requirements for exhibition (6-21-2006).

The fair reserves the right to not accept entry forms that are late, incomplete, without entry fee, bill of sale or statement of ownership, livestock exhibitor certificate, copy of ethics certificate or waiver.

You will not receive your jacket at the end of your show. Jackets will be ordered after the fair and will be distributed at the market check dinner on December 12, 2023.

Superintendent: Bill Johnson 386-490-3421
Assistant: Otis Smith 386-527-6694

First Weigh In & Tagging: Saturday, June 10, 2023
 8 - 10 a.m. Townsend Livestock Pavilion

Entry Fee: \$30 per entry - non-refundable fee

Entries are first come, first serve

Check-In day:Sunday, November 512 - 4 p.m.Townsend Livestock PavilionShow time:Wednesday, November 88 p.m.Townsend Livestock PavilionLivestock auction:Thursday, November 96 p.m.Townsend Livestock Pavilion

- Market steers are required to weigh in at a minimum of 700 pounds at the 1st weigh in, for entry to the fair.
- Market steers are recommended to have a weight gain of one (1) pound a day from the 1st weigh in to check in day.
- Market steers entered in the Volusia County Fair must have a USDA Identification Number Tag or tattoo.
- Market steers must be dehorned and no more than 2" in length.
- Market steers are not required to be Volusia County Bred & Born or Florida Bred & Born.
- Do not remove identification tag from the ear of the market animal.
- DO NOT REMOVE OR CUT EAR TAGS OUT OF EAR. THIS IS FOR ANIMAL IDENTIFICATION AT SLAUGHTER.
- · All market steers will be photo documented.
- · You must attend the mandatory livestock meeting in September.
- MARKET ANIMALS WILL HAVE SAMPLES TAKEN AT TAG IN FOR DNA.

**Market Check Dinner:** Tuesday, December 12, 2023 6 p.m. Tommy Lawrence Arena RSVP to the fair office by phone between December 4 - 8, 2023.

- · Market steers will be weighed on check in day.
- Animals weighing less than 950 pounds on check in day will not meet weight requirements for entry to the fair.
- Market steers are required to have a health certificate.
- · Bring health certificate on check in day.
- Do not remove or cut ear tag from market animal, this is for identification.

## AWARDS:

Grand ChampionJacket, Banner & Belt Buckle Sponsored by McMillion Creek Ranch Reserve ChampionBanner Sponsored by Volusia County Cattlewomen's Assn.				
3rd Overall WinnerAnnounced 4th Overall WinnerAnnounced 5th Overall WinnerAnnounced				
YG Grand ChampionJacket & Banner Sponsored by Volusia County Cattlewomen's Assn. YG Reserve ChampionBanner Sponsored by Volusia County Cattlewomen's Assn.				
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Jr. Showmanship (10 Yr - 8th Grade)Banner & \$50 Sponsored by Volusia County Cattlewomen's Assn. Sr. Showmanship (9th - 12th Grade)Banner & \$50 Sponsored by Volusia County Cattlewomen's Assn.				
Florida Bred & Born - Top PlacingBelt Buckle Sponsored by Volusia Stock Show Syndicate Volusia County Bred & Born - Top PlacingBelt Buckle Sponsored by Volusia County Cattlemen's Assn.				
Ribbons Provided by Volusia County Fair: BlueRedWhite (No money is given for these ribbons)				

## **MARKET STEER WEIGHT GAIN CONTEST:**

1st Place......\$50 Sponsored by Doug Weaver Family

.......\$50 In Memory of Bud Dow Sponsored by Volusia Stock Show Syndicate, Inc.

2nd Place......\$50 Provided by Volusia County Fair

- · Steers will have one (1) trip across the scales no reweighs.
- · First weigh in Minimum weight of 700 pounds.
- Check in day Minimum weigh in weight of 950 pounds.
- Steers weighing less than 950 pounds on check in day will not meet weight requirements for entry.
- Livestock auction Maximum sale weight of 1450 pounds.
- · Market steers are required to have a USDA Identification Tag.
- Market steers are to have a health certificate.
- Dental identification of market steers will be done at the first weigh in. Steer shall have all 4 baby teeth in tact.
- Market steers are not required to be Volusia County Bred & Born or Florida Bred & Born.
- Livestock auction: The livestock auction is a terminal auction. Market animals go to slaughter.
- DO NOT REMOVE OR CUT EAR TAGS FROM MARKET ANIMAL. THIS IS FOR IDENTIFICATION OF ANIMAL.
- MARKET ANIMALS WILL HAVE SAMPLES TAKEN AT TAG IN FOR DNA.

**Eligibility of Exhibitor:** Exhibitor must be ten (10) years of age through high school; reside within the Volusia County School District, meet age requirements as of September 1st, of current year and be enrolled and in attendance in an elementary school, high school or home school in Volusia County at the time of the fair.

## **Eligibility of Animal:**

- Market steer exhibitor must show ownership at time of entry and be in possession of the animal.
- Market steers are required to have a USDA Tag #.
- · Market steers shall not exceed 25 months of age on the opening day of the fair.
- Dental identification of market steers will be done at the first weigh in/tag in and shall have all 4 baby teeth in tact.
- Minimum weight at 1st weigh in is 700 pounds.
- · All market steers will be photo documented.
- Minimum weight at check in day is 950 pounds.
- Market steers must be dehorned and no more than 2" in length.
- NO BULLS ALLOWED.
- Market steers are not required to be Volusia County Bred & Born or Florida Bred & Born.
- Market steers are required to have a health certificate. Bring health certificate on check in day.
- · Livestock auction Maximum sale weight of 1450 pounds.

**Ethics Certification:** Ethics certification is required for all exhibitors at the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show. Livestock exhibitors are required to provide a valid ethics certification number on the entry form annually. Bring a copy of your ethics certification with all entries. Should you have an expired ethics certificate, you must provide a new ethics certificate within 7-10 days after completion of a new ethics class.

**Entry Information:** Market steers will be entered into the fair at the 1st weigh in date. Entry fee to be paid at the time entry form is accepted. Bill of sale or statement of ownership, livestock exhibitor certificate, copy of ethics certificate and release waiver must be with the entry form. USDA ID # must be on the entry form. Incomplete entry forms will not be accepted.

## **Proof of Ownership:**

- Bill of sale or statement of ownership with the name of breeder (seller), breeders address and phone number, date of purchase, date of birth, breed of animal, USDA Tag ID number must be attached to the entry form.
- Statement of ownership must be signed by a parent or guardian.
- If proof of ownership is not with the entry form, the fair reserves the right to not accept the entry form.
- Health certificate is required.

Market Sale Animals and Exhibitors: Individual exhibitors are allowed to show and sell only one (1) market sale animal. Individual market exhibitors shall be ineligible to show FFA Chapter or 4-H Club animals. FFA Chapters and 4-H Clubs may exhibit and sell one (1) of each market sale animal. Livestock judging teams and other groups will be disallowed from exhibiting and showing market animal.

**Youth Group:** Youth groups must have three (3) or more to have a class. If only one animal is entered from a youth group, the animal will show with the individuals and sell with the individuals, if a market animal.

**Steer Inspections - Steer Entries:** Steers will be subject to inspection by the Livestock Superintendents any time between entry deadline date and check in date. Animals must be in the possession of the exhibitor at all times. Market steers are required to have a health certificate.

## **Barn Check In:**

- Animals must be checked in by the Superintendent before entering the barn.
- · Animals will have one (1) trip across the scales at barn check in.
- Animals should be on a 12 15 foot lead rope.
- · Animal's health certificate will be checked on check in day.

**Health Certificate:** Market steers are required to have a health certificate. Health certificates are good for ninety (90) days before the check in day at the fair. Bring health certificate on check in day. Cattle 18 months of age and over entered in the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show will be required to have a USDA Cattle Identification Tag.

#### **Animals in Barn:**

- · All cattle must be secured by a halter, lead rope and necktie.
- Animal must be halter broken and exhibitor must be able to safely handle the animal.
- Any animal that is determined to be unmanageable by the livestock management, will be removed from fairgrounds.
- Exhibitors that fail to care for his or her animal during the fair, will receive a verbal warning.
- · If the problem continues, a \$25.00 per day fine will be assessed and exhibitor could be barred from future fairs.
- Only animals being shown at the Volusia County Fair are permitted on the fairgrounds.

**Managing Animals:** The exhibitor must show manageability of the animal by leading it before livestock management. If a steer is unmanageable at this time, the exhibitor will be given another chance after all other steers have been presented. A market steer deemed unmanageable by livestock management after a second chance of showing manageability, will be loaded on their trailer and removed from fairgrounds.

Livestock Area: Livestock exhibits must be presented and kept in an attractive and clean manner. Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning and maintaining livestock area and for securing their equipment. All tack, grooming, show equipment and extra feed must be kept in an adequate show box or brought in and removed daily. Show boxes may be kept outside of the Townsend Livestock Pavilion along the West wall (area must be kept neat and clean). No divider panels allowed in the Townsend Livestock Pavilion. The fair is not responsible for items left at the fairgrounds. Do not alter or remove equipment belonging to the fair.

**Livestock Barn Closing Times:** The barn will close each night at 10:00 p.m., except for after a show or auction sale. The barn will close thirty (30) minutes after a show or auction sale. Exhibitors are to be out of the barn and off the livestock area grounds no later than 10:00 p.m., and no later than thirty (30) minutes after the close of a show or auction sale.

**Daily Care and Feeding of Animal:** All animals are the responsibility of the exhibitor to be fed, watered and pens cleaned daily until the animals leave the fairgrounds. All feeders must be removed from pens immediately after feeding. No self-feeders are allowed.

Bedding: The upper layer of shavings only must be removed and shavings replaced daily. Hay is not permitted.

**Daily Pen Cleaning:** Exhibitors are responsible for daily pen cleaning. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday: pens are to be cleaned between 12:00 p.m. (Noon) and 6:00 p.m.; Saturday and Sunday: pens are to be cleaned between 8:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

- Any exhibitor failing to do a daily cleaning of the animal pen or to care for their animal: After a verbal warning, will be
  fined \$25.00 a day, and may not be allowed to show at future fairs or may be asked to remove the animal from the
  fairgrounds.
- Market animal exhibitors are responsible for daily pen cleaning with an exception on removal day only.

**Pen Cleaning After the Auction:** After the market animals have been loaded and left the barn, pens will be cleaned by a cleaning crew.

**Animal Grooming:** Grooming chute areas will be monitored by fair management or fair personnel. Animals must be properly groomed for shows and showmanship. Grooming chute spaces are not allowed to be set up early. Grooming chutes may be left only during the time the assigned exhibitor has an animal showing. Grooming areas

must be cleaned of hair, manure and trash immediately after grooming and shearing or the exhibitor will be asked to remove equipment. Grooming and clipping of animals are limited to FFA Advisors, 4-H Leaders, parents and exhibitors.

**Show & Sale Time:** Exhibitor must stay with their animal until the show or sale is concluded. There will be a mandatory exhibitor meeting one (1) hour before each show or sale. Only exhibitors showing in the livestock show or sale will be allowed in the barn area thirty (30) minutes before a show or sale. Parents must be out of the barn area starting thirty (30) minutes before a show or sale and remain out until the show or sale is concluded.

## **MARKET - Show Quality and Condition:**

- Market show quality and condition will be determined by livestock management.
- · Grooming for all cattle will be "blow and go" and no artificial products allowed.
- All livestock received must be disease and pest free and in show quality condition.
- Show condition is described as clean, groomed coat, not matted or manure caked, hooves must be trimmed to an attractive length.
- · Animals must be properly groomed for shows and showmanship.
- All animals will be wiped down before entering the show ring for any product on coat; if any product is found on the animal, or in the barn, the animal will be disqualified.
- · Cattle must be of a recognized beef breed.
- · Livestock auction Minimum weight is 950 pounds Maximum sale weight of 1450 pounds.

## **Buyer Thank You Letters:**

- Delivered to Livestock Office 2 Townsend Livestock Pavilion on:
   Saturday, November 11 11:00 a.m. 2:00 p.m.
   OR Sunday, November 12 11:00 a.m. 2:00 p.m.
- Thank you letters must be a WORD document, a PAGES Document or typed to be accepted.
- Note cards are not accepted. NO HANDWRITTEN LETTERS WILL BE ACCEPTED!!
- Letters are to be in a stamped, unsealed, legal size envelope addressed to the buyer with the exhibitor's return address on the envelope. The fair office does not provide stamps or envelopes.
- Letters not in the proper format are subject to return. Neatness is a priority.
- After 2 p.m. on Sunday, buyer thank you letters are to be delivered to the fair office.
- Letters received after 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, will be late and have a \$25 late fee deducted from the market check.
- Letters received after November 30th, will have a \$50 late fee deducted from the market check.
- · Exhibitors will not receive the market check until a letter is received by fair management.
- · Market checks are given to the exhibitor or parent.
- Market checks for FFA and 4-H Club animals are given to the Ag Advisor or 4-H Club Leader.

December 12, 2023 ......Market sale check distribution:

- · Market check distribution dinner:
- · December 12, 2023 @ 6:00 p.m. in the Tommy Lawrence Arena for exhibitors and parents only.
- RSVP to the fair office (386-734-9514) December 4th 8th, 2023.
- · Market checks not picked up at the dinner will be available in the fair office.
- · Checks will be held for sixty (60) days after the last day of the fair in the fair office.
- · Checks are to be cashed within ninety (60) days from the last day of the fair.
- If an exhibitor fails to timely negotiate a check or collect award money, the exhibitor shall be deemed to have made an unconditional and irrevocable gift of said award money (cash or check) to The Volusia County Fair Association, Inc.
- The Volusia County Fair Association, Inc. does not do add-ons.
- Social Security Number or Tax Identification Number: If a Social Security Number or Federal ID Number is not provided, the Volusia County Fair has the right to not issue premium checks or money.

You will not receive your jacket at the end of your show. Jackets will be ordered after the fair and will be distributed at the market check dinner on December 12, 2023.

The fair reserves the right to not accept entry forms that are late, incomplete, without entry fee, unsigned, without a bill of sale or statement of ownership, livestock exhibitor certificate, copy of ethics certificate or waiver.

The Volusia County Fair & Youth Show reserves the right to alter or delete premiums and awards, delete or change categories and change sponsorships and change entry dates and times as may be necessary.

**Superintendent:** Troy Rentz 386-801-1810 **Assistant:** Lenton Fidler 386-566-4432

June 19 - August 4.......Entries are first come, first serve and only accepted in the fair office from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. (No e-mail, fax, mail or online)

- · Breeding swine, breeding ewe, beef breeding, market swine, market lamb, prospect steer and breeding goats
- At time of entry, a copy of the entry form with bill of sale or statement of ownership, livestock exhibitor certificate, copy of ethics certificate and waiver must be turned in to the fair office.
- · All market swine will be photo documented.
- · You must attend the mandatory livestock meeting in September.
- MARKET ANIMALS WILL HAVE SAMPLES TAKEN AT TAG IN FOR DNA.

## Entry Fee: \$25 per entry - non-refundable fee

Mandatory Market Swine Tag In - Townsend Livestock Pavilion 7:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. September 10th, 2022

## All Swine must have a Premise ID Tag or equivalent to enter the Volusia County Fair.

Check-In day:Sunday, November 512 p.m. - 4 p.m.Townsend Livestock PavilionShow time:Tuesday, November 76 p.m.Townsend Livestock PavilionLivestock auction:Thursday, November 96 p.m.Townsend Livestock Pavilion

Market Check Dinner: Tuesday, December 12, 2023 6 p.m. Tommy Lawrence Arena

RSVP to the fair office by phone between December 4th - 8th, 2023.

Market swine will be weighed on check in day. DO NOT REMOVE OR CUT EAR TAGS OUT OF EAR. THIS IS FOR ANIMAL IDENTIFICATION AT SLAUGHTER.

## 120 Market Swine slots available

#### AWARDS:

AWARDS:	
Grand Champion	Jacket & Banner Sponsored by Seville Slaughter House & Luznar Feed Mills, Inc.
Grand Champion	Belt Buckle Sponsored by Seville Slaughter House & Luznar Feed Mills, Inc.
Reserve Champion	Banner Sponsored by Seville Slaughter House & Luznar Feed Mills, Inc.
3rd Overall Winner	Announced
4th Overall Winner	Announced
5th Overall Winner	Announced
YG Grand Champion	Jacket & Banner Sponsored by Seville Slaughter House & Luznar Feed Mills, Inc.
YG Reserve Champion	Banner Provided in Memory of Bob Bess by Ann Bess
3rd Overall Winner YG	Announced
4th Overall Winner YG	Announced
5th Overall Winner YG	Announced
Light Weight Division Winner	Banner Sponsored by Luznar Feed Mills, Inc. & Seville Slaughter House
Middle Weight Division Winner	Banner Sponsored by Luznar Feed Mills, Inc. & Seville Slaughter House
Heavy Weight Division Winner	Banner Sponsored by Luznar Feed Mills, Inc. & Seville Slaughter House

Volusia County Bred & Born - Top Placing......Banner & \$25 Sponsored by K L & D Trucking

Jr. Showmanship (8 Yr - 8th Grade)......Banner & \$50 Sponsored by Fastlane Promotions Sr. Showmanship (9th - 12th Grade).....Banner & \$50 Sponsored by Fastlane Promotions

Ribbons.......Provided by Volusia County Fair Blue......Red.....White (No money is given for these ribbons)

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

- Market swine will have one (1) trip across the scales. There are no re-weighs.
- · Minimum weight for market swine on check in day is 230 pounds. Any animals under weight will not make the fair.
- Maximum weight for entry to the fair on check in day is 320 pounds. Any animal over weight will not make the fair.
- · Market swine must be US Grade 1 or 2 for entry to the fair. Animals must make grade for entry to fair.
- Market swine max sell weight at auction is 300 pounds.
- Market swine must not be over 10 months of age on opening day of the fair.
- Market swine are not required to have a health certificate. Premise ID # is required on entry form.
- Livestock auction: The livestock auction is a terminal auction. Market animals go to slaughter.
- Swine shown in the breeding swine division are not allowed to be entered in the market swine division.
- DO NOT REMOVE OR CUT EAR TAGS FROM MARKET ANIMAL. THIS IS FOR IDENTIFICATION.
- · All market swine will be photo documented.

**Eligibility of Exhibitor:** Exhibitor must be eight (8) years of age through high school; reside in Volusia County, meet age requirements as of September 1st, of the current year and be enrolled and in attendance in an elementary, high school or home school in Volusia County at the time of the fair.

**Eligibility of Animal:** As of August 1, the exhibitor must show proof of ownership of animal and be in possession of the animal. Animal must not be over ten (10) months of age on opening day of the fair. No piney wood rooters allowed. Pregnant animals will be disqualified from the market class. Swine shown in the breeding swine division are not allowed to be entered in the market swine division. *NO BOARS ALLOWED*.

Official Entry Forms & Entry Fee: Deliver the completed, signed entry form with the required paperwork and entry fee to the fair office. Entry form must have proof of ownership (bill of sale or statement of ownership), livestock exhibitor certificate, copy of ethics certificate and waiver. Entries are accepted from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

**Ethics Certification:** Ethics certification is required for all exhibitors at the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show. Livestock exhibitors are required to provide a valid ethics certification number on the entry form annually. Bring a copy of your ethics certification with all entries. Should you have an expired ethics certificate, you must provide a new ethics certificate within 7-10 days after completion of a new ethics class.

## **Proof of Ownership:**

- · As of August 1, the exhibitor must show ownership of animal and be in possession of animal.
- Bill of sale or statement of ownership with the name of breeder (seller), breeders address and phone number, date of purchase, date of birth, breed of animal, USDA Tag number must be attached to the entry form.
- Statement of ownership must be signed by a parent or guardian.
- If proof of ownership is not with the entry form, the fair reserves the right to not accept the entry form.
- · Health certificate is not required.

Market Sale Animals and Exhibitors: Individual exhibitors are allowed to show and sell only one (1) market sale animal. Individual market exhibitors shall be ineligible to show FFA Chapter or 4-H Club animals. FFA Chapters and 4-H Clubs may exhibit and sell one (1) of each market sale animal. Livestock judging teams and other groups will be disallowed from exhibiting and showing market animals.

**Youth Groups:** Youth groups must have three (3) or more to have a class. If only one (1) animal is entered from a youth group, the animal will show with the individuals and sell with the individuals, if a market animal. Livestock judging teams and other groups will be disallowed from exhibiting and showing market animals.

**Health Certificate:** Market swine are not required to have a health certificate.

**Livestock Area:** Livestock exhibits must be presented and kept in attractive and clean manner. Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning and maintaining livestock area and for securing their equipment. All tack, grooming, show equipment and extra feed must be kept in an adequate show box or brought in and removed daily. Show boxes may be kept outside of the Townsend Livestock Pavilion along the West wall (area must be kept neat and clean). No divider panels allowed in the Townsend Livestock Pavilion. The fair is not responsible for items left at the fairgrounds. Do not alter or remove equipment belonging to the fair.

**Livestock Barn Closing Times:** The barn will close each night at 10:00 p.m., except for after show or auction sale. The barn will close thirty (30) minutes after a show or auction sale. Exhibitors are to be out of the barn and off the livestock area grounds no later than 10:00 p.m., and no later than thirty (30) minutes after the close of a show or auction sale.

**Daily Care and Feeding of Animals:** All animals are the responsibility of the exhibitor to be fed, watered and pens cleaned daily until the animal leaves the fairgrounds. All feeders must be removed from pens immediately after feeding. No self-feeders are allowed.

Bedding: The upper layer of shavings only must be removed and shavings replaced daily. Hay is not permitted.

**Daily Pen Cleaning:** Exhibitors are responsible for daily pen cleaning: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday: pens are to be cleaned between 12:00 p.m. (Noon) and 6:00 p.m.; Saturday and Sunday: pens are to be cleaned between 8:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Any exhibitor failing to do a daily cleaning of the animal pen or to care for their animal: After a verbal warning, will be fined \$25.00 a day, and may not be allowed to show at future fairs or may be asked to remove the animal from the fairgrounds. Market animal exhibitors are responsible for daily pen cleaning with an exception on removal day only.

**Pen Cleaning After the Auction:** After the market animals have been loaded and left the barn, pens will be cleaned by a cleaning crew.

Animal Grooming: Grooming chute areas will be monitored by fair management or fair personnel.

Animals must be properly groomed for shows and showmanship. Grooming chute spaces are not allowed to be set up early. Grooming chutes may be left only during the time the assigned exhibitor has an animal showing. Grooming areas must be cleaned of hair, manure and trash immediately after grooming and shearing or the exhibitor will be asked to remove equipment. Grooming and clipping of animals are limited to FFA Advisors, 4-H Leaders, parents and exhibitors.

## **MARKET - Show Quality & Condition:**

- Market show quality and condition will be determined by livestock management.
- All livestock received must be disease and pest free and in show quality condition.
- Show condition is described as clean, groomed coat, not matted or manure caked, hooves must be trimmed to an attractive length.
- Animals must be properly groomed for shows and showmanship.
- · All animals will be wiped down before entering the show ring for any product on coat.
- If any product is found on the animal, or in the barn, the animal will be disqualified.

## **Buyer Thank You Letters:**

- Delivered to Livestock Office 2 Townsend Livestock Pavilion on:
   Saturday, November 11, 11:00 a.m. 2:00 p.m.
   OR Sunday, November 12, 11:00 a.m. 2:00 p.m.
- Thank you letters must be a WORD document, a PAGES Document or typed to be accepted.
- Note cards are not accepted. NO HANDWRITTEN LETTER WILL BE ACCEPTED!!
- Letters are to be in a stamped, unsealed, legal size envelope addressed to the buyer with the exhibitor's return address on the envelope. The fair office does not provide stamps or envelopes.
- Letters not in the proper format are subject to return. Neatness is a priority.
- · After 2 p.m. on Sunday, buyer thank you letters are to be delivered to the fair office.
- Letters received after 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, will be late and have a \$25 late fee deducted from the market check.
- Letters received after November 30th, will have a \$50 late fee deducted from the market check.
- Exhibitors will not receive the market check until a letter is received by fair management.
- · Market checks are given to the exhibitor or parent.
- Market checks for FFA and 4-H Club animals are given to the Ag Advisor or 4-H Club Leader.

The fair reserves the right to not accept entry forms that are late, incomplete, without entry fee, unsigned, without bill of sale or statement of ownership, livestock exhibitor certificate, copy of ethics certificate or waiver.

December 12, 2023......Market sale check distribution:

- · Market check distribution dinner
- December 12, 2023, @ 6:00 p.m. in the Tommy Lawrence Arena for exhibitors and parents only.
- Please RSVP to the fair office at (386-734-9514) no later than December 4th through 8th, 2023.
- Market checks not picked up at the dinner will be available in the fair office.
- Checks will be held for sixty (60) days after the last day of the fair in the fair office.
- Checks are to be cashed within ninety (60) days from the last day of the fair.
- If an exhibitor fails to timely negotiate a check or collect award money, the exhibitor shall be deemed to have made an unconditional and irrevocable gift of said award money (cash or checks) to the Volusia County Fair Association, Inc.
- The Volusia County Fair Association, Inc. does not do add-ons.
- Social Security Number or Tax Identification Number: If a Social Security Number or Federal ID Number is not provided, the Volusia County Fair has the right to not issue premium money or checks.

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You will not receive your jacket at the end of your show. Jackets will be ordered after the fair and will be distributed at the market check dinner on December 12, 2023.

Check back often for new revisions of the handbook.

Superintendent: Laura Conaway 386-316-5138

Assistant:

June 19 - August 4....... Entries are first come, first serve and only accepted in the fair office from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. (No e-mail, fax, mail or online)

- Breeding swine, breeding ewe, beef breeding, market swine, market lamb, prospect steer and breeding goats
- At time of entry, a copy of the entry form with a bill of sale or statement of ownership, livestock exhibitor certificate, copy
  of ethics certificate and waiver must be turned into the fair office.
- All market lambs will be photo documented. Scrapie # must be on entry form.
- · You must attend the mandatory livestock meeting in September.
- MARKET ANIMALS WILL HAVE SAMPLES TAKEN AT TAG IN FOR DNA.

## Entry Fee: \$25 per entry - non-refundable fee

Market Lamb Tag In: September 9, 2023 7 a.m. - 9 a.m. Townsend Livestock Pavilion

Check-In day:Sunday, November 512 p.m. - 4 p.m.Townsend Livestock PavilionShow time:Monday, November 67 p.m.Townsend Livestock PavilionLivestock auction:Thursday, November 96 p.m.Townsend Livestock Pavilion

Market Check Dinner: Tuesday, December 12, 2023 6 p.m. Tommy Lawrence Arena

RSVP to the fair office by phone between December 4th - 8th, 2023

- · Lambs must be slick sheared, washed and clean upon arrival. No shearing or grooming at fair.
- DO NOT REMOVE OR CUT EAR TAGS OUT OF EAR. THIS IS FOR ANIMAL IDENTIFICATION AT SLAUGHTER.

#### 50 Market Lambs slots available

#### AWARDS:

•	. Jacket & Banner Sponsored by Randy & Shelley Smith . Banner Sponsored by Randy & Shelley Smith
3rd Overall Winner4th Overall Winner5th Overall Winner	.Announced
•	Jacket & Banner Sponsored by Dixie Septic Tank, IncBanner Sponsored by Hickling Feed, Inc.

3rd Overall	Winner	Announced
4th Overall	Winner	Announced
5th Overall	Winner	Announced

Jr.	Showmans	ship	(Age 8	8 <b>\</b>	۲r -	8th	Grade)	Banne	r & \$35 Sponsored by Sterling Enterprises	, LLC
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Sr. Showmanship (9th - 12th Grade)...... Banner & \$35 In Memory of Bob Gast.

Ribbons......Provided by Volusia County Fair Blue....Red.....White (No money is given for these ribbons)

- Market lambs will be weighed at check in and have one (1) trip across the scales at check in, no re-weighs.
- Minimum weight for market lambs on check in day is ninety (90) pounds.
- Market lambs must be less than one (1) year of age on the opening day of the fair and have milk teeth intact.
- Market lambs are subject to a dental identification to check for milk teeth. If not allowed to be mouthed, animal will be denied entry to the fair and sent home.
- No grass fed market lambs will be allowed in the market lamb division.
- Sheep must have the complete scrapie tag # on the entry form.
- Tattoos and ear tags must correspond with scrapie number.
- Market lambs are not required to have a health certificate.
- · Livestock auction: The livestock auction is a terminal auction. Market animals go to slaughter

## Tagging requirements for Sheep and Goats for Public and/or Private Sales and Shows/Fairs:

- Must be officially identified (ID) by a USDA-approved method (i.e., free USDA-issued ear tags) for the National Scrapie Eradication Program before change in ownership.
- Breed registration tattoos may be used for animals if accompanied by the breed registration certificate.
- Animals received at a market or sale must be officially identified by the owner before commingling with other animals. Market management may agree to act as an agent for the owner, but must also maintain the required ID records.
- Animals without official ID must be immediately returned to the farm of birth/origin.
- Sheep must have the scrapie tag # or tattoo # on the entry form.
- Scrapie tag # to be recorded on the health certificate.
- · All market lambs will be photo documented.
- MARKET ANIMALS WILL HAVE SAMPLES TAKEN AT TAG IN FOR DNA.

**Eligibility of Exhibitor:** Exhibitor must be eight (8) years of age through high school; reside in Volusia County, meet age requirements as of September 1st, of current year and be enrolled and in attendance in an elementary school, high school or home school in Volusia County at the time of the fair.

Eligibility of Animal: As of August 1, the exhibitor must show ownership of animal and be in possession of the animal.

- Date of birth and scrapie tag number or tattoo must be on the bill of sale or statement of ownership.
- Sheep shown in the breeding ewe division are not allowed to be entered in the market lamb division.
- Market lambs must be less than one (1) year of age on the opening day of the fair and have milk teeth intact.
- Pregnant animals will be disqualified from the market classes. NO RAMS ALLOWED
- Minimum weight on check in day is ninety (90) pounds.

Official Entry Forms & Entry Fee: Deliver the completed, signed entry form with the required paperwork and entry fee to the fair office. Entry form must have proof of ownership (bill of sale or statement of ownership), livestock exhibitor certificate, copy of ethics certificate and waiver. Entries are accepted from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

**Ethics Certification:** Ethics certification is required for all exhibitors at the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show. Livestock exhibitors are required to provide a valid ethics certification number on the entry form annually. Bring a copy of your ethics certification with all entries. Should you have an expired ethics certificate, you must provide a new ethics certificate within 7-10 days after completion of a new ethics class.

## **Proof of Ownership:**

- · As of August 1, the exhibitor must show ownership of animals and be in possession of the animal.
- Bill of sale or statement of ownership with the name of breeder (seller), breeders address and phone number, date of purchase, date of birth, breed of animal, scrapie tag ID number must be attached to the entry form.
- · Statement of ownership must be signed by a parent or guardian.
- · If proof of ownership is not with the entry form, the fair reserves the right to not accept the entry form.
- · Health certificates are not required.

## **Youth Group:**

- Youth groups must have three (3) or more to have a class.
- If there is not a class from a youth group, the animals will show with the individuals and sell with the individuals if a market animal.
- Livestock judging teams and other groups will be disallowed from exhibiting and showing market animals.

## **Market Sale Animals and Exhibitors:**

- Individual exhibitors can show and sell only one (1) market sale animal.
- Individual market exhibitors shall be ineligible to show FFA Chapter or 4-H Club animals.
- FFA Chapters and 4-H Clubs may exhibit and sell one (1) of each market sale animal.
- Livestock judging teams and other groups will be disallowed from exhibiting and showing market animals.

**Health Certificate:** Market lambs are not required to have a health certificate.

## Identification:

- All sheep must meet the new identification requirements mandated by the USDA.
- They must have a tattoo or scrapie ear tag and be registered with the Florida USDA, APHIS or VS Office.
- The complete scrapie tag number must be on all documents.
- All identification must match the scrapie tag # on the official fair entry form and USDA Scrapie Tag #.

- · Any discrepancies on identification and animal may be disqualified.
- · Lost tags must be reported to the Superintendent or Livestock Chairmen.
- DO NOT CUT OR REMOVE EAR TAGS, THIS IS FOR IDENTIFICATION PURPOSES.

#### Scrapie:

- See section on sheep & goat identification requirements or contact the superintendent of the goat department.
- Complete scrapie tag # must be on the entry form.
- Scrapie tag # to be recorded on the health certificate.

#### **Livestock Area:**

- Livestock exhibits must be presented and kept in an attractive and clean manner.
- Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning and maintaining livestock area and for securing their equipment.
- All tack, grooming, show equipment and extra feed must be kept in an adequate show box or brought in and removed daily.
- Show boxes may be kept outside of the Townsend Livestock Pavilion along the West wall (area must be kept neat and clean).
- No divider panels allowed in the Townsend Livestock Pavilion.
- The fair is not responsible for items left at the fairgrounds.
- Do not alter or remove equipment belonging to the fair.

## **Livestock Barn Closing Times:**

- The barn will close each night at 10:00 p.m., except for after a show or auction sale.
- The barn will close thirty (30) minutes after a show or auction sale.
- Exhibitors are to be out of the barn and off the livestock area grounds no later than 10:00 p.m., and no later than thirty (30) minutes after the close of a show or auction sale.

## **Daily Care and Feeding of Animal:**

- All animals are the responsibility of the exhibitor to be fed, watered and pens cleaned daily until the animals leave the fairgrounds.
- All feeders must be removed from pens immediately after feeding. No self-feeders allowed.

## **Daily Pen Cleaning:**

- · Bedding: The upper layer of shavings only must be removed and shavings replaced daily. Hay is not permitted.
- Exhibitors are responsible for daily pen cleaning. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday: pens are to be cleaned between 12:00 p.m. (Noon) and 6:00 p.m.; Saturday and Sunday: pens are to be cleaned between 8:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.
- Any exhibitor failing to do a daily cleaning of the animal pen or to care for their animal:
- After a verbal warning, will be fined \$25.00 a day, and may not be allowed to show at future fairs and/or asked to remove the animal from the fairgrounds.
- · Market animal exhibitors are responsible for daily pen cleaning with an exception on removal day only.
- Pen Cleaning After the Auction: After the market animals have been loaded and left the barn, pens will be cleaned by a cleaning crew.

#### **Equipment:**

- Halters are allowed for market lambs; use of a halter may exclude the exhibitor from showmanship at the discretion of the judge.
- Exhibitors are responsible for their equipment put name on all equipment.
- · Water and water buckets will be provided by the fair. Do not remove or alter fair equipment.

## **Animal Grooming:** Show Quality and Condition:

- Show quality and condition will be determined by livestock management.
- Grooming chute areas will be monitored by fair management or fair personnel.
- · Sheep must be slick sheared, washed and clean upon arrival.
- · No shearing or grooming at fair.
- · Animals must be properly groomed for shows and showmanship.
- All livestock received must be disease and pest free and in show quality condition.

- Show condition is described as clean, groomed coat, not matted or manure caked, hooves must be trimmed to an attractive length.
- · To achieve show condition animals should be walked, trotted, jumped or braced daily.
- · All animals will be wiped down before entering the show ring for any product on coat.
- If any product is found on animal or in the barn, animal will be disqualified.

## **Buyer Thank You Letters:**

- Delivered to Livestock Office 2 Townsend Livestock Pavilion on Saturday, November 11, 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
   OR Sunday, November 12, 11:00 a.m. - 2 p.m.
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- Market checks for FFA and 4-H Clubs animals are given to the Ag Advisor or 4-H Club Leader.

December 12, 2023......Market sale check distribution:

- Market check distribution dinner:
- December 12, 2023, @ 6:00 p.m., Tommy Lawrence Arena for exhibitors and parents only.
- Please RSVP to the fair office @ (386-734-9514) December 4 8, 2023
- Market checks not picked up at the dinner will be available in the fair office.
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- Checks are to be cashed within ninety (60) days from the last day of the fair.
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- Social Security Number or Tax Identification Number: If a Social Security Number or Federal ID Number is not provided, the Volusia Fair has the right to not issue premium checks or money.

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## **Prospect Steer Division - 108**

Superintendent:Otis Smith386-527-6694Assistant:Bill Johnson386-490-3421

- Breeding swine, breeding ewe, beef breeding, market swine, market lamb, prospect steer and breeding goats
- At time of entry, a copy of the entry form with a bill of sale or statement of ownership, livestock exhibitor certificate, copy
  of ethics certificate and waiver must be turned into the fair office.
- You must attend the mandatory livestock meeting in September.

## Entry Fee: \$30 per entry - non-refundable fee

Check-In day:Sunday, November 512 p.m. - 4 p.m.Townsend Livestock PavilionShow time:Wednesday, November 87 p.m.Townsend Livestock PavilionCheck out:Wednesday, November 89 p.m. - 10 p.m.Townsend Livestock Pavilion

- · Prospect steers will be weighed on check-in day.
- Prospect steers maximum check in weight is 700 pounds.
- Prospect steers will have one (1) trip across the scales no reweighs.
- Prospect steer must be 8 12 months of age on the opening day of the fair.
   (Recommended the prospect steer be born by 03/01/2021.
- Prospect steers do not have a sale or go to slaughter.
- · Prospect steers must have a health certificate.
- Bring health certificate on check in day.
- There will be only one (1) Grand Champion in prospect steer, either Florida born or non-Florida born, either or, but not both. There will not be two (2) Grand Champions for this division.
- You must attend the mandatory livestock meeting in September.

#### AWARDS:

•	Jacket & Banner Sponsored by The Hull Family
Reserve Champion	Banner Sponsored by The Hull Family
3rd Overall Winner	Announced
4th Overall Winner	Announced
5th Overall Winner	Announced

## Florida Born Prospect Steer:

Florida Grand Champion....... Jacket, Banner, Belt Buckle & \$250 Sponsored by Volusia Stock Show Syndicate, Inc. Florida Reserve Champion...... Banner & \$100 Sponsored by Volusia Stock Show Syndicate, Inc.

Jr. Showmanship (10 Yr - 8th Grade)......Banner & \$50 Sponsored by Luznar Feed Mills, Inc. & Seville Slaughter House Sr. Showmanship (9th - 12th Grade)......Banner & \$50 Sponsored by Luznar Feed Mills, Inc. & Seville Slaughter House

Ribbons... Provided by Volusia County Fair Blue....Red....White....(No money is given for these ribbons)

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# **Prospect Steer Division - 108**

**Eligibility of Exhibitor:** Exhibitor must be ten (10) years of age through high school; reside in Volusia County, meet age requirements as of September 1st, of current year and be enrolled and in attendance in an elementary school through high school or home school in Volusia County at the time of the fair.

Eligibility of Animal: As of August 1, the exhibitor must show ownership of animal and be in possession of the animal.

- Prospect Steers must be dehorned and no more than 2" in length.
- · NO BULLS ALLOWED.
- Prospect steers are required to have a health certificate.
- Bring health certificate on check in day.
- Prospect steers must be between 8 and 12 months on the opening day of the fair.
- Prospect steer maximum check in weight is 700 pounds.
- · All animals will be judged under the Danish System.

## **Entry Information:**

- Prospect steers will be entered into the fair on the entry date listed in the livestock handbook.
- Entry fee to be paid at the time entry is accepted. Incomplete entry forms and late entries will not be accepted.
- Entries are accepted from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

## **Proof Of Ownership:**

- · As of August 1, the exhibitors must show ownership of animal and be in possession of the animal.
- Bill of sale or statement of ownership with the name of breeder (seller), breeders address and phone number, date of purchase, date of birth, breed of animal and USDA Tag ID Number.
- Statement of ownership must be signed by a parent or guardian.
- If proof of ownership is not with entry form, the fair reserves the right to not accept the entry form.
- · Bring health certificate to check in.

**Ethics Certification:** Ethics certification is required for all exhibitors at the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show. Livestock exhibitors are required to provide a valid ethics certification number on the entry form annually. Bring a copy of your ethics certification with all entries. Should you have an expired ethics certificate, you must provide a new ethics certificate within 7-10 days after completion of a new ethics class.

## **Market Sale Animals and Exhibitors:**

- Individual exhibitors are allowed to show and sell one (1) market sale animal.
- Individual market exhibitors shall be ineligible to show FFA Chapter or 4-H Club animals.
- FFA Chapters and 4-H Clubs may exhibit and sell one (1) of each market sale animal.
- · Livestock judging teams and other groups will be disallowed from exhibiting and showing market animals.

#### **Prospect Steer Inspections:**

- Prospect steer entries Prospect steers will be subject to inspection by the Livestock Superintendent or fair management any time between entry date and check in date.
- · Animals must be in the possession of the exhibitor at all times and on property in Volusia County.

## Managing Animal:

- The exhibitor must show manageability of the animal by leading it before livestock management.
- If a steer is unmanageable at this time, the exhibitor will be given another chance after all other steers have been presented.
- A steer deemed unmanageable by livestock management after a second chance of showing manageability, will be loaded on their trailer and removed from fairgrounds.

## Animals in Barn:

- All cattle must be secured by a halter, lead rope and necktie.
- · Animal must be halter broken and exhibitor must be able to safely handle the animal.
- Any animal that is determined to be unmanageable, by the livestock management, will be removed from the fairgrounds.
- Exhibitors that fail to care for his or her animal during the fair will receive a verbal warning.
- If the problem continues, a \$25.00 per day fine will be assessed and the exhibitor could be barred from future fairs.
- Only animals being shown at the Volusia County Fair are permitted on the fairgrounds.

## **Prospect Steer Division - 108**

## Barn Check In:

- Animals must be checked in by the Superintendent before entering the barn.
- · Animals will have one (1) trip across the scales at barn check in.
- · Animals should be on a 12 15 foot lead rope. Animal's health certificate will be checked on check in day...

## **Health Certificate:**

- Prospect steers are required to have a health certificate.
- · Health certificates are good for ninety (90) days before the check in day at the fair.

## **Health Rules:**

- · Entries must meet health rules set forth by the State of Florida.
- State Health and U.S.D.A requirements will supersede any other rules or health requirements.

## **Livestock Barn Closing Times:**

- The barn will close each night at 10:00 p.m., except for after a show or auction sale.
- The barn will close thirty (30) minutes after a show or auction sale.
- Exhibitors are to be out of the barn and off the livestock area grounds no later than 10:00 p.m., and no later than thirty (30) minutes after the close of a show or auction sale.

## **Daily Care and Feeding of Animal:**

- All animals are the responsibility of the exhibitor to be fed, watered and pens cleaned daily until the animal leaves the fairgrounds.
- All feeders must be removed from pens immediately after feeding. No self-feeders are allowed.

#### **Livestock Area:**

- Livestock exhibits must be presented and kept in an attractive and clean manner. Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning
  and maintaining livestock area and securing their equipment.
- All tack, grooming, show equipment and extra feed must be kept in an adequate show box or brought in and removed daily.
- Show boxes may be kept outside of the Townsend Livestock Pavilion along the West wall (area must be kept neat and clean).
- · No divider panels allowed in the Townsend Livestock Pavilion. The fair is not responsible for items left at the fairgrounds.
- Do not alter or remove equipment belonging to the fair.

## **Daily Pen Cleaning:**

- Bedding: The upper layer of shavings only must be removed and shavings replaced daily. Hay is not permitted.
- Exhibitors are responsible for daily pen cleaning. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday: Pens are to be cleaned between 12:00 p.m. (Noon) and 6:00 p.m.; Saturday and Sunday: Pens are to be cleaned between 8:00 a.m and 11:00 a.m.
- Any exhibitor falling to do a daily cleaning of the animal pen or to care for their animal:
- After a verbal warning, will be fined \$25.00 a day, and may not be allowed to show at future fairs and/or asked to remove the animal from the fairgrounds.

## Animal Grooming: Grooming chute areas will be monitored by fair management or fair personnel.

- Animals must be properly groomed for shows. Grooming chute spaces are not allowed to be set up early.
- Grooming chutes are available to exhibitors only when the assigned exhibitor has an animal showing.
- Grooming areas must be cleaned of hair, manure and trash immediately after grooming and shearing.
- If the grooming area is not cleaned after grooming, the exhibitor assigned the chute space will have to remove the equipment. Grooming and clipping of animals are limited to FFA Advisors, 4-H Leaders, parents and exhibitors.

#### **Show Quality & Condition:**

- Show quality and condition will be determined by livestock management. Grooming for all cattle will be "blow and go" and no artificial products allowed.
- All livestock received must be disease and pest free and in show quality condition.
- Show condition is described as cleaned, groomed coat, not matted or manure caked, hooves trimmed to an attractive length. Animals must be properly groomed for shows and showmanship.
- All animals will be wiped down before entering the show ring for any product on coat; if any product is found on the animal or in the barn, the animal will be disqualified.
- · Cattle must be of a recognized beef breed.

# **Breeding Dairy Goat - Division 109**

Superintendent:Becky Maloney386-760-4132Co-Superintendent:Kristin Bowers386-566-7172Assistants:Kelsey Maloney & Kassidy Maloney

- · Breeding swine, breeding ewe, beef breeding, market swine, market lamb, prospect steer and breeding goats
- At time of entry, a copy of entry form with bill of sale or statement of ownership, livestock exhibitor certificate, copy of ethics certificate and waiver must be turned in to the fair office.
- · You must attend the mandatory livestock meeting in September.

## Entry Fee: \$20 per entry - non-refundable fee

Check-In day:Friday, November 102 - 5 p.m.Townsend Livestock PavilionGoat Division Showmanship:Friday, November 106 p.m.Townsend Livestock PavilionDairy Goat Show:Saturday, November 1112 p.m.Townsend Livestock Pavilion

Show times are subject to change - Check with Goat Superintendent

Costume Contest:

Saturday, November 11
7 p.m.
Townsend Livestock Pavilion
4:30 - 6:30 p.m. Townsend Livestock Pavilion

- No animals will be allowed in the barn until 2:00 p.m. on check in day due to the cleaning and sanitizing of the barn.
- Bring health certificate on check in day. Scrapie tag number must be on the entry form.
- Only three (3) goats entries total per exhibitor and only one (1) per age class or weight class allowed in a goat division.

160 Goats slots are available (This includes all goat entries).

## **Showmanship Age Divisions:**

A - Pee Wee	5 Yr - 8 Yr
B - Junior	9 Yr - 11 Yr
C - Intermediate	12 Yr - 14 Yr

## **AWARDS: Breeding Dairy Goats**

Grand Champion...... Jacket, Banner & \$30 Sponsored by Lore L. LTD.

Reserve Champion...... Banner & \$20 Sponsored by Capretta Farms, DeLand, Fl

3rd Overall Winner.....Announced 4th Overall Winner.....Announced 5th Overall Winner....Announced

One (1) Showmanship Award for all Goat Divisions

Ribbons & Cash Awards: Provided by Volusia County Fair Assn.

Blue......\$15 Red.....\$13 White......\$10

Goat Costume Contest Prizes are Provided by Goodin Auto Body, Port Orange

#### **AGE CLASSES OF GOATS**

Class 1: Under 13 months Class 2: 13 months - 25 months Class 3: Over 25 months

Dairy Goat Division: There will be 3 classes. Doe's only.

- 1. LaMancha (Purebred LaMancha)
- 2. AOP (Any Other Purebred Which combines Alpines, Sannens, Oberhaslis, Toggenburgs, Nigerian Dwarf Does in one class)
- **3.** Grades: These are crosses between breeds of dairy goats.

### **Breeding Dairy Goat - Division 109**

**Eligibility of Exhibitor:** Exhibitor must be five (5) years of age through high school; reside in Volusia County, meet age requirements as of September 1st, of current year and be enrolled and in attendance in an elementary school through high school or home school in Volusia County at the time of the fair.

**Official Entry Form & Entry Fee:** Deliver the completed, signed entry form and entry fee to the fair office. Entries accepted from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

At time of entry, copy of entry form with a bill of sale or statement of ownership, livestock exhibitor certificate, copy of
ethics certificate and waiver must be attached to the entry form and turned in to the fair office.

Eligibility of Animal: As of August 1, the exhibitor must show ownership of animal and be in possession of the animal.

- · Doe's only are allowed to enter.
- · No bucks or billies.
- Goats must be three (3) months of age on the opening day of the fair.
- Exhibitors may enter a limit of three (3) goats and only one (1) goat per age class.
- Kids or baby goats must be one (1) month to three (3) months of age.

**Ethics Certification:** Ethics certification is required for all exhibitors at the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show. Livestock exhibitors are required to provide a valid ethics certification number on the entry form annually. Bring a copy of your ethics certification with all entries. Should you have an expired ethics certificate, you must provide a new ethics certificate within 7-10 days after completion of a new ethics class.

#### **Proof of Ownership:**

- · As of August 1, the exhibitor must show ownership of animal and be in possession of the animal.
- Bill of sale or statement of ownership with the name of breeder (seller), breeders address and phone number, date of purchase, date of birth, breed of animal, scrapie tag number must be attached to the entry form.
- · Statement of ownership must be signed by a parent or guardian.
- If proof of ownership is not with the entry form, the fair reserves the right to not accept the entry form.
- Health certificate is required at check in.
- Bring health certificate and registration papers on check in day.

**Health Certificate and Tests:** A health certificate dated not more than 90 days before presentation and a scrapie identification number must be on the OCVI.

- All goats must be participating in the Scrapie Eradication Program. All tattoos and ear tags must correspond with scrapie number.
- The complete scrapie tag number must be on all documents.
- · All identification must match the scrapie tag number on the official fair entry form and health certificate.
- · Any discrepancies on identification and the animal may be disqualified.
- Lost tags must be reported to the Superintendent or Livestock Chairmen.

**Identification:** Goats must meet the identification requirements mandated by the USDA.

- They must have a tattoo or ear tag and be registered with the Florida USDA, APHIS or VS Office.
- Scrapie tag: See section on sheep & goat identification requirements or contact the Superintendent of the goat department.
- Complete scrapie tag number must be on the entry form.

#### **Livestock Barn Closing Times:**

- The barn will close each night at 10:00 p.m., except for after a show or auction sale.
- The barn will close thirty (30) minutes after a show or auction sale.
- Exhibitors are to be out of the barn and off the livestock area grounds no later than 10:00 p.m., and no later than thirty (30) minutes after the close of a show or auction sale.

Livestock Area: Livestock exhibits must be presented and kept in an attractive and clean manner.

- · Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning and maintaining livestock area and securing their equipment.
- All tack, grooming, show equipment and extra feed must be kept in an adequate show box or brought in and removed daily.
- Show boxes may be kept outside of the Townsend Livestock Pavilion along the West wall (area must be kept neat and clean).
- · No divider panels allowed in the Townsend Livestock Pavilion.

### **Breeding Dairy Goat - Division 109**

- The fair is not responsible for items left at the fairgrounds.
- Do not alter or remove equipment belonging to the fair.

#### **Daily Care and Feeding of Animal:**

- All animals are the responsibility of the exhibitor to be fed, watered and pens cleaned daily until the animal(s) leave the fairgrounds.
- All feeders must be removed from pens immediately after feeding. No self-feeders allowed.

Feed & Water: Exhibitor will supply their own feed, feed buckets, hay and hay racks, Bring a water bucket.

#### **Daily Pen Cleaning:**

- · Exhibitors are responsible for daily pen cleaning.
- Bedding: The upper layer of shavings only must be removed and shavings replaced daily. Hay is not permitted.
- Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday: Pens are to be cleaned between 12:00 p.m. (Noon) and 6:00 p.m.; Saturday and Sunday: Pens are to be cleaned between 8:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.
- Any exhibitor falling to do a daily cleaning of the animal pen or to care for their animal:
- After a verbal warning, will be fined \$25.00 a day, and may not be allowed to show at future fairs and/or asked to remove the animal from the fairgrounds.

#### Animal Grooming: Grooming chute areas will be monitored by fair management or fair personnel.

- Animals must be properly groomed for shows and showmanship. Grooming chute spaces are not allowed to be set up early.
- Grooming chutes may be left only during the time the assigned exhibitor has an animal showing.
- Grooming areas must be cleaned of hair, manure and trash immediately after grooming and shearing or the exhibitor will be asked to remove equipment.
- · Grooming and clipping of animals are limited to FFA Advisors, 4-H Leaders, parents and exhibitors.

#### Thank You Note:

- · Recipients of goat awards must prepare a thank you note addressed to the award sponsor of their animal.
- The thank you note must be submitted in a properly addressed envelope with a stamp, sealed and delivered to the goat division Superintendent or Assistant Superintendent before 3:00 p.m. on the day after their goat show.

#### Tagging requirements for Sheep and Goats for Public and/or Private Sales and Shows/Fairs:

- Must be officially identified (ID) by a USDA-approved method (i.e. free USDA-issued ear tags) for the National Scrapie
   Eradication Program before change in ownership. Breed registration tattoos may be used for animals if accompanied by
   the breed registration certificate.
- Animals received at a market or sale must be officially identified by the owner before commingling with other animals. Market management may agree to act as an agent for the owner, but must also maintain the required ID records.
- Animals without official ID must be immediately returned to the farm of birth/origin.
- Sheep and goats must have the scrapie tag number on the entry form.

#### **BREEDING GOAT - SHOW QUALITY & CONDITION:**

- Show quality and condition will be determined by livestock management.
- All livestock received must be disease and pest free and in show quality condition.
- Show condition is described as clean, groomed coat, not matted or manure caked, hooves trimmed to an attractive length.
- Animals will be wiped down before entering the show ring for any product on coat. If any product is found on an animal or in the barn, the animal will be disqualified.

The fair reserves the right to not accept entry forms that are late, incomplete, without entry fee, unsigned, without a bill of sale or statement of ownership, livestock exhibitor certificate, copy of ethics certificate or waiver.

You will not receive your jacket at the end of your show. Jackets will be ordered after the fair and will be distributed at the market check dinner on December 12, 2023.

### **Breeding Dwarf Goat Division - 110**

Superintendent:Becky Maloney386-760-4132Co-Superintendent:Kristin Bowers386-566-7172Assistants:Kelsey Maloney & Kassidy Maloney

- Breeding swine, breeding ewe, beef breeding, market swine, market lamb, prospect steer and breeding goats.
- At time of entry, a copy of the entry form with a bill of sale or statement of ownership, livestock exhibitor certificate, copy of ethics certificate and waiver must be turned in to the fair office. Scrapie tag number must be on entry form.
- You must attend the mandatory livestock meeting in September.

#### Entry Fee: \$20 per entry - non-refundable fee

Check-In day:Friday, November 102 - 5 p.m.Townsend Livestock PavilionGoat Division Showmanship:Friday, November 106 p.m.Townsend Livestock PavilionDwarf Goat Show:Saturday, November 111 p.m.Townsend Livestock Pavilion

Show times are subject to change - check with Goat Superintendent

Costume Contest:Saturday, November 117 p.m.Townsend Livestock PavilionCheck out day:Sunday, November 124:30 - 6:30 p.m.Townsend Livestock Pavilion

- No animals will be allowed in the barn until 2:00 p.m. on check in day due to the cleaning and sanitizing of the barn.
- · Bring health certificate and registration papers on check in day.
- Only three (3) goat entries total per exhibitor and only one (1) per age class or weight class allowed in goat divisions.
- Scrapie number must be on the entry form.

160 Goats slots are available (This includes all goat entries).

#### **Showmanship Age Divisions:**

A - Pee Wee	5 Yr - 8 Yr
B - Junior	9 Yr - 11 Yr
C - Intermediate	12 Yr - 14 Yr

#### **AWARDS:** Breeding Dwarf Goat

3rd Overall Winner.....Announced 4th Overall Winner.....Announced 5th Overall Winner....Announced

One (1) Showmanship Award for all Goat Divisions

Darmer & \$10 Opensored by Oaprolla Farms,

Ribbons & Cash Awards: Provided by Volusia County Fair Assn. Blue \$15......Red \$13......White \$10

Goat costume contest prizes are Provided by Goodin Auto Body, Port Orange.

Limit three (3) goats per exhibitor in the breeding goat division & only one (1) goat per age class

### **Breeding Dwarf Goat Division - 110**

#### AGE CLASSES OF GOATS:

Class 1: Under 13 months Class 2: 13 - 25 months Class 3: Over 25 months

#### **DWARF GOAT DIVISION:**

Dwarf/Pygmy Doe's

**Eligibility of Exhibitor:** Exhibitor must be five (5) years of age through high school; reside in Volusia County, meet age requirements by September 1st, of current year and be enrolled and in attendance in an elementary school through high school or home school in Volusia County at the time of the fair.

#### Official Entry Form & Entry Fees:

- Deliver the completed, signed entry form and entry fee to the fair office. Entries accepted from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
- At time of entry, copy of entry form with a bill of sale or statement of ownership, livestock exhibitor certificate, copy of
  ethics certificate and waiver must be attached to the entry form and turned in to the fair office.

#### **Eligibility of Animal:**

- As of August 1, the exhibitor must show ownership and be in possession of the animal.
- · Doe's only are allowed to enter. No bucks or billies allowed.
- Goats must be three (3) months of age on the opening day of the fair.
- Exhibitor may enter a limit of three (3) goats and only one (1) goat per age class.
- Kids or baby goats must be one (1) month to three (3) months of age.

**Ethics Certification:** Ethics certification is required for all exhibitors at the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show. Livestock exhibitors are required to provide a valid ethics certification number on the entry form annually. Bring a copy of your ethics certification with all entries. Should you have an expired ethics certificate, you must provide a new ethics certificate within 7-10 days after completion of a new ethics class.

#### **Proof of Ownership:**

- As of August 1, the exhibitor must show ownership of animal and be in possession of the animal.
- Bill of sale or statement of ownership with the name of breeder (seller), breeders address and phone number, date of purchase, date of birth, breed of animal, scrapie tag # must be attached to the entry form.
- · Statement of ownership must be signed by a parent or guardian.
- If proof of ownership is not with the entry form, the fair reserves the right to not accept the entry form.
- · Health certificate is required at check in.
- Bring health certificate and registration papers on check in day.

#### **Health Certificate and Tests:**

- A health certificate dated not more than ninety (90) days before presentation and a scrapie identification number must be on the OCVI.
- All goats must be participating in the Scrapie Eradication Program.
- All tattoos and ear tags must correspond with scrapie number.
- The complete scrapie tag number must be on all documents.
- All identification must match the scrapie tag number on the official fair entry form, health certificate and USDA Scrapie
   Tag Number.
- Any discrepancies on identification and the animal may be disqualified.
- · Lost tags must be reported to the Superintendent or Livestock Chairmen.

#### Identification:

- · Goats must meet the identification requirements mandated by the USDA.
- They must have a tattoo or ear tag and be registered with the Florida USDA, APHIS or VS Office.
- Scrapie tag: See section on sheep & goat identification requirements or contact the superintendent of the goat department. Complete scrapie tag number must be on the entry form.

#### **Livestock Barn Closing Times:**

- The barn will close each night at 10:00 p.m., except for after a show or auction sale.
- The barn will close thirty (30) minutes after a show or auction sale.
- Exhibitors are to be out of the barn and off the livestock area grounds no later than 10:00 p.m., and no later than thirty (30) minutes after the close of a show or auction sale.

### **Breeding Dwarf Goat Division - 110**

#### **Livestock Area:**

- · Livestock exhibits are to be presented and kept in an attractive and clean manner.
- · Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning and maintaining livestock area and for securing their equipment.
- All tack, grooming, show equipment and extra feed must be kept in an adequate show box or brought in and removed daily.
- Show boxes may be kept outside of the Townsend Livestock Pavilion along the West wall (area must be kept neat and clean).
- No divider panels allowed in the Townsend Livestock Pavilion.
- · The fair is not responsible for items left at the fairgrounds.
- · Do not alter or remove equipment belonging to the fair.

#### **Daily Care and Feeding of Animal:**

- All animals are the responsibility of the exhibitor to be fed, watered and pens cleaned daily until the animal(s) leave the fairgrounds.
- · All feeders must be removed from pens immediately after feeding.
- · No self-feeders are allowed.

Feed & Water: Exhibitor will supply their own feed, feed buckets, hay and hay racks. Bring a water bucket.

#### Daily Pen Cleaning: Exhibitors are responsible for daily pen cleaning.

- Bedding: The upper layer of shavings only must be removed and shavings replaced daily. Hay is not permitted.
- Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday: pens are to be cleaned between 12:00 p.m. (Noon) and 6:00 p.m.;
   Saturday and Sunday: pens are to be cleaned between 8:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.
- Any exhibitor failing to do a daily cleaning of the animal pen or to care for their animal, after a verbal warning, will be fined \$25.00 a day, and may not be allowed to show at future fairs or may be asked to remove the animal from the fairgrounds.

#### Animal Grooming: Grooming chute areas will be monitored by fair management or fair personnel.

- · Animals must be properly groomed for shows and showmanship.
- · Grooming chute spaces are not allowed to be set up early.
- · Grooming chutes may be left only during the time the assigned exhibitor has an animal showing.
- Grooming areas must be cleaned of hair, manure and trash immediately after grooming and shearing or the exhibitor will be asked to remove equipment.
- Grooming and clipping of animals are limited to FFA Advisors, 4-H Leaders, parents and exhibitors.

#### **Thank You Note:**

- Recipients of awards must prepare a thank you note addressed to the award sponsor of their animal.
- The thank you note must be submitted in a properly addressed envelope with a stamp, sealed, and delivered to the goat division Superintendent or Assistant Superintendent before 3:00 p.m. on the day after their goat show.

#### Tagging requirements for Sheep and Goats for Public and/or Private Sales and Shows/Fairs.

- Must be officially identified (ID) by a USDA-approved method (i.e. free USDA-issued ear tag) for the National Scrapie Eradication Program before change in ownership. Breed registration tattoos may be used for animals if accompanied by the breeds registration certificate.
- Animals received at a market or sale must be officially identified by the owner before commingling with other animals. Market management may agree to act as an agent for the owner, but must also maintain the required ID records.
- Animals without official ID must be immediately returned to the farm of birth/origin.
- Sheep and goats must have the full scrapie tag number on the entry form.

#### **BREEDING GOAT - SHOW QUALITY & CONDITION:**

- Show quality and condition will be determined by Livestock Management.
- Show condition is described as clean, groomed coat, not matted or manure caked, hooves trimmed to an attractive length.
- Animals will be wiped down before entering the show ring for any product on coat. If any product is found on an animal or in the barn, the animal will be disqualified.

### **Breeding Meat Goat Division - 111**

Superintendent:Becky Maloney386-760-4132Co-Superintendent:Kristin Bowers386-566-7172Assistant:Kelsey Maloney and Kassidy Maloney

June 19 - August 4......Entries are first come, first serve and only accepted in the fair office from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. (no e-mail, fax, mail or online)

- · Breeding swine, breeding ewe, beef breeding, market swine, market lamb, prospect steer and breeding goats
- At time of entry, a copy of the entry form, with a bill of sale or statement of ownership, livestock exhibitor certificate, copy of ethics certificate and waiver must be turned in to the fair office. Scrapie tag number must be on the entry form.
- You must attend the mandatory livestock meeting in September.

#### Entry Fee: \$20 per entry - non-refundable fee

Check-In day:Friday, November 102 - 5 p.m.Townsend Livestock PavilionGoat Division Showmanship:Friday, November 106 p.m.Townsend Livestock PavilionBreeding Meat Goat Show:Saturday, November 112 p.m.Townsend Livestock Pavilion

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Costume Contest:Saturday, November 117 p.m.Townsend Livestock PavilionCheck out day:Sunday, November 124:30 - 6:30 p.m. Townsend Livestock Pavilion

- No animals will be allowed in the barn until 2:00 p.m. on check in day due to the cleaning and sanitizing of the barn.
- · Bring health certificate and registration papers on check in day.
- · Only three (3) goat entries total per exhibitor and only one (1) per age class or weight class allowed in goat divisions.
- · Scrapie tag number must be on the entry form.

160 Goats slots are available (This includes all goat entries)

#### **Showmanship Age Divisions:**

A - Pee Wee	5 Yr - 8 Yr
B - Junior	9 Yr - 11 Yr
C - Intermediate	12 Yr - 14 Yr

#### **AWARDS: Breeding Meat Goats**

Grand Champion...... Jacket, Banner & \$30 Sponsored by

Reserve Champion...... Banner & \$20 Sponsored by

3rd Overall Winner.....Announced 4th Overall Winner.....Announced 5th Overall Winner....Announced

One (1) showmanship award for all goat divisions

Ribbons & Cash Awards: Provided by Volusia County Fair Assn.

Blue......\$15 Red.....\$13 White.....\$10

Goat costume contest prizes are Provided by Goodin Auto Body, Port Orange.

#### **AGE CLASSES OF GOATS**

Class 1: Under 13 months Class 2: 13 - 25 months Class 3: Over 25 months

### **Breeding Meat Goat Division - 111**

#### Meat Goat Division:

Pygmy crosses, Boer and Boer crosses, Woods Goats (Florida Native) and Spanish Meat and Crosses. Goats entered in breeding meat goat division are not allowed to be entered and shown in the market meat goat division.

· Breeding meat doe's

**Eligibility of Exhibitor:** Exhibitor must be five (5) years of age through high school; reside in Volusia County, meet age requirements as of September 1st, of current year and be enrolled and in attendance in an elementary school through high school or home school in Volusia County at the time of the fair.

Official Entry Form & Entry Fee: Deliver the completed, signed entry form and entry fee to the fair office. Bill of sale or statement of ownership, livestock exhibitor certificate, copy of ethics certificate and waiver must be attached to entry. Entries are accepted from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Eligibility of Animal: As of August 1, the exhibitor must show ownership of animal and be in possession of the animal.

- Doe's only are allowed to enter. No bucks or billies.
- Goats must be three (3) months of age on the opening day of the fair.
- Exhibitors may enter a limit of three (3) goats and only one (1) per age class.
- Kids or baby goats must be one (1) month to three (3) months of age.
- Goats entered in breeding meat goat division are not allowed to be entered and shown in the market meat goat division.

**Ethics Certification:** Ethics certification is required for all exhibitors at the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show. Livestock exhibitors are required to provide a valid ethics certification number on the entry form annually. Bring a copy of your ethics certification with all entries. Should you have an expired ethics certificate, you must provide a new ethics certificate within 7-10 days after completion of a new ethics class.

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- Statement of ownership must be signed by a parent or guardian.
- If proof of ownership is not with the entry form, the fair reserves the right to not accept the entry form.
- · Health certificate is required at check in. Bring health certificate and registration papers on check in day.

#### **Health Certificate and Tests:**

- A health certificate dated not more than ninety (90) days before presentation and a Scrapie Identification Number must be on there OCVI.
- All goats must be participating in the Scrapie Eradication Program.
- · All tattoos and ear tags must correspond with scrapie number.
- The complete scrapie tag number must be on all documents.
- All identification must match the scrapie tag number on the official fair entry form, health certificate and USDA Scrapie
   Tag Number.
- Any discrepancies on identification and the animal may be disqualified.
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#### Identification:

- Goats must meet the identification requirement mandated by the USDA.
- They must have a tattoo or ear tag and be registered with the Florida USDA, APHIS or VS Office.
- Scrapie Tag: See section on sheep & goat identification requirements or contact the superintendent of the goat department. Complete scrapie tag number must be on the entry form.

#### **Livestock Barn Closing Times:**

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#### **Livestock Area:**

- Livestock exhibits must be presented and kept in an attractive and clean manner.
- · Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning and maintaining livestock area and for securing their equipment.

### **Breeding Meat Goat Division - 111**

- All tack, grooming, show equipment and extra feed must be kept in an adequate show box or brought in and removed daily.
- Show boxes may be kept outside the Townsend Livestock Pavilion along the West wall (area must be kept neat and clean).
- No divider panels allowed in the Townsend Livestock Pavilion.
- · Do not alter or remove equipment belonging to the fair
- The fair is not responsible for items left at the fairgrounds.

#### **Daily Care and Feeding of Animal:**

- All animals are the responsibility of the exhibitor to be fed, watered and pens cleaned daily until the animals leave the fairgrounds.
- All feeders must be removed from pens immediately after feeding. No self-feeders are allowed.

#### Feed & Water:

Exhibitor will supply their own feed, feed buckets, hay and hay racks. Bring a water bucket.

#### Daily Pen Cleaning:

- · Bedding: The upper layer of shavings only must be removed and shavings replaced daily. Hay is not permitted.
- Exhibitors are responsible for daily pen cleaning. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday: pens are to be cleaned between 12:00 p.m. (Noon) and 6:00 p.m.; Saturday and Sunday: pens are to be cleaned 8:00 a.m. and 11:00 a m
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- Grooming chute spaces are not allowed to be set up early.
- Grooming chutes may be left only during the time the assigned exhibitor has an animal showing.
- Grooming areas must be cleaned of hair, manure and trash immediately after grooming and shearing or the exhibitor will be asked to remove equipment.
- Grooming and clipping of animals are limited to FFA Advisors, 4-H Leaders, parents and exhibitors.

#### **Thank You Note:**

- Recipients of awards must prepare a thank you note addressed to the award sponsor of their animal.
- The thank you note must be submitted in a properly addressed envelope with a stamp, sealed and delivered to the goat division Superintendent or Assistant Superintendent before 3:00 p.m. on the day after their goat show.

#### Tagging Requirements for Sheep and Goats for Public and/or Private Sales and Shows/Fairs.

- Must be officially identified (ID) by a USDA-approved method (i.e. free USDA-issued ear tags) for the National Scrapie Eradication Program before change in ownership. Breed registration tattoos may be used for animals if accompanied by the breed registration certificate.
- Animals received at a market or sale must be officially identified by the owner before commingling with other animals. Market management may agree to act as an agent for the owner, but must also maintain the required ID records.
- Animals without official ID must be immediately returned to the farm of birth/origin.
- Sheep and goats must have the scrapie tag number on the entry form.

#### **BREEDING GOAT - SHOW QUALITY & CONDITION:**

- Show quality and condition will be determined by livestock management.
- All livestock received must be disease and pest free and in show quality condition.
- Show condition is described as clean, groomed coat, not matted or manure caked, hooves trimmed to an attractive length.
- Animals will be wiped down before entering the show ring for any product on coat. If any product is found on an animal or in the barn, the animal will be disqualified.

You will not receive your jacket at the end of your show. Jackets will be ordered after the fair and will be distributed at the market check dinner on December 12, 2023.

#### Market Meat Goat Division - 112

Superintendent:Becky Maloney386-566-7173Co-Superintendent:Kristin Bowers386-566-7172Assistants:Kelsey Maloney and Kassidy Maloney

Market meat goats will not have a sale.

**June 19 - August 4**......Entries are first come, first serve and only accepted in the fair office from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. (no e-mail, fax, mail or online)

- · Breeding swine, breeding ewe, beef breeding, market swine, market lamb, prospect steer and breeding goats
- At time of entry, a copy of the entry form with a bill of sale or statement of ownership, livestock exhibitor certificate, copy of ethics certificate and waiver must be turned in to the fair office. Scrapie tag number must be on the entry form.
- You must attend the mandatory livestock meeting in September.

#### Entry Fee: \$20 per entry - non-refundable fee

Check In Day:Friday, November 102 - 5 p.m.Townsend Livestock PavilionGoat Division Showmanship:Friday, November 106 p.m.Townsend Livestock PavilionMarket Meat Goat Show:Saturday, November 113 p.m.Townsend Livestock Pavilion

Show times are subject to change - Check with Goat Superintendent

Costume Contest:Saturday, November 117 p.m.Townsend Livestock PavilionCheck Out Day:Sunday, November 124:30 - 6:30 p.m.Townsend Livestock Pavilion

- No animals will be allowed in the barn until 2:00 p.m. on check in day due to the cleaning and sanitizing of the barn.
- Bring health certificate and registration papers on check in day.
- Only three (3) goat entries total per exhibitor and only one (1) per age class or weight class allowed in goat divisions.
- · Scrapie tag number must be on the entry form.
- · NO GOAT SALE Goats will be weighed on check in day for weight class.

AGE OF GOATS: Must be under 2 years old. Must be carrying all milk teeth at the time of weigh in.

160 Goats slots are available (This includes goat entries in all Divisions)

#### **Showmanship Age Divisions:**

A - Pee Wee	5 Yr - 8 Yr
B - Junior	.9 Yr - 11 Yr
C - Intermediate	12 Yr - 14 Yr

**AWARDS: Breeding Market Meat Goats** 

Grand Champion...... Jacket, Banner and \$30 Sponsored by

Reserve Champion...... Banner and \$20 Sponsored by Hickling Feed Inc.

 3rd Overall Winner
 Announced

 4th Overall Winner
 Announced

 5th Overall Winner
 Announced

One (1) Showmanship Award for all Goat Divisions.

Ribbons & Cash Awards: Provided by Volusia County Fair Assn. Blue......\$15 Red......\$13 White......\$10

Goat costume contest prizes are Provided by Goodin Auto Body, Port Orange

#### **Market Meat Goat Division - 112**

#### **Market Meat Goat Division:**

- Open to any breed or crossbred whether or doe that show boer influence.
- Goats shown in market meat goat division are not allowed to be entered in the breeding meat goat division.

**Eligibility of Exhibitor:** Exhibitor must be five (5) years of age through high school; reside in Volusia County, meet age requirements of September 1st, of current year and be enrolled and in attendance in an elementary school through high school or home school in Volusia County at the time of the fair.

Official Entry Forms & Entry Fee: Deliver the completed, signed entry form and entry fee to the fair office. Entry form must have bill of sale or statement of ownership, livestock exhibitor certificate, copy of ethics certificate and waiver to be accepted. Entries are accepted from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Eligibility of Animal: As of August 1, the exhibitor must show ownership of animal and be in possession of the animal.

- Whether goats and does are allowed to enter the market meat goat division.
- Goats must be three (3) months of age on the opening day of the fair. Exhibitors may enter a limit of three (3) goats and only one (1) goat per age class or weight class. *No bucks*.
- · Goats shown in market meat goat division are not allowed to be entered and shown in the breeding meat goat division.

**Ethics Certification:** Ethics certification is required for all exhibitors at the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show. Livestock exhibitors are required to provide a valid ethics certification number on the entry form annually. Bring a copy of your ethics certification with all entries. Should you have an expired ethics certificate, you must provide a new ethics certificate within 7-10 days after completion of a new ethics class.

#### **Proof of Ownership:**

- As of August 1, the exhibitor must show ownership of animal and be in possession of the animal.
- Bill of sale or statement of ownership with the name of breeder (seller), breeders address and phone number, date of purchase, date of birth, breed of animal and scrapie tag number must be attached to the entry form.
- Statement of ownership must be signed by a parent or guardian.
- If proof of ownership is not with the entry form, the fair reserves the right to not accept the entry form.
- Health certificate is required at check in. Bring health certificate and registration papers on check in day.

#### **Health Certificate and Tests:**

- A health certificate dated not more than ninety (90) days before presentation and a scrapie identification number must be on the OCVI. All goats must be participating in the Scrapie Eradication Program.
- All tattoos and ear tags must correspond with the scrapie number.
- The complete scrapie tag number must be on all documents.
- All identification must match the scrapie tag number on the official fair entry form, health certificate and USDA Scrapie
   Tag Number.
- Any discrepancies on identification and the animal may be disqualified.
- · Lost tags must be reported to the Superintendent or Livestock Chairmen.

#### Identification:

- · Goats must meet the identification requirements mandated by the USDA.
- Goats must have a tattoo or ear tag and be registered with the Florida USDA, APHIS or VS Office.
- Scrapie tag: See section on sheep & goat identification requirements or contact the superintendent of the goat department. Complete scrapes tag number must be on the entry form.

#### **Livestock Barn Closing Times:**

- The barn will close each night at 10:00 p.m., except for after a show or auction sale.
- The barn will close thirty (30) minutes after a show or auction sale.
- Exhibitors are to be out of the barn and off the livestock area grounds no later than 10:00 p.m., and no later than thirty (30) minutes after the close of a show or auction sale.

#### **Livestock Area:**

- · Livestock exhibits must be presented and kept in an attractive and clean manner.
- Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning and maintaining livestock area and for securing their equipment.
- All tack, grooming, show equipment and extra feed must be kept in an adequate show box or brought in and removed daily. Show boxes may be kept outside of the Townsend Livestock Pavilion along the West wall (area must be kept neat and clean).

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- No divider panels allowed in the Townsend Livestock Pavilion.
- The fair is not responsible for items left at the fairgrounds.
- · Do not alter or remove equipment belonging to the fair.

#### **Daily Care and Feeding of Animal:**

- All animals are the responsibility of the exhibitor to be fed, watered and pens cleaned daily until the animals leaves the fairgrounds.
- All feeders must be removed from pens immediately after feeding. No self-feeders are allowed.

#### Feed & Water:

· Exhibitor will supply their own feed, feed buckets, hay and hay racks. Bring a water bucket.

#### **Daily Pen Cleaning:**

- Bedding: The upper layer of shavings only must be removed and shavings replaced daily. Hay is not permitted.
- Exhibitors are responsible for daily pen cleaning: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday; Pens are to be cleaned between 12:00 p.m. (Noon) and 6 p.m.; Saturday and Sunday; Pens are to be cleaned between 8:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.
- Any exhibitor failing to do a daily cleaning of the animal pen or to care for their animal:
- After a verbal warning, will be fined \$25.00 a day, and may not be allowed to show at future fairs or may be asked to remove the animal from the fairgrounds.

#### Animal Grooming: Grooming chute areas will be monitored by fair management or fair personnel.

- Animals must be properly groomed for shows and showmanship. Grooming chute spaces are not allowed to be set up early.
- Grooming chutes may be left only during the time the assigned exhibitor has an animal showing.
- Grooming areas must be cleaned of hair, manure and trash immediately after grooming and shearing or the exhibitor will be asked to remove equipment.
- · Grooming and clipping of animals are limited to FFA Advisors, 4-H Leaders, parents and exhibitors.

#### Thank You Note:

- Recipients of awards must prepare a thank you note addressed to the award sponsor of their animal.
- The thank you note must be submitted in a properly addressed envelope with a stamp, sealed and delivered to the goat division Superintendent or Assistant Superintendent before 3:00 p.m. on the day after their goat show.

#### Tagging requirements for Sheep and Goats for Public and/or Private Sales and Shows/Fairs.

- Must be officially identified (ID) by a USDA-approved method (i.e., free USDA-issued ear tags) for the National Scrapie Eradication Program before change in ownership.
- · Breed registration tattoos may be used for animals if accompanied by the breed registration certificate.
- Animals received at a market or sale must be officially identified by the owner before commingling with other animals. Market management may agree to act as an agent for the owner but must also maintain the required ID records.
- Animals without official ID must be immediately returned to the farm of birth/origin.
- Sheep and goats must have the scrapie tag number on the entry form.

#### **BREEDING GOAT - SHOW QUALITY & CONDITION**

- Show quality and condition will be determined by Livestock Management.
- All livestock received must be disease and pest free and in show quality condition.
- Show condition is described as clean, groomed coat, not matted or manure caked, and hooves trimmed to an attractive length.
- Animals will be wiped down before entering the show ring for any product on coat. If any product is found on an animal
  or in the barn, the animal will be disqualified.

The fair reserves the right to not accept entry forms that are late, incomplete, without entry fee, unsigned, without bill of sale or statement of ownership, livestock exhibitor certificate, copy of ethics certificate or waiver.

You will not receive your jacket at the end of your show. Jackets will be ordered after the fair and will be distributed at the market check dinner on December 12, 2023.

### **Livestock Judging Contest**

**Superintendents:** Brett Brandner DeLand High School 386-822-6909 x 23352

**Registration:** Saturday, November 4, 2023 8:30 a.m. Townsend Livestock Pavilion **Judging:** Saturday, November 4, 2023 9:00 a.m. Townsend Livestock Pavilion

Gates open @ 11:00 a.m., no access for the general public prior to gate opening.

Contact your FFA Advisor or 4-H Leader for rules on the livestock judging contest.

FFA and 4-H will be judged together but graded and awarded separately.

Each group is limited to the following: one (1) team, consisting of four (4) members. Only the top three (3) scores will count toward the team score.

FFA and 4-H High Individual Awards are awarded to the three (3) individuals with the highest number of points from the Judging Teams.

#### TBA AT A LATER DATE

Open Livestock Judging Contest

Livestock Judging Teams will be coming to the fair for the Livestock Judging Contest.

For Information on the Open Livestock Judging Competition Contact:

Kyle Hearn, Taylor High School or Brett Brandner, DeLand High School.

#### FFA HIGH INDIVIDUAL AWARDS:

	Plaques	.Sponsored by	y Volusia	Vocational	Agriculture	Teachers Assn.
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Ribbons.....Provided by Volusia County Fair

Middle DivisionSenior Division1st Place......Plaque1st Place......Plaque

2nd Place......Red Rosette Ribbon2nd Place......Red Rosette Ribbon3rd Place......White Rosette Ribbon3rd Place......White Rosette Ribbon

#### **FFA TEAMS AWARDS:**

Ribbons ......Provided by Volusia County Fair

Middle DivisionSenior Division1st Place......Plaque1st Place......Plaque

2nd Place......Red Rosette Ribbon

2nd Place......Red Rosette Ribbon

3rd Place......White Rosette Ribbon

3rd Place......White Rosette Ribbon

#### 4-H HIGH INDIVIDUAL AWARDS

Plaques	Sponsored by Volusia County 4-H
Ribbons	Provided by Volusia County Fair

Junior DivisionSenior Division1st Place......Plaque1st Place......Plaque

2nd Place......Red Rosette Ribbon2nd Place......Red Rosette Ribbon3rd Place......White Rosette Ribbon3rd Place......White Rosette Ribbon

#### 4-H TEAM AWARDS

Plaques	Sponsored by Volusia County 4-H
Ribbons	Provided by Volusia County Fair

# Junior DivisionSenior Division1st Place......Plaque1st Place......Plaque

2nd Place......Red Rosette Ribbon2nd Place......Red Rosette Ribbon3rd Place......White Rosette Ribbon3rd Place......White Rosette Ribbon

### **FFA Agricultural Poster Contest - Division 1107**

 Superintendent:
 Dr. Daniel Cox
 386-734-7190 x 20644

 Assistant:
 Amanda Andrews
 386-734-7190 x 20692

Entry Deadline Date: Friday, October 6, 2022

• Deliver posters to one of the teachers listed below, before the deadline date or deliver directly to Hester Hall during the set up days, October 30 from 9:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. and October 31, 2023 from 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

· No late entries will be accepted.

Daniel Cain Silver Sands Middle School 1300 Herbert Street Port Orange, FL 32129 Wendy Cruz
University High School
1000 W Rhode Island Avenue
Orange City, FL 32763

#### **DIVISIONS:**

A - Middle: Grades 6, 7, 8 B - Senior: Grades 9, 10, 11, 12

#### **RULES:**

- 1. Use standard size poster board (22" X 28"), any color.
- 2. Posters must have an agricultural theme.
- 3. Posters may be 2-dimensional or 3-dimensional.
- 4. Posters may not have lights, sounds, moving or electrical parts.
- 5. Each Chapter may submit up to three (3) posters.
- 6. A 1" X 1" space must be left at the bottom right hand corner on the front of the poster for judging purposes.
- 7. The full name of the student and the FFA Chapter's name MUST BE clearly printed on the bottom right hand corner on the back of the poster.
- 8. The fair recommends the exhibitors thank their sponsors for the awards.

...... Blue Ribbon Provided by Volusia County Fair

#### **AWARDS:**

Middle Division:

2nd Place	
3rd Place	
Senior Division:	
1st Place	
2nd Place	
3rd Place	

## **Educational School Tours**

# To schedule a school tour, call Lyn Bauer @ (386) 785-7200

### 2023 School Tour Dates and Information:

Friday, November 3, 2023: Breeding swine, ewe and cattle will be on exhibit in the livestock barn: 9 - 11 a.m.

Friday, November 10, 2023: Poultry, fowl, rabbits and guinea pigs will be on exhibit in the small animal barn & Talton Exhibit Hall. The barn with large animals will not be open 9 - 11 a.m.

- 1. Self-guided tours of the fair include: Livestock barn, educational exhibits (Hester Hall), historical exhibits (Mitchell/Bjorkman Antique Barn), model train exhibit, horticulture and bee exhibits (Talton Exhibit Hall-Horticulture Hall).
- 2. Volunteers are stationed on the tour route to answer questions and give directions.
- 3. Tours are by appointment only and must be scheduled in advance with the fair office. A limited number of tours are available each day.
- 4. There will be a show each tour day at 10:30 a.m. (Show TBA).
- 5. Buildings will be closed at 11:30 a.m.
- 6. Lunch may be taken in the picnic area from 11:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m. (Noon)
- 7. Sack lunches may be brought in and taken to the outdoor picnic area. There is no indoor seating for lunch.
- 8. It is suggested that coolers with wheels or wagons be brought to transport lunches and drinks for your group. Each group must make arrangements for taking coolers to the picnic area.
- 9. Fair personnel are not available to transport coolers or other items.
- 10. There is no refrigeration available for storing lunches or drinks.
- 11. Your group must plan to be finished and off the fairgrounds no later than 12:30 p.m. The gates will be locked and the fair's personnel will be making final preparations for the opening of the fair.
- 12. The fair accepts no responsibility for items brought onto the fairgrounds.

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### **Livestock Exhibitor Certificate**

# This form must be attached to each entry form you submit.

The undersigned certifies that, to the best of his/her knowledge, as of the current dates of the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show, none of the Livestock shipped to or delivered to the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show has been adulterated within the meaning of the Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act (i.e., none of the cattle or other ruminants will have been fed any feed containing protein derived from mammalian tissues, e.g. meat and bone meal, as the term is defined in 21 CFR 589.2000 and none of the Livestock will have an illegal lever of drug residues). This certificate shall remain in full force and effect until revoked in writing by the undersigned and such revocation is delivered to the Volusia County Fair Assn., Inc.

PLEASE PRINT INFORMATION	
Name: Exhibitor/Owner	
By:Signature of Exhibitor/Owner (If under	r 18 parent/guardian signature)
Mailing Address	
City/State/Zip	
Phone Number	Alternate Phone Number
Dated:	

# This form is ONLY to be filled out and submitted if your animal was born on your property. Do NOT submit this form if you have a Bill of Sale or a Lease Agreement.

# LIVESTOCK STATEMENT OF OWNERSHIP

<b>I</b> ,		certify the
	(Parent Name)	
		my child
	(Breed of Animal)	
		is showing
	(Name of Exhibitor)	
	at the Volusia County Fair is as follows:	
Animal is owned by:_		
Phone #:		
Breeder's Name:		
Tattoo:		
Signed:		
-	(Parent/Guardian)	
Date:		

# 2023 Volusia County Fair & Youth Show Exhibitor and Parent/Legal Guardian Release

The undersigned Exhibitor and Parent/Legal Guardian desire to exhibit and show Livestock at the Volusia County Fair, and to house and locate said Livestock on the property during the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show.

In consideration for permission from the Volusia County Fair Association, Inc., the undersigned Exhibitor and Parent/Legal Guardian do hereby release the Volusia County Fair Association, Inc., from any and all loss, damage, liability, injury, death, or property damage, including any injury or death to any unborn child or fetus the exhibitor the may be carrying, resulting from or in connection with the housing, storage, showing and exhibition of said Livestock at the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show. This release is binding on and enforceable against any heirs, executors, assignees and subrogate.

The undersigned acknowledges that the exhibition and care of livestock involves inherent risk of injury and the undersigned, on behalf of themselves and the Exhibitor do hereby assume all risk of injury, death, or property damage.

Date	, 20		
Print Name of Exhibitor			
Parent/Guardian signing release	for exhibitor.		
Print Name of Father/Legal Guar	dian	Signature of Father/Legal Guardian	
Print Name of Mother/Legal Gua		Signature of Mother/Legal Guardian	
State of Florida	~~~~~~~	~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~	
County of Volusia			
The foregoing instrument was	acknowledged be	efore me by means of physical presence or	_ online
notarization, this day of	2023, by		
	Signatu	ure of Notary Public - State of Florida	
	Print, Type or St	tamp Commissioned Name of Notary Public	
Personally known OR I	Produced Identific	cation	
Type of Identification Produce	d		

# 2023 Volusia County Fair Official Entry Form Breeding Heifer Cow/Calf Division - 100

Entry Fee: \$30 (non-refundable) (no e-mailed, faxed or mailed entries will be accepted)

Make a copy of this entry form for your records. The fair office does not make copies.

Entries accepted from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The fair reserves the right to not accept entry forms that are incomplete or late.

Exhibitors must attend a mandatory livestock meeting to show at the Volusia County Fair.

There are no make up meetings. I also confirm I have read the livestock handbook. Initial

Ethics #(attach copy	Social So	cial Security # or	TIN#		
		,		Exhit	oitor DOB:
Mailing Address:			City:		Zip:
Telephone #		E-mail:			
School:		Grade:	Age:		
Showing FFA:	_ 4-H:	Club/Chapter Name:_		Ir	ndependent:
Is the animal owned by	a FFA Chapter	or 4H Club? Yes:	No: FFA	Chapter/4H Ci	lub:
Student showing the FF	A Chapter or	4-H Club Animal:			
Exhibitor has completed in	mandatory ethic	cs training course? Yes:	No:	_	
Parent or Guardian Name	e (Print):		Pho	one:	
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					l:
D.O.B (of animal): Month	n/Date/Year	Age of Animal (at fair):		USDA ID Tag	(required if 18 months or older)
Animal Purchased From:	Name:		Phone: _		
	Address:		City, Stat	te, Zip:	
kept? Put explanation on	the back of this	s page.)			(If yes, where will animal be
By signing this entry form, I/connected directly or indire	we agree to inde ctly with the ope e Volusia County	mnify and to hold harmless the ration of the fair against any	e Volusia County Fai and all liability for i	ir Assn., it's agent injuries to persor	ts, directors, employees and all person n or damage to property, whether suc on or use by signing exhibitor(s) of the
Exhibitor SignatureThis si	gnature is requ	ired	Date	e	
I have complete knowled	ge of this entry	and I authorize my child to	enter the Volusia	County Fair & Y	outh Show.
Parent or Guardian Signa	ature This signati	ure is required	Date	e	
Fair office: Release rece	ived				

### 2023 Volusia County Fair Official Entry Form

### Beef Breeding Florida Commercial Brahman Influence - 101

Entry Fee: \$30 (non-refundable) (no e-mailed, faxed or mailed entries will be accepted)
Entries are accepted from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Make a copy of this entry form for your records. The fair office does not make copies.

The fair reserves the right to not accept entry forms that are incomplete or late.

Exhibitors must attend a mandatory livestock meeting to show at the Volusia County Fair. There are no make up meetings, I also confirm I have read the livestock handbook. Initial Ethics # Social Security # or TIN#\_\_\_\_\_ (attach copy of ethics certificate) Owner Name (Print): \_\_\_\_\_ Exhibitor DOB:\_\_\_\_\_ City: Zip: Mailing Address: Telephone # \_\_\_\_\_\_ E-mail:\_\_\_\_\_\_ Grade: Age: Showing FFA: \_\_\_\_\_ 4-H: \_\_\_\_ Club/Chapter Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Independent: \_\_\_\_\_ Is the animal owned by a FFA Chapter or 4H Club? Yes: No: FFA Chapter/4H Club: Student showing the FFA Chapter or 4-H Club Animal: Exhibitor has completed mandatory ethics training course? Yes:\_\_\_\_\_\_ No:\_\_\_\_\_ Parent or Guardian Name (Print): Phone: \_\_\_\_Signature:\_\_\_\_ FFA Advisor or 4-H Leader Name:\_\_\_ Required if showing FFA or 4-H **NO BULLS** Breed of Animal: Date Animal Purchased: \_\_ Age of Animal (at fair):\_\_\_\_\_ <mark>USDA ID Tag #</mark> (required if 18 months or older) Animal Purchased From: Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_ City, State, Zip:\_\_\_\_\_ Will this animal be kept at a place other than the home of the exhibitor? Yes:\_\_\_\_\_\_ No:\_\_\_\_ (If yes, where will animal be kept? Put explanation on the back of this page.) By signing this entry form, I/we agree to indemnify and to hold harmless the Volusia County Fair Assn., it's agents, directors, employees and all persons connected directly or indirectly with the operation of the fair against any and all liability for injuries to person or damage to property, whether such damage or injury is from the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show negligence or not, which may arise by reason or use by signing exhibitor(s) of the Volusia County Fair Assn. property. **Exhibitor Signature** Date \_\_\_\_\_ This signature is required I have complete knowledge of this entry and I authorize my child to enter the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show. Parent or Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date\_\_\_\_ This signature is required

Fair office: Release received

# 2023 Volusia County Fair Official Entry Form Beef Breeding European/Continental - 102

Entry Fee: \$30 (non-refundable) (no e-mailed, faxed or mailed entries will be accepted)

Entires are accepted from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Make a copy of this entry form for your records. The fair office does not make copies.

The fair reserves the right to not accept entry forms that are incomplete or late.

Exhibitors must attend a mandatory livestock meeting to show at the Volusia County Fair.

There are no make up meetings. I also confirm I have read the livestock handbook. Initial

Ethics #(attach copy of ethics cert	Social S	Security # or T	'IN#	
Owner Name (Print):			Exhibi	tor DOB:
Mailing Address:	Ci	ty:		Zip:
Telephone #	E-mail:			
School:	Grade:	Age:		
Showing FFA:4-H:	Club/Chapter Name:		Inc	dependent:
Is the animal owned by a FFA Chapte	er or 4H Club? Yes: No:	FFA C	hapter/4H Clu	ıb:
Student showing the FFA Chapter or	4-H Club Animal:			
Exhibitor has completed mandatory eth	ics training course? Yes:	_ No:		
Parent or Guardian Name (Print):		Phon	e:	
FFA Advisor or 4-H Leader Name:  Re	equired if showing FFA or 4-H	Signature	:	
NO BULLS Breed of Animal:				
D.O.B (of animal):  Month/Date/Year	Age of Animal (at fair):		USDA ID Tag	(required if 18 months or older)
Animal Purchased From: Name:		Phone:		
Address:		City, State	Zip:	
Will this animal be kept at a place other kept? Put explanation on the back of th	than the home of the exhibitor? is page.)	Yes:	No:	(If yes, where will animal be
By signing this entry form, I/we agree to indeconnected directly or indirectly with the opdamage or injury is from the Volusia County Volusia County Fair Assn. property.	emnify and to hold harmless the Volueration of the fair against any and	usia County Fair all liability for inj	Assn., it's agents uries to person	s, directors, employees and all person or damage to property, whether suc
Exhibitor Signature		Date_		
This signature is req				
I have complete knowledge of this entry	and I authorize my child to ente	r the Volusia C	ounty Fair & Yo	outh Show.
Parent or Guardian Signature	ture is required	Date_		
Fair office: Release received				

### 2023 Volusia County Fair Official Entry Form Breeding Swine - 103

Entry Fee: \$25 (non-refundable) (no mailed, e-mailed or faxed entries will be accepted)

Entries are accepted from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Make a copy of this entry form for your records. The fair office does not make copies.

The fair reserves the right to not accept entry forms that are incomplete or late.

Exhibitors must attend a mandatory livestock meeting to show at the Volusia County Fair.

There are no make up meetings. I also confirm I have read the livestock handbook. Initial\_\_\_\_\_

Ethics #	Social S	ecurity # or TII	N#	
(attach copy of ethics certification (Print):			Exhibitor	DOB:
Mailing Address:	Cit	y:		Zip:
Telephone #	E-mail:			
School:	Grade:	Age:		
Showing FFA:4-H:	Club/Chapter Name:		Indep	endent:
Is the animal owned by a FFA Chapter	or 4H Club? Yes: No:	FFA Ch	napter/4H Club:_	
Student showing the FFA Chapter or 4-	-H Club Animal:			_
Exhibitor has completed mandatory ethics	s training course? Yes:	_No:		
Parent or Guardian Name (Print):		Phone:		
FFA Advisor or 4-H Leader Name		Signature		
NO BOARS Breed of Animal:  Crossbred is not a bree	ed.	Date Anim	nal Purchased:	
D.O.B (of animal): Age of A Month/Date/Year	Animal (at fair):	Premise Tag #		
Animal Purchased From: Name:		Phone:		
Address:		City, State, 2	Zip:	
Is the animal Volusia County Bred & Born	: YES: NO:	_		
Will this animal be kept at a place other th kept? Put explanation on the back of this	page.)			
By signing this entry form, I/we agree to indem connected directly or indirectly with the opera damage or injury is from the Volusia County Volusia County Fair Assn. property.	ation of the fair against any and a	all liability for injur	ries to person or o	damage to property, whether suc
Exhibitor Signature	red	Date		
I have complete knowledge of this entry a	nd I authorize my child to enter	the Volusia Cou	unty Fair & Youth	Show.
Parent or Guardian Signature		Date		
	re is required			
Fair office: Release received				

2023 Volusia County Fair Official Entry Form Hair Breeding Ewe - 104

Entry Fee: \$25 (non-refundable) (no mailed, e-mailed or faxed entries will be accepted)

Entries are accepted from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Make a copy of this entry form for your records. The fair office does not make copies.

The fair reserves the right to not accept entry forms that are incomplete or late.

Exhibitors must attend a mandatory livestock meeting to show at the Volusia County Fair.

There are no make up meetings. I also confirm that I have read the livestock handbook. Initial\_\_\_\_\_\_

Ethics #(attach copy of ethics certificate)	Social Sec	curity # or TIN#_	
Owner Name (Print):			Exhibitor DOB:
Mailing Address:			
Telephone #			
School:			
Showing FFA: 4-H: Cl			
Is the animal owned by a FFA Chapter or 4H	Club? Yes: No:	FFA Chapt	er/4H Club:
Student showing the FFA Chapter or 4-H Clu	ıb Animal:		
Exhibitor has completed mandatory ethics train	ing course? Yes:N	lo:	
Parent or Guardian Name (Print):		Phone:	
FFA Advisor on A III and an Name		0:	
FFA Advisor or 4-H Leader Name:  Required if	showing FFA or 4-H	Signature:	
NO RAMS Animal Breed:			
D.O.B (of animal):  Month/Date/Year  Age			
Animal Purchased From: Name:		Phone:	
Address:		City, State, Zip:	
Will this animal be kept at a place other than the explanation on the back of this page.)			
By signing this entry form, I/we agree to indemnify ar connected directly or indirectly with the operation of damage or injury is from the Volusia County Fair & Volusia County Fair Assn. property.	nd to hold harmless the Volusia of the fair against any and all	County Fair Assn., liability for injuries	it's agents, directors, employees and all person to person or damage to property, whether such
Exhibitor Signature			Date
Exhibitor Signature  This signature is required			
I have complete knowledge of this entry and I a	uthorize my child to enter th	e Volusia County	Fair & Youth Show.
Parent or Guardian Signature	required		Date
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Fair office: Pologge received			

# 2023 Volusia County Fair Official Entry Form Black Face Breeding Ewe - 104

Entry Fee: \$25 (non-refundable) (no mailed, e-mailed or faxed entries will be accepted)

Entries are accepted from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Make a copy of this entry form for your records. The fair office does not make copies.

The fair reserves the right to not accept entry forms that are incomplete or late.

Ethics #(attach copy of ethics certificate)	Social Sec	urity # or TIN#_	
Owner Name (Print):			Exhibitor DOB:
Mailing Address:			
Telephone #			
School:	Grade:	_ Age:	
Showing FFA: 4-H: Club/Cha			
Is the animal owned by a FFA Chapter or 4H Club?	Yes: No:	FFA Chapt	er/4H Club:
Student showing the FFA Chapter or 4-H Club Anin	nal:		
Exhibitor has completed mandatory ethics training cou	rse? Yes: N	lo:	
Parent or Guardian Name (Print):			
, / <u> </u>			
FFA Advisor or 4-H Leader Name:  Required if show	ving FFA or 4-H	_Signature:	
	•	~~~~~~~~	.~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~
NO RAMS Animal Breed: I	s Animal Registered?	P Da	ate Animal Purchased:
D.O.B (of animal): Age of An Month/Date/Year	imal (at fair):	Scrapie T	āg #/
Animal Purchased From: Name:		Phone:	
Will this animal be kept at a place other than the home explanation on the back of this page.)			
By signing this entry form, I/we agree to indemnify and to hol connected directly or indirectly with the operation of the fa damage or injury is from the Volusia County Fair & Youth S Volusia County Fair Assn. property.	d harmless the Volusia r against any and all I	County Fair Assn., iability for injuries	it's agents, directors, employees and all persor to person or damage to property, whether suc
Exhibitor Signature			Date
This signature is required			
I have complete knowledge of this entry and I authorize	e my child to enter th	e Volusia County	Fair & Youth Show.
Parent or Guardian Signature  This signature is required	<u> </u>		Date
Fair office: Release received			

2023 Volusia County Fair Official Entry Form

### White Face Breeding Ewe - 104

Entry Fee: \$25 (non-refundable) (no mailed, e-mailed or faxed entries will be accepted)

Entries are accepted from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Make a copy of this entry form for your records. The fair office does not make copies.

The fair reserves the right to not accept entry forms that are incomplete or late.

Ethics #		Security # or TIN	#	
(attach copy of ethics ce	•			
Owner Name (Print):			Exhibitor DOB:	
Mailing Address:	C	City:		
Telephone #	E-mail:			
School:	Grade:	Age:		
Showing FFA: 4-H:	Club/Chapter Name:		Independent:	
Is the animal owned by a FFA Chap	oter or 4H Club? Yes: No	lo: FFA Chapter/4H Club:		
Student showing the FFA Chapter	or 4-H Club Animal:			
Exhibitor has completed mandatory e	ethics training course? Yes:	No:		
Parent or Guardian Name (Print):		Phone:_		
FFA Advisor or 4-H Leader Name:	Descriped if the print EFA on 4 U	Signature:		
	-		~~~~~~~~~~~~~	
NO RAMS			 _Date Animal Purchased:	
D.O.B (of animal):  Month/Date/Year	Age of Animal (at fair) :	Scrapio	e Tag #//	
Animal Purchased From: Name:		Phone:		
Address:		City, State, Zi	p:	
explanation on the back of this page.	)		(If yes, where will animal be kept? Put	
By signing this entry form, I/we agree to inconnected directly or indirectly with the	ndemnify and to hold harmless the Vol operation of the fair against any and	usia County Fair Ass all liability for injurie	n., it's agents, directors, employees and all perso es to person or damage to property, whether su ise by reason or use by signing exhibitor(s) of t	
Exhibitor Signature			Date	
This signature is	•			
I have complete knowledge of this en	try and I authorize my child to ente	er the Volusia Cour	nty Fair & Youth Show.	
Parent or Guardian Signature  This signature	nature is required		Date	
Fair office: Release received				

# 2023 Volusia County Fair Official Entry Form Mixed/Cross Breeding Ewe - 104

Entry Fee: \$25 (non-refundable) (no mailed, e-mailed or faxed entries will be accepted)

Entries are accepted from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Make a copy of this entry form for your records. The fair office does not make copies.

The fair reserves the right to not accept entry forms that are incomplete or late.

Ethics #	Social Se	curity # or TIN#	
(attach copy of ethics certificate	•		
Owner Name (Print):			Exhibitor DOB:
Mailing Address:	City:		Zip:
Telephone #	E-mail:		
School:	Grade:	_ Age:	
Showing FFA: 4-H: C	lub/Chapter Name:		Independent:
Is the animal owned by a FFA Chapter or 4H	I Club? Yes: No: _	FFA Chap	ter/4H Club:
Student showing the FFA Chapter or 4-H CI	ub Animal:		
Exhibitor has completed mandatory ethics train	ning course? Yes:1	lo:	
Parent or Guardian Name (Print):		Phone:	
FFA Advisor or 4-H Leader Name:	if showing FFA or 4-H	Signature:	
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NO RAMS Animal Breed:			
D.O.B (of animal) Ag	e of Animal (at fair)	Scrapie 7	īag #///
Animal Purchased From: Name:		Phone:	
Address:		City, State, Zip:	
Will this animal be kept at a place other than the explanation on the back of this page.)			
By signing this entry form, I/we agree to indemnify a connected directly or indirectly with the operation of damage or injury is from the Volusia County Fair & Volusia County Fair Assn. property.	nd to hold harmless the Volusiant the fair against any and all	County Fair Assn.	, it's agents, directors, employees and all person to person or damage to property, whether suc
Exhibitor Signature			Date
This signature is required			
I have complete knowledge of this entry and I a	authorize my child to enter the	ne Volusia County	y Fair & Youth Show.
Parent or Guardian Signature			Date
Fair office: Release received			

### 2023 Volusia County Fair Official Entry Form Market Steer - 105

Entry Fee: \$30 (non-refundable)

Make a copy of this entry form for your records. The fair office does not make copies.

The fair reserves the right to not accept entry forms that are incomplete or late.

Ethics #(attach copy of ethics certifica		ecurity # or TIN#	
Owner Name (Print):		F	Exhibitor DOR:
Mailing Address:			
Telephone #			
School:			
Showing FFA: 4-H:	Club/Chapter Name:		Independent:
Is the animal owned by a FFA Chapter or	4H Club? Yes: No: _	FFA Chapter/4	IH Club:
Student showing the FFA Chapter or 4-H	Club Animal:		
Exhibitor has completed mandatory ethics tra	aining course? Yes:	No:	
Parent or Guardian Name (Print):		Phone:	
FFA Advisor or 4-H Leader Name:	ed if showing FFA or 4-H	Signature:	
NO BULLS Was this Market Steer in the Volusia Co			
Is the animal Volusia County Bred & Born: Y	'ES: NO:	_ Was steer born in F	Florida: YES: NO:
Breed of Animal:			ased:
D.O.B (of animal): Month/Date/Year A	ge of Animal (at fair):	USDA II	) Tag #
Animal Purchased From: Name:		Phone:	
Address:		_ City, State, Zip:	
Will this animal be kept at a place other than kept? Put explanation on the back of this page.	ge.)		(If yes, where will animal be
By signing this entry form, I/we agree to indemnify connected directly or indirectly with the operatio damage or injury is from the Volusia County Fair Volusia County Fair Assn. property.	y and to hold harmless the Volusi	ia County Fair Assn., it's I liability for injuries to p	agents, directors, employees and all person erson or damage to property, whether suc
Exhibitor Signature This signature is required	j	Date	
I acknowledge of this entry and I authorize m	ny child to enter the Volusia C	ounty Fair & Youth Sh	OW.
Parent or Guardian Signature	is required	Date	
Fair office: Release received	is required		

2023 Volusia County Fair Official Entry Form Market Swine - 106

Entry Fee: \$25 (non-refundable) (no mailed, e-mailed or faxed entries will be accepted)
Entries are accepted from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Make a copy of this entry form for your records. The fair office does not make copies.

#### The fair reserves the right to not accept entry forms that are incomplete or late.

Ethics #		curity # or TIN#	
(attach copy of ethics certificate Owner Name (Print):		Ex	hibitor DOB:
Mailing Address:	City:_		Zip:
Telephone #	E-mail:		
School:	Grade:	_ Age:	
Showing FFA: 4-H: C	lub/Chapter Name:		Independent:
Is the animal owned by a FFA Chapter or 4H	l Club? Yes: No:	FFA Chapter/4H	Club:
Student showing the FFA Chapter or 4-H Cl	ub Animal:		
Exhibitor has completed mandatory ethics train	ning course: Yes: N	0:	
Parent or Guardian Name (Print):		Phone:	
FFA Advisor or 4-H Leader Name:		Signature:	
Require	d if showing FFA or 4-H	~~~~~~~~	
NO BOARS Breed of Animal: (Cross Bred or Crossbreed is	Sex:	Date Animal Purd	chased:
D.O.B (of animal): Age o			
Is the animal Volusia County Bred & Born: Yes	s: No:	-	
Animal Purchased From: Name:		Phone:	
Address:		City, State, Zip:	
Will this animal be kept at a place other than the kept? Put explanation on the back of this page		es: No:	(If yes, where will animal be
By signing this entry form, I/we agree to indemnify a connected directly or indirectly with the operation damage or injury is from the Volusia County Fair & Volusia County Fair Assn. property.	and to hold harmless the Volusia of the fair against any and all	County Fair Assn., it's ag liability for injuries to pers	ents, directors, employees and all persons son or damage to property, whether such
Exhibitor Signature This signature is required		Date	
I have complete knowledge of this entry and I	-	•	& Youth Show.
Parent or Guardian Signature This signature is	s required	Date	
Fair office: Release received			

### 2023 Volusia County Fair Official Entry Form Market Lamb - 107

Entry Fee: \$25 (non-refundable) (no mailed, e-mailed or faxed entries will be accepted)

Entries are accepted from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Make a copy of this entry form for your records. The fair office does not make copies.

The fair reserves the right to not accept entry forms that are incomplete or late.

Ethics #(attach copy of ethic	Social Se	curity # or TIN#	
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	is certificate)		Exhibitor DOB:
	City:		
	Grade:		
Showing FFA: 4-H:	Club/Chapter Name:		Independent:
Is the animal owned by a FFA C	Chapter or 4H Club? Yes: No: _	FFA Chapter	/4H Club:
Student showing the FFA Chap	ter or 4-H Club Animal:		
Exhibitor has completed mandato	ory ethics training course: Yes:N	lo:	
Parent or Guardian Name (Print):		Phone:	
FFA Advisor or 4-H Leader Name	: Required if showing FFA or 4-H	Signature:	
NO RAMS Breed of Animal:			Animal Purchased:
D.O.B (of animal):  Month/Date/Y	Age of Animal (at fair):ear	Scrapie Tag	#/
Animal Purchased From: Name:		Phone:	
Addres	s:	City, State, Zip:	
Will this animal be kept at a place kept? Put explanation on the back	e other than the home of the exhibitor? Yok of this page.)	es: No:_	(If yes, where will animal be
By signing this entry form, I/we agree connected directly or indirectly with	to indemnify and to hold harmless the Volusi the operation of the fair against any and all a County Fair & Youth Show negligence or n	a County Fair Assn., it	s agents, directors, employees and all person person or damage to property, whether suc
Exhibitor Signature		Date	
This signature	·		
	s entry and I authorize my child to enter t		
Parent or Guardian Signature Thi	s signature is required	Date	
Fair office: Pologge received			

### 2023 Volusia County Fair Official Entry Form Prospect Steer - 108

Entry Fee: \$30 (non-refundable) Entries accepted from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

(no mailed, e-mailed or faxed entries will be accepted)

Make a copy of this entry form for your records. The fair office does not make copies.

The fair reserves the right to not accept entry forms that are incomplete or late.

Exhibitors must attend a mandatory livestock meeting to show at the Volusia County Fair.

There are no make up meetings. I also confirm that I have read the livestock handbook. Initial\_

Ethics #	Social Sec	urity # or TIN#	
(attach copy of ethics certificate) Owner Name (Print):		Ex	hibitor DOB:
Mailing Address:	City:_		Zip:
Telephone #	E-mail:		
School:	Grade:	Age:	-
Showing FFA: 4-H: C	lub/Chapter Name:		_Independent:
Is the animal owned by a FFA Chapter or 4H	l Club? Yes: No:	FFA Chapter/4H	l Club:
Student showing the FFA Chapter or 4-H Cl	ub Animal:		
Exhibitor has completed mandatory ethics train	ning course: Yes:No	D:	
Parent or Guardian Name (Print):		Phone:	
FFA Advisor or 4-H Leader Name:		_Signature:	
Required	if showing FFA or 4-H	~~~~~~~~	~~~~~~~
NO BULLS Breed of Animal:	Date Anim	al Purchased:	
D.O.B (of animal): Age Month/Date/Year	of Animal (at fair):	USDA ID T	ag #
Animal Purchased From: Name:		Phone:	
Address:		City, State, Zip:	
Is the animal Volusia County Bred & Born: Yes	s: No: Was F	Prospect Steer born in	Florida: Yes: No:
Will this animal be kept at a place other than the kept? Put explanation on the back of this page		s: No:	(If yes, where will animal be
Maximum weight of the Pros			
By signing this entry form, I/we agree to indemnify a connected directly or indirectly with the operation damage or injury is from the Volusia County Fair Assn. property.	and to hold harmless the Volusia of the fair against any and all I	County Fair Assn., it's agability for injuries to per	son or damage to property, whether such
Exhibitor Signature This signature is required		Date	
I have complete acknowledge of this entry and	•	-	air & Youth Show.
Parent or Guardian Signature This signature is	required	Date	
The digitation			
Fair office: Release received			

### 2023 Volusia County Fair Official Entry Form Breeding Dairy Goat - 109 Entry Fee: \$20 (non-refundable) Entries accepted from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Entry Fee: \$20 (non-refundable) Entries accepted from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. (No mailed, e-mailed or faxed entries will be accepted)

Make a copy of this entry form for your records. The fair office does not make copies.

The fair reserves the right to not accept entry forms that are incomplete or late.

Exhibitors must attend a mandatory livestock meeting to show at the Volusia County Fair. There are no make up meetings. I also confirm that I have read the livestock handbook. Initial

Ethics #(attach copy of ethics certifi	So	cial Security # or TIN	#
• •	•		Exhibitor DOB:
			Zip:
Telephone #			
School:			
Showing FFA: 4-H:	Club/Chapter Name:_		Independent:
Is the animal owned by a FFA Chapter	or 4H Club? Yes:	No: FFA Cha	pter/4H Club:
Student showing the FFA Chapter or	4-H Club Animal:		
Exhibitor has completed mandatory ethic	cs training course: Yes:	No:	
Parent or Guardian Name (Print):		Phone:	
, .			
FFA Advisor or 4-H Leader Name:	quired if showing FFA or	Signature	
explanation on the back of this page.)  Breed of Animal:  D.O.B (of animal):  Month/Date/Year	Sex:Age of Animal (at fair):	Date Anima Scrapie	e Tag #/////
Animal Purchased From: Name:			
Address:		City, State, Zi	p:
		• , ,	d goat per exhibitor for showmanship.)
By signing this entry form, I/we agree to and all persons connected directly or inc	indemnify and to hold harr directly with the operation our ury is from the Volusia Cou	nless the Volusia Coun of the fair against any a unty Fair & Youth Show	and all liability for injuries to person or damage negligence or not, which may arise by reason
Exhibitor Signature This signature is req			Date
This signature is req			nty Fair & Youth Show.
Parent or Guardian Signature	ture is required	Dat	te
Fair office: Release received			

### 2023 Volusia County Fair Official Entry Form Breeding Meat Goat - 110

Entry Fee: \$20 (non-refundable) Entries accepted from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Make a copy of this entry form for your records. The fair office does not make copies.

(no mailed, e-mailed or faxed entries will be accepted)

The fair reserves the right to not accept entry forms that are incomplete or late.

Ethics #		Social Secur	rity # or TIN#	
(attach copy	of ethics certificate)			
Owner Name (Print):			E	Exhibitor DOB:
Mailing Address:		City:		Zip:
Telephone #	E-	mail:		
School:	Grade:_	A	.ge:	_
Showing FFA:	4-H: Club/Chapter Na	ame:		Independent:
Is the animal owned by	a FFA Chapter or 4H Club? Yes:_	No:	FFA Chapter/4	4H Club:
Student showing the FF	A Chapter or 4-H Club Animal:			
Exhibitor has completed n	nandatory ethics training course: Y	es: No:_		
Parent or Guardian Name	e (Print):		Phone:	
FFA Advisor or 4-H Leade	Required if showing FFA	or 4-H		
NO BUCKS OR BILLIES	a place other than the home of the	~~~~~~		(If yes, where will animal be kept? Put
Breed of Animal:		Sex:	_ Date Animal F	Purchased:
D.O.B (of animal):  Month/I	Age of Animal (at fai	r):	Scrapie Tag #_	
Animal Purchased From:	Name:	F	Phone:	
	Address:	(	City, State, Zip:	_
				per exhibitor for showmanship.)
By signing this entry form and all persons connected to property, whether such	, I/we agree to indemnify and to hold directly or indirectly with the oper	d harmless the \ation of the fair a tail a County Fair &	/olusia County Fai against any and all Youth Show negliç	r Assn., it's agents, directors, employee liability for injuries to person or damag gence or not, which may arise by reaso
Exhibitor SignatureSig	nature is required			Date
_	ge of this entry and I authorize my c	hild to enter the	Volusia County Fa	ir & Youth Show.
Parent or Guardian Signa	ture			Date
Fair office: Pelease receiv	Signature is required			

### 2023 Volusia County Fair Official Entry Form Breeding Dwarf Goat - 111

Entry Fee: \$20 (non-refundable) Entries accepted from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Make a copy of this entry form for your records.

The fair office does not make copies.

(no mailed, e-mailed or faxed entries will be accepted)

The fair reserves the right to not accept entry forms that are incomplete or late.

Ethics # Social Sec Social Sec	curity # or TIN#
,	Evhibitor DOD:
Owner Name (Print):	
Mailing Address:City:	
Telephone # E-mail:	
School: Grade:	_ Age:
Showing FFA:4-H: Club/Chapter Name:	Independent:
Is the animal owned by a FFA Chapter or 4H Club? Yes: No: _	FFA Chapter/4H Club:
Student showing the FFA Chapter or 4-H Club Animal:	
Exhibitor has completed mandatory ethics training course: Yes:N	lo:
Parent or Guardian Name (Print)	Phone:
FFA Advisor or 4-H Leader Name:  Required if showing FFA or 4-H	Signature:
NO BUCKS OR BILLIES  Will this animal be kept at a place other than the home of the exhibitor? Ye explanation on the back of this page.)	
Breed of Animal: Sex:	Date Animal Purchased:
D.O.B (of animal): Age of Animal (at fair):	Scrapie Tag #/
Animal Purchased From: Name:	Phone:
Address:	City, State, Zip:
Circle if you will be participating in: SHOWMANSHIP Only one (1	
By signing this entry form, I/we agree to indemnify and to hold harmless th and all persons connected directly or indirectly with the operation of the fa to property, whether such damage or injury is from the Volusia County Fair or use by signing exhibitor(s) of the Volusia County Fair Assn. property.	e Volusia County Fair Assn., it's agents, directors, employee ir against any and all liability for injuries to person or damag & Youth Show negligence or not, which may arise by reaso
Exhibitor Signature  This signature is required	Date
I have complete knowledge of this entry and I authorize my child to enter the	ne Volusia County Fair & Youth Show.
Parent or Guardian Signature  This signature is required	Date
I nis signature is required	

# 2023 Volusia County Fair Official Entry Form Breeding Market Meat Goat - 112

Entry Fee: \$20 (non-refundable) Entries accepted from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Make a copy of this entry form for your records. The fair office does not make copies.

The fair reserves the right to not accept entry forms that are incomplete or late.

(no mailed, e-mailed or faxed entries will be accepted)

Exhibitors must attend a mandatory livestock meeting or the exhibitor will not be allowed to show at the Volusia County Fair. There are no make up meetings! I also confirm that I have read the livestock handbook.

Initial

There is no Market Meat Goat Sale.

Ethics #(attach copy of ethics	Social Certificate)	Security # or TIN	#
Exhibitor Name (Print):			Exhibitor DOB:
Mailing Address:	(	Dity:	Zip:
Telephone #	E-mail:		
School:	Grade:	Age:	
Showing FFA: 4-H:	Club/Chapter Name:		Independent:
Is the animal owned by a FFA Chap	ter or 4H Club? Yes: No	o: FFA Cha	pter/4H Club:
Student showing the FFA Chapter of	r 4-H Club Animal:		
Exhibitor has completed mandatory et	hics training course: Yes:	No:	
Parent or Guardian Name (Print):		Phone:	
FFA Advisor or 4-H Leader NameR	equired if showing FFA or 4-H	Signature	
NO BUCKS OR BILLIES			(If yes, where will animal be kept? Put
Breed of Animal:	Sex:	Date Ani	mal Purchased:
D.O.B (of animal):  Month/Date/Year	Age of Animal (at fair):	Scrapie	<b>3 Tag #</b> /
Animal Purchased From: Name:		Phone:	
Address:		City, State, Zi	o:
			goat per exhibitor for showmanship.
By signing this entry form, I/we agree and all persons connected directly or	indirectly with the operation of th njury is from the Volusia County	ss the Volusia Count le fair against any a Fair & Youth Show	ry Fair Assn., it's agents, directors, employee and all liability for injuries to person or damaginegligence or not, which may arise by reason
Exhibitor Signature	equired	D	ate
			to Fair O Marth Obarr
I have complete knowledge of this ent	ry and I authorize my child to ent		
	nature is required	D	ate
Fair office: Release received			