



DEPARTMENT 10 - 4-H AND FFA

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4-H Exhibitor Eligibility

- Must have passed their 8th birthday, but not have passed their 19th birthday, before January 1 of the current year.
- Must be a member of an organized Huntingdon County 4-H club that carries the specific project.
- Must be a member in good standing.

FFA Exhibitor Eligibility

- Must be a current dues paying member carrying the specific project under the supervision of a Vocational Agriculture Instructor in a school recognized to show at the Huntingdon County Fair.
- A member may retain active membership until November 30, following the fourth National FFA Convention after graduation from high school. Active membership cannot be retained beyond the member's twenty-third birthday.



Junior Livestock Committee

DEPARTMENT 10.1 4-H AND FFA DAIRY AND LIVESTOCK



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MARKET LIVESTOCK WEIGH-IN

Saturday, August 8, 2026

Species	Time	Weight Ranges	Scale
Hogs	8 a.m. - 12 p.m.	230-300 lbs.	Small
Goats	1 p.m.	65+ lbs.	Small
Lambs	<i>following goats</i>	80+ lbs.	Small
Steers	1 p.m.	1,000+ lbs.	Large
Dairy Beef	<i>following steers</i>	450-650 lbs.	Large
Meat Pen of 3	At check-in	3.5-5.5 lbs. per rabbit	

Entry Forms

- Enter online at entries.huntingdoncountryfair.com or send corresponding entry form to the Fair Office by July 1.
- No late entries.

Market Livestock Exhibition

- Market livestock must be tagged at the Fall or Spring Tag Day with the official HCJLC ear tag/verified 840 tag.
- Exhibitors must be on time to weigh, show, and sell.
- Market animals must be present at their species weigh-in time. Late arrivals due to extraordinary circumstances will be weighed at the discretion of the livestock superintendents.
- Exhibitors may only weigh, show, and sell a maximum of 4 tagged market animals, including meat pens.
- No reweighs. No replacements.
- Animals not making weight must be removed from the fairgrounds by midnight of weigh-in day.
- Market animals must be shown in the ring and be sold through the Junior Livestock Sale on Friday.

Health and General Rules

Adhere to Animal Health Regulations, Livestock and Dairy General Rules, and the Code of Show Ring Ethics.

Housekeeping

- Exhibitors shall clean or get stall area ready to be cleaned mechanically by 2 p.m. Saturday, the last day of the fair. If the area is not cleaned satisfactorily, \$50 per head will be deducted from the sale check or billed for those exhibiting breeding projects only.
- The fair is not responsible for personal items or equipment left behind.

Substitute Showman Criteria

- Conflict between the exhibitor's livestock show and another fair premium contest on the fairgrounds. Not covered: Non-premium contests or extracurricular activities.
- Sickness or physical injury after arriving at the show preventing the owner from showing his/her own animal. Previous injury or illness prohibiting an exhibitor from showing requires a doctor's excuse.
- Exhibitor has two or more animals in the same class or of different breeds showing at the same time.

Anyone receiving substitute showman permission attending the show while physically capable of showing will be disqualified.

Substitute Showman must:

- Be approved by the species or livestock superintendent.
- Notify the ring man that he/she is not the owner.
- Be another 4-H or FFA member of the same age or younger.

Medication Withdrawal

- Market exhibitors may not exhibit any animal that will still be within the medication withdrawal period on sale day. If upon slaughter a recent treatment with drugs or biologics is the cause of condemnation of a carcass, the exhibitor will bear the loss of the carcass.
- Fair personnel reserve the right to blood test animals for illegal use of drugs or antibiotics.
- Medication given fair week must have veterinarian approval and Livestock Superintendents must be notified.
- Animals receiving medication with a withdrawal period beyond sale day must be removed from the fair immediately.