4-H & FFA SPRING LIVESTOCK RULES

- Every project animal exhibited must be designated at the beginning either as a 4-H animal or FFA animal, and cannot be both. 4-H members must be enrolled in their project by 4-H deadlines to exhibit that project at Fair.
- 4-H and FFA members who enroll in Market Animal projects must attend a Meat Quality Assurance (MQA) training (based on requirements set by Colorado State 4-H), and turn in signed MQA form according to requirements set be the Extension Agent and FFA Teacher in order to be eligible for the Kiowa County Fair and Livestock Sale.
- 3. 4-H and FFA projects are family activities. Parents and other family members should offer advice and encouragement to the member, but try to limit their assistance depending on age, experience, and ability of the member. All adults other than parents and siblings are **prohibited** from fitting, caring for, and handling Jr. Livestock exhibits.
- 4. The Kiowa County Fair supports and endorses the USDA Wholesome Meat Act, and requires that all exhibitors and their sale animals are in compliance. Rules pertaining to the USDA Wholesome Meat Act Are:
 - **A.** Exhibitors of all Market Animal entries must certify their compliances with manufacture's premarket withdrawal periods specified for any and all medications, drugs, pesticides, or feed additives administered. The use of any non-approved chemical or improper use of the approved chemicals is strictly prohibited. Certification will be required upon arrival or weigh-in at show.
 - B. The following are examples of drug misuse and are strictly prohibited, among others.
 - *The use of injectable steroid substances to enhance muscle development in the animal.
 - *The use of various back pour materials.
 - * The use of tranquilizers and/or anesthetics as a means of calming animals at shows.
 - C. Any antibiotic, medication, pesticide, or another substance administered to and Market Animal on the fairgrounds will be administered by or under the direct supervision of a licensed veterinarian, or their designated representative . Such medication or treatment may require additional withdrawal time and disqualify the entry from eligibility for sale or shipment to slaughter from the Kiowa County Fair.
 - D. The Fair Management reserves the right to screen or test any market animal for drug residues of any nature and take any action deemed appropriate if testing results show positive.
 - E. Colorado also has a "Tampering and Drugging of Livestock" statue. This statue, 18-9-207, appears in the Colorado Revised Statue Criminal Code and makes animal tampering a Class 1 Misdemeanor.
- 5. Exhibitors will be limited to exhibiting and showing a maximum of 4 head per species, and must be designated at beginning weigh-in. Any animal exceeding the four designated will be charged \$5 per head. Only animals that are entered may be housed at the fair or considered for sale on floor plan.

- 6. All Market steer entries must be marked and recorded under individual member's name at least 200 days prior to entry day of the fair. All Market sheep, swine, and meat goat entries must be marked and recorded under individual member's name at least 100 days prior to entry day of the fair. Participation in the respective project weigh-days for ADG contest will establish eligibility. No late weighing considered except in proven hardship case, taken to the Livestock Show Committee and approved.
- Breeding animals and horses must have been owned and/or managed by the exhibitor for at least 90 days.
- 8. ALL LIVESTOCK "Housing Forms, "Home Raised Forms", and "Bill of Sale" is due at Weigh in.
- 9. Maximum beginning weight for all livestock:

Steers: 1000lbs. Sheep: 90 lbs. Goats: 70lbs. Swine: 75 lbs.

Average Daily Gain Contest Rules

1. Maximum beginning weight for ADG Contest

Steers: 750 - 200 Days before Fair Sheep: 70 - 100 Days before Fair Goats: 50 - 100 Days before Fair Swine: 75 - 100 Days before Fair

- * Swine: Members wanting to participate will contact the Extension office 2 weeks before Sheep and Goat weigh-in to enter and schedule a date and time for weighing swine. They will be weighed the next two days following small animal weigh-in. The Extension Agent, with help from the Junior Livestock Committee will travel to your location for weigh in, with the use of a NON-certified scale.
- Average Daily Gain contest animals must be shown in the market class.
- If any animal is weighed in late under hardship rule, gain will be divided by the same number of days established for regular weigh-day. Animals weighed early will have gain divided by the actual number of days. Hardship rule is by discretion of the Junior Livestock Committee.
- There will be no re-weighing of animals at any weigh-in event.

Family Animal Rules

- The purpose of the family animal is intended for hardship cases (lightweight, sickness, injure, or death).
- 2. Each family may only declare one "family animal" per species at the respective winter and spring market animal weigh-in.
- 3. Family/Siblings are defined as living in the same household.
- Designated "Family Animal" is allowed between 4-H and FFA members.
- At fair weigh in, if the family animal was not used in a hardship case, it may be designated to ONE member of the family to show. That animal will now be the responsibility of that member for record keeping.
- Family Animal is NOT eligible for State Fair participation.
 <u>Fair Junior Livestock Fair Rules</u>
- Individual exhibitors or animals may be disqualified by the Junior Livestock Committee for infraction of rules set forth below, including livestock sale rules.
- 4-H & FFA members will be entered in the Fair using a Fair Entry Form. All Livestock Entry Forms must be turned in to the Extension office by August 10, 2023 at 4:30 p.m.
- Only Kiowa County 4-H and FFA members will be allowed to show in youth classes. This applies when showing your animals or showing for others. Members must show their own animals, unless they have 2 or more in the class, or other reasons approved by the Junior Livestock Committee.

- 4. Stalls must be cleaned and manure properly disposed of by 8:00 a.m. each day; failure to do so will result in a \$30/day charge to the exhibitor.
- The judges' decisions are final. Any interference with judging, arguments, or criticism of judges' decision either by parents, 4-H, or FFA members will result in disqualification and forfeiture of any awards or premiums.
- Showmanship and ADG classes will be awarded 1st through 5th place awards. Only 1st through 3rd will receive ribbon placing premiums
- Market and Breeding classes will be awarded from 1st to the bottom of the class. Only 1st through 3rd will receive a ribbon and ribbon placing premiums
- 8. Eads Shopping Bucks will be awarded as ribbon premiums. They will be given out after 4:00 p.m. on Saturday along with all 4-H and Open Class premiums. They can be picked up at the Community Building from the Kiowa County Fair Board Open Class Liaison. Premiums not picked up at Fair will be placed with sale checks or can be picked up at the Extension office
- 9. Any protests dealing with the Kiowa County Fair must be submitted in writing, signed, and filed with Fair management within 24 hours of the incident. A committee of 3 qualified persons will be appointed to review the protest and render a decision. The committee decision will be final. Protests must include an address and telephone number, along with a \$150.00 protest fee per complaint.
- 10. All livestock including rabbits and poultry will be subject to a health inspection by a certified veterinarian. Animals showing evidence of disease or parasites may be refused entry by the superintendents. Exhibitors will be required to remove them from the fairgrounds. A check of eligibility from a Junior Livestock Member by a Veterinary may be requested at any time during fair or a show.
- 11. Livestock exhibitors may use adhesives or foams that are labeled "for animal use only". No altering or color will be allowed. Any entry that shows evidence of artificial color will be disqualified. This does not apply to hoof dressing on hooves. Any entry adding any hair-like substance will be disqualified.
- 12. Livestock exhibitors must put up a stall card for each animal or pen at the time of entry and maintain cards in place until livestock is released. Also, put up Champion signs immediately following selection and return to livestock office when stalls are cleaned.
- 13. There will be no re-weighing of animals at any weighin event.
- 14. All Livestock must remain barn, show ring, wash rack, or adjoining area visible from the barn for fitting, exercising, etc. This rule will be applied at the fairgrounds beginning 24 hours prior to the deadline for animals to be in place at the fair, and also at the fairgrounds on performance day.
- 15. Exhibitors with animals they are unable to control may be asked to leave the show ring. Any animal that is unmanageable may be disqualified by the superintendent, and they may be ineligible for show and sale. Safety of the exhibitors and spectators must be considered.
- Showmanship contestants must show only their own animal.
- 17. Showmanship classes will be held first in show order. Exhibitors must show in the showmanship class to be eligible for other classes or sale.
- 18. Animals to be taken home by exhibitor are released at 3:00 p.m. Friday, and should be removed Friday evening.

- 19. Winners of showmanship classes must decide immediately after the class if the way to participate in Round Robin showmanship in that division. If not, contact the 3rd place contestant and superintendent. A showmanship winner may compete in other species showmanship.
- 20. Addressing a travel ban or quarantine of livestock species pertaining to a disease outbreak/health concern: The Show/Sale will follow all Colorado State Rules, Laws, and Regulations. If an outbreak does occur, the Kiowa County Junior Livestock Committee and Kiowa County Fair Board will hold a special session to discuss the situation.
- 21. Each exhibitor is solely responsible for being on site, ready, and prepared to show their animal prior to the class/show for that animal. Times will be posted on the bulletin board by the show ring. If an exhibitor is not ready and in line on time for their show, they will NOT be allowed to show, and in return will NOT be able to place that animal in the sale. NO EXCEPTIONS
- 22. There is a \$50.00 one-time fee if you do not personally show and sale your own animal. Also, you must nominate a person to show and sale your animal at least one week in advance of sale. There must be approval by the Junior Livestock Committee for this arrangement.
- 23. Each beef, sheep, goat, and pig must be designated for sale, floor plan, or take home immediately after their respective show is complete. Individual animal cards will be on file at the fair office. It will be the responsibility of the EXHIBITOR AND PARENT to complete the card. If no card is completed and turned into the fair office for the animal, the member retains ownership and must take the animal home after the fair. This also means the member will NOT be able to sale the animal, if the card is not completed and turned in.

The fair will not be responsible for animals or other items left overnight after release. Floor plan animals can be removed any time after the Livestock Sale at the request of the floor plan buyer and discretion of the Junior Livestock Committee.

JUNIOR LIVESTOCK PREMIUM SALE

Friday, September 8, 2023 * 9:30 a.m.

The sale will be clerked by Flock Auctions and Charlene Flock. Flock Auctions <u>DONATES</u> THEIR TIME AND BUSINESS TO CLERK OUR SALE. THEY <u>DO NOT</u> TAKE A COMMISSION FROM ANY SALE.

Rules:

- All sale animals must be shown in the appropriate class.
- Each Exhibitor is limited to a total of 3 animals to be sold in the Junior Livestock Sale, but NOT more than 1 per species, whether enrolled in 4-H or FFA or both.
- 3. Sale weight will be fair weigh in weight. Overweight animals will be eligible for show and sale.
- Beef Market Steers must weigh a minimum of 1050lbs for sale.
- Sheep Market Sheep must weigh a minimum of 110lbs for sale.
- Goats Market Goats must weigh a minimum of 50lbs for sale.
- Swine Market Swine must weigh a minimum of 220lbs for sale.
- 4. Poultry— Each exhibitor may sell a Market meat pen (1 turkey, or 3 broiler pullets or rooster). A pen counts as one "animal".
- Rabbits Each exhibitor may sell a Market meat pen (3 rabbits or baker rabbit). A pen counts as one "animal".
- 6. All Grand Champion Market animals are required to sell. This Does not apply to Reserve Grand Champion. (Refer to Rule #2 if the same Exhibitor has both the Market Grand Champion and Average Daily Champion in the same species
- Sale order: Per Species Grand Champion, Reserve Champion, Average Daily Gain Champions, Class placing from 1st and down.
- 8. On <u>even</u> number years, the order will be; Market Beef, Sheep, Goats, Poultry, Rabbits, and Swine.
- 9. **On <u>odd</u> number years, the order will be;** Market Beef, Swine, Poultry, Rabbits, Sheep, and Goats.
- 10. All donation animals will need approval by the Junior Livestock Committee for the sale. Any donation animals will sell at the end of the sale. Any consignment donated back, by the buyer for resale, will be considered donated to Kiowa County Junior Livestock, Kiowa County 4-H Council, or Eads FFA and will be resold. A consignment specifically donated back to the member may be taken home, but may NOT be resold.
- **11.** The wash racks will be closed starting 30 mins before the sale in order to avoid congestion in that area.
- **12.** Sale animals must be fitted for sale in the same manner as for the show ring.
- 13. Bill or sale Brand Certification on the Market Steers must be turned in no later than weigh-in the first day of fair or they will not be eligible for sale.
- 14. The sale will be considered terminal for the project, and no sale can be reclaimed by the exhibitor for any reason. Every animal that goes through the sale must be floor planned or purchased by the premium sale buyer.

- 15. Arrangements for animals to go to the locker plants MUST be made by the exhibitor or buyer. Fair Management is not responsible for arrangements and will NOT transport animals. Livestock will be released by 3:00pm on Friday of the sale. Animals that are below or above weight limits for the species are NOT guaranteed a place on the floor plan. It is the discretion of the floor plan buyer.
- 16. Five percent (5%) commission will be deducted from the sellers check, going to Kiowa County Junior Livestock Committee to cover sale expenses and other expenses
- 17. In order to receive a check for the livestock sale, each exhibitor is required to complete a "Thank You" card according to the instructions from the Extension office or FFA Teacher. All livestock checks that are not cashed within 60 days of issue date will be considered void.

Department 121

"ROUND ROBIN"

Thursday, September 7, 2023 @ 3:00 p.m.

- * Champion of each age and each species will be eligible. In the case that an exhibitor is eligible in more than one species they must declare right after the shows are completed, which species they will be showing. Reserve place exhibitor from that age and species are then eligible to participate.
- * There will be one show with Senior, Intermediate, and Junior of each species. Each age division will have a Champion and Reserve Champion placing. two minutes will be allowed with contestant changing animals at the end of each two minutes. Judges will score the fitting of each animal for their species.
- Judges will be advised that each age division, in each species, will be judged separately. Color coded score sheets for each division will be used for the show.
- The winners will be announced Friday morning, before the Premium Sale starts.

<u>Champion Rosette</u> (for each age division)

<u>Reserve Champion Rosette</u> (for each age division)

DEPARTMENT 123 - 4-H & FFA RABBITS

Premiums \$6.00 (Blue), \$4.00 (Red), \$2.00 (White)

- Classes may be divided by breed at the discretion of the Superintendent if there are two or more entries of a recognized breed and total entries of four or more clas-
- Only 2 pens per class will be allowed per Exhibitor .

RULES

- 1. Market Rabbit pens must be owned 30 days prior to Fair.
- 2. Breeding Rabbit pens must be owned 90 days prior to Fair.

DIVISION 1 - SHOWMANSHIP

- 570 Rabbit Showmanship Junior (8-10)
- 571 Rabbit Showmanship Intermediate (11-13)
- 572 Rabbit Showmanship Senior (14+)

Champion Rosette (each age Division)

Reserve Champion Rosette (each age Division)

DIVISION 2 - BREEDING

- 573 Junior Breeding Doe (Under 6 months)
- 574 Senior Breeding Doe (Over 6 months)
- 575 Junior Breeding Buck (Under 6 months)
- 576 Senior Breeding Buck (Over 6 months)

Champion Rosette

Reserve Champion Rosette

DIVISION 3 - MARKET RABBITS

- 577 Meat Class (3 Rabbits 31/2 to 5 lbs.)
- 578 Baker Rabbits (5-9 lbs.)

Champion Rosette

Reserve Champion Rosette

DEPARTMENT 116 - 4-H & FFA POULTRY

Premiums \$6.00 (Blue), \$4.00 (Red), \$2.00 (White)

- Classes may be divided by breed at the discretion of the Superintendent if there are two or more entries of a recognized breed and total entries of four or more in the class.
- * Only 2 pens per class will be allowed per Exhibitor

RULES

- 1. Market Poultry pens must be owned 45 days prior to Fair.
- 2.Breeding Poultry pens must be owned for 90 days prior to Fair.

DIVISION 1 - SHOWMANSHIP

- 600 Poultry Showmanship Junior (8-10)
- 601 Poultry Showmanship Intermediate (11-13)
- 602 Poultry Showmanship Senior (14+)

Champion Rosette (for each age Division)

Reserve Champion Rosette (for each age Division)

DIVISION 2 - BREEDING

- 603 Light Breed Pen of 3
- 604 Heavy Breed Pen of 3
- 605 Trio Fancy Breed or Bantans
- 606 Other Poultry Pair (Ducks, Geese, Guinea, Peacocks, etc.) (Breeding Pair Male & Female)
- 607 Rooster

Champion Rosette
Reserve Champion Rosette

DIVISION 3 - MARKET POULTRY

- 609 Market Poultry (Pen of 3 Broiler Pullets or Roosters)
- 610 Market Turkey (1 Turkey)

Champion Rosette

Reserve Champion Rosette

DEPARTMENT 117 - 4-H & FFA GOATS

Premiums \$6.00 (Blue), \$4.00 (Red), \$2.00 (White)

RULES

Maximum Beginning Weight: 70

Maximum Beginning ADG Contest Weight: 50

Minimum Show and Sale Weight: 50

- 1. Age Must have milk teeth in place
- Horns Goats should be disbudded at 10-14 days of age. If they have horns, they must be blunt-tipped (size of a dime) prior to arrival.
- 3. Hair Must be slick shorn above the knees and hocks, 3/8 inch or less, except for tail switch before Weigh-In.
- Showing Must be shown with collar or neck chain, with or without lead.
- Goat may use meshed or plastic muzzles. The muzzle style must allow the animal to drink water.

DIVISION 1 - SHOWMANSHIP

- 630 Goat Showmanship Junior (8-10)
- 631 Goat Showmanship Intermediate (11-13)
- 632 Goat Showmanship Senior (14+)

Champion Rosette (for each age Division)

Reserve Champion Rosette (for each age Division)

Alternate for "Round Robin" to be designated by Class placing

DISVISON 2 - MARKET GOAT

640 Market Goat - 50 to 120 lbs.

Champion Rosette

Reserve Champion Rosette

DIVISION 3 - AVERAGE DAILY GAIN

641 Goat average Daily Gain Contest

Champion Rosette

Reserve Champion Rosette

DIVISION 4 - BREEDING GOAT

- 643 Billy Kid (born in the current year)
- Doe Kid (born in the current year)
- 645 Yearling Doe
- 646 Nanny (over 1 year old)

Champion Rosette

Reserve Champion Rosette

DIVISION 6 - DAIRY GOATS

- 647 Kids (Does born in the current year)
- 648 Yearling Doe (non-milking)
- 649 Yearling Doe (milking)
- 650 Milking Doe (2 years or over)

DEPARTMENT 118 - 4-H & FFA SWINE

Premiums \$6.00 (Blue), \$4.00 (Red), \$2.00 (White)

RULES

Maximum Beginning Weight 75 Maximum Beginning ADG Contest Weight: 75 Minimum Show and Sale Weight: 220

- * Swine: Members wanting to participate will contact the Extension office 2 weeks before Sheep and Goat weigh-in to enter and schedule a date and time for weighing swine. They will be weighed the next two days following small animal weigh-in. The Extension Agent, with help from the Junior Livestock Committee will travel to your location for weigh in, with the use of a NON-certified scale.
- 1. Pigs must be free of mud and have clean ear tags.
- Pigs may be clipped. Hair must be no shorter that 1/4 inch at the time of Weigh-In. All clipping must be completed prior to fair weigh in.

"Due to biosecurity concerns, the BREEDING SWINE Classes have been removed from the Kiowa County Fair."

	DIVISION 1 - SHOWMANSHIP
660	Swine Showmanship - Junior (8-10)
661	Swine Showmanship - Intermediate (11-13)
662	Swine Showmanship - Senior (14+)
	Champion Rosette (each age Division)
	Reserve Champion Rosette (each age Division)
Alternate for "Round Robin" to be designated by Class placing	
DIVISION 2 - MARKET SWINE	
665	Market Swine (220 to 300 lbs.)

Champion Rosette

Reserve Champion Rosette

Division 3 - AVERAGE DAILY GAIN

667 Swine Average Daily Gain Contest

Champion Rosette

Reserve Champion Rosette

DEPARTMENT 123 - 4-H & FFA BEEF CATTLE

Premiums \$6.00 (Blue), \$4.00 (Red), \$2.00 (white)

Maximum Beginning Weight: 1,000

Maximum Beginning ADG Contest Weight: 750

Minimum Show and Sale Weight: 1,050

DIVISION 1 - SHOWMANSHIP

- 770 Beef Showmanship - Junior (8-10)
- 771 Beef Showmanship - Intermediate (11-13)
- 772 Beef Showmanship - Senior (14+)

Champion Rosette

Reserve Champion Rosette

Alternate for "Round Robin" to be designated by Class placing

DIVISION 2 - BREEDING

- 775 Heifer Calf (born in the current year) May NOT be shown both as a feeder and breeding
- 776 Yearling Heifer
- 777 Producing Cow and Calf. Calf may be shown individu-

Champion Rosette

Reserve Champion Rosette

DIVISION 3 - BUCKET CALF

779 Bucket Calf (For 4-H or FFA Members Only)

DIVISION 4 - MARKET BEEF

780 Market Beef (1050 - 1500 lbs.)

Champion Rosette

Reserve Champion Rosette

DIVISION 5 - AVERAGE DAILY GAIN

781 Beef Average Daily Gain Contest

Champion Rosette

Reserve Champion Rosette

DIVISION 6 - FEEDER CALF

782 Feeder Calf, heifer or Steer - under 1100 lbs.

DEPARTMENT 124 - 4-H & FFA SHEEP

Premiums \$6.00 (Blue), \$4.00 (Red), \$2.00 (White)

RULES

Maximum Beginning Weight: 90

Maximum Beginning ADG Contest Weight: 70

Minimum Show and Sale Weight: 110

- 1. Market Sheep must be slick shorn before Weigh-In and will be weighed without blankets on.
- 2. Sheep may use meshed or plastic muzzles. The muzzle style must allow the animal to drink water.

DIVISION 1 - SHOWMANSHIP

- 785 Sheep Showmanship - Junior (8-10)
- Sheep Showmanship Intermediate (11-13) 786
- 787 Sheep Showmanship - Senior (14+)

Champion Rosette

Reserve Champion Rosette

Alternate for "Round Robin" to be designated by class placing.

DIVISION 2 - MARKET SHEEP

788 Market Wether or Ewe Sheep (110 to 170 lbs.)

Champion Rosette

Reserve Champion Rosette

DIVISION 3 - AVERAGE DAILY GAIN

789 Sheep Average Daily Gain Contest

Champion Rosette

Reserve Champion Rosette

DIVISION 4 - BREEDING SHEEP

- 790 Ewe Sheep (Under 1 year)
- 791 Yearling Ewe
- 792 Ram Sheep (Under 1 year)
- 793 Ram Sheep (Over 1 year)

Champion Rosette

Reserve Champion Rosette

End of Livestock

DEPARTMENT 125 - 4-H & FFA GARDEN

Premiums \$6.00 (Blue), \$4.00 (Red), \$2.00 (White)

RULES

- 1. Only one entry per class for each Exhibitor
- 2. Size of sample should be followed
- 3. Each 4-H & FFA Exhibitor will prepare for show and carry his or her sample to the Judging table. If Exhibitor is also a Livestock Member and will be showing during judging, you will need to notify the Extension office to make the Judge aware.
- Champion and Reserve Champion Exhibits will be computed by points. (1st = 3 points, 2nd = 2 points, 3rd = 1 point)
- 4-H Members DO NOT have to be entered in 4-H Gardening Project to participate in this Department.

Division 1

- 800 5 Sweet Potatoes
- 801 5 Potatoes, White or Red
- 802 5 Russets
- 803 6 White, Yellow, or Red Spanish Onions (Globe)
- 804 6 Bermuda Onions (Flat)
- 805 5 Turnips (Any Variety)
- 806 6 Parsnips
- 807 6 Table Carrots
- 5 Beets (Table Use)
- 809 1 Head Cauliflower
- 810 Broccoli (3 Stems)811 1 Head Cabbage
- 812 5 Tomatoes (Table Use)
- 813 5 Green Tomatoes
- 814 10 Cherry, Plum, or Pear Tomatoes
- 815 5 Roma Tomatoes
- 816 3 Scallop Squash
- 817 3 Zucchini Squash
- 818 3 Yellow Straight or Crook Neck Squash
- 819 2 Squash (Acorn Type)
- 820 2 Squash (Butternut)
- 821 2 Squash (Buttercup)
- 822 1 Hubbard Squash
- 823 1 Squash (Striped Cushaw)
- 824 Any Other Variety of Squash
- 825 2 Pie Pumpkins