

SECTION 6
SWINE

4-H Superintendent: Nancy LaTourette
Thursday; 9 a.m.

STALL DECORATION

The Wheels on the Farm Go Round and Round

Be sure to review the 2017 New York State Health Guidelines.

SHOWMANSHIP CLASSES

-Showmanship is mandatory. All exhibitors must show in their respective showmanship class.

-Cloverbud Showmanship will be the first class held in the show; followed by breed and market classes; then the remainder of the showmanship classes.

-Showmanship will be judged throughout the show both in and out of the ring. Classes will be called to the ring and final decisions made after the market classes are complete.

A Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion Showman will be named.

Class No.

- 476 Best Breeding Animal Owned & Bred by Exhibitor
- 478 Any Market Animal Not Included In Auction OR Not Eligible for Auction
- 484 Market Hog (barrow or gilt, any breed)
Will be divided by weight prior to show, minimum of 200 lbs. Only 2 animals per class will be allowed after final weight/class breaks are made.

For each specie (meat goat, beef, sheep, swine) of auction animal, a Grand Champion, Reserve Grand Champion, and Honorable Mention Champion will be selected.

- 490 Pen of Market Hogs
A pen shall consist of three barrows and/or gilts. Can be owned by 4-H members in the same family.
- 492 Best Market Animal Owned & Bred by Exhibitor
- 494 Fitting & Showmanship—14 years old and older.
- 496 Fitting & Showmanship – 13 years and under.
- 498 Novice, Fitting & Showmanship
- 450 Cloverbud Showmanship – Please Note: Cloverbud showmanship will be the first class held in the show; followed by breed and market classes; then the remainder of the showmanship classes.
- 501 Records Class – All exhibitors are required to submit records on the expense involved with raising your animal. **All auction exhibitors must submit a 4-H Livestock Auction Project Record. Auction exhibitors handing in an incomplete Project Record will be disqualified from the auction. Project Records must be turned in to the 4-H Summer Assistant by Monday of fair week at the livestock ring from 3:00-5:00 p.m.** No Project Record will be accepted after 5 pm per the 4-H Livestock Advisory Committee. Animal will be entered in to a non-auction class and will be disqualified from the 4-H Livestock Auction. Superintendent or a designee will judge these records during the fair and premiums will be awarded.

DU = Duroc	HA = Hampshire		YO = Yorkshire		
CB = Cross Breed	OB = Other registered breeds				
CLASS	DU	HA	YO	CB	OB
Junior Yearling Sow (which has been farrowed on or after Jan. 1 and before July 1 of the preceding year)	451	452	453	454	455
Senior Fall Gilt (farrowed on or after July 1 of the preceding year)	456	457	458	459	460
January Spring Gilt (farrowed on or after Jan. 1 of the current year but before Feb. 1 of the current year)	461	462	463	464	465
February Spring Gilt (farrowed on or after Feb. 1 of the current year but before March 1 of the current year.)	466	467	468	469	470
Junior Spring Gilt (farrowed on or after March 1 of the current year)	471	472	473	474	475

4-H Cloverbuds ages 5, 6 & 7 will be allowed to participate in a special Cloverbud Class in the Goat, Sheep and Swine Sections.

1. Cloverbuds will receive an incentive award and will receive a cloverbud rosette. Participants will not be placed. This is a Participation Class not a Competition Class.
2. Cloverbuds must show young animals. Animal should be born after February 1st, and the Cloverbuds must have worked with the animal from February up until Fair time. The Cloverbuds must be able to control the animal. Halter and leadline are recommended where appropriate.
3. Older members or adults helping in the ring is acceptable.
4. Cloverbuds are not eligible to participate in auction classes or the 4-H Livestock Auction.

MARKET HOG

-Market Hogs must be:

- *Born on or after January 1 of the current year.
- *Owned and cared for by exhibitor by June 15.

*Registered for auction by **June 19, 2017**.

-Groups will be determined by a sort of the weights of the

entered animals. Based on this sort, entries will be divided into equal weight groups (light, medium, intermediate, heavy, etc.). Only 2 animals per class, per exhibitor, will be allowed after final weight/class breaks are made.

A Champion Market Hog and Reserve Champion Market Hog will be named.

A Supreme Champion (Best of Show) will be selected from all Grand Champion animals.

4-H MARKET HOG CHAMPION SHOWMANSHIP

A trophy will be donated by the New York Pork Producers.

NOVICE SHOWMAN AWARD

First place Novice Showman Award will receive a plaque given by Ed and Jeri Brayman & family in memory of Everett Young of Masonville.

BEST BRED & OWNED PUREBRED ANIMAL

Elaine Gardner Best Bred & Owned Purebred Animal:

1. Purebred Animals Only, registered with the National Swine Registry (class 476)
2. Any 4-Her
3. Trophy, plus \$50 award

4-H MASTER LIVESTOCK SHOWMAN

Saturday, August 19, 2017; 9 a.m.

Beef – Swine – Sheep - Meat Goat

Award Presenter-Matt Shelton

1. It would consist of the top **senior** (13 years and older) showman of the beef, swine, sheep, and meat goat show.
2. Four animals from each species would be selected for the competition. None of the animals chosen for the competition would be personally owned by the exhibitors. Each animal would be assigned to the respective showman randomly.
3. A panel of four judges would be selected by the livestock committee to judge the competition. Each judge would have knowledge of at least one of the species.
4. The four species would be shown one after the other. Each exhibitor would be given a numerical ranking of 1 through 4 after each individual specie show. One being the highest and four being the lowest score. The showman with the lowest overall total would be the winner.
5. If a showman is the winner of both the swine and the beef or any other two showmanship classes the reserve champion of one of the species would take their place in the master showmanship competition.
6. Trophy awarded to winner.

MATTHEW TWEEDIE SPORTSMANS AWARD

Matt was an active 4-Her and CCE Summer Assistant. His passion was showing his beef at the fair. He was a tremendous sportsman and a believer in sharing his knowledge with others. Matt helped numerous people during his life learn more, do more, and do better than they otherwise would have. To honor him, his family and friends have set up a fund to encourage showmanship at the fair to exhibit the good sportsmanship that Matt did.

A plaque will be given to the youth exhibitor in each market class specie area (beef, swine, sheep, and meat goat) who displays the qualities most inherent in a good sportsman. These qualities include:

1. Trying your best and trying to improve.
2. Being respectful of yourself, fellow exhibitors, and the event by following the rules.
3. Being gracious in winning or losing.
4. Willingness to help others to improve themselves as an exhibitor and producer.
5. Displaying the qualities of good herdsmanship by keeping your area clean, organized, and attractive.
6. Promoting your specie by willingly and knowledgeably sharing information with others.

*** Note: All Auction Rules must be followed. Violation will result in elimination from the Auction.**