

## DIVISION 10 YOUTH SWINE

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**Show Time: Monday - 8:00 a.m.**

Stall Fee: \$5.00 per head

Dress Code: All exhibitors must wear shirt with collar, slacks or jeans, and hard-soled shoes. No hats.

Age: Exhibitor must be 7 years old as of January 1<sup>st</sup> of the current year.

### Rules:

1. All swine shall be identified with an official ear tag or tattoo which includes the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) code from the state of origin or, only for registered swine accompanied by registration papers, or by ear notches.
2. Swine superintendents are required by MDARD to report to the State of Michigan Veterinarian any swine with a fever above 105°F.
3. Swine imported into Michigan for exhibition shall be accompanied by an official interstate health certificate or official certificate of veterinary inspection prepared by an accredited veterinarian from the state of origin.
4. Importation of swine vaccinated against pseudorabies is prohibited.
5. A person shall not bring swine into this state from auction sales or other collection facilities where slaughter swine are handled.
6. A person shall not import or release live feral swine or any crosses of feral swine in this state for any purpose without permission from the director, due to invasive species order in place by the Michigan Department of Natural Resources.
7. Pigs imported from out of state shall meet one of the following requirements:
  - a. Originate directly from a pseudorabies free state or region as designated by the United States Department of Agriculture or as determined by the director, OR
  - b. Originate directly from a qualified negative pseudorabies free herd or directly from a feeder pig monitored herd, OR
  - c. Originate directly from a state which participates in pseudorabies testing program that is approved by the director, OR
  - d. Individually test negative for pseudorabies within thirty (30) days prior to importation.
8. All market swine must be in possession and tagged according to livestock rules. All market hogs will be weighed and tagged on the **first Saturday of May**.
9. All swine information placing sheets will be turned into the barn superintendent by 4:00 p.m. on Sunday of ship in, or Swine Barn Superintendent will place swine in the classes as they see fit. All animals must be shown by the person who is identified on the sheet.
10. Swine due in stalls on Sunday, August 6, 2017 between 9:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m.
11. All market hogs must be weighed on arrival at Fairgrounds. Weigh-in of hogs will be limited to three per exhibitor.
12. Body clipping of hogs will be permitted so long as the hair is clipped no shorter than 1/2 inch.
13. All hogs washed on Sunday must be done by 10:00 p.m.
14. No swine will be allowed out of their pens after Sunday unless they are going to or from the show area. Only exhibitors and persons authorized by the Swine Barn Superintendent will be allowed in the show arena during the show.
15. Each exhibitor must sign up for barn duty per the instructions on the sign-up sheet. Failure to complete your barn duty could result in lost premiums.
16. An exhibitor may not show more than one animal per class, except where progeny necessitates duplication. Premium paid only on one animal if duplicate entries in a class. Exhibitor is limited to only one (1) pen of two (2) hogs.
17. In addition to the conformation class, exhibitors must enter and compete in the Showmanship class.
18. Exhibitors must maintain clean animals and pens throughout the Fair or forfeit all premiums, ribbons, and trophies from this division. **All animals must be fed and pans removed from the pens before 10:00 a.m. every morning and fed and pans removed from the pens before 6:00 p.m. every evening.**
19. Market swine must meet the minimum weight of 180 lbs. in order to be exhibited at the Wayne County Fair. Maximum weight for swine is 300 lbs.

20. Grand & Reserve Champion market animals must be sold at auction.
21. The Wayne County Fairgrounds no longer runs a terminal sale since pseudorabies are no longer found in this area of Michigan. Pseudorabies tests are not required as directed by the State Department of Agriculture. Due to unforeseen circumstances the Wayne County Fair reserves the right to declare a terminal sale in the best interests of the Fair.
22. All General Dairy, Livestock and Exhibitor Dress Code rules also apply. See that section in the Fair Book.
23. Failure to follow the above rules or other rules posted by the Barn Superintendent will result in forfeiture of premiums and awards in this division.
24. Entry deadline is **JULY 1ST. ALL CLASS ENTRIES MUST BE POSTMARKED BY JULY 1ST. PEN FEES MUST ACCOMPANY ENTRY OR A \$1.00 PER HEAD LATE FEE WILL BE CHARGED. Absolutely NO ENTRIES will be accepted after JULY 15, 2017!**
25. All livestock shows will be a "NATURAL SHOW" which is defined as not using any products on the animal for fitting and showing. Clipping, sheering, and trimming of livestock animals will still be allowed. Failure to follow these guidelines may result in disqualification and loss of premiums.
26. If you choose to wash your pigs the morning of the show, they must be returned to their pens no later than 7:00 a.m.
27. Animals will not be released from their stalls until August 13, 2017 at 8:00 a.m. Early removal will result in the loss of all premiums. Market animals may leave with processor after 11:00 p.m. on Saturday of Fair week. Auction animals may be taken to a livestock sale barn after 11:00 p.m. on Saturday of Fair week.
28. All stalls must be cleaned by the youth and inspected by the Barn Superintendent upon final departure. Failure to clean stalls and have them inspected will result in the loss of all premiums.
29. All barn decorations may be removed after 11:00 p.m. on August 12, 2017. Early removal will result in the loss of all premiums.

## SECTION - 1: Market Hogs

**Rule:** Exhibitor must be the owner of all market livestock.

1 <sup>st</sup> thru 5 <sup>th</sup> - Ribbon	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Class:</b>	\$7.00	\$5.00	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00
675. Pen of Two Lightweights (180-220)					
676. Pen of Two Middleweights (221-250)					
677. Pen of Two Heavyweights (251-300)					
678. Individual Lightweight (180-220)					
679. Individual Middleweight (221-250)					
680. Individual Heavyweight (251-300)					

**Champion Lightweight Pen of Two - Trophy, Rosette**  
**Champion Heavyweight Pen of Two - Trophy, Rosette**  
**Grand Champion Pen of Two - Trophy, Rosette**

**Champion Middleweight Pen of Two - Trophy, Rosette**  
**Reserve Grand Champion Pen of Two - Trophy, Rosette**

**Champion Lightweight - Trophy, Rosette**  
**Champion Heavyweight - Trophy, Rosette**  
**Grand Champion Individual - Trophy, Rosette**

**Champion Middleweight - Trophy, Rosette**  
**Reserve Grand Champion Individual - Trophy, Rosette**

## SECTION - 2: Showmanship

### Rules:

Presented to the top swine showman as determined by the judge, based on:

1. Showmanship of owner.
2. Fitting of animal.
3. Training of animal: Exhibitor must personally own, fit, and show the animal.

1 <sup>st</sup> thru 5 <sup>th</sup> - Ribbon	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Class:</b>	\$7.00/ <b>Belt Buckle</b>	\$5.00	\$4.00	\$3.00	\$2.00

681. Junior Fitting and Showmanship 7-13: Judged only on fitting, showing, and general neatness.

682. Senior Fitting and Showmanship 14 & older: Judged only on fitting, showing, and general neatness.

### **SECTION - 3: Pig's Trail**

**Show Time: Friday at 8:00 a.m.**

**Rules:**

1. All exhibitors must be registered in the Youth Swine Division, to be eligible to enter this event. All participants must use the animal they exhibited at Fair.
2. All exhibitors must comply with the general and health rules regarding livestock set forth by the Michigan Department of Agriculture (see Fair Book Rules).
3. Casual dress is preferred, but with limitation (respectable shirt, hard-soled shoes, no shorts, sandals, or tennis shoes).
4. Animal must be clean when entering class.
5. This is a timed event with obstacles, which may vary from year to year - Superintendent will distribute General Rules regarding this event on the first day of Fair.
6. In the event of a tie between two top contestants in either the junior or senior division, a tiebreaker question(s) regarding swine shall be chosen.
7. No Styrofoam canes may be used.

**Award:** Gift

**Class:**

690. Pig Trail Overall Winner

