

IRC 4H Club Leaders and 2019-20 IRCYLH Exhibitor Families,

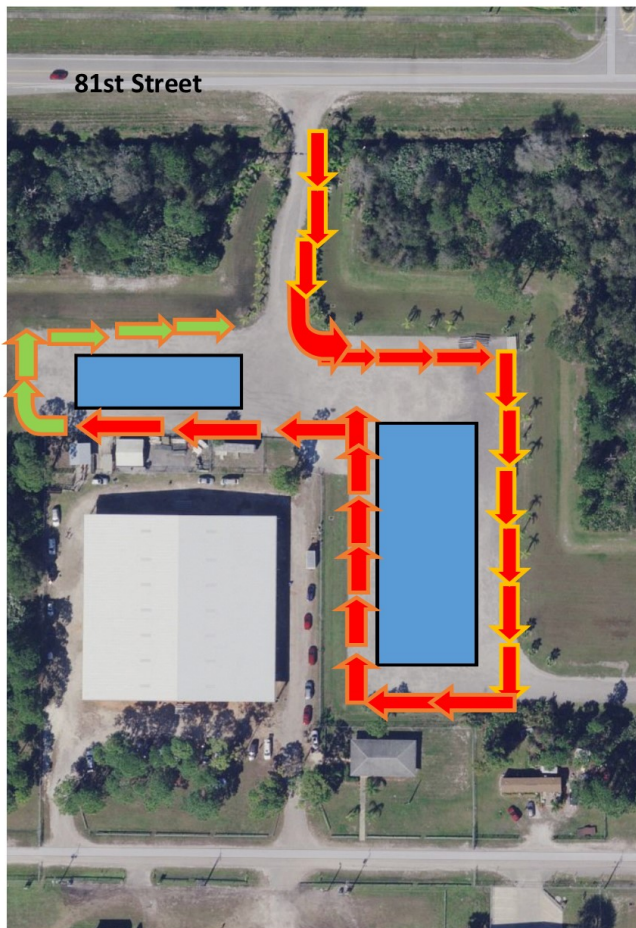
The remaining forms for 2019-20 Show and Auction Registration have been uploaded to the IRCYLH website.

Poultry, Horticulture, Steer, and Market Rabbit projects have already completed registration for the 2019-20 Show and Auction. ALL remaining species eligible to be shown (Beef Breeding, Goat, Rabbit/Cavy, Sheep, Swine) must register by the end of Swine Weigh-in/Fair Show and Auction Registration which will take place at the IRC Fairgrounds (Exhibitors Barn and Parking Lot) on **Saturday, December 7th, 2019 from 8-11am.**

We are trying to include info for what is needed and/or required at registration below, but if you have more questions, please refer to the 2019-20 Rules Manual, available online, or email specific questions to IRCYLH.inc@gmail.com

ALL registration forms are available from the website, IRCYLH.com, on the EXHIBITORS page. Forms for IRC Bred Swine and Lease Agreements can also be found here.

ALL vehicles will enter and exit from 81st Street, the north side of the exhibitors' parking lot, and follow the same traffic pattern as last year's registration/swine weigh-in.



Exhibitor Parking

Swine Trailers entering

Swine trailers leaving

ALL vehicles will enter off 81st street, with vehicles containing swine staying to the left (east) as they come in from 81st.

All other vehicles enter and park in the designated areas.

Swine are the only animals required to be present at official weigh-in/tag-in.

Coordinators and tables will be set up near or under the barn to review and accept registrations for all other species.

BEEF BREEDING: Beef Breeding animals are **NOT** required to be present at registration. Exhibitors registering beef breeding animals need:

1. Completed registration form; <https://img1.wsimg.com/blobby/go/2db7fd19-2634-45be-ac85-af36ae8d2b36/downloads/Beef%20Breeding%2019-20.pdf?ver=1575145794732>
2. \$10 registration fee per animal (cash or checks payable to IRCYLH)
3. Two color photos of each beef breeding animal (one of each side profile [left and right], exhibitor in photos)
4. A bill of sale to prove ownership or a lease form

Excerpted from page 17 of the 2019-20 Rules Manual:

*“OWNERSHIP: Each exhibitor will own or have a signed lease agreement for their animal by end of registration at Swine Weigh-in on Saturday, **December 7, 2019**, and have full responsibility of feeding, breaking and the general all-around care and exercise of their animal(s). Exhibitor must have possession (if owned) of animal by December 7, 2019. If leased, exhibitor needs to be active and involved in the care of the leased animal. All animals must be housed in Indian River County.*

*AGE AND ID: Registered and unregistered stocks are eligible to compete. All animals must have I.D. as follows: Registered animals per association requirements, unregistered animals by brand or tattoo, or metal Premises tag (the state does not accept plastic ear tags). Heifers over 18 months of age must have metal premise tags. Bulls over 9 months of age **MUST** have a nose ring.*

*AGE (cont.): Registered and unregistered animals will be shown together in their respective classes according to age. All cows from classes 11, 12 & 13 must be bred or with calf to be eligible to show. Cows 2 years and older will have blood drawn at Report card and Handling Check on **Saturday, February 1, 2020**, to verify pregnancy. If the cow has calf by side, calf must be 7 months or younger. Bulls over 2 years of age cannot be shown. Bulls 9 months or older **MUST** have Nose Ring.*

*LIMITATIONS: Junior, Intermediate, and Senior exhibitors are permitted to exhibit five (5) beef breeding animals in the show, with no more than two (2) head in the same class. **New for 2019-2020, CLOVERBUD exhibitors permitted to show one (1) beef breeding animal. ALL cloverbud exhibitors showing breedstock will be placed into one exhibition class, and that beef breeding animal CANNOT be registered or shown by another exhibitor in any other class during the 2019-2020 Show and Auction.**”*

GOAT: Breeding Goats and Market Wether Goats are **NOT** required to be present at registration. Exhibitors registering goats need:

1. Completed registration form; [https://img1.wsimg.com/blobby/go/2db7fd19-2634-45be-ac85-af36ae8d2b36/downloads/Goat%20Entry%20Form%2019-20\(1\).pdf?ver=1575145794732](https://img1.wsimg.com/blobby/go/2db7fd19-2634-45be-ac85-af36ae8d2b36/downloads/Goat%20Entry%20Form%2019-20(1).pdf?ver=1575145794732)
2. \$10 registration fee per animal [\$15 pregnant does] (cash or checks payable to IRCYLH)
3. Two color photos of each goat (one of each side profile [left and right], exhibitor in photos)
4. A bill of sale to prove ownership or a lease form

Excerpted from page 30 of the 2019-20 Rules Manual:

“All goats must be Boer Goat or be 75 percent with Boer Goat characteristics according to the American Boer Goat Association.

All entries must be made on official entry forms that are furnished by the Species Director. Registration deadline is by end of Swine Weigh-in on Saturday, December 7, 2019.

-On Entry Forms, each animal must be listed individually. Incorrect forms will be disqualified.

-If, as of December 7, 2019, your doe is pregnant or has a chance of becoming pregnant and due to deliver before/during fair, there will be a \$15 pregnancy registration fee which will include the kids from that doe's pregnancy that an exhibitor chooses to show.

GOAT OWNERSHIP: A bill of sale to prove ownership or a lease agreement (wether goats must be owned by exhibitor) accompanied with a signed entry form and color photo (see above) must be turned in at IRCYLH Show and Auction Registration by Saturday, December 7, 2019.

LIMITATIONS: No exhibitor will be permitted to exhibit more than five (5) animals in the show, with no more than two (2) head in the same class. Cloverbuds are permitted to enter/show one (1) goat project.

Only Bucks (uncastrated males) under 12 months old are allowed to be shown.”

RABBIT/CAVY: Rabbit and Cavy projects **MUST** be present at registration. Exhibitors registering rabbits and cavies need:

1. Completed registration form; <https://img1.wsimg.com/blobby/go/2db7fd19-2634-45be-ac85-af36ae8d2b36/downloads/Rabbit%20Entry%20Form%202019-20.pdf?ver=1575145794732> and <https://img1.wsimg.com/blobby/go/2db7fd19-2634-45be-ac85-af36ae8d2b36/downloads/Cavy%20Entry%20Form%202019-20.pdf?ver=1575145794732> and <https://img1.wsimg.com/blobby/go/2db7fd19-2634-45be-ac85-af36ae8d2b36/downloads/Rabbit%20Cavy%20Additional%20Entries.pdf?ver=1575145794732>
2. \$10 registration fee per animal (cash or checks payable to IRCYLH)
3. CAVY registration paperwork should include two (2) color photos of each animal (side profiles [left and right] with exhibitor in photos). RABBIT registration paperwork should include three (3) color photos of each animal (two side profiles [left and right] with exhibitor in photos AND one photo of the rabbit ear tattoo).

Excerpted from pages 20-21 of the 2019-20 Rules Manual:

“QUALIFICATIONS: All rabbits and cavies will be qualified and judged according to ARBA standards. Rabbit and cavy must be purebred, recognized breeds, colors, and varieties as found in the ARBA Standard of Perfection in order to register for the breed show. Rabbit and Cavy that have disqualifications and/or do not meet ARBA show standards may be shown in the companion class but may not be shown in breed show classes. Breed show animals may not be shown in a companion class. All rabbits and cavies must be 8 weeks or older and have permanent identification in their left ear. Rabbit ear tattoos must be done prior to the registration deadline, Saturday, December 7th, 2019. For any cavy not already tagged, tags will be completed at a later date, close to the date of fair. Decisions of qualification will be made by the Rabbit & Cavy Project Director and IRCYLH Rules Committee Designee.

*DEADLINES: Individual completed and signed rabbit/cavy entry forms, IRCYLH Show & Auction project animal must be turned in by **11am on Saturday, December 7, 2019**. Additional rabbit/cavy entries may not be added or substituted after this date.*

*ENTRIES: All entries must be made on an official entry form that will be provided prior to the entry deadline. Incorrect or incomplete forms will be disqualified. Entry deadline is **11am on Saturday, December 7, 2019** during Registration and First Official Swine Weigh-in. Multiple Rabbit projects and multiple Cavy projects may be entered on the designated registration forms for each, however, the registration fees paid are per animal, not per species.*

TRANSPORTATION: Rabbit and cavy projects must be transported in appropriate pet carriers or cages. Any rabbit or cavy transported in a box, plastic bin, bag, or carried by hand will be rejected.

Rabbit and Cavy health will be reviewed by the Rabbit/Cavy Coordinator and IRCYLH Designee during: 1.)Fair entry/registration, December 7, 2019, 2.)Report Card/Handling Check, February 1, 2020, and 3.)Fair admittance, March 13, 2020. The IRCYLH Rabbit/Cavy Coordinator may also schedule a health check 7-14 days prior to fair admittance. ALL rabbit and cavy projects must be present for health and handling checks.

LIMITATIONS: Junior, Intermediate, and Senior exhibitors are permitted to register up to five (5) rabbit and five (5) cavy breed show projects. Companion class animals are limited to one (1) per exhibitor. Cloverbud exhibitors are permitted to enter one (1) rabbit or cavy project... ”

SHEEP: Breeding Sheep and Market Sheep projects are **NOT** required to be present at registration. Exhibitors registering sheep need:

1. Completed registration form; <https://img1.wsimg.com/blobby/go/2db7fd19-2634-45be-ac85-af36ae8d2b36/downloads/Sheep%20entry%20form%202019-20.pdf?ver=1575145794732>
2. \$10 registration fee per animal (cash or checks payable to IRCYLH)
3. Two color photos of each sheep (one of each side profile [left and right], exhibitor in photos)
4. A bill of sale to prove ownership or a lease form

Excerpted from page 32-33 of the 2019-20 Rules Manual:

*“BREED and CLASSES: Any breed of sheep may be shown. Sheep Classes will be as follows: Age for class assignments will be based on age of animal as of **March 13, 2019**. Divisions will be divided upon number of entries; sheep may be broken up by breed, but breeds may be combined simply by age according to number and types of entries. The Sheep Coordinator and IRCYLH Show Management will create classes upon final fair entry.*

Ewe- Hair Breed and AOB- All Other Wool Breed,

Ewe- Blackface Wool Breed and Ewe- Whiteface Wool Breed

Ram- Hair or Wool Breed, Ram- Hair or Wool Breed

i. 3 months up to 1 year

ii. 1 year up to 2 years

iii. 2 years up to 4 years

***Breeding Ewes and Lambs- Lambs must be under 4 months of age to show with ewe.*

*Market Lambs- All lambs must be born in 2019 and still carrying milk teeth at the time of weigh-in. Lambs showing either or both of the first pair of permanent incisors will not be eligible to show. Market Lambs will be weighed in at Official Fair Entry on **Friday, March 13, 2020**. There will be only one time across the scale, lambs will not be re-weighed. Market classes are open to Wool and Hair type Wethers and Ewes that have NOT lambed and have NOT been bred. Rams must be wethered BEFORE the initial weigh-in and tagging at Registration (during Swine Weigh-in), **Saturday, December 7, 2019**.*

*All entries must be made on official entry forms that are furnished by the Species Director. Registration deadline is by end of Swine Weigh-in on Saturday, **December 7, 2019**.*

*SHEEP/LAMB OWNERSHIP: A bill of sale to prove ownership or a lease agreement accompanied with a signed entry form and color photo (see above) must be turned in at IRCYLH Show and Auction Registration by **Saturday, December 7, 2019**.*

LIMITATIONS: No exhibitor will be permitted to register and exhibit more than one (1) sheep project in the show. Cloverbuds are permitted to enter/show one (1) sheep project.”

SWINE: Swine projects **MUST** be present at registration for official weigh-in and tagging. Exhibitors registering swine projects need:

1. Completed registration form; <https://img1.wsimg.com/blobby/go/2db7fd19-2634-45be-ac85-af36ae8d2b36/downloads/Swine%20Entry%20Form%202019-20.pdf?ver=1575145794732> and, if applicable, <https://img1.wsimg.com/blobby/go/2db7fd19-2634-45be-ac85-af36ae8d2b36/downloads/IRC%20BRED%20STEER-SWINE.pdf?ver=1575145794732>
2. \$10 registration fee (cash or checks payable to IRCYLH)
3. Two color photos (one of each side profile [left and right], exhibitor in photos)
4. A bill of sale to prove ownership or a lease form

Excerpted from page 15 of the 2019-20 Rules Manual:

*“SWINE OWNERSHIP: All exhibitors will own their swine by **Thursday, Nov. 28, 2019**. A bill of sale to prove ownership, completed and signed entry form, IRCYLH Show & Auction entry fee, and two color photos (of the standing pig’s left and right side profiles with exhibitor pictured) must be delivered by the conclusion of the first weigh-in on **Saturday, Dec. 7, 2019**.*

CASTRATION: Entries may show either a gilt or barrow. Male pigs must be castrated before the first weigh-in.
*MANDATORY WEIGH-INS: All pigs must be weighed and ear-tagged at the official weigh-in on **Saturday, Dec. 7, 2019** between 8:00 – 11:00 AM, with all pigs being on the fairgrounds property by 11:00 AM. It is recommended that the pigs weigh at least 50 pounds, but it is not mandatory. They will have one time only across the scales and that is the weight at which they will start. A bill of sale with name, address and telephone number of seller, (subject to verification to prove ownership) and a completed and signed entry form, IRCYLH Show & Auction entry fee, and two color photos (of the standing pig’s left and right side profiles with exhibitor pictured) must be turned in at the official weigh-in. Only one (1) animal per entry form. Incorrect forms will be disqualified.”*

