

CLS Breeding Swine Rules and Regulations

1. This division is subject to the general rules and regulations and to these division rules.
2. All breeding swine animals will be released immediately after the show.
3. No registration papers will be required at the time of check-in. Breeds will be shown by breed characteristics. No feral hogs will be allowed. The breeding Swine Committee will decide any doubt.
4. NO boars are allowed in the show.
5. Six ribbons will be awarded per class.
6. Gilts entered in the Market Swine Division may be double entered in the breeding swine division. A separate entry fee and form must be submitted with the age and breed of gilt for each division. **Entry fees are not refundable.**
7. Classes will be judged in the following order:
 - A. Gilts and Sows
 - B. Showmanship
8. Classes will be judged by the following five (5) divisions:

Division I	Duroc
Division II	Hampshire
Division III	Dark OPB
Division IV	Light OPB
Division V	Crossbreeds
9. Classes will be broken as deemed necessary by the Committee. Ribbons and prizes will be given, and first and second-place animals will be eligible for Breed Champion or Reserve Champion.
10. NO GROOMING AIDS - soap and water ONLY. Violation of the rule is DISQUALIFICATION.

CLASSES FOR ALL BREED DIVISIONS

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| Class 1 | Gilts under six months |
| Class 2 | Gilts six to twelve months |
| Class 3 | Sows over twelve months |

BREEDING SWINE FITTING AND SHOWMANSHIP CONTEST

1. This contest is open to all FFA members and 4-H members showing breeding swine.
2. There will be two age groups: Juniors – contestants under 14 years of age, and Seniors – contestants 14 years and older. Contestants will be grouped according to their age on the day of the show.
3. Fitting, grooming, and showmanship will be considered in selecting winners.
4. Exhibitors competing in this contest must have an animal entered in this division and must own the animal shown in the showmanship contest.
5. The judge of the Swine Show will select the winners of the contest.
6. First and second place in each age division will receive an award.

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CLASSIFICATION GUIDELINES FOR PUREBRED ANIMALS

DUROC – Red in color. (*INELIGIBLE ANIMALS* – animals with white feet or white hair located directly above the feet-white socks; with spots or white hair located anywhere on the remainder of the animal's body not mentioned previously; black spots larger than two inches in diameter located anywhere on the body; excessive dark or black pigment located anywhere on the body.)

HAMPSHIRE – Black in color with a white belt starting on a front leg. The belt may partially or totally encircle the body. (*INELIGIBLE ANIMALS* – animals with droopy, rounded ears; animals with white- streaking in the center of the face.)

LIGHT OPB – Chester Whites and Yorkshires. White in color. (*INELIGIBLE ANIMALS* – any hair other than white located on any part of the animal's body; non-white skin pigmentation larger than a silver dollar – one spot or combination of spots; masking around the forehead; lack breed characteristics.)

DARK OPB – Berkshire and Spotted Swine. The general color shall be black and white with points appearing on the nose, feet, and tail (any of these points may be missing or an occasional splash of white may appear on the body). (*INELIGIBLE ANIMALS* – any color present on the animal other than black and white; solid black from ears forward; animals having a combination of a black leg and black foot; or a complete belt formation around the one-third (1/3) front of the body reaching over the upper portion of the shoulder; Berkshires with round and heavy, drooped ears, or Spots with very erect ears.)

CROSSBREED – Any animal that does not fit into the classification above.