## **CLS Market Swine Division Rules & Regulations**

- 1. This division is subject to the CLS General Rules & Regulations and these Division Rules & Regulations.
- 2. All exhibitors must abide by all rules and regulations to be eligible to show.
- 3. Market Swine that did not make the premium auction or freezer sale must be removed from the swine barn starting after the judging is complete, but no later than time specified on Schedule of Important Dates & Deadlines.
- 4. Domestic pure breed or cross breed swine, barrow or gilt may be exhibited in the Market Swine show.
- 5. No feral swine will be allowed.
- 6. All market swine entries must be ear tagged in one ear at official tag-in at time specified on Schedule of Important Dates & Deadlines.
- 7. Market swine must have ear tag in ear when it comes to CLS Show weigh-in. If the swine loses tag, the exhibitor must immediately contact the Market Swine Committee Chairman. If the swine loses ear tag and comes to CLS Show weigh in without Market Swine Committee Chairman being notified, it will not be eligible to show.
- 8. Gilts entered in the Market Swine Division may be double entered in the Breeding Swine Division. A separate entry fee and entry form must be submitted for each division. Entry fees are not refundable.
- 9. Market swine will be weighed at the swine barn at specified time on Schedule of Important Dates & Deadlines. Qualifying weights are 200-300 pounds, with zero tolerance. All market swine will have one opportunity to go across the official scales; if animal does not make the weight, the animal will be (at exhibitor's request) backed off the scales, scales will be re-balanced, and animal will be re-weighed immediately. No weight tolerance will be allowed.
- 10. Market Swine that are sifted due to not making or exceeding weight limits will be required to load back up on the trailer and leave the premises immediately. The only exception will be for gilts entered in the breeding swine show, and then they must be removed immediately following the breeding swine show.
- 11. Under weight or over weight market swine are not eligible for the freezer auction.
- 12. Market hogs will be divided into the five following weight classes:
  - A. Light Weight
  - B. Medium Weight
  - C. Light heavy
  - D. Medium heavy
  - E. Heavy weight.
- 13. The first eight (8) swine placing in each class will sell at premium auction and will receive ribbons. Two alternates will be placed as well per class.
- 14. Non-sale swine will be released after judging and must be removed by time specified Schedule of Important Dates & Deadlines.

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- 15. A total of Forty (40) Market swine will make the premium auction. Judge will place Grand and Reserve Champion Market Swine. The balance of the sale order will be chosen from the swine placing of each class on a rotation system. All 1<sup>st</sup> place Market Swine will sell first; then 2<sup>nd</sup> place, etc. to 8<sup>th</sup> place until a total of 40 Market Swine are placed.
- 16. There will be no change of the major color pattern of the Market Swine by painting or dyeing. Any grooming material that allows color or oil to come off the animal will not be allowed to show. Only water will be permitted on the Market Swine.
- 17. Additional Market Swine Division Awards:
  - A. Highest-ranking In-County Bred Swine
    - 1. There will not be a separate show for Highest-ranking In-County Swine; it will be in conjunction with the Market Swine Show.
    - 2. To be eligible for this award exhibitor must have filled out an In-County Swine Affidavit at time of tag-in in January.
    - 3. This award will be presented at the Premium Auction Buyers Dinner.

No snaring in the barn.

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