

JUNIOR SWINE

Kim Pfeiffer, Department Chairman

RECEIVING

August 27, 2024 – 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM

OFFICIAL WEIGH-IN

August 27, 2024 – 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM

DEPARTMENTAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

- All animals must arrive in show condition.
- Water must always be available to hogs.
- Hogs are only to be washed in Wash Racks.
- 4-H and FFA Breeding classes will be judged together.
- Sows and Junior Yearling Pigs or older must have raised a litter of pigs to be eligible for entry.
- Gilts entered in the Market and Feeder Hog Divisions may not be entered in the Breeding Divisions or vice versa. Any violation of this rule will exclude the offending exhibitor from competition in all Departments of the Fair.
- Groups: All animals must be owned by one exhibitor. All animals in Group entries must be of one breed.
- Market Hogs must have half an inch **or more of hair**.
- Bred & Fed: Open to market hogs entered in the MCF Swine Show. This class is only for animals that were born, raised, and finished in Monterey County. Entries must show proof of being born, raised, and finished in Monterey County. Exhibitors need not own sire or dam of market animal but must show written proof or affidavit of purchase from a Monterey County producer stating where the hog was born and raised. FFA, 4-H, and Independents will show together, and animals judged must be MARKET READY to win class or place.
- Feeder Animals: All breeds will be judged together. Feeders are not eligible for sale at auction.
- Showmanship is Mandatory** for all Livestock Market Animal Exhibitors.
- Pre-entry for Bred & Fed is mandatory for anyone eligible and wishing to participate.
- Prop 12 Requirements:** Each hog exhibitor exhibiting at the 2024 Monterey County Fair is required to fill out and return a Prop 12 Form no later than August 1. Exhibitors can submit/upload this document with ShoWorks entries.
- Official uniform of the organization is required for all 4H and FFA Exhibitors while competing in all Divisions and while receiving awards during the 2024 Monterey County Fair.

Purebred Breeding Animal Awards

Champion Female – Premium & Ribbon

Reserve Champion Female – Premium & Ribbon

Commercial Gilt Awards

Champion Female – Premium & Ribbon

Reserve Champion Female – Premium & Ribbon

Supreme Champion Female – Banner

Reserve Supreme Champion Female – Banner

Market Hog Awards

Grand & Reserve Grand Champion –
Buckle & Banner

4-H and FFA Champion & Reserve Champion –
Award & Banner

Bred & Fed – Buckle & Banner

PREMIUMS OFFERED PER CLASS BREEDING CLASSES AND BRED & FED				
1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th
\$20	\$15	\$10	\$5	\$3

PREMIUMS OFFERED PER SHOWMANSHIP CLASS		
1 st	2 nd	3 rd
\$30.00	\$20.00	\$10.00

PUREBRED BREEDING ANIMALS

DIVISION 811 4-H & FFA SWINE – ALL BREEDS

CLASS:

BOARS

- 1) Fall Pig July 1, 2023 – Dec. 31, 2023
- 2) Jan., Feb., Mar. Pig Jan. 1, 2024 – March 31, 2024

SOWS/GILTS

- 3) Senior Yearling Aug. 1, 2022 – Dec. 31, 2022
- 4) Junior Yearling Jan. 1, 2023 – June 30, 2023
- 5) Fall Pig July 1, 2023 – Dec. 31, 2023
- 6) Jan., Feb., Mar. Pig Jan. 1, 2024 – Mar. 31, 2024

GROUPS

- 7) Young Herd:
One boar, three (3) sows
Not over Fall Pig Age
- 8) Get of Sire:
Four (4) animals, any age by same sire
- 9) Best Pair:
Either sex, January Pigs (Jan. 1– 31, 2024) or younger

COMMERCIAL GILTS

DIVISION 812 4-H & FFA SWINE – ALL BREEDS

CLASS:

- 1) Commercial Gilts

MARKET HOGS

DEPARTMENTAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

DIVISION 813 4-H MARKET HOGS

DIVISION 814 FFA MARKET HOGS

CLASS

- 1) Market Hog – 210 to 280 pounds

DIVISION 815 BRED & FED MARKET HOGS

CLASS

- 2) Bred & Fed Market Hog

SINGLE FEEDER PIGS

DIVISION 816 4-H FEEDER PIGS

DIVISION 817 FFA FEEDER PIGS

CLASS:

- 1) Feeder Pig – 150 - 209 pounds

SHOWMANSHIP

DIVISION 903 4-H SWINE SHOWMANSHIP

DIVISION 911 FFA SWINE SHOWMANSHIP

CLASS:

- 1) 4-H Novice
- 2) 4-H Junior
- 3) 4-H Senior
- 4) FFA Novice
- 5) FFA Senior

MASTER SHOWMANSHIP

The top two (2) winners of 4-H Senior and FFA Senior Showmanship for **SHEEP, SWINE, MARKET GOATS, and BEEF ONLY** may progress and compete in Master Showmanship competition. Top two (2) 4-H Senior and top two (2) FFA Senior showmen will show together; one Master Showman will be chosen.

▪ MASTER SHOWMAN AWARDS:

- 1st Place per Specie – Award & Ribbon