

LIVESTOCK DEPARTMENT

JUNIOR LIVESTOCK EXHIBITORS

Junior livestock exhibitors must attend the mandatory orientation meeting Tuesday, August 8 at 6:30 pm in the Whitney Pavilion.

JUNIOR LIVESTOCK AUCTION

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 13 AT 9 AM
TERMS & CONDITIONS**

The Junior Livestock Auction is sponsored and managed by the Nevada County Livestock Producers and the 17th District Agricultural Association.

All Fair rules, both state and local, shall apply to this sale. Exhibitors can show and sell only one market animal, with the exception of exhibitors participating in a small animal project (poultry or rabbit meat pens). These exhibitors may enter a small animal meat pen and one large animal market class. These exhibitors can only sell one project and must declare which animal they will be selling to the Livestock Office as soon as they finish showing their large animal. If the meat pen qualifies as Champion or Reserve Champion, they may not show their large animal in their market class. They will be allowed to show in the large animal showmanship class.

The Junior Livestock Auction is a terminal sale (including small animals). All animals sold at the Junior Livestock Auction, with the exception of small animals, will be sent to federally inspected meat processing plants under the direction of the Nevada County Fair Sale Committee. Small animals will be resale only. All Supreme Champions, Champions and Reserve Champions must sell. It is illegal to tamper with ear tags or sale identification.

Exhibitors of market animals are eligible to show and/or sell in only one county fair, during a calendar year, with the exception of the California State Fair. Exhibitor will be required to sign a certification that they have not sold a market animal at any other county fair (with the exception of the California State Fair) this year.

An exhibitor must be at least nine years of age by January 1st of the current year to sell an animal at the Junior Livestock Auction. For exhibitor age requirements, please refer to the state rules. The exhibitor and animal must be present at the auction and ready to sell when it is his or her turn. If an exhibitor is not present and ready when it is their turn, Fair management has the right to remove the animal from the JLA and, if removed, the animal must be sold resale at the published market price for that species to the harvesting facility designated by the Fairgrounds. Animals that are removed from the JLA for the above reason will not be permitted to leave the Fairgrounds except by the livestock transportation company contracted by the Fairgrounds. Fairgrounds management has the right to grant a variance for those animals that are determined to be unable to sell, due to injury or illness, by the official Fair veterinarian.

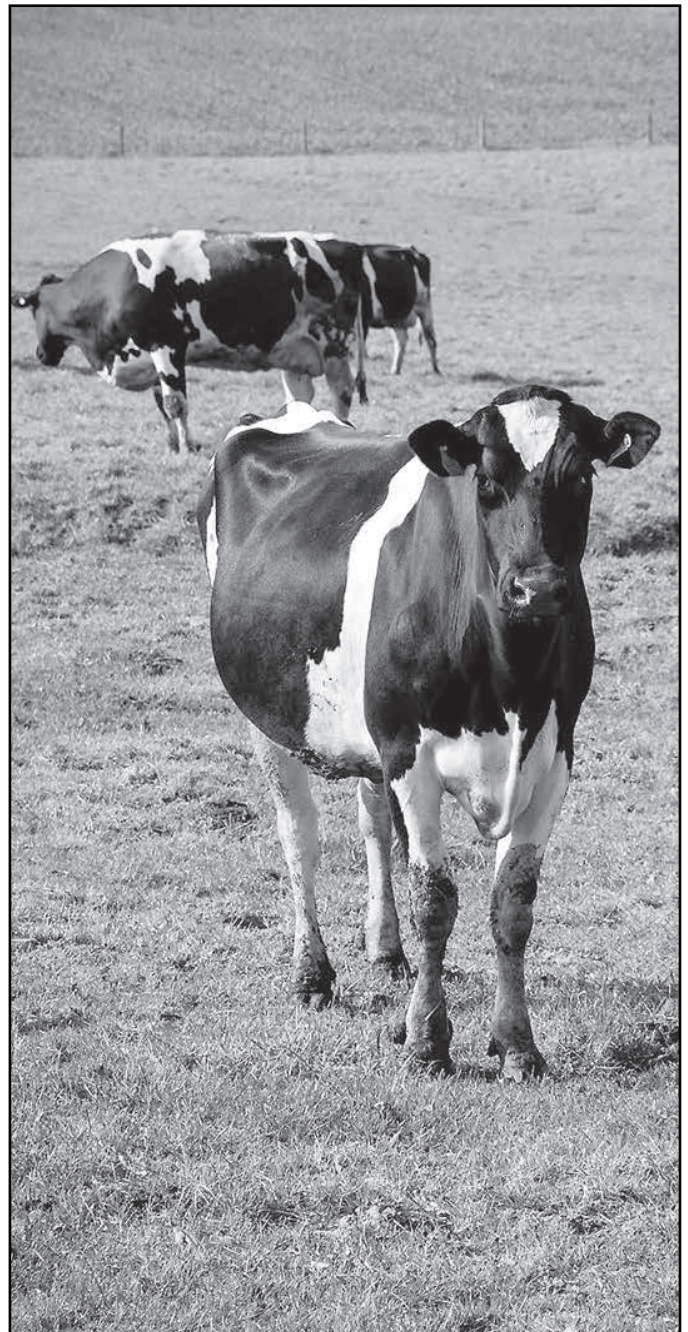
When the auctioneer says "SOLD" the animal is sold. However, the exhibitor is responsible for providing feed and water to the animal until it is loaded on the truck, as instructed by the Livestock Superintendent and/or Sale Committee.

Animals must meet weight requirements and be determined market ready by the judge in order to be eligible to sell. The Auctioneer has the final say on all bids. No private treaties are allowed.

A commission to be determined by the Nevada County Fair Board will be charged to promote and finance the sale.

All exhibitors selling in this JLA Auction MUST write thank-you letters to their respective buyers and any buyer who added a "bump" immediately after the Sale and prior to receipt of their check.

To view the State Rules for California Fairs, you may visit California Department of Food & Agriculture's website: cdfa.ca.gov/fe.



LIVESTOCK SHOW JUDGING SCHEDULE

Judging times may be changed to suit conditions and may vary according to the number of animals.

Species	Show Ring	Tuesday August 8	Wednesday August 9	Thursday August 10	Friday August 11	Saturday August 12	Sunday August 13	
Cattle								
Jr. Market Beef	B				8 am		JUNIOR LIVESTOCK AUCTION 9 am in the Magonigal Sale Ring at the Whitney Pavilion	
Jr. Beef Showmanship	B				**			
Jr. Beef Breeding	B				**			
Open Beef	B				**			
Feeder Pens	B				**			
Jr. Dairy Cattle	B				2 pm			
Jr. Dairy Showmanship	B				**			
Sr. Dairy Cattle	B				**			
Goats								
Jr. Pygmy Showmanship	G		11 am					
Jr. Pygmy Goats	G		**					
Jr. Market Goats	G		2 pm					
Jr. Boer / Market Showmanship	G		**					
Boer Goats	G		**					
Goat Costume Class	SW				4 pm			
Goat Obstacle Course	G			4 pm				
Jr. Dairy Showmanship	G				8 am			
Jr. Dairy Goats	G				**			
Open Dairy Goats	G				12 pm			
Horse								
Jr. Horse	HA					8 am		
Sheep								
Jr. Market Sheep	SH		8 am					
Jr. Showmanship	SH		**					
Jr. Breeding Sheep	SH		**					
Open Breeding	SH			8 am				
Swine								
Jr. Market Swine	SW			8 am				
Jr. Breeding Swine	SW			1 pm				
Jr. Showmanship	SW			**				
Fur & Feathers								
Rabbit & Poultry Divs 805-810	F	10 am					B -Beef Ring F -Fur & Feathers G -Goat Area HA -Horse Arena SET -Special Events Tent SH -Sheep Ring DP -Between Dance Pad & Gladis Way SW -Swine Area <i>** Indicates judging to follow completion of previous classes.</i>	
Youth & Adult Eggs	F		8 am					
Broiler Meat Pens & Turkeys	F		**					
Poultry Showmanship	F		**					
Junior Poultry	F		**					
Avian Bowl	SET		6 pm					
Rabbit Bowl	SET			6 pm				
Dog Showmanship	DP		5 pm					
Junior Rabbits/Showmanship	F	8 am						
Rabbit Meat Pen	F	8 am						
Chicken/Rabbit Costume Contest	SW				4 pm			
Master Showmanship								
Small Animal	B					1 pm		
Large Animal	B&SW					4 pm		

B-Beef Ring
F-Fur & Feathers
G-Goat Area
HA-Horse Arena
SET-Special Events Tent
SH-Sheep Ring
DP-Between Dance Pad & Gladis Way
SW-Swine Area

** Indicates judging to follow completion of previous classes.

BEEF CATTLE

BEEF CATTLE OPEN

Entry Forms Due By: Friday, July 7 by 4 pm

Receiving: Tuesday, August 8 until 8 pm

Judging: Friday, August 11 following the Junior Beef Show

Release: Sunday, August 13 at 8 pm

Entry Fee: \$10 per entry per class

Limits: Two animals per class per exhibitor.

- Limited to space available. Entry preference will be given to Nevada County exhibitors, followed by Placer, Sierra, Yuba and all other California counties.
- All females twenty-four (24) months of age or older on the beginning day of the Fair must: a) have a calf at side, b) show obvious signs of pregnancy, or c) have a veterinarian's certificate of pregnancy.
- Cow entered in Cow/Calf class may not be entered in the heifer classes.
- No more than one day's bedding and feed will be allowed in the barns due to the limited space and regulations enforced by the Office of the State Fire Marshal.
- The Livestock Superintendent may, at their discretion, combine divisions and/or classes if less than three animals are entered in a class.

REGISTERED BREEDING BEEF CATTLE

Premiums Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
\$100	\$70	\$50	\$40	\$30

Division 400 - Breed with the Most Entries

Division 401 - Breed with the 2nd Most Entries

Division 402 - All Other Registered Breeds

NOTE: Fair Staff will determine the specific breed for each division after all entries have been received. Please use Division 400 when completing your entry.

Class - Females	Date of Calving
1. Junior Heifer Calf	January 1, 2023 - April 10, 2023
2. Senior Heifer Calf	September 1 - December 31, 2022
3. Summer Yearling - Heifer	May 1 - August 31, 2022
4. Junior Yearling - Heifer	January 1 - April 30, 2022
5. Senior Yearling - Heifer	March 1 - December 31, 2021
6. Cow/Calf*	Calf born in 2023

*Any cow of recognized breed with calf at side born on or after January 1, 2022. Calf must be cow's natural calf, not an embryo transplant. Must be eligible for registration. It is recommended that the judge give the calf approximately 25% consideration when placing the class. Note: Breed Champions of Cow/Calf will come back into the ring to compete for Grand Champion Cow/Calf against the Commercial Cow/Calf Champion.

Class - Bulls	Date of Calving
7. Junior Bull Calf	January 1, 2022 - April 10, 2023

8. Senior Bull Calf.....September 1 - December 31, 2022
9. Summer Yearling Bull May 1 - August 31, 2022
10. Junior Yearling Bull.....January 1 - April 30, 2022
11. Senior Yearling Bull March 1 - December 31, 2021

Class - Groups

All owned by one exhibitor and entered as individuals.

12. Pair of Females - Two bred by exhibitor
13. Three Bulls
14. Junior Get of Sire - Three animals, summer yearling or younger, get of same bull, both sexes represented.
15. Get of Sire - Four animals, get of same bull, both sexes represented.

FEEDER PENS, REPLACEMENT HEIFER PENS & COMMERCIAL COW/CALF

Judging - Friday, August 11 following Open Beef Show. *All breeds judged together.*

Entry Fee: \$10 per entry per class

Limits: Two entries per class per exhibitor.

- The Fair may limit exhibitors to one entry per class in the "pen" divisions should entry counts exceed the number of pens available.
- Replacement heifer and Commercial Cow/Calf classes are for commercial cattle only.
- No registered cattle permitted.
- A Bill of Sale, or letter documenting that the animal(s) were home-raised, must be submitted at check-in.
- By entering these divisions, the exhibitor certifies that the sire of each animal entered in the following class for grade animals was either registered or purebred.

Premiums Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
\$100	\$70	\$50	\$40	\$30

Division 403 - Feeder Pen (Pen of 3)

Feeder steer class is for crosses or fullbloods with no registration papers. All animals must be dehorned and branded, cleaned, but not groomed. All animals must be owned by exhibitor. Brand inspection required.

CLASS

1. Three steers (averaging 400 - 700 pounds)

Division 404 - Replacement Heifer Pens (Pen of 3)

CLASS

1. Heifers

Division 405 - Commercial Cow/Calf

CLASS

1. Commercial Cow/Calf



COW & CALF COSTUME CLASS
FRIDAY, AUGUST 11

FOLLOWING THE CONCLUSION OF THE
CHAMPION DRIVE OF THE OPEN BEEF SHOW

BEEF CATTLE

BEEF CATTLE/YOUTH

Entry Forms Due By: Friday, July 7 by 4 pm

Receiving: Tuesday, August 8 until 8 pm

Judging: Friday, August 11 after Junior Beef Showmanship

Release: Sunday, August 13 at 8 pm

Entry Fee: \$5 per entry per class

Limits: Two animals per class per exhibitor.

- Limited to space available. Entry preference will be given to Nevada County exhibitors, followed by Placer, Sierra, Yuba and all other California counties.
- Females: all females 24 (twenty-four) months of age or older at the beginning day of the Fair must: a) have a calf at side, b) show obvious signs of pregnancy, or c) have a veterinarian's certificate of pregnancy.
- Cow entered in Cow/Calf Class may not be entered in the Heifer Classes.
- A permanent ear tag or number is required.

BEEF/YOUTH REGISTERED BREEDING CATTLE

Premiums Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
\$50	\$35	\$25	\$20	\$15

Division 410 - Breed with the Most Entries

Division 411 - Breed with the 2nd-Most Entries

Division 412 - All Other Registered Breeds

NOTE: Fair Staff will determine the specific breed for each division after all entries have been received. For the purpose of completing your entries, please use Division 410.

Class - Females

Date of Calving

1. Junior Heifer Calf January 1, 2023 - April 10, 2023
2. Senior Heifer Calf September 1 - December 31, 2022
3. Summer Yearling - Heifer May 1 - August 31, 2022
4. Junior Yearling - Heifer January 1 - April 30, 2022
5. Senior Yearling - Heifer March 1 - December 31, 2021
6. Cow/Calf* Calf born in 2023

**Any cow of recognized breed with calf at side born on or after January 1, 2023. Calf must be cow's natural calf, not an embryo transplant. Must be eligible for registration. It is recommended that the judge give the calf approximately 25% consideration when placing the class. Note: Breed Champions of Cow/Calf will come back into the ring to compete for Grand Champion Cow/Calf against the Grade Cow/Calf winner.*

Class - Bulls Date of Calving

7. Junior Bull Calf January 1, 2022 - April 10, 2023
8. Senior Bull Calf September 1 - December 31, 2022
9. Summer Yearling Bull May 1 - August 31, 2022
10. Junior Yearling Bull January 1 - April 30, 2022
11. Senior Yearling Bull March 1 - December 31, 2019

Class - Groups

12. Pair of Females - bred by exhibitor

GRADE OR UNREGISTERED ANIMALS BY PUREBRED SIRE

Limits: Two animals per class per exhibitor.

- Animals which have been registered as a purebred by a purebred breed association cannot be entered in this division.
- Animals entered in the following classes may not be entered in any other class of the Beef Cattle Divisions.
- By entering these divisions, exhibitor certifies that the sire of each animal entered in the following division for grade animals was either registered or purebred.
- A Bill of Sale, or letter documenting that the animal was home-raised, must be submitted at time of check-in as proof of ownership.
- A permanent ear tag or tattoo number is required.

Premiums Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
\$30	\$25	\$20	\$15	\$10

Division 413 - Grade or Unregistered Female

Class - Females

Date of Calving

1. Junior Heifer Calf January 1, 2023 - April 10, 2023
2. Senior Heifer Calf September 1 - December 31, 2022
3. Summer Yearling Heifer May 1 - August 31, 2022
4. Junior Yearling Heifer January 1 - April 30, 2022
5. Senior Yearling Heifer March 1 - December 31, 2021
6. Cow/Calf Calf born in 2023*

**Winner to compete for Grand Champion Cow/Calf*

Calf must be cow's natural calf and at side, born on or after January 1 2023. Judge will give the calf approximately 25% of consideration when placing the class.

SINGLE FEEDER BEEF

Entry Fee - \$5 per entry per class

Limits: Two animals per exhibitor

Premiums Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
\$30	\$25	\$20	\$15	\$10

Division 414 - Single Feeder Beef

CLASSES

1. Feeder steer - 300-500 pounds
2. Feeder steer - 501-900 pounds



BEEF CATTLE

MARKET BEEF

2022 SUPREME CHAMPION

Exhibitor: Rylee Prechter
Buyer: Bill Slade & Sons Trucking

2022 RESERVE SUPREME CHAMPION

Exhibitor: Arden Franks
Buyer: DC Tile

Entry Forms Due By: Friday, April 7 by 4 pm

Official Weigh In: Tuesday, August 8 from 11 am - 12 pm

Non-show market animals MUST be removed from the Fairgrounds by 8 pm Tuesday, August 8.

Judging - Friday, August 11 at 8 am

Entry Fee: \$17 per entry per class

Limits: Open to Nevada County only. Exhibitors can show and sell only one market animal. Exhibitor may not have sold a market animal at any other county fair this year.

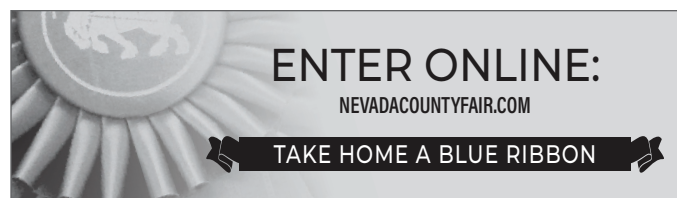
- Market-ready and not-market-ready classifications will be subject to change in the event there are changes made in Federal grading.
- Market beef will weigh a minimum of 1000 pounds and may be divided into weight classes as determined by management for convenience in judging.
- Any market beef weighing over 1400 pounds will not be "sifted" from the Livestock Auction, but will not be paid for over 1400 pounds.
- All market beef must be individually owned by the exhibitor for 120 consecutive days prior to the opening day of the Fair. Bill of sale or proof of ownership and photo of the exhibitor with their market beef must be submitted with entry.
- Danish System of Judging.
- Market-Ready: Market beef projected to have sufficient fat deposition to meet the marbling specifications for USDA Prime, Choice, or Select+ quality grades.
- Not-Market-Ready: Market beef lacking evidence of sufficient fat deposition to produce a desirable consumer product. Beef projected to grade USDA select or lower. Not eligible to sell in auction.

Division 420 - FFA Single Market Beef

Division 421 - 4-H/Grange Single Market Beef

CLASS

1. Market beef, minimum weight 1000 pounds.



BEEF SHOWMANSHIP

Entries Due By: Friday, July 7 by 4 pm

Judging - Friday, August 11 following the Bred & Fed Show

Entry Fee: Novice & Junior: No Entry Fee • Seniors: \$5

Limits:

- First place Senior Showmanship will compete Saturday, August 12 in Master Showmanship.
- Exhibitors who have previously won Junior Showmanship **must** enter Senior Showmanship.
- See page 78 for Showmanship class definitions.

Novice & Junior Showmanship

Ribbons Only - 1st through 8th Place

Senior Showmanship - Premiums Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th
\$60	\$54	\$48	\$42	\$36	\$30	\$24	\$18

Division 422 - FFA Beef Showmanship

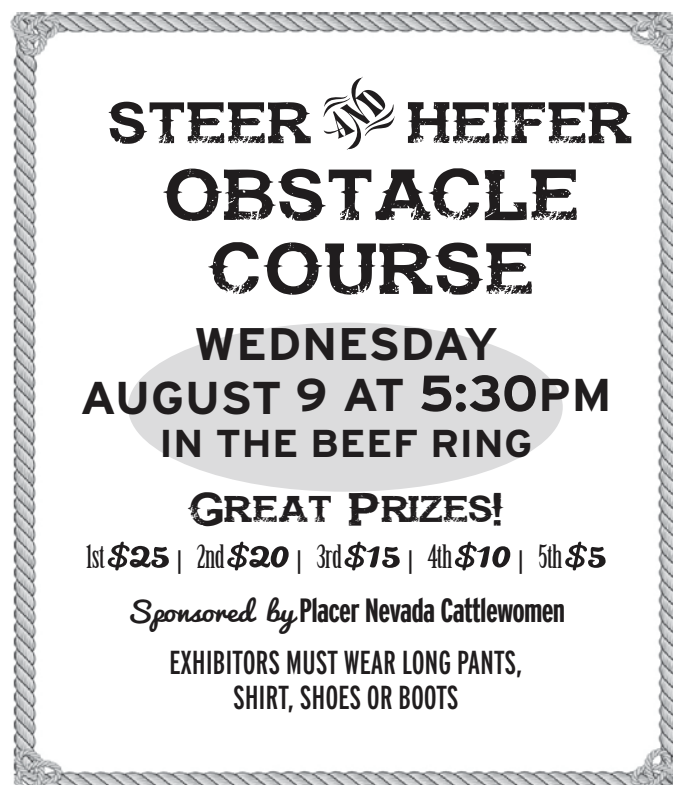
CLASSES

1. Novice
2. Senior

Division 423 - 4-H/Grange Beef Showmanship

CLASSES

1. Novice
2. Junior
3. Senior



BEEF CATTLE

NEVADA COUNTY BRED & FED MARKET BEEF

Entry Fee: \$5 per entry

Limits:

- Market steers which have been bred within Nevada County and fed by an FFA, 4-H or Independent exhibitor qualify.
- Steers not bred within Nevada County do not qualify regardless of where or from whom they were purchased.
- Only steers shown in a market class and eligible for the Junior Livestock Auction qualify.
- Class breaks, if necessary, will be determined by the livestock superintendent and Fair Management.
- Copy of Bill of Sale must accompany entry and must verify that animal was bred in Nevada County. If animal was raised by the exhibitor, a letter stating this will take the place of the Bill of Sale.
- At judge's discretion, the judge may select the winner(s) without having all animals return to the show ring.

Division 424 - Bred & Fed

CLASS

1. Nevada County Bred & Fed

OWNED & BRED BY MARKET BEEF

A prize of \$50 for Champion and \$35 for Reserve Champion will be awarded to the Junior exhibitor whose Champion or Reserve Champion market animal was also bred by the exhibitor. Exhibitor must sign up at time of entry to be eligible for this award. This class does not show.

Division 425 - Beef, Owned & Bred By

CLASS

1. Beef, Owned and Bred By



Photo by Kial James

BEEF CATTLE AWARDS

Open Breeding Animals, Divisions 400-405

ROSETTE AWARDS:

Best Feeder Pen
Supreme Champion Bull
Champion Bull
Reserve Champion Bull
Supreme Champion Female
Champion Female
Reserve Champion Female
Champion Cow/Calf
Reserve Champion Cow/Calf
Best Feeder Pen
Reserve Feeder Pen
Best Replacement Heifer Pen
Reserve Replacement Heifer Pen
Champion Commercial Cow/Calf
Reserve Champion Commercial Cow/Calf
Grand Champion Cow/Calf

Youth Breeding Animals, Divisions 410-414

Supreme Champion Female

Buckle Sponsored by Sierra Oaks Veterinary Services
Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
Plaque Sponsored by Vassar Ranch
Rosette

Supreme Champion Bull

Buckle Sponsored by Nevada County Fence
Plaque Sponsored by Nevada County Fence
Rosette

Grand Champion Cow/Calf

Buckle Sponsored by Tim Reid & Caitlin Oats Cattle Co.
Plaque Sponsored by Mullen Livestock
Rosette

ROSETTE AWARDS:

Champion Female
Reserve Champion Female
Champion Bull
Reserve Champion Bull
Champion Cow/Calf Rosette
Reserve Champion Cow/Calf
Champion Grade Cow/Calf
Reserve Champion Grade Cow/Calf
Champion Grade Female
Reserve Champion Grade Female
Champion Feeder Steer

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BEEF CATTLE AWARDS

Youth Market Beef, Divisions 420-425

Supreme Champion Market Steer

Buckle Sponsored by Mullen Livestock
Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
Plaque Sponsored by Mullen Livestock
Rosette

Reserve Supreme Champion Market Steer

Buckle Sponsored by Prechter Livestock
Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
Plaque Sponsored by Bakwrd CP Farm
Rosette

FFA Champion Market Steer

Buckle Sponsored by Sue & Bob Hoek/Robinson Ranch
Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
Plaque Sponsored by Broken Arrow Custom Apparel
Rosette

FFA Reserve Champion Market Steer

Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
Plaque Sponsored by Dipper Valley Ranch
Rosette

4-H Champion Market Steer

Buckle Sponsored by Bakwrd CP Farm
Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
Plaque Sponsored by Mullen Livestock
Rosette

4-H Reserve Champion Market Steer

Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
Plaque Sponsored by Infinity Cattle
Rosette

Nevada County Bred & Fed Champion

Buckle Sponsored by Tahoe Cattlemen's Association
Rosette

Best FFA Chapter Group of Steers

Plaque Sponsored by Vassar Ranch

Best 4-H Club Group of Steers

Plaque Sponsored by Vassar Ranch

Best County Group of Steers

Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation

Outstanding Beef Exhibit Award

\$50 Sponsored by Nevada County Fence

FFA Novice Beef Showmanship

Plaque Sponsored by Nevada County Fence

FFA Senior Beef Showmanship

Buckle Sponsored by Tim Reid & Caitlin Oats Cattle Co.
Plaque Sponsored by Tim Reid & Caitlin Oats Cattle Co.

4-H Novice Beef Showmanship

Plaque Sponsored by Back to Basics Farm

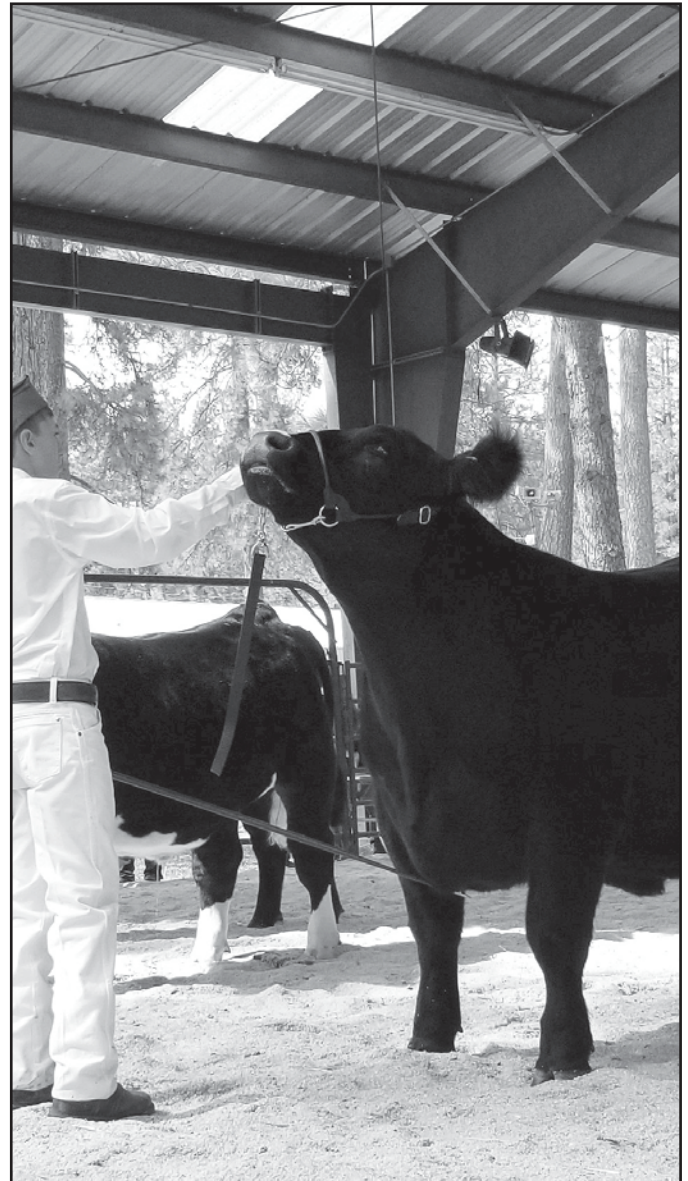
4-H Junior Beef Showmanship

Plaque Sponsored by Moyer's Electric & Well Pump Service

4-H Senior Beef Showmanship

Buckle Sponsored by Sue & Bob Hoek/Robinson Ranch
Plaque Sponsored by Mullen Livestock

Rosettes 1st-8th Place in all Showmanship Classes



DAIRY CATTLE

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Entry Forms Due By: Friday, July 7 by 4 pm

Receiving - Tuesday, August 8, until 8 pm

Judging - Friday, August 11 after the Junior Dairy Cattle Show

Release - Sunday, August 13 at 8 pm

Entry Fee: \$10 per entry per class

Limits: Two animals per class per exhibitor. Limited to space available. Entry preference will be given to Nevada County exhibitors, followed by Placer, Sierra, Yuba and all other California counties.

Dairy Cattle Health Rules

All dairy female cattle more than six (6) months of age must bear evidence of official calvhoo vaccination against brucellosis with a legible, official tattoo visible in the right ear.

Owners of purebred registered cattle without brucellosis tattoos must present documentation certifying brucellosis vaccination, or written documents showing that the animal has an exemption from AHFSS, CDFA.

REGISTERED PUREBRED DAIRY CATTLE

Premiums Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
\$100	\$70	\$50	\$40	\$30

Division 450 - Registered Purebred Dairy Cattle

CLASSES

DATE OF CALVING

1. CalfSeptember 1, 2022 - April 10, 2023
2. Junior YearlingMarch 1 - August 31, 2022
3. Senior Yearling.....September 1, 2021 - February 28, 2022
4. CowPrior to September 1, 2021

CLASS - GROUP

5. Pair of females

GRADE OR UNREGISTERED DAIRY CATTLE

Division 451 - Grade or Unregistered Dairy Cattle

All grade animal entries must present a Bill of Sale or letter stating the animal was home-raised at check-in to demonstrate proof of ownership.

CLASSES

DATE OF CALVING

1. CalfSeptember 1, 2022 - April 10, 2023
2. Junior YearlingMarch 1 - August 31, 2022
3. Senior Yearling.....September 1, 2020 - February 28, 2022
4. CowPrior to September 1, 2021

CLASS - GROUP

5. Pair of Females

DAIRY CATTLE/YOUTH REGISTERED PUREBRED ANIMALS

Entry Forms Due By: Friday, July 7 by 4 pm

Receiving - Tuesday, August 8, 8 am - 8 pm

Judging - Friday, August 11 after the Junior Dairy Cattle Show

Release - Sunday, August 13 at 8 pm

Entry Fee: \$5 per entry per class

Limits: Nevada County Residents Only. Two animals per class per exhibitor.

Dairy Cattle Health Rules

All dairy female cattle more than six (6) months of age must bear evidence of official calvhoo vaccination against brucellosis with a legible, official tattoo visible in the right ear.

Owners of purebred registered cattle without brucellosis tattoos must present documentation certifying brucellosis vaccination, or written documents showing that the animal has an exemption from AHFSS, CDFA.

Premiums Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
\$50	\$35	\$25	\$20	\$15

Division 460 - Registered Purebred Animals

CLASSES

DATE OF CALVING

1. CalfSeptember 1, 2022-April 10, 2023
2. Junior YearlingMarch 1, 2021-August 31, 2021
3. Senior YearlingSeptember 1, 2021-February 28, 2022
4. CowPrior to September 1, 2021

CLASS - GROUP

5. Pair of Females



DAIRY CATTLE

YOUTH GRADE OR UNREGISTERED

All grade animal entries must present a Bill of Sale or letter stating the animal was home-raised to show proof of ownership at check-in.

Entry Fee: \$5 per entry per class

Limits: Two animals per class per exhibitor.

Premiums Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
\$30	\$25	\$20	\$15	\$10

Division 461 - Grade or Unregistered Purebred Animals by Registered Sire

Classes

Date of Calving

1. Calf.....September 1, 2022 - April 10, 2023
2. Junior Yearling.....March 1, 2021 - August 31, 2022
3. Senior Yearling.....September 1, 2020 - February 28, 2022
4. Cow.....Prior to September 1, 2021

CLASS - GROUP

5. Pair of Females

YOUTH DAIRY CATTLE SHOWMANSHIP

Entry Forms Due By: Friday, July 7

Judging: Friday, August 11, following the Junior Dairy Cattle Breeding Show

Entry Fee: Novice & Junior: No Entry Fee • Seniors: \$5

1. First Place Senior Showmanship will compete Saturday, August 12 in Master Showmanship.
2. See page 78 for Showmanship class definitions.

Novice & Junior Showmanship

Ribbons Only - 1st through 8th Place

Senior Showmanship - Premiums Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th
\$60	\$54	\$48	\$42	\$36	\$30	\$24	\$18

Division 462 - FFA Dairy Cattle Showmanship

CLASSES

1. Novice
2. Senior

Division 463 - 4-H/Grange Dairy Cattle Showmanship

CLASSES

1. Novice
2. Junior
3. Senior

DAIRY CATTLE AWARDS

Open Dairy Breeding Animals, Division 450-451

ROSETTE AWARDS:

Champion Female

Reserve Champion Female

YOUTH DAIRY CATTLE AWARDS

Youth Dairy Breeding Animals, Division 460-463

ROSETTE AWARDS:

Champion Female

Reserve Champion Female

Supreme Champion Female

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FFA Novice Dairy Cattle Showmanship

Plaque Sponsored by Precision Land Clearing

FFA Senior Dairy Cattle Showmanship

Buckle Sponsored by Showtime Awards, Kyra Evans

Plaque Sponsored by Lisa Jarvis Photography

4-H Novice Dairy Cattle Showmanship

Plaque Sponsored by Triple M Towing

4-H Junior Dairy Cattle Showmanship

Plaque Sponsored by Triple M Towing

4-H Senior Dairy Cattle Showmanship

Buckle Sponsored by Emigrant Springs Horsemanship:

Felicia Tracy

Plaque Sponsored by Precision Land Clearing

Rosettes 1st - 8th Place in all Showmanship Classes



ENTER ONLINE: NEVADACOUNTYFAIR.COM

GOATS

DAIRY GOATS OPEN

Entry Forms Due By: Friday, July 7 by 4 pm

Receiving: Tuesday, August 8, until 8 pm

Judging: Friday, August 11 at 12 noon

Release: Sunday, August 13 at 8 pm

Entry Fee: \$5 per entry per class

Limits: 10 does per exhibitor. Limited to space available. No more than two entries per class.

- This is a combined senior and junior doe show sanctioned by the American Dairy Goat Association.
- All goats must be registered with ADGA or AGS.
- ADGA rules shall prevail.
- All herds are recommended to be in place before dark.
- All goats must be show-clipped, including hooves.
- Specific conditions that are cause for being turned away, include, but not limited to: footrot, soremouth, viral pneumonia, ringworm, abscesses-soft, balding or draining, pinkeye, contagious skin eruptions, pasturella, diarrhea.
- Does with unsightly or swollen joints shall not be allowed on the grounds and will be dismissed at the discretion of management.
- The Fair will not accept goats from Scrapie "non-compliant" flocks or animals that are Scrapie-positive or Scrapie suspects.
- No pasteurizers will be allowed in the goat area.
- No pre-show milkout. Over distended udders will be discriminated against.
- Only goats entered in the show will be allowed on the grounds, no exceptions.
- Do not tie goats to trees.

Premiums Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
\$30	\$28	\$24	\$22	\$20

Division 500 - Alpine

Division 501 - Nigerian Dwarf

Division 502 - Nubian

Division 503 - Oberhasli



Division 504 - All Other Breeds

Classes

Date of Birth

1. Junior Kid After April 1, 2023
2. Intermediate Kid March 2023
3. Senior Kid January or February, 2023
4. Yearling (not in milk) 2021
5. Yearling Milker 2022
6. Two Year 2021
7. Three Years 2020
8. Four Years 2019
9. Five Years & Over 2018 or earlier

CLASSES - Groups

Limits: Two entries per class per exhibitor. All owned by one exhibitor and entered as individuals.

10. Get of Sire - Three does sired by same buck, at least one to be a yearling or older in milk.
11. Produce of Dam- Two daughters from same dam.
12. Dam & Daughter-Daughter to be bred by exhibitor.

Limit: One entry per class per exhibitor.

13. Best Three Females

DAIRY GOATS/YOUTH REGISTERED PUREBRED BREEDING ANIMALS

Entry Forms Due By: Friday, July 7 by 4 pm

Receiving: Tuesday, August 8, until 8 pm

Judging: Friday, August 11 at 8 am, following Dairy Goat Showmanship

Release: Sunday, August 13 at 8 pm

Entry Fee: \$5 per entry per class

Limits: Two animals per class per exhibitor. Nevada County Residents Only. All purebred registered breeds are eligible. Only does will be accepted. The order of the show is not subject to change.

- No pre-show milkout. Over-distended udders will be discriminated against.
- All goats must be show-clipped, including hooves.
- This is combined senior and junior doe show sanctioned by the American Dairy Goat Association.
- All goats must be registered with ADGA or AGS.
- The Fair will not accept goats from Scrapie "non-compliant" flocks or animals that are Scrapie-positive or Scrapie suspects.
- Only goats entered in the show will be allowed on grounds, no exceptions.

Premiums Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
\$30	\$28	\$24	\$22	\$20

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GOATS

Division 510 - Nigerian Dwarf

Division 511 - Lamancha

Division 512 - All Other Breeds

Classes	Date of Birth
1. Junior Kid	After April 1, 2023
2. Intermediate Kid	March 2023
3. Senior Kid	January or February, 2023
4. Yearling (not in milk)	2021
5. Yearling Milker	2022
6. Two Year	2021
7. Three Years	2020
8. Four Years	2019
9. Five Years & Over	2018 or earlier

CLASSES - Groups

Limits: One entry per class per exhibitor. All owned by one exhibitor and entered as individuals.

Premiums Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
\$30	\$28	\$24	\$22	\$20

10. Get of Sire - Three does sired by same buck, at least one to be a yearling or older in milk
11. Three best females
12. Produce of Dam- Two daughters from same dam
13. Dam and Daughter (milking daughter will have a distinct advantage. It is not necessary that the daughter be a milker)

DAIRY GOAT SHOWMANSHIP

Entries Due By: Friday, July 7 by 4 pm

Judging: Friday, August 11 at 8 am

Entry Fee: Novice & Junior - No entry fee • Seniors \$5

Limits:

- First place Senior Showmanship will compete on Saturday, August 12 in Master Showmanship.
- See page 78 for showmanship class definitions.

Novice & Junior Showmanship

Ribbons Only - 1st through 8th Place

Senior Showmanship - Premiums Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th
\$60	\$54	\$48	\$42	\$36	\$30	\$24	\$18

Division 513 - FFA Dairy Goat Showmanship

CLASSES

1. Novice
2. Senior

Division 514 - 4-H/Grange

CLASSES

1. Novice
2. Junior
3. Senior

YOUTH PYGMY GOATS / WETHERS & DOES

Entry Forms Due By: Friday, July 7 by 4 pm

Receiving: Tuesday, August 8, until 8 pm

Judging: Wednesday, August 9 at 11 am following
Pygmy Goat Showmanship

Release: Sunday, August 13 at 8 pm

Entry Fee: \$5 per entry per class

Limits:

Nevada County residents only, five years of age and above. No more than two entries per class.

- Pygmy goats shall be disbudded, dehorned or polled animals only.
- Must be tattooed or microchipped. Exhibitor must provide a scanner for the microchip.
- All pygmy goats must be registered with NPGA in individual exhibitor's name.
- This show is sanctioned by the National Pygmy Goat Association.
- NPGA rules to govern and take precedence over all others.
- American Judging System.

Premiums Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
\$15	\$14	\$12	\$10	\$5

Division 520 - Pygmy Goats

Classes

Date of Birth

1. Late Junior Wether Kid After May 8, 2023
2. Early Junior Wether Kid February 9, 2022 - May 8, 2023
3. Intermediate Wether August 12, 2021 - February 8, 2022
4. Senior Wether Before August 11, 2021
5. Junior Doe Kid After April 8 2023
6. Intermediate Doe Kid January 9, 2023 - April 8, 2023
7. Senior Doe Kid August 9, 2022 - January 8, 2023
8. Junior Doe Yearling February 9, 2022 - August 12, 2022
9. Senior Doe Yearling August 11, 2021 - February 11, 2022

The judge will select a Junior Champion Doe from the first place winners of the above doe classes.

10. Freshened Yearling Doe ... August 12, 2021 - August 12, 2022
(has kidded)
11. Two Year Old Doe August 12, 2020- August 12, 2021
12. Three Year Old Doe August 12, 2019 - August 12, 2020
13. Four Years & Older Doe Prior to August 12, 2019

The judge will select a Senior Champion Doe from the first place winners of classes 10-13. The judge will then select a Grand Champion from the Junior Champion and Senior Champion Does.

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GOATS

PYGMY GOAT SHOWMANSHIP

Entry Forms Due By: Friday, July 7 by 4 pm

Judging: Wednesday, August 9 at 11 am

Pee Wee Showmanship: Exhibitors 5 to 8 yrs on Jan. 1, 2023.

Entry Fee: PeeWee, Novice & Junior - No entry fee • Seniors - \$5

Limits:

- First place Senior Showmanship will compete Saturday, August 12 in Small Animal Master Showmanship.
- See page 78 for showmanship class definitions.
- Animals must be owned by exhibitor and entered by the exhibitor in an appropriate market, breeding or performance class.
- Preparation for showing must have been done by owner.
- Note: Novice and Junior Showmanship judges may help members improve showmanship techniques while judging and will demonstrate proper procedures.
- A large class may be divided into smaller groups for ease of handling and judging and to provide the maximum benefits of this learning experience for the Novice and Junior Showmen.

Pee Wee, Novice & Junior Showmanship

Ribbons Only - 1st through 8th Place

Senior Showmanship - Premiums Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th
\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6

Division 521 - Pygmy Goat Showmanship

CLASSES

1. Pee Wee
2. Novice
3. Junior
4. Senior

BOER GOATS/YOUTH

Entry Forms Due By: Friday, July 7 by 4 pm

Receiving: Tuesday, August 8, until 8 pm

Judging: Wednesday, August 9, follows Market Goat Show

Release: Sunday, August 13 at 8 pm

Entry Fee: \$5 per entry per class

Limits: Two animals per class per exhibitor.

- Limited to space available. Entry preference will be given to Nevada County exhibitors, followed by Placer, Sierra, Yuba and all other California counties.
- All Purebreds must be registered with papers.
- Legible tattoo is required. Illegible tattoo may result in disqualification. No tattooing on the Fairgrounds.
- All animals must be registered purebred, fullblood or percentage blood Boer Goats. Percentage doe classes are 50%-88% Boer; Fullblood/purebred classes are for does that are 93.75% and higher.

- Grade, crossbred and unregistered purebred grade goat to be judged strictly on grade-goat basis.
- A permanent ear tag or tattoo number is required.
- Animals which have been registered by a purebred breed association cannot be entered in this division.
- Wether Dam Champion and Registered Breed Champions will compete for supreme champion.
- The Fair will not accept goats from Scrapie "Non-compliant" flocks or Scrapie-positive or Scrapie suspect animals.
- A Bill of Sale or letter documenting the animal was home-raised must be submitted at check-in as proof of ownership.
- Stamped application of registration are acceptable on animals less than three months of age.
- The Fair will not accept goats from Scrapie "non-compliant" flocks, or Scrapie-positive or Scrapie suspect animals.

Boer Goats Premiums Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
\$30	\$28	\$24	\$22	\$20

Division 530-Percentage Does

Division 531-Fullblood/Purebred Does

Classes

Date of Birth

1. Doe Kids (0 to under 3 mo)May 12, 2023 - August 2023
2. Doe Kids (3 to under 6 mo)Feb 12, 2023 - May 11, 2023
3. Doe Kids (6 to under 9 mo)Nov 12, 2022 - Feb 11, 2023
4. Doe Kids (9 to under 12 mo).....Aug 12, 2022 - Nov 11, 2022
5. Yearling Does (12 to under 16 mo)....Apr 12, 2022 - Aug 11, 2022
6. Yearling Does (16 to under 20 mo)...Dec 12, 2021 - Apr 11, 2022
7. Yearling Does (20 to under 24 mo)...Aug 12, 2021 - Dec 11, 2021
8. 2 yr old Does (24 to under 36 mo)...Aug 12, 2020 - Aug 11, 2021
9. Aged Does (36 plus months).....Born before Aug 11, 2020

Division 532 - Wether Dam

Classes

Date of Birth

1. Junior KidAfter April 1, 2023
2. Senior KidJanuary or February 2023
3. Yearling Does2022
4. Aged Does.....Prior to 2022

Division 533 - Bred and Owned

Classes

Date of Birth

1. Percentage Does Any
2. Fullblood Does..... Any
3. Wether Dam Any



GOATS

MARKET GOATS

2022 SUPREME CHAMPION

Exhibitor: Sydney Franks
Buyer: Pearson's Feed

2022 RESERVE SUPREME CHAMPION

Exhibitor: Kayla Whitman
Buyer: Hills Flat Lumber

Entry Forms Due By: Friday, June 9 by 4 pm

Receiving: Tuesday, August 8 until 2 pm

Official Weigh-in: Tuesday, August 8 from 2 pm - 3pm

Non-show animal MUST be removed from the Fairgrounds by 8 pm Tuesday, August 8.

Judging: Wednesday, August 9 at 2 pm

Entry Fee: \$17 per entry per class

Limits: Open to Nevada County youth only. Exhibitors can show and sell only one market animal. Exhibitor may not have sold a market animal at any other county fair this year.

- Market Goats MUST have a Scrapie Tag in the right ear.
- Market goats will weigh a minimum of 65 pounds to 105 pounds maximum.
- Any market goat weighing over 105 pounds will not be "sifted" from the Livestock Auction, but will not be paid for over 105 pounds.
- Goats may be does or wethers. However, the does may not exhibit any udder development to be entered as a market goat.
- All market goats must be dehorned. Spurs not to exceed 2 inches.
- Goats may be any commercial meat goat or dairy cross.
- Market goats must be under one year of age.
- All market goats must be individually owned by the exhibitor for 60 days prior to the opening day of the Fair and in their complete care.

Market-Ready: USDA Prime or Choice quality with 12th rib back fat range .08 - .12 most desirable, .13 - .22 back fat acceptable, average or greater conformation and cutability.

Not-Market-Ready: Good or lower quality grade with 12th rib back fat range <.08 or >.22; underfinished goats grading USDA good or lower, below average conformation or cutability. Not eligible to sell in auction.

Division 540 - FFA Single Market Goat

Division 541 - 4-H/Grange Single Market Goat

CLASS

1. Market goat, minimum weight 65 pounds

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BOER/MARKET GOAT SHOWMANSHIP

Entry Forms Due By: Friday, July 7 by 4 pm

Judging: Wednesday, August 9 following the Market Goat Classes

Entry Fee: Novice & Junior - No entry fee • Seniors \$5

Limits:

- First place Senior Showmanship will compete Saturday, August 12 in Master Showmanship.
- See page 78 in showmanship class definitions.

Novice & Junior Showmanship

Ribbons Only - 1st through 8th Place

Senior Showmanship - Premiums Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th
\$60	\$54	\$48	\$42	\$36	\$30	\$24	\$18

Division 542 - FFA Boer/Goat Showmanship

CLASSES

1. Novice
2. Senior

Division 543 - 4-H/Grange Boer/Goat Showmanship

CLASSES

1. Novice
2. Junior
3. Senior

NEVADA COUNTY BRED & FED MARKET GOAT

Entry Fee: \$5 entry

Limits: Limited to space available in ring

- Entry must be made at time of market entry.
- Market Goats which have been bred within Nevada County, by a Nevada County based breeder and raised by an FFA, Grange or Independent exhibition qualify. Market goats not bred within Nevada County do not qualify regardless of where or from whom they were purchased.
- Only Market Goats shown in a market class and eligible for the Junior Livestock Auction qualify.
- Class breaks, if necessary, will be determined by the Livestock Superintendent and Fair Management.
- Copy of Bill of Sale must be included at time of entry and must verify the animal was bred in Nevada Co. A letter stating that it was bred and home-raised by the exhibitor is also acceptable.
- At the judge's discretion, the judge may select the winner(s) without having all animals returned to the show ring.

Division 544 - Bred & Fed Market Goat

CLASS 1 - Bred & Fed Market Goat

GOATS / GOAT AWARDS

OWNED & BRED BY MARKET GOAT

A prize of \$50 for Champion and \$35 for Reserve will be awarded to the Junior exhibitor whose Champion or Reserve Champion Market animal was also bred by the exhibitor. Exhibitor must sign up at the time of entry to be eligible for this class award. This class does not show.

Division 545 - Owned & Bred Market Goat

CLASS 1 - Market Goat - Owned & Bred By

GOAT COSTUME CONTEST

Judging: Friday, August 11 at 4 pm in the Whitney Pavilion

No Entry Fee: No Entry Fee

Limit: Animals entered into Division 550, Class 1 MUST also be exhibited in a breeding, performance or market class.

Division 550 - Goat Costume Class

CLASSES

1. Humorous
2. Enchanting
3. Most Original
4. Look-Alike (Exhibitor & Goat)
5. "Country Roots & Cowboy Boots!" - Fair theme

GOAT AWARDS

Open Dairy Goats, Divisions 500 - 504

ROSETTE AWARDS:

Best Doe in Show
Champion Doe
Reserve Champion Doe
Champion Junior Doe
Reserve Champion Junior Doe
Best Udder of Breed
Best Udder of Show

Junior Dairy Goats, Division 510 - 514

Best Doe in Show

Buckle Sponsored by The Angle Homestead
Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
Plaque Sponsored by Christine Smith
Rosette

ROSETTE AWARDS:

Champion Doe
Reserve Champion Doe
Champion Junior Doe
Reserve Champion Junior Doe

FFA Novice Dairy Goat Showmanship

Plaque Sponsored by The Cowboy Closet at Livewire Products
Rosette

FFA Senior Dairy Goat Showmanship

Buckle Sponsored by Livewire Products, LLC
Plaque Sponsored by The Cowboy Closet at Livewire Products

4-H Novice Dairy Goat Showmanship

Plaque Sponsored by Nevada County Gold Magazine

4-H Junior Dairy Goat Showmanship

Plaque Sponsored by The Cowboy Closet at Livewire Products

4-H Senior Dairy Goat Showmanship

Buckle Sponsored by The Cowboy Closet at Livewire Products
Plaque Sponsored by Livewire Products, LLC

Rosettes 1st-8th Place in all Showmanship Classes

Pygmy Goats, Divisions 520 - 521

ROSETTE AWARDS:

Champion Wether
Reserve Champion Wether
Champion Senior Doe
Reserve Champion Senior Doe
Champion Junior Doe
Reserve Champion Junior Doe
Grand Champion Doe
Reserve Grand Champion Doe

Senior Pygmy Goat Showmanship

Buckle Sponsored by Livewire Products, LLC
Plaque Sponsored by Moyer's Electric & Well Pump Service

Junior Pygmy Goat Showmanship

Plaque Sponsored by Livewire Products, LLC

Novice Pygmy Goat Showmanship

Plaque Sponsored by Nevada County Gold Magazine

Rosettes 1st-8th Place in all Showmanship Classes



GOAT AWARDS

Youth Boer Goats, Divisions 530 - 532

Supreme Champion Doe

Plaque Sponsored by Livewire Products, LLC
Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
Rosette

Wether Dam Doe

Plaque Sponsored by The Cowboy Closet at Livewire Products
Rosette

ROSETTE AWARDS:

Champion Percentage Doe
Reserve Champion Percentage Doe
Champion Fullblood/Purebred Doe
Reserve Champion Fullblood/Purebred Doe
Champion Bred and Owned Doe
Reserve Champion Bred and Owned Doe

Market Goats, Divisions 540 - 544

Supreme Champion Market Goat

Buckle Sponsored by Sierra Oaks Veterinary Services
Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
Plaque Sponsored by Lisa Jarvis Photography
Rosette

Reserve Supreme Champion Market Goat

Buckle Sponsored by Whitman Ranch Boer Goats
Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
Plaque Sponsored by The Cowboy Closet at Livewire Products
Rosette

FFA Champion Market Goat

Buckle Sponsored by Infinity Cattle
Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
Plaque Sponsored by Precision Land Clearing
Rosette

FFA Reserve Champion Market Goat

Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
Plaque Sponsored by Vieira Ranch Boer Goats
Rosette

4-H Champion Market Goat

Buckle Sponsored by Browning Ranch
Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
Plaque Sponsored by The Cowboy Closet at Livewire Products
Rosette

4-H Reserve Champion Market Goat

Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
Plaque Sponsored by Vieira Ranch Boer Goats
Rosette

Bred & Fed Market Goat

Buckle Sponsored by The Goat Works
Rosette

Best FFA Chapter Group of Goats

Plaque Sponsored by Livewire Products, LLC

Best 4-H Group of Goats

Plaque Sponsored by Livewire Products, LLC

Best County Group of Goats

Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation

Outstanding Goat Exhibit Award

\$50 Sponsored by The Cowboy Closet at Livewire Products

MARKET GOAT SHOWMANSHIP

FFA Novice Market Goat Showmanship

Plaque Sponsored by West Coast Equine Sports Therapy

FFA Senior Market Goat Showmanship

Buckle Sponsored by Sharon & Carl Rounds
Plaque Sponsored by Lisa Jarvis Photography

4-H Novice Market Goat Showmanship

Plaque Sponsored by Livewire Products, LLC

4-H Junior Market Goat Showmanship

Plaque Sponsored by The Cowboy Closet at Livewire Products

4-H Senior Market Goat Showmanship

Buckle Sponsored by 3B Cattle Co.
Plaque Sponsored by Precision Land Clearing



GOAT
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AUGUST 10 4- PM
GOAT SHOW RING
ALL GOATS ELIGIBLE

JUNIOR HORSE

JUNIOR HORSE

Entry Forms Due By: Friday, April 7 by 4 pm

Receiving: Saturday, August 12 at 7 am

Judging: Saturday, August 12 at 8 am

Release: Saturday, August 12 immediately following end of show

Entry Fee: \$5 per entry per class for Equitation and Trail.

Entry Fee: \$5 per exhibitor for Senior Showmanship, no entry fee for Novice and Junior.

Mandatory Drug Fee: \$15 per exhibitor

Limits: Open to Nevada County Junior Exhibitors only. Exhibitor may only bring one horse to show.

- Exhibitor must be age nine as of January 1, 2023 to enter the division.
- Horse show exhibitors must meet junior department exhibitor age requirements as defined in the state rules for California Fairs.
- Exhibitors must have proof of ownership or lease available upon request, at check-in time and time of entry.
- Horse projects must be owned or leased by and under the exhibitor's care and management for 120 consecutive days prior to opening day of Fair. When entering online, owned and leased horse exhibitors must provide a clear picture of a side view of the horse. Leased animals must provide a signed lease between owner and member. Owned animals must provide a copy of either registration papers, bill of sale or letter stating the horse was born and raised on their property.
- Junior exhibitors must wear properly strapped headgear in mounted competition. Headgear must be approved by American Society for Testing & Materials/Safety Equipment Institute.
- Exhibitors may not ride horses in parking lot areas. Exhibitors may only ride horses in the horse arena.
- Junior exhibitors are expected to groom and care for their animal when at Fair. They shall refrain from accepting active assistance from adults and non-exhibiting youth unless the junior exhibitor is actively engaged, and the assistance is only for instruction.
- Junior exhibitors cannot ride or show stallions
- Exhibitors must enter a riding class to be eligible for showmanship.
- All animals must be serviceably sound. The soundness of animals when determined by the official veterinarian or by the judge shall be final and cannot be protested. The horse

show management may request the official veterinarian to examine any animal in competition. Exhibitors who refuse to allow their animal to be examined will be disqualified from showing and will be reported to CDEA. No refunds will be made in these cases. All penalties of the Horse Protection Act of 1970 shall be strictly enforced.

- Equines known to be EIA positive reactors are forbidden to enter, reside, or compete at Fair.

Premiums Offered for Trail and Equitation Classes

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
\$30	\$28	\$24	\$22	\$20

Division 555 - Riding Classes (Equitation)

Limit:

- Novice Equitation - participant who has never loped at a show or has ridden under saddle for up to two years.

CLASSES

1. Novice Equitation (walk & trot)
2. Advanced Equitation (walk, trot & lope)

Division 556 - Riding Classes (Horsemanship)

Limit:

- Novice Horsemanship - participant who has never loped at a show or has ridden under saddle for up to two years.

CLASSES

1. Novice Horsemanship (walk & trot)
2. Advanced Horsemanship (walk, trot & lope)

Division 557 - In-Hand Trail Classes

Limit:

- Horse must be under 14.2 hands

CLASSES

1. Novice In-Hand Trail (walk & trot)
2. Advanced In-Hand Trail (walk, trot & lope)

Division 558- Riding Classes (Trail)

Limit:

- Novice Horsemanship - participant who has never loped at a show or has ridden under saddle for up to two years.

CLASSES

1. Novice
2. Advanced

Novice & Junior Showmanship

Ribbons Only - 1st through 8th place

Senior Showmanship - Premiums Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th
\$60	\$54	\$48	\$42	\$36	\$30	\$24	\$18

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JUNIOR HORSE

Division 559 - Showmanship

CLASSES

1. Novice
2. Junior
3. Senior

Division 560 - Mini Horse/Pony Showmanship

Limit:

- Horse must be under 14.2 hands

CLASS

1. Novice

Division 561 - Junior Horse Costume Class

CLASS

1. Junior Horse Costume Class

JUNIOR HORSE AWARDS

1 Junior Horse, Divisions 559-560

Novice Showmanship

Plaque Sponsored by Happy Tails Grooming, LLC

Junior Showmanship

Plaque Sponsored by Happy Tails Grooming, LLC

Senior Showmanship

Buckle Sponsored by Tim Reid & Caitlin Oats Cattle Co.

Plaque Sponsored by Holt of California & the Beatie Family

Novice Mini Horse/Pony Showmanship

Plaque Sponsored by Happy Tails Grooming, LLC

All-around Horseman

Buckle Sponsored by Sue Bartow, Realtor

Rosettes 1st-8th Place in all Showmanship Classes



SHEEP

SHEEP/OPEN REGISTERED PUREBRED BREEDING ANIMALS

Entry Forms Due By: Friday, July 7 by 4 pm

Receiving: Tuesday, August 8, 8 am - 8 pm

Judging: Thursday, August 10 at 8 am

Release: Sunday, August 13 at 8 pm

Entry Fee: \$5 per entry per class

Limits: Two animals per class per exhibitor.

- Limited to space available. Entry preference will be given to: Nevada County exhibitors; followed by Placer, Sierra, Yuba and all other California counties. Legal residency shall be the determining factor.
- Flock numbers shall be used to identify all entries. Numbers shall be on regular tags attached to the ear or tattooed in the ear. An exhibitor may not use the same flock number on more than one animal during any two consecutive calendar years. Registration numbers may not be used as flock numbers.
- The flock tags of registered yearlings and lambs bred by exhibitor are required to have either the breeder's name, initials or association prefix permanently stamped on the flock tag in addition to the permanent flock number. The breeder's name, initials or association prefix will also be recorded on the entry form.
- Lambs must show lamb's teeth.
- Exhibitors are encouraged to wash their meat-type sheep prior to coming to the Fair.
- Natural colored sheep are to be shown with a minimum of 2" of fleece
- The Fair will not accept sheep from scrapie "non-compliant" flocks, or animals that are Scrapie-positive or Scrapie suspects.

Group Limits:

- All owned by one exhibitor and entered as individuals.
- All animals entered in groups must be of the same breed.
- Exhibitors should be prepared with handlers.
- Limit one entry per class per exhibitor.

Premiums Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
\$50	\$48	\$44	\$42	\$40

Division 602 - All Other Purebred Breeds, Large Meat Type

Division 603 - All Other Purebred Breeds, Small Meat Type

Division 604 - All Other Purebred Breeds, Long Wool Type (Romney, Lincoln, Cotswold)

Division 605 - All Other Purebred Breeds (Targhee, Columbia, Corriedale, Merino, Rambouillet)

Division 606 - Natural Colored Sheep

Classes

Date of Lambing

1. Yearling Ram September 2021 - August 2022
2. Fall Ram Lamb September 2022 - December 2022
3. Spring Ram Lamb January 2023 - May 2023
4. Pair of Ram Lambs
5. Yearling Ewe September 2021 - August 2022
6. Pair of Yearling Ewes
7. Fall Ewe Lamb September 2022 - December 2022
8. Spring Ewe Lamb January 2023 - May 2023
9. Pair of Ewe Lambs
10. Young Flock One ram lamb and two ewe lambs, bred by exhibitor
11. Get of Sire Four sheep sired by same ram, bred by exhibitor
12. Flock One yearling or ram lamb, two yearling ewes, and two ewe lambs
13. Best Pair Two animals, either sex, bred by exhibitor

SHEEP/YOUTH REGISTERED PUREBRED BREEDING ANIMALS

Entry Forms Due By: Friday, July 7 by 4 pm

Receiving - Tuesday, August 8, until 8 pm

Judging - Wednesday, August 9 follows Wether Dam & Sires

Release - Sunday, August 13 at 8 pm

Entry Fee: \$5 per entry per class

Limits: Two animals per class per exhibitor

- Entry preference: Nevada County youth, followed by youth exhibitors from Placer, Sierra and Yuba counties and all other counties. Legal residency shall be the determining factor.
- The Fair will not accept sheep from Scrapie "non-compliant" flocks, or animals that are Scrapie-positive or Scrapie suspects.

Premiums Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
\$30	\$28	\$24	\$22	\$20

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SHEEP

Division 611 - Meat Type, Large

Division 612 - Meat Type, Small

Division 613 - All other Wool Type or Natural Colored Sheep

Classes

Date of Lambing

1. Yearling Ram..... September 2021 - August 2022
2. Fall Ram Lamb September 2022- December 2022
3. Spring Ram Lamb..... January 2023 - May 2023
4. Pair of Ram Lambs
5. Yearling Ewe..... September 2021 - August 2022
6. Pair of Yearling Ewes
7. Fall Ewe Lamb September 2022 - December 2022
8. Spring Ewe Lamb..... January 2023 - May 2023
9. Pair of Ewe Lambs
10. Young Flock ... One ram lamb and two ewe lambs, bred by exhibitor.
11. Get of Sire Four sheep sired by same ram, bred by exhibitor.
12. Flock..... One yearling or ram lamb, two yearling ewes, and two ewe lambs.
13. Best Pair Two animals, either sex, bred by exhibitor.

SHEEP/WETHER DAMS & SIRES

Entry Forms Due By: Friday, July 7 by 4 pm

Receiving: Tuesday, August 8, 8 am - 8 pm

Judging: Wednesday, August 9, after Market Sheep Show

Release: Sunday, August 13 at 8 pm

Entry Fee: \$5 per entry per class

Limits: Two animals per class per exhibitor

- Grade, crossbred and unregistered purebred grade sheep to be judged strictly on grade sheep basis.
- A permanent ear tag or tattoo number is required.
- Animals which have been registered by a purebred breed association cannot be entered in this division.
- By the signature, as the owner or agent, on the online entry, the exhibitor also certifies that the sire of each animal entered in the following divisions for grade animals was either registered or purebred.
- Wether Dam/Sire Champions and Registered Breed Champions will compete for Supreme Champion.
- The Fair will not accept sheep from Scrapie "non-compliant" flocks, or animals that are Scrapie-positive or Scrapie suspects.
- A Bill of Sale or a letter documenting that the animal was home-raised, must be submitted at check-in as proof of ownership.

Premiums Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
\$30	\$28	\$24	\$22	\$20

Division 614 - Wether Dams & Sires

Classes

Date of Lambing

1. Yearling Ram..... September 2021 - August 2022
2. Fall Ram Lamb..... September 2022 - December 2022
3. Spring Ram Lamb January 2023 - May 2023
4. Pair of Ram Lambs
5. Yearling Ewe September 2021 - August 2022
6. Pair of Yearling Ewes
7. Fall Ewe Lamb September 2022 - December 2022
8. Spring Ewe Lamb January 2023 - May 2023
9. Pair of Ewe Lambs
10. Young Flock - 1 ram lamb & 2 ewe lambs, bred by exhibitor

MARKET LAMBS

2022 SUPREME CHAMPION

Exhibitor: Blake Youngman

Buyer: BI Warehousing

2022 RESERVE SUPREME CHAMPION

Exhibitor: Kaedyn Harrison

Buyer: 3B Ranch & Cattle Company

Entry Forms Due By: Friday, June 9 by 4 pm

Receiving: Tuesday, August 8

Official Weigh-in: Tuesday, August 8, 1 pm - 2 pm

Non-show animal MUST be removed from the Fairgrounds by 8 pm Tuesday, August 8.

Judging: Wednesday, August 9 at 8 am

Entry Fee: \$17 per entry per class

Limits: Open to Nevada County youth only. Exhibitors can show and sell only one market animal. Exhibitor may not have sold a market animal at any other county fair this year.

- Market sheep MUST have a Scrapie tag in the right ear.
- Market-ready and not-market-ready classifications will be subject to change in the event there are changes made in federal grading.
- Market lambs, minimum weight 100 pounds. Any lamb weighing over 150 pounds will not be "sifted" from the Livestock Auction, but will not be paid for over 150 pounds.
- All market lambs must be individually owned by the exhibitor for 60 days prior to the opening day of the Fair.
- Danish System of Judging.
- All market lambs must have been slick shorn from the knee and hock up within 7 days of official Weigh-in. Fleece not to exceed 1/4" in length and fleece length must be uniform over entire body. Lambs with excessive wool will not be weighed until shorn.
- Market lambs must be docked such that the tail (dock) is healed and can be lifted from the exterior. Lambs that have no dock will not be eligible. Breeding animals born before January 1, 2000 are exempt.
- No icing of lambs.

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SHEEP / SHEEP AWARDS

Market Ready: USDA Prime or Choice quality with 12th rib back fat range .16 -.35 or greater conformation and cutability.

Not Market Ready: Good or lower quality grade with 12th rib back fat range <.16 or >.35; underfinished goats grading USDA good or lower, below average conformation or cutability. **Not eligible to sell in auction.**

Division 620 - FFA Single Market Lambs

Division 621 - 4-H/Grange Single Market Lambs

CLASS

1. Market Lamb, Minimum Weight: 100 pounds

SHEEP SHOWMANSHIP

Judging: Wednesday, August 9 at 8 am following the market classes

Entry Fee: Novice & Junior - None; Seniors - \$5 entry fee

Deadline: Friday, July 7

Limits: First place Senior Showmanship will compete Saturday, August 14 in Master Showmanship. See page 78 for showmanship class definitions.

Novice & Junior Showmanship
Ribbons Only - 1st through 8th Place

Senior Showmanship - Premiums Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th
\$60	\$54	\$48	\$42	\$36	\$30	\$24	\$18

Division 622 - FFA Sheep Showmanship

CLASSES

1. Novice
2. Senior

Division 623 - 4-H/Grange Sheep Showmanship

CLASSES

1. Novice
2. Junior
3. Senior

NEVADA COUNTY BRED & FED MARKET LAMB

Entry Fee: \$5 per entry

Limit: Limited to space available

CLASS 1 - Nevada County Bred & Fed Market Lamb

- Entry must be made at the time of market entry
- Market Lambs must have been bred within Nevada County and fed by an FFA, 4-H or Independent exhibitor to qualify.
- Only Market Lambs shown in a market class and eligible for the Junior Livestock Auction qualify.
- Class breaks, if necessary will be determined by the Livestock Superintendent and Fair Management.

- Copy of Bill of Sale must be included at time of entry and must verify that the animal was bred in Nevada County. A letter stating that the animal was bred and home-raised by the exhibitor is also acceptable.
- At the judge's discretion the judge may select the winner(s) without having all animals return to the show ring.

Division 624 - Nevada County Bred & Fed Market Lamb

CLASS 1 - Bred & Fed Market Lamb

SHEEP OWNED & BRED BY CLASS

A prize of \$50 for Champion and \$35 for Reserve Champion will be awarded to the Junior exhibitor whose Champion or Reserve Champion Market animal was also bred by the exhibitor. Exhibitor must sign up at time of entry to be eligible for this class award. This class does not show.

Division 625 - Sheep, Owned & Bred By Class

CLASS 1 - Owned & Bred Market Lamb

SHEEP AWARDS

Open Sheep, Divisions 601 - 606

ROSETTE AWARDS:

Supreme Champion Ram
Champion Ram
Reserve Champion Ram
Supreme Champion Ewe
Champion Ewe
Reserve Champion Ewe

Youth Sheep, Divisions 610 - 614

Supreme Champion Ram

Plaque Sponsored by The Cowboy Closet at Livewire Products
Rosette

Supreme Champion Ewe

Plaque Sponsored by Livewire Products, LLC
Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
Rosette

Champion Wether Dam

Plaque Sponsored by The Cowboy Closet at Livewire Products
Rosette

Youth Market Lambs, Divisions 610 - 615

Supreme Champion Market Lamb

Buckle Sponsored by Sierra Oaks Veterinary Services
Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
Plaque Sponsored by The Miller Family/Kohler Family
Rosette

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SHEEP AWARDS / YOUTH SWINE

Reserve Supreme Champion Market Lamb

Buckle Sponsored by Rick Foster
Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
Plaque Sponsored by Livewire Products, LLC
Rosette

FFA Champion Market Lamb

Buckle Sponsored by Three Gilts Ranch
Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
Plaque Sponsored by The Cowboy Closet at Livewire Products
Rosette

FFA Reserve Champion Market Lamb

Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
Plaque Sponsored by Allen Mobile Notary Services
Rosette

4-H Champion Market Lamb

Buckle Sponsored by Livewire Products, LLC
Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
Plaque Sponsored by The Cowboy Closet at Livewire Products
Rosette

4-H Reserve Champion Market Lamb

Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
Plaque Sponsored by Livewire Products, LLC
Rosette

Nevada County Bred & Fed Champion

Buckle Sponsored by West Coast Equine Sports Therapy
Rosette

Best FFA Chapter Group of Lambs

Plaque Sponsored by Livewire Products, LLC
Rosette

Best 4-H Club Group of Lambs

Plaque Sponsored by The Cowboy Closet at Livewire Products
Rosette

Best County Group of Lambs

Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
Rosette

Outstanding Sheep Exhibit Award

\$50 Sponsored by Livewire Products, LLC

FFA Novice Sheep Showmanship

Plaque Sponsored by The Cowboy Closet at Livewire Products

FFA Senior Sheep Showmanship

Buckle Sponsored by Caroline's Coffee
Plaque Sponsored by The Miller Family/Kohler Family

4-H Novice Sheep Showmanship

Plaque Sponsored by Sierra Sky Lambs of Nevada County

4-H Junior Sheep Showmanship

Plaque Sponsored by The Cowboy Closet at Livewire Products

4-H Senior Sheep Showmanship

Buckle Sponsored by Sierra Oaks Veterinary Service, Dr. Josh
& Kaytie Ettlin & Family

Plaque Sponsored by Mullen Livestock

Rosettes 1st-8th Place for all Showmanship Classes

YOUTH SWINE

REGISTERED & GRADE BREEDING ANIMALS

Entry Forms Due By: Friday, July 7 by 4 pm

Receiving - Tuesday, August 8 from 8 am - 8 pm

Judging - Thursday, August 10 at 1 pm

Release - Sunday, August 13 at 8 pm

Entry Fee: \$5 per entry per class

Limits: Nevada County Youth Only. Two animals per class per exhibitor.

- Exhibitor must submit ear-notching form online at time of entry.
- Swine can only be washed between 6 am and 9:30 am.
- A minimum of three animals must be entered/shown in each division or all animals may be combined into one division and/or class.
- If entries exceed barn capacity, management may limit exhibitors to two animals per divisions 701 & 702.

Premiums Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
\$50	\$35	\$25	\$20	\$15

Division 701 - Junior Registered Animals

Division 702 - Junior Grade Animals

Exhibitors must show proof of ownership for grade animals at time of check-in. A Bill of Sale or letter stating that the animal was bred and home-raised by the exhibitor are acceptable.

Classes

Date of Birth

- Sow Prior to July 1, 2022
- Gilt After July 1, 2022

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SWINE

MARKET SWINE

2022 SUPREME CHAMPION

Exhibitor: Harlie Deschaine
Buyer: Riebes Napa Auto Parts

2022 RESERVE SUPREME CHAMPION

Exhibitor: Meghan Garren
Buyer: Young's Carpet One

Entry Forms Due By: Friday, June 9 by 4 pm

Receiving: Monday, August 7

Official Weigh-in: Tuesday, August 8 from 8 am - 10 am

Judging: Thursday, August 10 at 8 am

Entry Fee: \$17 per entry per class

Limits: Open to Nevada County youth only. Exhibitors can show and sell only one market animal. Exhibitor may not have sold a market animal at any other county fair this year.

- The non-show animal **MUST** be removed from the Fairgrounds by 8 pm Tuesday, August 8.
- Market-ready and not-market-ready classifications will be subject to change in the event there are changes made in the Federal grading.
- Any market hog weighing over 280 pounds will not be "sifted" from the livestock auction, but will not be paid over 280 pounds.
- All market swine must be individually owned by the exhibitor for 60 days prior to the opening day of the Fair.
- Danish System of Judging.

Market-Ready: U.S. No. 1 and No. 2 hogs of average or greater conformation that are acceptable in leanness, muscularity and production traits.

Not-Market-Ready: Any hog of below average conformation including U.S. No. 3, U.S. No. 4 and utility grade hogs. **Not eligible to sell in auction.**

Division 720 - FFA Single Market Swine

Division 721 - 4-H/Grange Single Market Swine

CLASS

1. Market Hogs, minimum weight 200 pounds

SWINE SHOWMANSHIP

Judging: Thursday, August 11 following breeding swine

Entry Fee: Novice & Junior - No Entry Fee • Seniors - \$5

Deadline: Friday, July 7

Limits:

- First place Senior Showmanship will compete Saturday, August 12 in Master Showmanship.
- See page 78 for showmanship class definitions.

Novice & Junior Showmanship

Ribbons Only - 1st through 8th Place

Senior Showmanship - Premiums Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th
\$60	\$54	\$48	\$42	\$36	\$30	\$24	\$18

Division 722 - FFA Swine Showmanship

CLASSES

1. Novice
2. Senior

Division 723 - 4-H/Grange Swine Showmanship

CLASSES

1. Novice
2. Junior
3. Senior

BRED & FED MARKET SWINE

Entry Fee: \$5 per entry

Limit: Limited to space available

- Entry must be made at time of market entry.
- Market Swine must have been bred within Nevada County and fed by an FFA, 4-H or Independent exhibitor to qualify.
- Only Market Swine shown in a market class and eligible for the Junior Livestock Auction qualify.
- Class breaks, if necessary, will be determined by the Livestock Superintendent and Fair Management.
- Copy of Bill of Sale must be included at time of entry and must verify the animal was bred in Nevada Co. A letter stating it was bred and home-raised by the exhibitor is also acceptable.
- At the judge's discretion, the judge may select the winner(s) without having all animals return to the show ring.

Division 724 - Nevada County Bred & Fed Market Swine

CLASS 1 - Market Swine, Owned and Bred By

SWINE OWNED & BRED BY CLASS

A prize of \$50 for Champion and \$35 for Reserve Champion will be awarded to the Junior exhibitor whose Champion or Reserve Champion Market animal was also bred by the exhibitor. Exhibitor must sign up at the time of entry to be eligible for this class award. This class does not show.

Division 725 - Swine, Owned and Bred By

CLASS 1 - Bred & Fed Market Swine

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SWINE AWARDS

SWINE AWARDS

Youth Swine Breeding, Divisions 701 - 702

Supreme Champion Breeding Hog

Buckle Sponsored by Sierra Auto Body, Inc.
Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
Plaque Sponsored by Bakwrd CP Farm
Rosette

Reserve Supreme Champion Breeding Hog

Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
Plaque Sponsored by Livewire Products, LLC
Rosette

Champion Registered Breeding Hog

Buckle Sponsored by Three Gilts Ranch
Plaque Sponsored by Browning Ranch
Rosette

Champion Grade Breeding Hog

Buckle Sponsored by Sierra Auto Body, Inc.
Plaque Sponsored by Browning Ranch
Rosette

Market Hog, Divisions 720 - 725

Supreme Champion Market Hog

Buckle Sponsored by Carolyn & Steve Steele
Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
Plaque Sponsored by Broken Arrow Custom Apparel
Rosette

Reserve Supreme Champion Market Hog

Buckle Sponsored by Deschaine Enterprises
Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
Plaque Sponsored by Broken Arrow Custom Apparel
Rosette

FFA Champion Market Hog

Buckle Sponsored by Deschaine Enterprises
Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
Plaque Sponsored by Broken Arrow Custom Apparel
Rosette

FFA Reserve Champion Market Hog

Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
Plaque Sponsored by Madd Show Pigs
Rosette

4-H Champion Market Hog

Buckle Sponsored by Triple M Towing
Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
Plaque Sponsored by Broken Arrow Custom Apparel
Rosette

4-H Reserve Champion Market Hog

Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
Plaque Sponsored by Madd Show Pigs
Rosette

Nevada County Bred & Fed Champion

Buckle Sponsored by Lutrell Livestock
Rosette

Best FFA Chapter Group of Hogs

Plaque Sponsored by Broken Arrow Custom Apparel

Best 4-H Club Group of Hogs

Plaque Sponsored by Broken Arrow Custom Apparel

Best County Group of Hogs

Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation

Outstanding Swine Exhibit Award

\$50 Sponsored by Nevada County Fence

FFA Novice Swine Showmanship

Plaque Sponsored by Nevada County Fence

FFA Senior Swine Showmanship

Buckle Sponsored by Mullen Livestock
Plaque Sponsored by Nevada County Fence

4-H Novice Swine Showmanship

Plaque Sponsored by Triple M Towing

4-H Junior Swine Showmanship

Plaque Sponsored by Moyer's Electric & Well Pump Service

4-H Senior Swine Showmanship

Buckle Sponsored by 3B Cattle Co.
Plaque Sponsored by Bakwrd CP Farm

Rosettes 1st-8th Place for all Showmanship Classes



POULTRY

POULTRY/YOUTH

Entry Forms Due By: Friday, July 7 by 4 pm

Receiving and Mandatory Poultry Health Inspection:
Tuesday, August 8 from 3 pm - 5 pm

All birds must have a leg band on at check-in and must correspond to band number on entry form.

Judging: Wednesday, August 9 following Poultry
Showmanship

Release: Sunday, August 13 from 5 pm to 8 pm

Entry Fee: \$3 per entry per class

Limits: Two entries per class per exhibitor. No more than eight (8) entries per exhibitor. Nevada County youth only.

- Entries may be limited to cage space available.
- Judging will be by comparison, with the latest edition of the APA Standard of Perfection and the Bantam Standard and shall apply to all district and county fair poultry shows, except in such instances where they are in conflict with the rules and regulations prescribed by the Department of Food and Agriculture.
- A judge may excuse a bird from competition if it appears to be fatigued or out of condition, but the bird shall be counted as an entry.
- For all classes of standard-bred chickens, turkeys, ducks and geese, all birds must be identified by leg bands and conforming with the entry form upon arrival at the show.
- Fairgrounds will furnish feed for poultry exhibitors. Any special feed needed will be the responsibility of the exhibitor. Due to limited space, special feed is to be stored off the Fairgrounds. Exhibitors **MUST** prevent waste/overfeeding of feed provided by Fairgrounds.
- Duck and turkey exhibitors must bring their own food, waterers and feeders.
- Livestock Superintendent must have keys to locked cages.
- Any bird showing evidence of disease and/or parasites will be immediately removed from the Fairgrounds.
- Utility Bred Division - Judging is based two-thirds on utility and one-third on a standard basis.
- No emus, ostriches or other large birds that cannot be safely housed in standard cages.
- Turkey exhibitors must be at least nine years of age as of January 1, 2023 to exhibit a turkey.
- American System of Judging.
- Non-market entries are judged in cages. Exhibitors are not to be present during judging of these entries.

Premiums Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th
\$4	\$3.50	\$3	\$2.50	\$2	\$1.50

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Division 820 - American

Division 821 - Asiatic

Division 822 - English

Division 823 - Mediterranean

Division 824 - Continental

Division 825 - All Other Standard Breeds

Division 826 - Utility Birds

Division 827 - Single Comb Clean Legged Bantams

Division 828 - Rose Comb Clean Legged Bantams

Division 829 - All Other Comb Clean Legged Bantams

Division 830 - Feather Legged Bantams

Division 831 - Modern Game

Division 832 - Old English Game

Division 833 - Bantam Ducks

Division 834 - Lightweight Ducks

Division 835 - Medium-weight Ducks

Division 836 - Heavyweight Ducks

Division 837 - Geese

Division 838 - Game & Exotic

(Must specify breed and variety when entering.)

CLASSES

1. Cock (1 year or over)
2. Hen (1 year or over)
3. Cockerel (under 1 year)
4. Pullet (under 1 year)



POULTRY

POULTRY SHOWMANSHIP

Judging: Wednesday, August 9 following Meat Pens

Entry Fee: Pee Wee, Novice & Junior - No Entry Fee • Senior \$5

Limits:

- Must be entered by entry deadlines.
- First place Senior Showmanship will compete Saturday, August 12 for Small Animal Master Showmanship.
- See page 78 for showmanship class definitions.
- Animals must be owned by exhibitor and entered by the exhibitor in an appropriate market, breeding or performance class.
- The preparation for showing must have been done by exhibitor.
- Note: Novice and Junior Showmanship judges may help members improve showmanship techniques while judging and will demonstrate proper procedures.
- A large class may be divided into smaller groups for ease of handling and judging and to provide the maximum benefits of this learning experience for the Novice and Junior Showmen.

Pee Wee Showmanship: Exhibitors five to eight years of age as of January 1, 2023.

Pee Wee, Novice & Junior Showmanship

Ribbons Only - 1st through 8th Place

Senior Showmanship - Premiums Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th
\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6

Division 840 - Poultry Showmanship

CLASSES

1. Pee Wee
2. Novice
3. Junior
4. Senior

SPECIAL FUN ACTIVITY

Judging: Friday, August 11 at 4 pm at the Whitney Pavilion

Entry Fee: No Entry Fee

Ribbons only.

Limits: Animals must be owned by exhibitor and entered by the exhibitor in an appropriate market, breeding or performance class.

Division 841 - Chicken Costume Contest

CLASSES

1. Humorous
2. Enchanting
3. Most Original
4. Look-Alike (Exhibitor & Fowl)
5. "Country Roots & Cowboy Boots!" - Fair theme

BROILER MEAT PENS & MARKET TURKEYS

Entry Forms Due By:

Market Turkeys: Friday, June 9 by 4 pm

Broiler Meat Pen: Friday, July 7 by 4 pm

Receiving & Health Inspection: Tuesday, August 8, 3 pm - 5 pm

Official Weigh-in: Tuesday, August 8 after Health Inspection

Judging: Wednesday, August 9 at 8 am

Entry Fee: \$7 per entry per class

Limits: Nevada County Youth Only.

- Meat pen exhibitors must be at least nine years old as of January 1, 2023.
- Only one meat pen may be shown and sold by the exhibitor.
- Small animal meat pen exhibitors (poultry or rabbit) may enter a small animal meat pen and one large animal market class. These exhibitors can only sell one project and must declare which animal they will be selling to the Livestock Office as soon as they finish showing their large animal. If the meat pen qualifies as champion or reserve champion, they may not show their large animal in their market class. They will be allowed to show in the large animal showmanship class.
- Exhibitor may not have sold a market animal at any other county fair this year.
- All birds must be identified by leg bands. List all leg bands on entry form.
- Exhibitor must be present during weigh-in, judging of the animals and for the Junior Livestock Auction.

Division 930 - Broiler Meat Pen

Meat pens consist of two broilers, each weighing a minimum of 3.5 pounds and not over 7.5 pounds. Broilers will be evaluated on conformation, fleshing, feathering and freedom from down grading factors such as bruises, blisters and skin tears. Broiler meat pens entered must be owned by the exhibitor and be a part of a project under the exhibitor's care and management at least 30 days prior to the opening of the Fair.

CLASS

1. Broiler Meat Pen

Division 931 - Market Turkey

Consists of one turkey. Turkey shall weigh between fifteen (15) and thirty-five (35) pounds. Market Turkeys entered must be owned by the exhibitor and be a part of a project under the exhibitor's care and management at least sixty days prior to the opening of the Fair.

CLASS

1. Market Turkey

POULTRY / RABBITS

POULTRY AWARDS

Poultry, Divisions 820 - 932

Best of Show - Poultry

Poultry Carrier Sponsored by Livewire Products, LLC
Plaque Sponsored by West Coast Equine Sports Therapy
Rosette

Plaques (Sponsored by)

Best Large Fowl - Tayler Figueroa
Reserve Large Fowl - Livewire Products, LLC
Best Bantam - The Cowboy Closet at Livewire Products
Reserve Bantam - Livewire Products, LLC
Best Waterfowl - The Cowboy Closet at Livewire Products
Reserve Waterfowl - Livewire Products, LLC

ROSETTE AWARDS

Best Large Fowl
Reserve Large Fowl
Best Bantam
Reserve Bantam
Best Waterfowl
Reserve Waterfowl

Showmanship

4-H Senior Poultry Showmanship

Buckle Sponsored by Tayler Figueroa
Plaque Sponsored by Back to Basics Farm

4-H Junior Poultry Showmanship

Plaque Sponsored by Tayler Figueroa

4-H Novice Poultry Showmanship

Plaque Sponsored by Tayler Figueroa

Rosettes 1st - 8th Place for all Showmanship Awards

Champion Market Turkey

Buckle Sponsored by Sierra Auto Body, Inc.
Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
Plaque Sponsored by The Totoonchie Family
Rosette

Reserve Champion Market Turkey

Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
Plaque Sponsored by The Totoonchie Family
Rosette

Champion Broiler Meat Pen

Buckle Sponsored by Sierra Auto Body, Inc.
Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
Plaque Sponsored by Back to Basics Farm
Rosette

Reserve Champion Broiler Meat Pen

Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
Plaque Sponsored by The Cowboy Closet at Livewire Products
Rosette

RABBITS/YOUTH

Entry Forms Due By: Friday, July 7 by 4 pm

Receiving: Tuesday, August 8, from 7 am - 8 am

Judging: Tuesday, August 8 at 8 am

Release: Sunday, August 13, from 5 pm - 8 pm

Entry Fee: \$3 per entry per class

Limits: Nevada County Youth only. Two entries per class.

- The show is sanctioned with ARBA.
- All rabbits must have legible permanent I.D. tattoos.
- Rabbits must be entered, shown and judged in proper division and class for breed, variety, age and sex.
- Exhibitor must specify breed, sex, tattoo and class on the online entry.
- Exhibitor must be present during judging of the animals.
- Any rabbit showing evidence of disease and/or parasites will be immediately removed from the Fairgrounds.
- All rabbit entries must remain at the Fairgrounds for the duration of the Fair.
- American System of Judging.
- The 100th Annual ARBA Convention is scheduled for October 7-11, 2023 in Louisville, KY.
- The Nevada County Fair must refuse entries from exhibitors placing an entry from all locations within 150 miles which has had a confirmed outbreak of RCV/RHD/VHD within the past 60 days of the entry deadline.

Premiums Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
\$4	\$3.50	\$3	\$2.50	\$2

Heavyweight Breeds, Divisions 935 - 937

Division 935 - Californian

Division 936 - New Zealand

Division 937 - All other Heavyweight Breeds

CLASSES

1. Senior Buck, 8 months or over
2. Intermediate Buck, 6 to 8 months
3. Junior Buck, under 6 months
4. Senior Doe, 8 months or over
5. Intermediate Doe, 6 to 8 months
6. Junior Doe, under 6 months

Lightweight Breeds, Divisions 939 - 946

Division 939 - Himalayan

Division 940 - Lionhead

Division 941 - Holland Lop

Division 942 - Mini Lops

RABBITS

Division 943 - Mini Rex

Division 944 - Polish

Division 945 - Rex

Division 946 - All Other Lightweight Breeds

CLASSES

1. Senior Buck, 6 months or over
2. Junior Buck, under 6 months
3. Senior Doe, 6 months or over
4. Junior Doe, under 6 months

Division 947 - Crossbred/Pet

For rabbits that are ineligible to compete in the breed divisions 935-946. Intended for mixed breed/pet quality rabbits.

CLASSES

1. Bucks, all ages
2. Does, all ages

Division 948 - Fur

All rabbits entered in fur classes must be entered in a breeding class and judged. A rabbit disqualified or eliminated in regular classes may not compete in the fur classes.

CLASSES

1. Normal
2. Rex
3. Satin
4. Wool

Division 949 - Breeders Class

All rabbits entered in Breeders Class must be entered in a regular breeding class and judged. Exhibitor must own both parents of the rabbit(s) to be entered. Proof of ownership will be checked by showing the pedigrees of the rabbits at check in.

CLASS

1. Breeders Class

RABBIT SHOWMANSHIP

Judging: Tuesday, August 8 following the Rabbit Breeding Show

Pee Wee Showmanship: Exhibitors are five to eight years of age as of January 1, 2023.

Entry Fee: Pee Wee, Novice & Junior - No Entry Fee • Senior \$5

Deadline: Friday, July 7, by 4 pm

Limits:

- First place Senior Showmanship will compete Saturday, August 12 in Small Animal Master Showmanship.
- See page 78 in showmanship class definitions.
- Animals must be owned by exhibitor and entered by the exhibitor in an appropriate market, breeding or performance class.
- The preparation for showing must have been done by exhibitor.

- Note: Novice and Junior Showmanship judges may help members improve showmanship techniques while judging and will demonstrate proper procedures.
- A large class may be divided into smaller groups for ease of handling and judging and to provide the maximum benefits of this learning experience for the Novice and Junior Showmen.

Pee Wee, Novice & Junior Showmanship

Ribbons Only - 1st through 8th Place

Senior Showmanship - Premiums Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th
\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6

Division 950 - Rabbit Showmanship

CLASSES

1. Pee Wee
2. Novice
3. Junior
4. Senior

RABBIT MEAT PEN

2022 CHAMPION RABBIT MEAT PEN

Exhibitor: Ashlyn Tesene

Buyers: Jones Financial

2022 RESERVE CHAMPION RABBIT MEAT PEN

Exhibitor: Emma Vertrees

Buyers: Robin Hauck

Entry Forms Due By: Friday, July 7 by 4 pm

Receiving: Tuesday, August 8 from 7 am - 8 am

Official Weigh-in: Tuesday, August 8 at 8 am

Judging: Tuesday, August 8 following Weigh-in

Entry Fee: \$5 per entry per class

Limits: Nevada County youth only.

- Meat pen exhibitors must be at least 9 years old as of January 1, 2022.
- All rabbits must be identified by permanent tattoo. List ALL tattoo numbers on entry form. Only one meat pen may be shown & sold by the exhibitor.

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RABBITS & SMALL ANIMALS

- Small animal meat pen exhibitors may enter a small animal meat pen and one large animal market class. These exhibitors can only sell one project and must declare which animal they will be selling to the Livestock Office as soon as they finish showing their large animal. If the meat pen qualifies as Champion or Reserve Champion, they may not show their large animal in their market class. They will be allowed to show in the large animal showmanship class.
- Exhibitor may not have sold a market animal at any other county fair this year.
- Exhibitor must be present during weigh-in and judging of the animals.
- All market quality meat pens will be sold as resale at the Junior Livestock Auction. The Junior Livestock Auction is a terminal sale.

Division 951 - Rabbit Meat Pen

Meat pens consist of three (3) rabbits each weighing a minimum of 3.5 pounds and not over 5.5 pounds. Rabbit meat pens entered must be owned by the exhibitor and be a part of a project under the exhibitor's care and management at least thirty (30) days prior to the opening of the Fair. Animals may not exceed seventy (70) days of age.

CLASS

1. Rabbit Meat Pen

OWNED & BRED BY RABBIT MEAT PEN

A prize of \$50 for Champion and \$35 for Reserve Champion will be awarded to the Junior exhibitor whose Champion or Reserve Champion Rabbit Meat Pen was also bred by that exhibitor. Exhibitor must sign up at the time of entry to be eligible for this class award.

Division 952 - Rabbit Meat Pen, Owned & Bred By

CLASS

1. Rabbit Meat Pen, Owned & Bred By



SMALL ANIMAL DEPARTMENT

Limits:

- Small Animal Exhibitors must be at least five years old on January 1, 2021 to exhibit, except where otherwise noted.
- All small animal market entries must have identification listed on entry forms. Meat animal entries will not be accepted without tattoo/band number.

AVIAN & RABBIT BOWLS

The Avian Bowl and Rabbit Bowl are team quiz events that test participants' knowledge in a wide range of topics about poultry and rabbits. Teams consist of 2 to 4 youth per team. Each round will have two teams competing against each other and the winners of each round will compete in the final round for the overall winner. Both bowls will

be held at the Special Events Tent. The Avian Bowl is on Wednesday, August 10 at 6 pm and the Rabbit Bowl is on Thursday, August 11 at 6 pm. No need to pre-register, **just show up and have fun!**



SMALL ANIMAL SPECIAL EXHIBITS

Sponsored By

Proud Tradition - Divisions 805 - 810

\$50 Nevada County Gold Magazine

Fur & Feathers Cage Award

\$50 Nevada County Fence

RABBIT COSTUME CONTEST

Judging: Friday, August 11 at 4 pm at Whitney Pavilion

Entry Fee: No Entry Fee

Ribbons Only

Limits: Animals must be owned by exhibitor and entered by the exhibitor in an appropriate market, breeding or performance class.

Division 953 - Rabbit Costume Contest

CLASSES

1. Humorous
2. Enchanting
3. Most Original
4. Look-Alike (Exhibitor & Rabbit)
5. "Country Roots & Cowboy Boots!" - Fair theme

SMALL ANIMAL AWARDS

RABBIT AWARDS

Youth Rabbit, Divisions 935 - 951

Best of Show Rabbit

Carrier Sponsored by The Cowboy Closet at Livewire Products
 Plaque Sponsored by Christine Favetti
 Rosette

Reserve Best of Show Rabbit

Carrier Sponsored by Livewire Products, LLC
 Plaque Sponsored by Christine Favetti

Best Heavyweight Breed

Plaque Sponsored by The Cowboy Closet at Livewire Products

Reserve Heavyweight Breed

Plaque Sponsored by Livewire Products, LLC

Best Lightweight Breed

Plaque Sponsored by The Cowboy Closet at Livewire Products

Reserve Lightweight Breed

Plaque Sponsored by Livewire Products, LLC

Senior Rabbit Showmanship

Buckle Sponsored by Sierra Auto Body, Inc.
 Plaque Sponsored by The Cowboy Closet at Livewire Products

Junior Rabbit Showmanship

Plaque Sponsored by Moyer's Electric & Well Pump Service

Novice Rabbit Showmanship

Plaque Sponsored by Christine Favetti

Rosettes 1st-8th Place for all Showmanship Awards

Champion Rabbit Meat Pen

Buckle Sponsored by Sierra Auto Body, Inc.
 Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
 Plaque Sponsored by The Cowboy Closet at Livewire Products
 Rosette

Reserve Champion Rabbit Meat Pen

Banner Sponsored by Nevada County Fairgrounds Foundation
 Plaque Sponsored by The Cowboy Closet at Livewire Products
 Rosette

YOUTH DOG SHOWMANSHIP

Entry Forms Due By: Friday, June 9 by 4 pm

Receiving/Gate 6: Wednesday, August 9 at 6:30 pm

Judging: Wednesday, August 9 at 7 pm at Arena Green

Release: Wednesday, August 9 following Dog Showmanship

Pee Wee Showmanship: Exhibitors five to eight years of age on January 1, 2022.

Entry Fee: Pee Wee, Novice & Junior; No entry fee • Senior: \$5 per entry per class.

Limits: One animal per exhibitor. Nevada County residents only.

- First place Senior Showmanship will compete Saturday, August 13 in Small Animal Master Showmanship.
- See page 78 for showmanship class definitions.

- The dog must be owned by the exhibitor or their immediate family for a minimum of sixty days prior to the Fair.
- All dogs must be on a leash (not to exceed 6 feet) while on the Fairgrounds. No pinch or head collars allowed.
- Preparation for showing must have been done by exhibitor.
- No interference or double handling permitted.
- Dogs are only to be on the Fairgrounds for the period of time while the judging is taking place.
- Dogs to be kept in the immediate judging area. Dogs must be removed from the Fairgrounds immediately upon completion of the competitions.
- Exhibitors shall be on hand and ready to exhibit at the time called for judging.
- All exhibitors are to wear the recognized show uniform of the organization they represent.
- Bitches in season will not be permitted to compete.
- All dogs must have complete, current vaccinations and be disease and parasite-free.
- Pee Wee, Novice and Junior Showmanship judges may help exhibitors improve showmanship techniques while judging and will demonstrate proper procedures.
- A large class may be divided into smaller groups for ease of handling and judging and to provide the maximum benefits of this learning experience for the Pee Wee, Novice and Junior Showmen.
- American System of Judging.

Pee Wee, Novice & Junior Showmanship

Ribbons Only - 1st through 8th Place

Senior Showmanship - Premiums Offered Per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th
\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6

Division 801 - Dog Showmanship

CLASSES

1. Pee Wee
2. Novice
3. Junior
4. Senior

Division 802 - Dog Agility

CLASSES

1. Pee Wee
2. Novice

Division 803 - Dog Obedience

CLASSES

1. Pee Wee
2. Novice

DOG AWARDS

Dog Division, 801

Senior Dog Showmanship

Buckle Sponsored by Happy Tails Grooming, LLC
 Plaque Sponsored by Happy Tails Grooming, LLC

Junior Dog Showmanship

Plaque Sponsored by Happy Tails Grooming, LLC

MASTER SHOWMANSHIP / AWARDS

Novice Dog Showmanship

Plaque Sponsored by Happy Tails Grooming, LLC

Novice Dog Agility

Plaque Sponsored by West Coast Equine Sports Therapy

Novice Dog Obedience

Plaque Sponsored by Happy Tails Grooming, LLC

Rosettes 1st-8th Place for all Showmanship Classes

SHOWMANSHIP

Limits: Nevada County Youth Only. All exhibitors are required to wear the official show uniform of the organization they represent. State rules require that livestock shown in Showmanship must be owned by the exhibitor and entered by the exhibitor and shown in an appropriate market, breeding or performance class. If the exhibitor has a market animal that is weight sifted and as a result may not show in an individual market class, the exhibitor may use this animal for showmanship only if this animal is the only animal the exhibitor has brought to the Fair. Exhibitors must be nine years of age as of January 1, 2023 for these classes.

NOVICE SHOWMANSHIP

Ribbons only - 1st through 8th Place

Novice - An exhibitor who has not shown the species prior to January 1st of the current Fair year. Exhibitors awarded 1st and 2nd place in Novice are eligible to advance and show in Junior Showmanship (must use the same animal).

JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP

Ribbons only - 1st through 8th Place

Junior - An exhibitor who is showing the same species of animal for the second or third year at the Fair. Exhibitors awarded 1st and 2nd place in Junior Showmanship are eligible to advance and show in Senior Showmanship (must use same animal.) Exhibitors previously winning Junior Showmanship must enter Senior Showmanship.

SENIOR SHOWMANSHIP

Premiums offered - See species showmanship

Senior - An exhibitor who has previously shown in Senior Showmanship with the same species of animal or who is showing the same species of animal for the fourth time or more, at the Fair. First place winners in senior showmanship will compete in Master Showmanship.

LARGE ANIMAL MASTER SHOWMANSHIP

Judging: Saturday, August 12 at 4 pm

Location: Beef Ring & Whitney Pavilion

Limits:

- There must be three or more exhibitors competing in a Senior Showmanship class for the species to be eligible to compete in Master Showmanship.
- Master Showmanship may include the following species: beef cattle, dairy cattle, dairy goat, meat goat, sheep and swine. To be included as a species in Master Showmanship, the species

must have sufficient entries to provide a separate animal to each exhibitor participating in Master Showmanship.

- First place winners of the Senior Showmanship Division in each large animal species are eligible to compete for this award.
- If an exhibitor wins first place in Senior Showmanship of multiple species, the exhibitor will decide which species to represent in Master showmanship.
- If there is a tie in Master Showmanship, the winner of the species drawn at random prior to the competition will be the winner.
- Each exhibitor will randomly draw from animals in each species of the competition.

Division 970 - Large Animal Master Showmanship

LARGE ANIMAL MASTER SHOWMANSHIP AWARDS

FFA Large Animal Master Showmanship

Buckle Sponsored by Ed & Wanda Mertens Insurance

Plaque Sponsored by Andrew & Mindy Trygg

4-H Large Animal Master Showmanship

Buckle Sponsored by Ed & Wanda Mertens Insurance

Plaque Sponsored by Andrew & Mindy Trygg

SMALL ANIMAL MASTER SHOWMANSHIP

Judging: Saturday, August 12 at 1 pm

Location: Beef Ring

Limits:

- There must be at least the same number of animals entered and shown in a given species as there are exhibitors competing in Small Animal Master Showmanship; if there are fewer, the species will be eliminated from the competition.
- Master Showmanship may include showing a chicken, dog, rabbit and a pygmy goat.
- First place winners of the Senior Showmanship Class in each species are eligible to compete for this award.
- If an exhibitor wins first place in Senior Showmanship of multiple species, the exhibitor will decide which species to represent in Master Showmanship.
- If there is a tie in Master Showmanship the winner of the species drawn at random prior to the competition will be the winner.
- Each exhibitor will randomly draw from animals in each species of the competition.

Division 971 - Small Animal Master Showmanship

SMALL ANIMAL MASTER SHOWMANSHIP AWARDS

Small Animal Master Showmanship

Buckle Sponsored by Ed & Wanda Mertens Insurance

Plaque Sponsored by Holt of California & The Beatie Family

AWARD CRITERIA & UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS

FUR & FEATHERS SPECIAL AWARD

This award recognizes an outstanding youth exhibitor in the Fur & Feathers Area who excels in animal care, presentation, personal responsibility and public education.

Cage cleanliness	25%
Water level & cleanliness	25%
Quality/design of educational materials	25%
Exhibitor friendliness/knowledge/helpfulness	25%

CRITERIA FOR LIVESTOCK SPECIAL AWARDS

One outstanding exhibit will be chosen in each market species: beef, goat, sheep and swine. All 4-H and FFA exhibits will be inspected daily and will be scored on the condition and appearance of the animals, condition of the stalls, pens and aisles, neatness and orderliness of the areas used for tack and equipment, and use of decorations and educational displays.

SPECIAL NOTE: Club or Chapter sign must be in clear view or no points will be awarded. The following scorecard will be used:

<u>General Appearance</u>	<u>Score Weight</u>
Neatness	40%
Use of attractive signs & decoration.....	10%
Use of Fair theme.....	10%
Educational information.....	10%
Condition of animals.....	10%
Tack & equipment storage (neat & orderly)	10%
Attendant.....	10%

NEVADA COUNTY FAIR UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS

1. The official competition uniform of the Nevada County Fair 4-H and Independent Livestock Exhibitors shall consist of: White long pants; white sleeved (long or short) shirt with collar. In addition to the official competition uniform as stated above, 4-H has additional requirements as follow: 4-H Club exhibitors are expected to wear the 4-H tie or scarf and the 4-H Hat branded with the UC ANR and the 4-H clover logo (youth may wear current green hat with only the 4-H clover logo and/or white hat for the remainder of their 4-H career). Poultry and Rabbit exhibitors are to wear long-sleeved shirts.
2. The official FFA show uniform shall be worn by all FFA exhibitors and by helpers in individual and chapter groups while showing at fairs and livestock shows. The uniform shall consist of white jeans, white dress shirt or blouse (short or long-sleeved), and the official FFA blue necktie for boys or FFA blue scarf for girls. For the Nevada County Fair the official FFA jacket must be worn. Hats or headgear of any kind shall not be worn with the official show uniform while showing. Agriculture Mechanics project exhibitors, must be in official career development event FFA uniforms; official FFA jacket, zipped to the top, worn with a white, collared dress shirt, and official FFA necktie(boys) or scarf (girls), black slacks/jeans, black socks, and black dress shoes or dress boots.
3. The official competition uniform of the Grange Fair Program shall consist of: white long pants, white long-sleeved button-front dress shirt with collar; the official red waist vest with National Grange emblem on the back. Poultry and Rabbit exhibitors are to wear long-sleeved shirts.

FOR SAFETY REASONS - all exhibitors must wear closed-toed shoes with an enclosed heel while working with livestock.



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LOCAL RULES

EXHIBITORS MUST FAMILIARIZE THEMSELVES WITH THE RULES, AS THEY WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED.

The following are the local rules for the 17th District Agricultural Association, Nevada County Fair. Variances to these rules may only be granted by the Board of Directors of the 17th District Agricultural Association. Variance requests must be made in writing to: Nevada County Fair (17th District Agricultural Association) 11228 McCourtney Road, Grass Valley, CA 95949 or may be delivered to the Administration Office at Gate 1, 11228 McCourtney Road, Grass Valley, CA.

General Rules

1. The Board of Directors of the 17th District Agricultural Association, Nevada County Fair, will be the final authority in any decisions or disputes involving the Fair or the Fairgrounds.
2. The Nevada County Fairgrounds does not allow smoking during the Fair on the Fairgrounds, except in designated outdoor smoking areas. Those who desire to smoke, **MUST** visit one of the five designated smoking areas.
3. No vehicles or trailers will be permitted on the inner grounds during the five days of the Fair without a signed permit from the Fair Management.
4. No dogs or pets are allowed on the inner grounds during the annual Fair, Draft Horse Classic or Country Christmas Faire except for service animals. A service animal is any animal trained to do work or perform tasks for the benefit of an individual with a disability. Pets providing emotional support, well-being, comfort or companionship are not recognized as service animals under ADA regulations and are not permitted at this event.
5. Camping sites are limited and assigned by Fair Management. Livestock exhibitor camping is limited to livestock exhibitors that need to stay for the duration of the Fair. No Junior livestock exhibitor shall be allowed to stay on the Fairgrounds without a chaperone. Camping chaperone must be 25 years of age or older. There must be at least one chaperone for every three youths camping.
6. Livestock trailers must be removed from the Fairgrounds the day of unloading the animals. Exceptions are for those exhibitors who are open exhibitors or are showing breeding animals.
7. Substitutions can only be made within a division. Substitutions must be made when the exhibit arrives at the Fairgrounds; or for animals when registration certificates are checked. In the livestock department a \$5 penalty must be paid for each substitution made by the exhibitor in excess of two in the division.
8. Designated entry fees must accompany entry forms. Entry fees are non-refundable. Checks that are returned for NON-SUFFICIENT FUNDS for any payments to the Nevada County Fair (entries, passes, auction, etc.) are subject to a \$25 fee for each check.

Late Still Entries

9. Still exhibit late entries will be accepted no later than

5 pm on the Friday immediately following the published entry deadline. A late fee of \$10 per item will be charged. Late entries will not be considered after this deadline. Ag Mechanics late entries will be accepted no later than 5 pm on the Friday immediately following the published entry deadline. A \$50 per item late fee will be added to the entry.

Exhibits

10. In the case of limited exhibit space, exhibiting preference will be given to: 1) Nevada County youth exhibitors, 2) Nevada County adult exhibitors, 3) exhibitors from Sierra, Placer and Yuba counties, 4) exhibitors from all other California counties and 5) exhibitors from adjacent states. Legal residency shall be the determining factor. A final decision of acceptance or rejection of any exhibit will be at the discretion of Fair Management.
11. A Nevada County Youth exhibitor is defined as an exhibitor who meets the eligibility and age requirements as defined within the State Rules and whose legal residence is within the boundaries of the 17th District Agricultural Association (Nevada County) or who attends a Nevada County school and is a member of the FFA, Nevada County 4-H or Nevada County Grange. Refer to State Rule VII.1-20 Junior Department.
12. Exhibitors age on January 1 shall be maintained through the calendar year.
13. Exhibits not in place at the time specified will not be permitted to compete for premiums and no entry fees will be refunded.
14. Exhibits must be picked up Monday, August 14, 2023 between 1 pm and 6 pm unless otherwise noted. Exhibit claim tags must be presented when claiming exhibits.
15. Perishables not claimed by 6 pm Monday, August 14, 2023 will be disposed of unless other arrangements have been made.
16. All items will be judged, but may not be displayed.
17. Premiums, trophies and ribbon awards are offered as an inducement to increase competition. Where there is no competition (i.e. no entries or one entry) for two years or more, the Fair Board may remove the class from the Competition Handbook. By the same token, if there are assurances that there will be sufficient competition for a class not already in the book or for one that has been previously deleted, The Fair Board may add them to the Competition Handbook. Such requests must be made in writing to the above address.
18. Should a premium be found to have been obtained by false evidence, misrepresentation or a violation of any of the State or Local Rules, the premium award will be withheld.
19. Exhibitors, excluding livestock, are required to remove all labels, signs or traces of ownership from any exhibit before being presented for judging, with the exception of the exhibit tag which will be given to the exhibitor at the time of submitting exhibit.
20. No "For Sale" signs are to be posted at or near any exhibit for the duration of the Fair. This rule applies to both still

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and livestock exhibits. No private treaties allowed on the Fairgrounds.

21. Any failure by an exhibitor to keep an exhibit fresh, clean and attractive, which is not in the best interest of the Fair, endangers the public, or fails to comply with the rules and regulations set forth in this Competition Handbook will, at the discretion of Fair Management, result in forfeiture of any premiums which may have been won by that exhibitor and possibly the immediate removal of the entry in question from the Fairgrounds.
22. Inappropriate, unethical, or inimical behavior on the part of exhibitors, leaders, advisors, or parents may result in forfeiture of any awards and/or privileges on the premises of the 17th District Agricultural Association.
23. Protests will be considered only if there has been a violation of State or Local Rules that has not been enforced. Decisions of judges, veterinarians, weigh masters, breed callers, tail dock official and times cannot be protested and are final. To file a protest, it must be in writing within 24 hours of the time of the cause of protest and accompanied by a deposit of \$500.00. For more information, see the State Rules for California Fairs.

Late Livestock Entries

24. Market and breeding animal late entries will be accepted no later than 5 p.m. on the Friday immediately following the published entry deadline. A late fee of \$50 per animal will be added to the entry fee. The applicable ownership rules, as detailed in the State Rules for California Fairs, still apply and must be verified by Fairgrounds staff for all late entries. Late entries for Pee Wee, Novice, Junior and Senior Showmanship classes will be accepted up until 3 pm on the Tuesday of the week of the Fair. A late fee of \$25 will be added to the entry fee and must be paid at the time the class is added. Late showmanship entries will not be accepted after this deadline.

Livestock

25. **Back-up Market Animal(s):** An exhibitor may enter up to two back-up animals.
 - Back-up animals may be different species, although a large animal back-up must be a large animal species and a small animal back-up must be a small animal species.
 - A back-up animal may not be simultaneously entered as a breeding animal.
26. **Family Back-up Market Animal**
 - A Family Back-up Animal is a back-up market animal that is shared by immediate family members.
 - A Family Back-up Animal can only be shared by immediate family members who reside in the same household and share in the responsibility of raising and caring for the back-up animal. Each family member using the same family back-up animal must properly enter and pay the appropriate entry fee prior to the entry deadline.
 - A Family Back-up Animal may only be weighed in and shown by a single family member at the Fair.
27. **In order to participate in a youth livestock program** (excluding horse & dogs) at any California Fair, all exhibitors

9 years of age and older must obtain annual certification in the Youth for the Quality Care of Animals (YQCA) program approved by the California Department of Food and Agriculture, Fairs and Expositions Branch. Those not certified are not eligible to participate at a California Fair, including the Nevada County Fair.

28. See page 78 for uniform requirements.
29. Youth exhibitors (4-H, Grange, FFA and Independent) entering a market animal must participate in the mandatory entry process and provide proof of ownership.
30. Animals that are not entered in the Fair are not allowed to be on the grounds during the Fair at any time.
31. Bordering county exhibitors may not show and sell a market animal at the Nevada County Fair unless they meet the requirements and definition of a Nevada County Youth exhibitor. (See Local Rule No. 11 above.)
32. Open livestock will not be accepted before Monday, August 7 at 1 pm and must be in place, with papers checked, by Tuesday, August 8, 2023 by 8 pm.
33. Unless otherwise noted, entry preference will be given based upon available space to: Nevada County Junior Exhibitors; Nevada County Senior Exhibitors; Exhibitors from Placer, Sierra, and Yuba counties; all other California counties. Legal residency shall be the determining factor.
34. The scales to be unlocked by the Livestock Superintendent for specific weigh-in times. Tuesday, August 8, 2023 will be the official weigh-in day, scheduled as follows:

Swine	8 am to 10 am
Beef	11 am to 12 pm
Sheep	1 pm to 2 pm
Goats	2 pm to 3 pm
Poultry/Rabbits.....	Following poultry health check-in

35. Animals must be clean of mud before crossing the scales. Exhibitors with backup animals can weigh up to three animals (their market entry and up to two back-up animals) on the official weigh-in day. If the market and back-up animals are the same species, the exhibitor must declare which animal will be shown to the Livestock Superintendent within the published weigh-in period for that species. If the exhibitor has multiple market species entered, the exhibitor must declare which animal they will be showing following the conclusion of the weigh period for the last species weighed. The non-show animal(s) must be removed from the Fairgrounds by 8 pm on weigh in day.
36. **Reweigh Procedure:** Reweighing of market animals will only be allowed when the first weight recorded is below minimum or above maximum and results in the animal being sifted. The exhibitor must indicate to the Livestock Superintendent immediately after the initial weight that they request a reweigh. The animal must remain in the immediate scale area in view of the Livestock Superintendent. The scale will be zeroed and the animal weighed again. The second weight becomes the official weight. If the animal is removed from the immediate scale area and then returned to the scale for a reweigh, no reweigh will be allowed.

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PLEASE ENJOY THIS YEAR'S DRAFT HORSE CLASSIC.
BRING THE WHOLE FAMILY! DON'T MISS THE EXCITING
PERFORMANCES AND THERE ARE LOTS OF THINGS TO DO
AND SEE AT THE HARVEST FAIR.



2023 DRAFT HORSE CLASSIC *Sept 21-24*
NEVADA COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS
GRASS VALLEY, CALIFORNIA



**YOU CAN ALSO ENTER EXHIBITS FOR THE
HARVEST FAIR AT THE DRAFT HORSE CLASSIC!**
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37. Animals that do not meet market weight requirements will be sifted from the Junior Livestock Auction. State Rule: If the exhibitor has a market animal that is below sifted weight and as a result may not show in an individual market class, the exhibitor may use this animal for showmanship only if this animal is the only animal the exhibitor has brought to the fair. Otherwise, sifted animals must be removed from the Fairgrounds.
38. Junior livestock exhibitors of large and small animals must attend the orientation meeting on Tuesday, August 8, 2023 at 6:30 pm in the Whitney Pavilion.
39. Exhibitors of all barns/species are responsible to organize their own barn duty schedules.
40. Junior livestock exhibitors must show their animal before the animal can be sold at the Junior Livestock Auction.
41. No animal will leave the Fairgrounds before Sunday, August 13, 2023 until 8 pm. Fairgrounds Management may designate a later time, if deemed necessary, to ensure public safety.
42. All animals must be off the Fairgrounds by 12 pm (noon) Monday, August 14, 2023.
43. The exercise area for all animals will be designated by the Livestock Superintendent.
44. Each exhibitor is responsible for providing and caring for their own feed and bedding for large animals.
45. Completed stall cards must be hung over the livestock during the Fair. If a card is damaged for any reason, it is the responsibility of the exhibitor to see that it is replaced immediately. Stall cards are available at the Livestock Office.
46. All Supreme Champions, Reserve Supreme Champions, Champions and Reserve Champions must sell in all large and small market species.
47. Nursing cows will not be permitted on the Fairgrounds. This rule does not apply to natural mothers.
48. Any services, including treatment and medication, provided by the veterinarian on the Fairgrounds will be paid for by the exhibitor. Check with the Livestock Office for the on-call veterinarian.
49. It is imperative that the owner of an animal, or a responsible agent, be available at all times the animal is present on the grounds to make any and all decisions concerning the welfare of said animal. Contact information must be provided at the time of entry.

Signs

50. Exhibitors may not display signs of a commercial nature that advertise feed, supplements, equipment, etc.
51. Exhibitors wishing to hang signs over 16" x 36" must obtain written permission from Fair Management.
52. Exhibitor's signs will be restricted to the exhibitor's stall area. See Rules 20 and 21 in Exhibits section on pages 79 and 80.



For State Rules, visit California Department of Food & Agriculture's website: cdfa.ca.gov/fe



"Country Roots & Cowboy Boots!"