

# 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, 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