

## 140 Swine Breeding General Requirements

All dates are listed on the Tuscarawas County Fair Livestock Requirement Summary.

1. Members will **NOT** exhibit swine breeding animals at the fair. Members will be required to exhibit an educational swine breeding display in the fair booth for project completion.
2. All members must have access to 134R Swine Resource Handbook for Market and Breeding Projects. This can be purchased through your club advisor or directly from the Extension office. (Due to cost factors, one book **per family** is recommended.) Read, study, and have a working knowledge of the information contained in the book.
3. Follow and complete all sections of the Member Project Guide on Page 2.
4. All members must have knowledge of Breeding Chapters 15, 17, 18, 19, and 21 in the Resource Handbook. Members should also be able to explain estrus, artificial inseminating, farrowing crates, and piglet care.
5. All members must have a working knowledge of Swine Quality Assurance (QA) issues and **are required to attend one QA session.**
6. All livestock exhibitors are required to attend Interview Judging in order to exhibit their educational display at the Tuscarawas County Fair and/or be eligible to exhibit at the Ohio State Fair. Members are to bring completed (to date of Interview Judging) 140 Pilot Swine Breeding Record Book. *Do not bring extra materials or a notebook of activities.* If a conflict arises, a member may attend Pre-Judging by appointment only. Members are **not eligible** for county interview placing if they attend Pre-Judging.
7. **All optional headings in record book MUST be completed for Interview Judging and to receive project premium.**
8. Member should also know for Interview Judging: the Pillars of Character, 4-H Pledge, 4-H Motto, 4-H Colors, and be able to describe the role of the Ohio Livestock Care Standards Board.
9. Please add a feed tag each time you change feed.
10. In order to exhibit your educational display for the fair, a Fair Entry Form must be signed and submitted to the Extension office by the deadline. **LATE FAIR ENTRIES NOT ACCEPTED.** If exhibiting at the Ohio State Fair, entries must be completed on the Ohio State Fair's web site by the designated deadline. (See <http://ohiostatefair.com/>.)

If you have any questions regarding your project and your advisor is unable to answer your questions, please don't hesitate to contact the Extension office at 330-339-2337.

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# 2021 Tuscarawas County Junior Fair Livestock Requirement Summary

Each 4-H or FFA member may exhibit two large livestock projects, (in beef and sheep breeding a member may exhibit a third animal if they are enrolled in the corresponding market project) of which must be in different classes. Members can only exhibit two small livestock projects, which must be in different classes. Members are only eligible to receive money from a maximum of two revenue generating livestock sale projects at the fair, regardless of the number shown. [\(See fair book for complete Junior Fair rules.\)](#)

	Mandatory Project Enrollment Date	Possession	Weigh-In, Tag/Tattoo, Banding, DNA, or Pictures	Quality Assurance	Livestock Interview Judging	Fair Entries	Animal Requirements	Health Requirements	
Market Beef & Dairy Market Beef	December 12 or 14, 2020	December 12, 2020	December 12 or 14, 2020	<p>MANDATORY ATTENDANCE AT ONE SESSION IS REQUIRED. All QA sessions for 2021 will be held via Zoom; pre-registration required.</p> <p>Beef – January 25, 6:30 PM Swine Option 1 – February 2, 6:30 PM Swine Option 2 – February 22, 6:30 PM Sheep/Goats – March 23, 6:30 PM Rabbit/Poultry – April 12, 6:30 PM Dairy – April 18, 2:00 PM All Species (catch-all) – April 29, 6:30 PM All Species (catch-all) – May 6, 6:30 PM</p>	<p>July 15, 2021 Midvale Elementary</p>	<p><b>Due August 6, 2021</b> <b>No late entries accepted!</b></p>	1000 lbs. minimum Heifer or Steer must be Male castrated & dehorned	DUNF Vet check upon arrival	
Beef Breeding	<b>April 15, 2021</b>	<b>June 15, 2021</b>	Registration form/Color Pictures due by 4 PM on June 15, 2021, to Extension office				Calf, Heifer or Cow dehorned	No health papers required. Vet check upon arrival	
Beef Feeder Calf							350-650 lbs. Steers, castrated & dehorned	No health papers required. Vet check upon arrival	
Dairy Cattle							Calf, Heifer or Cow Dehorned	DUNF Vet check upon arrival	
Sheep Breeding							Ewes	No health papers required. Vet check upon arrival	
Market Hogs							200-315 lbs. Barrows or Gilts ½ inch hair at fair time	DUNF Vet check upon arrival	
Market Lambs							90 lbs. minimum Ewes or Wethers	DUNF Vet check upon arrival	
Market Goats	65 lbs. minimum Castrated & Dehorned	DUNF Vet check upon arrival							
			ID Form/Pictures June 15 by 4 PM OSU Extension Tuscarawas County				July 12, 2021 Midvale Elementary		
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			ID Form/Pictures June 15 by 4 PM OSU Extension Tuscarawas County	July 14, 2021 Midvale Elementary					



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Dairy Goats	<b>April 15, 2021</b>	June 15, 2021	Registration Form due June 15 by 4 PM Extension office	MANDATORY ATTENDANCE AT ONE SESSION IS REQUIRED. See front for dates.	July 14, 2021 Midvale Elementary Check with advisor for your club's time.	<b>Due August 6, 2021</b> <b>No late entries accepted!</b>	Dehorned No Males	DUNF Vet check upon arrival
Pygmy Goats & Pack Goats		June 15, 2021	Registration Form due June 15 by 4 PM Extension office				Dehorned	No health papers required. Vet check upon arrival
Market Rabbits		August 28, 2021	Bunnies tattooed August 28 9-11 AM Fairgrounds				3-5 lbs. maximum 70 Days Old	DUNF
Breeding Rabbits		June 15, 2021	Registration Form due June 15 by 4 PM Extension office				N/A	No health papers required.
Broilers & Market Ducks		Cost: TBD Pick up: Fairgrounds Tentatively August	N/A				N/A	No health papers required. DUNF
Pullets & Fancy Poultry		June 15, 2021	Registration Form/Pictures due June 15 by 4 PM Extension office				See Fair Book for specific requirements.	Pullorum-free papers required upon arrival
Ducks, Geese, & Fancy Turkeys		June 15, 2021	Registration Form/Pictures due June 15 by 4 PM Extension office				See Fair Book for specific requirements.	Ducks - No health papers required.
Market Turkeys		Cost: TBD Tentatively June Pick up: Fairgrounds	N/A				20 lbs. minimum	DUNF Pullorum-free papers required upon arrival
Horses		May 28, 2021	Registration Form/Pictures due May 28 by 4 PM Extension office	County Update April 26 or May 10	July 12, 2021 Midvale Elementary		See Fair Book for specific requirements.	No health papers required. Vet check upon arrival

\*See the [Tuscarawas County Fair book](#) for more information.

# County 4-H Project Completion and Judging Overview 2021

Please carefully read this information; it may answer most Interview Judging or county fair questions.

## Project Guidelines

For project guideline information, visit: [go.osu.edu/tusc4-hguidelines](http://go.osu.edu/tusc4-hguidelines)

All project guidelines are available online. Only equine and livestock projects will receive guidelines with project book.

Guidelines need completed for Interview Judging. Members taking more than one project in the same interest area need to complete guidelines for each project and cannot use the same items to support both projects.

*For a member to achieve the progression of goals needed for development, 4-H projects must be separate and different from those carried in other organizations such as FHA/HERO, FFA, Scouts, Camp Fire, grange, church, and school (including industrial arts class, science fairs, etc.).*

## Project Completion and Interview Judging

For more Interview Judging information, visit: [go.osu.edu/tusc4-hjudging](http://go.osu.edu/tusc4-hjudging)

Completion of a 4-H project may be achieved in one of two methods. Members must choose one of the following for evaluation, based on the completion of project guidelines and knowledge gained. **All projects must be judged no later than August 6.**

- *4-H Project Interview Judging* – All members are required to attend an Interview Judging evaluation to receive a project grade. All projects are evaluated using individual project guidelines. Club times will be assigned, and advisors will be notified of their club's times. Members are strongly encouraged to attend at their club's scheduled time.
- *Pre-Judging* – Pre-Judging is arranged in advance. Any member who is unable to participate in 4-H Project Interview Judging may participate in Pre-Judging. Participants will be ineligible for county awards and state fair participation. Contact the Extension office **after June 1** to schedule an appointment. Post-Judging arrangements will be reviewed on a case-by case basis if a member misses Interview Judging due to extenuating circumstances.

### Dress Code

Clothing and footwear need to be neat, clean, and appropriate for a professional office interview. No blue jeans or shorts. Shirts/tops and skirt length should be conservative. Wear appropriate shoes (no flip flops).

### #2010 Dog Obedience

Judging dates are determined by the key leaders and will be distributed at the dog project information meeting.

### #588 The Writer in You

Writings are due to the Extension office **before Noon on Thursday, July 1, 2021.**

### Shooting Sports Projects

The Shooting Sports program is designed for 4-H members ages 9 to 18 (4-H age). Judging dates are determined by the key leaders and will be distributed at the Shooting Sports orientation meeting.

### Llamas/Alpacas Projects

Tuscarawas County does not currently have a program in place for llamas/alpacas.

Precise Schedules to be Announced				
Monday July 12	Tuesday July 13	Wednesday July 14	Thursday July 15	Thursday July 22
Equine (includes Horseless Horse)	FCS Related	Small Livestock (all goats, poultry, rabbits)	Dairy	Clothing and Style Review
Swine	Food and Nutrition		Beef	
	Miscellaneous		Sheep	
	#200 All About Dogs			
	#201D You and Your Dog			



### Member Evaluation Form

This form is due to our office no later than June 15, 2021.

This is available from the organizational advisor or online ([go.osu.edu/tusc4-hjudging](http://go.osu.edu/tusc4-hjudging)). It is to be **completed by the 4-H Advisor and parent/guardian** if they feel it is necessary that the judge should use special consideration concerning a 4-H member during Interview Judging.

### State Fair Eligibility

For more State Fair competition or entry deadline information, visit: <http://www.ohiostatefair.com>

4-H members enrolled in non-livestock projects must attend regularly scheduled judging to be eligible to place in the county or be eligible to go to State Fair. 4-H members in clothing projects must participate in the county 4-H Style Review to be eligible to be selected for State Fair competition. No pre-judging participants will be considered.

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## County Fair

For more county fair information or to see the fair booklet, visit [tusccountyfairgrounds.com](http://tusccountyfairgrounds.com).

Fair rules and show information are in the Junior Fair Supplement. Entry forms will be online only.

Of special note:

- **All Junior Fair exhibitors must have their official entries completed and signed by their parent/legal guardian regardless of age. The Tuscarawas County Extension office collects Junior Fair Entry Forms on behalf of the Senior Fair Board. All entries must be in the Extension office before by 4:00 p.m. on August 6, 2021. LATE ENTRIES ARE NOT ACCEPTED BY THE TUSCARAWAS COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY – NO EXCEPTIONS.**
- Wristbands will be distributed only to members who have a yes (Y) in the Club Completion Column on their club's Completion Sheet.
- Members must have an exhibit at the county fair (as stated in project guidelines) in order to receive a fair premium. If there are circumstances where an animal is not able to be exhibited, a display or poster must be exhibited in the member's club's or county miscellaneous booth.

<b>PROJECT RATINGS, PREMIUM REQUIREMENTS, and PAYMENTS</b>		
<i>All premiums are paid by the Tuscarawas County Agricultural Society based on project rating received at 4-H Interview Judging.</i>		
<b>Gold</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Exceptional project knowledge.</li><li>• Work exhibits extra effort with individual initiative to go above and beyond the project requirements.</li><li>• A thorough understanding of proper methods to complete project.</li></ul>	\$8
<b>Silver</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Very knowledgeable of project subject matter.</li><li>• Completed project requirements.</li><li>• Project presented in a neat and organized manner.</li></ul>	\$7
<b>Bronze</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Adequate project knowledge.</li><li>• Has made effort towards completing requirements and project presentation</li></ul>	\$6
<b>Participation</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Shows little effort towards completing requirements and presentation.</li></ul>	None
<b>MEMBER'S PRESENTATION AND ATTITUDE WILL AFFECT PROJECT RATING</b>		

Please email or call us at 330-339-2337 if you have any questions.

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