

Wabaunsee County Fair Association

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General Rules & Regulations

NOTICE: Only bona fide Wabaunsee County 4-H members may show in the 4-H division. Open Class division is open to anyone, including out of county exhibitors.

Entry System: We have transitioned to the FairEntry online fair management system! Entries can be completed by going to: <http://wabcofair.fairentry.com/>.

- **4-H Entries:** Online entries are required for all 4-H exhibitors and projects,
- **Open Class Entries:** Online entries are requested, but not required. Entry sheets (OC Only) are available at the Extension Office.

1. The Wabaunsee County Fair Board reserves the right to interpret all Open Class and general County Fair rules and regulations. They will arbitrarily settle and determine all matters, questions and differences in regard thereto, or otherwise arising out of, connected with or incident to the County Fair. Wabaunsee County Extension reserves the right to interpret 4-H rules and regulations. They will arbitrarily settle and determine all 4-H matters, questions and differences in regard thereto, or otherwise arising out of, connected with or incident to the County Fair.
2. An entry may only be exhibited in one division: 4-H or Open Class.
3. Age categories are based on January 1 of current year.
4. Age divisions will be: Junior (7-9), Intermediate (10-13) and Senior (14-18), unless otherwise specified.

5. Open Class will be awarded on a basis of purple, blue, red and white ribbon groups. Premium money will be awarded to the 1st, 2nd and 3rd places.
6. If, in the opinion of the judge, the entry(s) for an award are not up to standards worthy of first prize, the prize awards will be made as the judge may consider proper.
7. All buildings will be open Friday of the fair at noon. All exhibits are to be in place during scheduled check-in times.
8. All exhibitors will be expected to help clean up the barns and fairgrounds Tuesday evening.
9. No project may check-out early unless directed by Extension Agent, Fair Board, and/or Fair Veterinarian.
10. Superintendents will use diligence to ensure the safety of livestock or articles after their arrival and placement, but will in no case be responsible for any loss or damage that may occur.
11. Night watchmen will be provided Friday through Tuesday nights of the Fair.
12. No alcoholic beverages will be allowed on the fairgrounds during the fair.
13. No dogs other than genuine service dogs allowed on fairgrounds during the County Fair.
14. Campers or RVs may not arrive before 6:00 a.m. on Saturday of the Fair.

Animal Rules & Regulations

GENERAL

1. ALL 4-H animal entries **MUST** be submitted via FairEntry no later than **the first Friday in July**.
2. Open Class animals are requested to submit a pre-entry, but are not required. Please let the Extension Office know how many head you are bringing, so stalls can be assigned.
3. ALL livestock must check-in Saturday morning as scheduled. This includes market & breeding animals.
4. Livestock must be checked in and weighed by the 4-Her or family; superintendents are not responsible

for moving animals from pens to the scales.

5. If you wish to protest the official scale weight, the 4-Her or family must be present when weighed; the animal will walk off the scale, scale will be zeroed, and the animal will immediately re-weigh.
6. There will be no sleeping in the exhibit buildings. Adequate nighttime supervision will be provided. Camping will be allowed east of Mill Creek Cowboys Arena
7. All cattle, goats, sheep, swine not sold can be released Tuesday 6:00 a.m. - noon. Rabbits and poultry will be released Tuesday at 8:00 p.m.