

Arkansas State Fair Poultry Handbook



Section 1: Broilers

Superintendent: Scharidi Barber

All Junior Broilers entering the fairgrounds become the property of the Arkansas State Fair and cannot be removed by the exhibitor from the fairgrounds.

The following rules apply to the Junior Broiler Show:

- A pen of three broilers constitutes an entry.
- Only one pen of broilers may be entered by each exhibitor.
- Broiler entries must be cared for by the exhibitor until the time of judging.
- Only birds provided through the County Extension Offices or Agricultural Education Chapters from the University of Arkansas Department of Poultry Sciences are eligible.
- NEW: exhibitors will have to enter the state fair broiler show through the Showman.app entry system. Ordering a set of broilers DOES NOT constitute an entry into the ASF broiler show.

Section 2: Poultry Show

Superintendent: Aaron Baker

The following rules will be enforced for both the Junior and Open Poultry Show.

NO Substitutions will be made on day of show. Entries will be judged as entered.

Exhibitors are responsible for feeding and watering their own birds while on exhibition at the fair. Feed will be available if needed at the show.

One coop will be provided for each bird entered, including trios, when space allows. Double cooping of some birds will be available upon request when space is available.

All birds not claimed by 12:00 p.m., Sunday, October 23, will be removed at discretion of show management.

All judging will be conducted under the rules of the American Poultry Association. Birds will be judged by comparison method according to the American Standard of Perfection latest edition, Instructions to Judges, "For Economic Qualities of Standard -Bred Fowls."

The same bird can NOT be entered in both a single and a pen class. However, an individual bird from a trio may be considered for class or show champion. Exhibitors may enter more than two entries per class, but will only be paid premiums for their top two placing within that class. Shows will be APA/ABA sanctioned shows.

All poultry shall have originated from a US Pullorum clean flock (NPIP) or have had a negative Pullorum test within 90 days of entry. In the case that any bird exhibits signs of disease or sickness, the ASF Show Management has the right to remove the bird(s) from the premises.

Breed Show Requirements: All breeds recognized in the handbook for the current year fair will have a breed show at the state fair regardless of number of entries. Superintendent will review entry information each year and determine eligible breeds.

Chicken Show – Large Fowl		
AMERICAN	MEDITERRANEAN	ALL OTHER STANDARD BREEDS
Buckeyes	Anconas	Ameraucanas
Chanteclers	Andalusians	Araucanas
Delawares	Catalanas	Aseels
Dominiques	Leghorns	Cubalayas
Hollands	Minorcas	Malays
Javas	Sicilian Buttercups	Modern Games
Jersey Giants	Spanish	Naked Necks
Lamonas		Old English Games
New Hampshires	CONTINENTAL	Pheonix
Plymouth Rocks	Barnevelders	Shamos
Rhode Island Reds	Campines	Sultans
Rhode Island Whites	Crevecoeurs	Sumatras
Wyandottes	Faverolles	Yokohamas
	Hamburgs	
ASIATIC	Houdans	
Brahmas	La Fleche	
Cochins	Lakenvelders	
Langshans	Marans	
	Polish	
ENGLISH	Welsummers	
Australorps		
Cornish		
Dorkings		
Orpingtons		
Redcaps		
Sussex		

Chicken Show – Bantam Fowl		
MODERN GAME	ROSE COMB CLEAN LEGGED	FEATHER LEGGED
Modern Game	Anconas	Belgian Bearded d'ucle
	Belgians Bearded d'anvers	Booted
GAME	Dominiques	Brahmas
American Games	Dorkings	Cochins
Old English Games	Hamburgs	Faverolles
	Leghorns	Langshans
SINGLE COMB CLEAN LEGGED	Minorcas	Silkie
Anconas	Nankins	Sultans
Andalusians	Redcaps	
Australorps	Rhode Island Reds	
Campines	Rhode Island Whites	
Catalanas	Rosecombs	
Delawares	Sebrights	
Dorkings	Wyandottes	
Dutch		
Hollands	ALL OTHER COMB CLEAN LEGGED	
Japanese	Ameraucanas	
Javas	Araucanas	
Jersey Giants	Buckeyes	
Lakenvelders	Chanteclers	
Lamonas	Cornish	
Leghorns	Crevecoeur	
Minorcas	Cubalayas	
Naked Necks	Houdans	
Nankins	Ko Shamos	
New Hampshires	La Fleche	
Orpingtons	Malays	
Phoenix	Polish	
Plymouth Rock	Shamos	
Rhode Island Reds	Sicilian Buttercups	
Seramas	Sumatras	
Spanish	Yokohamas	
Sussex		
Welsummers		

Chicken Show Premiums

Payouts will be based on percentages of entries.

Junior and Open Chicken Show Classes

Chicken		
1	Cock (male bird over one year)	Premium
2	Hen (female bird over one year)	Premium
3	Cockerel (male bird under one year)	Premium
4	Pullet (female bird under one year)	Premium
5	Old Trio (cock and two hens)	Premium
6	Young Trio (cockerel and two pullets)	Premium

Junior Show

Junior Poultry Showmanship: Registration for Junior Poultry Showmanship will be available on Thursday. Your specific competition show times will be posted by Friday morning by 8:00 a.m.

Open Show

Certificate Awards: When 10 or more are judged in a class, certificates will be given for each of the following: Grand and Reserve Large Chicken, Grand & Reserve Champion Bantam. The above awards will be mailed to winner(s) by APA at a later date.

Section 3: Duck & Goose Show

The following rules will be enforced for both the Junior and Open Duck & Goose Shows.

NO Substitutions will be made on day of show. Entries will be judged as entered.

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One coop will be provided for each bird entered. Double cooping of some birds will be available upon request when space is available.

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Duck & Goose Divisions	
Duck Show	Goose Show
HEAVY	HEAVY
Appleyard	African
Aylesbury	Embden
Muscovy	Toulouse
Pekin	
Rouen	
Saxony	
MEDIUM	MEDIUM
Buff	American Buff
Cayuga	Pilgrim
Crested	Saddleback Pomeranian
Swedish	Sebastopol
	Steinbacher
LIGHT	LIGHT
Campbell	Canada
Magpie	Chinese
Runner	Egyptian
Welsh Harlequin	Tufted Roman
BANTAM	
Call	
East Indie	
Mallard	

Duck & Goose Show Classes

Duck		
1	Old Drake (male bird over one year)	Premium
2	Old Duck (female bird over one year)	Premium
3	Young Drake (male bird under one year)	Premium
4	Young Duck (female bird under one year)	Premium

Goose		
5	Old Gander (male geese over one year)	Premium
6	Old Goose (female geese over one year)	Premium
7	Young Gander (male geese under one year)	Premium
8	Young Goose (female geese under one year)	Premium

Duck & Goose Show Premiums

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Section 4: Turkey & Guinea Show

The following rules will be enforced for both the Junior and Open Turkey and Guinea Shows.

NO Substitutions will be made on day of show. Entries will be judged as entered.

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Turkey entries from out of state exhibitors must also be accompanied by negative test results from an independent laboratory for Mycoplasma.

Turkey Show Divisions	
Beltsville Small White	Bourbon Red
Black	Royal Palm
Bronze	Slate
Narragansett	White Holland

Turkey Show Classes		
1	Old Tom (male bird over one year)	Premium
2	Ole Hen (female bird over one year)	Premium
3	Young Tom (male bird under one year)	Premium
4	Young Hen (female bird under one year)	Premium

Turkey Show Premiums

Payouts will be based on percentages of entries.

Guinea Show Divisions
Lavender
Pearl
White

Guinea Show Classes		
1	Cock (male bird over one year)	Premium
2	Hen (female bird over one year)	Premium
3	Cockerel (male bird under one year)	Premium
4	Pullet (female bird under one year)	Premium

Guinea Show Premiums

Payouts will be based on percentages of entries.