
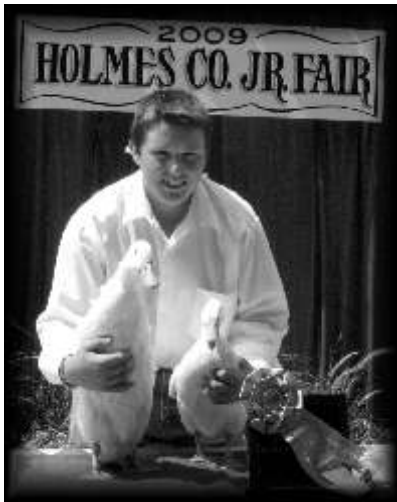
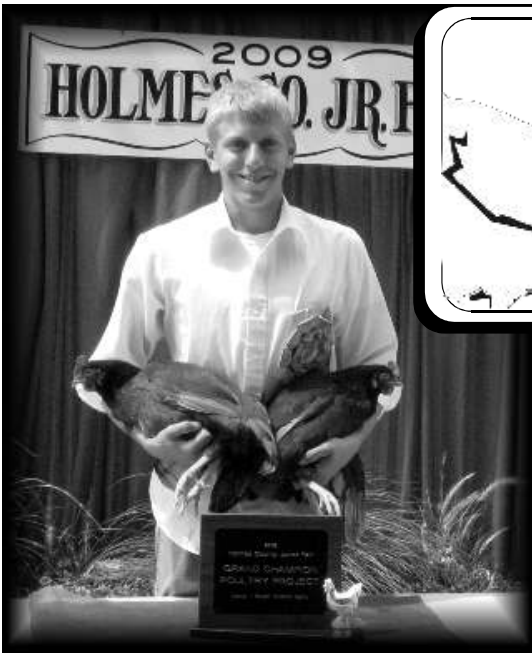


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ENTRY RULES

- All project members and exhibits must follow all Holmes County Jr. Fair General Rules and conform to Livestock Exhibit Health Requirements listed previously in this fair book.
- All livestock to be exhibited, must be entered on an entry form by July 1st. 2010 FAIR ENTRIES PROCEDURE: Fair Entry Forms (for pen assignments) will be accepted at the Holmes Co. Fair Grounds Jr. Fair Board Office on the following dates and times:
Mailed entries will not be accepted.

Tuesday June 8 3:00 - 7:00 PM
Thursday June 17 3:00 - 7:00 PM
Saturday June 26 9:00 AM - NOON
Thursday July 1 3:00 - 7:00 PM

on or before July 1st or space will not be available for exhibit.

Club guidelines must be met to show and sell. Please specify the number of cages needed to house your non-market poultry exhibits.

- Livestock member project grades will be determined by an interview evaluation (Skill-a-thon), covering project book subject matter and basic 4-H/FFA knowledge. All Jr. Fair exhibitors must attend scheduled county judging, if unable to attend, club advisors may evaluate projects. Projects must be evaluated and grade(s) submitted to the Extension Office before the scheduled county judging date. Members who do not attend scheduled county judging are not eligible for Outstanding Market Livestock Awards.
- Poultry hatched before January 1st are placed in Senior Division. Poultry hatched after January 1st are placed in Junior Division. An exhibitor may take 3 exhibits of commercial, fancy and/or duck and geese per division.
- An exhibit is defined as:
Commercial Poultry Class - 1 male and 1 female or 2 females (depending on breed and variety) per division
Fancy Poultry Class - 1 male and 1 female per division
Ducks and Geese - 1 male and 1 female per division
- The commercial, fancy, ducks and geese classes exhibit birds that are obtained by the exhibitors themselves and should have either the document from the hatchery verifying NPIP Free Hatchery or had a blood test performed by the fair vet previous to the fair (within the last 12 months) and verification of one or the other in hand upon check-in. Ducks and geese are excluded from NPIP testing, These classes of exhibits will be banded upon check-in, if they do not already have band identification, before being placed in fair pen.
- Poultry to be exhibited as Pen of Broilers Project and Turkey Project must be purchased through the Extension Office via Poultry Committee. Order forms will be sent from the Extension Office to those taking Broiler Project in May. Forms will be available in the Extension Office for Turkey Project in February. Past exhibitors who have taken a Turkey Project will be notified of order forms and new exhibitors will be notified through WKLM radio station.
- Turkeys must be blood tested within 30 days of the county fair. Other poultry coming to the fair will need to be blood tested within 30 days of the county fair if there is more than one kind of bird on the premises where they came from.
- Only one exhibit for the Broiler Project and/or Turkey Project can be exhibited by an exhibitor and thus sold at the Junior Market Livestock Sale. Weigh In is Sunday 5:00 - 7:00 PM before the fair.
- Poultry for the Broiler Project and/or Turkey Project exhibit and sale at the Jr. Fair will be purchased one time only. If exhibit is lost and or dies between original pick-up and the fair, exhibitor will be unable to exhibit and/or sell poultry project at the Jr. Market Livestock Sale. Project must come from the original purchase. Exhibitor may still complete the Poultry Project and participate in book judging prior to the fair.
- Broiler and Turkey Projects will be banded for identification, weighed and checked for parasites or in ill health upon check-in at the fair. Birds should be clean and fit for show at weigh-in. Any exhibit found not in compliance with fair book guidelines and/or in ill health will be unable to exhibit at the fair.
- A Pen of Broilers consists of:
Two (2) broiler birds equal in size, uniformity and conformation. In order to comply with being a market project, the broiler exhibit must weigh no less than six pounds per pen.
- Members can only bring 2 birds to the official weigh-in as their Pen of 2.
- If a bird in the Pen of 2 dies after official weigh-in the bird CANNOT be replaced with another bird. Members will show their remaining bird in the market class and sell at the end of the broiler sale on Friday. Exception being, if a bird dies after the show placement of pens will not change.
- One turkey, hen or tom, is a Turkey Project exhibit. The turkey project should weigh no less than 22 pounds.
- The order of the show will be listed in the fair book for the classes. The order of exhibitors will be determined by computer scrambling of the exhibitors checked in at the fair. Each exhibit will be judged individually in accordance with industry standards. Exhibits will be eliminated by judges decision and records kept with area assistant. Individual show numbers to be recorded with arena assistant and final exhibits will return to the ring. Top 10 exhibits will be placed and judges' decision is final.
- The Broiler and Turkey exhibits will be the only market classes sold at the fair for poultry. The Grand and Reserve Grand Champions of both Broilers and Turkey Projects will sold individually at the Jr. Fair Market Livestock Sale with all the remaining projects selling individually after the Champions of the class.
- Embryology exhibits are displayed in the 4-H non-livestock building and require no advance entry.
- The poultry committee request that pine shavings be used for all poultry at the fair for easier cleaning of the pens and odor control. Straw is permitted if changed daily, not more added. DO NOT use sawdust from the fair pile. Sawdust heats with wetting from projects. Please do not use cedar shavings these will stain your bird's breasts. All pens must be kept clean. Warning will be given for dirty pens, if warnings are ignored, projects will not sell. All exhibitors perform barn duty for the safety of all the poultry. Barn duty will be in one hour intervals. Sign up will be upon check-in.

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20. All projects will be checked-in on Sunday, August 15, 2010 by 9:00 PM. No projects will be released until Sunday, August 22, 2010 by 9:00 AM. All pens will be cleaned, all water and feed pans should be removed before release time. Destination of market exhibit pens will be marked on exhibitors name tag on the front of cage cards. DO NOT remove the card.
21. Committee will transport market bird exhibits that are designated for processing at the committee chosen processor. Exhibitor must contact committee chair member or Extension Office for the designated pick-up location.

POULTRY SHOWMANSHIP ENTRY RULES

1. Showmanship classes are divided by 1st year project members and by age of Exhibitor as of January 1, 2010.
 - a. Junior - 11 years or younger
 - b. Intermediate - 12,13 or 14 years old
 - c. Senior 15 years and over
 First year project members, any age, are encouraged to enter Beginner Showmanship class. However, members participating in Beginner Showmanship will be ineligible to compete in Junior, Intermediate or Senior Showmanship classes for the current year. Nor are they eligible for the Outstanding Market Award.
2. All participants will be automatically entered into the appropriate showmanship division. All exhibitors are encouraged to participate in showmanship.

3. One fowl owned by the exhibitor from any of the poultry class divisions, except turkeys, may be shown for Poultry Showmanship class competition. One turkey owned by the exhibitor may be shown in Turkey Showmanship class competition.
4. The dress code for showmanship consists of: white long sleeve shirt, tucked into long pants or plain light colored shirt under lab coat. No open toed shoes.

100 - POULTRY SHOWMANSHIP

Section/Class Description

100 20 Senior Poultry Showmanship (Ages 15 and over)

Award Sponsors:

- Grand Champion-Village Motors Inc.
- Reserve Grand Champion-Troy Miller Agency-Shreve Snyder Insurance-Berlin

100 30 Intermediate Poultry Showmanship (Ages 12,13 or 14)

Award Sponsors:

- Grand Champion -Debbie Hoxworth, Tastefully Simple Independent Consultant
- Reserve Grand Champion - Shreve Pizza Parlor

100 40 Junior Poultry Showmanship (Under 11 Years of Age)

Award Sponsors:

- Grand Champion-Case Farms of Ohio
- Reserve Grand Champion - The Daily Record

150 - TURKEY SHOWMANSHIP

Section/Class Description

150 20 Senior Turkey Showmanship (Ages 15 and over)

Award Sponsors:

- Grand Champion - John & Dona Roberts
- Reserve Grand Champion-Holmes Co. Farm Bureau

150 30 Intermediate Turkey Showmanship (Ages 12,13 or 14)

Award Sponsors:

- Grand Champion - Killbuck Handy Helpers 4-H Club
- Reserve Grand Champion- Backyard Buddies 4H Club

150 40 Junior Turkey Showmanship (Under 11 Years of Age)

Award Sponsors:

- Grand Champion - P&G IGA, Killbuck
- Reserve Grand Champion- The Daily Record

200 - POULTRY BREED CLASSES

Section/Class Description

200 10 Commercial Poultry Senior (Hatched before 1/1/10)

200 20 Commercial Poultry Junior (Hatched after 1/1/10)

200 30 Fancy Poultry Senior (Hatched before 1/1/10)

200 40 Fancy Poultry Junior (Hatched after 1/1/10)

Champion Poultry Project

- Grand Champion Burgett Insurance Agency

300 - DUCKS AND GEESE

Section/Class Description

300 10 Ducks and Geese

- Grand Champion Holmes Pest Control

900 - POULTRY MARKET CLASSES

900 10 Market Turkey

- Grand Champion Holmes Pest Control
- Reserve Grand Champion Robert & Debbie Keim Family

900 20 Pen of Three Broilers

- Grand Champion Jones Street Company
- Reserve Grand Champion

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