

TAGGING & DNA REQUIREMENTS

DNA REQUIREMENTS

- Exhibitors are required to **purchase \$10 each**, collect and submit DNA hair samples for all market beef, market sheep, market goat, market swine entries. Entries of these species that do not include DNA samples are disqualified.
- DNA Kits must be purchased online through the Napa Town & Country Fair website and then through the Showworks entry portal individually or by chapter/clubs and will be mailed out.
- Go to the Showworks-enter here site and login in-then select DNA Kits from the Drop Down menu and order your kit(s).
- Completed DNA specimens must be returned to Fair in the drop slot at the Administration Office by due date.
- Automatic DNA testing on any animal that requires a retagging due to lost or dislodged tags.

SPECIES	KITS ON SALE	DNA DUE DATE
Market Beef	March 29, 2024 - April 7, 2024	April 12, 2024 by 4 PM
Market Sheep	March 29, 2024 – June 3, 2024	June 7, 2024 by 4 PM
Market Goat	March 29, 2024 – June 3, 2024	June 7, 2024 by 4 PM
Market Swine	March 29, 2024 – June 3, 2024	June 7, 2024 by 4 PM

PLEASE REMEMBER

**COMPLETING AND RETURNING A DNA KIT DOESN'T ENTER YOU IN THE FAIR.
AFTER COMPLETING YOUR DNA KIT YOU MUST ALSO COMPLETE AN ONLINE ENTRY BEFORE THE
DEADLINE TO OFFICIALLY BE ENTERED IN THE FAIR.**

INDEPENDENT EXHIBITOR REQUIREMENTS

STATE RULE:

Independent junior exhibitors entering market animals must upload the following to the showworks website at time of entry-a picture of their animal with a visible NTCF tag in their ear, appropriate proof of ownership-Bill of Sale. 120 days prior to the fair for beef and 60 days for sheep, swine and goats.