

Junior Livestock Department

LIVESTOCK SCHEDULE

Friday, April 12th by 4:00 PM – Market Steer DNA Due to Fair Front Office Drop Box

Friday, June 7th by 4:00 PM – Market Lamb/Market Hog/Market Goat DNA Due to Fair Front Office Drop Box

Sunday, August 4th

7:30 AM Livestock may begin arriving-All animals must proceed thru the Vet Check prior to unloading.
1:00 PM All livestock must be in place!
3:00 PM Mandatory Exhibitors Meeting - Exhibitor Wristbands will be available following until 7:00 PM Only!
5:00 PM Registration Paper Check Deadline
5:00 – 6:00 PM Open Arena for Pygmy Goat Exhibitors Only
6:00 – 7:00 PM Open Arena for Dairy Goat Exhibitors Use Only
7:00 – 9:00 PM Open Arena for All Exhibitors

Monday, August 5th

7:30 AM Weigh Market Beef, followed by Market Swine – Scale #1
8:00 AM Weigh Market Sheep, followed by Market Goats followed by breeding sheep and goats- Scale #2
12:00PM All Record books due for Wee Clover
Until 3pm Release of all weight sifted animals- Immediately after weigh in until 3pm

Tuesday, August 6th

4:00 PM Dairy Goat Showmanship, followed by Dairy Goat classes, followed by Pygmy Goat Showmanship, followed by Pygmy Goat classes
7:00 – 8:00 PM Open Arena for Swine Exhibitors Use Only
8:00 – 9:00 PM Open Arena for Meat Goat Exhibitors Only
9:00 – 10:00 PM Open Arena for All Exhibitors

Wednesday, August 7th

8:00 AM Swine Showmanship-FFA Senior, FFA Intermediate, 4-H Senior, 4-H Intermediate, 4-H Junior
Followed by Market Hogs, Born & Bred, Small Club Group, Large Club Group
4:30 PM Boer/Meat Goat Showmanship, followed by Market Goat Show, Born & Bred, Small Club Group, Large Club Group followed by Breeding Boer Goat Show
7:00 - 9:00 PM Not Market Ready Hogs & Goats Released
7:00 – 8:00 PM Open Arena for Sheep Exhibitors Use Only
8:00 – 9:00 PM Open Arena for Beef/Dairy Exhibitors Only
9:00 - 10:00 PM Arena Open for All Exhibitors

Thursday, August 8th

8:00 AM Sheep Showmanship - FFA Senior, FFA Intermediate, 4-H Senior, 4-H Intermediate, 4-H Junior
Followed by Market Lambs, Born & Bred, Small Club Group, Large Club Group followed by Breeding Sheep
4:30 PM Beef Showmanship - FFA Senior, FFA Intermediate, 4-H Senior, 4-H Intermediate, 4-H Junior
Followed by Market Beef, Born & Bred, Small Club Group, Large Club Group followed by Breeding Beef
Dairy Showmanship, followed by breeding show
7:00 - 9:00 PM Not Market Ready Sheep & Beef Released
8:00 PM Grand Champion Drive – Swine, Goats, Sheep, Beef

Friday, August 9th

10:00 AM Large Animal Master Showmanship
1:00 PM Small Animal Master Showmanship (includes Pygmy Goats) Zinfandel Hall

Saturday, August 10th

8:00 AM Junior Livestock Auction Registration
9:00 AM Junior Livestock Auction

Sunday, August 11th

8:30AM-11AM Tack Load out- NO ANIMALS
2:00 PM Jr. Livestock Awards Program
6-9PM Release of Animals and Remaining Tack-ALL ANIMALS MUST BE REMOVED FROM GROUNDS

Monday, August 26th

10:00 AM Release of Junior Livestock Auction checks will be available in the main office of the fairgrounds. Checks will only be released if your animals are cleared by the processing plant, your Thank You letters have been turned in and the buyers have paid for the animals.

Livestock Awards

WEE CLOVER AWARD

Cash award to first, ribbon and cash award to second and third, and ribbon to fourth place. Donor is anonymous. Open to members who are either in their first year in 4-H, or their first year with livestock project, and showing and selling their first project animal. The project should have been in progress at least three months. Entrants must submit their record book including a record of their expenses and a record or diary of the progress of the project. This award is to be used in the further development and continuation of the project. Lambs, Swine, Goats and Cattle will be the only livestock considered.

The following will be used in selecting the winner:

Record Book	25%
Quality of Stock evidenced by condition of animal and placed in the show area.....	25%
Cleanliness of Stalls and/or Pens	25%
Attitude; Interview	25%
TOTAL	100%

Judges to be two teen leaders and one adult leader chosen for interest in 4-H Livestock.

ED DENMAN MEMORIAL MARKET SWINE AWARD

To be donated by the Junior Livestock Advisory Committee to the Best Educational Display. All market swine exhibitors are eligible for this Award. No sign-up necessary. To be judged by designated/non-partisan Livestock Committee Members. The following points will be used in selecting the winners:

Educational Display	50%
Record Book	25%
Interview	25%
TOTAL	100%

BETTY CRIVELLI MEMORIAL SWINE AWARD

For best Swine Exhibit - Breeding and/or Market by a 4-H or FFA Exhibitor. First awarded in 1984 by an anonymous donor, this year's award is donated by an anonymous donor. A plaque will be given to each year's winner. Decisions will be made by the swine judge.

WALTER CRIVELLI AWARD

For Outstanding Beef Exhibit. To be awarded to the best all around beef exhibit, either market or breeding. This award will be designated by the judge.

BEST PUREBRED BARROW

Mike McDaniel of Advanced Auto Body will sponsor an award for the Best purebred barrow shown at the Napa Town & Country Fair. This award is to be chosen by the judge. The purpose of this award is to promote purebred barrows as show pigs. Any 4-H or FFA member entered in the fair will be eligible for this award.

BEEF CARCASS CONTEST

The Market Beef Carcass Contest is sponsored by the **Napa Solano Cattlemen's Association**. The winner will receive a Champion Belt Buckle sponsored by the association. There is no entry fee and all steers sold at the Junior Livestock Auction and processed through the fair's designated harvest facility are automatically entered.

The Carcass Contest is scored using completely objective measurements taken by the carcass grader at the fair's harvest facility, Los Banos Abattoir. A carcass score starts with the Yield Grade (YG), which is a numerical score. Additional points are added based upon the measurements of Hot Carcass Weight (HCW), External Fat Thickness (FT) (Backfat), Ribeye Area (REA) and Quality Grade (QG). Those point values can be found on the Data Sheet Key available on the fairs website. Points for the four additional factors are added to the Yield Grade to result in a final score, known as the Index on the scoresheet. The lower the score the better. Note on the key that "bonus" points are negative and "penalty" points are positive. A score of zero is of no particular significance. On the sample scoresheet, taken from another fair a few years ago, the winner has a negative final score. That takes a very good steer, but it happens.

The scoring key shows that more is not always better. HCW and FT have no "bonus" points. There is a desirable middle range outside of which results in a "penalty". REA is similar. A bigger ribeye is desirable up to a certain point. Beyond that point is not as economically desirable, so the "bonus" points diminish and eventually become "penalty" points. It is all about balance. For example, a carcass with a Prime quality grade usually has a poorer yield grade.

Junior Livestock Department Entry Limits

Due to the lack of space required to accommodate animals at the annual fair, The Napa Town & Country Fair has established entry limitations. Entries will be limited to a first come first served basis with the limits established for each species as follows.

Beef/Dairy
Includes Divisions 913-920-930

Limited to the first 50 Animals

Goats
Includes Divisions 910-955-957-958

Limited to the first 75 Animals

Market Hogs
Includes Divisions 911

Limited to the first 275 Animals

Sheep
Includes Divisions 912-940

Limited to the first 200 Animals

Showmanship

Entry Due Online: Wednesday, June 12th by 11:59pm

Premiums Offered Per Class

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>
\$40.00	\$36.00	\$32.00	\$28.00

<u>5th</u>	<u>6th</u>	<u>7th</u>	<u>8th</u>
\$24.00	\$20.00	\$16.00	\$12.00

Entry Fee: \$6.00 per entry

RULES:

All exhibitors must participate in showmanship.

Pre-registration is required.

Only animals owned, exhibited and fitted by the exhibitor may be shown in the showmanship classes.

Age categories are the exhibitor's age as of **January 1, 2024**.

Show order will be FFA then 4-H Oldest to Youngest and Age categories are as follows:

- ↓ Senior - Ages 16-19
- ↓ Intermediate - Ages 12-15
- ↓ Junior - Ages 9-11
- ↓ Novice - Ages 5-8

The first place winners in the Junior, Intermediate and Senior, 4-H and FFA classes will advance to compete in Master Showmanship on Friday, August 9.

Division 900 – Beef Showmanship

Class

- 1 FFA Senior (Ages 16-19)
- 2 FFA Intermediate (Ages 12-15)
- 3 4-H Senior (Ages 16-19)
- 4 4-H Intermediate (Ages 12-15)
- 5 4-H Junior (Ages 9-11)

Division 901 - Dairy Cattle Showmanship

Class

- 1 FFA Senior (Ages 16-19)
- 2 FFA Intermediate (Ages 12-15)
- 3 4-H Senior (Ages 16-19)
- 4 4-H Intermediate (Ages 12-15)
- 5 4-H Junior (Ages 9-11)

Division 902 - Sheep Showmanship

Class

- 1 FFA Senior (Ages 16-19)
- 2 FFA Intermediate (Ages 12-15)
- 3 4-H Senior (Ages 16-19)
- 4 4-H Intermediate (Ages 12-15)
- 5 4-H Junior (Ages 9-11)

Division 903 - Swine Showmanship

Class

- 1 FFA Senior (Ages 16-19)
- 2 FFA Intermediate (Ages 12-15)
- 3 4-H Senior (Ages 16-19)
- 4 4-H Intermediate (Ages 12-15)
- 5 4-H Junior (Ages 9-11)

Division 904 – Dairy Goat Showmanship

Class

- 1 FFA Senior (Ages 16-19)
- 2 FFA Intermediate (Ages 12-15)
- 3 4-H Senior (Ages 16-19)
- 4 4-H Intermediate (Ages 12-15)
- 5 4-H Junior (Ages 9-11)

Division 905 – Boer/Meat Goat Showmanship

Class

- 1 FFA Senior (Ages 16-19)
- 2 FFA Intermediate (Ages 12-15)
- 3 4-H Senior (Ages 16-19)
- 4 4-H Intermediate (Ages 12-15)
- 5 4-H Junior (Ages 9-11)

Division 906 – Pygmy Goat Showmanship (Winners will Show in Small Animal Master Showmanship)

Class

- 1 Senior (Ages 16-19)
- 2 Intermediate (Ages 12-15)
- 3 Junior (Ages 9-11)
- 4 Novice (Ages 5-8)

*** ANIMALS NOT MAKING WEIGHT MAY BE EXHIBITED IN SHOWMANSHIP AS LONG AS IT'S THE ONLY ANIMAL THAT WAS BROUGHT ON GROUNDS PER CALIFORNIA STATE RULES***

Master Showmanship

Rules:

1. **REQUIRED** by all members placing 1st in their respective showmanship classes.
2. If an exhibitor wins in more than one division, the next highest placing exhibitor will then qualify to participate. The first showmanship won by an exhibitor will be their qualifying space.
3. Exhibitors will be scored by each judge on a scale of 1 through 10 points. The exhibitor who acquires the most points in all divisions will be the winner.
4. In the event of a tie score between two or more exhibitors, the tie will be broken as follows:
 - 📌 The highest and lowest scores will be removed followed by retabulation of the scores.
 - 📌 The exhibitors with the highest score on the specie that qualified.
5. After the Awards Program, scores will be posted at the Livestock Office.
6. Livestock Department will supply all animals.

Market Livestock

Any discrepancies in weights called at the scale must be noted and all re-weigh requests must be declared before leaving the scale area. No re-weighs will be allowed after leaving the scales.

Entry Due Online: Wednesday, June 12th by 11:59pm

Entry Fee: \$25.00 per entry

Grand Champion Market Goat & Reserve Grand Champion Market Goat
Lightweight / Middleweight / Heavyweight – Champion & Reserve Champion

Division 910 – Junior Market Goats

Class

1 Market Goats minimum of 60 lbs to a maximum of 115 lbs

*** Market Goats will pay out at auction to the top weight of 100 lbs.**

* (Please note: No blankets / slickers / legwraps or halters on the scale.

*Goats must be dehorned or disbudded with no more than 1 inch of regrowth)

MARKET GOAT (CHEVON) SCORECARD

GRADE

Market Ready: USDA Prime or Choice quality with 12th rib back fat range .08-.12 most desirable, .13 -.22, back fat acceptable, average or greater conformation and cut ability.

Not Market Ready: Good or lower quality grade with 12th rib back fat range <.08 or >.22; under finished goats grading USDA good or lower, below-average conformation or cut ability.

Entry Due Online: Wednesday, June 12th by 11:59pm

Entry Fee: \$25.00 per entry

Grand Champion Market Hog & Reserve Grand Champion Market Hog
Champion Market Hog & Reserve Champion Market Hog for each Breed

Division 911 – Junior Market Hogs – All will be entered in Class 1 and Breeds will be called at Scale! (Duroc, Hampshire, Yorkshire, AOB, Light Crossbred, Dark Crossbred)

Class

1 All Market Hogs 200 to 290 pounds

*** Market Hogs will pay out at auction to the top weight of 280 lbs.**

MARKET HOG SCORECARD

GRADE

Market Acceptable: U.S. No. 1 and No. 2 hogs of average or greater conformation that is acceptable in leanness, muscularity and production traits.

Not Market Acceptable: Any hog of below average conformation including U.S. number 3, U.S. number 4 and utility grade hogs.

Entry Due Online: Wednesday, June 12th by 11:59pm

Entry Fee: \$25.00 per entry

Grand Champion Market Lamb & Reserve Grand Champion Market Lamb
Champion Market Lamb & Reserve Champion Market Lamb for each Breed

Division 912 – Junior Market Lamb - All will be entered in Class 1 and Breeds will be called at Scale! (Hampshire, Suffolk, Speck, Natural, AOB-Whiteface, Crossbred/AOB-Blackface)

Class

1 All Market Lambs, minimum 100 pounds

* (Please note: All market lambs must be sheared from head to hock and have no more than 1/4" fleece prior to arrival on the fairgrounds. No blankets / slickers / legwraps or halters on the scale).

Market Lambs will pay out at auction to the top weight of 150 lbs.

MARKET LAMB SCORECARD

GRADE

Market Ready: USDA Prime or Choice quality with 12th rib back fat range .16-.35, average or greater conformation and cut ability.

Not Market Ready: Good or lower quality grade with 12th rib back fat range <.16 or >.35; under finished lambs grading USDA good or lower, below-average conformation or cut ability.

Entry Due Online: Wednesday, June 12th by 11:59pm

Entry Fee: \$25.00 per entry

Grand Champion Market Beef & Reserve Grand Champion Market Beef
Lightweight / Middleweight / Heavyweight – Champion & Reserve Champion

Division 913 – Junior Market Beef

Class

- 1 Junior Market Beef, 1,000 to 1,500 pounds
Market Beef will pay out at auction to the top weight of 1300 lbs.

MARKET BEEF SCORECARD

GRADE

Market Ready: Market Beef projected to have sufficient fat deposition to meet the marbling specifications for USDA Prime, Choice, or Select+ quality grades.

Not Market Ready: Market Beef lacking evidence of sufficient fat deposition to produce a desirable consumer product; projected to grade USDA Select or lower.

Born & Bred

Entry Due Online: Wednesday, June 12th by 11:59pm

Entry Fee: \$10.00 per entry

Grand Champion Born & Bred & Reserve Grand Champion Born & Bred/ Per Species

Rules:

1. Animals must be born and bred in Napa County.
2. Exhibitors must upload a bill of sale with entries that states that the animal was born and bred in Napa County.
3. Exhibitors are limited to one animal per species in Born and Bred division.
4. Animal must have been shown in the market division to be eligible to be shown in Born & Bred.

Division 2000 – Born & Bred

Class

- 1 Market Beef Born & Bred
- 2 Market Sheep Born & Bred
- 3 Market Goat Born & Bred
- 4 Market Swine Born & Bred

Group Classes

Enter At Ring At The Time of Show

Rules:

5. Groups shall consist of market animals previously shown in market classes, all shown by members of the same 4-H, FFA &/or Grange club (no more than two per individual).
6. Small Club = Clubs exhibiting 5 or less market animals in a species enter in the Small Club/Chapter classes.
7. Large Club = Clubs exhibiting 6 or more market animals in a species enter the Large Club/Chapter classes.
8. Clubs may only enter one class per species, Large or small, not both.

Division 963 - Group Classes

Class

- 5 Small Club : Beef, 3 animals
- 6 Small Club : Goats, 3 animals
- 7 Small Club : Sheep, 3 animals
- 8 Small Club : Swine, 3 animals
- 9 Large Club : Beef, 5 animals
- 10 Large Club : Goats, 5 animals
- 11 Large Club : Sheep, 5 animals
- 12 Large Club : Swine, 5 animals

Breeding Livestock

RULES:

1. All livestock entered in the registered classes must be registered with a recognized breed association.
2. All registration papers must be checked by 5:00pm Sunday August 7th.
3. No animals with papers pending will be allowed to show.
4. All animals must be registered solely in the exhibitor's name with original papers for papercheck.

Beef

Entry Due Online: Wednesday, June 12th by 11:59pm

Premiums Offered Per Class

<i>1st</i>	<i>2nd</i>	<i>3rd</i>	<i>4th</i>
\$30.00	\$25.00	\$20.00	\$15.00

Entry Fee: \$6.00 per entry

Champion Breeding Beef Female & Reserve Champion Breeding Beef Female
Champion Breeding Beef Bull & Reserve Champion Breeding Beef Bull

RULES:

1. Limit of two (2) entries per class.
2. All Senior Yearling females showing must have a calf at side or have a veterinarian's certificate of pregnancy in order to be eligible to show.
3. No nurse cows will be permitted on the fairgrounds.
4. All breeds will show together.
5. Group classes must be owned by exhibitor and shown in an individual class.

Division 920 - Breeding Beef (Commercial and Registered)

Bulls

Class

- 1 Calf, September 1, 2023 through May 6, 2024
- 2 Yearling, September 1, 2022 through August 31, 2023

Females

- 3 Junior Calf, January 1, 2024 through May 6, 2024
- 4 Senior Calf, September 1, 2023 through December 31, 2023
- 5 Summer Yearling, May 1, 2023 through August 31, 2023
- 6 Junior Yearling, January 1, 2023 through April 30, 2023
- 7 Senior Yearling, March 1, 2022 through December 31, 2022

Groups

- 8 Get of Sire: Four animals, both sexes represented, all sired by the same bull.
- 9 Junior Get of Sire: Three animals, both sexes' represented, summer yearlings or younger.
- 10 Pair of Females: Two females, bred by exhibitor.
- 11 Calf/Cow

Dairy

Entry Due Online: Wednesday, June 12th by 11:59pm

Premiums Offered Per Class

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>
\$30.00	\$25.00	\$20.00	\$15.00

Entry Fee: \$6.00 per entry

(Limit 2 entries per class, per exhibitor)

Champion Dairy Cattle & Reserve Champion Dairy Cattle

Division 930 - Registered & Commercial - All Breeds

Females

Class

- 1 Junior Calf, March 1, 2024 through May 6, 2024
- 2 Senior Calf, September 1, 2023 through February 28, 2024
- 3 Summer Yearling, June 1, 2023 through August 31, 2023
- 4 Junior Yearling, March 1, 2023 through May 31, 2023*
- 5 Intermediate Yearling, December 1, 2022 through February 28, 2023 *
- 6 Senior Yearling, September 1, 2022 through November 30, 2022*
- 7 Two Year Old, September 1, 2021 through August 31, 2022
- 8 Three and Four Year Olds, September 1, 2020 - August 31, 2021
- 9 Aged Cow, Born prior to September 1, 2020

*Junior, Winter and Senior yearlings in milk must be shown in Class 7. Please note "IN MILK" on entry form.

Groups

Group Classes must be owned by exhibitor and shown in an individual class.

- 10 Dairy Herd - Three cows which must have been freshened at least once
- 11 Daughter-Dam - Bred by Exhibitor
- 12 Produce of Dam - Two animals, any age, produce of one cow
- 13 Best Pair - Any Age, owned by exhibitor

Sheep

Entry Due Online: Wednesday, June 12th by 11:59pm

Premiums Offered Per Class

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>
\$20.00	\$15.00	\$10.00	\$5.00

Entry Fee: \$6.00 per entry

(Limit 2 entries per class, per exhibitor)

Champion Ram & Reserve Champion Ram

Champion Ewe & Reserve Champion Ewe

RULES:

1. Lambs must show all lambs teeth.
2. All Sheep must have scrapie tags & must be readable.
3. Weigh-in will be at the completion of the market goat and market sheep weigh-in.
4. Groups must be owned and bred by the exhibitor and shown in their individual classes.

Division 940 – Wether Dam Ewes and Rams

Rams

Class

- 1 All Rams (Shown by Weight)

Ewes

- 2 Yearling Ewes (Shown by Weight)
- 3 Ewe Lamb (Shown by Weight)

Groups

- 4 Pair of Ram Lambs
- 5 Pair of Ewe Lambs
- 6 Pair of Yearling Ewes
- 7 Young Flock: Two Ewe Lambs and One Ram Lamb (3 sheep)
- 8 Get of Sire: Four animals, any age, by one sire
- 9 Flock: One Ram, 2 Yearling Ewes and 2 Ewe Lambs (5 sheep)

Goats

Entry Due Online: Wednesday, June 12th by 11:59pm

Premiums Offered Per Class

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>
\$20.00	\$15.00	\$10.00	\$5.00

Entry Fee: \$6.00 per entry

(Limit 2 entries per class, per exhibitor)

Champion Dairy Goat & Reserve Champion Dairy Goat
Champion Pygmy Goat Female & Reserve Champion Pygmy Goat Female
Champion Pygmy Goat Wether & Reserve Champion Pygmy Goat Wether
Champion Boer Goat & Reserve Champion Boer Goat

RULES:

1. Please note there are no Buck classes.

Division 955 - Registered Dairy Goats—Female

Class

- 1 Kid- under 6 months Old
- 2 Junior Kid—6 months to 1 Year Old
- 3 Yearling – Over 1 Year Old (DRY)
- 4 Yearling—Over 1 Year Old (IN MILK)

Division 957 – Registered Pygmy Goats

Class

Females

- 1 Junior Kid, (under 6 months old)
- 2 Intermediate Kid (6 to 8 months old)
- 3 Senior Kid (9 months to under 12 months)
- 4 Jr. Yearling (12 months to under 18 months)
- 5 Sr. Yearling (18 months to under 24 months)
- 6 Two Year Old (2 years to under 3 years old)
- 7 Three Year Old (3 years to under 4 years old)
- 8 Aged Doe (4 years old and older)

Wethers

- 9 Wether (Under 6 Months Old)
- 10 Wether (6 – 12 Months Old)
- 11 Wether (12 Months to under 24 Months Old)
- 12 Wether (24 Months and Older)

Division 958 – Wether Dam Does

Class

- 1 Kid Doe - (Shown by Weight)
- 2 Yearling Doe – (Shown by Weight)

*-weigh in will be at the conclusion of the market lambs and goats.