2024 Clark County Fair Exhibitor Guide Department: Future Farmers of America (FFA) Still Exhibits: "South Hall 3" FFA General Rules

FFA

Superintendent:

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GENERAL RULES:

All FFA exhibitors must check with their Advisor to make sure they are on the FFA pass list by July 6th to be submitted to the Administration Office. FFA passes can be purchased Tuesday, July 30, 9 a.m. – 7 p.m., Wednesday, July 31, 9 a.m. - 7 p.m. and Thursday, August 1, 9 a.m. - 9 p.m. Exhibitor Passes can be purchased during the entire length of the Fair at the Purple Gate (horses and llamas only), and Yellow Gate (livestock only).

- 1. Exhibitors must read the General Rules document that also contains the General Animal Health Requirements, available on the Fair's website.
- 2. ALL ENTRIES MUST BE DECLARED BY PHONE (360) 977-0168 OR E-MAIL steve.lorenz@vansd.org TO THE FFA DEPARTMENT BY THE JUNE 15th. Contact Steve Lorenz for entries or questions steve.lorenz@vansd.org
- 3. Livestock exhibits must be in place by 8 a.m., Friday, August 2 for Goats and Poultry or by 9 a.m., Wednesday, August 7 for Beef, Dairy, Sheep, Swine, Pigeons and Rabbits.
- 4. FFA Building exhibits must be in place by 8 p.m., Thursday, August 1 and are not released until 10 p.m. on Sunday, August 11.
- 5. Students must be registered FFA Members by the date of species weigh-in (for those showing livestock) or the last business day of June (for those showing only still exhibits).
- 6. All exhibits' stalls must be cleaned before leaving the Clark County Fair.
- 7. A separate entry form must be made for each department entered.
- 8. No FFA member may show entries of a general enterprise (dairy, market lambs, beef, swine, poultry, etc.) in both 4-H and FFA divisions. If multiple animals are shown, they must be designated as 4-H or FFA at time of pre-Fair weigh-in. They may show in open class if animals qualify.
- 9. Entry forms, properly signed by parents and advisor, must be in the hands of the FFA Department by the last business day of June. Proof of ownership must be available on demand. All large species animals must be owned by members at least sixty (60) days prior to the opening of the Clark County Fair.
- 10. All FFA members showing livestock must enter the applicable showmanship class unless excused by the Superintendent of the division.
- 11. All livestock entered may be used in the judging contests unless the owner receives exemption by the superintendent.

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- 12. All livestock exhibits must be removed from the grounds by midnight of the closing day of the Clark County Fair. Any exhibits left overnight will be the responsibility of the exhibitor.
- 13. An individual may enter a maximum of two entries in any given class.
- 14. The Superintendent of the FFA division shall have the privilege of judging as to the fitness of any exhibit and may reject any entry not meeting quality requirements or failing to follow rules.
- 15. FFA Members are expected to wear official dress for sale pictures.
- 16. PREMIUMS SHALL BE FORFEITED UNLESS ALL RULES ARE FOLLOWED.
- 17. Please check the times for check-in and pick-up of entries carefully. Failure to abide by these times will result in forfeiture of your premiums.

CONSUMER PROTECTION:

To prevent exhibitors and guests from contracting any disease, and to set an example for attending public, exhibitors will not be allowed to eat or drink in the livestock barns. Keeping animals, stalls/pens, aisles, and area clean are required. It is highly suggested that all exhibitors wash their hands on a regular basis. Clark County Fair Association appreciates the cooperation of all participants in helping to deter the spread of disease.