

## OPEN CLASS POULTRY

**Director in Charge: John Livingston**  
**Superintendent: Toni Altvater, Scott Riddle**

**Entry Deadline:** Fri., Aug. 19, 5:00 p.m.  
 Poultry Fowl Check-In: Tues., August 30, 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. (Poultry Barn)  
 Poultry Egg Check-In: Tues., August 30, 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. (Grange Building)  
 Judging: Wed., Aug. 31, 10:00 a.m. (Poultry Barn)  
 Premium/Ribbon Pick-up: Thur. thru Sun. 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. (Poultry Barn)  
 Mon. 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. (Poultry Barn)

### Sportsmanship Contract

A Parent/Guardian and Jr. Fair Exhibitor agree and understand it is their personal responsibility to adhere to the following sportsmanship policy when entering an exhibit in the Poultry Department:

**Verbal abuse, physical abuse or harassment towards directors, judges, ring stewards, superintendents, employees, OSU Extension Staff, Junior Fair members, club advisors or volunteers of the Hancock County Fair will not be tolerated. You may be escorted from the Junior Fair event, premiums forfeited and upon Hancock County Agricultural Society committee decisions, the family members may not be able to exhibit at the Hancock County Fair for a period indicated by the committee based on the severity of the situation.**

### General Rules:

Per **Health Regulations from the State of Ohio Department of Agriculture – Rule 901:1-18-05**, each poultry exhibitor must comply with one of the following:

(A) All **turkeys, chickens, and game birds** moved within or imported into Ohio for exhibition must either:

(1) Originate directly from a FLOCK or HATCHERY which is a participant in the NATIONAL POULTRY IMPROVEMENT PLAN (NPIP) for the eradication of disease and be accompanied by documentary evidence that they meet the requirement of this paragraph;

(2) Originate directly from a FLOCK which has had a NEGATIVE TEST for PULLORUM/FOWL TYPHOID DISEASE within TWELVE MONTHS PRECEDING THE OPENING DATE OF EXHIBITION and be accompanied by documentary evidence that they meet the requirement of this paragraph;

(3) Have had a NEGATIVE TEST FOR PULLORUM/FOWL TYPHOID DISEASE, WITHIN NINETY DAYS, PRECEDING THE OPENING DATE OF THE EXHIBITION and be accompanied by documentary evidence that they meet the requirement of this paragraph; or

(4) Be tested for pullorum/fowl typhoid disease upon arrival at the exhibition by a tester approved by the Ohio department of agriculture and found negative.

(B) The RAPID WHOLE BLOOD TEST SHALL NOT BE USED TO TEST TURKEYS for compliance with the requirements of paragraphs (A)(2), (A)(3) and (A)(4) of this rule.

(C) **WATERFOWL, DOVES AND PIGEONS** ARE EXEMPT from this rule.

- A copy of the required health certificates must be submitted to the Senior Fair Office by the last day of open class entries. Entries will be **voided** and birds cannot be caged if required health certificates are not received by the deadline.
- All entries are required to be in place before 8:00 p.m. on Tuesday before the fair.
- All exhibitors must check-in before entering the barn with their birds. Violation of this rule will result in entries being **voided** and all poultry exhibits being removed from the premises.
- Birds/Blown Eggs CANNOT be removed prior to release date and dismissal time without approval of the Barn Superintendent, Barn Director and Veterinarian. Contact the Barn Superintendent or Barn Director to obtain approval and the proper release form.
- Premium will be paid per class. If less than five (5) entries in a class, first (1st) place will be paid first (1st) place premium, second (2nd) place will be paid third (3rd) place premium and third (3rd) place will receive a placement ribbon only.
- First, Second and Third Place ribbons awarded for each class.
- Competition open to residents of Ohio and USA.
- Judging will be based on recognized Standards of Perfection and comparison method.

### Fowl Rules:

- The poultry barn will be open for bird check-in on Tuesday prior to the fair from 9:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m.
- Entries must be made by Division Name, Class Number/Name of Variety and Age Definition.
- Age Definition: **Old** = hatched prior to Sept. 1st of previous year, **Young** = hatched after Sept. 1st of previous year.
- One (1) bird per entry and per cage.
- Best of Breed ribbons awarded only if four (4) or more birds are exhibited within the breed.
- For all fowl divisions, a Best of Division winner will be selected and awarded a \$5 premium. Premium is donated by the Blanchard Valley Poultry Association.
- Super Champion and Reserve Super Champion awards are selected from all fowl divisions. Super Champion award is \$10.00 premium and trophy. Reserve Super Champion award is \$5.00 premium and trophy. Both trophies donated by **Lacy Gladish**.
- Free food. Food donated by **Omni Feed and Supply, LLC**.
- Free cooping. Wood shavings donated by **Legacy Farmers Cooperative**.
- The best of care will be provided.
- All birds are entered at owner's risk.
- No sorting, swapping or substitution of birds will be allowed

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once checked-in at the Fair. Once a bird is checked-in, the bird CANNOT be replaced with a different bird.

### Abbreviations:

AOV = Any Other Variety  
 SC = Single Comb  
 RC = Rose Comb  
 BD = Bearded  
 NB = Non-Bearded

### Egg Rules:

- The grange barn will be open for egg check-in on Tuesday prior to the fair from 9:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m.
- Entries must be made by Division Name and Class Number.
- The breed producing the eggs should be noted in entry description.
- Three (3) eggs per entry.
- Only two (2) entries per person per class.
- NO store-bought eggs permitted.
- Entry will be displayed as specified by Barn Superintendent.
- Mottled or Speckled eggs are to be entered in the appropriate 'Other' class.
- Judging elements will include: color, shape, size, shell texture, uniformity, freshness, appearance.
- Eggs WILL NOT be released to exhibitor once checked-in.

### Decorated Egg Rules:

- The Grange Building will be open for decorated egg check-in on Tuesday prior to the fair from 9:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m.
- Entries must be made by Division Name and Class Number.
- Class is determined by exhibitor's age on January 1st of the current year.
- Only one (1) entry per person per class.
- Entry must be 12" x 12". Larger entries will be disqualified.
- Entry must have been created by the exhibitor.
- Entry may contain more than one (1) egg.
- Any size eggs may be used.
- Eggs must be blown or fresh.
- Eggs can be painted, adorned with beads, colored paper, shells and other materials.
- Cannot use materials that will spoil, rot or mold during the exhibit.
- The outline of the egg must be maintained and the shape must be recognizable.
- Judging elements will include: artistic effect, originality, quality of construction, use of color and use of materials.
- Fresh eggs WILL NOT be released to exhibitor once checked-in. They will be disposed of by either the Barn Director or the Barn Superintendent.

### LARGE FOWL

Entry Fee: \$1.50 per head  
 Premium: Paid to 1st, 2nd & 3rd placing

### Age Definition (Enter with Class Number)

**C = Cock (old male bird)**  
**K = Cockerel (young male bird)**  
**H = Hen (old female bird)**  
**P = Pullet (young female bird)**

### Division A - American Class (Include Age Definition)

#### Class

01	Barred Plymouth Rock	09	SC Rhode Island Red
02	White Plymouth Rock	10	RC Rhode Island Red
03	Buff Plymouth Rock	11	Buckeye
04	AOV Plymouth Rock	12	Black Jersey Giant
05	White Wyandotte	13	AOV Jersey Giant
06	Black Wyandotte	14	New Hampshire
07	Buff Wyandotte	15	AOV American
08	AOV Wyandotte		

### Division B - Asiatic Class (Include Age Definition)

#### Class

01	AOV Brahma	03	AOV Langshan
02	AOV Cochin		

### Division C - English Class (Include Age Definition)

#### Class

01	Buff Orpington	05	AOV Sussex
02	White Orpington	06	Black Australorp
03	AOV Orpington	07	AOV English
04	Speckled Sussex		

### Division D - Mediterranean Class (Include Age Definition)

#### Class

01	SC Light Brown Leghorn	04	RC White Leghorn
02	RC Light Brown Leghorn	05	SC Ancona
03	SC White Leghorn	06	AOV Mediterranean

### Division E - Continental Class (Include Age Definition)

#### Class

01	Welsummer	03	AOV Maran
02	AOV Faverolle	04	AOV Continental

### Division F - All Other Standard Breeds Class (Include Age Definition)

#### Class

01	AOV Modern Game	04	AOV Ameraucana
02	AOV Old English Game	05	AOV Standard Breed
03	AOV Araucana		

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### BANTAM

Entry Fee: \$1.50 per head  
Paid to 1st, 2nd & 3rd placing

#### Age Definition (Enter with Class Number)

**C = Cock (old male bird)**

**K = Cockerel (young male bird)**

**H = Hen (old female bird)**

**P = Pullet (young female bird)**

### Division G - Game Bantam Class (Include Age Definition)

#### Class

01 Black Breasted Red Modern	06 Blue Breasted Red Old English
02 Brown Red Modern	07 Wheaten Old English
03 AOV Modern Game	08 White Old English
04 Black Old English	09 AOV Old English Game English
05 Black Breasted Red Old English	

### Division H - Single Comb Clean Legged (SCCL) Bantam Class (Include Age Definition)

#### Class

01 Black Tailed White Japanese	06 Columbian Plymouth Rock
02 New Hampshire	07 Partridge Plymouth Rock
03 Barred Plymouth Rock	08 Black Plymouth Rock
04 Blue Plymouth Rock	09 AOV Plymouth Rock
05 Buff Plymouth Rock	10 AOV SCCL

### Division I - Rose Comb Clean Legged (RCCL) (Include Age Definition)

#### Class

01 Quail Belgian BD d'Anver	07 Black Wyandotte
02 AOV Belgian BD d'Anver	08 Buff Wyandotte
03 Black Rosecomb	09 Partridge Wyandotte
04 Blue Rosecomb	10 White Wyandotte
05 Golden Sebright	11 AOV Wyandotte
06 Silver Sebright	12 AOV RCCL

### Division J - All Other Combs Clean Legged (AOCCL) Bantam Class (Include Age Definition)

#### Class

01 Buckeye	05 AOV Polish
02 AOV Cornish	06 AOV Sumatra
03 BD Buff Laced Polish	07 AOV AOCCL
04 NB White Crested Black Polish	

### Division K - Feather Legged Bantam Class (Include Age Definition)

#### Class

01 NB Porcelain Booted	10 AOV Cochin
02 AOV NB Booted	11 AOV Faverolle
03 Black Belgian BD d'Uccle	12 Frizzle
04 Millie Fleur Belgian BD d'Uccle	13 BD Black Silkie
05 White Belgian BD d'Uccle	14 BD White Silkie
06 AOV Belgian BD d'Uccle	15 BD Buff Silkie
07 Buff Brahma	16 BD Splash Silkie
08 AOV Brahma	17 AOV BD Silkie
09 Black Cochin	18 AOV NB Silkie
	19 AOV Feather Legged

### WATERFOWL

Entry Fee: \$1.50 per head  
Paid to 1st, 2nd & 3rd placing

#### Age Definition (Enter with Class Number)

**odr = Old Drake (old male duck)**

**ydr = Young Drake (young male duck)**

**odu = Old Duck (old female duck)**

**ydu = Young Duck (young female duck)**

### Division L - Heavy Duck Class (Include Age Definition)

#### Class

01 White Pekin	05 Chocolate Muscovy
02 Gray Rouen	06 Silver Appleyard
03 Black Muscovy	07 Saxony
04 Blue Muscovy	08 AOV Heavy Duck

### Division M - Medium Duck Class (Include Age Definition)

#### Class

01 Black Cayuga	03 Buff
02 White Crested	04 AOV Medium Duck

### Division N - Light Duck Class (Include Age Definition)

#### Class

01 White Runner	05 Khaki Campbell
02 Penciled Runner	06 Welch Harlequin
03 Gray Runner	07 AOV Light Duck
04 AOV Runner	

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### Division O - Bantam Duck Class (Include Age Definition)

#### Class (Include age definition)

01 Gray Call	07 Black East Indie
02 White Call	08 Gray Mallard
03 Blue Call	09 Snowy Mallard
04 Snowy Call	10 Mandarin
05 Pastel Call	11 Wood
06 AOV Call	12 AOV Bantam Duck

### Division P - Goose (Include Age Definition)

#### Age Definition (Enter with Class Number)

**oga = Old Gander (old male goose)**

**yga = Young Gander (young male goose)**

**ogo = Old Goose (old female goose)**

**ygo = Young Goose (young female goose)**

#### Class

01 Gray Toulouse	06 White Chinese
02 Buff Toulouse	07 AOV Chinese
03 Brown African	08 White Tufted Roman
04 Sex-linked Pilgrim	09 Brown Egyptian
05 American Buff	10 AOV Goose

### TURKEY

Entry Fee: \$1.50 per head  
Paid to 1st, 2nd & 3rd placing

#### Age Definition (Enter with Class Number)

**ot = Old Tom (old male turkey)**

**yt = Young Tom (young male turkey)**

**oh = Old Hen (old female turkey)**

**yh = Young Hen (young female turkey)**

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#### Class (Include age definition)

01 Bronze	04 Royal Palm
02 Narragansett	05 AOV Turkey
03 Bourbon Red	

### GUINEA

Entry Fee: \$1.50 per head  
Paid to 1st, 2nd & 3rd placing

#### Age Definition (Enter with Class Number)

**om = Old Male (old male guinea)**

**ym = Young Male (young male guinea)**

**oh = Old Hen (old female guinea)**

**yh = Young Hen (young female guinea)**

#### Class (Include age definition)

01 Lavender
02 Pearl
03 White
04 AOV Guinea

### PHEASANT

Entry Fee: \$1.50 per head  
Paid to 1st, 2nd & 3rd placing

#### Age Definition (Enter with Class Number)

**C = Cock (male pheasant)**

**H = Hen (female pheasant)**

#### Class (Include age definition)

01 Golden
02 Ringneck
03 AOV Pheasant

### EGG

Entry Fee: \$1.50 per set of three (3) eggs  
Paid to 1st, 2nd & 3rd placing

#### Class

01 Chicken Standard - White
02 Chicken Standard - Brown
03 Chicken Standard - Colored
04 Chicken Standard - Other
05 Chicken Bantam - White
06 Chicken Bantam - Brown
07 Chicken Bantam - Colored
08 Chicken Bantam - Other
09 Duck Standard - White
10 Duck Standard - Brown
11 Duck Standard - Colored
12 Duck Standard - Other
13 Duck Bantam - White
14 Duck Bantam - Brown
15 Duck Bantam - Colored
16 Duck Bantam - Other
17 Goose - White
18 Goose - Brown
19 Goose - Other
20 Turkey - White
21 Turkey - Brown
22 Turkey - Other
23 All Other - White
24 All Other - Brown
25 All Other - Colored
26 All Other - Other

### DECORATED EGG

Entry Fee: \$1.50 per 12" X 12" display  
Paid to 1st, 2nd & 3rd placing

#### Class

01 Pee-Wee	(7 years and under)
02 Junior Youth	(8 years to 12 years)
03 Senior Youth	(13 years to 17 years)
04 Adult	(18 years and older)