What Do I Need to Show Animals at the 2015 Fair?

CHECK LIST: This self-checklist is to help you meet deadlines. Check (✓) and date when you complete each step.

2014

_________ November 22 – Winter Tagging & Weigh In (market steers only) – 8:00-10:00 a.m. @ Cessna Farm
  • Breeding beef optional, but mandatory by Spring Tagging & Weigh In.
_________ December 1 Due – Market Steer 4-H/FFA Livestock Registration – No Exceptions to Deadline
  • Forms can be found at [http://www.extension.umd.edu/allegany-county-4-h-livestock-forms](http://www.extension.umd.edu/allegany-county-4-h-livestock-forms)
  • County Bred Entry Cards and/or Bred & Owned Entry Cards for Market Steers DUE (also at website above).

2015

_________ February 1 Due:
  • Current 4-H Member re-enrollment form (New member enrollment & fee due May 1)
    • FFA Membership Dues – Due March 1.
  • Maryland 4-H Behavioral Expectations (and/or FFA)
  • 2014 4-H Project Records (required) and 4-H Record Books (optional)
    • Allow time prior for club leaders to review and sign off – No Exceptions to Deadline.
  • 2014 FFA SAE Record Books due to FFA Advisor for review.

_________ April 25 – Spring Tagging & Weigh In – 8:00 am - 12:00 pm @ Fairgrounds
  • For all market animals (except market steers, chickens, rabbits)
  • For all breeding animals not registered with a breed association

_________ May 1 Due: All 4-H/FFA Livestock Forms available at [http://www.extension.umd.edu/allegany-county-4-h-livestock-forms](http://www.extension.umd.edu/allegany-county-4-h-livestock-forms)
  • 4-H/FFA Livestock Registrations (all species, market, commercial breeding, purebred registered breeding) - No Exceptions to Deadline
  • 4-H/FFA Chicken Registrations - No Exceptions to Deadline
  • 4-H/FFA Market Rabbit Registrations - No Exceptions to Deadline
  • 4-H/FFA Breeding Rabbit Registrations - No Exceptions to Deadline
  • 4-H/FFA Horse Registrations - No Exceptions to Deadline
  • Signed Maryland 4-H Code of Animal Science Ethics (FFA members also sign)
  • Breeding and Performance Animal Leases Due
  • Market Animal County Bred Entry Cards
  • Market Animal Bred & Owned Entry Cards

_________ July 1 Due:
  • Completed AH&QA (Quality Assurance training) – via online – Opens March 1 [http://www.agnr.umd.edu/ahqa/](http://www.agnr.umd.edu/ahqa/)
  • Completed Horsemanship Standards- study assistance can be found at [http://extension.umd.edu/4-h/maryland-4-h-horsemanship-standards-0](http://extension.umd.edu/4-h/maryland-4-h-horsemanship-standards-0)
    • Levels 1 & 2 Knowledge to show
    • Levels 1 & 2 Riding for riding classes
  • ★Certificates of Veterinary Inspection and Self Certifications, Maryland Dept. of Agriculture (MDA)★
    • Must have completed prior to any fairs and shows
    • Guidelines and forms at [http://mda.maryland.gov/animalHealth/Pages/Fairs-Show.aspx](http://mda.maryland.gov/animalHealth/Pages/Fairs-Show.aspx)

*Receipts Available Upon Request for Livestock Registrations*
*All forms are due to UME Allegany County 4-H at One Commerce Drive, Cumberland, MD 21502*
301-724-3320 (Attention to Lacie or Jody)