

2020 SVYLSS
YOUTH MARKET SWINE SHOW RULES AND REGULATIONS

Suwannee County Fair, March 20-28, 2020

Swine Weigh-in..... Monday, March 23, 8:00-10:00am
(Trailers must be in line by 10:00)
Swine Showmanship.....Monday, March 23, 6:30pm
Swine Show.....Tuesday, March 24, 6:30pm
Awards..... Thursday, March 26, 8:30am
Sale..... Thursday, March 26, immediately after the awards

1. Entries are limited to active 4-H and FFA members (active will be defined by FFA Advisors and 4-H Agents) who are at least eight years old by September 1, 2019, and who have not graduated from high school prior to the 2020 Suwannee Valley Youth Livestock Show and Sale. Exhibitors must be a resident of and enrolled in school or a 4-H club in Suwannee, Hamilton or Lafayette Counties. *Exhibitors must be enrolled in 4-H or FFA no later than November 1, 2019.* Entry forms will be due on November 15th, 2019 to the Extension Offices in either Suwannee, Hamilton, or Lafayette Counties. Any forms turned in after November 15th but before November 22nd must pay a \$25.00 late fee to be paid to the SVYLSS. Late fee payment must accompany the entry form. No entry forms will be accepted after November 22nd. Barrows and gilts may be shown.

2.Only one animal per 4-H club can sell, and only one animal per FFA chapter can sell.

3.All swine must sell and go to slaughter. A **5%** sales commission will be charged each exhibitor.

4.An official Suwannee Valley Youth Livestock Show Record Book must be kept on all entries. Record Books must be in the hands of the show secretary by 5:00pm, on Monday, March 16, 2020. *Copies of letters sent to two potential buyers inviting them to the sale must be included in the exhibitors' record book.*

5.Exhibitors will be limited to two pigs. one pig and one steer, or two steers. Exhibitors may sell only one animal at the auction sale, the other animal will be sold at market price. However, if an exhibitor received Grand Champion or Reserve, the champion must sell.

6.Mandatory Tagging/Ownership Date: Entries must be owned and in the possession of the exhibitor by December 14, 2019, which is the mandatory ear tagging date. All animals must be brought to the Suwannee County Fairgrounds for identification and tagging by members of the Suwannee Valley Youth Livestock Show and Sale (SVYLSS) Committee; tagging will be done between the hours of 9:30-11:00am. Trailers must be in line no later than 11:00am for pigs to be tagged. Once tagged, exhibitors are responsible for ensuring their tag number(s) are provided to the SVYLSS secretary or other designated member before leaving the fairgrounds. Any animal not tagged at this time will not be allowed to show at the Fair.

7.Possession: Every animal must be housed on the premises of the exhibitor, chapter landlab, or 4-H landlab. If another location is used, it must be stated on the entry form at the time of the initial tag-in. All animals are subject to an unannounced premise check, if the entry is found not to be raised on the premise, the entry will be disqualified.

8.Premise ID Tags: In accordance with federal regulations, all swine must have a Premise Identification tag to receive a SVYLSS tag. Any swine that does not have the Premise ID tag will not be tagged with a SVYLSS tag and will therefore not be able to show. More information can be found at <https://www.freshfromflorida.com/Business-Services/Animals/Pigs-Swine/Official-Identification-for-Swine-at-Fairs-FAQ>.

9.Entries will be received at the Fairgrounds **MONDAY, March 23, 2019, from 8:00am until 10:00am. Trailers must be in line by 10:00am to have their pigs weighed.** No pigs are to be left on trailers overnight at the Fairgrounds Sunday

21. At the sale, Exhibitors must take their animal from the ring into the barn. Any Exhibitor not complying with this rule will be fined.

22. THE DECISION OF THE JUDGES IS FINAL.

23. This is a 4-H and FFA sale. No money will be distributed to the Exhibitor until ALL resale funds are collected. Final checks will be distributed within thirty (30) days after the buyers make their payments to SVYLSS.

24. The Suwannee County Fair Association and the Suwannee Valley Youth Livestock Show & Sale assume no liability whatsoever.

25. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to obtain the name and address of his or her buyer. A copy of the Thank You letter written to the buyer and/or award sponsor must be sent to the show secretary (at the following address) before an exhibitor can receive payment for the sale of his or her animal. Send copy to your local Extension Office in Suwannee, Hamilton or Lafayette County. **Providing a copy to your advisor does not satisfy this requirement.**

26. Exhibitor checks will not be mailed; they must be picked up at the Extension Office in your county.

27. It is understood that all exhibitors filing entries in the show agree to comply with these rules.

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2020 SVYLSS SWINE ENTRY FORM

Due *NOVEMBER 15th* to your local County Extension Office

EXHIBITOR'S NAME _____ DOB: _____

MAILING ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ ZIP CODE _____ TELEPHONE # _____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____

YOU MUST BE ENROLLED IN 4-H OR FFA NO LATER THAN NOVEMBER 1, 2019

4-H CLUB/FFA CHAPTER _____ COUNTY _____

Number of entries _____ (maximum of 2 - only one if you have a steer entry).

MANDATORY PIG TAGGING DATE, TIME AND LOCATION: Members of the Suwannee Valley Youth Livestock Show and Sale Committee (SVYLSS) will tag Animals for identification on December 14, 2019, between 9:30-11:00am. All trailers must be in line by 11:00am. Any animals that need to be tagged must be at the Suwannee County Fairgrounds during this time. In accordance with federal regulations, all swine must have a Premise Identification tag to receive a SVYLSS tag. **Any swine that does not have the Premise ID tag will not be tagged with a SVYLSS tag and will therefore not be able to show.** More information can be found at <https://www.freshfromflorida.com/Business-Services/Animals/Pigs-Swine/Official-Identification-for-Swine-at-Fairs-FAQ>. Once tagged, exhibitors are responsible for ensuring their tag number(s) are provided to the SVYLSS clerk or other designated member before leaving the fairgrounds. **Any animal not tagged on December 14, 2019 will not be allowed to show at the Fair.**

_____ I certify that the animal(s) on this entry form has/have been owned and kept on the premises of the exhibitor as required by the rules of the Association on or before December 14, 2019.

If you are keeping your animal on property other than the address listed above, please list the address for where your animal can be found and the reason it is there:

_____ I affirm that a Suwannee Valley Youth Livestock Record Book is being kept on this pig and understand that Record Books are due by 5:00pm on March 16, 2020.

_____ I certify that I have received a copy of the 2020 Rules and Regulations, understand them, and agree to participate in the Show and Sale according to these Rules & Regulations.

Signed: _____
Exhibitor

Parent or Guardian

4-H Agent or FFA Advisor