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PREMIUM BOOK
2018

Pima County Fair

Pima County

Arizona 4-H

Pima County

4-H

FFA
I. EXHIBITOR REQUIREMENTS:
A. The 4-H/FFA member must be enrolled in the Pima County 4-H Youth Development Program or a Pima County FFA Chapter no later than January 15th of the current program year. Enrollments of member received or postmarked after this date will result in the member not being able to exhibit in the current year’s Pima County Fair. This is not reviewable by the Ethics Review Board.
B. Exhibitor must comply with all membership requirements. The exhibitor must be enrolled at the Pima County Extension Office or with their FFA chapter Advisor no later than January 15th of the current program year. Enrollments received or postmarked after this date may not exhibit in the 4-H/FFA Division of the current year’s Pima County Fair. Submitting an animal for tagging, testing, etc. or providing ownership papers to the project Coordinator will be accepted as evidence of intent to enroll in the project. Late paperwork to the Project Coordinator will not be considered intent to enroll. This is not reviewable by the Ethics Review Board.
C. 4-H/FFA members must be in good standing with their local FFA Chapter or 4-H club. Members not in such standing show at the discretion of their Community Club Volunteer or Chapter Advisor. Any decision made by the FFA Chapter or 4-H Club is not reviewable by the Ethics Review Board.
D. 4-H/FFA members wishing to participate in breeding or market: beef, sheep, swine, breeding boer goats, meat goats, or dairy goats, dairy cattle, rabbit single fryer or meat pen, poultry fryer or roaster pen or squab pen must have participated in an AZ Youth Livestock Quality Assurance prior to tagging or ownership dates. The member must provide proof of certification and it must be valid through the current year’s Pima County Fair. Individuals who have not met this requirement will not be allowed to bring animals to the Pima County Fair. This is not reviewable by the Ethics Review Board.
E. An exhibitor may change their membership affiliation from either 4-H or FFA to the other with written approval from both the 4-H Agent and FFA Advisor involved. Such changes made after November 1st, of each year will not affect the current year’s exhibits.
F. Exhibitors must be present when weighing-in or checking their animal(s) in at the Pima County Fair. This is not reviewable by the Ethics Review Board.
G. All animals must be checked in by the latest time allowed by that species, but in any event, not later than 8:00 p.m. on check in day. No animals will be allowed to check in late.
H. Exhibitor must show his/her own animal(s) except in unusual circumstances such as sickness, family emergency, conflict in fair schedule or multiple animals in a class. Other activities will not be considered an exception. The member is responsible to obtain permission from the Project Coordinator for a substitute. Only Pima County 4-H/FFA members currently enrolled in that project may act as a substitute. Violation of this rule will result in the exhibitor being barred from participating for one (1) year in future Pima
County fair in 4-H/FFA divisions.

I. It is the exhibitor’s responsibilities to be aware of show schedules. No scheduling will be changed to accommodate exhibitors entered in conflicting classes.

J. Special Needs: exhibitors with mental/physical disabilities, which limit the exhibitor’s ability to show their project(s) by normal means. Special needs will be handled by either the 4-H Agent or FFA Advisor and 4-H/FFA members on an individual basis.

K. Repeated display of poor sportsmanship on the part of the exhibitor, parents, leader, or any abuse of an animal can result in dismissal from the Pima County Fair at the discretion of either the Project Coordinator, the show Superintendent, the 4-H Agent or the FFA Advisor in charge of the program.

L. Exhibitors who receive Pima County Fair sanctions that result in arrest, a citation or expulsion from the fairgrounds are subject to further disciplinary action by the Pima County 4-H Youth Development Program. Consequences that are a result of this sanction are not open to appeal through the Ethics Review Board.

II. EXHIBITOR DRESS:

A. 4-H members are expected to wear the following attire when exhibiting or performing at a Fair function: Dark solid colored pants or long skirt; collared and sleeved shirt or blouse and tie combination in 4-H colors. Club vests are optional.

B. FFA: Girls-Dark pants, white blouse with scarf and official jacket or vest. Boys-Dark pants, white shirt, blue FFA tie, and official jacket or vest, or approved FFA Chapter attire.

C Exceptions are as follows: Dairy Goats and Dairy Cattle see specific rules, animal divisions.

D. Closed toed and heeled leather shoes are required for safety in all Projects.

III. ANIMAL OWNERSHIP REQUIREMENTS

A. All animals to be shown must be owned by the exhibitor. The exhibitor must provide proof of ownership as per the Arizona State Livestock Board requirements. Ownership and registration papers must be in the exhibitor's name or proof of possession of same documents at the time of ear-tagging, tattooing, or registration. Exception: school programs where ownership is held by the instructor prior to weigh-in.

B. All requirements of the Arizona State Livestock Board must be met at the time of ear tagging, tattooing, or registration with the Project Coordinator. In all projects, NO SWITCHING FROM ONE CLASS TO ANOTHER WILL BE ALLOWED AFTER THE ENTRY FORM IS ACCEPTED. Exception: Dairy Goats having freshened; market animals to carcass animals (Sheep, Steer & Swine).

C. All animals must be owned and in the possession of the 4-H/FFA member by their respective project ownership date, but no later than January 15th of the current 4-H year. Exception: Rabbit meat pen (Mother of Meat Pen must be owned by January 15th of the Current 4-H year), Rabbit single fryer (Mother of fryer must be owned by January 15th of the Current 4-H year), Poultry fryer pen, Poultry broiler pen, and squab meat pen.

D. All animals being shown at the Pima County Fair that are required by the State of Arizona Department of Agriculture to have a seasonal pass must be in the possession of the exhibitor at the time of check-in at Pima County Fair.
IV. ANIMAL LIABILITY
A. Each exhibitor is responsible for proper security of his/her animals. Each section may have rules regarding security and safety. It is the exhibitor’s responsibility to know these rules and to follow them.
B. Every effort will be made to protect and care for entries, but in no case will the Project Coordinator, Show Superintendent, or any Fair Official accept responsibility for damage, sickness or loss, which may occur.

V. ANIMAL HEALTH AND CARE REQUIREMENTS:
A. All exhibits are to display good health. Any animal showing evidence of disease, parasites, infestation, or deformation may be excused from the grounds immediately by either the Barn Superintendent, or the appropriate Project Coordinator, or the Show Superintendent, or the 4-H Agent or the FFA Advisor, jointly with a Veterinarian. Additionally, any exhibit that in the opinion of the above show officials is or is a hazard to spectators, members or volunteers will be removed from the fairgrounds immediately. This decision is not appealable.
B. Exhibitors are expected to do daily chores both prior to and during the Pima County Fair. If an exhibitor does not take DAILY care of his/her animal(s), in the feeding, watering, or cleaning grooming or pen/stall cleaning, he/she will be required to remove the animal after the first written warning has been given to the exhibitor, leader, or advisor, and the exhibitor will be barred from participating in the 2018 Pima County Fair. Major cleaning of pens must be done by 10:00 a.m. each day.
C. All Exhibitors must provide their own water and feed cups.
D. Animal grooming/exercise: Each animal must be groomed and exercised in its own designated area as defined by the Project Coordinator or Show Superintendent.
E. The Southwest Fair Commission requires a release slip from Project Coordinator or Show Superintendent, OR Show Management before any exhibit may be removed from the Fairgrounds. The Fair Commission requires all exhibits to be on display until 6:00 p.m. on the last Sunday of the fair, and may not be released unless otherwise notified.
F. Any exhibitor removing animals without proper permission will be barred from participating for one year in the 4-H/FFA division of the Pima County Fair.
EXCEPTION: Animals returned for Round Robin, Breeding Animals which are to be removed after the contest.

VI. CONSEQUENCES AND PENALTIES:
The consequences and penalties for violating these rules are stated in the Show Code of Ethics.

VII. INTERPRETATION AND APPEAL:
A. The interpretation of these general rules is the responsibility of the show management. Show Code of Ethics, C.
B. Anyone wishing to file an appeal of the enforcement or interpretation of a specific rule may do so by filing an appeal according to the Show Code of Ethics, C.

VIII. MISCELLANEOUS:
A. Dogs are not permitted in the Livestock Barn or Ramada, with the exception of 4-H project animals for the express purpose of exhibiting on that day and service dogs (Guide Dogs, Seeing Eye or Hearing Ear dogs, etc.)

B. Only licensed drivers are permitted to operate motorized vehicles on the Pima County Fairgrounds. Only Southwest Fair Commission employees and Department of Public Security officers may operate All-Terrain Vehicles, golf carts, or motorcycles on the Pima County Fairgrounds.

C. No bikes, skates, skateboards, roller blades, scooters, etc. allowed in the livestock areas.
PIMA COUNTY 4-H/FFA
SMALL STOCK GENERAL RULES

CAVIES, COMPANION ANIMAL, DOG, PIGEON, POUlTRY, PYGMY GOAT AND RABBIT

4-H/FFA members exhibiting the above species must follow both the General Animal Science Rules and these Small Stock General Rules

I. EXHIBITOR AGE:
   A. Junior Members: 9 years but not 13 years old by January 1 of the current 4-H year (Oct. 1-Sept 31.)
   B. Senior Members: 14 but not 19 before January 1 of the current 4-H year (Oct. 1-Sept 31.)
   C. If it is an exhibitor's first year in that project, they may show as a novice in the junior, intermediate, or senior showmanship classes depending upon their age. Any second year and up project member will show as a junior, intermediate, or senior in showmanship depending upon age.

II. ENTRY AND QUALITY ASSURANCE DEADLINE:
   A. Small Stock Fair entry deadline: MARCH 15 of the current 4-H year. (postmarked and/or delivered by). See specific Project Coordinator/Director for more information or contact the Pima County 4-H Office.
   B. 4-H/FFA members wishing to participate in ALL small stock projects including pygmy goat, rabbit, poultry, pigeon, and cavy must have participated in an AZ Youth Livestock Quality Assurance prior to tagging or ownership date of January 15, 2017. The member must provide proof of certification and it must be valid through the current year's Pima County Fair. Individuals who have not met this requirement will not be allowed to bring animals to the Pima County Fair. This is not reviewable by the Ethics Review Board.

III. ANIMAL REQUIREMENTS:
   A. Animal ownership: All animals must be owned or leased by and in possession of the exhibitor by January 15, 2018. Ownership, registration or lease papers must be in the exhibitors name.
   B. OWNERSHIP/LEASE DEADLINE: January 15 of the current 4-H year FOR ALL SPECIES. Pygmy Goat, Rabbit, Cavy, Pigeon, Poultry, Dog and Companion Animal

IV. ANIMAL IDENTIFICATION
   A. Animals must be permanently identified as per the specific project area.
   B. Microchip, Tattoo or tag or leg band must be legible at check-in and correspond to the entry form or the animal will not be accepted into the Pima County Fair.
   C. Replacing a project animal after the ownership deadline is a decision for the Project Coordinators/Directors to make as a group.

V. ANIMAL CHECK-IN:
   A. Animals may arrive at the fairgrounds 30 minutes prior to check-in time and must be checked in on an individual basis with Project Coordinator/Director or Show Superintendent. Exhibits may not be put in cages, pens, or coops until checked in.
B. The Exhibitor’s name must be on the Registration papers or Bills of Sale, Lease, etc., as Proof of Ownership. These must be presented at time of check-in.

VI. SHOWMANSHIP
A. All 4-H/FFA members exhibiting in Small Stock Projects must participate in their species showmanship. Individuals who do not participate in showmanship will not be allowed to sell an animal in the Small Stock Auction.

VII. HERDSMANSHIP: (Except Dogs and Companion Animals)
A. Herdsmanship judging will be conducted in the morning between 7:00 & 9:00 a.m. and in the afternoon between 5:00 & 7:00 p.m.
B. The following point system will be used in the Danish judging system for each 4-H Club or FFA chapter:
   - Work day representation 60
   - Daily pts. awarded each AM/PM (10 pts AM; 10 pts PM) 110
   - Feeding and Watering 110
   - Keeping Cages/Coops/Pens and Area clean 110
   - Cooperation of Members/exhibitor 110
   - Signing Superintendent roster 110
   - (Tuesday AM through Sunday AM 440)
   TOTAL 500
C. ONLY MEMBERS/EXHIBITORS ARE TO PARTICIPATE IN HERDSMANSHIP
   PURPLE (optional) to be determined by the Project Coordinator.
   BLUE award 500 to 425
   RED award 424 to 375
   WHITE award 374 or less

VIII. POSTERS/EDUCATIONAL DISPLAYS:
A. Educational Display: Adults may not assist with the club display, THE WORK MUST BE DONE BY THE MEMBERS. There is one category, Club.
B. Posters will be entered with project exhibits at time of check-in and will be displayed in the Barn.
C. Posters will be judged on title, message, design, readability, comprehension, neatness, eye catching (appeal) and educational value. The project must be clearly defined. For a club display, the name, age, year in project and club name of all participants may appear on the front of the display.
D. If display is not a series of posters, a written explanation of the display must accompany the entry form and approval must be obtained from the Project Coordinator/Director prior to exhibiting. Educational displays may include live animals. Displays must be entered on a separate form from breed animals. Club Display size up to max. 12’ x 8’ (whole horse panel).
E. Individual Posters will be entered with project exhibits at time of check-in and will be displayed in the barn. The entry consists of one 22 x 28 inch poster made by an individual member. There are three categories: Junior, Intermediate, and Senior. The exhibitor’s name, age, year in project and club name must appear on the BACK of the poster. If this information is on the front, the entry will be disqualified. Enter posters on a separate entry from breed animals. Posters will be judged on title, message, design, readability, comprehension, neatness, eye catching (appeal), educational value. The project must be clearly identified Posters must be CURRENT and have not been exhibited in prior county fairs or prior year.
IX. ROUND ROBIN SHOWMANSHIP:
   Chairperson: Jill Palmenberg

A. **ROUND ROBIN SHOW DATE:** Friday, April 27th, 2018 at TBA
   Practice, Thursday, April 26th, 2018, 3:00 - 5:00 pm.

B. Winners of the Junior and Senior showmanship contests for Rabbit, Cavy, Poultry, Pigeon, Pygmy Goat, and Dog are **required** to participate in the Round Robin Showmanship Contest, unless relinquished to the Reserve Champion within 30 minutes following the showmanship contest for their division. (See Rule C)

C. In the event that one exhibitor is the winner of a showmanship contest in more than one project, the showman will select the project they want to show in the Round Robin Showmanship Contest within **30 minutes** of the last division won. The reserve champion of the remaining project(s) will represent those areas in the Round Robin Showmanship contest.

D. The showmanship winners for each project are **REQUIRED** to attend the Round Robin practice. **In the event the showman does not show for the practice, their animal must be made available to the Project Coordinator and the Round Robin Chairman in time for the Round Robin practice.**

E. **Each contestant must use the animal they used to win their project showmanship competition.** Any substitution of animals for any reason must meet the same requirements for the animal that won the competition and must be approved in writing by the Project Coordinator and Round Robin Chair.

F. 4-H/FFA dress code will apply.

G. Awards will be presented to the Champion and Reserve Champion Junior and Senior Showman. All contestants will receive participation Rosettes.

H. Scoring will be as follows:
   - Presentation of Animal: 60
   - Poise, Technique & Appearance of Exhibitor: 15
   - Knowledge: 10
   - Ability to follow judges' instructions: 10
   - Attendance at Round Robin practice: 5
   **TOTAL: 100**

I. The following may cause from 25 – 50 points
   To be deducted from scores: not turning in packets; not showing for practice; late to practice or the show; not allowing others to handle your animal; not sharing information, etc.

X. FOR SALE SIGNS:
A. "FOR SALE" signs, provided by either/or approved by the Pima County Fair may be placed on pens after animals are judged.
PIMA COUNTY 4-H/FFA
DEPARTMENT “J” CAVIES

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The Pima County 4-H/FFA Cavy Division is subject to all rules of the following:
- Pima County 4-H/FFA General Animal Science Rules & Regulations
- Pima County 4-H/FFA Small Stock General Rules
- Pima County Junior Livestock Sales, Inc. Auction Rules
- Pima County 4-H/FFA Department “J” Cavies

CAVY

OWNERSHIP DEADLINE:  
Monday, January, 15th 2018

ENTRY DEADLINE:  
Sunday, March 25th 2018 to the Project Coordinator.

FAIR CHECK-IN:  
Friday, April 20th, 2018, 4:00 to 8:00 p.m.

BREED SHOW(Official ARBA & ACBA Sanctioned TBA):  
Saturday, April 21st, 2018, 9:00am  
4-H dress or club shirt

SHOWMANSHIP:  
Saturday, April 21st, 2018 , 12:00pm (Noon)  
4-H dress/attire is required

SMALL STOCK AUCTION FORMS DUE TO PROJECT COORDINATOR:  
Sunday, April 22nd, 2018, by 12:00 p.m.
CHECK OUT ALL CAVIES:
Sunday, April 22nd, 2018 6:00 p.m.

BLUE RIBBON CHECK IN:
Tuesday April 24th 2018, 4:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Cavies Designated for the following must return to the fairgrounds:
Small Stock Auction
Round Robin
Best in Show
Reserve in Show
All Best of Breed
Best Opposite of Breed

SMALL STOCK AUCTION:
Sunday, April 29th, 2018

BLUE RIBBON CHECK OUT:
Sunday, April 29th, 2018, 6:00 p.m.

A. First year project members, only, will be able to exhibit one (1) animal in the Pet Class, provided this is the member’s only animal in this project, and this animal does not meet any breed or variety classification or have a known disqualification.

B. Each exhibitor is limited to ten (10) entries of cavy excluding education poster or display or advanced project. All substitutions after the ownership deadline must be approved by the Project Coordinator.

C. All breeds of cavy accepted for show by the American Rabbit Breeders Association (ARBA) may be exhibited by 4-H/FFA Cavy exhibitors. All animals must have ear tags in the left ear.

D. All cavies must be a minimum of twelve weeks old at check-in and show maturity of handling the stress of the Fair.

E. There will be cavy showmanship. The Danish system of judging will be used. Special Awards will be given to outstanding showmanship members.

F. Showmanship winners from previous years are eligible to compete, if currently enrolled.

G. Each exhibitor entering must register for showmanship using their own exhibit in the showmanship competition and said exhibit may also be entered in breed judging.

H. Exhibitors who are to participate in Showmanship must register for the contest on their entry form prior to the Fair.

I. The showmanship contest will be judged only on the exhibitor's ability to show their knowledge in handling, fitting and selecting animals for production and show. The Judge may also ask questions pertaining to the project.

J. See exhibitor dress requirements in General Small Stock Rules.

K. The following pertain to Advanced Cavy Genetic & Projects:
   a. Open only to members participating in at least their second or third year of the cavy project and enrolled with the Pima County Extension office in the Senior
Cavy Project by January 1 of the current year. Advanced members must be in their fourth (4) year or more of project.

b. Project must be approved by the Project Coordinator prior to filling out the entry form. Approval by the Project Coordinator must be obtained prior to entry deadline. If live animals are included in the exhibit, they may also be entered in the appropriate cavy breed class. Total animals entered in breed judging may not exceed the limit of 10 animals per exhibitor per project.

c. Enter project on entry form including description. Record books are due at check-in.

d. Projects will be displayed in the Livestock Barn and must be completed by 7:00 pm the Friday of check-in.

L. All classes will be judged by American Rabbit Breeders Association (ARBA) Standards and the Judge's decision will be final. Each breed will be judged separately. Where there is no competition, judges may award one ribbon or no ribbon according to merit. The Danish system of ribbons, blue/red/ white, will be used. Participation awards will be given for elimination or disqualification entries.

M. Only blue ribbon animals may be eligible for sale at the Small Stock Auction.

N. Small Stock Auction Forms for Cavy must be turned in to Project Coordinator immediately following the breed show Sunday April, 22nd, 2018 by 12:00pm.

O. All 4-H Cavy Members who want to participate in the Small Stock Auction must have a current Quality Assurance Certificate on file and must participate in Showmanship.

P. See Small Stock Auction Rules for more information located in the Pima County Junior Livestock Sales, Inc. Auction Rules.

CLASSES AND LOTS FOR THE CAVY PROJECT

CLASS 1: CAVY SHOWMANSHIP
Lots:
1 – Junior Novice
2 – Junior
3 – Senior Novice
4 – Senior

CLASS 2: CAVY BREED
Lots:
1 – Senior Boar
2 – Intermediate Boar
3 – Junior Boar
4 – Senior Sow
5 – Intermediate Sow
6 – Junior Sow

CLASS 3: PET
Lots:
1 – Cavy Pet

**CLASS 4: ADVANCED GENETICS & PROJECTS**
Lots:
1 – Advanced Cavy Genetics: an advanced display featuring breeding improvements or genetics.
2 – Advanced Cavy Project: an advanced display featuring equipment, by-products, or any cavy-related activity

**CLASS 5: CAVY EDUCATIONAL POSTERS & DISPLAYS**
Lots:
1 – Individual Poster - Junior
2 – Individual Poster - Senior
3 – Individual Poster - Leaser
4 – Club Display
5 – Club Group Demonstration with Display
6 - Junior Individual Education Display (two or more posters)
7 - Senior Individual Education Display (two or more posters)
8 – Leaser Individual Education Display (two or more posters)
PIMA COUNTY 4-H/FFA
DEPARTMENT “L” PIGEON

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The Pima County 4-H/FFA Pigeon Division is subject to all rules of the following:
• Pima County 4-H/FFA General Animal Science Rules & Regulations
• Pima County 4-H/FFA Small Stock General Rules
• Pima County Junior Livestock Sales, Inc. Auction Rules
• Pima County 4-H/FFA Department “L” Pigeon

PIGEON

PIGEON OWNERSHIP DUE:
Monday, January 15th, 2018

PIGEON EXHIBITOR FORM DUE:
Thursday, March 15th, 2018

FAIR CHECK-IN DATE:
Monday, April 23rd, 2018, 10:00 a.m. to 6pm.

SHOWMANSHIP:
Tuesday, April 24th 2018, 9:00 a.m.

BREED SHOW:
Wednesday, April 25th 2018, 9:00 am

SMALL STOCK AUCTION:
Sunday, April 29th, 2018

FAIR CHECK OUT DATE:
Sunday, April 29th, 2018, 6:00 p.m.
A. Each exhibitor is limited to 20 birds. Exhibitors are encouraged to show only their best exhibits as space at the Fair is limited.

B. Any exhibitor having more than one entry in a class or lot called to the show tables may have assistance from other 4-H/FFA members only.

C. Metal food and water cups provided this year. Exhibitors are responsible for supplying their own equipment if they do not like the metal cans. The Project Coordinator will tag cages without water or food. If your cage is tagged please contact the Project Coordinator.

D. All breeds accepted by the National Pigeon Association, as stated in the Standard of Perfection, may be exhibited by 4-H/FFA Small Stock exhibitors.

E. "Squeakers", squabs, or chicks may be brought with mothers only as part of an educational display with prior approval of Project Coordinator.

F. Exhibits must have been banded and correspond to entry form. Split bands may be used. Only exhibits to be judged may be brought to the Fair unless prior arrangements have been made with the Project Coordinator.

G. The leg band/wing tag on the bird must be the same as that entered. Birds with the wrong band will not be allowed to be entered. This rule will be strictly enforced.

H. Exhibits may also be entered in Open Division; however, Open Exhibits must be removed from the barn until check-in time. Exhibits not removed from Open will be disqualified from exhibiting in the current Small Stock 4-H/FFA Division.

I. Under no circumstances will eggs be removed from exhibitor’s cage by anyone, except the Project Coordinator.

J. No racing or homing pigeons are to be released at the Fairgrounds for homing. Please crate and transport them home.

K. The following rules pertain to Pigeon Meat Pens:
   a. Exhibitors in Meat Pen classes are limited to two entries of squabs.
   b. Meat pens should show the 4-H/FFA member's ability to produce high quality meat for the table. The time required varies with each project.
   c. Pigeon Meat Pens: Pair (2) of live squabs; "just" feathered out --- termed "squeakers." Entries must be leg-banded and number recorded on entry form at Fair check-in. Split bands are permitted. Approximate 30 days old. Crossbred birds are accepted for Meat Pens.

L. The following pertain to showmanship:
   a. There will be showmanship in the following departments: **Pigeon**: When a class is broken into two or more sections, special blue awards will be given to outstanding showman asked back to compete for the Round Robin.
   b. Showmanship winners from previous years are eligible to compete.
   c. Exhibitor must use own exhibit in the showmanship unless otherwise approved by Project Coordinator.
   d. Exhibitors who wish to participate in Showmanship must register for the contest on their Fair entry forms with class, lot, and band number of their showmanship bird.
   e. Showmanship will be judged on the exhibitor's ability to show own animal to its advantage and their knowledge in handling, fitting and selecting animals for production and show. The judge may also ask questions pertaining to the project.
If there is only one exhibitor in a showmanship class, then the exhibitor will either
be moved up or down a class with approval of the Project Coordinator and the
exhibitor’s leader.

4-H/FFA dress is required.

The following pertain to Judging, the Show, and Awards:

Each breed will be judged separately.

Where there is no competition, judges may award one ribbon or no ribbon
according to merit. Danish system ribbons of blue/red/white will be awarded if
exhibit merits such award.

"OLD" pigeons are birds hatched BEFORE January 1 of previous year and
"Young" pigeons are birds hatched AFTER January 1 of previous year.

Awards will be presented as follows: (only if exhibit merits such award)

i. Pigeons
   1. Best of Breed
   2. Grand and Reserve Champion - Best of Pigeon
   3. Best Fancy
   4. Best Rare
   5. Best Performing
   6. Best Utility
   7. Best Dove

ii. Meat Pens
   1. Grand and Reserve Champion - Best Pair of Squabs

iii. Educational Poster
   1. Outstanding Exhibit

Only blue ribbon animals may be eligible for sale at the Small Stock Auction.
Exhibitors must participate in showmanship in order to be eligible to auction.
See Small Stock Auction Rules for more information.

CLASSES AND LOTS FOR THE PIGEON PROJECT

CLASS 1: PIGEON BREEDS
Lots:
1 – Young Hen (Y.H.) female pigeon hatched after January 1st of previous year
2 – Young cock (Y.C.) male pigeon hatched after January 1st of previous year
3 – Hen (H) old female pigeon hatched before January 1st of previous year
4 – Cock (C) old male pigeon hatched before January 1st of previous year

CLASS 2: PIGEON MEAT PENS
Lot:
1 – Pigeon Meat Pen: Pair of live squabs, "just" feathered out, termed
   "squeakers", approximately 30 days old

CLASS 3: PIGEON SHOWMANSHIP
Lots:
1 – Junior Novice (No experience showing prior to the current year)
2 – Junior (9-14 Age as of January 1st, 2018)
3 – Senior Novice (No experience showing prior to the current year)
4 – Senior (15-18 Age as of January 1st, 2018)

CLASS 5: EDUCATIONAL POSTERS & DISPLAYS
Lots:
1 – Individual Poster – Junior
2 – Individual Poster - Senior
3 – Club Display
PIMA COUNTY 4-H/FFA DEPARTMENT “M” POULTRY

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The Pima County 4-H/FFA Poultry Division is subject to all rules of the following:
• Pima County 4-H/FFA General Animal Science Rules & Regulations
• Pima County 4-H/FFA Small Stock General Rules
• Pima County Junior Livestock Sales, Inc. Auction Rules
• Pima County 4-H/FFA Department “M” Poultry

POULTRY

OWNERSHIP DEADLINE:
Monday, January 15th 2018

SHOW ENTRY FORM DUE:
Thursday, March 15th 2018

FAIR CHECK-IN (birds, eggs and exhibits):
Monday, April 23rd 2018, 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

SHOWMANSHIP:
Tuesday, April 24th, 2018, 1:00 p.m.

MEATPEN / COMMERCIAL LAYING HEN JUDGING:
Wednesday, April 25th 2018, time to be posted.

BREED SHOW:
Wednesday, April 25th 2018, 9:00 a.m.

SMALL STOCK AUCTION:
Sunday, April 29th, 2018

FAIR CHECK OUT DATE:
Sunday April 29th, 2018, 6:00 p.m.
A. Each exhibitor is limited to 20 animals unless there is a shortage of space/cages, excluding meat pens, posters/displays, and eggs. Exhibitors will be notified in advance of check-in if there is a shortage of cages.

B. Exhibitors are encouraged to show only their best exhibits. All animals exhibited must be in good health. Each animal will be visually inspected by the Project Coordinator or designee prior to cage assignment. Any animal showing evidence of disease, parasites (i.e. lice, nits), infestation, or deformation may be excused from the grounds at the Project Coordinator/ Superintendents discretion.

C. Any exhibitor having more than one entry in a class or lot called to the show tables may have assistance from other 4-H/FFA members (in show dress) only.

D. For all judged shows, 4-H/FFA members must be in show dress as defined in the General Animal Science Rules & Regulations under Exhibitor Dress.

E. All breeds accepted by the American Poultry Association, and the American Bantam Association, as stated in the Standard of Perfection, may be exhibited by 4-H/FFA Small Stock exhibitors.

F. Chicks may be brought with mothers only as part of an educational display with prior approval of Project Coordinator.

G. Exhibits (including meat pen animals) must have been banded and correspond to entry form. Only exhibits to be judged may be brought to the Fair unless prior arrangements have been made with the Project Coordinator. NOTE: Bands must include a number, colored bands (i.e. bands without numbers) are not acceptable.

H. Exhibits may also be entered in Open Division Show; however, Open exhibits must be removed from the barn until check-in time the following day. Exhibits not removed from the Open Division show will be disqualified from exhibiting in the current Small Stock 4-H/FFA Division.

I. Under no circumstances will eggs be removed from exhibitors cage by anyone, except those authorized by the Project Coordinator.

J. NO GAME COCKS WILL BE ALLOWED ON THE FAIRGROUNDS. This does not include Old English Bantams and American Game Bantams

K. The following rules apply to all Meat Pen classes:
   a. Exhibitors in Meat Pen classes are limited to four entries of chickens. One (1) entry in broiler, one (1) entry in fryer, and two (2) in heritage pens.
   b. Meat pens should show the 4-H/FFA member's ability to produce high quality meat for the table. The time required varies with each project.
   c. Poultry Meat Pens: Raise three (3) live chicks from day-old chicks to 6 to 8 weeks old (for fryer or broiler) or 18 to 22 weeks (for heritage pens). Meat pen should be uniform in appearance and size. Entries must be banded and number(s) must correspond to the entry form. Fryers must weigh 3 ½ to 5 pounds each. Broilers must weight over 5 pounds each. Heritage pens must be uniform in size, but since the heritage project does not consist of one breed, weights are not limited. Heritage pens will have a recorded weight and the judge will base his/her choice on uniformity and overall production quality.
   d. All meat pens must have their band numbers assigned and be listed on the Poultry Show Entry Form at entry form deadline, March 15, 2018.
   e. See general small stock requirements.

L. The following rules apply to the Laying Hen class:
   a. Only one entry per exhibitor is allowed. Exhibitors do not need to specify the breed or variety of the hen on their entry form.
b. Hens will be judged on their current production characteristics only without regard to breed or beauty.
c. Laying hen class will be judged in their pens by the judge.

M. The following rules apply to the Egg class:
   a. One-half dozen (6) eggs will constitute an entry. **Entries with fewer or more than six eggs will be disqualified.**
   b. Only one (1) entry per exhibitor per lot allowed: white, cream, brown, blue or green chicken, duck or any other eggs.
   c. On entry form, place egg entries under lot and class number using the word "EGG" under "Breed", and "COLOR" of the egg entry under "Variety". Use different line for each egg entry.
   d. Eggs must be clean.
   e. All eggs in an entry must be of a single size group (small, medium or large).
   f. Eggs will be judged for internal and external quality.
   g. Eggs must be entered in egg cartons only.

N. The following rules apply to Showmanship classes:
   a. Poultry showmanship will be divided into chicken, waterfowl and turkey showmanship. When a class is broken into two or more sections, special blue awards will be given to outstanding showmen and asked to come back to compete for the Round Robin. Callbacks are at the judge’s discretion.
   b. Showmanship winners from previous years are eligible to compete.
   c. **Exhibitors must use their own exhibit in the showmanship competition.** Showmanship exhibits must also be entered in the breed show, or in another judged lot. If a showmanship animal dies, the exhibitor must obtain special permission from the Project Coordinator to use another bird.
   d. Exhibitors who wish to participate in Showmanship must register for the contest on their Fair entry forms at the top of the form. Note: those who wish to participate in the Small Stock Auction must participate in Showmanship.
   e. Showmanship will be judged on the exhibitor's ability to show their own animal to its advantage and their knowledge in handling, fitting and selecting animals for production and show. The judge may also ask questions pertaining to the project.

O. The following rules apply to Judging, Show, and Awards:
   a. Each breed will be judged separately. EXCEPTION: Laying hens of various breeds will be judged as one class. Where there is no competition, judges may award one ribbon or no ribbon, according to merit. Danish system ribbons of blue/red/white will be awarded if exhibit merits such award. The judge may disqualify birds at his/her discretion.
   b. **"OLD"** Fowl are birds hatched **BEFORE** January 1 of previous year and **"Young"** Fowl are birds hatched **AFTER** January 1 of previous year.
   c. Awards will be presented as follows (only if exhibit merits such award):
      i. Best of Breed
         1. Standard Chickens
         2. Bantam Chickens
         3. Ducks
         4. Geese
         5. Turkeys
         6. Ornamentals
      ii. Grand and Reserve Champion
1. Bantam Poultry Show
2. Waterfowl
3. Standard Poultry Show
4. Ornamental

iii. Egg Class
   1. Outstanding Exhibits
   2. Best and Reserve of Show

iv. Laying Hens
   1. Best and Reserve of Show

v. Meat Pens
   1. Grand and Reserve Champion
   2. Best Poultry Meat Pen

vi. Commercial Laying Hens
   1. Grand and Reserve Champion

vii. Educational Poster
   1. Outstanding Exhibit

**P. The following rules apply to the Commercial Laying Hen class:**
   a. Exhibitors in the Commercial Laying Hen class are limited to one entry of three chickens, which constitutes one lot.
   b. Birds should show the 4-H/FFA member's ability to produce high quality laying stock. The time required for this project is variable.
   c. Commercial Laying Hen Pens: Raise a minimum of three (3) live chicks from day-old chicks to 21+ weeks old. Stock must be ordered from a commercial hatchery; only White Leghorns, large fowl (no bantams) may be entered. The Commercial Laying Hen Pen exhibitors choose to enter should be uniform in size and appearance and need to be producing eggs by the time of arrival at the fairgrounds. Entries must be banded and numbers must correspond to the entry form.
   d. The judge will base his/her choice based on the following qualities: uniformity, overall vigor/health of the birds, wing feather quality, vent shape/size, body width, leg pigment, egg quality (shape/size) and overall production quality. The judge may also choose to judge the Commercial Laying Hen birds based on qualities not listed here, but which are within their purview of their expertise.
   e. All Commercial Laying Hens must have their band numbers assigned and be listed on the Poultry Show Entry Form at entry form deadline, March 15, 2017.
   f. This class is separate from the Class 9 individual Laying Hens.
   g. See general small stock requirements.

**Q. Only blue ribbon animals are eligible for sale at the Small Stock Auction. See Small Stock Auction Rules for more information.**

**CLASSES AND LOTS FOR THE POULTRY PROJECT**

**CLASS 1: MEAT PENS**

**Note:** Poultry Meat Pen: Three (3) live chicks 6-8 weeks (Fryers/Broilers) or 18-22 weeks old (Heritage pens), should be uniform in size and appearance. Please reference
Lots:

1 – Fryers must weigh 3½ to 5 lbs. each
2 – Broilers must weigh over 5 lbs. each
3 – Heritage pens must be uniform in weight, based on breed

CLASS 2: CHICKEN SHOWMANSHIP
Lots:

4 – Junior Novice
5 – Junior
6 – Senior Novice
7 – Senior

CLASS 3: WATERFOWL SHOWMANSHIP (does not advance to Round Robin)
Lots:

8 – Junior Novice
9 – Junior
10 – Senior Novice
11 – Senior

CLASS 4: TURKEY SHOWMANSHIP (does not advance to Round Robin)
Lots:

9 – Junior Novice
10 – Junior
11 – Senior Novice
12 – Senior

CLASS 5: POULTRY - CHICKENS
Note: "OLD" Fowl are ones hatched BEFORE January 1 of previous year
"YOUNG" Fowl are ones hatched AFTER January 1 of previous year
Lots:

12 – Cock (C) old male chicken
13 – Hen (H) old female chicken
14 – Cockerel (CKL) young male chicken
15 – Pullet (P) young female chicken

CLASS 6: ORNAMENTALS
Note: Turkeys and Ornamental Fowl will be judged in cages.
Lots:

16 – Old Tom (OT) old male turkey
17 – Old Hen (OH) old female turkey
18 – Young Tom (YT) young male turkey
19 – Young Hen (YH) young female turkey
20 – Peacocks (PC) and Peahens (PH), all ages
21 – Guineas (GU), all ages
22 – Chukars (CR), all ages
23 – Pheasants (PH), all ages (please specify breed on entry form)

CLASS 7: WATERFOWL – DUCKS & GEESE
Lots:
24 – Old Drake (ODR) old male duck
25 – Old Duck (ODK) old female duck
26 – Young Drake (YDR) young male duck
27 – Young Duck (YDK) young female duck
28 - Old Gander (OGR) old male goose
29 - Old Goose (OGSE) old female goose
30 - Young Gander (YGR) young male goose
31 - Young Goose (YGSE) young female goose

CLASS 8: EDUCATIONAL POSTERS AND DISPLAYS
Lots:
32 – Individual Poster - Junior
33 – Individual Poster - Senior
34 – Club Display

CLASS 9: LAYING HEN
Lot:
35 – One (1) laying hen

CLASS 10: EGGS
Lots:
36 – White Chicken
37 – Brown Chicken
38 – Cream Chicken
39 – Blue or Green Chicken
40 – Duck
41 - All Other Eggs
42 - Decorated Egg

CLASS 11: COMMERCIAL LAYING HENS
Note: Commercial Laying Hens: Three (3) live layers must be 21+ weeks in age, from commercial stock and should be uniform in size and appearance. Please reference rules above.
Lots:
1 – Three (3) laying hens from commercial stock
The Pima County 4-H/FFA Pygmy Goat Division is subject to all rules of the following:

- Pima County 4-H/FFA General Animal Science Rules & Regulations
- Pima County 4-H/FFA Small Stock General Rules
- Pima County Junior Livestock Sales, Inc. Auction Rules
- Pima County 4-H/FFA Department “I” Pygmy Goat

**PYGMY GOAT**

**OWNERSHIP DEADLINE:**
Monday, January 15th, 2018

**FAIR ENTRY DEADLINE:**
Thursday, March 15th 2018

**CHECK-IN:**
Monday, April 23rd, 2018, 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

**SHOWMANSHIP:**
Tuesday, April 24th, 2018, 2:00 p.m.

**BREED SHOW:**
Wednesday, April 25th 2018, 9:00 a.m.

**AUCTION PAPERWORK DUE TO PROJECT COORDINATOR:**
Wednesday, April 25th 2018, 5:00 p.m.

**GOAT AGILITY COURSE:**
Wednesday, April 25th 2018, Following Breed Show

**SMALL STOCK AUCTION:**
Sunday, April 29th, 2018
FAIR CHECK OUT DATE:
Sunday April 29th, 2018, 6:00 p.m.

A. Exhibitors are limited to showing no more than three (3) animals per class.
B. Only goats being shown will be housed in the barn.
C. Only purebred pygmy goats will be shown, although unregistered animals may be shown if they clearly meet the pygmy goat breed standards. Base date for age of animal is April 18, 2018.
D. Arizona State Livestock Seasonal Passes (ARS 3-1346 Section R3-2-703) and ownership paperwork must be completed and will be verified at check-in. Any animal without paperwork will be removed from Fairgrounds.
E. Ownership papers must consist of one of the following: For registered does, the original NPGA “Certificate of Registry” must be available (no photocopies accepted). For registered Wethers, the original NPGA Certificate of Recorded Ancestry” will be used. For unregistered goats, a dated Bill Of Sale that contains seller’s name, address, phone number, tattoo/microchip, and birth date of goat can be used. For unregistered goats less than 2 months old shown in the Prospect class, the NPGA Breeding Memorandum shall be used to verify ownership. All papers must be in the name of the member. Paperwork must also be available at the Breed Show.
F. Either a Microchip or Tattoo is required for all goats two (2) months and older (prior to check-in). If microchipped, the microchip number must be printed on the original NPGA registration certificate or certificate of recorded ancestry; it cannot be handwritten or a sticker affixed. If a microchip is registered on the certificate, but is not readable, the tattoo will be used. If the judge cannot read the microchip or tattoo to get a positive identification, the animal will not record the win.
G. No horned goats will be permitted. Scurs are allowed if less than one (1) inch long. Longer scurs may be permitted if they are curled back or shaped in such a manner that they do not pose a hazard in the opinion of the Project Coordinator.
H. No Bucks two (2) months of age or older will be shown: only those under TWO months will be allowed to be penned and/or shown.
I. All Pygmy Goats should be current on the CDT vaccination within six (6) months, plus other precautions as recommended by the Project Coordinator, Project Superintendent, or Fair Veterinarian.
J. Any goat with skin ailments and/or parasites at check-in will be removed from the fairgrounds immediately.
K. All goats including kids are required to wear a neck collar AT ALL TIMES. Collars (for shows) should be gray, tan, brown or black with matching leads for the show.
L. Goats must be washed at designated racks only.
M. All grooming and Herdsmanship duties at the fair must be done by current year Pima County 4-H/FFA exhibitors only. An adult may assist in holding animals only. Failure to abide by this rule may result in disqualification by the Project Coordinator and/or Superintendent.
N. All pregnant does must be 138 days pregnant or less on the day of check-in (4/23/2018). No does 138 days or more pregnant may be housed or exhibited at the Fair.
O. Club pens will be assigned based on the number of pens assigned by the Barn Superintendent, the animal entries received by Fair Entry Deadline, March 15, 2018. No extra pens will be allotted for additional animals.

P. **Barn duty** by exhibitor’s parents or leaders is mandatory per schedule of the Project Coordinator, with each club taking hours commensurate with the number of youth and goats in the project. It is imperative an adult is present in the pygmy goat area during all hours the barn is open to the public. **Herdsmanship judging** is conducted in the morning between 7:00 & 9:00 a.m. and in the afternoon between 5:00 & 7:00 p.m., and the adult on barn duty must inspect the areas and sign off on the Herdsmanship forms for the Exhibitors.

Q. **Herdsmanship/Animal Care**: Exhibitors must take care of their animals and area (feeding/watering, aisles raked, trash picked up, etc.), which is a major part of each Club’s Herdsmanship score under the Small Stock Rules. Herdsmanship judging will be conducted in the morning between 7:00 & 9:00 a.m. and in the afternoon between 5:00 & 7:00 p.m.. Exhibitors and Clubs can work together to help each other, but must plan and adhere to their own schedules.

R. **Education**: Club Educational displays must be 8' X 4'. Individual educational displays are to be poster size. Additionally, clubs will earn extra **Herdsmanship** points by doing an Educational Presentation for the public.

S. **Showmanship**: Each Exhibitor entering must enroll in showmanship on the Fair entry form by March 15, 2017 using own exhibit in the competition and said exhibit must be entered in the breed judging.

T. Large showmanship classes may be divided per the Judge’s discretion.

U. Champion showmanship winners in the Junior and Senior Classes must participate in the Small Stock Round Robin.

V. Showmanship and all other classes will be judged according to Danish system (blue/red/white). Awards if exhibit merits such, will be presented as follows:
   a. Each Showmanship division:
      i. Junior Novice
      ii. Junior
      iii. Senior Novice
      iv. Senior
   b. Best/Reserve Champion Wether
   c. Prospect Doeling/Prospect Buckling
   d. Grand/Reserve Champion Junior Doe
   e. Grand/Reserve Champion Senior Doe
   f. Grand/Reserve Champion Doe
   g. Each Class

W. Only Blue Ribbon pygmy goats may be eligible for sale at the Small Stock Auction. Exhibitors selling in the Auction MUST have Quality Assurance Certificate and Auction paperwork submitted by 5pm Wednesday, April 25\textsuperscript{th}, 2018.

X. Goats sold at auction must be weaned, disbudded, and at least six (6) weeks old by Fair Check-in.

Y. See Small Stock Auction Rules for complete information and rules.

Z. The following rules apply to the all pygmy goat breeding classes:
a. All classes will be judged by National Pygmy Goat Association Standard and the Judge's decision will be final. NPGA rules govern and take precedence over all others.

b. Unregistered Doe: open ONLY to does, of any age, sold as unregistered without papers and not eligible for registration at a later date. Does must meet pygmy goat standards and not be crossbreeds.

c. Prospect Doeling and Prospect Buckling Class: Open ONLY to kids, under two (2) months not registered. This class is open to all baby does and bucks regardless of registration eligibility. SPECIAL Note: Entries for Registered Baby Doe Kids, (3 mos. Or younger), and not yet registered prospect doeling and prospect buckling kids will be taken on Fair Check-In day. Entry Forms MUST be completed by 8:00 p.m., April 23rd, 2018.

d. Exhibitors in registered Jr. Doe & Sr. Doe classes must bring Original NPGA Registration Certificates. Wethers do not have a NPGA Certificate of Recorded Ancestry to be shown in the wether classes, but if they do not have the NPGA certificate, the judge cannot record the win of Best Wether under NPGA rules. Ownership papers for all goats, registered and unregistered, are required. To be eligible for Group Classes, animals must be shown in individual breed classes and may be borrowed from a Pima County 4-H/FFA member to make Get of Sire or Produce of Dam or Breeder’s Trio classes only.

CLASSES AND LOTS FOR THE PYGMY GOAT PROJECT

SHOWMANSHIP CLASSES:

   Senior
   Senior Novice
   Junior
   Junior Novice

WETHER CLASSES:

1  Under 6 months
2  6 months to under 1 year
3  1 to under 2 years
4  2 years to under 3 years
5  3 years to under 4 years
6  4 years and over

UNREGISTERED DOE WETHER CLASSES:

7  2 months to 6 months
8  6 months to 1 yr.
9  1 yr. and over
PROSPECT DOELING/PROSPECT BUCKLING CLASSES:

10    Does, under 2 months (unregistered)
11    Bucks, under 2 months (registered or unregistered)

JUNIOR DOE CLASSES (REGISTERED):

12    Baby Doe Kid (up to 3 months)
13    Junior Doe Kid (3 months to under 6 months)
14    Intermediate Doe Kid (6 months to under 9 months)
15    Senior Doe Kid (9 months to under 12 months)
16    Advanced Senior Doe Kid (12 months to under 18 months), not freshened
17    Junior Yearling Doe (18 months to under 24 months), not freshened

SENIOR DOE CLASSES (REGISTERED):

18    Senior Yearling Doe (12 months up to under 24 months), freshened
19    2 years to under 3 years
20    3 years to under 4 years
21    4 years to under 5 years
22    5 years to under 6 years
23    6 years and older

GROUP CLASSES:

24    Dam and daughter (owned by 1 exhibitor)
25    Get Of Sire (From exhibitor’s sire, 3 does of any age from the same sire, and from 2 or more different dams, may borrow does from other exhibitors)
26    Produce Of Dam (From exhibitor’s dam, 2 does, any age from the same dam but different sires, may borrow one from another exhibitor)
27    Breeder’s Trio (3 does with exhibitor’s own herd name, may borrow)

GOAT AGILITY COURSE:

Rules, classes and information will be announced at Fair Work Day

EDUCATIONAL POSTER & DISPLAY CLASSES:

Individual Poster - Junior Exhibitor (Poster size)
Individual Poster - Senior Exhibitor (Poster size)
Club Educational Display (4' X 8')
Quiz Bowl Participation (Herdsmanship requirement)
PIMA COUNTY 4-H/FFA
DEPARTMENT “K” RABBIT

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The Pima County 4-H/FFA Rabbit Division is subject to all rules of the following:
- Pima County 4-H/FFA General Animal Science Rules & Regulations
  (Please review Exhibitor Requirements Section I, Part J)
- Pima County 4-H/FFA Small Stock General Rules
- Pima County Junior Livestock Sales, Inc. Auction Rules
- Pima County 4-H/FFA Department “K” Rabbit

RABBIT

OWNERSHIP DEADLINE:
Monday, January 15th, 2018

FAIR CHECK-IN:
Friday, April 20th, 2018, 5:00 to 8:00 p.m.

SHOWMANSHIP:
Sunday, April 22nd, 2018 9:00 A.M.

BREED SHOW:
Sunday, April 22nd, 2018, 2:00 P.M.

SMALL STOCK AUCTION FORMS DUE TO PROJECT COORDINATOR:
Sunday, April 22nd, 2018, by 5:00 p.m. to Cherie Stowell, Project Coordinator

CHECK OUT ALL RABBITS:
Sunday, April 22nd, 2018, 6:00 p.m.
  All clubs must be present for cage take down at 5:00 p.m.
  Rabbits MUST remain in building until release time (6:00 p.m.)

BLUE RIBBON CHECK IN:
Tuesday, April 24th, 2018, 5:00 to 7:00 p.m.
  Rabbits designated for the following must return to the fairgrounds:
Small Stock Auction
Grand & Reserve of Show
Best & Reserve 4 Class
Best & Reserve 6 Class
Grand & Reserve Meat Pen
Grand & Reserve Fryer
All Best Of Breed Winners,
Junior & Senior Showmanship Champion’s Rabbits

SMALL STOCK AUCTION:
Sunday, April 29th, 2018

A. First year project members, only, will be able to exhibit one (1) animal in the Pet Class, provided this is the member’s only animal in this project, and this animal does not meet any breed or variety classification or have a known disqualification.

B. Each exhibitor is limited to twenty (20) entries of rabbits, excluding meat pen, single fryer, education poster or display or advanced project.
   a. All substitutions after the ownership deadline must be approved by the Project Coordinator.
   b. The Project Coordinator reserves the right to further limit the number of animals exhibited per individual depending on enrollment, space, and cages available.

C. Exhibitors are responsible for the care of their animals on exhibit.
   a. If an exhibitor is not taking care of their exhibits, the Project Coordinator may issue a warning to the Exhibitor.
   b. If Exhibitor still does not provide proper care of their animals, the Project Coordinator may require the Exhibitor to remove all of their animals and/or forfeit any awards and/or ban Exhibitor from showing in the next year’s Fair.

D. Treatment of animals exhibiting signs of disease including the use of topical anti-parasitic drugs is not permitted within the livestock barn or fairgrounds. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to ensure all animals have been inspected and properly treated for disease prior to check-in. (Please also see the General Animal Science Rules & Regulations, Section V, Part A)

E. All breeds of rabbits accepted for show by the American Rabbit Breeders Association (ARBA) may be exhibited by 4-H/FFA Rabbit Exhibitors. All animals must be LEGIBLY marked with a tattoo in the animal’s left ear.

F. Rabbit exhibits may also be entered in Open Division. (See Open Show Rules/ Entry Forms)

G. All rabbits, with the exception of meat pens and fryers, must be a minimum of twelve weeks old at check-in and show maturity of handling the stress of fair.

H. All rabbits will be checked for disease at time of check-in. Animals showing any signs of disease as determined by the Project Coordinator will be immediately removed from the Fairgrounds.

I. See exhibitor dress requirements in the General Animal Science Rules.
b. Breed Show: Long sleeve shirts required for safety reasons. Project Coordinator may allow club shirts for the BREED SHOW only. (Will be announced after showmanship contest)

J. There will be showmanship in the Rabbit Project.

K. The Danish system of judging will be used. Special Awards will be given to outstanding showmanship members.

L. Showmanship winners from previous years are eligible to compete, if currently enrolled in 4-H or FFA.

M. Each Exhibitor entering must participate in showmanship using their own exhibit in the showmanship competition and said exhibit must also be entered in the BREED SHOW.
   a. If an exhibitor has only one (1) rabbit that is then removed from check-in they may participate in Showmanship with a borrowed animal from another exhibitor.
   b. This must be approved by the Project Coordinator during the Check-in period.

N. Exhibitors must register for the Showmanship contest on their entry form prior to the Fair and must include Exhibitor’s birth date on entry form.

O. The showmanship contest will be judged only on the Exhibitor’s ability to show their knowledge in handling, fitting and selecting animals for production and show. The Judge may also ask questions pertaining to the Project.

P. Exhibitors in Junior and Senior Showmanship must show a rabbit that is one of the breeds recognized by the ARBA. No pet class rabbits may be used because exhibitors who receive callbacks may be required to exchange rabbits with other exhibitors.

Q. The following pertain to Meat Pens and Fryers:
   a. All Exhibitors entering Meat Pens and or Fryers must complete the Quality Assurance Class prior to the Fair.
   b. Exhibitors in Meat Classes are limited to two (2) meat pens and/or two (2) fryers.
   c. Rabbit Meat Pens (per ARBA rules) will consist of three (3) rabbits, all the same breed and variety. The Meat Pen will be disqualified if more than one (1) breed and/or variety is in the same Meat Pen.
      i. Age limit will be a minimum of 6 weeks but not over 10 weeks at time of check-in. See ARBA Standard of Perfection for current weight limits. https://www.arba.net/breeds.htm
      ii. All rabbits in a Meat Pen must have a permanent tattoo mark in their left ears and must be the same as the recorded entry form.
      iii. Mother of the Meat Pen must be owned by the Exhibitor by January 15, 2018 prior to kindling. Mother of Meat Pen must have EAR TATTOO listed on Ownership Form in order for Meat Pen to be accepted at check in.
   d. Rabbit Single Fryers will consist of one (1) live fryer.
      i. Age limit will be a minimum of 6 weeks but not over 10 weeks at time of check-in.
      ii. Weight limit based on current ARBA rules
      iii. Fryers must have a permanent tattoo mark in their left ears and must be the same as the recorded entry form.
      iv. Mother of the Fryer must be owned by the Exhibitor by January 15, 2018 prior to kindling. Mother of Fryer must have EAR TATTOO listed on Ownership Form in order for Meat Pen to be accepted at check in.
e. Grand Champion and Reserve Champion Blue Ribbon Meat Pens and Fryers must sell in the Small Stock Auction.

R. The following pertain to Breed Show:
   a. All classes will be judged by American Rabbit Breeders Association (ARBA) Standards and the judges decisions will be final.
   b. Each Breed will be judged separately. Where there is no competition, judges may award one ribbon or no ribbon according to merit. The Danish system of ribbons, blue/red/white, will be used for those rabbits wanting to be considered for sale at auction. Only Blue ribbon winners will be allowed to auction.
   c. Awards will be presented as follows (only if exhibit merits such award):
      i. Rabbits:
         1. Best Pet Rabbit
         2. Best Of Breed
         3. Best Opposite Of Breed
         4. Best and Reserve 4 Class
         5. Best and Reserve 6 Class
         6. Best In Show
      ii. Meat Pens:
         1. Grand Champion Meat Pen
         2. Reserve Champion Meat Pen
      iii. Fryer:
         1. Grand Champion Fryer
         2. Reserve Champion Fryer

S. Only Blue Ribbon rabbits may be eligible for sale at the Small Stock Auction.

T. Small Stock Auction Forms for Rabbits must be turned in to the Project Coordinator by Sunday April 22nd, 2018 at 5:00 p.m.

U. See Small Stock Auction Rules for complete information and rules.

V. All Rabbits in the Small Stock Auction must return to the Fairground between 5:00 and 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday April 24th, 2018. Rabbits will be checked for disease at Tuesday Check-in. Herdsmanship will be the responsibility of each exhibitor. Barn Duty assignments will be made by the Project Coordinator.

W. Animals that are not being cared for in an appropriate manner (fed, watered and cleaned) may be scratched from the sale and required to be removed from the fairgrounds based on the decision of the Project Coordinator.

**CLASSES FOR THE RABBIT PROJECT**

**SHOWMANSHIP CLASSES:**

Junior Novice
Junior
Senior Novice
Senior
MEAT PENS & FRYERS CLASSES:

Meat Pen: Three (3) rabbits all the same breed and variety
Single Fryer: One (1) fyer

RABBIT BREED CLASSES:

Senior Buck
Intermediate Buck (6-8 Months of age)
Junior Buck
Senior Doe
Intermediate Doe (6-8 Months of age)
Junior Doe

PET CLASS:

Pet

EDUCATIONAL POSTER AND DISPLAY CLASSES:

Individual Poster - Junior Exhibitor
Individual Poster - Senior Exhibitor
Club Display
I. INTRODUCTION:
The Pima County 4-H and FFA Livestock Show Code of Ethics was developed as a document to direct Pima County 4-H and FFA exhibitors in the raising, grooming, feeding, and exhibiting of their livestock projects. To accomplish this, a committee composed of one youth and one adult from each of the following areas: 4-H Beef Project, 4-H Swine Project, 4-H Sheep Project, Amphi FFA, and Marana FFA was formed. Additionally, a representative from the Pima County Fair as well as the U of A Cooperative Extension 4-H Program was on the committee.

Since 1993, it has become increasingly evident that there is a nationwide need for fairs, shows, and exhibits to address and stop all forms of cheating and forms of animal abuse. In this vein, the following document drew heavily from the National Show Code of Ethics supported by the leaders of the National 4-H and FFA programs, who drew heavily from like documents from the American Livestock Show and Rodeo Managers Association, International Association of Fairs and Expositions, and the Purebred Dairy Cattle Association.

It is imperative that all individuals involved with 4-H and FFA understand and support the importance of the ethical treatment of animals and the adherence to principles of fair play. 4-H and FFA are first and foremost, youth development organizations. The exhibition of projects is only the final stage of a process that is designed to develop responsibility, goal setting, and leadership skills in the individual. It is the hope of the committee that this document serves to guide members in determining what is acceptable treatment of animals and what are acceptable practices in the feeding, grooming and showing of livestock project animals.

II. PREAMBLE:
The following practices or procedures are unacceptable and are defined as deceptive, fraudulent, unethical, and inhumane in the care, fitting, preparation and showing of all classes of livestock. The use of any illegal drugs is prohibited. Legal or illegal substances used to phenotypically alter the appearance of an animal entered in livestock events are prohibited. Use of illegal drugs is considered an intentional act, and any instance will result in disciplinary action.
THIS IS A ONE STRIKE AND YOU ARE OUT POLICY!
Adults or exhibitors who violate the code of conduct demean the integrity of all livestock exhibitors and places the livestock industry and livestock and small animals in jeopardy. Additionally, violators may be banned from either the 4-H or FFA program, or both.

III. GUIDELINES FOR PARTICIPATION
1. Livestock will not be exhibited if the drugs administered in accordance with federal, state, and local statutes, regulations, and rules affect the animal’s performance or appearance at the event, except as provided by these guidelines. Animals entered in shows, which are intended to evaluate the animal for human consumption, shall meet FDA/USDA standards for drugs and drug residues. Animals not entered in an event which culminates with the animals entering the food chain will not be administered drugs other than in accordance with applicable federal, state, and local statutes, regulations, and rules.
2. Prior to fair check-in all exhibitors will advise Project Coordinator in writing of any drugs or medications administered to an animal including the name of the drug, its purpose, the person who administered the drug, time, and date of administration. All animals entered in livestock competition are subject to drug testing.
3. If the laboratory report of the chemical analysis of saliva, blood, or other samples taken from livestock indicates the presence of unapproved or unacceptable levels of drugs or medication, it will be prima-facie evidence such substance has been administered to the animal either internally or externally. The burden to prove otherwise is upon the exhibitor.
4. Treating an animal internally or externally, with any irritant, counter-irritant, or other substance used to artificially change the conformation, function or appearance of an animal for show is considered unethical, inhumane, and is prohibited. This includes, but is not limited to the use of graphite, powders, hemp, artificial hair coloring and common products such as fly spray, ointment or liniment used to the point that they become irritating, (unless required to reduce edema at time of calving).
5. Any surgical procedure or injection of any substance or drug or the external application of any substance (irritant, counter-irritant, or similar substance) which could affect the animal’s performance or alter its natural contour, conformation, or appearance are prohibited, except as otherwise provided by these guidelines. Exceptions are external applications of substances to the hoofs or horns of animals which affect appearance only or surgical procedures performed by a duly licensed veterinarian for the sole purpose of protecting the health of the animal. Changing the original color of the hair, skin, etc. is prohibited. Adding false hair to hair-like material, fleece or skin at any point, spot or area of the animal’s body is illegal using vegetable oil, silicon, or any other substance used to alter the shape of the animal. Any of these acts is also banned and will result in immediate disqualification. Acceptable practices of physical preparation, which are allowed, include clipping of hair, trimming of hooves, dehorning, or removal of ancillary teats. Animal diets shall consist of wholesome and nutritious food suitable for the species. The diet will not be manipulated to artificially enhance the desired characteristics of the animal and such practices are prohibited. For example, the use of alcoholic or carbonated beverages as a drench or filler, etc.
6. Drenching (with water, electrolytes, and supplements only) to protect the health of the animal will be allowed ONLY with the prior written consent and supervision of a Veterinarian, Project Coordinator, Project Superintendent, Barn Manager, or U of A Extension 4-H Agent or FFA Advisor.
7. Any physical procedure, practice, device, handling or contact (such as striking) done to an animal, which is solely and primarily intended to improve the desired characteristics of the animal, is prohibited. The use of tranquilizers, sedatives, or depressants, which alter the physical or physiological state of the animal, is illegal. The use of calf calm, pig calm or other similar products is permitted with the prior written consent of a Veterinarian, Project Coordinator, Project Superintendent, Barn Manager, or U of A Extension 4-H Agent or FFA Advisor. Any such drugs must be approved by the Food and Drug Administration for use in meat animals.

8. **Direct argument, confrontation or interference with judges, show managers, other exhibitors, breed representatives, or show officials by exhibitors, parents, or fair goers at any time is prohibited.** To facilitate the performance of their official duties, all judges, fair and livestock show managers, or other show officials will be treated with courtesy, cooperation, and respect. Any violation of this guideline is subject to the same sanctions as provided herein.

9. No adult or exhibitor will conspire with another person or persons to intentionally violate this code of ethics and show rules or knowingly contribute or cooperate with another person or persons either by affirmative action or inaction to violate this code of ethics and show rules. Violation of this rule will subject such individual to disciplinary action as provided herein.

**IV. CONSEQUENCES AND PENALTIES:**

**General Introduction**

This show Code of Ethics and Show Rules, as well as any consequences apply to 4-H/FFA volunteers, leaders, parents, guardians, agents and advisors who may be involved with those programs. The term exhibitor as stated below is all encompassing of both youth and adults. By entering a livestock show or event, the exhibitor is verifying that he or she has read this document, agrees to be bound by its provisions and understands the consequences and penalties for violation herein.

1. The exhibitor further understands and agrees that he or she may be prohibited from future participation in organized fairs and livestock shows in this county, the State of Arizona, and in some cases, the United States.

2. Additionally, the exhibitor further understands and agrees that his or her future participation in 4-H or FFA or both may be limited, or prohibited. In addition, the exhibitor may be subject to criminal prosecution or civil penalties, or both.

3. Any animal which is determined to have been given any substance not approved by FDA or that exceeds FDA approved residue for any drug for that species will be disqualified from competition. Veterinarians may provide written script for drugs or medication, as per FDA/USDA Guidelines, but the exhibitor is responsible to meet the residue tolerance for such applications.

4. Exhibitors of animals that have been disqualified will forfeit any awards and recognition earned by the animal or exhibitor. No changes will be made in class or champion placements if an animal is disqualified from competition.

5. **The Project Coordinator, the Barn Manager, U of A Extension 4-H Agent or FFA Advisor has the right, responsibility, and authority to disqualify or discipline any exhibitor for violating any of the Guidelines for Participation.**
V. ETHICS REVIEW BOARD

1. The Ethics Review Board is established for the purpose of reviewing disqualifications, discipline done or imposed by the Project Coordinator, the Barn Manager, U of A Extension 4-H Agent or FFA Advisor, or to review instances of non-action by show managers.

2. The Ethics Review Board shall act as the final arbitrator for an individual accused of violating these rules and guidelines. **It shall serve as the appeal** for the interpretation of rules and guidelines as applied by the show management.

3. The Ethics Review Board shall act as the final arbitrator in challenges regarding non-enforcement of these guidelines by show managers. The committee will request either The Project Coordinator, Barn Manager, U of A Extension 4-H Agent or FFA Advisor to investigate the non-action and report findings to the committee.

4. In any situation, those members of the Ethics Review Board present shall constitute a quorum and all decisions must be rendered by a majority of those present. **The Board shall consist of the following members:**

   - The Barn Manager, One (1) U of A Extension 4-H Agent, One (1) FFA Advisor, and the Project Coordinator shall sit on the board, without a vote. The voting members will consist of:
     - Two (2) parent/volunteer shall be appointed by the Extension 4-H Agent.
     - One (1) parent/volunteer shall be appointed by the FFA Advisor.
     - There shall be one (1) FFA youth appointed by the FFA Advisor from each chapter.
     - There shall be one (1) 4-H youth appointed by each Livestock Project Coordinator and each Small Stock Project Coordinator.

5. Appointments to the committee will be made by 4-H Project Coordinators, U of A Extension 4-H Agents and FFA Advisors prior to the County Fair each year. "Board members will serve for a two year rotation in the following manner:

   - **Even years** – swine, beef, poultry, rabbit, dairy cattle, FFA youth, 4-H adult;
   - **Odd years** – sheep/meat goats, dairy goats, pigeon, cavy, pygmy goats, FFA youth, FFA adult, and a 4-H adult.”

6. In the event the person accused of a violation is related in any degree to anyone on the board, an appropriate replacement will be named and shall sit on the board, for that issue only. The U of A Extension 4-H Agent of FFA Advisor shall name the replacements.

**APPEAL PROCESS:**

1. The “Ethics Review Board” will review appeals from individuals who have been disqualified, disciplined by show managers, or who desire a review of non-action by show managers when the appeal is in writing and accompanied by a non-refundable $50.00 fee, and received by the U of A Extension 4-H Agent or FFA Advisor as soon as possible, but in no event more than three (3) business days after the action being appealed or after the incident has taken place. The fee will be returned if the Ethics Review Board finds in favor of the person appealing.

2. The board shall decide matters properly before it, as soon as possible, but in any event no later than three (3) business days after the receipt of matter.

3. The board will review facts and actions taken by the disciplining officer. Each side may present written arguments and evidence to the committee. The board may request an oral presentation from either side. The disciplining
agent will submit records and evidence upon which disciplinary or disqualifying action or non-action was determined
These rules give an overview of the auction and exhibitor requirements. An exhibitor’s entry into the livestock or the small stock auction represents an explicit agreement by the exhibitor and the exhibitor’s parent, or guardian if necessary, with all of the following rules and penalties. All animals intended for human consumption offered for sale in the auctions must 1) meet residue tolerances established by USDA/FDA and 2) be free of any substance not approved of by the USDA/FDA. Every exhibitor wishing to participate in the Pima County Junior Livestock Auctions (large and/or small) must submit a completed United States of America W-9 form at weigh in/check in at the Pima County Fair. Failure to complete a W-9 may result in exhibitor not receiving sale proceeds. Every exhibitor must be currently Quality Assurance Certified and a member in good standing with 4H and/or FFA and complied with all 4-H and FFA rules and requirements at the time of the auction to be eligible to sell their project. Information and updates may be posted on www.pcjlsi.org from time to time.

PCJLSI is not part of 4H, FFA or the Southwestern Fair Commission. These rules and their enforcement are totally separate from 4H and FFA. All concerns about the following auction and exhibitor requirements for the sales should be addressed to PCJLSI.

1. GENERAL RULES:
   These rules apply to both the Livestock (Steers, Lambs, Hogs, Meat Goats) Auction and the Small Stock (Rabbits, Cavies, Poultry, Pigeons, Pygmy Goats) Auction which are under the supervision of Pima County Junior Livestock Sales, Inc. (hereafter referred to as PCJLSI) in addition to the specific rules listed below for these Auctions. The Livestock Auction is limited to Steers, Lambs, Hogs and Meat Goats. Market Wether Goats must be from meat type breeds. PCJLSI has the sole authority in the interpretation and enforcement of the Auction rules.

A. NOTIFICATION:
   1. PCJLSI reserves the right to test any animal officially entered in any division eligible to sell in either the Livestock Sale or the Small Stock Sale, for any substances including drugs/medications or feed additives.

   2. For the 2018 Pima County Fair, at a minimum, the Grand and Reserve Champion livestock animals (beef, sheep, swine, meat goat) will be tested. Tissue, blood and urine samples may be collected. Blood and urine samples will be collected as soon as possible after the Grand and Reserve Champions are selected and/or as required. This will be a terminal sale for the Livestock Grand and Reserve Champion animals. Other animals entered in the market shows may be tested. Tissue, blood and urine samples may be collected.

   3. Directors will submit all livestock weight slips to PCJLSI within thirty minutes after the scales have closed. Only the Livestock that have been weighed in a timely manner and had the form similarly submitted will be maintained in the PCJLSI files.

   4. Animals are not the responsibility of PCJLSI. Each exhibitor is responsible for the care and feeding of all project animals until they are released by the Project Director on Sunday, April 29, 2018, at 6:00 p.m. or sometime thereafter.

   5. PCJLSI reserves the right to make deductions from any exhibitor’s sale to cover outstanding balances that have been generated by other family or household members associated with the exhibitor.

B. NUMBER OF ANIMALS TO BE SOLD:
   Exhibitors will be allowed to sell only one lot or animal in either the Livestock Auction or the Small Stock Auction, with the following exceptions:
   1. If an exhibitor has a Grand and/or Reserve Champion steer, lamb, hog or meat goat, and a Grand and/or Reserve Champion meat pen or fryer, they will sell in both auctions.
   2. If an exhibitor has a Grand and/or Reserve Champion meat pen or fryer and an animal eligible for the Livestock Auction, they may sell in both auctions.
   3. If an exhibitor has a Grand and/or Reserve Champion steer, lamb, hog or meat goat and an animal eligible for the Small Stock Auction, they may sell in both auctions.

   4. All Grand and Reserve Champion steers, lambs, hogs, meat goats, meat pens and fryers must sell provided they have complied with all 4-H and FFA rules.

C. EXHIBITOR DRESS CODE:
   Exhibitor Dress Code for entry in the sale ring shall be as follows: Pants in a solid dark color, a shirt of green and/or white that is long or short sleeved with a collar, an optional green and/or white tie or scarf and vests in 4-H colors. FFA exhibitors are to dress as approved by FFA Chapter. No hats or caps etc. are to be worn. Exceptions for religious reasons will be considered. In the event of the inability to meet the dress code, an exhibitor may request assistance from PCJLSI. No caps or hats etc. are to be worn. Exceptions for religious reasons will be considered. In the event of the inability to meet the dress code, an exhibitor may request assistance from PCJLSI. No caps or hats etc. are to be worn. Exceptions for religious reasons will be considered. In the event of the inability to meet the dress code, an exhibitor may request assistance from PCJLSI.

D. EXHIBITOR AUCTION RESPONSIBILITIES:
   1. Exhibitors must take their own animal through the auction ring except in unusual circumstances, such as sickness, family emergency or conflict in Fair schedule. Extra curricular activities will not be considered an exception. Exceptionally unique activities may be considered, provided written request is made ten (10) days prior to the auction. Permission for a substitute in the Livestock Auction must be obtained from the Project Director who will consult with the other Livestock Directors. Permission for a substitute in the Small Stock Auction must be obtained from the Project Director who will consult with the other Small Stock Directors. Only currently Quality Assurance Certified enrolled members of Pima County 4-H or FFA in good standing, exhibiting at the current Pima County Fair may substitute with the approval of the Project Director. Any exhibitor violating this rule will receive floor price (less commissions and fees) only, as determined by PCJLSI.

   2. Exhibitors who fail to be at the auction ring in the proper sequence will not be allowed to sell their animals through the auction and must remove their animals from the fairgrounds on Sunday, April 30th, after 6:00 p.m.; or personally consign them to packer through the PCJLSI. Commission will be charged for all animals consigned. Animals left on the fairgrounds after 10 p.m. on Sunday, April 29, 2018, may be forfeited to PCJLSI to be disposed of at the organization's discretion. The exhibitor will not be entitled to monetary compensation for the forfeited animal(s) and may be liable for costs incurred.

   3. Exhibitors selling in the auction(s) must mail a Thank You letter to their buyer. The stamped and addressed envelope is to be verified by the project leader prior to distributing the auction check.

II. LIVESTOCK AUCTION RULES:
   1. All General Auction rules will apply in addition to the following rules, specific to Livestock.

Pima County Junior Livestock Sales, Inc.
2. All exhibitors must submit a Junior Animal Certification Form (see the attached form at the end of these rules) with the appropriate signatures to be eligible for the Livestock Auction. The text of this form will be incorporated into the Fair check-in weight slips. Failing to sign the form at weigh-in/check-in will result in the exhibitor’s Livestock entry being purged from the Pima County Fair PCJLSI files.

A. SALE PROCEDURE/RIBBON:
Market steers, lambs, hogs and meat goats will be sold at auction on Saturday, April 28, 2018. The Livestock Auction may be limited to 350 lots, at the discretion of PCJLSI.

BLUE award animals will sell individually.
RED award animals will sell individually or in group lots.
WHITE award animals will not sell through the auction. It is the exhibitor’s responsibility to make the necessary arrangements for removal of these animals from the fairgrounds prior to 6 p.m. on Friday, April 27th, 2018.

1. Exhibitors will be paid for the maximum sale weight of:
   - Hogs: 280 pounds
   - Lambs: 150 pounds
   - Steers: 1250 pounds
   - Meat Goats: 120 pounds

2. Auctioneers will be provided by PCJLSI.

3. Sale order will be determined by PCJLSI.

4. Donated animals will be consigned to the packer at market price or processed for donation to the charity of buyers’ choice at buyers’ expense.

5. All sales through the auctions are FINAL and will be processed by PCJLSI. No one should harass the buyer(s) with buy back requests.

6. Checks will be released to the project-club leader, community leader or FFA advisor when adequate funds are available. Adequate funds are defined here as enough money collected to cover all exhibitors’ checks and other liabilities incurred by the PCJLSI in administering the Livestock and Small Stock Sales.

7. There will be a 5% commission charge on all animals that sell. Funds received from said commission shall be used by PCJLSI. In addition, a fee will be deducted from each exhibitor’s check for any national beef/sheep/swine check-off program, livestock inspections (as required) and the purchase of picture(s) for the buyer(s). The photograph fee will be collected for each market animal shown. Unused photographs will be available for exhibitor pickup prior to the end of the fair from the photographer’s staff. Every exhibitor wishing to participate in the Pima County Junior Livestock Auctions (large or small) must submit a completed United States of America W-9 form at weigh in/check in at the Pima County Fair. Failure to complete a W-9 may result in exhibitor not receiving sale proceeds. In the event that a sale check needs to be re-issued because it was lost, the exhibitor will be charged the stop payment fee for the original check.

8. Exhibitors with more than one market animal at the Fair must fill out a withdrawal slip for each animal not consigned to the sale, including white ribbons and second animals. Withdrawal slips must be turned in to the Auction Clerk, Pima County Junior Livestock Sales, Inc. by 2:30 p.m., Thursday, April 26th, 2018. If the withdrawal slip(s) is/are not turned in by 2:30 p.m., the PCJLSI will decide which animal(s) will be withdrawn.

9. Exhibitors with market animals not qualifying for the auction, except those animals previously consigned to PCJLSI must remove them from the Fairgrounds on Friday, April 27, 2018, from 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. or 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. The required release slip must be obtained from the Project Director and/or Project Superintendent before leaving the Fairgrounds. Exhibitors with beef and sheep must also obtain inspection papers prior to leaving. Non-sale animals (white ribbon animals, showmanship animals, under/over weight animals, and second animals) left on the fairgrounds after 6 p.m. on Friday, April 27, 2018, will be forfeited to PCJLSI to be disposed of at the organization’s discretion. The exhibitor will not be entitled to monetary compensation for the forfeited animal(s) and may be liable for costs incurred. Exception: Round Robin Rule F.

B. EXHIBITOR’S RESPONSIBILITIES: FOREIGN SUBSTANCE

1. It is the exhibitor’s responsibility to submit a market animal intended for human consumption with 1) residue tolerances within guidelines established by USDA/FDA and 2) be free of any substance not approved of by the USDA/FDA. Exhibitors and their families should exercise special care when administering any products to or on their animals. DO NOT use over the counter products made for human consumption or use. Use only products labeled as acceptable for species-specific market animal use. Other products may produce a residue in the meat and render the carcass unacceptable by the USDA/FDA. PCJLSI reserves the right to require the exhibitor to submit the appropriate documentation proving that the animal is residue free or pay for the required testing.

2. The exhibitor and/or immediate family must notify Project Director of ANY substance which was administered to the animal prior to arrival at the Pima County Fair and which has not met the required withdrawal period for that substance. These include but are not limited to: growth stimulants, drugs/medication, and/or feed/water additives (i.e. antibiotics, wormers). Notification must be made in writing prior to check-in/weigh-in/penning of animal at the Pima County Fair. Project Director will notify the President or Auction Chairman of PCJLSI of the declaration.

3. If it is necessary to administer any USDA/FDA approved species-specific market animal drug/medication, or feed/water additive during the time 4-H/FFA projects are housed at the Pima County Fair, Project Director must be notified in writing prior to any administrations. If situations warrant, such as medical emergency, that a Project Director can not be notified prior to administration of drug/medication, or feed/water additive, the exhibitor and/or his/her immediate family must notify the Project Director within ten (10) hours of administration of drug/medication, or feed/water additive except in cases immediately prior to the auction, when notification must take place prior to the animal entering the sale ring. Project Director will notify the President or Auction Chairman of PCJLSI of the declaration.

4. If any animal is being treated with USDA/FDA approved species specific market animal drug/medication and a delayed market date is needed to ensure a residue free carcass, it is the exhibitor’s responsibility to ensure that appropriate announcement of the delayed market requirement is submitted in writing with the prescribed requirement to PCJLSI prior to entering the sale ring. The exhibitor will then be responsible for maintaining the animal until it is residue free and then delivering the animal to the designated location (packer, buyer etc.) Grand and Reserve Grand Champion animals requiring a delayed slaughter date will be treated on an individual basis with special handling as required.

5. Sale money will be withheld until tests are complete.

6. Exhibit Sale Disposition: If it is proven that an animal has received or tests report the positive presence of drugs/medication, or feed/water additive(s) not approved by the USDA,
FDA, or above the USDA guideline residue levels and/or not in compliance with the USDA Wholesome Meat Act, in any test or procedure, that animal will be disqualified and the exhibitor declared ineligible to receive sale proceeds or packer monies (if applicable). The carcasses of a disqualified animal will be disposed of per instructions from USDA or FDA or the State of Arizona. The Buyer will be given the option to void the purchase or accept a replacement carcass of equal value. However, in either event the exhibitor will not receive any of the proceeds.

7. If an entry is disqualified, the owner/exhibitor will not be eligible to sell in future Pima County Junior Livestock Sales (Livestock or Small Stock Sales). All disqualifications can be appealed to PCJLSI.

8. If substances or residues, including drugs/medications, or feed/water additives, as defined above, are found in the tissue of the carcasses of animals entered/sold through the PCJLSI sale, PCJLSI will in no way be held liable or responsible for condition of carcass or sale price of animal. Further, the exhibitor and his/her family will indemnify and hold harmless PCJLSI and all of its sponsors and assisting organizations, their employees and agents, against all legal or other proceedings in connection with said drug testing. The exhibitor and his/her family will indemnify and hold harmless the show and its sponsors and assisting organizations against all claims for injury to any person or property caused by any animal and/or its meat.

9. If the exhibitor’s animal is condemned for anything other than illegal drug use, the Buyer has the option to refuse the product and void the purchase or accept a replacement carcass of equal value at the exhibitor’s expense. If buyer voids the sale and refuses a replacement carcass, the exhibitor receives no compensation and may be liable for costs incurred.

C. EXHIBITOR’S PENALTIES:

If animals intended for human consumption are found with 1) residue tolerances not within guidelines established by USDA/FDA, 2) substances not approved of by the USDA/FDA and/or 3) if the substance is approved and the exhibitor fails to meet the requirements of withdrawal times and/or 4) fails to declare any medication and/or feed/water additives that have not met USDA/FDA withdrawal times at check-in:

1. Exhibitor will be barred from consigning any/all animals to the PCJLSI Livestock and Small Stock sales FOREVER.

2. Exhibitor will forfeit all auction sale money associated with the contaminated animal and be subject to all disposal charges.

3. Anyone caught tampering per the above substance abuse violation with their own or another animal will be prohibited from the sale FOREVER and will be referred to the appropriate authorities.

4. Anyone caught altering, changing and/or misrepresenting animal(s) will be barred from consigning any/all animals to the PCJLSI Livestock and Small Stock sales FOREVER. This includes switching animal identification papers, tags, brands etc. or the substitution of a different animal for the one originally issued the identification. All parties involved in the activity will be reported the appropriate legal and national fair associations.

5. A written request for an appeal of the lifetime ban from the sale can be submitted to PCJLSI.

III. SMALL STOCK AUCTION RULES:

All General Rules apply in addition to the following rules, specific to Small Stock. The Junior Animal Certification submittal will be incorporated into the Small Stock entry. For the 2017 Pima County Fair random blood, urine and tissue samples may be collected. The following specific rules for Small Stock also apply.

A. SALE PROCEDURES:

1. Animals in the Rabbit, Cavy, Poultry, Pigeon, and Pygmy Goat projects will be sold at auction on Sunday, April 29, 2018. Blue ribbon breed animals (of recognized breeds) may sell. Blue ribbon meat pens and blue ribbon fryers may sell provided the exhibitor complied with all 4-H and FFA rules and requirements. Pet class animals will not sell.

2. Auctioneers will be provided by PCJLSI.

3. Sale order will be determined by PCJLSI.

4. Donated animals will be consigned to the packer at market price or processed for donation to the charity of buyers’ choice at buyers’ expense.

5. All sales through the auctions are FINAL and will be processed by PCJLSI. No one should harass the buyer(s) with buy back requests.

6. Checks will be released to the project-club leader, community leader or FFA advisor when adequate funds are available. Adequate funds are defined here as enough money collected to cover all exhibitors’ checks and other liabilities incurred by the PCJLSI in administering the Livestock and Small Stock Sales.

7. There will be a 10% commission charge on all animals that sell. Funds received from this commission shall be used by PCJLSI. In addition, a fee will be deducted from each exhibitor’s check for the purchase of picture(s) for the buyer(s). The photograph fee will be collected for each Small Stock animal shown. Unused photographs will be available for exhibitor pickup prior to the end of the fair from the photographer’s staff. Every exhibitor wishing to participate in the Pima County Junior Small stock Auctions must submit a completed United States of America W-9 form at weigh in/check in at the Pima County Fair. Failure to complete a W-9 may result in exhibitor not receiving sale proceeds. In the event that a sale check needs to be re-issued because it was lost, the exhibitor will be charged the stop payment fee for the original check.

B. EXHIBITOR’S RESPONSIBILITIES: FOREIGN SUBSTANCE:

It is the exhibitor’s responsibility to submit an animal intended for human consumption with 1) residue tolerances within guidelines established by USDA/FDA and 2) free of any substance not approved of by the USDA/FDA. Exhibitors and their families should exercise special care when administering any products to or on their animals. DO NOT use over the counter products made for human consumption or use. Use only products labeled as acceptable for species-specific market animal use. Other products may produce a residue in the meat and render the carcass unacceptable by the USDA/FDA. PCJLSI reserves the right to require the exhibitor to submit the appropriate documentation proving that the animal is residue free or pay for the required testing.

The exhibitor and/or immediate family must notify Project Director of ANY substance which was administered to the animal prior to arrival at the Pima County Fair and which has not met the required withdrawal period for that substance. These include but are not limited to: growth stimulants, drugs/medication, and/or feed/water additives (i.e. antibiotics, worms). Notification must be made in writing prior to check-in/weigh-in/pennning of animal at the Pima County Fair. Project Director will notify the President or Auction Chairman of PCJLSI of the declaration.

If it is necessary to administer any USDA/FDA approved species-specific animal drug/medication, or feed/water additive during the time 4-H/FFA projects are housed at the Pima County Fair, Project Director must be notified in writing prior to any administrations. If
situations warrant, such as medical emergency, that a Project Director can not be notified prior to administration of drug/medication, or feed/water additive, the exhibitor and/or his/her immediate family must notify the Project Director within ten (10) hours of administration of drug/medication, or feed/water additive except in cases immediately prior to the auction, when notification must take place prior to the animal entering the sale ring. Project Director will notify the President or Auction Chairman of PCJLSI of the declaration.

If any animal is being treated with USDA/FDA approved species specific animal drug/medication and a delayed processing date is needed to ensure a residue free carcass, it is the exhibitor’s responsibility to ensure that appropriate announcement of the delayed processing requirement is submitted in writing with the prescribed requirement to PCJLSI prior to entering the sale ring. The exhibitor will then be responsible for maintaining the animal until it is residue free and then delivering the animal to the designated location (packer, buyer etc.). Grand and Reserve Grand Champion animals requiring a delayed slaughter date will be treated on an individual basis with special handling as required.

Sale money will be withheld until tests are complete.

Exhibit Sale Disposition: If it is proven that an animal has received or tests report the positive presence of drugs/medication, or feed/water additive(s) not approved by the USDA, FDA, or the USDA guideline residue levels and/or not in compliance with the USDA Wholesome Meat Act, in any test or procedure, that animal will be disqualified and the exhibitor declared ineligible to receive sale proceeds or packer monies (if applicable). The carcass of a disqualified animal will be disposed of per instructions from USDA or FDA or the State of Arizona. The Buyer will be given the option to void the purchase or accept a replacement carcass of equal value. However, in either event the exhibitor will not receive any of the proceeds.

If an entry is disqualified, the owner/exhibitor will not be eligible to sell in future Pima County Junior Livestock Sales (LIVESTOCK or Small Stock Sales). All disqualifications can be appealed to PCJLSI.

If substances or residues, including drugs/medications, or feed/water additives, as defined above, are found in the tissue of the carcasses of animals entered/sold through the PCJLSI sale, PCJLSI will in no way be held liable or responsible for condition of carcasses or sale price of animal. Further, the exhibitor and his/her family will indemnify and hold harmless PCJLSI and all of its sponsors and assisting organizations, their employees and agents, against all legal or other proceedings in connection with said drug testing. The exhibitor and his/her family will indemnify and hold harmless the show and its sponsors and assisting organizations against all claims for injury to any person or property caused by any animal and/or its meat.

If the exhibitor’s animal is condemned for anything other than illegal drug use, the Buyer has the option to refuse the product and void the purchase or accept a replacement carcass of equal value at the exhibitor’s expense. If buyer voids the sale and refuses a replacement carcass, the exhibitor receives no compensation and may be liable for costs incurred.

C. EXHIBITOR’S PENALTIES:

If animals intended for human consumption are found with 1) residue tolerances not within guidelines established by USDA/FDA, 2) substances not approved of by the USDA/FDA and/or 3) if the substance is approved and the exhibitor fails to meet the requirements of withdrawal times and/or 4) fails to declare any medication and/or feed/water additives that have not met USDA/FDA withdrawal times at check in:

Exhibitor will be barred from consigning any/all animals to the PCJLSI Livestock and Small Stock sales FOREVER.

Exhibitor will forfeit all auction sale money associated with the contaminated animal and be subject to all disposal charges.

Anyone caught tampering per the above substance abuse violation with their own animal will be prohibited from the sale FOREVER and will be referred to the appropriate authorities.

Anyone caught altering, changing and/or misrepresenting animal(s) will be barred from consigning any/all animals to the PCJLSI Livestock and Small Stock sales FOREVER. This includes switching animal identification papers, tags, tattoos etc. or the substitution of a different animal for the one originally issued the identification. All parties involved in the activity will be reported the appropriate legal and national fair associations.

A written request for an appeal of the lifetime ban from the sale can be submitted to PCJLSI.

D. EXHIBITOR RESPONSIBILITIES:

1. Exhibitors may sign up for the auction following the close of Small Stock judging events. All sales agreements must be signed by the exhibitor’s parent or guardian and turned in by 4:00p.m. Wednesday, April 25, 2018. This INCLUDES MUST SELL LOTS SUCH AS ANY/ALL MEAT PENs. IF THE DEADLINE HAS NOT BEEN MET, THEN THEY WILL BE SCRATCHED FROM THE SALE. If a pedigree is available, it must be turned in with the sales agreement. At the time of sign-up exhibitors will receive a “For Sale at the Auction” sign to be placed on their animal’s cage.

2. Exhibitors may withdraw an animal from the auction by having the Small Stock Chairperson void all copies of the sales agreement before 4:00p.m. Wednesday April 25, 2018.

3. Any sick or injured animal will be withdrawn from the auction by the auction officials. Show officials may allow substitution of another blue ribbon animal, provided the animal meets exhibitor ownership requirements.

4. Any entry with missing, incorrect or illegible tattoos, ear tags, or leg bands must be withdrawn from the auction immediately. No exceptions and/or substitutions will be allowed in these cases.

IV. NEW PROJECTS:

To be accepted as a new project into the Pima County Small Stock Auction the project must meet the following requirements:

a. Newly established projects must have been a recognized FFA or 4-H animal project in Pima County for three consecutive years, showing increased growth over the three years. The project may sell in the auction the fourth year of its existence if application is accepted.

b. Project Directors must submit completed applications for consideration to the PCJLSI no later than May 1 of the third year.

c. The animal must be judged at the Pima County Fair by an accredited judge and receive a blue ribbon.

d. The animal must be on exhibit during the 4-H Week of the fair.

e. As part of the application, a market study must be submitted to verify a local market for the project. Pet type projects are not eligible for the sale.
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Exhibitor’s Slip & Junior Animal Certification

We understand and agree to the following:
1. Club and Showmanship designations are correct.
2. The weight listed above will be the Official weight for shows and sale.
3. 5% (Livestock) or 10% (Smallstock) will be deducted by PCJLS, Inc. from the sale proceeds.
4. A $10 photograph fee will be collected from the exhibitor’s check by PCJLS, Inc. for each market animal shown. Unused photographs will be available for exhibitor pickup prior to the end of the fair from the photographer’s staff. Exhibitors may be charged an additional $25 if a special session is required to take the photograph.
5. All sales will have all animal specific fees reduced from the sale proceeds.
6. Non-sale animals left on the fairgrounds after 6 pm, 4/28/2017 will be forfeited to PCJLS, Inc. to be disposed of at the organization’s discretion with all associated costs billed & deducted from any exhibitor proceeds.
7. Exhibitor and parent/guardian acknowledge and give permission for photographs of the exhibitor and/or the entry to be used for promotion of the Livestock Sale as PCJLSI determines necessary.

We, the junior exhibitor and parent/guardian, certify that we have read, acknowledge and will abide by all the rules of Pima County Junior Livestock Sales, Inc. (PCJLSI). We further certify that we have not administered to this animal entry, nor has it received, nor will we administer, any substance not species specifically approved by the United States Food and Drug Administration (FDA) and/or the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) for animals intended for human consumption. This includes, but is not limited to, diuretics, steroids and tranquilizers.

We will indemnify and hold harmless PCJLSI and all of its sponsors and assisting organizations, their employees and agents, against all legal or other proceedings in connection with said drug testing. We will also indemnify and hold harmless the show and its sponsors and assisting organizations against all claims for injury to any person or property caused by any animal.

We agree to pay all costs associated with testing, including but not limited to, veterinarian, laboratory, slaughter and postage or airfreight if any animal is in violation of the provision of this certificate.

Exhibitor ____________________________ Parent/Guardian ________________________ Date ________________________ Chapter or Club ________________________

I AM AWARE OF THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS CERTIFICATE AND HAVE INSTRUCTED THE EXHIBITOR AS TO THESE REQUIREMENTS.

4H Leader/FFA Advisor _________________________ Date _________________________

Any exhibitor with a falsified or incomplete form will be dropped from the PCJLSI files at the fair. This text or an equivalent certification will be incorporated into the paperwork for check-in / weigh-in at the fair.