JUNIOR FUR AND FEATHERS

Poultry Sanction

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Large Chickens:

American, Asiatic, English, Mediterranean, Continental, and All Other Standard Breeds; BANTAMS – Modern Game, Old English Game, Single Comb Clean Legged (other than Game), Rose Comb Clean Legged, All Other Combs Clean Legged, & Feather Legged; DUCKS – Heavy, Medium, Light, and Bantam; Geese Heavy, Medium, and Light; TURKEYS – All compete in one class

All judging shall be by the latest edition of the **American Standard of Perfection**, copyrighted by the American Poultry Association, Inc. Dues will be accepted in the Poultry Building prior to judging or they may be sent to the American Poultry Association, Post Office Box 306, Burgettstown PA 15021

Rules, definitions and judging procedure as prescribed in the latest edition of the Official Show Rules and the Standard of Perfection of the American Poultry Association, Inc., shall apply to all district and county fair poultry shows except in such instances where they are in conflict with the rules and regulations prescribed by the Division of Fairs and Expositions of the Department of Food and Agriculture.

California State Health Rules for Poultry, Rabbit, and Cavy

Any bird, rabbit, or cavy showing evidence of disease will be immediately removed from the fairgrounds. All chickens or turkeys exhibited will be subject to pullorum-typhoid testing at the fair unless: chickens or turkeys come from flocks which are certified as California-United States pullorum-typhoid clean or its equivalent; or, individual birds entered are accompanied by an official health certificate identifying such poultry and showing a negative pullorum-typhoid test within 90 days prior to exhibition. Pullorum-typhoid certification may be obtained from agents of the National Poultry and Turkey Improvements Plan or accredited veterinarians.

All Poultry will be inspected upon arrival and prior to coop-in, as per the California Department of Food & Agriculture

Official A.R.B.A. Sanctioned Show Eric Stewart, Executive Director P.O. Box 400, Knox, PA 16232

DUES	Adult	H/W	Youth
1 year	\$20	\$30	\$12
3 years	\$50	\$75	\$30

The 101st National Convention will be held in Louisville, KY October 26-30, 2024

All specialty sanctions requests must be submitted to the Fair office by June 30.

All youth sanctioned shows are open to all ARBA youth members through eighteen (18) years of age.

JUNIOR POULTRY

Judge: TBA

Entries Close: Sunday, June 30, 11:59 p.m.

Arrival Time: Tuesday, August 6, 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.

All birds must be examined by Poultry Health Inspector

prior to cooping in

Entry Fee: \$2.00 per entry, per class

Limit: Four entries per exhibitor, per variety, per class

Orientation: TBA

Judging Time: Wednesday, August 7, 9:00 a.m.

Breed Show followed by Showmanship at 1:00 p.m. Primary followed by FFA, followed by 4-H (youngest to

oldest)

Exhibitors Meeting: TBA

Departure Time: Thursday, August 8, 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Rules

- Junior exhibitors are expected to care/feed/water their own animals. Feeding and watering must be completed by 9:00 a.m. daily and as needed. No adults will be allowed to tend or handle the animals.
- 2. Animals must be owned by exhibitor and cannot leave the building.
- 3. Exhibitors must check in and care for their own animals. Parents are not permitted to care for animals in place of the exhibitor.
- Cock, Hen, Old Drake, Old Duck, Old Gander, Old Goose are open to birds one year and older. Younger birds should be entered in the other classes for under one year.
- 5. Carrying cages may be stored under cages as long as they are out of view.
- 6. Substitutions can only be made within a division. Substitutions must be made when the exhibit arrives at the fairgrounds. A minimum \$20 penalty must be paid prior to judging for each substitution made by the exhibitor in excess of two in the division.
- 7. All birds must arrive washed.
- 8. STATE RULE: No exhibitor shall receive more than 2 cash awards in any one class.
- 9. Exhibitors will be expected to sign-up and complete a two-hour "barn duty" shift.
- 10. All poultry must be identified by a leg band prior to entering the fairgrounds.

Cash Awards offered per class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
\$10	\$9	\$8	\$7	\$7

Bantams

Division 3901 - Modern Game

Division 3902 - Old English Game

Division 3903 - Single Comb, Clean Legged - Other Than Games

Division 3904 - Rose Comb, Clean Legged

Division 3905 - All Other Combs, Clean Legged

Division 3906 - Featherlegged

Class

Cock (1 year & up)
Hen (1 year & up)
Cockerel (under 1 year)
Pullet (under 1 year)

Ducks

Division 3927 - Bantam - Call, East Indies, Mallard

Division 3928 - Light Weight - Campbell, Magpie, Runner

Division 3929 - Medium Weight - Buff, Cayuga, Crested, Swedish

Division 3930 - Heavy Weight - Aylesbury, Muscovy, Pekin, Rouen

Class

Old Drake
Old Duck
Young Drake
Young Duck
Young Duck
Young Tuck
Younder 1 year

Game Birds

Division 3931 - Pheasant (please identify)

Division 3932 - Partridge

Division 3933 - Quail

Class

- 1. Breeding Pair (2 birds only)
- 2. Single (1 bird)

Geese

Division 3934 - Heavy Weight - Toulouse, Emden, African

Division 3935 - Medium Weight - Sebastopol, Pilgrim, American Buff, Pomeranian

Division 3936 - Light Weight - Chinese, Tufted, Canada, Egyptian

Class

Old Gander (1 year and up)
Old Goose (1 year & up)
Young Gander (under 1 year)
Young Goose (under 1 year)

Division 3937 - All Recognized Pigeon Breeds (State Breed on Entry)

Class

Old Cock (1 year & up)
Old Hen (1 year & up)
Young Cock (under 1 year)
Young Hen (under 1 year)

Old Pair (male & female over 1 year)
Young Pair (male & female under 1 year)

Turkeys

Division 3938 - Bronze

Division 3939 - White

Division 3940 - Any Other Turkey

Class

Old Tom (1 year & up)
Old Hen (1 year & up)
Young Tom (under 1 year)
Young Hen (under 1 year)

Large Poultry

Division 3941 - American Breeds

Division 3942 - Mediterranean Breed

Division 3943 - Asiatic Breeds, All Other Large Fowl Breeds

Division 3944 - English Breeds

Division 3945 – Continental Breeds

Class

Cock (1 year & up)
Hen (1 year & up)
Cockerel (under 1 year)
Pullet (under 1 year)

Division 3950 - Utility (unregistered)

Class

- 1. Cock
- 2. Hen
- Cockerel
- 4. Pullet

Eggs

Division 3951 - 1 Dozen Eags

Class

White
Brown

3. Tinted

4. Colored

5. Waterfowl

All exhibitors must pre-enter showmanship by the close of entries. No premiums awarded in Showmanship.

Division 3964 - Poultry Showmanship

FFA exhibitors in 7th & 8th grade will enter FFA Novice if this is their first year showing this species. Otherwise they will enter FFA Advanced.

- 1. 4-H exhibitors 5 thru 8 years (Participation Ribbons Only)
- FFA Novice
- 3. FFA Advanced
- 4. 4-H Jr exhibitors 9 thru 10 years
- 5. 4-H Jr exhibitors 11 thru 13 years
- 6. 4-H Sr exhibitors 14 years & over

JUNIOR EGG LAYING CONTEST

NOTE: CLASSES AND SECTIONS MAY BE SUBJECT TO CHANGES AND/OR BE CANCELLED BASED ON THE OUTBREAK OF AVIAN INFLUENZA. UPDATES CAN BE FOUND AT: http://www.sonomacountyfair.com/fair/livestock-exhibitors.php.

Entries Close: Sunday, June 30, 11:59 p.m.

Arrival Time: Saturday, August 3, 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.

All birds must be examined by Poultry Health Inspector (located inside Gate 7) prior to cooping in

Departure Time: Thursday, August 8, 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Entry Fee: \$7.00 per entry per class

Limit: One entry per exhibitor, entries will be limited

Rules

- A. The exhibitor must have owned all birds in an entry for at least 30 days prior to the closing date of entries.
- B. An entry shall consist of six females.
- C. Open nests must be used.
- D. Pens will be locked and opened only by the management.
- E. The management will fix the time of count.
- F. Only marketable eggs will be counted and in case of a tie the eggs grading highest will be placed first (no broken, eaten eggs, etc.).
- G. Soft-shelled eggs will not be counted.
- H. The management will keep eggs laid during the contest.
- If there are less than three entries the class will be cancelled.
- J. All chickens will be marked by Fair staff upon leaving the fair.

American System of Judging

Cash Awards offered per class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th
\$60	\$50	\$40	\$30	\$20	\$10	\$10	\$10	\$10

Division 3966 – Large Breeds Only (State Breed) Class

1. All Breeds competing together