

2024 RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR GASCONADE COUNTY

4-H AND FFA MARKET BARROW AND GILT SHOW AND SALE

Show Date: July 25 – 8:00 a.m. Sale Date: July 27 – 3:00 p.m.

2023 Sponsors: Crown Equipment, Mt, Sterling - Sassmann Farms - Cathlees Real Estate, Inc – Hermann Veterinary Clinic – Sydenstricker Nobbe Partners – Service and Supply Coop, New Florence – MWR Restorations – 2KW Livestock - All In Repair – Rhineland Hermann MFA – Double J Auto Parts – Caden Moss Family – Rosebud Tractor – Hermann Wurst House – Schneider Farms – MFA Agri Services, Owensville

Class number for 4-H & FFA Market Barrow and Gilt is Class #1

1. FINAL PLACING WILL BE DETERMINED BY JUDGE

2. To be eligible to show and sell a barrow or gilt, the exhibitor must live in Gasconade County or be a member of a 4-H Community Club or FFA Chapter within Gasconade County.

3. An exhibitor will be allowed to raise up to 4 pigs to feed out. No alternate pigs will be allowed. Both barrows and gilts will be allowed; however, a member will be allowed to show 2 barrows or gilts, but sell only one, which must be the higher placing animal, unless the member has both grand and reserve champion. Only 2 animals may be brought to the fair for Class #1.

4. The committee reserves the right to divide the barrows and gilts into classes according to weight.

5. Each pig must be registered under an exhibitor's name. No alternate pigs will be allowed.

6. Barrows and gilts will be weighed at the fairgrounds as they come off the truck Wednesday between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. This will be the selling weight. **Barrows and gilts must weigh at least 220 pounds to show.** Any animal not weighing 220 pounds will be allowed to show in the open show but will not sell. Any animal weighing over 300 pounds will be allowed to show and sell; **but at the sale, seller will only be allowed a maximum sale weight allotment of 300 pounds.**

7. The barrow and gilt show will be at 9 a.m. on Thursday. Gilts will not be allowed to show in the breeding show.
8. The sale will be on Saturday.
9. Sale order will be set by Swine Judge.
10. Entry fees will be \$4.00 per head.
11. Selling fee is \$15.00 per head.
12. The committee sets swine pens at a rate of one or two head per half pen, three or four per whole pen. **Absolutely no pen changes allowed without the Swine Committee Approval. No Exceptions. Absolutely NO ITEMS allowed in the alleyways or Tact Pen set-up before 5:00 p.m. or before all entries are weighed and penned.**
13. No water pans allowed – pigs must use a nipple-type waterer.
14. All exhibitors must supply their own shavings for their pens.
15. All market swine selling **must** have the official Gasconade County Fair tag in their ear.

Entries Section: **Livestock Registration Ends July 1.**

Entries:

- a. All entries will be submitted by going to <http://gasconadecounty.fairentry.com/>; by logging in through your 4HOnline family profile or creating a Fair Entry profile if FFA or breeder. Registrations for livestock classes will run from May 15-July 1. Please register early! Contact the Extension Office at 573-437-2165 if you need assistance. **NO LATE REGISTRATIONS FOR LIVESTOCK WILL BE ACCEPTED.**
- b. All entry fees, selling fees will be paid by credit/debit card online or check/M.O. mailed to the Gasconade County Fair Assn, P O Box 15, Owensville, MO 65066 by July 8, 2024.
- c. Livestock Exhibitors must purchase their Season Passes at a participating local store.

d. To be eligible to show and sell a market steer or heifer, the exhibitor must live in Gasconade County or be a member of a 4-H Community Club or FFA Chapter within Gasconade County.