

DEPARTMENT 4  
SWINE

CHARLES FRAHM  
SUPERINTENDENT

**THE LIVESTOCK OPEN SHOW ENTRY APPLICATION MUST BE USED IN THIS DEPARTMENT.**

**RULES**

**EXHIBITOR FEE**-\$12.00 – Youth Exhibitors-\$5.00  
**PEN FEE** \$8.00 - Includes exhibitor ticket with five one-day admissions and general parking. **Please Note: This ticket is not good for Midway Rides or Entertainment requiring a regular gate ticket for admission.** USE LIVESTOCK ENTRY APPLICATION. GOOD FOR ALL DEPARTMENTS.

**ENTRY DEADLINE:** June 1<sup>st</sup> - Entry applications positively close 5:00 p.m. and must be mailed or brought to the Saginaw Fair Office on or before June 1st.

Checks must be made payable to the Saginaw Fair. Entry fee of \$8.00 per pen, plus \$12.00 exhibitor’s ticket, payable in advance, must accompany entry application. Exhibitor’s ticket will be issued upon arrival. Specify on entry application number of pens needed.

Each exhibitor is limited to not more than 35 exhibits in the Department. Only 2 entries per class from one exhibitor and no more than 2 exhibits per family or farm will be allowed. ACCEPTED IN ONLY TWO BREEDS FROM THE SAME FAMILY OR THE SAME FARM. EACH EXHIBITOR CAN MAKE BUT ONE ENTRY EACH IN HERDS AND GROUPS.

Entries will be closed, without previous notice, when all pens are filled. PEN RESERVATIONS WILL NOT BE MADE OR ACCEPTED. PENS WILL BE ASSIGNED BASED ON THE DATE WHEN APPLICATION IS RECEIVED AND OR BASED ON THE NUMBER OF PENS AVAILABLE. All Swine will be housed in those facilities provided. No refunds of fees will be made because exhibitor determines that they do not like their pen assignments or leave prior to show dates or arrive after deadline. Late arrivals may be accommodated based on available pens, if the superintendent is notified prior to arrival deadline and the circumstances causing the delay warrants holding pens. The Superintendent shall determine if pens should be held open and if late arrivals are accepted. The Superintendent’s decision is final.

**ALL BEDDING WILL BE WOOD SHAVINGS OR SAWDUST. 1<sup>ST</sup> BEDDING OF SHAVINGS WILL BE PROVIDED. NO STRAW.**

**CHECK IN:** All open show livestock will be accepted from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm and 3:00 pm to 7:00 pm on Monday before fair. All animals are to arrive during the allotted

check-in time so they can be inspected. All animals arriving at the fairgrounds MUST be pre-washed and clean and in a clean trailer. Any animals and trailers not arriving clean and at the appropriate time will be sent home.

IDENTIFYING NUMBER SHOULD BE WORN. No awards can be paid on any animal not actually appearing in the judging ring. Animals deemed unfit or unworthy by the Board of Management or the Judge will not be considered for awards in any class.

**RELEASE TIME:** will be 10:00 PM. on Saturday. Exhibitor will forfeit the premium awards on any animal removed before time stated. All premiums will be paid by MAIL as soon as possible after the Fair. Premium Awards may be withdrawn or paid in part should an emergency exist and circumstances warrant reduction.

Age of Swine reckoned from September 1<sup>st</sup>.

**Sr. Spring Pigs:** Farrowed Feb 1<sup>st</sup> to Mar 14<sup>th</sup> current year  
**Jr. Spring Pigs:** Farrowed on or after Mar 15<sup>th</sup> current year  
**Get-of-Sire:** Shall consist of four swine, either sex, the get of one boar

All sows 2 years old or over must have borne a litter of pigs previous to Fair.

Any Section not attracting more than one exhibitor, or otherwise failing to provide a satisfactory exhibit for two successive years, will be withdrawn on the basis of insufficient interest.

**JUDGING WILL BE WEDNESDAY FOLLOWING JR. LIVESTOCK MARKET HOG CLASSES.**

**SECTION 1-YORKSHIRE**

	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Premiums 3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup>
	13.00	11.00	9.00	8.00	7.00
Class					
1	Boar, 1 year but under 18 months				
2	Boar, 6 months but under 1 year				
3	December Boar				
4	January Boar				
5	February Boar				
6	March Boar				
7	Sow, 1 year but under 18 months				
8	Sow, 6 months but under 1 year				
9	December Sow				
10	January Sow				
11	February Sow				
12	March Sow				
13	Get-of-Sire				
14	Pair of Gilts				
15	Pair of Boars				
16	Champion Boar				10.00 & Rosette
17	Champion Sow				10.00 & Rosette

- SECTION 2-DUROC JERSEY (Same as Section 1)
- SECTION 3-HAMPSHIRE (Same as Section 1)
- SECTION 4-BERKSHIRE (Same as Section 1)
- SECTION 5-CHESTER WHITE (Same as Section 1)
- SECTION 6-ANY OTHER PUREBRED  
(Same as Section 1)
- SECTION 7-SPECIALS

Class				
1	Heaviest Boar		10.00 & Rosette	
2	Heaviest Sow		10.00 & Rosette	

		Premiums		
	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>
	10.00	8.00	6.00	5.00

Class	
3	Best litter born during Fair.



SECTION 8-BARN PRIZE

OPEN TO ALL HERD EXHIBITORS  
**Learning Objective: To maintain cleanliness of barn and animals, to show creative thinking with decorations and combine with educational display(s) for public.**  
 Each placing includes banner.

		Premiums			
	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	
	12.00	10.00	8.00	5.00	
Class					
1	Barn Prize-Best maintained exhibit including stall decorations.				

**SAGINAW COUNTY HARVEST FESTIVAL  
 FESTIVAL  
 2008**



**SAGINAW COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS**

CHESANING, MICHIGAN

SEPTEMBER 27-28, 2008

- PUMPKIN PAINTING*    *ARTS AND CRAFTS*
- CAR SHOW*            *FACE PAINTING*
- CARNIVAL RIDES*    *FOOD AND MUSIC*
- COSTUME CONTEST*   *AND MUCH MORE!!*

FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT OUR  
 WEB SITE AT [www.saginawcountyfair.org](http://www.saginawcountyfair.org)