



March 9, 2020

To: All 4-H/FFA Swine Project Members  
4-H Leaders

**New 2020: The Cedar County Fair FFA/4-H Swine Show will be non-terminal. The 4-H Committee is not providing a terminal option. All hogs will be taken home. Each exhibitor is responsible for their swine exhibits after the fair.**

If any exhibitor needs help finding a final destination for their hogs, please contact the Extension Office.

**Identification process:** All 4-H swine (for both county and state fair) must be tagged and identified in 4hOnline prior to May 15, 2020. Starting March 16, exhibitors should purchase and pick up tags (and taggers if necessary) at the Cedar County Office. You will then tag your own swine and enter your identification information into 4hOnline (please see the attached help sheet for instructions on this). 4-H pigs identified for State only OR for both State & County will need a DNA punch tag recorded in 4hOnline. FFA please check with your advisors. At a minimum, FFA pigs will need an ear tag and ear notches for county fair, with paper identification turned in to the office by 4pm on May 15, 2020.

**New 2020:** Both county and state fair pigs will NOT need ear notches to be recorded in 4hOnline identification if the animal has a USDA ear tag. All 4-H swine, county and state, will require a USDA ear tag.

#### **SWINE FOR CEDAR COUNTY FAIR**

- 4-H county or state USDA ear tags will cost \$2.00 each.
- No ear notches will need to be recorded for 4-H pigs.
- FFA, please check with your advisor for tags. Ear notches are required for FFA pigs.

#### **SWINE FOR IOWA STATE FAIR**

- **New 2020:** All Swine (state and county fair) will need USDA ear tags for \$2.00
- **New 2020:** 4-H State Fair pigs are not required to have ear notches.
- 4-H state DNA punch tag/collector will cost \$10.00 each.
- Total cost for state fair swine is \$12.00 each (USDA Tag and DNA Punch Tag)
- FFA, please check with your advisor for tags.
- FFA ear notches are required to be recorded along with tag number (ear notch reference enclosed).
- Signatures are required on State Fair envelopes (those will be provided with the purchase of DNA punch tags).

**Fair check in procedure:** Swine may arrive at the fair grounds on Tuesday, July 7 8am-10am or 4pm-5pm while superintendents are on hand to check them prior to unloading (no health certificate required for this option). Another option is to arrive and unload July 7 10am-4pm with a health certificate (which will be checked 4-5pm). **New 2020: Swine CVI (certificate of veterinary inspection) will need to be dated within 7 days prior to date of entry for exhibition.** Swine check in and weighing will take place 5:30pm-

6:30pm in the swine arena. All swine may be loaded out Friday, July 10 7am-9am OR after 11am on Sunday, July 12. **We will not be taking any swine to the packer.**

**Reminders:** All swine identified as a breed will require registration papers. You are encouraged to turn a copy in to the Extension Office by May 15. Registration papers will be verified and ID confirmed upon check in to the fair on July 7. If no papers are presented, swine will show as crossbred.

Again this year the Cedar County Pork Producers will be offering a Production Swine Project to showcase learning and education in swine production. Please see details enclosed.

Market Swine Iowa 4-H Animal Care and Management Disclosure Statement (Drug Affidavit) (enclosed) is required to be completed and turned in at fair check in on Tuesday night.

If you have questions, please contact the office.

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## DIVISION 265

### *Production Swine Project*

Superintendents – Cedar County Pork Producers

1. All class entries in this division need to be made in Fair Entry by May 15<sup>th</sup>.
2. The purpose of this project is to showcase learning and education in swine production. It is for those involved directly or indirectly with owning, caring for, or helping with any kind of swine enterprise.
3. You do not need to own the pigs you are working with.
4. You do not need to identify or show swine at the fair.
5. Combination Score of:
  - a. Presentation (3-5 minutes; video, pictures, slide show, display, poster, etc.) – 30 points
  - b. Oral Interview (question/answer with Pork Producer Board) – 30 points
  - c. Written records/log book (1-2 months daily duties/activities) – 40 points
6. Records due to Cedar County Extension Office by 4pm on June 21; Presentation and Interviews held June 27 in the evening with schedule TBD).

Recognition of the participants will take place during the Live Swine Show on Thursday at the fair. Written records and displays/etc. will be exhibited at the 4-H Building on Thursday of the fair as well.

Awards in each grade division will be awarded (1<sup>st</sup> - \$30, 2<sup>nd</sup> - \$20, 3<sup>rd</sup> - \$10, with Traveling Trophy for each division Champion)

26500 Junior (4-6 grade)

26501 Intermediate (7-8 grade)

26502 Senior (9-12 grade)



## **Regulations Pertaining to State and Interstate Shows**

### **Age of Exhibitors**

1. To be eligible for a county, state, or interstate show—including Iowa State Fair—a 4-H member must have completed 5th grade prior to the event.
2. A 4-H member becomes ineligible to exhibit beyond the county level upon completion of the calendar year of high school graduation. Note: In the event that a 4-H member has dropped out of high school, the 4-H member is eligible to exhibit livestock only through the calendar year that his/her class graduated.

### **ID Limits**

Exhibitors may identify a maximum of 40 head for the Iowa State Fair or those attending a county fair weigh-in. A maximum of 40 head may be identified for county fair only or those not attending a county weigh-in.

### **Ownership**

All the animals must be owned by and identified to the individual 4-H member. When registration papers are involved, the papers must either be in the 4-H member's name or show a logical family relationship.

Animals changing ownership after being identified as a 4-H project are ineligible to be exhibited as 4-H animals for that 4-H year. All swine must be in the possession of the 4-H member.

Animals offered for sale in an auction are considered to have changed ownership even though bought back by the original owner or if the owner refuses a bid or says, "No Sale."

### **Iowa State Fair Identification**

All swine must be tagged with the official state 4-H ear tag, ear notched, and a DNA sample collected. Animals identified as part of a 4-H project cannot also be identified or exhibited as an FFA project.

### **Deadline**

All swine must be entered in 4HOnline for county fair and/or State Fair eligibility and exhibition by May 15.

### **Signing and Filing the Verification Form**

Your signature on the front of this form indicates that you have reviewed it and the information is correct and complete. Keep one copy for your reference, and return the other copy to the county site coordinator.

## **IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY**

### **Extension and Outreach**

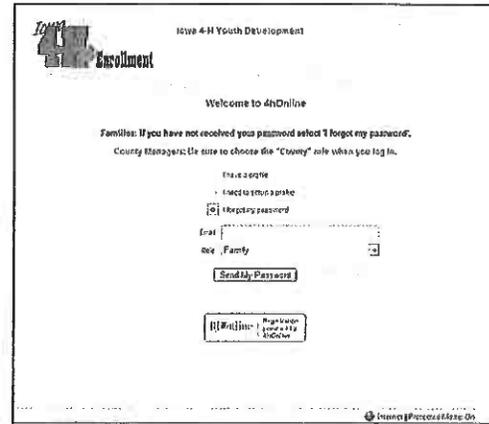
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## Log in to 4HOnline:

Open a web browser and type in: <https://iowa.4honline.com>

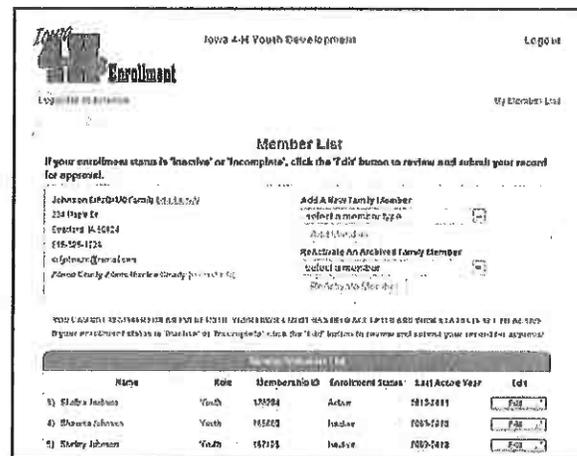
### On the Iowa 4-H Youth Development Log In page:

1. Click "I have a Profile."
2. Enter family email address provided to Extension Office.
3. Enter your password.
  - If you have forgotten your password, mark "I forgot my Password."
  - Click "Send my Password." Do not close the internet window.
  - Open your email browser and find the email from 4HOnline. Locate your temporary password.
  - Return to 4HOnline and paste/type the temporary password.
4. Choose "Family" from the "Role" drop-down box.
5. Click "Log In."
  - If you had to have your password re-set, you will need to create a new password before going on. Your passwords must be a minimum of 8 characters, and must contain 2 of the 3: letters, numbers, symbols.

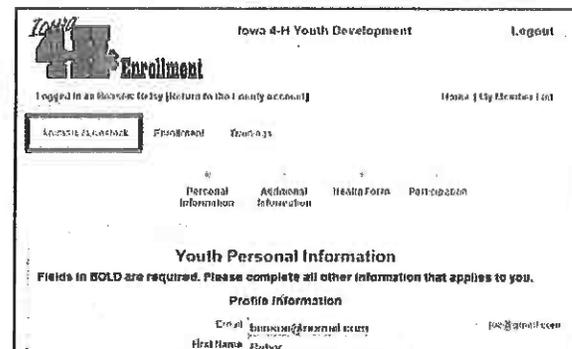


The **Member List** screen includes all of your family members enrolled in 4H: members, leaders, volunteers.

Click "Edit" to the right of the member listed to go to that member's Personal Information Screen.



Locate and click on the Animals/Livestock link in the upper left.





**Breeding Beef**

**Beef, Breeding**

Breed Type: Registered  
 Breed: Angus  
 Left Ear Tattoo: Lr 07811  
 Right ear tattoo:  
 Eartag (optional): green 654  
 Birthdate: 05/09/2011 mm/dd/yyyy  
 Registration No. (required if registered):  
 Addl. Information:  
 Cancel Save Delete

**Beef, Feeder/Prospect Calf**

**Beef, Feeder/Prospect Calf**

Tag:  
 Tag Color: Green  
 Ear: Left  
 Tattoo:  
 Birthdate: mm/dd/yyyy  
 Birth Weight: #.00 #.99  
 Sex: Male  
 Breed Type: Crossbred  
 DNA (W-Sar-Ban):  
 Addl. Information:  
 Cancel Save

**Bucket/Bottle Animal**

**Bucket/Bottle Animal**

Is this a calf, goat, or lamb?: Calf  
 Tag:  
 Ear: Left  
 Animal Name:  
 Birthdate: mm/dd/yyyy  
 Sex: Male  
 Addl. Information:  
 Cancel Save

**Cow/Calf Pair**

**Special Cases:**

- 🐾 The calf is not born as of May 15.
  - Leave the calf fields blank, and use the Addl. Information fields to indicate that the calf has not been born yet.
- 🐾 The cow had twins
  - Create two records, one for each calf, using the same cow information on each.

**Cow/Calf Pair**

Cow Tag/Tattoo (not calfhood vaccination):  
 Calf Tag/Tattoo:  
 Cow Birthdate: mm/dd/yyyy  
 Calf Birthdate: mm/dd/yyyy  
 Calf Birth Weight: #.00 #.99  
 Calf Sex: Male  
 Breed Type: Crossbred  
 Addl. Information:  
 Cancel Save

**Dairy Cattle**

- 🐾 If you identified dairy cows last year, those animals will be listed at the bottom of the animal list screen and can be reactivated.
- 🐾 You have the option to upload photos of your dairy cows. If your registry requires these and you have the digital images, you should do that.
  - Click on the Select button in one of the Documents/Images boxes.
  - Browse to locate the picture of your cow—it needs to be GIF, JPG, PNG, TIFF or PDF format.
  - Double-click on the file, or highlight and click Open.
  - If you make a mistake, use the Clear button to remove the picture.

**Dairy Cattle**

Tag or Tattoo:  
 Registration No.:  
 Animal Name:  
 Birthdate: mm/dd/yyyy  
 Breed Type: Registered  
 Breed: Ayrshire  
 Addl. Information:  
 Documents / Images  
 Front View Right Side View Left Side View  
 Select Clear Select Select  
 Cancel Save

**Dairy Goats**

- 🐾 If you identified dairy goats last year, those animals will be listed at the bottom of the animal list screen and can be reactivated.

**Goats, Dairy**

Animal Name:  
 Left Ear Tattoo:  
 Right Ear Tattoo:  
 Registration Number:  
 Birthdate: mm/dd/yyyy  
 Breed Type: Registered  
 Breed: Alpine  
 Addl. Information:  
 Cancel Save

**Meat Goats (not weighed in)**

- 🐾 If you identified (breeding) meat goats last year, those animals will be listed at the bottom of the animal list screen and can be reactivated. Each doe **MUST** have an official 4-H tag for State Fair eligibility. Scrapies tag is not sufficient.

**Goats, Meat (NOT weighed in)**

Sex: Male  
 Left Ear:  
 Right Ear:  
 Scrapie Tag:  
 Birthdate: mm/dd/yyyy  
 Addl. Information:  
 Cancel Save

**Dogs**

- 🐾 If you identified any dogs last year, those animals will be listed at the bottom of the animal list screen and can be reactivated.
- 🐾 You have the option to upload photos of your dog.
  - Click on the Select button in the Documents/Images box.
  - Browse to locate the picture of your dog—it needs to be GIF, JPG, PNG, TIFF or PDF format.
  - Double-click on the file, or highlight and click Open.
  - If you make a mistake, use the Clear button to remove the picture.
- 🐾 You also have an option to upload a scan of your rabies certificate—again, it needs to be GIF, JPG, PNG, TIFF or PDF.

**Horses**

- 🐾 If you identified any horses last year, those animals will be listed at the bottom of the animal list screen and can be reactivated.
- 🐾 You have the option to upload photos and lease agreements.
  - Click on the Select button in the Documents/Images box.
  - Browse to locate the picture of your horse—it needs to be GIF, JPG, PNG, TIFF or PDF format.
  - Double-click on the file, or highlight and click Open.
  - If you make a mistake, use the Clear button to remove the picture.
  - **State Fair horses are REQUIRED to have photos uploaded BEFORE MAY 15.**

**Llamas**

- 🐾 If you identified any llamas last year, those animals will be listed at the bottom of the animal list screen and can be reactivated.

**Pets**

- 🐾 If you identified any pets last year, those animals will be listed at the bottom of the animal list screen and can be reactivated.

Poultry

**Poultry**

Type of bird(s):

Date Hatched/Purchased:  mm/dd/yyyy

Number of Birds:

Leg band(s):

Variety:

Addl. Information:

Rabbits

**Rabbits**

Breed:

Variety/Color:

Sex:

Birthdate:  mm/dd/yyyy

Animal Name:

Tattoo (required state fair and Clay Co. fair):  Notice

Addl. Information:

Sheep, (NOT weighed in)

**Sheep (NOT weighed in)**

Tag:

Ear:

Scrapie Tag:

Birthdate:  mm/dd/yyyy

Breed Type:

Breed:

Sex:

Addl. Information:

Swine, (NOT weighed in)

**Swine (NOT weighed in)**

Ear notch (23-4 for example):

(County) tag:

(County) Tag Color:

(State Fair) DNA tag:

Color Description:

Breed Type:

Sex:

Birthdate:  mm/dd/yyyy

Addl. Information:



# Swine

## Iowa 4-H Animal Care and Management Disclosure Statement (Drug Affidavit)

**Please print**

County \_\_\_\_\_

Premise ID # (optional) \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

First Name \_\_\_\_\_

As a youth livestock producer, I understand that I have an obligation to be a responsible producer and that all market animals will enter the food chain and become edible food products for the consuming public. This subjects every exhibit animal to all state and federal regulations involving proper drug usage and all Food & Drug Administration, Animal Plant Health Inspection Service, Food Safety Inspection Service, and Environmental Protection Agency regulations.

- ❖ We, the undersigned, certify that we have read, understand and will abide by all rules and regulations of the local county 4-H/FFA fair, or the 4-H division of the Iowa State Fair. We agree to the condition that these exhibit animals (identified on this form) may be screened for violative residues and foreign substances. Also, as a condition of entry, exhibitor agrees to a background check for any past disqualification from other livestock shows.
- ❖ We have completed the Treatment Records information on the back of this form for any injectable, water, or feed medication, pesticide, topical or other substance that has been administered to exhibit animals. Use of these products may require additional time to meet legal withdrawal limits before harvest. We certify that we have reviewed the treatment and feed medication records for all exhibit swine and they meet or exceed the suggested withdrawal periods for Japan Maximum Residue Levels (MRLs) of pharmaceutical products listed on the National Pork Board web site, <http://www.pork.org/Producers/JapanMRL.aspx>
- ❖ We certify that these exhibit animals have not received drugs that are not in compliance with label indications or, if applicable, the requirements of the regulations codifying the Animal Medicinal Drug Use Clarification Act amendment to the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic act (under the direction of a valid Veterinary/Client/Patient relationship).
- ❖ If violations are detected, appropriate state and federal authorities will be notified, and regulatory action can be expected. Also exhibitors will be subjected to penalties as determined by show management.
- ❖ We certify these hogs did not originate from a herd under quarantine and there has not been evidence of swine dysentery (*Brachyspira hyodysenteriae*) in this herd during the past twelve months.
- ❖ We certify the Premise ID number(s) provided is the location(s) the exhibit swine were housed prior to arriving at the show and the exhibitor has an active/current FSQA or YQCA certification.
- ❖ We further certify the information provided below is correct and accurate, and that we have read and understand these regulations and may be relied upon by any person or entity accepting these animals for harvest.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Owner's/Exhibitor's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent or Guardian's Signature

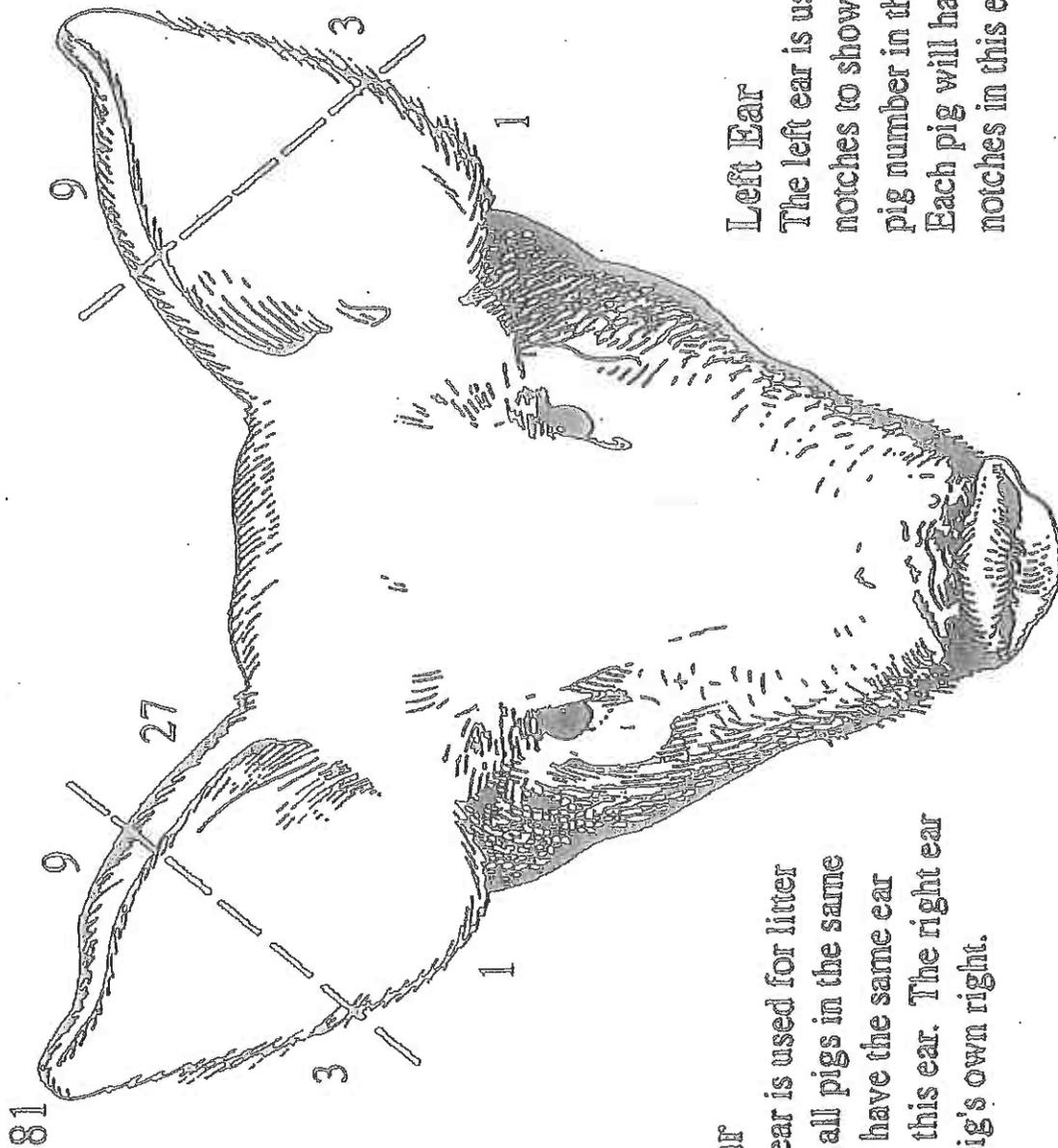
Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Animal I.D. (ear tag number (s) or notches)**

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_



# Universal Swine Ear Notching System



## Right Ear

The right ear is used for litter mark, and all pigs in the same litter must have the same ear notches in this ear. The right ear is on the pig's own right.

## Left Ear

The left ear is used for individual pig number in the litter. Each pig will have different notches in this ear.