

DEPARTMENT #39 – JUNIOR POULTRY MEAT PEN

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Danish System of Judging
No Cash Awards Offered
Judge: Eric Kutch - Jamestown, CA

Entries Close:	Paper - Friday, June 16, 5:00 p.m. Online - Friday, June 30, 11:59 p.m.
Arrival Time:	Wednesday, August 9, 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.
Entry Fee:	\$5.00 per entry
Limit:	A total of two market animals or market pens per exhibitor
Weigh-In & Judging:	Weigh-in – Wednesday, August 9, Upon Arrival Judging – Wednesday, August 9, 10:00 a.m. Meat Pen Showmanship following show (Special Jr. followed by 4-H youngest – oldest followed by FFA)
Exhibitor Meeting:	Wednesday, August 9, 4:00 p.m.
Auction:	Thursday, August 10, 1:00 p.m. (or following lunch break) – Dorfman Ring.

Rules

1. All birds must be identified with a leg band.
2. All birds must be bathed.
3. Special Junior, 4-H and FFA will show in separate divisions.
4. Special Juniors are not eligible to compete for supreme champion.
5. 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.
6. Exhibitors must be present, at their pens and in uniform during judging.
7. All First Place meat pens will compete for Champion Meat Pen in their respective divisions.
8. All market ready meat pens will be auctioned on Thursday, August 10, at the Junior Livestock Auction during the Market Hog Auction. Junior Auction Rules apply to this class. Auctioned meat pens become the sole possession of the buyer at the time of the sale. All sold meat pens will be processed.
9. Exhibitors must use market animal entry form.
10. Pre-entry into showmanship is required. Exhibitors must enter showmanship by close of entries. Please see Department 53 for showmanship rules. Sifted animals will be released after showmanship (a livestock release slip will be needed.)
11. Birds **must** be transported from barn to sale ring in proper carrier. ie: poultry coop, dog carrier, etc. No open containers/boxes may be used.
12. Each entry to be one breed and color. May not be entered in any other class.
13. All breeds judged together.
14. Special Junior exhibitors please see Department 54 for more information.

MEAT PENS – SCORECARD FOR JUDGING

Meat Type.....	40%
Condition of Flesh.....	30%
Uniformity in Body and Weight.....	20%
Fur.....	10%
TOTAL	100%

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Division 3901 – FFA Poultry Meat Pen

Division 3902 - 4-H Poultry Meat Pen

Division 3903 - Special Junior Poultry Meat Pen

Class

1. Two Birds – 4.5 pounds minimum to 6 pounds maximum each bird.

POULTRY MEAT PEN SHOWMANSHIP

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Division 3904 - Poultry Meat Pen Showmanship

Class

1. Special Junior Poultry Meat Pen
2. 4-H Market Meat Pen Sr exhibitors 14 years & over
3. 4-H Market Meat Pen Jr exhibitors 12 thru 13 years
4. 4-H Market Meat Pens Jr exhibitors 9-11 years
5. FFA Novice Market Meat Pen exhibitor
6. FFA Advanced Market Meat Pen exhibitor

POULTRY MEAT PEN AWARDS

Division 3905 – Poultry Meat Pen Awards

FFA Champion Poultry Meat Pen Embroidered Banner by The John Jordan Foundation
4-H Champion Poultry Meat Pen Embroidered Banner by Sonoma County Fair
Supreme Champion Poultry Meat Pen Belt Buckle by Sonoma County Fair

Poultry Meat Pen Showmanship Awards

Special Junior Poultry Meat Pen by Sonoma County Fair
4-H Market Meat Pen Sr exhibitors 14 years & over by Drakes Bay Ayrshires
4-H Market Meat Pen Jr exhibitors 12 thru 13 years by Sonoma County Fair
4-H Market Meat Pens Jr exhibitors 9-11 years by Sonoma County Fair
FFA Novice Market Meat Pen exhibitor by The Roy Family
FFA Advanced Market Meat Pen exhibitor by Sonoma County Fair



2016 Grand Champion FFA Poultry Meat Pen
Exhibited by: Clara Cuevas, Elsie Allen FFA

The judge of the show was Marlies Boyd of Escalon, CA.