2024 Klickitat County Fair Livestock Guidelines

**Beef**

Pre-Show Date: March 17, 2024; 1 - 4 PM  
Pre-Show Documents: Pre-show form, Brand inspection from brand holder to the exhibitor  
Fair Weights: 1,100 lbs. minimum

**Swine**

Pre-Show Date: May 6, 2024; 4 - 8 PM  
Pre-Show Weights: 45 lbs. minimum  
Pre-Show Documents: Pre-show form  
Fair Weights: 240 lbs. to 300 lbs.

**Lambs & Goats**

Pre-Show Date: June 2, 2024; Lambs 1 - 2 PM, Goats 2 - 3 PM  
Pre-Show Weights: Lambs 50 -100 lbs.; Goats 45 lbs. minimum  
Pre-Show Documents: Pre-show form, Scrapie tags  
Fair Weights: Lambs 120 lbs. to 160 lbs.; Goats 75 lbs. minimum

**Small Animals**

Pre-Show Date: August X, 2024; TBA  
Pre-Show Document: Purchasing documents and Avian Flu certificate (if applicable)

*All animals coming from out-of-state must have a Health Certificate.*

**Daily Stall Cleaning and Animal Care** - All stalls must be cleaned each morning by 7:00 A.M. All stall waste must be placed into a truck. Bedding will be provided by the Fair and is located by the livestock buildings. Herdsmanship plans will be announced Wednesday at the exhibitors meeting. Animals must be fed and watered regularly. Animals cannot be fed in any show ring. Animals should be exercised regularly; show rings may be used for animal exercise.

**Second Animal Requirements** - If a second animal meets the fair weight criteria, is entered at the Fair and shown in a market class the requirements are as follows:

- If two qualifying exhibits are entered, the highest placing exhibit will be sold in the Market Stock Sale following all stock sale rules.
- At the time of weigh-in, a card will be given to all exhibitors with a second animal that met the weight requirements. This card will be used to declare your intentions of your second animal.
- You must clearly state your intention of your second animal. Choices are: a) take home, b) private sale with seller/buyer removing animal from grounds, c) private sale with animal on truck to a local packing house, d) sell at floor price and ship on the resale truck.
- Once the decision is made, the card is to be turned into the species superintendent Thursday evening by 6:00 P.M. There will be no changes to the destination of the second animal once the card is turned into Sale Coordinator.
- If there is any discrepancy to where/when the animal is removed, the situation will be brought to the Fair Board at their next regular meeting. The Fair Board will act upon the incident.

**RESALE OF 2ND ANIMALS, BE LOOKING FOR BUYERS AND REACHING OUT TO PROCESSORS**

**Clearing of Animals** - At 4:00 on Sunday, livestock buildings will be closed to all people except the species superintendent and their designees for safe haul-out of sale animals. Once the area is cleared, the superintendent will open the doors. At that time, exhibitors can clear all decorations, take-home animals and clean stalls. The stalls must be cleared of all bedding, feed, and other debris to their original pre-fair condition before the superintendent releases exhibitors.

**MONDAY CLEAN UP** - The large animal barns must be cleaned prior to the Fair Board relinquishing the grounds back to the County. Help is needed, and expected, on Monday. Each club must provide one to two adults/teenage helpers to work at cleaning up your barn section. Please contact Jay Jauken, livestock superintendent, for further details.