

Swine Skill-A-Thon 2010

Entry Deadline:

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Contest Date:

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. The general rules and regulations at the front of the book apply to all shows and exhibits.
2. On the day of the contest, bring a #2 pencil and a no programmable calculator. No cell phones will be permitted at the contest.

JUDGING CRITERIA

1. There will be a written test and hands on activities to test the exhibitor's knowledge of the swine industry.
2. Each division will be judged separately.

DIVISIONS

Junior: Ages 8-10 years

Intermediate: Ages 11-14 years

Senior: Ages 15-18 years

There will be different stations and test for each age division. These are the topics. Look on line to find out more.

Juniors

They will have a written test with questions similar to that of a record book, labeling wholesale cuts of pork, and terms associated with the industry. They will have two stations on breed identification and labeling the parts of the pig.

Intermediates

They will have a written test with questions similar to that of a record book, labeling the cuts of meat, labeling the parts of a pig, and terms associated with the industry. They will have three to four stations on breed identification, tool identification, labeling the parts and functions of the digestive system, and feed stuff identification.

Seniors

They will have a written test with questions similar to that of a record book, labeling the parts of a pig, labeling the cuts of meat, and terms associated with the industry. They will have three to four stations on breed identification, tool identification, labeling the parts and functions of the digestive system, feed stuff identification, and calculating feed formulation using the Pearson Square.