

15. Exhibitor may not use independently owned fans in the barns. The Fair will furnish as many fans as the power supply will safely support.
16. Exhibitor vehicles and livestock trucks must park in lot provided for this purpose.
17. No Parking in front or sides of horse stalls is allowed. Vehicles doing so will be towed at owner's expense.(V.C.22658)
18. Exhibitors, leaders, advisors and parents found in violation of rules or in practices unethical or inimical with the Fair program shall be denied entry or be penalized by forfeiture of awards and/or privileges as may be deemed appropriate to the circumstances. The management shall report any such incidences to the Division of Fairs and Expositions in writing and such reports may become the basis for any fair to refuse entries.
19. Exhibitors are responsible for inspecting their pen/stall prior to penning animals.

HEALTH REQUIREMENTS

1. Any inhumane or other inappropriate action to animals by the exhibitor may cause disqualification, forfeiture of awards and removal of the exhibitor or exhibit from the Fairgrounds.
2. Animal health decisions will be made in the best interest of the animal and for the other animals at the Fair.
3. Castration sites shall be healed and free of inflammation.
4. No animal shall be admitted or remain on the Fairgrounds that shows any evidence of any active, communicable disease, or any unsightly disease or other condition. No animal shall be admitted to the Fairgrounds from any premises under quarantine for disease.
5. Management reserves the rights to require health inspections, quarantine and/or diagnostic tests to be made before, during or after animals are on the Fairgrounds and to implement disease control procedures that may become necessary in emergencies. The health of animals when determined by the official vet or by the judge shall be final and cannot be protested. Exhibitors who refuse to allow their animals to be examined shall be disqualified and such violation shall be reported to F & E. No refunds of fees will be made and animal may be required to be removed from grounds.
6. All exhibitors must comply with all state and federal animal health regulations and the Fair's health requirements, including submittal of the Fair's Certificate of Animal Medication.
7. SCRAPIE: A scrapie ear tag is required on all market and breeding Sheep and Goats. Exhibitors must include this I.D. tag number on their entry form. Scrapie is a fatal, degenerative disease affecting the central nervous system of sheep and goats.

4-H, FFA and INDEPENDENT AWARDS PROGRAM

Exhibitors are requested to be in uniform and attend the awards program on Sunday, August 9, 2009 at 10:00 AM in Grange Park. All exhibitors and parents are welcome.

Redwood Empire Fair Camper Rules

It is the intent of the Fair to provide a safe and enjoyable environment for all livestock exhibitors and their families. To insure a safe and enjoyable fair, it is imperative that all

participants are familiar with the rules and their ramifications. By signing and submitting an entry form you acknowledge having read and understood the state and local rules and agree to abide by them.

Particular attention should be given to the Rules for California Fairs 2009, which state "Fair management shall deny entry or disqualify and remove any exhibit or exhibitor that has violated State and or Local Rules".

The ability to camp at the fair grounds is a privilege. Abuse of this privilege will impact future exhibitors as well as current exhibitors. Rules mandate as followed;

1. Disruptive behavior will not be tolerated.
2. Alcohol or drug use or possession will not be tolerated.
3. Each camp space shall have an adult chaperone over the age of 21 years old staying in the camp space.
4. Camping is only for exhibitors, leaders, parents and chaperons. Siblings will need special permission from the 4-H Community Leader or FFA Advisor.
5. All camping shall be in the assigned camp space, and not protrude into a designated fire lane. Once assigned, a camp space cannot be moved without permission.
6. If a vehicle is parked in the fire lane, a camp space or no parking area, it will be towed at the owner's expense without notice to vehicle owner.
7. NO swimming pools.
8. Camp curfew; up to and including 14 year olds is 10:00 P.M.; 15 and up is 11:00 P.M. Saturday curfew may be extended dependent on the overall compliance with this curfew policy.
9. All visitors must leave the camp area by 11:00 P.M. No visitors are allowed to stay overnight.
10. Exhibitors will not be allowed in the barns past 11:00 P.M.
11. Dogs are not allowed on the fairgrounds except during the dog show or are an identified Guide Dog.
12. Registration deadlines will be enforced.
13. There will be a mandatory exhibitor meeting at 8:00 AM Wednesday morning to review rules and expectations.
14. Problems should be brought to respective 4-H Club leaders or FFA Chapter advisors first, unless an emergency situation exists. If that leader is not able to deal with it, then the leader will bring it to the Fair Manager.
15. All fees must be paid with one check from Clubs/Chapters.

The ultimate ramification of failing to abide by the rules is the removal of the exhibitor and the exhibit from the fair grounds and forfeiture of premiums and all other awards. In order to insure a safe and enjoyable experience for all, fair management will remove those exhibitors that show disregard for State and local rules.

CAMPGROUND RULES

It is the intent of the Fair to provide a safe environment for the Livestock exhibitors and their families during the Fair. The following rules are established to meet the goal. Please read the camp registration form carefully.

1. Campers will stage (line up) in the front parking lot (front office of fair) to be checked in. You may enter the parking lot from State Street.
2. Camp registration/wristband request application forms must be submitted by June 22, 2009 by 5:00 pm.. Late returns may lose their place in the rotation. The Community Leader/FFA Adviser must sign all reservation forms. Contact the entry department for forms by phone (707) 462-3884; fax (707) 642-2641 and exhibits@redwoodempirefair.com.

3. Livestock Exhibitor Campground Camping Fee is \$60 for a 15' X 30' space; also available is tent camping space of 15' X 15' for \$40.
4. All livestock exhibitors, 4-H and FFA Leaders will be provided a discounted Fair entrance wristband for \$3.00, due in conjunction with entry form. A fee of \$3 will be charged for replacing a wristband with the complete broken band in exchange; a \$7 fee will be charged for replacement without wristband, but proof of Livestock exhibitor status will be required. Prior arrangements may be made for replacement in extenuating circumstances.
5. Campsites may be set up Sunday, August 2, 2009 between 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM; if campground applicants exceed space available, the Fair may make adjustment in space size to accommodate for more spaces. Applications will be returned on a 1st come 1st serve basis. No camping in campsites is permitted until Tuesday, August 4, 2009.
6. Camping & R.V. units must be kept within space allocated and not protrude into designated fire lane, or other camp spaces.
7. Camp packets (wristbands, camp and parking passes) will be distributed under the tree at Willow stage on Tuesday, August 4, 2009 Please report the actual camp space # at time of pick up. If you have any questions or concerns call the Fair at 462-3884 ask for the Entry Department.
8. The only animals allowed in the campground are guide dogs. No other livestock is allowed in the campground area. Anyone in violation of these rules will be asked to leave the Fairgrounds, and forfeit their premiums.
9. While NO guarantee is made, the Fair will make every attempt to make power and water available to each site.
10. Campers are required to use a 12 AWG cord (20 AMPS maximum). Cord must be rated for hard usage and must be free of any defects such as fraying or broken insulation, exposed conductors or missing ground blade. Cords not meeting these safety requirements will be confiscated.
11. No leaking hoses will be allowed; all hoses must be in good repair with proper fittings and washers.
12. Use of generators may be prohibited, if exhaust creates a hazard for other campsites.
13. No cars, trucks or vans, unless used as camping unit, will be allowed in the Camp areas except for temporary loading or unloading of equipment. Camp vehicles are to be parked in the designated parking lot at the East end of the camp area.
14. For the safety of all, fire lanes will be a minimum of 20 feet and are to be kept clear at all times. Any vehicle parked in a camp space or no parking area or fire lane will be towed at owner's expense. (V.C.22500.1)
15. Camp cannot be broken before noon, Sunday, August 9, 2009, and need to be off grounds by 4 P.M.
16. Clean pens before leaving fairgrounds

PREPARATION OF THE EXHIBIT:

- Adequate bedding, clean dry and in place..... 10
- Alleys clean, free of straw and debris..... 10
- Materials used for decorations neat and attractive. 5
(Must be fire retardant)
- Appropriate signs, stall cards readable and
Neatly arranged.....5

APPEARANCE AND ATTITUDE OF EXHIBITORS:

- Knowledgeable, courteous, friendly and able to
answer questions about exhibit..... 10
- Exhibitor neat and clean, appropriately dressed.... .10

CARE OF EXHIBIT:

- Animals clean & clipped.....10
- Attractive organized feeders and feed equipment...10
- Feed and equipment stored neatly when not in use,
& kept clean.....10

EDUCATION & INFORMATION DISPLAYS:

- Provides opportunity to learn.....10
- Appearance, appropriateness and legible10

TOTAL POSSIBLE POINTS.....100%

PERPETUAL SPORTSMANSHIP TROPHY

Nominations are made from 4-H and FFA leaders/advisors, applicant to any area in which an exhibitor is exhibiting. Nomination forms may be obtained at the Livestock Office. Criteria for the nomination:

- Cheerfully follow the rules of their respective organization.
- Is helpful to others, especially newer/younger members, sharing the knowledge he/she has learned.
- Whether winning or losing, exhibits a good attitude.
- Follow project to completion through to the end of the fair.

CLEAN STALL AWARDS

A \$100.00 cash award will be given for top overall clean stall

A \$50.00 cash award will be given for the best Agricultural Exhibit

The clean stall program is designed to encourage group efforts by **all livestock exhibitors** to make their exhibits meaningful, educational and attractive to the viewing public, and safe and comfortable for the animals and exhibitors.

A spirit of fun, friendship and teamwork should prevail. The clubs, groups and chapters will be judged as a group display, whether one or many exhibitors are involved. A committee will inspect all exhibits every day of the Fair to determine those that, in their judgment, maintain the best overall score, taking into consideration the following points:

All stalls must be cleaned by 7:30 AM daily. **It is mandatory that all stalls and pens AND aisles be kept clean.**

NOMINATE YOUR

4-H LEADERS & FFA ADVISORS

Nominate your favorite 4-H leader and/or FFA advisor for the Leader and Advisor award for the 2009 year. Nomination forms can be picked up at the livestock office or by contacting the Entry Superintendent at the Redwood Empire Fair, 462-3884. Nomination forms must be submitted by Saturday night at 6:00 PM