

**Poultry Meeting**  
**3/26/2019**

**Attending:** John Galen, Cindy Hohlstein, Matthew Stiemann, Amanda Nitz, Jessica Elmhurst, and Jodi Feit

**Topics discussed**

1. John will be working on creating a questionnaire from three documents shared:
  - a. "Raising Broilers and Roasters as 4-H and FFA Projects" by David Laatsch
  - b. "The Broiler Project" by LSU AgCenter Research & Extension
  - c. "Raising Broilers and Turkeys for Competition" by the University of Arkansas Division of Agriculture

The questionnaire will be due back at final weigh-in at the fairgrounds on Wednesday, August 7.

2. In regards to #18 on page 11 of the Livestock Committee Show & Sale Rules and Regulations. They would like to create a form that the youth would complete and send, fax, scan, or text in to assure the animal was butchered within 24 hours. The Extension Clark County Office would need this documentation back within 5 days from the fair ending date.

<b>Poultry Post Fair Processing</b>	
Youth Participant Name: _____	Group/Club: _____
Name of processor: _____	Date Birds delivered to processor: _____
Leg Band Numbers of Birds harvested: _____	

3. Adding an egg class to the Poultry project. Individuals could bring in a uniform collection of six eggs free of blemishes. The exhibitors would bring eggs in in egg cartons and then a bowl will be provided by the fair board to set the eggs into for display. This request will need to be approved by the fair board.

Example from Waupaca County Fair Book

**Class AA – Egg Class**

The egg class is a premium class (not counting toward the poultry exhibit limit), but the exhibitor also has to bring a poultry exhibit.

**Premiums Offered: Blue**–\$1.75      **Red**–\$1.50      **White**–\$1.25      **Pink**–\$1.00

Exhibitors are to bring the eggs in a 1/3 egg carton. Eggs will be stored in a locked and secured container in the poultry/rabbit barn. The eggs will be disposed of after judging or when deemed necessary by the superintendents.

1. 3 white eggs – large fowl
2. 3 brown eggs – large fowl
3. 3 colored eggs (not dyed) – large fowl
4. 3 white eggs – bantam fowl
5. 3 brown eggs – bantam fowl
6. 3 colored eggs (not dyed) – bantam fowl
4. Poultry Educational session planned for Monday, July 1 at the Hohlstein homestead at 6:30 p.m. reviewing preparing birds for the fair, showmanship and some egg information.
5. In 2019 the Poultry area will be set up by club to assist in the decoration of cages. The Market birds will remain separate and ducks.
6. Cindy will work on securing feed donations and trophies
7. John will work on securing donated shavings
8. Discussion about how to get appropriate information out to the FFA youth participating in the poultry project.

Poultry meeting minutes recorded by a friend of poultry.