OPEN CLASS SWINE

MARKET BARROWS AND GILTS

1. Please read Open Class GENERAL RULES & REGULATIONS, and the General Livestock Rules

2. All animals are subject to examination by the exhibition staff or their representatives, and shall be free of clinical signs of infectious or contagious disease. Animals with active lesions, ringworm, infested with mange, multiple warts, or any other infections or contagious disease will not be permitted to show.

3. Kansas has obtained Stage V status in the National Pseudorabies Program, and the state is classified free of swine brucellosis. Negative pseudorabies and brucellosis tests are not required for Kansas origin swine.

4. Swine originating from other states please see the “Livestock Originating from Other States” general requirements. These requirements are listed on Page 28. In addition to the general requirements all swine entering Kansas must meet one of the following:
   - Originate from a qualified pseudorabies-free/validated brucellosis-free herd. The current qualified/validated number must appear on the CVI. (Hogs from monitored pseudorabies herds do not qualify under this requirement)
   - Originate from a state of State IV or V status in the National Pseudorabies Program and originate from a Swine Brucellosis free state.
   - Any swine not originating from Stage IV or V National Pseudorabies program states, and any swine not originating from swine brucellosis free states, must show evidence on the CVI that swine have been tested negative to official tests for pseudorabies and brucellosis within 30 days before entry into Kansas, and that the herd of origin has had no positive cases of pseudorabies within the previous 12 months.

NOTE: SWINE VACCINATED FOR PSEUDORABIES SHALL NOT BE ALLOWED INTO KANSAS FOR EXHIBITION OR ANY OTHER PURPOSE.

5. All animals in this division shall have been born on or after January 1, 2019.

6. The classification for judging will be based upon weight. All barrows and gilts will be weighed as they are checked in. Swine failing to meet the minimum weight of 220 pounds or exceeding the weight limit of 290 pounds will be shown in underweight or overweight classes. These animals will not be eligible to show as champions.

7. All market barrows regardless of breed will show together. Champion barrow will compete with Champion gilt for determining Grand Champion Market Hog.

8. All market gilts regardless of breed will show together. Champion gilt will compete with champion barrows for determining Grand Champion Market Hog.

9. The Stafford County Fair is a Ractopamine Hydrochloride (PAYLEAN) free show. Any pigs found to have been fed Ractopamine Hydrochloride will be automatically disqualified and will forfeit any awards and/or premium money.

CLASS
1301001. Market Barrow
1301002. Market Gilt