

LIVESTOCK DEPARTMENTS

General Information
Exhibition of Livestock in Minnesota Requirements
Check NEW ENTRY times for each specie

All cattle, swine, sheep and goats need to be tagged with the official Minnesota 41 tags unless they are registered animals that are tattooed and the registration papers accompany the animal.

Pre-Registration:
All livestock entries must be PRE-REGISTERED with the department **Superintendent** and the **Fair Office** no later than one week prior to entry day.

General Requirements:
The National Code of Show Ring Ethics will be followed. Submission of entry indicates an agreement to abide by all conditions and rules listed within the document:
<http://www3.extension.umn.edu/sites/default/files/download/IAFE-rules.pdf>
Additional copies are available in the Beltrami Extension Office.

Livestock and poultry that exhibit symptoms of any infectious or communicable disease, including ringworm and warts, may not be exhibited. All animals must be examined by the official veterinarian on the day they are admitted to the exhibition and at least once daily during the exhibitions. All imported animals must be accompanied by a certificate of veterinary inspection and meet the Board's importation requirements. SHEEP and GOATS: All sheep and goats, including wethers, must be identified with official identification approved for use in the scrapie eradication program.

SWINE: Swine must be individually identified and must: (1) have had a negative official pseudorabies test conducted within 30 days prior to the opening date of the exhibition or (2) originate directly from a qualified pseudorabies-negative herd; or (3) originate directly from a Stage IV or V county or area. All 50 states are currently pseudorabies Stage V (Pseudorabies Free Status)

HORSES: All horses must be negative to an official test for Equine Infectious anemia (EIA) within 12 months prior to the opening date of the exhibition. A test is not required for suckling foals accompanying a negative dam.

POULTRY: Poultry, except waterfowl and pigeons, must be individually identified with a leg or wing band and accompanied by a form approved by the board to show compliance with one of the following: negative test for pullorum-typhoid disease conducted within 90 days prior to the opening date of the exhibition; originate directly from parent stock tested and found negative for pullorum-typhoid disease within the last 12 months. In addition, turkeys must be tested negative or originate directly from parent stock that is tested negative for Salmonella typhimurium, Mycoplasma gallesepticum, and Mycoplasma synoviae.

DOGS: Dogs over six months of age must be accompanied by a certificate of rabies vaccination issued by a licensed veterinarian.



The Minnesota Department of Health requires that all livestock exhibited at County Fairs be tagged, tattooed or banded before entering barns. Animals without ID's cannot be exhibited.

IAFE Code Of Show Ring Ethics
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Please reserve stall space with the Barn Superintendent at least one week prior to the fair. Thank you for helping educate the public about where our food comes from.

**Beltrami County
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Would like to thank parents, volunteers and sponsors for their ongoing support and encouragement.

Pre-registration form for Livestock exhibitors

Make additional copies as needed or print from webpage: www.beltramicountyfair.org

Animals: Must pre-register with Barn Superintendent as well as turning in this form to the fair office.

Mail To (must be postmarked by Friday before the fair)

Beltrami County Agricultural Association
7223 Fairgrounds Road NW, Suite 7B
Bemidji, MN 56601

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Exhibitor Number (Office Use) _____

QUESTIONS - CALL THE DEPT. SUPERINTENDENT

Dept Class Lot ID # Description

Dept	Class	Lot	ID #	Description

* ID #: Band, Tag or tattoo #

____ I have read and understand and consent to, and agree to abide by the IAFE (International Association of Fairs and Expositions) National Code of Show Ring Ethics as stated in the premium list of this event. A copy may be obtained for your records on request from show organizers.

Signature _____ Date _____