**YOUTH MARKET AND OPEN POULTRY SHOWS**

Chairperson – Scott Athey

**HEALTH REGULATIONS FOR ALL POULTRY**

Pursuant to the authority in Chapter 27, Title 3.1, Section 3.1-723 thru 3.1-741 of the Code of Virginia (1950) as amended, the Board of Agriculture and Commerce hereby adopts the following rules and regulations relating to the control and eradication of pullorum disease and fowl typhoid in Virginia.

**SECTION 12.1 – DEFINITIONS**

Poultry – Live fowl, including chickens, turkeys, waterfowl and game birds, which are propagated and maintained under the control of any person.

**SECTION 12.2 – AUTHORITY**

Full authority for the control and eradication of pullorum and typhoid in poultry in this state is hereby vested in the state veterinarian; and without limiting the generality of the foregoing provision; it shall be the function, power and duty of the state veterinarian to administer the following provisions:

All poultry shown in public exhibitions in this state shall have originated from United States pullorum/typhoid clean or equivalent flocks or have had a negative pullorum/typhoid test within 90 days of the movement to the public exhibition.

A state veterinarian or his representative will be present on Fair Monday to administer the pullorum/typhoid test.· For further information or clarification of the rules, please contact the chairperson of the Poultry Show or a health officer.

**RULES FOR MARKET SHOW**

**ALL GENERAL LIVESTOCK RULES WILL APPLY TO POULTRY EXHIBITORS**

**PLEASE READ!**

1.···· This show is open to any youth that are residents of Frederick County or the City of Winchester, who are between the ages of ·5 and 19.

2.···· Exhibitors will provide their own feed and water for their poultry. · Exhibitors are expected to feed and water their birds daily, clean cages daily, and assist in keeping the poultry building clean. Failure to provide listed care could result in not being able to sell your poultry.

3.···· Market exhibitors must complete the livestock registration form sent out by the Frederick County Extension Office by the date stated on the form. All poultry should be brought to the Fairgrounds between 8 and 11:30 on Fair Monday. Poultry will be judged Monday afternoon.· Exhibitors may not enter more than two entries per class.

4.···· All Exhibitors of market birds to be sold at auction on Friday night **must**:

A.··· Be tested, registered, and banded on the last Saturday of June at 7pm at the poultry building.

B.··· Have 4-H or FFA project book checked on the last Saturday of June 7pm and fair Monday.

C.··· Participate in two hours of work detail at the fair and send two letters to new buyers.

D.··· Participate in Quality Assurance training.

E.··· Must sign and submit code of ethics form.

F.···· Participate in Poultry Showmanship in the Poultry Building at 2 pm on Fair Monday. Dress appropriately and be prepared to answer questions from the judge.

5.···· Market Birds may be removed by the buyer after sale on Friday with bill of sale.

6.···· A Poultry Caretaker Award will be given to one exhibitor (youth or adult) who shows good sportsmanship and showmanship, assists in keeping the entire poultry area neat and keeps their own cages clean and their birds fed and watered. Scott Athey will serve as a judge and sponsor of this award. A gift card will be presented to the Caretaker Award Winner on Friday evening before the market animal auction in the livestock building.

7.···· All birds must have fair tag on outside of cage and be completed with bird in proper class by 12:30 pm fair Monday or will not be judged. · If you need help filling out the tag please come to the poultry building before 11:30 am to allow time for changes.

8.···· Use white fair tag.

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**Youth Market Poultry Showmanship Classes:**

1266 Senior Showmanship Poultry

1267 Junior Showmanship Poultry

1268 Senior Novice Showmanship Poultry

1269 Junior Novice Showmanship Poultry

**Youth Market Poultry Classes:**

1270 - Purebred American Breed, Male 1271 - Purebred American Breed, Female

1272 - Purebred Mediterranean Breed, Male 1273-Purebred Mediterranean, Female

|1274 - Purebred Asiatic Breed, Male 1275 - Purebred Asiatic Breed, Female

1276 - Purebred English Breed, Male 1277 - Purebred English Breed, Female

1278 - Continental Breeds, Male 1279 - Continental Breeds, Female

1280 - Any Other Standard Purebred, Male 1281 - Any Other Standard Purebred, Female

1282 - Any Crossbred Egg Type, Male 1283 - Any Crossbred Egg Type, Female

1284 - Any Crossbred Meat Type, Male 1285 - Any Crossbred Meat Type, Female

1286 - Bantam Clean Leg, Male 1287 - Bantam Clean Leg, Female

1288 - Bantam Feather Leg, Male 1289 - Bantam Feather Leg, Female

1290 - Any Other Standard Approved Bantam, Male 1291 - Any Other Standard Approved Bantam, Female

1292 - Crossbred Bantam, Male 1293 - Crossbred Bantam, Female

1294 - Ducks, Pair 1295 - Geese, Pair

1296 - Turkeys, Pair 1297- Guinea, Pair

1298 - Doves, Male 1299 - Doves, Female

1300 - Pigeons, Fancy Breeds, Male 1301 - Pigeons, Fancy Breeds, Female

1302 - Pigeons, Other Varieties, Male 1303 - Pigeons, Other Varieties, Female

1304 - Pheasants, Male 1305 - Pheasants, Female

1306 - Quail, Male 1307 - Quail, Female

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**Open Poultry Classes:**

2901 - Purebred American Breed, Male 2902 - Purebred American Breed, Female

2903 - Purebred Mediterranean Breed, Male 2904 - Purebred Mediterranean Breed, Female

2905 - Purebred Asiatic Breed, Male 2906 - Purebred Asiatic Breed, Female

2907 - Purebred English Breed, Male 2908 - Purebred English Breed, Female

2909 - Continental Breeds, Male 2910 - Continental Breeds, Female

2911 - Any Other Standard Purebred, Male 2912 - Any Other Standard Purebred, Female

2913 - Any Crossbred Egg Type, Male 2914 - Any Crossbred Egg Type, Female

2915 - Any Crossbred Meat Type, Male 2916 - Any Crossbred Meat Type, Female

2917 - Bantam Clean Leg, Male 2918 - Bantam Clean Leg, Female

2919 - Bantam Feather Leg, Male 2920 - Bantam Feather Leg, Female

2921 - Any Other Standard Approved Bantam, Male 2922 - Any Other Standard Approved Bantam, Female

2923 - Crossbred Bantam, Male 2924 - Crossbred Bantam, Female

2925 - Ducks, Pair 2926 - Geese, Pair

2927 - Turkeys, Pair 2928 - Guinea, Pair

2929 - Doves, Male 2930 - Doves, Female

2931 - Pigeons, Fancy Breeds, Male 2932 - Pigeons, Fancy Breeds, Female

2933 - Pigeons, Other Varieties, Male 2934 - Pigeons, Other Varieties, Female

2935 - Pheasants, Male 2936 - Pheasants, Female

2937 - Quail, Male 2938 - Quail, Female

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