# POULTRY DIVISION

## **DEPARTMENT G \* POULTRY DIVISION**

CHECK IN: Saturday, July 13 12:00 - 12:30 p.m.

SHOW DATE & TIME: (Show Order as Listed): Saturday, July 13 at 1:00 pm

#### Poultry Guidelines

**FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:** Refer to the GENERAL & ANIMAL RULES AND REGULATIONS.

**ENTRY LIMIT:** An exhibitor is limited to exhibiting ONE entry per class and a TOTAL of FIVE entries plus ONE showmanship class.

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION:**

- The Fremont 4-H Expo Poultry Show will be a carry-in show.
- Exhibitors are to provide their own coops or carriers that provide adequate, safe space for their poultry during the show. Poultry will be kept in owner's coops or under the exhibitors control throughout the show.
- Exhibitors are responsible for presenting their birds to the judge during judging.
- Entries/exhibits will be released upon completion of their class.

#### **CHECK-IN /REGISTRATION:**

- Entry cards must be filled out (correctly and completely) for each class entered by each exhibitor. Bring completed entry cards to the check-in table during the designated check-in time stated above.
- Each bird can be shown in only ONE class. However, exhibitors may show one of their poultry entries in showmanship.
- Classes are limited to the classes listed in this premium list (below).
- Classes may be divided at the discretion of the superintendent. Final decisions as to the class in which an animal will be shown will rest with the superintendent.

**<u>OWNERSHIP</u>**: All poultry exhibited must be grown as a 4-H or FFA project by the individual entering the bird(s).

**HEALTH RULES:** Any bird found with lice or mites will be disqualified and must be removed from the show area by the discretion of the show superintendent and/or management. Health certificate not required for poultry. No additional testing requirements for Nebraska origin poultry.

## **DEPARTMENT G / DIVISION 70 \* Poultry Showmanship**

<u>SHOWMANSHIP</u>: Exhibitors may select any bird entered in the Expo for individual poultry showmanship. Birds are to be presented as described in *"Selecting and Grooming 4-H Exhibition Poultry"* (4-H 191)

- Class 12 <u>Senior Showmanship (Exhibitor ages 14 through 18 on Jan 1)</u>
- Class 13 Junior Showmanship (Exhibitor ages 8 through 13 on Jan 1)

### DEPARTMENT G / DIVISION 71 \* Large Fowl DEPARTMENT G / DIVISION 72 \* Bantam

<u>LARGE FOWL & BANTAM</u>: To be eligible, the entry (cockerel, pullet, cock, or hen) must be a fair representative of their breed. Singles are not eligible to be judged as part of a trio, and likewise, trios or pens are ineligible for singles.

- Class 10 <u>Single Cockerel</u> (male bird hatched during current year)
- Class 11 Single Cock (male bird hatched prior to current year)
- Class 12 Single Pullet (female bird hatched during current year)
- Class 13 Single Hen (female bird hatched prior to current year)
- Class 14 Trio (one male and two females)

### DEPARTMENT G / DIVISION 73 \* Duck DEPARTMENT G / DIVISION 74 \* Goose

Class 1 Young Duck (female bird hatched during current year)

Class 2 <u>Old Duck</u> (female bird hatched prior to current year)

Class 3 Young Drake (male bird hatched during current year)

Class 4 Old Drake (male bird hatched prior to current year)

Class 5 Young Goose (female bird hatched during current year)

Class 6 Old Goose (female bird hatched prior to current year)

Class 7 Young Gander (male bird hatched during current year)

Class 8 <u>Old Gander</u> (male bird hatched prior to current year)

#### **DEPARTMENT G / DIVISION 75 \* Turkey**

Class 1 Turkey

## **DEPARTMENT G / DIVISION 76 \* Production Pens**

**<u>COMMERCIAL BROILERS PEN</u>** shall consist of three birds (any combination of male and female) and are six to nine weeks of age.

**PEN OF PRODUCTION HENS** shall consist of three sexually mature females (pullets) of standard size. Singles are not eligible to be judged as part of a trio, and likewise trios or pens are ineligible for singles.

Class 1 <u>Commercial Broiler Pen</u> Class 2 <u>Pen of Production Hens</u>