# 2020 4-H State Fair/AKSARBEN Animal Identification Requirements

**All sheep and goats must have a scrapie tag**. **All market hogs and breeding swine (FFA only), market and feeder cattle must have an 840 EID tags and breeding heifers must have a tattoo.** There will no longer be a breeding nomination card because that information will be submitted online into the ShowStock Manager database by exhibitors. Each exhibitor may nominate a total, between 4-H and FFA, as follows: Market Beef (10), Market Lambs (20), Market Swine (40), and Market Goats (20)

1.) Exhibitors are required to enroll in 4-H and the required projects by the county deadline (JUNE 5) in 4H Online.
2.) Exhibitors showing market animals at State Fair must have a signed and sealed official DNA envelope with hair samples for DNA verification turned into their county office and have completed the online nomination (**www.showstockmgr.com)** along with submitting payment online by **June 15.** Any animal carrying an 840 EID tag will require the exhibitor to obtain a Premises ID. Contact the local Extension Office for details. (It is recommended that you make a copy or a photo image of completed envelope you turn into your county.)
3.) Exhibitors showing breeding beef, breeding sheep and breeding goats at State Fair will need to complete an online nomination along with submitting payment online **( www.showstockmgr.com)** by the **June 15 deadline.**
4.) Exhibitors will be required to complete Youth for the Quality Care of Animals (YQCA) for the enrolled livestock projects by the county deadline.
5.) Exhibitors will notify the County Extension Staff of any retags that may occur up to time of check-in at the State Fair.
6.) Exhibitors will select which animal nominations they have chosen to show at State Fair on the State Fair entry website. All nominated and validated animals will be automatically listed as a choice option for entry registration.
7.) Exhibitors will be required to bring the breed registration association paperwork to check-in at State Fair for animals wanting to show in a breed class. The registration papers must show the exhibitor's name, a co-owner who is an immediate member of the exhibitor's family or the family farm, ranch name or parent's name.

** The due date is when all tagging is to be finished, animal information should be submitted online via the Show Stock Manager database, DNA collected and completed DNA Envelopes should be in the possession of the County Extension Staff.

| Project Area | Identification Requirements | Due Date | Due Date | Show Entry Deadline |
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| | State Fair | County | State Fair | State Fair |
| Market Beef | EID Tag, DNA Envelope & animal information submitted online via Show Stock Manager database | June 5 | June 15 | August 10 |
| Breeding Beef | Tattoo & animal information submitted online via Show Stock Manager database | June 5 | June 15 | August 10 |
| Market Swine | EID Tag, DNA Envelope & animal information submitted online via Show Stock Manager database | June 5 | June 15 | August 10 |
| Dairy Cattle | ID Sheet Drawing | June 5 | June 15 | August 10 |
| Market Sheep | Scrapie Tag, DNA Envelope & animal information submitted online via Show Stock Manager database | June 5 | June 15 | August 10 |
| Breeding Sheep | Scrapie Tag & animal information submitted online via Show Stock Manager database | June 5 | June 15 | August 10 |
| Market Goat | Scrapie Tag, DNA Envelope & animal information submitted online via Show Stock Manager database | June 5 | June 15 | August 10 |
| Breeding Goat | Scrapie Tag & animal information submitted online via Show Stock Manager database | June 5 | June 15 | August 10 |
| Rabbit & Poultry | No nomination required. Rabbits will be required to have an ear tattoo by the show entry deadline. | June 5 | ____ | August 10 |
| Horse | ID Sheet Drawing | June 5 | _____ | _____ |

Online Nomination Website: **www.showstockmgr.com**

Nebraska State Fair Entry Website: **http://www.statefair.org/**