#### TEAM PUREBRED EASTERN REGIONAL



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#### JUDGING SCHEDULE

BARNYARD OLYMPICS Friday, September 3rd – 4:30 PM
SHOWMANSHIP Friday, September 3rd – 6 PM
JUDGING/SKILLATHON Saturday, September 4th – 10 AM to 3 PM
BARROWS Saturday, September 4th – 5 PM
GILTS Sunday, September 5th – 8:30 AM

# SPECIAL RULES

# **Team Purebred Eastern Regional Schedule:**

Must be in place – 2PM, Friday, September 3rd Must be checked-in & weighed-in 1PM– 5PM, Friday, September 3rd Skill-a-thon will begin at 10AM, Saturday, September 4th Released – 6PM, Sunday, September 5th

# **Eligibility:**

- 1. All exhibitors and participants must be members of Team Purebred.
- 2. Exhibitors must be 21 years of age or younger as of January 1, 2021.
- 3. The age divisions will be as of January 1, 2021: Senior (17-21); Intermediate (13-16); Junior (9-12) and Novice (8 and under).
- 4. If an exhibitor is not present to show their barrow/gilt, the hog cannot be exhibited without prior approval from the Director of Jr. Activities.

# **Requirements:**

- 1. Gilt & barrow entries must be registered swine farrowed January 1, 2021 and after. All gilts will be shown by age.
- 2. Entries may be purchased animals, but must be owned by the junior exhibitor, the exhibitor's family name, or exhibitor's farm name (on or before **July 3, 2021**). Entries must be registered and/or transferred prior to the show.
- 3. Junior exhibitors must bring their original pedigree and a **copy of their pedigree** to check-in. We will check the original and return it to you; however we will keep the copy to use during the shows. Substitutions will be allowed at the show.
- 4. All health rules must be followed or animals will not be allowed on the grounds. Bring your original health papers to check in with you.
- All pens are assigned. No moving or switching of pen cards at the show. Our penning system allows us to find participants quickly if any problems or special needs arise throughout the weekend.
- 6. All entries must arrive by 2:00 PM on Friday, September 3rd. All entries must be weighed and checked-in by 5:00 PM on Friday, September 3rd. All barrows will be weighed and divided into classes of approximately equal number. Animals will be omitted from showing if not checked in. Late arrivals must be pre-approved by Team Purebred.
- 7. There will be designated trailer parking areas. Please look for signs posted around the barn. Trailers parked around or near the barn may be subject to towing at the owner's expense.
- 8. Team Purebred & Maryland State Fair reserves the right to randomly collect a DNA sample on exhibited animals (barrows and gilts) at any event where registered animals are exhibited. This sample may be used for testing for the presence of the stress gene, sire verification, or breed purity. This collection will be supervised by Team Purebred or breed representatives. We may withhold premiums on Champions and Reserves until all tests are conclusive. Berkshire, Chester White, Poland, Spotted, Hereford and Tamworth breed champions and reserves will be DNA tested for parentage.
- 9. No clipping will be allowed in the barns at Team Purebred competitions.
- 10. Team Purebred reserves the right to collect samples for drug testing on any animal exhibited. By submitting entries, the exhibitor acknowledges this and agrees to comply if selected. Full list of rules and regulations for drug testing can be found in the Team Purebred handbook, <a href="http://www.teampurebred.com/Forms/Team">http://www.teampurebred.com/Forms/Team</a> Purebred Handbook 1-1-17.pdf.
- 11. ALL Berkshire barrows & gilts must be stress negative and the stress status must be on the pedigree (HAL-1843\* nm must be under the pig's name on the pedigree). DNA samples will be drawn on the Champion and Reserve barrows & gilts. DNA samples will be collected on all

Berkshire gilt and barrow breed show champions, reserve champions and any randomly chosen animals to determine compliance with ABA negative stress gene policy and sire verification. This collection will be supervised by Team Purebred or breed representatives.

# **Information & Schedule for the Eastern Regional:**

- 1. The cost per head (Classes D10 through D43, excluding Champion Classes) is \$45. There is NO cost for Showmanship classes or Skill-A-Thon classes. Both Showmanship and Skill-A-Thon classes can also be entered on the day of the show. If someone is not showing an animal, and they wish to participate in Judging, Showmanship and Skill-A-Thon, they will need to pay a participation fee of \$5. The \$5 participation fee can be paid the day of the show.
- 2. The Photo Judging and Skill-A-Thon Contests will be held Saturday, September 4th from 10AM to 3PM. The exact location will be posted Friday and announced at the show during the day Saturday. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to find time to take the Skill-A-Thon and place the judging classes. Judging classes will be designed specifically for each age group. Prizes will be awarded to the top three in each age division.
- 3. There will be a Sweepstakes contest for exhibitors showing, and participating in showmanship, judging and the Skill-A-Thon contests. Exhibitors must participate in all events to be eligible. The Sweepstakes awards are sponsored by THE MILL.
- 4. Showmanship will start at 6:00 PM, Friday, September 3rd. We will show youngest to oldest. Prizes will be awarded to the top three in each age division.
- 5. Maryland State Fair will pay up to 6 places per class, 1st \$40, 2nd \$35, 3rd \$30, 4th \$25, 5th \$20, and 6th \$15.
- 6. Breed Champion Barrows & Gilts receive \$250, a plaque, and a banner. Breed Reserve Champions Barrows & Gilts receive \$125 and a banner. Champion dollars all originate from Team Purebred. *Breed champion and reserves must have their picture taken with the official Team Purebred event photographer to receive premiums.* Failure to have your photo taken will forfeit all premiums. Photos will be published in the *Breeders Digest* magazine with the Eastern Regional results report.
- 7. There will be a Top 5 Overall Purebred barrows and gilts selected. Each will receive a banner.
- 8. Barrow Show will start at approximately 5 PM, Saturday, September 4th. We will show in alphabetical breed order following the Maryland State Fair show. (Berkshire, Chester White, Hereford, Poland, Spotted, Tamworth).
- 9. Gilt show will be held Sunday, September 5th at 8:30AM. We will show in alphabetical breed order.
- 10. The Skill-A-Thon, judging and sweepstakes awards will be handed out following the Grand Champion Team Purebred Gilt drive on Sunday, September 5th.
- 11. Please read the health requirements closely. We cannot allow you to exhibit if you do not follow health rules, which can be found on our website at <a href="https://www.MarylandStateFair.com">www.MarylandStateFair.com</a>. Call for details if you are not sure of these rules.
- 12. Special prizes and events will be held throughout the weekend. Please monitor the website for exact details as the event gets closer.
- 13. Team Purebred animals are released after 6:00 PM either evening, but encouraged to stay until after the final grand drives of the open show Monday afternoon.
- 14. Please remember that we only provide initial bedding and that all additional bedding is the responsibility of the exhibitor.
- 15. All animals must be fed inside their pen.
- 16. Bedding will be wood shavings only. The initial bedding will be supplied by the Fair, additional bedding is the responsibility of the exhibitor. Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning their pens; prior to leaving all exhibitors must check-out with a superintendent. Exhibitors not cleaning their pens will forfeit all premiums.



#### TEAM PUREBRED EASTERN REGIONAL CLASSES & PREMIUMS

# SHOWMANSHIP & SKILL-A-THON CLASSES

- $Show manship-ages\ 8\ and\ under$
- D2 Showmanship - ages 9 through 12
- Showmanship ages 13 through 16 D4 Showmanship - ages 17 through 21
- D5Grand Champion Showman - Rosette
- D6Reserve Grand Champion Showman - Rosette
- D7 Skill-A-Thon

#### **BREED CLASSES**

D3

- Barrow Berkshire D10
- D11Grand Champion Berkshire Barrow - Plaque & Rosette
- Reserve Grand Champion Berkshire Barrow Rosette D12
- D13 Barrow - Chester White
- D14 Grand Champion Chester White Barrow - Plaque & Rosette
- D15 Reserve Grand Champion Chester White Barrow - Rosette
- D16 Barrow - Poland China
- Grand Champion Poland China Barrow Plaque & Rosette D17
- D18 Reserve Grand Champion Poland China Barrow - Rosette
- D19 Barrow - Spotted
- D20 Grand Champion Spotted Barrow - Plaque & Rosette
- D21 Reserve Grand Champion Spotted Barrow - Rosette
- D22 Barrow - Hereford
- Grand Champion Hereford Barrow Plaque & Rosette D23
- D24 Reserve Grand Champion Hereford Barrow - Rosette
- Barrow Tamworth D25
- D26 Grand Champion Tamworth Barrow - Plaque & Rosette
- D27 Reserve Grand Champion Tamworth Barrow - Rosette
- D28 Gilt - Berkshire
- Grand Champion Berkshire Gilt Plaque & Rosette D29
- D30 Reserve Grand Champion Berkshire Gilt - Rosette
- D31 Gilt - Chester White
- D32Grand Champion Chester White Gilt - Plaque & Rosette
- D33Reserve Grand Champion Chester White Gilt - Rosette
- D34 Gilt - Poland China
- D35 Grand Champion Poland China Gilt - Plaque & Rosette
- D36 Reserve Grand Champion Poland China Gilt - Rosette
- D37 Gilt - Spotted
- D38 Grand Champion Spotted Gilt - Plaque & Rosette
- Reserve Grand Champion Spotted Gilt Rosette D39
- D40 Gilt - Hereford
- D41 Grand Champion Hereford Gilt - Plaque & Rosette
- D42 Reserve Grand Champion Hereford Gilt - Rosette
- D43 Gilt - Tamworth
- D44 Grand Champion Tamworth Gilt - Plaque & Rosette
- D45 Reserve Grand Champion Tamworth Gilt - Rosette

# TEAM PUREBRED EASTERN REGIONAL PREMIUMS

Team Purebred Eastern Regional premiums (excluding Showmanship & Skill-A-Thon classes) will pay six (6) places. \$40 for 1st, \$35 for 2nd, \$30 for 3<sup>rd</sup>, \$25 for 4<sup>th</sup>, \$20 for 5<sup>th</sup> and \$15 for 6<sup>th</sup>.

Additional prizes will be provided for the Skill-A-Thon and the top 3 winners in each showmanship age category.

Breed Champion Barrows & Gilts will receive \$250.00.

Breed Reserve Champion Barrows & Gilts will receive \$125.00.

