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# Animal Exhibits

(Cloverbud & Youth)

**After July 8, absolutely no entries will be accepted.**

**General Information for all animal exhibits:**

**ALL HEALTH REQUIREMENTS MUST BE MET ...NO EXCEPTIONS**



*The Putnam County 4-H Youth Development Educator, Animal Fair Chairs and/or the Putnam County 4-H Fair veterinarian have the authority to request the removal of any animal from the fair, at any time, if in their opinion it is for the health and safety of the animal, other animals and/or fairgoers.*

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**If you have any questions regarding Animal Health Requirements please call the CCE Office at (845) 278-6738.**

- 1. Pre-registration together with required health certificates must be submitted to the Cornell Cooperative Extension office by July 8, 2011.** The Animal Entry form for ALL animals can be found [here](#). No registrations will be accepted over the telephone.
- 2. NO WALK-INS AT FAIR WILL BE ALLOWED.**
- 3. A PUTNAM COUNTY [ANIMAL IDENTIFICATION CERTIFICATE](#) must be completed for each animal and returned with the registration. An attached photograph must be included for rabbits and poultry exhibits. The rest of the entry will be the same.**
4. Due to a limited amount of pens and/or cages, animal entries may be restricted to those animals shown by Putnam County 4-H enrolled youth and/or Putnam County Youth.
5. All animals must be in clean condition and exhibitors must have cared for animals by May 1<sup>st</sup> of current year.

**Onsite Veterinary Check-in: All poultry, rabbits, and livestock for show or exhibition (with the exception of small animal show and dog show entries) must be checked by the fair veterinarian prior to check-in as follows:**

<b>Thursday Morning, July 28:</b>	9:30 am – Rabbit Health Check
	9:30 am – Poultry Pullorum–Typhoid
	Testing Vet Check

**Friday Morning, July 29:**

9:00 am – Livestock Health Check

**Contagious Diseases:** All animals must be free from contagious disease. Examples of contagious diseases for which animals have been denied include: ringworm, warts, maggots, sore mouth, respiratory infection, ear mites and contagious hoof infections. Animals demonstrating clinical signs or other evidence of infectious, contagious or communicable diseases shall not be allowed on the fairgrounds during the Putnam County 4-H Fair.

**Animal Health Reactions:** Suspicion of communicable disease is adequate grounds for rejection. **Confirmed diagnosis is not required** since timely removal of suspicious animals is necessary to protect the remaining animals. **All decisions are final.** Owners and/or exhibitors of said animal are responsible for removal of the animal from the fairgrounds immediately. The Putnam County 4-H Fair officials retain the authority to order the removal of all animals originating from the same premises when a potentially serious communicable disease is suspected in any animals in the group. Vesicular diseases are of particular concern. Animals listed on the same CVI or originating from the same address are assumed to be from the same premises.

**Isolation:** In addition to the possibility that the stress of moving can result in a healthy animal becoming ill, assembling groups of animals increases the chance of exposure to contagious disease. It is strongly recommended that all animals returning from a fair or show be isolated from the herd or flock (no direct or indirect contact) for at least two weeks after returning to the premises of origin.

**Don't wait until the last moment to prepare your animal(s) for the Putnam County 4-H Fair!**

### **Animal Exhibition Options and Definitions**

Animals exhibited at the Putnam County 4-H Fair may be shown in one or more of the following categories. Please review all guidelines for the exhibitions you plan to participate in. If you would like additional resources, please call the Cornell Cooperative Extension of Putnam County 4-H Youth Development Program.

**Knowledge Class:** The showman's ability to demonstrate and verbalize basic knowledge of animal care including: anatomy, general health, diet, housing, and basic grooming.

**Showmanship:** In showmanship, your primary goal is to develop, groom and present your animal so that it will make the best impression possible on the judge. The showman, dressed professionally, must have total control of the animal at all times, exuding a quiet confidence. The judge will expect the animal to be cleaned properly and fitted according to expectations assigned to each of the varying species of animals. The showman will also be expected to share their knowledge of their show animal with the judge; this knowledge should include details about raising and care of the animal, uses for the animal and knowledge of the animal's body.

(Source: <http://oklahoma4h.okstate.edu/>)

**Breed Conformation:** Breed conformation classes are classes where only the animal exhibit is judged, not the showman. The judge evaluates the quality of the animal's pedigree, health, fitness, and cleanliness, checking whether the body structure conforms to the standard type of breed represented. He or she then makes a decision based on the standards each breed is upheld to by the 4-H guidelines.

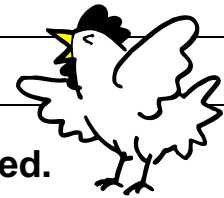
(Source: <http://agbiopubs.sdstate.edu/articles/SH408.pdf>)

### **ETHICS**

*The goal of 4-H is to develop productive, responsible youth who will become respected leaders for tomorrow. We expect all Putnam County 4-H Fair exhibitors and parents to ascribe to and*

*maintain the highest standards of ethical practices. This encompasses honesty and integrity in showmanship, herdsmanship, and respect for other exhibitors. **Any practices deemed unsafe, inhumane or unethical shall be cause for immediate disqualification. The decision of the CCE Educator and/or Animal Fair Chairs is final.***

## Poultry



**After July 8, absolutely no entries will be accepted.**

### **Additional Health Requirements**

1. **All poultry must be checked by the fair veterinarian and receive Poultry Chairperson's approval on Thursday, July 28<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 a.m.** and will be dismissed if they are not healthy at that time.
2. All poultry (except doves, pigeons, and waterfowl, which are exempt) must have certification of a negative Pullorum-Typhoid test conducted within 90 days of the Fair **OR** have certification that the birds originate directly from a U.S. Pullorum-Typhoid clean flock which has had an official test in the previous two (2) years. **For all poultry without certification, Pullorum-Typhoid tests will be available at the Fair at 9:30 a.m. on Thursday, July 28<sup>th</sup>. There is no charge for this test.** Exhibitors, or a designated person, must be present with the bird during the Pullorum-Typhoid testing. Unattended birds will not be tested and must be removed from the Fairgrounds.
3. It is recommended that you consult with a veterinarian or avian specialist about vaccinating poultry against infectious laryngotracheitis (ILT).

### **Rules & Regulations**

1. Putnam County [Animal ID Certificate](#) **MUST ACCOMPANY** the pre-registration with an **attached photo for each animal.** Computer printed photos are acceptable. For your convenience you may e-mail photos to [dla25@Cornell.edu](mailto:dla25@Cornell.edu) - label subject as "Fair Animal Photo".
2. **Pre-registration is required by July 8, 2011.**

Poultry Showmanship information sheets will be available at the health check-in.

3. Exhibitors are required to be present during the Breed and Showmanship Contest at 1:00 P.M., Friday, July 29<sup>th</sup>.
4. **Birds must remain at the Fair until Sunday, July 31<sup>st</sup> - 5:00 p.m.**
5. CHICKENS: State if bird is to be judged as a show bird or a production bird. Make sure to state breed in the description.
6. **During check-in, any youth (9 and up) who shows Poultry is required to sign up for two (2) hours work in the Poultry Barn.**
7. All exhibitors are responsible for feeding (no wet food permitted) and watering their birds, as well as caring for other birds on exhibit. Water is available at the Fairgrounds; **FEED IS NOT AVAILABLE.**

8. All exhibitors must bring their birds in a durable, sturdy carrier that is the appropriate size for their birds. Exhibitor must stay with birds until Poultry Fair Chair has completely checked them in. Cages will be provided during the Fair.
9. All exhibitors are responsible for keeping the poultry area clean.
10. All poultry must be kept in the barn at night. Any poultry removed from the Poultry Barn will not be allowed to return to the barn. NO EXCEPTIONS.
11. All exhibitors are expected to participate and bring appropriate materials to assist Poultry Barn clean up on Sunday night. Such materials include, but are not limited to rake(s), broom(s), and or shovel(s).

## **Poultry Classes & Class Numbers**

**SHOWTIME: Friday, July 29<sup>th</sup>, 1:00 pm**

### **Standard Class:**

<b>P1A – Cock</b> (male over 1 year)	<b>P1D – Pullet</b> (female 3-12 months)
<b>P1B – Cockerel</b> (male 3-12 months)	<b>P1E – Hen with Chicks</b> (under 3 months)
<b>P1C – Hen</b> (female over 1 year)	

### **Bantam Class:**

<b>P2A – Cock</b> (male over 1 year)	<b>P2D - Pullet</b> (female 3-12 months)
<b>P2B – Cockerel</b> (male 3-12 months)	<b>P2E - Hen with Chicks</b> (under 3 months)
<b>P2C – Hen</b> (female over 1 year)	

### **Waterfowl Class:**

<b>P3A – Male</b> (over 1 year)	<b>P3D – Female</b> (3-12 months)
<b>P3B – Male</b> (3-12 months)	<b>P3E – Female with Young</b> (under 3 months)
<b>P3C – Female</b> (over 1 year)	

### **Other Fowl Class:**

<b>P4A – Male</b> (over 6 months)	<b>P4D – Female</b> (3-6 months)
<b>P4B – Male</b> (3-6 months)	<b>P4E – Female with Young</b> (under 3 months)
<b>P4C – Female</b> (over 6 months)	

### **Showmanship Class:**

<b>P5A- Poultry Junior</b>	<b>P5D- Other Junior</b>
<b>P5B- Poultry Senior</b>	<b>P5E- Other Senior</b>
<b>P5C- Poultry Cloverbud</b>	<b>P5F- Other Cloverbud</b>

\*The category of "Other" includes waterfowl

## **Egg Class**

**6 of the same size; clean but DO NOT WASH.**

**P5A – Large Eggs**

**P5B – Medium Eggs**

**P5C – Small Eggs**

# Rabbits



**After July 8, absolutely no entries will be accepted.**

## **Additional Health Requirements**

1. **All rabbits for show must be health checked by the fair veterinarian on Thursday, July 28<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 a.m.** and will be dismissed if they are not healthy at that time.
2. All rabbits entered in the Fair must have their nails trimmed.
3. **NO** pregnant does, does with litters, or rabbits under eight (8) weeks of age can be exhibited.

## **Rules & Regulations**

1. Putnam County [Animal ID Certificate](#) with photo **MUST BE ATTACHED** to the pre-registration for each animal. Computer printed photos are acceptable. For your convenience you may e-mail photos to [dla25@Cornell.edu](mailto:dla25@Cornell.edu) - label subject as "Fair Animal Photo".
2. **Pre-registration is required by July 8, 2011.**
3. There is a limit of five (5) entries per Youth exhibitor and two (2) entries per Cloverbud exhibitor. Exhibitor will sign-up for a Rabbit Knowledge Class time-slot for Friday upon check-in. Additional Rabbit Resources will be available upon request and at check-in.
4. **Rabbits must remain at the Fair until Sunday, July 31<sup>st</sup> - 5:00 p.m.**
5. Rabbits of any breed may be entered. All animals will receive ribbons. Rabbits are judged based on the 4-H Danish system.
6. Exhibitor **must** provide dishes/bottles for food and water. **Purina Rabbit Chow will be available.** Exhibitor may provide own food if this is not acceptable.
7. All exhibitors must bring their rabbits in a durable, sturdy carrier that is the appropriate size for their rabbits. Exhibitor must stay with rabbits until Rabbit Fair Chair has completely checked them in. Cages will be provided during the Fair.
8. **Any rabbit removed from the Rabbit Barn will not be allowed to return to the barn. NO EXCEPTIONS.**

## **Rabbit Classes & Class Numbers – Youth & Cloverbud**

**SHOWTIME:** Friday, July 29<sup>th</sup>, 11:00 am (Rabbit Knowledge)  
**SHOWTIME:** Saturday, July 30<sup>th</sup>, 4:00 pm (Bunny Fashion Show)

### **Rabbit Knowledge Classes:**

All exhibitors are required to enter one of the Knowledge Classes.

**R110 – Cloverbud:** 5-8 years old as of January 1, 2011

**R111 – Novice – Junior:** 1<sup>st</sup> year of showing, 9-12 years old as of January 1, 2011

**R112 – Novice – Senior:** 1<sup>st</sup> year showing, 13-19 years old as of January 1, 2011

**R113 – Junior:** 9-12 years old as of January 1, 2011

**R115 – Senior:** 13-19 years old as of January 1, 2011

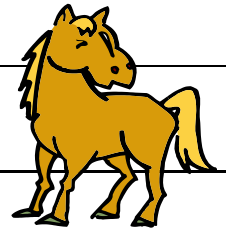
### **Costume Class / Bunny Fashion Show:**

**RCC – Costume Class / Bunny Fashion Show**

The Costume Class will be held on SATURDAY, July 30<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 pm. Registration will be confirmed upon check-in on Thursday, July 27. Only two (2) entries per exhibitor will be allowed. This class is judged on originality and “cuteness”.

# Equine

(included donkeys, mules, asses, burros and minis)



**Equine may be registered for display and demonstration purposes only.**  
(Except for Mini Equine – [click here](#) for classes and registration procedures.)

## **MANDATORY REQUIREMENTS – NO EXCEPTIONS**

*The Putnam County 4-H Fair follows all regulations set forth by the New York State Department of Agriculture and Markets-Division of Animal Industry. For a complete text of these regulations, go to [www.agmkt.state.ny.us](http://www.agmkt.state.ny.us).*

### **The following paperwork is required for ALL Equine:**

1. **Completed [Pre-Registration form](#)**  
(Arrival time arrangements must be made at least one week in advance with 4-H Staff and the 4-H Fair Chair.)
2. **Putnam County [Animal ID Certificate](#).**
3. **Current rabies vaccination certificate**
4. **Certificate of Negative Equine Infectious Anemia test** . The test must be conducted within 12 months of the date of entry.

## **Rules & Regulations**

1. **Pre-registration is due no later than 4:00 P.M. on July 8, 2011.**  
All REQUIRED paperwork and health requirements are due at time of pre-registration.
2. **Feed and Bedding will not be provided** and must be provided by exhibitor. All exhibitors are required to supply their own buckets for water .
3. Equine Exhibitors are responsible to set up and clean up (including pickup of all shavings and manure) of their respective Equine areas.
4. All Equine setup must occur prior to the commencement of the fair each day and cleanup may not occur until the fair closes for the day (exceptions must be approved by CCE office prior to fair
5. Trailers will not be allowed on the fair-way during fair hours.
6. Equine exhibits are not allowed to spend the night without prior approval of CCE office.
7. Cloverbuds are not allowed to handle equine exhibits.

# **EXPLANATION OF EQUINE HEALTH REQUIREMENTS**

## **CURRENT RABIES VACCINATION:**

**Current rabies vaccination is required for all equine that are 105 days or older on the date of arrival at the fair.**

Proof of vaccination must include the name of product used, the date of administration, duration of immunity if longer than one year and the signature of the veterinarian. The vaccine must be administered prior to pre-registration (July 8) but no greater than the labeled time specified for active protection against rabies. The animal's rabies vaccination status must remain current throughout its stay at the Fair.

**Minimum Age of Vaccination:** Animals **105 days of age or older** on the date of arrival at the Fair must be vaccinated for rabies (for those species requiring vaccination).

**Booster Vaccination:** Animals previously vaccinated for rabies but whose vaccine status have expired, are eligible for exhibition upon receiving a booster vaccination. Proof of previous vaccination is required.

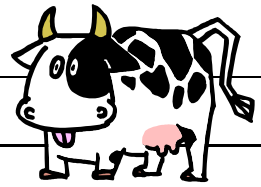
**NOTE: Rabies titers in lieu of current rabies vaccination is not acceptable.**

A signed, written statement from a veterinarian is required as proof of vaccination. A valid animal health certificate which has the vaccination(s) listed and is signed by the issuing veterinarian is acceptable proof of vaccination. No person shall present an interstate or intrastate certificate of veterinary inspection that has been altered by anyone other than the issuing veterinarian or authorized agent.

## **NEGATIVE EQUINE INFECTIOUS ANEMIA (EIA)**

Required for all equine 6 months of age or older. The equine must be accompanied by a valid negative EIA test record. This record must also be mailed with the pre-registration form. The test must have been conducted during the current or previous calendar year for New York origin equine. For imported equine, the test must be conducted within 12 months of entry. The EIA test certificate must include a complete description of the horse.

# Large Livestock



**After July 8, absolutely no entries will be accepted.**

## **MANDATORY REQUIREMENTS – NO EXCEPTIONS**

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**The following paperwork is required for ALL Large Livestock:**

1. Completed [Pre-Registration form](#)
2. Putnam County [Animal ID Certificate](#).
3. Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI)  
([click here](#) for explanation)

**Additional species-specific health requirements:**

### **Cattle**

- Current rabies vaccination certificate
- Bovine Respiratory Disease Complex vaccination
- Negative BVD-PI Test

### **Sheep**

- Current rabies vaccination certificate
- Veterinary Statement

### **Goat**

- Veterinary Statement

### **Llama, Alpaca and Guanaco \*\*\*NEW REQUIREMENT\*\*\***

- Veterinary Statement
- Negative BVD-PI Test with negative results noted on CVI

### **Swine**

- Veterinary Statement

**All Large Livestock must arrive and be checked by veterinarian on Friday, July 29<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 a.m.**

## **Rules & Regulations**

5. **Pre-registration is due no later than 4:00 P.M. on July 8, 2011.**  
All REQUIRED paperwork and health requirements are due at time of pre-registration.
6. Required overnight care of all Livestock must be arranged prior to Friday check-in. Contact Livestock Fair Chair or 4-H Animal Intern to discuss such arrangements.
7. **Feed and Bedding will not be provided** and must be provided by exhibitor. All exhibitors are required to provide their own buckets.
8. All 4-H clubs and individuals showing livestock are required to help with set-up (immediately after check-in, Friday, July 29) and clean up of livestock area (starting at 5:00 pm, Sunday, July 31).
9. Suggested attire for youth showing livestock: neat, clean and appropriately dressed (4-H Club tee shirts are acceptable). For foot safety reasons, it is recommended that livestock exhibitors wear an all-leather shoe/boot. Open toe shoes/sandals may not be worn. FYI: There are ideal standards of dress for certain species, if you are interested in this information call Cornell Cooperative Extension.
10. **Cloverbuds (5-8 years of age) are not eligible to enter Large Livestock.**

## **Special Contests**

1. **Herdsmanship Awards:** Will be awarded to Youth exhibitors who demonstrated outstanding: (1) Proper care of animal; (2) Appearance of pen; (3) Overall order and cleanliness; (4) Appearance and conduct of the individual during all three days of the Fair; (5) Willingness to assume responsibility. All livestock exhibitors must do their own work or they can be disqualified from Herdsmanship Award; and (6) Cooperation with the Livestock Fair Chair, other exhibitors, and the public during the Fair
2. **Livestock Costume Class** will be held after the livestock show. Exhibitors can be part of the costume. The Theme must be printed on 3" x 5" index card and handed to the show secretary upon entering the ring.

## **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

**Cleaning and Disinfection:** All building areas on the Fairgrounds housing animals must be cleaned and disinfected upon departure from the Fair. Anyone exhibiting animals is responsible for the area in which their animal was housed, unless prior arrangements have been made with another party. (The Extension Educator must be made aware of such arrangements ahead of time).

**Kidding and Lambing:** Due to a concern about the spread of Scrapie, any sheep or goats that are exhibited at the Putnam County 4-H Fair that have recently given birth or have a vaginal discharge, will be ordered removed along with their offspring. (*The causative agent for scrapie*

*may be present in high concentration in fluids associated with the birth and the risk of transmission is considered highest at that time.)*

**Out of State Origin Livestock:** All animals presented that originate from a location other than New York shall meet the NYS importation regulations appropriate to the species in addition to the Putnam County 4-H Fair animal health requirements. Questions regarding import requirements should be directed to the Division of Animal Industry at 518-457-3971.

## **Large Livestock Classes & Class Numbers – Youth Only**

**SHOWTIME: Saturday, July 30<sup>th</sup>**, (times for individual Livestock shows are approximate)

### **Cattle Class**

LL1F – Jr. Showmanship  
LL1G – Sr. Showmanship

12:00 pm – 1:00 pm

### **Sheep Class**

LL3F – Jr. Showmanship  
LL3G – Sr. Showmanship

1:00 pm – 2:00 pm

### **Goat Class**

LL4F – Jr. Showmanship  
LL4G – Sr. Showmanship

2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

### **Miscellaneous Class**

LL6A – Llamas and Alpacas  
LL6B – Donkeys, Burros, Asses or Mules  
LL6C – Mini Equine

11:00 am - 11:30 am

11:30 pm – 12:00 pm

11:30 pm – 12:00 pm

### **Swine Class**

LL2F – Jr. Showmanship  
LL2G – Sr. Showmanship

3:00 pm – 3:30 pm

### **Livestock Costume Class**

LL5A – Cattle Costume  
LL5B – Swine Costume

3:30 pm – 4:00 pm

LL5C – Goat Costume  
LL5D – Sheep Costume

# **EXPLANATION OF LIVESTOCK ANIMAL HEALTH REQUIREMENTS**

## **CERTIFICATE OF VETERINARY INSPECTION (CVI):**

For all New York Origin Livestock – Cattle, sheep, goats, swine, llamas, deer, monkeys, misc. ruminants, camels and elephants – a valid intrastate CVI (AI 61) is required to enter the fairgrounds. Each animal must be individually identified on the CVI. The CVI must be issued on or after May 1 of the current year by an accredited veterinarian. All animals must be uniquely identified. The type and direction of certificate required depends on the origins on the livestock.

**SHEEP AND GOATS:** animals must be individually identified with USDA approved individual scrapie program identification. Identification must be one of the following: 1) USDA approved tags or 2) a USDA approved premises tattoo. For information on scrapie ID, contact USDA at 518-869-9007.

**ALL OTHERS:** animals must be uniquely identified in one of the following ways: ear tag, ear notches, tattoos or electronic identification or a sketch or photograph signed and dated by an accredited veterinarian who has inspected the individual animal.

The Putnam County 4-H Fair officials and/or fair veterinarian are responsible for reviewing all CVI for compliance with state regulations and for verifying individual identification of exhibited animals presented on a valid CVI. The Putnam County 4-H Fair officials and veterinarian are responsible for rejecting any animal that does not meet the documentation requirements or is not properly identified. Officials must sign or stamp all satisfactory CVI's, indicate the date inspected and check off animals that are present at the fair. Putnam County Fair officials and/or Fair veterinarians may deny admission to or require removal from the fair premises, or require the segregation of any animal showing signs of or exposure to an infection, contagious or communicable disease.

## **CURRENT RABIES VACCINATION:**

**Current rabies vaccination is required for all species for which there is a USDA licensed vaccine available (cattle, horse, sheep, dog, cat, ferret) and that are 105 days or older on the date of arrival at the fair.**

Proof of vaccination must include the name of product used, the date of administration, duration of immunity if longer than one year and the signature of the veterinarian. The vaccine must be administered prior to pre-registration (July 8) but no greater than the labeled time specified for active protection against rabies. The animal's rabies vaccination status must remain current throughout its stay at the Fair.

**Minimum Age of Vaccination:** Animals **105 days of age or older** on the date of arrival at the Fair must be vaccinated for rabies (for those species requiring vaccination).

**Booster Vaccination:** Animals previously vaccinated for rabies but whose vaccine status have expired, are eligible for exhibition upon receiving a booster vaccination. Proof of previous vaccination is required.

**NOTE: Rabies titers in lieu of current rabies vaccination is not acceptable.**

**Rabies Vaccination for off-label mammalian species:** In consideration of public health concerns, it is strongly recommended that all mammals to be exhibited at any fair in NYS be vaccinated against rabies. The NYS Interdepartmental Rabies Committee recognized the probable efficacy and safety of killed rabies vaccine for off-label mammalian species; however, **in cases of rabies exposure**, the NYS Department of Health cannot recognize, as protected, rabies vaccinated animals for which there is not licensed rabies vaccine. Exhibitors should consult their veterinarian for further information.

A signed, written statement from a veterinarian is required as proof of vaccination. A valid animal health certificate which has the vaccination(s) listed and is signed by the issuing veterinarian is acceptable proof of vaccination. No person shall present an interstate or intrastate certificate of veterinary inspection that has been altered by anyone other than the issuing veterinarian or authorized agent.

## **BOVINE RESPIRATORY DISEASE COMPLEX VACCINATION**

All cattle must be currently vaccinated against bovine respiratory disease complex including bovine respiratory syncytial virus (BRSV), bovine virus diarrhea (BVD), infectious bovine rhinotracheitis (IBR) and parainfluenza (PI), with a product administered in a manner and time frame adequate to confer protective immunity for these diseases for the duration of the Fair. A valid animal health certificate which has the vaccination listed and is sign by the issuing veterinarian is acceptable proof of vaccination.

## **BVD-PI TESTING:**

- All cattle, llamas, alpacas, guanacos and vicunas (new world camelids) must be negative to an approved test appropriate to detect Bovine Viral Diarrhea persistent infection (BVD-PI) This is a once in a lifetime test that must be reported on the required certificate of veterinary inspection. The issuing veterinarian is responsible for verifying the validity of the test, the identification of the animal and recording the test date on the CVI. If a previous test is not verifiable the test must be repeated.

### Cattle Testing:

- Currently acceptable BVD tests for cattle less than 61 days old:
  - Skin notch Antigen Capture ELISA (ACE) or Immunohistochemistry (IHC)
  - whole blood virus isolation
  - whole blood PCR
  
- Currently acceptable BVD tests for cattle 61 days of age and older:
  - Skin notch Antigen Capture ELISA (ACE) or Immunohistochemistry (IHC)
  - Serum or milk Antigen Capture ELISA (ACE)
  - whole blood virus isolation
  - whole blood PCR

NOTE: The Animal Health Diagnostic Center at Cornell University can conduct testing on pools of up to 10 cattle.

Llama, Alpaca, Guanaco, Vicuna Testing

- Currently acceptable BVD tests:
  - PCR
  - Whole blood virus isolation

NOTE: The Animal Health Diagnostic Center at Cornell University can pool llama, etc. samples for PCR testing as follows: Animals less than 61 days of age can be tested in pools of 2 animals, whole blood only. Animals 61 days of age and older can be tested in pools of 5 animals using whole blood, serum or plasma.

**VETERINARY STATEMENT:**

For all SHEEP and GOATS only:

- The CVI must contain a written statement from the issuing accredited veterinarian that the flock or origin was inspected after May 1 of the current year and no evidence of contagious, infectious or communicable diseases was found.
- If evidence of soremouth (contagious ecthyma) is found on any sheep, the entire exhibit including the affected animals shall immediately be removed from the Fair premises with the holding pens cleaned and disinfected immediately after removal.

# Small Animal Pet Show



After July 8, absolutely no entries will be accepted.

## Additional Health Requirements

1. All Ferrets over 105 days of age must have proof of Rabies vaccination. Certificate must be attached to pre-registration form.

## Rules & Regulations

1. Putnam County [Animal ID Certificate](#) with photo **MUST BE COMPLETED** for each animal.
2. Pre-registration form, Animal ID certificate and rabies certificate (if required) are due **no later than 4:00 p.m., July 8, 2011.**
3. All small pets must be in their own cages or tanks.
4. Small pets **CANNOT STAY OVERNIGHT.**

## Small Animal Classes & Class Numbers – Youth & Cloverbud

**SHOWTIME: Saturday, July 30<sup>th</sup>, 4:30 pm (Times are approximate)**

### Pet Classes -

#### **2A - Furry Pets Class -**

Includes hamsters, gerbils, mice, guinea pigs. (No dogs, cats, or rabbits)

#### **2B - Other Pets Costume Class -**

Youth and pet should be dressed in a coordinated costume

#### **2C – Feathered Pets Class –**

Includes parakeets, canaries, parrots, etc.

#### **2D – Other Pets Class –**

Includes snakes, frogs, hermit crabs, etc.

# Dog Show

After July 8, absolutely no entries will be accepted.

Dog Obedience

Pet Dog Show

Dog Costume



## Additional Health Requirements

1. All Dogs over 105 days of age must show proof of rabies vaccination. Certificate must be attached to pre-registration form.

## Rules & Regulations

1. Putnam County [Animal ID Certificate](#) **MUST BE COMPLETED** for each animal.
2. **Pre-registration is required by July 8, 2011.** Please use the [Animal Entry Form](#). All dogs must be on leashes. A bitch in season is not allowed in the park. **Only pre-registered dogs are permitted at the Fair.** The ORANGE registration tag will be mailed to you upon receipt of your pre-registration form, Animal ID and required health certificate. NO dog will be allowed on fair grounds without this tag. Registered dogs are not permitted in any Exhibit Building, Tent or near Livestock.
3. All owners should bring water and pick-up bags for their dogs. Dogs should be walked in designated dog walk areas ONLY.
4. If you are **not** a 4-H Dog Club Member, your dog will be subject to a temperament screening by Dog Fair Chair.
5. Dogs **CANNOT STAY OVERNIGHT.**

## Dog Obedience -Youth Only

Check in @ 9:00 am

(Break from 12:00 – 1:00pm for Pet Dog & Costume Show)

Dog show will resume @ 1:30 pm

**SHOWTIME: Saturday, July 30<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 am**

LEVELS: A= First time showing or never earned a Blue Ribbon

B= Experienced

C= Shown in AKC (American Kennel Club)

### Beginner Obedience (Levels A & B):

Includes all exercises listed under Novice Obedience Class

EXCEPT all are done on leash.

### Graduate Beginner (Levels A & B):

On-Leash exercises: Heeling and Figure 8

Off-leash exercises: stand for examine, recall, long-sit, long-down,

### Novice Obedience (Levels A & B):

Includes all exercises listed:

Heeling

Long Sit

Figure 8

Long Down

Come on Recall

Stand for Exam

Open Obedience (Level A only):

Includes all Novice Obedience Class exercises plus:

Retrieve on Flat

Board Jump

Retrieve Over High Jump

**OBEDIENCE CLASSES AND CLASS NUMBERS:**

Class No.: **BO-A** Beginner A

Class No.: **BO-B** Beginner B

Class No.: **GB-A** Grad. Beginner A

Class No.: **GB-B** Grad. Beginner B

Class No.: **NO-A** Novice A

Class No.: **NO-B** Novice B

Class No.: **OO-A** Open A

**GROOMING AND HANDLING CLASSES AND CLASS NUMBERS:**

Class No.: **GH-A** Grooming and Handling –Level A

Class No.: **GH-B** Grooming and Handling – Level B

Class No.: **GH-C** Grooming and Handling – Level C

**RALLY OBEDIENCE CLASSES AND CLASS NUMBERS:**

Class No.: **RO-A** Rally Novice A

Class No.: **RO-O** Rally Advanced A

Class No.: **RO-B** Rally Novice B

Class No.: **RO-P** Rally Advanced B

Class No.: **RO-E** Rally Excellent A

Class No.: **RO-F** Rally Excellent B

**Pet Dog Class and Dog Costume Class – Youth and Cloverbud**

(1 entry per person)

**SHOWTIME: Saturday, July 30<sup>th</sup>, 12:00 pm**

An adult must be present for all Cloverbuds entering their dog

Class No.: **DC1 - Dog Costume Class –**

Dogs and youth should be dressed in a coordinated costume

Class No.: **PD1 – Pet Dog Class -**

Knowledge about owner's dog and care of dog

May be asked to have dog obey a command

DATE SUBMITTED
_____
ENTRY #
_____
(Office Use Only)

# PUTNAM COUNTY 4-H FAIR – JULY 29 – JULY 31, 2011

## ANIMAL ENTRY FORM

CLOVERBUDS are not eligible to enter LARGE LIVESTOCK

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

4-H Club (if any) \_\_\_\_\_

Age (as of 1/1/11):  Cloverbud (5-8 years)  Jr. Youth (9-12 years)  Sr. Youth (13-19 years)

**ENTRY FEES:** 1 baked good for up to 3 entries; 2 baked goods for 4 or more. Must be brought to check-in.

Please let us know if your child needs any special accommodations: \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby give Cornell Cooperative Extension of Putnam County permission to use any photos, slides, films, digital images, sketches, or any other audio visual materials taken of my child during the 4-H Fair. Parent's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**CHECKLIST:**

Items that need to be at Cornell Cooperative Extension by: July 8, 2011

- \_\_\_\_\_ Completed Animal Registration Form
- \_\_\_\_\_ Putnam County Animal ID Certificate with Photo attached for Rabbits, Poultry and small animals exhibits
- \_\_\_\_\_ Additional Species-Specific Health Requirements
- \_\_\_\_\_ Putnam County 4-H Fair Group Sleepover Request Form, Parent Permission Slip, Etc.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Arrangements made to care for your animals overnight.

**ALL Livestock and Equine:**

**Pen #1**

Size (circle one):  
4'x8' 8'x8' 8'x12'

**Animals in Pen #1:**

**Species/Breed:**

**Name/ID**

**Display only:**

- a)
- b)
- c)
- d)

**Pen #2**

Size (circle one):  
4'x8' 8'x8' 8'x12'

**Animals in Pen #2:**

**Species/Breed:**

**Name/ID**

**Display only:**

- a)
- b)
- c)
- d)

**Pen #3**

Size (circle one):  
4'x8' 8'x8' 8'x12'

**Animals in Pen #3:**

**Species/Breed:**

**Name/ID**

**Display only:**

- a)
- b)
- c)
- d)

**Pen #4**  
**Size (circle one):**  
 4'x8' 8'x8' 8'x12'

**Animals in Pen #4:**

	<b><u>Breed:</u></b>	<b><u>Name/ID</u></b>	<b><u>Display only:</u></b>
a)			
b)			
c)			
d)			

<b><u>DOG</u></b>	<b><u>Class #</u></b>	<b><u>Class Name</u></b>	<b><u>Handler's Name</u></b>	<b><u>Breed</u></b>	<b><u>Dog's Name</u></b>
	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

<b><u>SMALL PET</u></b>	<b><u>Class #</u></b>	<b><u>Class Name</u></b>	<b><u>Species</u></b>	<b><u>Pets name</u></b>
	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____

<b><u>RABBITS</u></b>	<b><u>Age of Rabbit</u></b>	<b><u>Sex of Rabbit</u></b>	<b><u>Breed</u></b>	<b><u>Color</u></b>	<b><u>Rabbit's Name</u></b>
	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

RABBIT SHOWMANSHIP CLASS # \_\_\_\_\_

RABBIT COSTUME CLASS?  YES  NO

**REMINDER!!**

Animal Identification Certificate(s) and all required Health certificates MUST be submitted with this registration form.

<b><u>POULTRY</u></b>	<b><u>Class #</u></b>	<b><u>Display only</u></b>	<b><u>Age of Animal</u></b>	<b><u>Sex of Animal</u></b>	<b><u>Kind &amp; Breed</u></b>
	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

POULTRY SHOWMANSHIP CLASS # \_\_\_\_\_

**LIVESTOCK SHOWMANSHIP REGISTRATION**

**YOUTH NAME:**                      **Jr/Sr**                      **Animal to be shown:**                      **Species**

a) \_\_\_\_\_

b) \_\_\_\_\_

c) \_\_\_\_\_

d) \_\_\_\_\_

e) \_\_\_\_\_

**LIVESTOCK COSTUME**

**YOUTH NAME:**                      **Jr/Sr**                      **Animal to be shown:**                      **Species**

a) \_\_\_\_\_

b) \_\_\_\_\_

c) \_\_\_\_\_

d) \_\_\_\_\_

e) \_\_\_\_\_



# PUTNAM COUNTY 4-H Animal Identification Certificate

DUE BY 4PM on JULY 8th

## OWNER OF ANIMAL

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\* Please attach clear color photo of the animal (rabbits, poultry and small animals) and copies of all required health certificates and veterinary statements (see guidelines).

Name of Youth Participant: \_\_\_\_\_

## ANIMAL'S INFORMATION

Name/Id#: \_\_\_\_\_

Birthdate (Approximate Age if Unknown): \_\_\_\_\_

Species/Breed: \_\_\_\_\_

Identification (Tattoos, ear tags, ear notches, etc): \_\_\_\_\_

**THE ANIMAL LISTED ON THIS FORM HAS BEEN CARED FOR BY THE YOUTH NAMED  
AS OF MAY 1<sup>st</sup> OF THE CURRENT YEAR**

Computer printed photos are acceptable. For your convenience you may e-mail photos to [dla25@cornell.edu](mailto:dla25@cornell.edu) label subject as "Fair Animal Photo". Specie specific requirements are outlined in the fair book. Please contact Dena Altavilla at 845-278-6738 with any problems or specific circumstances regarding these deadlines.

Clubs utilizing the same animal for multiple members may list the Club's Name as the Youth Participant.