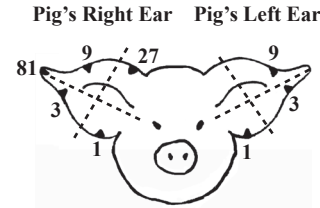




NEBRASKA 4-H MARKET SWINE OWNERSHIP AFFIDAVIT

Last Name First Name(s) and 4-H Age(s)

Club Name County



Numbering of Universal Ear Notching System: Up to two notches can be made in each quarter of the ear, i.e. to have a 6-2; put 2 notches in the quarter of the right ear where the 3 is located and put 2 notches in the quarter of the left ear where the 1 is located. To correctly identify the right and left ear, face the same direction as the pig and your right and the pig's right will be the same. If you stand looking at the face of the pig, its right ear is on your left.

<i>Check Appropriate Box(es) For Show Eligibility</i>		Please DRAW IN and write in universal numbers in the correct column. You must have notches in both ears. Refer to universal notching system for pig numbers. Only those animals identified with ear notches will be eligible for showing at State Fair or Ak-Sar-Ben.						<i>Check Appropriate Box(es) For Show Eligibility</i>							
<i>County only</i>	<i>State Fair Ak-Sar-Ben</i>	Right Ear	Left Ear	Right Ear	Left Ear	Sex	Description [breed(s)] and Color if X-bred	<i>County only</i>	<i>State Fair Ak-Sar-Ben</i>	Right Ear	Left Ear	Right Ear	Left Ear	Sex	Description [breed(s)] and Color if X-bred

I (we) hereby certify the above-identified and described animal(s) are owned, being fed and cared for by me (us) as a part of my (our) Market Swine Project in accordance with the regulations on the reverse side of this sheet. For Nebraska State 4-H-sponsored shows, only ear notches will be accepted. I (we) understand that the animal(s) that I (we) exhibit at 4-H shows during the year must be listed and described in this affidavit. Violation of exhibition rules can lead to exclusion from participation in 4-H shows for the animal(s) and the exhibitor(s).

This (these) youth has (have) submitted this livestock ownership affidavit in accordance with all rules of the state and county 4-H Program and also has (have) successfully completed a Food Animal Quality Assurance program/test for this period.

Signature of Club Member(s)
(At least one of those listed at the top of this form must sign.)

Signature of Parent and Address

Date _____

Phone _____

Extension Staff _____

Check and fill out this form. Click on the PRINT button to print three copies. Sign and fill in the bottom portion of all three forms. Send a copy to the UNL Animal Science Department and the local Extension office and keep one copy for your files. Click on the CLEAR button to clear all fields to be filled out again.



4-H Animal Exhibitor and Animal Project Regulations

Age of 4-H Exhibitor

A 4-H animal owner/exhibitor 8 to 18 years old on Jan. 1 of the current calendar show year is eligible to exhibit in 4-H-sponsored events. Exhibitors who are 10 as of Jan. 1 may exhibit at the State Fair and at the Ak-Sar-Ben Livestock Exposition. 4-H members may be certified for state and interstate shows if they meet age requirements for that event and have properly enrolled animals.

4-H/FFA Exhibits

Any animal shown as an FFA exhibit is ineligible to show as a 4-H exhibit by any exhibitor. An animal may be nominated for show participation in 4-H or FFA, but not both.

Animal Ownership

All beef, swine and sheep project animals must be owned:

- a) solely by the 4-H exhibitor, or
- b) the exhibitor in partnership with other member(s) of his or her immediate family. Only the name of the showman can be on the show entry. Immediate family is defined as members of a household, including parents, brothers and sisters, and youth in the care of the head of the household.

Registration Papers

For State Fair and Ak-Sar-Ben, registration papers must show one of the following:

- a) the member's name as owner, or
- b) the name of the exhibitor and/or a co-owner who is a member of the exhibitor's immediate family (see immediate family definition above), or
- c) the family farm or ranch name or parent's name.

Identification of Animals

All animals must be individually identified, listed on the appropriate 4-H form and on file in the local extension office.

Species	Number of Animals	Identification Method (State Fair)	State Identification Deadline*	Form
Market Beef	10 per member	Official 4-H ear tags, DNA sample (Must be accompanied by weight and weigh date)	April 1 of the current year	4HF106
Market Lambs	20 per member	Official 4-H ear tags, DNA sample	June 15 of the current year	4HF106
Beef Feeder Calves	20 (total) per member	Official 4-H ear tags, DNA sample Ak-Sar-Ben only	June 15 of the current year	4HF110
Bucket Calves		Official 4-H ear tags	June 15 of the current year	4HF110
Registered Breeding Heifers		Ear tattoos of association	June 15 of the current year	4HF105
Commercial Breeding Heifers		Ear tattoos	June 15 of the current year	4HF105
Registered Breeding Ewes		Breed registry ear tags/tattoos	June 15 of the current year	4HF105
Commercial Breeding Ewes		Official 4-H breeding ewe tags	June 15 of the current year	4HF105
Swine	40 per member	Ear notches in both ears, DNA sample	June 15 of the current year	4HF107
Dairy		Sketch, picture, tattoo or tag	June 15 of the current year	4HF108
Dairy Goat		Sketch, picture, tattoo or tag (county only)	June 15 of the current year	4HF109
Meat (Market) Goats	20 per member	Official 4-H eartags, DNA sample	June 15 of the current year	4HF111

*Individual counties and other shows or contests may use different information deadlines and/or rules, but for Nebraska State 4-H, these deadlines and information minimums must be met.

NOTE: DNA samples required for market beef, lambs, swine and meat goats at both State Fair and Ak-Sar-Ben.

