

Red Tag Policy

1. Any pen/stall/cage not clean or animals fed/watered by the designated times as outlined under Livestock Exhibition Guidelines shall have a "red tag" placed on their pen/stall/cage.
2. Upon a "red tag" being placed on a pen/stall/cage the exhibitor shall have two hours to rectify that offending condition.
3. If the offending condition has not been rectified within two hours, the superintendent/fair representative will call the exhibitor and/or parent to notify them of the placement of a "red tag" and the requirement that the offending condition must be rectified within an hour.
4. If the offending condition has not been rectified after an hour upon notification to the exhibitor and/or parent of the exhibitor, it will be considered that the exhibitor has one violation of the Livestock Exhibition Guidelines.
6. Once an exhibitor has two violations of the Livestock Exhibition Guidelines relating solely to the pen/stall/cage cleanliness or their animals not being properly cared for the exhibitor may be required to remove their exhibition from the fairgrounds, at the discretion of The Society.

Wholesale Meat Assurance Program

1. Prohibited are the uses of any non-approved chemicals or the improper use of any approved chemicals.
2. Any animal is subject to examination or tests to determine if a substance has been administered to alter its conformation and/or temperament.
3. Exhibitors of all market animals must certify their compliance with manufacturer's pre-market withdrawal periods specified for any medication, drug, pesticide, or feed additives administered.
4. If any carcass is deemed unacceptable and therefore condemned for any reason by the USDA meat inspection standards, the exhibitor will not receive payment and if applicable, sale monies will be returned to the buyer. Further, if any animal tests positive for or is condemned because of a violative residue, the following actions will be taken:
 - a. All awards will be forfeited. However, the rankings of animals in the show ring will remain unchanged.
 - b. A violative residue finding will result in permanent disqualification from exhibiting at the fair.
5. All tests will be conducted at the time of show.
6. Drug related protests: The St. Clair County Agricultural Society/Livestock Sale Committee will accept protests as a means of initiating a drug testing procedure. Forms are available in the fair office. Those making the protest will assume the initial costs for the test.
6. "The Livestock Drug Testing Authorization" is agreed to by exhibitor upon the completion of the online entry process. Each market livestock exhibitor will be required to acknowledge reading and acceptance of livestock exhibition rules outlined.

