



# DUTCHESS COUNTY YOUTH LIVESTOCK SALE



## Fair Time Dates and Deadlines

Pick up buyers' packets from Dutchess County Fairgrounds	July 16, 17 - 9am to 4pm July 18 - 9am to 7pm
<b>Deadline to enter online into the Livestock Sale class</b>	<b>August 1</b>
Latest date to deliver Buyers Packets and have Postcards signed	August 9
Latest date for Buyer Postcards to be returned to DCF Entry Office. <b>Deadline for at least one picture. Submit to <a href="mailto:dcylsale@gmail.com">dcylsale@gmail.com</a>. Other pictures and a video are strongly recommended.</b>	August 14 at 5pm
Present Dutchess County Youth Livestock Sale Record Book (DCYLSRB). Each animal is required to have its own record book	Weigh in @ DCF
Sale Set up	August 24@ 1:30pm
Livestock Sale (please help clean up after sale)	August 24@ 4pm
Mandatory seller meeting Livestock Show Arena immediately following Master showmanship. Hand in completed Record Book and Thank you cards.	August 25

### New for 2024

All sale animals must be identified with species specific identification. Beef, hog, lamb, and goats must have (840 & 982) RFID tags and must be weighed at the designated date and time for their species. The Sale committee has 982 tags and can assist placing at the time of weigh in. Poultry must have leg bands placed by Poultry Advisory and rabbits must be tattooed. If an animal loses identification the DCF Entry Office must be notified within 24 hours so that arrangements can be made to replace the tag/ band.

Participants: Active Dutchess County youth ages 8-18 as of January 1st of current year, enrolled in an approved Dutchess County Youth Program. **The last year you can sell is the year you graduate High School.**

### Class List:

1. Beef - Wednesday, following Junior Beef Show
2. Market Goat - Thursday, following the 4-H Meat Goat Show
3. Market Hog - Wednesday, following the 4-H Hog Show
4. Market Lamb - Wednesday, following 4-H Sheep Show
5. Fryer Ducks - Sunday, following 4-H Poultry Show
6. Heritage Breeds Chicken - Sunday, following 4-H Poultry Show
7. Heritage Breeds Turkey- Sunday, following 4-H Poultry Show
8. Geese - Sunday, following 4-H Poultry Show
9. Meat Pen Chicken - Sunday, following 4-H Poultry Show
10. Roaster Chicken - Sunday, following 4-H Poultry Show
11. Turkeys - Sunday, following 4-H Poultry Show
12. Single Fryer Rabbit - Wednesday, following 4-H Rabbit & Cavy Show
13. Roaster Rabbit - Wednesday, following 4-H Rabbit & Cavy Show
14. Stewer Rabbit - Wednesday following 4-H Rabbit & Cavy Show
15. Meat Pen Rabbit - Wednesday, following 4-H Rabbit & Cavy Show

# YOUTH LIVESTOCK

Online entries only  
Go to dutchessfair.com Under "Get Involved" and "Competitions".  
Click on the enter online box and follow the easy steps!

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## NON-4-H JUNIOR YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOWS No Entry Fee

### RULES:

1. Open to all youth between the ages of 5-8 years as of show date. Includes all species.
2. Each Jr. Youth exhibitors must own all livestock shown or may show a sponsored animal.
3. No Jr. exhibitor may show more than 1 animal.
4. For all other rules, turn to the general rules section in the fair book for each species.
5. All youth showing in 4-H will not be eligible to show in Junior Youth.
6. All participants will receive \$5.00.

### YOUTH COSTUME CLASSES

#### No Entry Fee

Horse.....	Tuesday, August 20, following Youth Horse Show
Sheep.....	Wednesday, August 21 – 5pm
Rabbit & Cavy.....	Thursday, August 22 - 4pm
Goat.....	Thursday, August 22 – 7pm
Poultry.....	Friday, August 23 - 1pm
Dairy cow & Beef/Steer.....	Saturday, August 24 – 1pm
Hog.....	Sunday, August 24 – 11am

#### Rules:

1. One entry per class. Open to ages 5 to 21 as of show date.
2. Maximum of two members will be allowed per team.
3. The contest will be judged on costume (theme) and presentation. (Speed is judged in Hog Costume Class)
4. See individual departments for more specific rules.
5. Participants may enter more than one costume class as long as the animal is owned or sponsored.
6. **In order to be entered into the Costume Class a written short story about your costume must be included with the entry, submitted to the livestock office by 12 noon on Tuesday. The short write up should only be four to six sentences long.**
7. **No costume shall be entered if it has been entered by the same exhibitor previously and awarded prize money at the Dutchess County Fair.**

Premiums: Class 1 (ages 5-8) Class 2 (ages 9-13) Class 3 (ages 14-21)  
1st-\$15, 2nd- \$10, 3rd- \$5, 4th- \$5, 5th- \$5

### GRAND CHAMPION COSTUME CLASS

**The Champions(no substitutions)** from each age group, from each costume class show is to return to the Livestock Pavilion on Sunday, August 25th at 12:30pm. **If there is no writeup, you will not be considered as a contestant in the Championship Costume Class.**

A Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion will be chosen with cash prizes of \$25 and\$15 being awarded.