

## **JUNIOR POULTRY**

**Superintendent: Kat Sapien**

Entries must be submitted by September 10, 2025

### **ALL POULTRY MUST HAVE A CERTIFICATE OF VETERINARY INSPECTION**

1. This show is subject to El Paso County Fair Association general rules and regulations.
2. Open to any contestant who is eligible to show in the El Paso County Fair.
3. ALL POULTRY must meet the current testing and health requirements as outlined by the Texas Animal Health Commission.
4. Entry will consist of single or pen of three (3). Each exhibitor will be limited to three (3) entries per class.
5. All exhibits must have been owned by exhibitor by July 1, 2024, except broilers which must have been raised by the exhibitor or owned for at least 45 days.
6. Exhibitors must care for the exhibits and furnish substantial feed and water containers. They must be removed at the completion of the show.
7. Exhibitors must be present at time of judging. Judge(s) will explain reasons for poultry placement.
8. A single or pen of three market poultry-no sex discrimination of pen of three (3) (breeding). A pen of three (3) may not be separated or divided.
9. Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion will go to the sale. Additional sale slots will be determined by the Fair Board
10. The superintendent of the Poultry Division and/or judge may declare and establish new classes in the Poultry Division where:
  - There are more than two (2) birds in the breed or hybrid class
  - Quality merits a special class
  - Any other reason deemed appropriate.
11. Champion will be given only in those classes that quality warrants this will be at the discretion of the Judge.

#### Clarification

- Hen or Cock-Bird over (1) year of age
- Cockerel or Pullet-Bird under (1) year of age
- Old Trio-One(1), two (2) Hens over one (1) year
- Young Trio-One (1) Cockerel and two Pullets under one (1) year
- Market Poultry-Single or Pen of three (3)-no sex discrimination
- Breeding Poultry-Pen of three (3)-one(1) male and two (2) females
- Pen of three (3) cannot be divided or separated.

## **Market Poultry**

Class – Young market poultry

19000 – Broiler pen 3-6 lbs., under 14 weeks

19001 – Turkey Single, Hen – over 8 lbs., under 9 months

19002 – Turkey Single, Tom – over 8 lbs., under 9 months

19003 – Duck – over 8 lbs., under 9 months

19004 – Goose, over 8 lbs., under 9 months

19005 – Special market Fryer Pen – under 8 weeks (limit 3 entries per exhibitor)

## **Breeding Poultry**

Class – Standard Chickens

19100 – Cockerel 19101 – Pullet

19102 – Cock

19103 – Hen

19104 – Young Trio

19105 – Old Trio

Class – Bantam and Game Chickens

19200 – Cockerel

19201 – Pullet

19202 – Cock

19203 – Hen

19204 – Young Trio

19205 – Old Trio

Class – Turkey

19300 – Tom (all ages)

19301 – Hen (all ages)

19302 – Pen (all ages)

Class – Ducks

19400 – Drake (all ages)

19401 – Hen (all ages)

19402 – Pen (all ages)

Class – Geese

19500 – Gander (all ages)

19501 – Hen (all ages)

Class – Misc. Poultry (Peacocks, Pheasants, Guineas, Quail)

19600 – Cockerel

19601 – Pullet

19602 – Cock

19603 - Hen