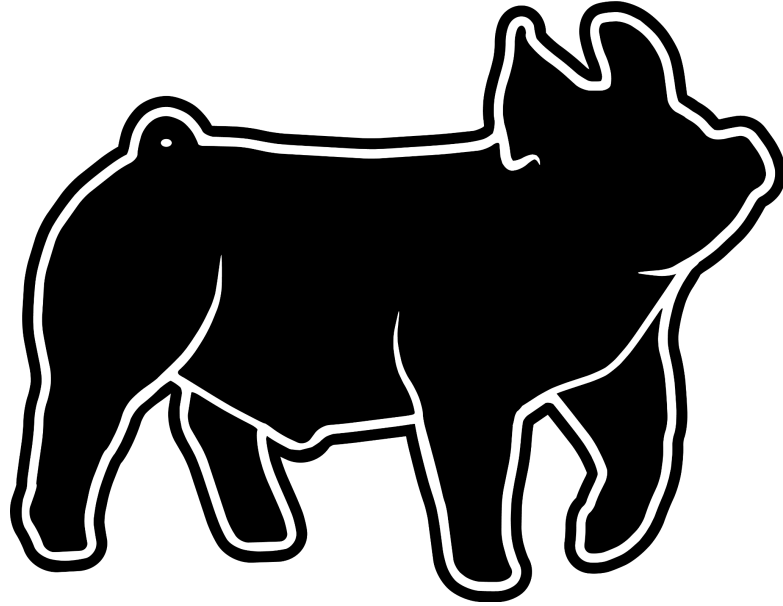


Santa Maria High School FFA



Swine Exhibitor/Parent Contract 2025



PURPOSE

THE PURPOSE OF THIS CONTRACT IS TO PROVIDE BOTH THE PARENT AND THE STUDENT WITH AN OUTLINE OF EXPECTATIONS THAT COME WITH RAISING A MARKET HOG FOR THE SANTA BARBARA COUNTY FAIR. AS A SANTA MARIA HIGH SCHOOL FFA SWINE EXHIBITOR, YOU ARE EXPECTED TO ADHERE TO THE EXPECTATIONS AND RULES IN THIS CONTRACT. FAILURE TO FOLLOW THE EXPECTATIONS AND RULES OF THE SWINE EXHIBITOR CONTRACT WILL RESULT IN DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS BEING TAKEN WHICH CAN ULTIMATELY RESULT IN THE STUDENT BEING INELIGIBLE TO EXHIBIT THEIR ANIMAL AS A MEMBER OF THE SANTA MARIA FFA. STUDENTS ASSUME ALL FINANCIAL DEBITS AND LOSSES ON THE PROJECT.

DISCIPLINARY PROCESS

THE FOLLOWING OUTLINES THE DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS THAT WILL BE FOLLOWED IF A STUDENT DOES NOT ADHERE TO THE EXPECTATIONS AND RULES IN THIS CONTRACT.

1. FIRST INFRACTION:

- A. THE STUDENT WILL BE GIVEN WRITTEN NOTICE OF INFRACTION, WHICH MUST BE SIGNED BY THE STUDENT AND PARENT AND RETURNED TO THE ADVISOR WITHIN 24 HOURS.

2. SECOND INFRACTION

- A. STUDENTS WILL BE GIVEN A SECOND WRITTEN NOTICE OF INFRACTION AND A NOTICE OF POTENTIAL NOTICE OF ANIMAL REMOVAL, WHICH MUST BE SIGNED BY THE STUDENT AND PARENT AND RETURNED TO THE ADVISOR WITHIN 24 HOURS.

3. THIRD INFRACTION

- A. PARENT AND STUDENT GIVEN "ANIMAL REMOVAL/INELIGIBILITY WRITTEN NOTICE
- B. ANIMAL MUST BE REMOVED FROM THE SCHOOL FARM WITHIN 5 DAYS.

DAILY EXPECTATIONS

1. STUDENTS ARE EXPECTED TO FEED THEIR ANIMAL AT LEAST TWICE A DAY WITH A QUALITY SHOW FEED, WITHIN THE TIME FRAME PRESCRIBED BELOW.
 - A. STUDENTS WILL FEED THEIR ANIMAL IN THE MORNING BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 5:00 AM TO 9:00 AM
 - B. THE STUDENT WILL FEED THEIR ANIMAL IN THE AFTERNOON BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 4:00 PM TO 7:00 PM
 - C. STUDENTS MUST TRACK THEIR FEED.
2. STUDENTS ARE EXPECTED TO CLEAN THEIR ANIMAL'S PEN A MINIMUM OF TWICE A DAY FOLLOWING THE TIME FRAME DESCRIBED IN THE FEED EXPECTATION (1.A AND 1.B).
 - A. ALL MANURE AND WASTE MUST BE SHOVELED AND PLACED IN A TRASH BAG OR FEED BAG.
 - B. BAGS OF MANURE AND WASTE MUST BE PLACED IN THE WASTE DUMPSTER IMMEDIATELY AFTER EACH USE
 - C. BUCKETS, TRASH CANS, SHOVELS, AND BROOMS USED TO CLEAN AND REMOVE MANURE MUST BE RINSED OUT UNTIL IT IS FREE OF MANURE, AND BUCKETS/TRASH CAN MUST HAVE A LID ON TOP.
3. STUDENTS ARE EXPECTED TO PROVIDE A SAFE, CLEAN, AND COMFORTABLE LIVING AREA FOR THEIR ANIMAL.
 - A. STUDENTS ARE EXPECTED TO PROVIDE THEIR ANIMAL WITH ADEQUATE SHAVINGS IN THE ANIMAL'S PEN.
 - B. ALL SHAVINGS MUST BE REMOVED FROM THE PEN AND REPLACED WITH A NEW BAG ONCE A WEEK.
 - C. STUDENTS MUST PROVIDE FLY CONTROL MEASURES IN AND AROUND THEIR PEN. FLY STRIPS AND TRAPS ARE IDEAL MEANS OF ADDRESSING FLY CONTROL.
 - D. STUDENTS ARE EXPECTED TO MAINTAIN THE HOUSING HUTCHES AND MAKE REPAIRS AS NEEDED.

4. STUDENTS ARE EXPECTED TO KEEP THE ENTIRE PROPERTY (OUTSIDE FROM THEIR ANIMAL'S PEN) CLEAN AND MAINTAINED DAILY.
 - A. STUDENTS ARE EXPECTED TO THROW AWAY ALL TRASH FOUND ON THE PROPERTY.
 - B. STUDENTS MUST KEEP TACK AREAS, AISLEWAYS, AND FEED STORAGE AREAS CLEAN AND ORGANIZED.
 - C. STUDENTS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR MAINTAINING AND UPKEEP ALL SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT FOUND ON THE FARM WHICH INCLUDES REPAIRS NEEDING TO BE MADE TO FENCES, GATES, HOUSING, PLUMBING, AND FEEDERS.

GENERAL RULES AND EXPECTATIONS

1. STUDENTS ARE EXPECTED TO ATTEND ALL SWINE EXHIBITOR MEETINGS.
 - A. IF A STUDENT IS NOT ABLE TO ATTEND A MEETING FOR ANY REASON, THE STUDENT MUST MEET WITH THE ADVISOR 24 HOURS PRIOR TO THE MEETING.
2. STUDENTS ARE EXPECTED TO BE AT THE FAIR THROUGH ITS ENTIRETY, JULY 6TH THROUGH JULY 14TH 2024.
 - A. STUDENTS ARE EXPECTED TO FOLLOW THE FAIR SCHEDULE.
3. STUDENTS ARE EXPECTED TO ATTEND ALL WEEKLY WEIGH DAYS.
4. STUDENTS ARE EXPECTED TO ATTEND ALL SHOWMANSHIP PRACTICES.
5. STUDENT MISSING 3 OR MORE OF THE ABOVE ITEMS WILL RESULT IN THE REMOVAL FROM THE FARM AND INELIGIBILITY TO EXHIBIT WITH SANTA MARIA FFA.
6. STUDENTS ARE EXPECTED TO MONITOR THE HEALTH OF THEIR PIG DAILY.
 - A. STUDENTS ARE EXPECTED TO NOTIFY THE ADVISOR IF HEALTH ISSUES WITH THEIR PIG ARE SUSPECTED.
 - B. STUDENTS ARE EXPECTED TO CONTACT THE VETERINARIAN ON THEIR OWN SHOULD THEIR ANIMAL BECOME SICK OR INJURED.

- C. STUDENTS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL COSTS (FARM CALL, RENDERED SERVICES, MEDICATION COSTS, ETC.) THAT OCCUR IN A SITUATION THAT VETERINARIAN SERVICES ARE NEEDED FOR THEIR ANIMAL.
7. STUDENTS ARE EXPECTED TO TURN IN A WEEKLY SCHEDULE THAT INCLUDES, WHO IS RESPONSIBLE FOR MORNING FEEDING AND CLEANING AND WHO IS RESPONSIBLE FOR AFTERNOON FEEDING AND CLEANING ON SPECIFIC DAYS OF THE WEEK.
 - A. IF CHANGES ARE MADE TO THE SCHEDULE STUDENTS MUST NOTIFY THE ADVISOR PRIOR TO THE CHANGE HAPPENING.
 - B. IF ANIMALS DO NOT GET FED OR PENS ARE LEFT UNCLEANED THE STUDENT THAT WAS SCHEDULED WILL RECEIVE THE INFRACTION.
8. STUDENTS ARE EXPECTED TO FOLLOW ALL RULES SET BY THE PROPERTY OWNERS AT THE STUDENT'S RESPECTIVE SCHOOL FARM.
9. STUDENTS ARE EXPECTED TO FOLLOW ALL SCHOOL RULES AND REGULATIONS WHILE AT THE SCHOOL FARM AND THE FAIR.
10. STUDENTS ARE EXPECTED TO FOLLOW ALL FAIR RULES AND EXPECTATIONS FOUND IN THE SANTA BARBARA COUNTY FAIR EXHIBITOR BOOK
11. STUDENTS ARE EXPECTED TO PROPERLY CARE FOR THE ANIMAL AT ALL TIMES WHICH INCLUDES PROPERLY HANDLING AND TRAINING THEIR PIG. ANY ANIMAL CRUELTY IN ANY FORM, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO EXCESSIVE HITTING WITH A WHIP OR SHOW STICK, WILL RESULT IN AN IMMEDIATE REMOVAL FROM THE SCHOOL FARM WITHOUT NOTIFICATION. ANIMAL CRUELTY WILL NOT BE TOLERATED.
12. ALL STUDENTS WILL BE CHARGED FOR THE RENTAL AND SERVICES OF A WASTE DUMPSTER AT EACH SCHOOL FARM REGARDLESS OF WHETHER THE STUDENT USES THE DUMPSTER OR NOT. THERE IS NO OPT-OUT OPTION FOR THE WASTE SERVICE IF YOU ARE KEEPING YOUR PIG AT THE SCHOOL FARM.
13. EXHIBITORS CANNOT BRING FRIENDS OR OTHER VISITORS ONTO SCHOOL FARM PROPERTY WITHOUT PRIOR APPROVAL FROM MR. POWELL.

14. ANY PARENT, SIBLING, OR PERSON ASSOCIATED WITH AN EXHIBITOR THAT INTERFERES WITH THE ADVISORS' DIRECTIVES OR EXHIBITS ARGUMENTATIVE, ABUSIVE, AND/OR THREATENING BEHAVIOR (INCLUDING OFFENSIVE AND ABUSIVE LANGUAGE) TOWARDS ANOTHER EXHIBITOR OR ADVISOR WILL BE IMMEDIATELY BANNED FROM ALL SCHOOL FARM/COMMUNITY PROPERTIES AND WILL RESULT IN THE ASSOCIATED EXHIBITOR BECOMING INELIGIBLE TO SHOW FOR SANTA MARIA FFA AND MUST REMOVE THEIR ANIMAL IMMEDIATELY FROM THE SCHOOL FARM.

I HAVE READ THE SANTA MARIA FFA SWINE EXHIBITOR CONTRACT AND FULLY UNDERSTAND AND AGREE TO FOLLOW ALL EXPECTATIONS AND RULES DESCRIBED IN THE CONTRACT.

STUDENT SIGNATURE: _____

PARENT SIGNATURE: _____

I HAVE READ AND AM FULLY AWARE OF THE DISCIPLINARY PROCESS THAT WILL BE FOLLOWED AND AGREE TO HAVE MY ANIMAL REMOVED FROM THE SCHOOL FARM WITHIN 5 DAYS FROM RECEIVING THE ANIMAL REMOVAL NOTIFICATION.

STUDENT SIGNATURE: _____

PARENT SIGNATURE: _____

I REALIZE THAT I AM A GUEST ON A COMMUNITY MEMBER'S PROPERTY AND AGREE TO FOLLOW ALL RULES SET BY THE PROPERTY OWNER THAT MAY OR MAY NOT BE FOUND IN THIS CONTRACT. I AM ALSO AWARE THAT THE PROPERTY OWNER HAS THE RIGHT TO REMOVE ME FROM THEIR PROPERTY WITHOUT CONSULTING AN ADVISOR AND WITHOUT ANY NOTIFICATION OR ADHERENCE TO THE DISCIPLINARY PROCESS SET FORTH BY THIS CONTRACT.

STUDENT SIGNATURE: _____

PARENT SIGNATURE: _____

I ASSUME FULL FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY INCLUDING OUTSTANDING DEBITS AND FINANCIAL LOSS AS A RESULT OF THE DEATH OF MY ANIMAL, REMOVAL FROM THE SCHOOL FARM, INELIGIBILITY TO SHOW AT THE FAIR, AND/OR DISQUALIFICATION FROM THE FAIR AS A RESULT OF NOT MEETING FAIR REQUIREMENTS FOUND IN THE SANTA BARBARA COUNTY FAIR EXHIBITOR BOOK. I UNDERSTAND THAT THE SCHOOL AND THE ADVISORS ARE NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR THE FINANCIAL LOSS OR LIABILITIES THAT ARE ACCUMULATED OVER THE COURSE OF THIS PROJECT.

STUDENT SIGNATURE: _____

PARENT SIGNATURE: _____

DATE: _____