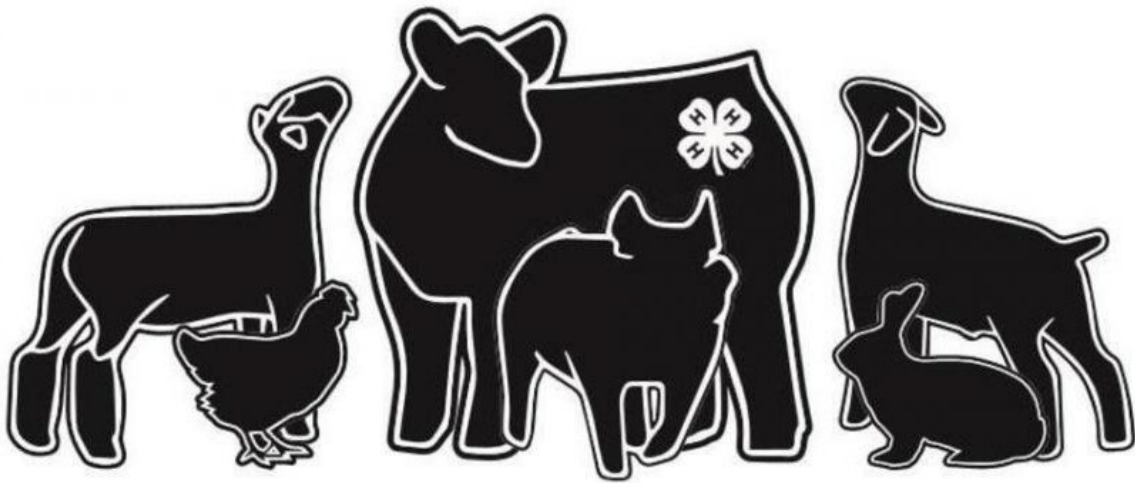


2024-2025 RECORD BOOK

EMMET-CHARLEVOIX COUNTY 4-H MARKET LIVESTOCK ASSOCIATION



- ☐ Junior (8-11 years)
- ☐ Intermediate (12-14 years)
- ☐ Senior (15-19 years)

Member: _____

Fair Exh.# _____ Species _____

Record books are due on the 1st Sunday of fair, (the same day that the animal projects arrive) and can be turned in to the check-in station in barn #2 from 2:00-6:00p.m. Books can not be turned in until all signatures have been obtained.

Please complete your records by written (black or blue ink) or typed format.

Why Keep Records:

By keeping records, you will be able to see how much progress you have made as you work towards the goals you set.

Good Records Will:

- * Help you learn about your animal, it's rate of growth, feed requirements and their habits;
- * Help you understand your projects financial requirements and outcome;
- * Improve your management practices;
- * Give you a record of your project activities;
- * Help you better plan for future projects

This record books is a requirement for entry in and exhibition at the Emmet-Charlevoix County fair's 4-H market classes and auction.

You need to submit one completed record book for each animal project you exhibit or per pen for small animals. The record book must be completed by the exhibitor.

I certify that I have completed this record book to the best of my ability:

Exhibitor's Signature: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Leader's Signature: _____

Leader Comments: _____

DRUG STATEMENT

I have been advised that the presence of any drug, antibiotic or biological residue discovered in my project animal during the slaughtering process, will result in the following:

- 1) The animal carcass will be deemed unwholesome or adulterated, and thereby unfit for human consumption; and
- 2) I will forfeit any and all fair premiums and all auction proceeds.

I hereby certify that and drug, antibiotic or biological residue which may have been administered by myself or other person, was done so in strict compliance with manufactures label requirements.

Signature of Exhibitor: _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____

Date: _____

Meeting Participation



4-H Meeting Participation

Record the number of club & organized project meetings you attend. Add notes as needed.

	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug
Example	1	1	1	No Meeting	1	Missed Meeting -Sick	2	1	1	No Meeting	2	1
<u>Club</u>												
<u>Market Livestock</u>												
<u>County Council</u>												
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Weight

Date of Starting Weight or Pen Weight	Starting Weight or Pen Weight	Date of Final Weight or Pen Weight	Final Weight or Pen Weight	Pounds of Gain	Days on Feed	Average Daily Gain

Average Daily Gain = Total pounds of gain ÷ days on feed

How did you acquire your animal? (Check one)

- ☐ I purchased my animal, purchased from _____
- ☐ My project was bred and owned (from an animal on my family farm)
- ☐ Other (please explain) _____

Species Goals



Species Type/Breed: _____

Animal Name: _____

Years in Species: _____

Years in 4-H: _____
include cloverbud

Setting goals and then checking progress on the attainment of those goals is an important part of 4-H. Complete the first 2 boxes at the beginning of the project year. Complete the last 2 boxes before you turn in your record book.

Set a goal related to your species.	
How well did you recall your goal? This is your action plan to attain your goal. Be specific and list each step needed to reach your goal.	
Did you accomplish your goal? Write about any assistance you received to reach your goal. If you didn't accomplish your goal, what obstacles prevented you from doing so. How did you try to overcome those obstacles?	
For next year... How will you change your goal	

Weight Record



Add additional pages if needed

Start

Animal ID -	
Date	Weight

Animal ID -	
Date	Weight

Clinic / Shows

Add additional pages if needed



4-H Event / Clinic / Show			
<i>Learning & Leadership Experiences Include workshops, clinics, camps, shows, learning experiences, community involvement, and other activities related to your project animal. Record all the things as you do them. If you need more space, use extra pages.</i>			
Date	What I Did		What I Learned

Photos -



Date of Beginning Photo: _____

Individual Animal Photo/Pen

Date of Ending Photo: _____

Individual Animal Photo/Pen

Ration Card -



Kind of Livestock _____

Name of Animal _____

Tag/Band/Tattoo #: _____

Grain Ration No. 1			Grain Ration No. 2		
Date uses: From _____ To _____			Date uses: From _____ To _____		
Ingredients	Pounds	Cost	Ingredients	Pounds	Cost
Totals			Totals		
Cost per pound _____			Cost per pound _____		

Grand Total Pounds of Feed Fed: _____

Attach a feed label if you do not mix your own

Feed Record Card-



Feed Cost per Month Totals

*Small animals per pen

Large Animal = Sept - Aug (Appx)

Medium Animal = April - Aug (Appx)

Small Animal = May - Aug (Appx)

Feeding Record

Write the kind of feed at the top of the columns. Use the units (pounds, cwt, tons) that are most convenient for you, however be consistent. Also record how much the feed for each month costs. Use the chart to keep track of feed per Large or Medium animal or per pen of Small animal.

Animal								
Kind of Feed								
Month	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price
September								
October								
November								
December								
January								
February								
March								
April								
May								
June								
July								
August								
Totals		\$		\$		\$		\$
Price/Unit								
Total Feed Cost								\$

Treatment Record for Vaccines, Medications and Medicated Feed

Vet Charges / Vaccination / Insecticides / Wormer

Treatment Date & Time	Animal ID	Condition Being Treated	Est. Weight	Medication Dispensed, Amount & Roud	Name of Who Administered Treatment	Instructed Withdrawal Time	Results (Recovered, Sold or Died)	If this an extra label or RX Drug, list the Licensed Veterinary	Cost

Total \$_____

MISC. EXPENSES OTHER THAN FEED WORKSHEET

List below in table:

Bedding / Equipment / Show Reg Fees Educational Reg Fees Trucking / Shearing & Grooming Fees / Advertising & Marketing / Buyers Recognition / Misc.

Expense Type	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Item Total

Misc ExpenseTotal - \$ _____

Buyers Page



Buyer Presentations / Communications:

Record ways you have contacted buyers (examples: Face to face presentation, phone call, email, USPS, etc.). If you need more space, use extra pages.

Date	Buyer Name	Communication Method

Project Summary



Name of Animal/Pen: _____

Starting weight: _____ Final weight: _____ = _____ Total Pounds of Gain
(on procession date of animal of pen) (animal/total pen) (final weight minus starting weight)

Purchase Price \$ _____

Feed Expense (pg. 10) \$ _____

Vet Expense (pg. 11) \$ _____

Misc. Expense (pg. 12) \$ _____

Total Cost \$ _____

Break Even Cost per Pound \$ _____
(Total Cost of Project ÷ Ending Weight)

Current Market Price \$ _____

Learning Experience

Circle your age division: must complete topic questions that equal the point value of age division

6 pts – Seniors (ages 15-19) **4 pts – Intermediate** (ages 12-14) **2 pts – Junior** (ages 8-11)

Bonus points for above & beyond answering topic questions

Mark Your Choice	Topics and point values
	Parts of the Animal – 1 pt – Use the diagram provided for your species and label at least 11 parts. * Attach at the end of the Learning Experience*
	Types of Breeds – 5 pt – List a minimum of 4 breeds of your species and in at 3-5 sentences for each breed, compare each breed.
	Housing / Shelter – 1 pt – Describe in 3-5 sentences and or draw a diagram, detailing the dimensions of your project's shelter.
	Grooming – 1 pt – Describe how you use the tools for grooming your animal(s) in 3-5 sentences.
	Safety – 1 pt – Describe in 3-5 sentences the safety measures and uses needed for your species.
	Feet & Care – 1 pt – Describe in 3-5 sentences the care involved for your species feet / hooves.
	Health (Vaccines, Routine Vet Services) – 1 pt – In detail, describe in 3-5 sentence what vaccines your species requires and what type of routine care is needed.
	Handling / Training – 1 or 2 pt – Describe in 3-5 sentences your training methods for your species.
	Record Keeping – 1 pt – Explain in 3-5 sentences, why record keeping is important.
	Whole Cuts of Meat – 1 pt – Use the diagram provided of your species and list the whole cuts of meat.
	Commercial Cuts of Meat – 1 pt – Use the diagram provided of your species and list the commercial cuts of meat.
	Nutrition – 2 pts – List and compare 3 different types of feed for your species
	Diseases & Prevention – 2 pts – List a minimum of 3 diseases for your species. How can you prevent these diseases?
	Industry / Agriculture Careers – (1-3) pts – Describe a minimum of 3 careers in your species Ag industry.

Learning Experience

Mark Your Choice	Topics and Point Values
	Management Practices – (1-3) pts – Describe a minimum of 5 management practices on your farm.
	Current Auctions – 2 pts – Compare a minimum of 3 current auctions and the sale prices.
	Consumer Issues – (1-3) pts – List a minimum of 2 current Ag issues and give details.
	Animal Selection – 2 pts – List 5 main characteristics of what to look for when purchasing your animals.
	Judging – (1-3) pts – Pick 2 animals of the species and describe why you placed one over the other – include photos.
	Monthly Journal Large Beef Project – 6 pts – Keep a journal of monthly activities you've done with your animal during the time you've had it.
	Monthly Journal Dairy Feeder, Goat, Jr. Beef, Lamb & Swine – 3 pts Keep a journal of monthly activities you've done with your animal during the time you've had it.
	Monthly Journal Chickens, Duck, Geese, Rabbit & Turkey – 1 pt Keep a journal of monthly activities you've done with your animal during the time you've had it.

Learning Experience

What I learned

Topic _____ Pts _____

Learning Experience

What I learned

Topic _____ Pts _____

Point Page

Page	Content	Possible Points	Your Score
1	Cover	1	
2	Why Keep Records	1	
3	Drug Statement	1	
4	Meeting Participation/Animal Weight	5	
5	Species Goals	10	
6	Weight Chart	5	
7	Clinic / Show	5	
8	Photos	5	
9	Ration Card	5	
10	Feed Record Card	5	
11	Vet Expenses	10	
12	Misc. Expenses	10	
13	Buyers Page	10	
14	Project Summary	10	
15-18	Learning Experience	22	
	Total Points	105	
	Bonus – Clinics / Shows	10	
	Bonus – Meetings Notes	10	
	Bonus – Extra Pictures	0-10	
	Bonus – Learning Exp. Extra	0-10	
	Total Points	40	
	Your Score + Bonus		
Your Ribbon: A (95+) B (88-94) C (80-87)			