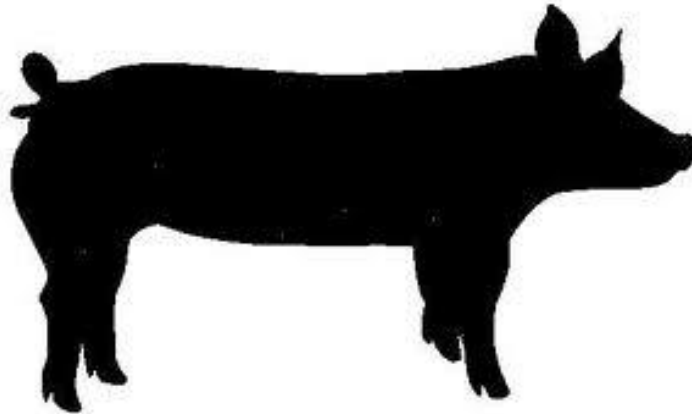


Eastern Michigan Fair

4-H Market Swine Record Book

For ages 9-13



Name: _____ Age: _____

Name of 4-H Club: _____ Years in the Swine Project _____

Years in 4-H _____ Animal's Name _____

Project Leader's Name(s) _____

Record Started _____ Record Closed _____

Month/Day/Year

Month/Day/Year

- ❖ 4-H Record Books are required for **all** market swine projects.
- ❖ By keeping records up-to-date you will be able to see how much progress you have made toward the goals you set and how your work to accomplish them has paid off.
- ❖ Write neatly and clearly.
- ❖ ***Pictures are a required part of this Record Book.*** Taking pictures of you and your swine together at the beginning and the end of your project is a great way to see how your animal grew.
- ❖ Remember, pictures are more fun and interesting when you are in the picture. Feel free to add pictures to your records on a separate piece of paper or purchase a hard covered binder to keep your books and extra pictures in.
- ❖ You may get additional information on swine from the following sources; *Your 4-H Market Hog Project, 4-H Skills for Life Swine Series, Swine Learning Lab Kit.* All are available from your MSU Extension Office.

Project Information

The start of your project will be the day you placed your swine on feed. Homegrown will use April 15
 The end of the project will be the day of weigh in at fair

Project Start Date: _____ Project End Date: _____

What month were your pigs born? _____

Please fill in the following information about your swine:

Ear Tag Number	Sex	Date of Purchase	Breed	Sold/Kept/Died	Purchase Price
					\$
					\$
					\$
					\$
					\$

Total spent on purchase of project animals: \$ _____.

Monthly Feed Record

Month	Type of feed used-What was the main ingredient?	Pounds of feed used.	Cost of Feed used.
April			
May			
June			
July			

Total cost of feed: \$ _____.

Expenses Other Than Feed

Items	Before April	April	May	June	July
Veterinary Fees					
Bedding					
Fair Fees					
Fixed Auction Fees					
Pork Board Fee					
.004 X Total Value					
4-H Livestock Fee					
.03 X Total Value					
Other Expenses					
Monthly Totals					

*Other expenses could include housing, show supplies, trucking, etc.

Total expenses other than feed: \$ _____.

Financial Summary

Income and Sale Price at Close of Record

Income

Month of the Fair	Weight of Animal at Fair	Price per Pound at Auction* or Private Sale	Total Value <small>animal's weight X price per pound</small>
		\$.	\$.
		\$.	\$.

* Based on average price at last year's auction. Average price was \$_____.

Expenses

Purchase price or value of swine at start of record.....\$_____.

Feed Cost.....(see page 2).....\$_____.

Other Expenses.....(see page 2).....\$_____.

Total Expenses.+.\$_____ **total #1**

Total Income (what you will sell your swine for).....\$_____.

Total Expenses.....(minus) - \$_____ (total #1 goes here)

Total Net Profit (Loss)\$_____.

Medication Records

Date	Medication	Reason	Dosage	Withdrawal Time

Medications include but are not limited to medicated feeds, wormers, topical applications, vaccines, and antibiotics.

Just a few questions to answer!

I enrolled in this project because I wanted to learn: _____

I trained and prepared my swine for showing by _____

I kept my swine healthy by: _____

Just for fun!

My pig's name is: _____

My pig's markings are: _____

My pig's breed is: _____

My favorite part about raising a pig was: _____

Project Pictures

Taking pictures of your swine at the beginning and at the end of your project will show you how much your swine has grown and developed.

Paste photo here

Paste photo here

Beginning picture (April)

Ending picture (July)

Take pictures and paste them below or draw a picture of you and your pig.

