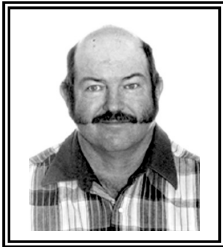




Department 10 SWINE

2026
"Bright Lights & Fair Nights"

Sunday	Mon	Tue	Wednesday	Thu	Friday	Sat
AUGUST	3	4	5	6	7 Entry Deadline	8
9	10 Online entry deadline	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21 FAIR OPENS	22
23	24	25	26 6:00-10:00 am Arrival 7:00 pm All Breed Show	27	28	29
30 Fair Closes 8:00 pm Release	31	Sept 1	Sept 2	Sept 3	4 Premium Office Closed	5



SUPERINTENDENT: Fred Wolfkiel – Adrian, Oregon
JUDGE: TBA

ENTRY: Entries close **Aug. 7**. Entries must be postmarked by this date. **Any late entries are subject to double entry fees and prior approval of the Superintendent.** You may submit your entries online. **Online deadline is Aug. 10.** Payment must be made with entry. Only Visa and MasterCard accepted online. www.idahofair.com.

1. The Management reserves the right to close entries whenever available space is filled. Entries must be made on forms supplied by the Western Idaho Fair. Entry forms must be completely filled out and must include the name and registration number of all animals entered and the names and registration numbers of both sire and dam. Substitutions will be allowed until 10:00 a.m. the day of Fair judging. **Ringside entries are prohibited.**
Market and Breeding Swine may be Purebred or Crossbred. In all classes, **all breeds will show together.** Exhibitors may make as many entries in each class as desired, but no exhibitor will be allowed more than **two** premiums per class. Competition consists of two or more exhibitors, not from a family group unless swine are owned by different family members and raised on different farms.
2. **FEES:** \$5.00 per animal will be charged (\$10.00 per animal if late). A maximum of four animals per pen will be allowed. **No refunds on entry fees.**
3. **PASSES:** Each exhibitor may purchase two exhibitor tickets for personal use at a cost of \$20.00 each. A helper's pass may be purchased for \$20.00 for every three animals entered. **Remittance** for entry fees and exhibitor passes **must accompany entries.**
4. **PARKING:** Livestock exhibitors will be issued two vehicle parking permits. For more information see General Rules and Information on page 4 or Website under General Rules.
5. **CAMPING:** See General Rules and Information on page 4 or Website under General Rules.
6. **ARRIVAL:** Open Class Swine may arrive Wednesday, Aug. 26 from 6:00 a.m. to 10.00 a.m. **Any change from specified arrival time must have special permission from the Department Superintendent.**
7. **JUDGING:** Open Class Swine will be judged Wednesday, Aug. 26 at 7:00 p.m.
8. **RELEASE:** Swine exhibits must remain in place until 8:00 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 30. A **"Release Slip"** from the Department Superintendent will be required for transportation of livestock from the grounds.
9. **ALL BREEDS WILL SHOW TOGETHER.** Each animal will be judged against the ideal standard for its particular breed. All animals shall be the property of the Exhibitor and where applicable shall so appear on the records of their respective breed associations at the date of entry.
10. Boars over 6 months old must have their tusks removed.
11. **Pens must be kept clean at all times and be adequately bedded with shavings.**
12. Prior to judging, the Superintendent will inspect all exhibits in the department to determine if they are entered in the class in which they should compete. In cases where it is obvious that entries are not correctly posted due to clerical error, the Superintendent must contact the Premium Office in order for a change to be made. **Health papers** for all animals, as well as **registration papers** for purebred animals will be checked prior to judging.
13. Exhibitors are requested to carefully read the rules and regulations in the front of the Premium Book and/or website.

HEALTH REQUIREMENTS:

Swine must be sound, in good health, and free of communicable diseases. In-state swine must have a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection of general soundness and good health. All swine for breeding or sale purposes at the Fair are recommended to come from a validated free (Brucellosis) and Pseudorabies Stage IV or V State or be Brucellosis and Pseudorabies tested. Out-of-state swine must meet Idaho import requirements, call the Idaho State Department of Agriculture at 208-332-8540. Certificates of Veterinary Inspection should be dated no earlier than 30 days prior to arrival at the Western Idaho Fair. All swine are subject to inspection at the Fairgrounds.

Note: Swine staying over from the 4-H & FFA show must have a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection of general soundness and good health in order the show in the Open Class.

JUDGING: Wednesday, Aug. 26 – 7:00 p.m.

PREMIUMS:

1st - \$150 2nd - \$125 3rd - \$100 4th - \$75 5th - \$20

All Champions and Reserve Champions will receive Rosettes

DIVISION 1 – PUREBRED BOARS

Class:

1. Boars, farrowed January 1 – January 31, 2026
2. Boars, farrowed February 1 – March 31, 2026
3. **Grand Champion Purebred Boar**
4. **Reserve Grand Champion Purebred Boar**

DIVISION 2 – CROSSBRED BOARS

Class:

5. Crossbred Boars, farrowed January 1 – March 31, 2026
6. **Grand Champion Crossbred Boar**
7. **Reserve Grand Champion Purebred Boar**
8. **SUPREME CHAMPION BOAR**
Banner.....Awarded by the Western Idaho Fair

DIVISION 3 – PUREBRED GILTS

Class:

9. Gilt, farrowed January 1 – January 31, 2026
10. Gilt, farrowed February 1 – March 31, 2026
11. **Grand Champion Purebred Gilt**
12. **Reserve Grand Champion Purebred Gilt**

SPECIAL AWARD

A special barn prize of \$25 will be given by the Western Idaho Fair to the exhibitor in this department with the best kept and decorated pens and best cleaned aisle. Competition must exist in order for this prize to be awarded.

DIVISION 4 – CROSSBRED GILTS

Class:

13. Crossbred Gilts, farrowed Jan. 1 – March 31, 2026-Light
14. Crossbred Gilts, farrowed Jan. 1 – March 31, 2026-Medium
15. Crossbred Gilts, farrowed Jan. 1 – March 31, 2026-Heavy
16. **Grand Champion Crossbred Gilt**
17. **Reserve Grand Champion Crossbred Gilt**
18. **SUPREME CHAMPION GILT**
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DIVISION 5 – MARKET SWINE

(Barrows and Gilts)

Market Swine may be Purebred or Crossbred. All breeds will show together. No market swine can be farrowed prior to Feb. 1, 2026. All market swine to be shown will be weighed on Wednesday, Aug. 26, between 1:00 and 2:00 p.m. They must weigh a minimum of 230 pounds and will be equally divided in respective classes after weigh-in.

Class:

19. Light weight
20. Heavy weight
21. **Grand Champion Market Swine**
22. **Reserve Grand Champion Market Swine**

Please Note:

In **2027** The Western Idaho Fair will move their starting date from the 3rd Friday in August to the 2nd Friday and from **2028** on it will open on the 1st Friday of August. In addition, it will add a 3rd weekend.

- 2027 – August 13 – 29
- 2028 – August 4 – 20
- 2029 – August 3 – 19

