

**DEPARTMENT 82 - LIVESTOCK**  
**Livestock Records**

1. All records are to be turned in at the back 4-H office between Monday, **July 8<sup>th</sup>** and Tuesday, **July 9<sup>th</sup>** by 9:00 am.
2. Records will be judged and exhibited in the commercial building until release time on Sunday. Exhibitors are responsible for picking up records after judging.
3. The records will be judged for neatness, completeness accuracy, appropriate to the exhibitor's age and experience.
4. All beef, sheep and swine market records should be completed using current market price for the sale value.
5. Interest costs for any animal or its feed should be included in expenses.
6. Records may be kept on any number of market animals and breeding animals. If records of both market and breeding animals of one species are kept, only one record set may be submitted per class.
7. Limited to one entry per class.
8. All sets of records should have an entry tag attached to them, please include club name on tag. For classes requiring several individual forms, it would be best to have them in a folder or small notebook.
9. Dates for records to start:
  - a. Dairy, Goats, all Breeding Animals and Horses  
January 1<sup>st</sup> of the current year or when purchased or born
  - b. Market Animals:  
When purchased, when started on feed, or when born.
10. First through third year exhibitors in any project area may choose to complete the Michigan 4-H Animal Market Project Record Book for beginning exhibitor.
11. To participate in livestock records you must also bring that animal to fair.
12. Updates were made to the 4-H Market Livestock Books #1177 & #1457 have been replaced with the "Michigan 4-H Animal Market Project Record Book" in a beginner, intermediate & advanced levels. The new books are found online at the link below or at the Extension Office.

[www.4h.msue.edu/resources/resource/4-hmarket-animal-record-book](http://www.4h.msue.edu/resources/resource/4-hmarket-animal-record-book)

**SECTION 206 - LIVESTOCK RECORDS**  
**Superintendent – Deb Granger**  
**Ribbons**

**Beef Records**

Class

1070. Market steer records to consist of the Michigan 4-H Animal Market Project Record Book..
1071. Breeding cattle records to consist of Beef Production Records Completing what applies to the animal or the Michigan 4-H Animal Market Project Record Book.

**Dairy Cattle Records**

Class

1072. Records to consist of 4-H Dairy Record Form or the 4-H Dairy Project Workbook or the Michigan 4-H Animal Market Project Record Book.

**Dairy Market Feeder Project Records**

Class

1073. Records to consist of the Dairy Market Feeder Project Book or the Dairy Veal Project Book.

**Goat Records**

Class

1074. Records to consist of the records in the 4-H Goat Manual Record Book or the Michigan 4-H Animal Market Project Record Book.

**Horse Records**

Class

1075. Records to consist of the Horse and Pony Record Book (revised 10-2004).

**Poultry Records**

Class

1076. Records to consist of Poultry Record Form or the Michigan 4-H Animal Market Project Record Book. Exhibitor to complete what applies to their type of poultry project(s).

**Rabbit Records**

Class

1077. Records to consist of Rabbit Record Form or the Michigan 4-H Animal Market Project Record Book. Exhibitor to complete what applies to their type of rabbit project(s).

**Sheep Records**

Class

1078. Market Lamb records to consist of the Michigan 4-H Animal Market Project Record Book.
1079. Breeding sheep records to consist of Sheep Production Records, completing what applies to the animal(s) or the Michigan 4-H Animal Market Project Record Book.

**Swine Records**

Class

1080. Market hog records to consist of the Michigan 4-H Animal Market Project Record Book.

## **Llama Records**

### Class

1081. Records to consist of 4-H Llama Record Form.

## **Dog Records**

### Class

1082. Records to consist of 4-H Dog Project Record #1213 or The Michigan 4-H Animal Market Project Record Book.

## **BARN AWARDS** **Superintendent – Deb Granger**

### **NO PREMIUMS**

- A. Each species area will participate. No sign up is required.
- B. Barn Awards will be tallied and posted in the species barn.
- C. Barns will be checked each day, starting Monday after 12:00 noon and before and after release time. Judging will occur between 10:00 a.m. and 9:00 p.m. Tuesday thru Saturday
- D. All animals are judged on their show day, but will be judged at least 2 hours after their show is complete.
- E. Scores obtained are 1-5.

1 point - Needs improvement

5 points - Excellent Job

Up to 4 bonus points possible

- 1. Pens & aisles clean
- 2. Theme displayed and intact
- 3. Club and exhibitor names prominently displayed and intact.
- 4. Educational and Promotion of species exhibits displayed – one of each
- 5. Water fresh and clean – containers affixed to pens/cages. (except for crocks in rabbit cages)
- 6. Empty feed pans removed unless affixed. (except for crocks in rabbit cages)
- 7. Tack areas neat – wheel barrows empty.