



# National<sup>®</sup> Barrow Show

September 10-15, 2021 • Mower County Fairgrounds • Austin, MN

**TO: 2021 NATIONAL BARROW SHOW<sup>®</sup> EXHIBITORS**  
**RE: GENERAL SHOW INFORMATION**

## GENERAL REMINDERS

- **\*\*\*Please contact Whitney Hendricks ([whitneyh@nationalswine.com](mailto:whitneyh@nationalswine.com) or 765.463.3594) with the ear notches and registration numbers of your open show entries by Tuesday, September 7th.**
- Before leaving for the show, please make sure that all purebred entries meet breed eligibility standards for their respective breeds (color, markings, underlines, etc.).
- ALL animals must be tagged with a permanently numbered, federally approved ear tag.
- All entries must be ear notched using the official NSR system.
- No purebred entry or substitute entry will be allowed to show or sell without a registration certificate.
- Purebred classes will be divided as equal as possible by farrowing date.
- Crossbred boar exhibitors MUST present a documented stress test result at check-in for crossbred boar entries.
- Crossbred boar pen cards will be provided at check-in and may be filled out by exhibitors.
- No clipping is allowed in the barns.

## ARRIVAL AND PENNING

- All open show hogs must arrive on the grounds between 5 p.m. on Friday, Sept. 10, and noon on Sunday, Sept. 12.
- All animals must meet NBS<sup>®</sup> health requirements to remain on the fairgrounds. This includes animals in transit.
- If all hogs meet show requirements, NBS<sup>®</sup> entries may be unloaded and non-entries may stay in your vehicle at the south end of the fairgrounds. There is some shade, but no utilities.
- If non-show animals meet Minnesota import requirements, but not NBS<sup>®</sup> requirements, show animals may be unloaded and remaining animals must be immediately removed from the fairgrounds. A parking lot is available south of the fairgrounds across the street. The welfare and care of these animals is the owner's responsibility. There is some shade, but no utilities.
- If any animals in your vehicle do not meet Minnesota import requirements, all animals will be refused entry, including NBS<sup>®</sup> animals.
- Please pen entries in your designated pens (boars receive individual pens).

## **EXHIBITORS WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR PROVIDING SHAVINGS**

## BREEDING HOG SHOW & SALE

- A minimum of 60 percent of the number of each sex (boars and gilts) shown will be selected for the sale. These animals will be selected with no set number selling from any single class. Animals not selected for the sale can be consigned to the sale for an additional fee of \$20 per head. If the animal sells, the fee will be applied toward the sale commission. If the animal does not sell, the fee is forfeited.
- All animals selected and cataloged for the sale must go through the auction. Sale commission will be 15 percent for all animals. If an animal that is selected and cataloged for the sale does not go through the sale ring, the exhibitor will be banned from exhibiting at NSR events for one year and will be charged 15 percent of the average selling price of their respective breed sale. This amount must be paid before reinstatement will be allowed. The exception to this rule will be if the animal has become injured or ill, and the animal is inspected by a NSR staff member prior to the sale.
- The NSR acts only as the agent between the buyer and seller. If proper payment is made by the buyer in a timely manner, the NSR will make settlement with the seller in approximately 30 days after the sale.

*If an exhibitor has an account that is past due, funds from the sale of their animals will be applied to their NSR account.*

## NATIONAL BARROW SHOW SCHEDULE

### FRIDAY, SEPT. 10

5 p.m.: Earliest entries can arrive

## **SATURDAY, SEPT. 11**

- 9 a.m. -1 p.m.: Junior registration
- 1 p.m.: All junior market hogs and junior breeding gilts must be on the grounds
- 2 p.m.: All junior market hogs and junior breeding gilts weigh cards due
- 3 p.m.: NBS® Junior Showmanship Contest (Senior, Intermediate, Junior, Novice)
- 5:30 p.m.: Junior exhibitor pizza party

## **SUNDAY, SEPT. 12**

- 8 a.m.: Junior Classic Breeding Gilt Show immediately followed by Junior Classic Market Hog Show
- 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.: Windsor Chop Dinner at the Plager Building
- Noon: All open show breeding stock, truckloads and open market hog show entries must be on the grounds
- 1-2:30 p.m.: Truckloads checked in and weighed
- 1-3:30 p.m.: Open Market Hog registration
- 3:30 p.m.: Open Market Hog weigh cards due

## **MONDAY, SEPT. 13**

- 8 a.m.: Junior college and senior college judging contest (Crane Pavilion)  
FFA and 4-H judging contest registration, followed by contest
- 8 a.m.: Check-in of open show breeding stock entries
- 1 p.m.: Individual Open Market Hog Show
  - Truckload Show to immediately follow
  - Following Truckloads, Hog College® Home Run Drive approximately

## **TUESDAY, SEPT. 14**

- 7:30 a.m.: Breeding Stock Show begins
  - **North Ring: CPS/ABA/ Crossbred Gilts**
  - **South Ring: Yorkshire, Landrace, Hampshire, Duroc and Crossbred Boars**

## **WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 15**

- 8:30 a.m.: Breeding Stock Sale begins
  - **North Ring: CPS/ABA/ Crossbred Gilts**
  - **South Ring: Yorkshire, Landrace, Hampshire, Duroc and Crossbred Boars**

## **HEALTH REGULATIONS**

- 1. EACH ANIMAL ENTERING THE MOWER COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS MUST BE LISTED ON AN OFFICIAL, INTERSTATE CERTIFICATE OF VETERINARY INSPECTION (CVI) ISSUED BY A LICENSED, ACCREDITED VETERINARIAN.**
  - A. Multiple animals may be listed on one original CVI. Two photocopies of the original CVI must be provided for each animal.
- 2. CVIs MUST BE ISSUED ON OR AFTER MONDAY, AUGUST 16, 2021 WITH THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:**
  - A. Name and address of consignor; consigned to the NBS®, Mower County Fairgrounds, 700 12th Street SW, Austin, MN 55912.
  - B. ALL SWINE being exhibited at the National Barrow Show MUST be officially identified with an official, federally approved ear tag. The animal's ear tag ID must be listed on CVI. For more information on federally recognized ear tags, visit [http://www.nationalswine.com/shows/ear\\_tags.php](http://www.nationalswine.com/shows/ear_tags.php).
  - C. Each animal shall be individually identified by ear notch.
  - D. Health status of animal, including dates of required tests and vaccinations must be listed.
  - E. A premise ID number MUST be included on CVI.
  - F. The cell phone number of your veterinarian who issued the CVI MUST be included on the CVI.
  - G. ALL CVIs MUST CARRY THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS – “Farm or origin of swine:
    - a. Has not had pseudorabies or swine dysentery in the last 12 months
    - b. Has not had any clinical signs or diagnosis of TGE, PEDv, SECD, or Seneca Valley Virus in the last 60 days

- c. Feeds no raw garbage and uses no PRV vaccine
- d. Is not under quarantine for any disease condition
- e. Has not had vesicular stomatitis diagnosed within 10 miles of farm or origin in the last 90 days

### 3. REQUIRED TESTS:

#### A. **BREEDING ANIMALS (NBS JR. SHOW BREEDING GILTS AND OPEN SHOW BOARS & BREEDING GILTS):**

- i. **PSEUDORABIES (PRV) TESTING: ALL BREEDING SHOW ANIMALS ENTERED IN THE NBS MUST be individually tested for PRV ON OR AFTER MONDAY, AUGUST 16, 2021 UNLESS animals come from a PRV-qualified herd.**
  - i. All official identification of animal (sex, ear tag and ear notch) needs to be included on the pseudorabies test chart.
  - ii. Animals must test PRV-negative with all results on the dated CVI.
  - iii. The official PRV test chart must be provided along with your CVI.
  - iv. Either the ELISA (gB ELISA), ALA or S/N tests are acceptable. Differentiable ELISA (g1 ELISA) test will NOT be accepted.
  - v. If BREEDING SHOW ANIMALS come from a PRV qualified herd, individual testing of each animal is not required. In this case, the PRV qualification numbers must appear on the health certificate and the most recent quarterly herd test date (month, day and year) must be stated on health certificate.
- ii. **BRUCELLOSIS TESTING: ALL BREEDING ANIMALS ENTERED IN THE NBS MUST be individually tested for brucellosis on or after **ON OR AFTER MONDAY, AUGUST 16, 2021** UNLESS animals originate from a validated brucellosis free herd.**
  - a. Animals must test brucellosis negative with all results on the dated CVI.
  - b. If the herd of origin is brucellosis validated, the validation numbers must appear on the CVI and the most recent quarterly herd test date (month, day and year) must be stated on the CVI.
- iii. ***MARKET HOGS (JR. SHOW, OPEN SHOW AND TRUCKLOADS) ARE NOT REQUIRED TO BE INDIVIDUALLY TESTED FOR PRV AND BRUCELLOSIS***

#### B. VACCINATIONS:

- 1. All breeding swine coming to the show MUST be vaccinated against leptospirosis (6-way) including bratislava and erysipelas.
    - i. The complete date of vaccination MUST be listed on the health certificate. Market animals should not be vaccinated.
  - 2. It is strongly recommended that breeding animals are vaccinated for swine influenza.
- *In some instances, these requirements are in addition to the state of Minnesota regulations. However, they are necessary in meeting other state requirements for purchasers of open show animals through sales as animals are reconsigned to new destinations.*
  - *Show Veterinarian Contact: Mark M. Engesser, DVM - Cell 507-438-3358, Office 507-437-3727*

*\*For the most up-to-date information on all NSR shows & events, please visit [www.nationalswine.com](http://www.nationalswine.com). We look forward to seeing you in Austin.*

Sincerely,

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