

National Junior Summer Spectacular

Indianapolis, IN

June 28- July 3, 2026

Sunday, June 28

NOON: Earliest Hogs May Arrive (Junior & Open)
2:00-6:00 p.m.: Registration – Swine Barn Concourse
6:00 p.m.: Barnyard Olympics – Show Rings

Monday, June 29

8:00 a.m. - 12 p.m.: Registration (Junior Show, Showmanship, Skillathon, and Speech Contests) – Draft Horse Barn
10:00 a.m.: All Junior hogs must be in place
NOON: Prepared and Extemporaneous Speech Contests – Draft Horse
1:00 p.m.: Foundations of Flavor Cooking Contest- Draft Horse
NOON- 4:00: **Purebred Gilt Eligibility Checks, weights, and Crossbred Classifications**
2:00 p.m.: Crossbred Barrow and Gilt Weights Due
2:00 -4:30 p.m.: Skillathon (All participants must start by 3:30 p.m.) – Draft Horse
5:00 p.m.: Skillathon Review – Draft Horse
5:30 p.m.: Opening Ceremonies and Exhibitor Social- Swine Barn

Tuesday, June 30

8:00 a.m.: Showmanship

- Ring A: Junior followed by Senior
- Ring B: Novice followed by Intermediate

****Following the Conclusion of Showmanship****

- Ring A: NJSA Bred and Owned Gilt Show

*****Following the Conclusion of NJSA Bred and Owned Gilt Show*****

Ring A: Crossbred Gilts

4:00 p.m. Sheep Barn: Crossbred Barrows

Wednesday, July 1

8:00 a.m.: Purebred Barrow weights due

8:00 a.m.: Owned Gilt Show

- **Ring A:** Pure Gilts
- **Ring B:** Pure Gilts

NOON-5 PM: Open Show Registration

5 PM Weighing of Open Crossbred Boars and Gilts

6:00 PM or ** 30 Minutes after Conclusion of Owned Gilt Show, Grand Champion B&O and Owned Gilt Drive**

Thursday, July 2

7:30-8:30 a.m.: Judging Contest Registration – Draft Horse Barn

8:00 a.m.: Purebred Barrow Show

Ring A: Pure barrows

Ring B: Pure Barrows

****Champion Barrow Drive 30 minutes after Conclusion of Barrow Show****

10:00 a.m.: All open show hogs must be in place

***30 Minutes after Conclusion of Barrow Show, Open Boar Show*- Sheep Barn**

****An hour after conclusion of Grand Barrow Drive- Judging Contest in Swine Barn****

6:00 p.m.: NJSA Awards Ceremonies

Friday, July 3

8:00 a.m.: Open Show Gilt Show- Sheep Barn

****Two Hours after conclusion of Gilt Show** Open Sale Begins- Sheep Barn**