

TURKEY DIVISION

Arrival & Check-In Time – Saturday, **March 26th**, 8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Judging Date – Saturday, **March 26th**, 12:00 p.m.

RELEASE AT CONCLUSION OF SHOW

1. This division is subject to the General Rules and these Division Rules. If an exhibitor requires a General Exception Form (refer to Page 2), it will be due when Intent to Show forms are due on **November 19, 2021**. Each application will be reviewed for compliance.
2. A pen consists of one (1) turkey, HENS OR TOMS MAY BE EXHIBITED.
3. One (1) entry per exhibitor.
4. Each pen of one bird must weigh at least fifteen (15) pounds with no maximum weight.
5. Pens will be sifted prior to entry into the show. This sift will consist of a check for breast blisters, bruises and weight. Any bird not appearing healthy will be sifted.
6. Sifted turkeys will be turned over to the Montgomery County Fair Association for removal from Fairgrounds.
7. The first turkey presented to the sifter will be the pen. No substitutions.
8. All Turkeys must be ordered through Texas A & M University. Exhibitors are responsible for placing their own order for their turkeys. Turkey Intent-To-Show forms must match original order. If family ordered, each family member must be listed on Intent-To-Show form.
9. Wing band numbers must be turned in to the Fair Office by **November 19, 2021**, along with the Turkey Intent to Show form. Forms may be emailed to intents@mcfa.org. If a form is mailed or hand-delivered, it must be IN THE FAIR OFFICE by the aforementioned deadline date. NO FAXES ACCEPTED.

NO TURKEY WILL BE SHOWN WITHOUT WING-BAND IN PLACE. BANDS WILL BE CHECKED FOR NUMBER AND CONDITION.

10. All birds must be cared for by the exhibitor. **EXHIBITORS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR PROVIDING FEED AND WATER FOR THEIR ENTRY. EXHIBITORS WHO FAIL TO COMPLY WITH THIS RULE WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO SHOW THE FOLLOWING YEAR.**

11. NO CARRYING CAGES, FEED, ETC. WILL BE ALLOWED TO REMAIN IN THE SHOW AREA.

12. The use of drugs not approved for Turkeys used for human consumption will not be allowed.

13. Entries must be completed by **Friday, February 4, 2022**, by 5:00PM with a \$20 entry fee/pen. (See page five (5) of Rule Book for Online Entry details)

14. A helper of an exhibitor must be a current member in good standing of a Montgomery County 4-H Club or FFA Chapter.

THE MONTGOMERY COUNTY FAIR IS A TERMINAL SHOW FOR TURKEYS. ALL TURKEYS ENTERING THE MONTGOMERY COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS WILL BELONG TO THE MONTGOMERY COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE SHOW.

<https://mcfa.org/events/turkey-broiler-show/>

