

<p>Section I – Youth Poultry Science Superintendent - Mary Ann Whipple 4595 Co. Rd. 1, Canandaigua, NY 14424 whipple6@gmail.com</p>

General Information

1. The 4-H Poultry Science Program at the State Fair is a part of the total New York State Fair 4-H educational program. Teen leaders are selected by the county agent and the state specialist according to outstanding attitude and knowledge in the poultry area. Teen Leaders will be required to work both am and pm chores. All youth accepted for Teen Leader positions will be notified of acceptance by e-mail ONLY. If no e-mail is provided on application, no acceptance notification will be sent out. The only youth that will be personally called will be the teens that are applying for a Teen Assistant position in Poultry Science.
2. The Poultry Science activities are designed to complement, supplement, and stimulate county and regional programs. The activities at the State Fair are cooperative efforts of youth, volunteer leaders, and of county and state extension personnel to provide opportunities for people to grow and develop.
3. In addition to the specific rules and regulations for this section, all participants are subject to the general and dormitory regulations for youth.
4. County list of exhibits to be judged is required for this division.
5. Any questions should be directed to your County Extension Educator or Mary Ann Whipple at whipple6@gmail.com.
6. Poultry Science exhibits for the Youth Poultry area must be approved by the Superintendent. 4-H Poultry Youth are encouraged to bring birds for the display area in the Youth Building. Ten youth from across the state will be selected to have their 4-H bird on display. Pictures of birds must be emailed to Mary Ann Whipple by August 1st. All youth will receive premium money for their display. Three breeder pens needed and six single exhibits. Each exhibit must be accompanied with a poster describing the breed and variety of exhibit.

Poultry Science Contests

Poultry Science Contest – Friday, August 22

Registration – 8:30 am Youth Arena. The contest begins at 9:00 am. Pre-Entry required. Teams may enter. Contestants scored individually. The contest will be held in the Youth Arena. Junior & Senior Contests to run at same time.

Avian Bowl – Friday, August 22

Contest begins at 1:00 pm Registration – 12:30 pm Youth Arena Junior Contest, Senior to immediately follow.

Awards for both contests to be held following the Avian Quiz Bowl in the Youth Arena. Contact Superintendent for details.

Egg Preparation Demo Contest – Friday, August 29

Pre-entry required. See Contests page 29 for more information.

Turkey & Chicken BBQ – Friday, August 29

Registration starts at 9:45 am. See Contests page 29 for more information.