

Dickinson County Fair Egg Record Book

Please check age group of exhibitor:

_____ **JUVENILE (8-12 YEARS)**

_____ **JUNIOR (13 – 15 YEARS)**

_____ **SENIOR (16 – 19 YEARS)**



Official Fair Age _____ (Fair age is the exhibitors age on December 31 of the current year of the fair)

Exhibitor Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Birth Date: _____

Club Name: _____

Club Leader: _____

Cell Phone Number _____

JUDGING RESULTS
(OFFICE USE ONLY)
RIBBON AWARD: 1 2 3

Market Poultry Egg Projects (Please check the project you intend to complete. One record book per exhibitor):

Brown Eggs _____

White Eggs: _____

Blue Green Eggs: _____

All Market Poultry Record Books are due in the Fair Office by **12:00 P.M., Thursday** of the fair.

The record book needs to be completed by the exhibitor.

PLEASE TYPE, PRINT OR WRITE CLEARLY.

Dickinson County Fair Market Egg Rules:

(Please see the complete list of Poultry Dept. Rules in the Dickinson County Fair premium book)

- Each exhibit shall consist of one dozen chicken eggs of the same color & size.
- Exhibitors may enter a single exhibit in **ONE** of the Poultry Market Egg Classes.
- Pre-entry fee is \$3.00 per Poultry Egg Market Class.

- d. Each exhibitor will be required to complete a Youth Poultry Market Egg Record Book for **ONE** entry in the poultry market egg classes.
- e. Completed Record books must be turned into the Fair Office by 12:00 P.M., Thursday of the fair.
- f. All Poultry Market Egg exhibitors will be required to participate in poultry showmanship.

Exhibitors will find the M.S.U. 4-H Poultry Fitting & Showmanship Member's Guide pdf at:

https://www.canr.msu.edu/uploads/236/66874/4H1520_4-HPoultryFSMG.pdf

Please sign below to verify you have read and understand the above rules. Also note that any extra rules or rule changes will be provided to the exhibitor at the fair during check in. **I understand that this is a completed Youth Poultry Market Record Book as required.**

Youth Signature: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Market Poultry Egg Project Photos

Be Creative! The more photographs the better! Your pictures should show the growth of your project from start to finish. Each picture needs to have a date, caption and be in chronological order. You may use additional pages.



Poultry Egg Project Goals (at start of your project)



State at least two goals at the beginning of your project. Explain what you would like to learn.

1. _____

2. _____

Poultry Project Accomplishments (When project book is due)



What were the two most important things you learned about your Market Poultry Egg Project? What goals have you accomplished? If you have not accomplished one or more of your goals, please explain. What have you learned? Describe your experiences. (Attach an additional pages if needed.)

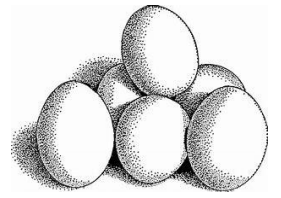
1. _____

2. _____

All Egg Project Expenses

(Feed, Equipment, Medications, Vet Expenses, etc.)

Record of all cash expenses for your poultry egg project. Record the date, items (cost to purchase laying hens, feed for hens, vet/medical expenses, poultry equipment, egg cartons, etc.) and quantity as well as the cost. Also enter all non-cash expenses at their estimated value. (You may add extra sheets if necessary)



Date	Item	Quantity	Cost or Value

TOTAL \$ _____

Poultry Egg Project Expense Record



All expenses reflected here occurred from:

Start date of project: _____

End date of project: _____

Total cost of hens used to lay eggs: \$ _____

Total cost of feed for laying hens: \$ _____

Total amount of feed fed to hens during project: _____ lbs.

Cost of all supplies & equipment other than feed: \$ _____

Vet care or general health expenses: \$ _____

Mortality of laying hens lost during project (Expense Loss): -\$ _____

Other Costs (Please specify): \$ _____

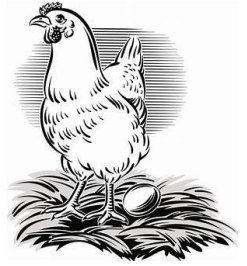
A. TOTAL POULTRY EGG PROJECT EXPENSES: \$ _____

EXPECTED PROJECT INCOME: How much you expect to sell your dozen egg for at Dickinson County Fair Auction: \$ _____

Formula to calculate your Breakeven price:

$$\begin{array}{l} \$ \text{ _____ } \\ \text{Total Poultry Egg} \\ \text{Project Expenses} \\ \text{(Line A.)} \end{array} \div \begin{array}{l} \text{One dozen eggs} \end{array} = \$ \text{ _____ } \begin{array}{l} \text{Breakeven price for one dozen eggs} \\ \text{needed to cover expenses.} \end{array}$$

Your Market Egg Project Story



Tell your poultry egg project story through your own words. It should cover why you selected the particular breed of birds as layers. You should also describe your daily care and **egg collecting** routine. It should also list any problems, if any, you had with your project. For example, if there is a drop in egg laying, explain what you did to get your birds well. **The project story should be a summary of what you have learned from your market egg project experience. (Additional pages may be added, if desired.)**

General Poultry Management Questions

Briefly Explain:

1. Can you list any Biosecurity practices that can help protect your laying hens from Avian Influenza or what is known as bird flu?
2. What did you look for in putting your dozen eggs together?

PAGE	D.C.F. Market Egg Judging Rubric	Possible Points	YOUR POINTS
1 - 2	Cover Sheet & Fair Rules	5	
	All information is neat and complete		
2	Project Photos	15	
	Includes photographs of project animal(s) Captions included with pictures		
3	Project Goals & Accomplishments	20	
	All information is neat and complete		
4	All Expenses	15	
	All information is neat and complete		
5	Egg Project Expense Record	15	
	All information is neat & complete for class		
6	Project Story	20	
	Story written		
6	General Poultry Management Questions	10	
	All questions answered		
	TOTAL POINTS 1ST: 100 – 80; 2ND : 79 – 60; 3RD : 59 - 30	100	



JUDGES COMMENTS

