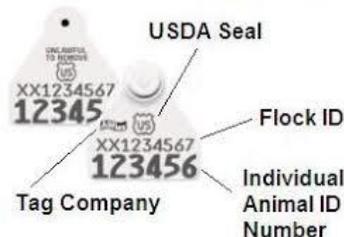


# 2026 Inter-State Fair Livestock Show Changes

- There will be no Bred and Owned Show.
- Prospect steer show will be after the steer show on Thursday.
- Nomination will be made online.
  - Nominations will be open from April 15<sup>th</sup> to May 15<sup>th</sup>.
  - You will show as nominated unless independent classifier states otherwise.
  - Pictures will be required. One of each side of the animal showing all four legs and one of the head showing ear notch and tag on swine and tag on other species.



Scrapie tags are official [USDA](#) identification tags for sheep and goats, containing a state postal abbreviation, a unique flock ID (up to 7 characters), and an individual animal number (up to 6 characters)

- Sheep and Goats will again be nominated with their scrapie tag. **Entire ID numbers including state flock ID and individual numbers are required. If we continue to have problems with this rule being followed, we will go back to having ISF tags for all species.**
- Market Beef will be nominated with an ISF tag.
- Market Swine can be nominated with an 840 tag with management number or an ISF tag. **Market Swine will also have ear notch stated at time of nomination.** See examples below. An 840 tag with no separate ID number will not be accepted.

**Example 2:** 840 ear tag with management number printed on bottom. In this case, the tag purchaser chose to add additional numbers to the blank section of the tag at the bottom for management purposes.



Above example WILL NOT be excepted as it does not have a separate animal ID number.

- Entries will be made online from June 15<sup>th</sup> to July 25<sup>th</sup>.
- The Inter-State Fair Market Shows are open to active 4-H and FFA members of Neosho, Montgomery, Labette, and Chautauqua counties in Kansas and Craig, Nowata, Rogers, and Washington counties in Oklahoma. To meet age restrictions, applicants must not be 20 years old before September 1, 2026 .
- Grand and Reserve Grand Champion animals become property of the Montgomery County Fair Association, and a fair market value will be posted on the day of weigh-in. All Grands and Reserve Grands will go to one locker chosen by the livestock committee. If Owner wants to retain carcass it will be owners' responsibility to get with the livestock committee before the start of the premium sale.
- Any 4/H or FFA animal previously sold through a premium sale, ribbon auction, or similar event WILL be allowed to show in the market class at Inter-State Fair and Rodeo

If you have any questions, you can contact the chairman or one of the superintendents listed below.

Chairman     Justin Wintjen     620-431-8943

Superintendents

Beef	Todd Hayes	620-252-5015
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Sheep	Gary McNickle	620-485-4074
Meat Goat	Gary McNickle	620-485-4074
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Rabbit	Clemo Haddox	620-515-0906
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Market Broiler	Kimber Kiersey	479-530-4994