

64th Edition

National Barrow Show®

September 11-15

Mower County Fairgrounds in Austin, Minn.



*"The world series
of swine shows"*

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Saturday, Sept. 11

- 8 a.m. Earliest entries can arrive
- 3-5 p.m. Check-in/weigh-in
- 5 p.m. All junior barrows must be on the grounds and weighed
- 5:30 p.m. Junior exhibitor pizza party

Sunday, Sept. 12

- 9 a.m. NBS® Junior Showmanship Contest
- 11:30 a.m.-2 p.m. Windsor Chop Dinner at the Plager Building
- Noon NBS® Junior Barrow Classic
- Noon-3 p.m. Truckloads accepted and weighed
- 3 p.m. All open show entries must be on the grounds
- 3-4 p.m. Individual Market Barrow entries accepted and weighed
- 6:30-8 p.m. NBS® Hospitality Night at Holiday Inn

Monday, Sept. 13

- 8 a.m. Junior college and senior college judging contest in Crane Pavilion.
FFA and 4-H registration and contest.
- 8 a.m. Check-in of open show entries (scanning to follow)
- Noon Individual Market Barrow Show
(Truckload Show to immediately follow)

Tuesday, Sept. 14

- 8 a.m. Breeding Stock Show begins
North Ring: Poland, Spot, Chester White, Berkshire
South Ring: Hampshire, Duroc, Landrace, Yorkshire
- 9 a.m. Presentation of special awards and judging contest results

Wednesday, Sept. 15

- 9 a.m. Breeding Sales begin
North Ring: Poland, Spot, Chester White, Berkshire
South Ring: Hampshire, Duroc, Landrace, Yorkshire

Sale and Show Contacts:

Berkshire – Amy Smith (765) 426-9102 or Merrill Smith (812) 525-1769

CPS – Jack Wall (309) 945-3312 or Jeff Morris (608) 346-9561

Judges:

**NBS® Show and Sale Phone
(Saturday-Wednesday):
(507) 434-2937**

Berkshire - Terry Shaffer, Ind.
Chester White - Bob Armstrong, Ill.
Poland China - Derek Stayton, Ill.
Spotted - Matt Miller, Ill.

The National Barrow Show® has traditionally been recognized as the home of many great breeding boars and foundation females. Make plans to participate at this year's event.

Individual Market Barrow Show

The specific rules and regulations are as follows:

- Purebreds and crossbreds are eligible and will be shown separately.
- Farrowing date is Feb. 1, 2010, or after.
- Hogs must weigh between 230 and 280 lbs.
- All purebreds must have pedigrees from their respective breed associations.
- Individual barrows from the Truckload Contest are eligible.
- Entry fee is \$30 per head.
- Market barrows do not need to be tested for pseudorabies or brucellosis. Must meet #1 and #2 and item C under Health Regulations.

Truckload Contest

- The popular Truckload Contest consists of two categories – purebred and crossbred. No individual hogs in a truckload may weigh less than 230 lbs. or more than 280 lbs.
- Truckloads consist of six market hogs, at least three of which must be barrows. All must have been farrowed on or after Feb. 1, 2010.
- The entry fee is \$30 per load.
- Truckload entries do not need to be tested for pseudorabies or brucellosis. Must meet #1 and #2 and item C under health regulations.
- Carcass requirements: 160 lbs. minimum weight; 220 lbs. maximum weight and a minimum quality score of 2. (Minolta and pH values will be used to verify visual quality scores).

National Barrow Show® Premiums

Market Barrow Show

Class winners: \$50
2nd place: \$30
3rd place: \$20
Grand Champion Barrow: \$500
Reserve Champion Barrow: \$250
Grand Champion Purebreds: \$100
Reserve Champion Purebreds: \$50
Grand Champion Crossbred: \$100
Reserve Champion Crossbred: \$50



Truckload Contest (live)

Grand Champion: \$200
Reserve Grand Champion: \$100
Grand Champion Purebred: \$100
Reserve Champion Purebred: \$50
Grand Champion Crossbred: \$100
Reserve Champion Crossbred: \$50

Champion Carcass Truckload: \$300 and the Dr. Lauren Christian Award of Excellence presented by Hormel Foods

The 2nd-7th place carcass loads will receive these premiums: \$150, \$130, \$90, \$80, \$70 and \$60. The 8th-10th place loads will receive \$50.

2010 NBS® Judging Contest

- The NBS® Judging Contest will be held Monday, Sept. 13.
- Junior and senior college participants will judge eight classes. 4-H and FFA contestants will place four classes of market hogs and two classes of gilts. For more information, contact the NBS® at Box 367, Austin, MN 55912 or call (507) 437-5306. E-mail inquiries to Chairman Julie Grass at jjgrass@hormel.com.
- A reception will be held for judging contestants on Monday evening at the Plager Building.

Note purebred exhibitors: An exhibitor may enter a total of four boars and four gilts (per breed) farrowed on or after Feb. 1, 2010. Each exhibitor of breeding stock at the NBS® will be assessed a Progeny Test support fee of \$20 for each breed exhibited, in addition to individual fees for each boar and gilt entered, if they did not have a sire group on test in 2010. Non-participants in the Progeny Test will be assessed the Progeny Test support fee for each breed they exhibit at the NBS®; however, entry of one sire group of any breed qualifies an exhibitor to show any breed without paying the Progeny Test support fee. All Progeny Test funds will be distributed to those individuals who have placed hogs in the 2010 test.

- All hogs entered in the NBS® are subject to selection for use in the NBS® Judging Contest on Monday, Sept. 13, at 8 a.m. in Crane Pavilion.

Quality Assurance Training

It is mandatory that individual market barrow and truckload exhibitors complete instruction (and have certification valid through this calendar year) in either a PQA Plus™ or Youth PQA Plus™ certification program. State-sponsored youth training programs such as 4-H/ Extension Livestock Quality Assurance and Ethics training will be accepted. Hogs must always be raised in accordance with the ten Good Production Practices outlined in the PQA Plus™ programs.

A copy of each exhibitor's Quality Training (as listed above) must be attached to the Swine Affidavit and submitted to Hormel Foods at the time of or prior to shipment of animals.

2010 National Barrow Show®

OFFICIAL OPEN SHOW ENTRY FORM

(Please do not mix Berkshire and CPS breeds on one entry form.)
Entries must be postmarked by August 10, 2010



Exhibitor Information

Name _____ Breeder Number _____
 Address _____ Premise ID Number (required) _____
 City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Phone () _____ E-mail _____

Breeding Stock: Born February 1, 2010 and after

Berkshire

Boars: _____ (Number of entries) x \$30 = _____
 Gilts: _____ (Number of entries) x \$30 = _____
 Progeny Test Support Fee
 (Must be paid if no pigs were on test in 2010): \$20 = _____

Chester White

Boars: _____ (Number of entries) x \$30 = _____
 Gilts: _____ (Number of entries) x \$30 = _____
 Progeny Test Support Fee
 (Must be paid if no pigs were on test in 2010): \$20 = _____

Poland China

Boars: _____ (Number of entries) x \$30 = _____
 Gilts: _____ (Number of entries) x \$30 = _____
 Progeny Test Support Fee
 (Must be paid if no pigs were on test in 2010): \$20 = _____

Spotted

Boars: _____ (Number of entries) x \$30 = _____
 Gilts: _____ (Number of entries) x \$30 = _____
 Progeny Test Support Fee
 (Must be paid if no pigs were on test in 2010): \$20 = _____

Truckloads

Purebred

Number of entries x \$30/truckload = _____

Crossbred

Number of entries x \$30/truckload = _____

Open Market Hogs

Purebred

Number of entries x \$30 = _____

Crossbred

Number of entries x \$30 = _____

**Entries
 MUST be
 postmarked
 by
 August 10,
 2010, and
 appropriate
 fees must
 accompany
 all entries.**

**A copy of your PQA™ or Youth PQA™ certification must accompany your entries.
 See changes in health regulations for truckloads and market hogs only.**

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$ _____

Make check payable to: CPS or American Berkshire Association - NO REFUNDS

Return this entire form to:

CPS - Box 9758 - Peoria, Illinois 61612 **OR** ABA - Box 2436 - West Lafayette, Indiana 47906

NBS® Junior Barrow Classic event details and entry forms are printed on the following pages.

NOTE: All open show Berkshire animals must be stress identified (denoted on pedigree before show) and be stress negative.

NOTE: All open show Poland China animals must be stress identified (denoted on pedigree before show) and stress POSITIVES are not eligible.

NOTE: All open show Spotted animals must be stress identified (denoted on pedigree before show) and stress POSITIVES are not eligible.