



*Welcome to the 81<sup>st</sup> Annual North Dakota Winter Show!*

**2018 Market Hog Show ~ Sunday, March 4, 2018 ~**

**3 pm ~ NDWS ~ Valley City, ND**

**1-800-437-0218 ~ [www.northdakotawintershow.com](http://www.northdakotawintershow.com)**

We are excited about this year's North Dakota Winter Show! The hog and cattle shows are scheduled at the beginning of the show and the entire show is again 8 days. View [www.northdakotawintershow.com](http://www.northdakotawintershow.com), for a complete schedule of events!

### General Rules & Requirements

**Entry Deadline:** All entries must be postmarked by **February 19<sup>th</sup>, 2018**, to enter without paying the late fee. Each entry is \$25 per market hog, plus \$15 per stall with bedding. Up to four hogs may be in each stall. **Late entries will be accepted until 9 am on Sunday, March 4<sup>th</sup>**, at \$30 per head, plus the \$15 stall fee.

**Arrival Time/Weigh-In/Show Time:** Friday, March 2<sup>nd</sup> - 8 am – earliest arrival of livestock. All hogs must be in by Sunday, March 4<sup>th</sup>, in time for the 12:45 pm weigh-in. The Market Hog Show will be held at 3:00 pm, in the West Arena.

**Classic Steer/Market Hog Auction:** The top five market hogs will be sold at the Classic Steer & Market Hog Auction, on Sunday, March 4<sup>th</sup>, 6 pm at the VC Eagles. Ten percent of the premium will be paid to the NDWS, to help with show expenses.

**Exhibitor Liability:** The North Dakota Winter Show, the Winter Show Holding Company, or any of the Breed associations, State or National, participating in this show, will not be responsible for any loss, damage or injury to livestock exhibited, or for any article of any kind that may be lost, destroyed, or in any way damaged. Each exhibitor will be responsible for any injury that may be occasioned to any person, whomsoever, by any livestock owned or exhibited by him shall indemnify the North Dakota Winter Show and Associations, or any member thereof, against all claims and demands, of any kind or nature, that may grow out of any injury occasioned by any livestock owned or exhibited by them, or arise from the negligence of the person in charge of any such livestock. All livestock exhibited in this Show will be entirely at the owner's risk. Presentation of the entry form shall be deemed acceptance of the rules and IAFE Code of Ethics, a copy of which is enclosed.

**Insurance:** Exhibitors are required to carry their own liability insurance.

**Please Note:** If NDWS Management sees a junior exhibitor is incapable of showing any animal exhibited in the NDWS, they have the right to tie the animal or escort it from the ring.

**Market Hog Show Premiums:** 1<sup>st</sup> - \$25, 2<sup>nd</sup> - \$15 and 3<sup>rd</sup> - \$5, in each break. \$150 will be awarded to the Supreme Grand Champion and \$75 will be awarded to the Supreme Reserve Champion.

**Showmanship:** Prizes will be awarded to the Showmanship Champions in each division: peewee, novice, junior and senior.

### Health Regulations

The North Dakota Winter Show requires that all swine meet health requirements before being permitted in the NDWS building. All animals are subject to inspection by a veterinarian upon arrival at the NDWS.

1. A permit is required on all swine entering the state.
2. A certificate of veterinary inspection is required for all swine entering the state, except those for immediate slaughter.
3. All swine imported into North Dakota must be individually officially identified.
4. As of 2/14/2014, revised 3/5/2014, a Porcine Epidemic Diarrhea virus (PEDv) statement is required on all Interstate Certificates of Veterinary Inspections and must be signed by the owner as well as the veterinarian:  
**"The premises the swine are originating from has not had any signs or a diagnosis of Transmissible Gastroenteritis (TGE) or Porcine Epidemic Diarrhea virus (PEDv) in the last 60 days."**
5. Transitional swine originating from areas determined to be populated with feral swine (in the opinion of the ND Board of Animal Health) must test negative for *Brucella suis* and Pseudorabies, within 30 days prior to importation to ND.

For additional health information contact: the ND State Board of Animal Health at: 701-328-2655, or the Valley City Vet Clinic, at 701-845-3662.