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# APPLICATION TO PARTICIPATE IN THE OCEANA COUNTY SMALL MARKET ANIMAL ASSOCIATION CHICKEN PROJECT—2024



BREED OF CHICKEN \_\_\_\_\_

BAND COLORS \_\_\_\_\_

(Will be provided on Entry Day at Fair)

## I WISH TO PARTICIPATE IN THE SMALL MARKET ANIMAL AUCTION:

1. 4-H'er Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

4-H'er Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Age as of 1/1/24: \_\_\_\_\_  
Month Day Year

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Club: \_\_\_\_\_

2. I agree to abide by all the rules and regulations and will exhibit, show and sell my project at the Small Market Animal Auction.

3. I understand that a percentage of the gross sales will be withheld by the SMA committee to cover expenses of the project and auction. All other expenses will be assumed by me.

4. I understand that all enrollments will be accepted on a first come, first serve basis pending available space. If I completed the market chicken project last year, and met all of the requirements listed on the **4-H Automatic Enrollment Policy**, I may sign up at the MSUE Office, through mail, email at [schaner4@msu.edu](mailto:schaner4@msu.edu) or fax (873-3710) during the time frame of:

**TIER 1: 10/23/23 – 10/27/23 (completed 6 meetings, got a B or better their notebook and sold at auction)**

**TIER 2: 10/30/23 – 11/3/23 (completed 6 meetings and got a B or better on their notebook but did not sell due to extenuating circumstances such as not making weight and followed steps outlined in automatic enrollment guidelines)**

**TIER 3: 11/11/23 during the time frame of 8:00-8:15 a.m. and continue until 4/1/24 (pending space). Tier 3 is for those who are new to the project, did not complete their project last year, or who are switching projects.**

*There will be a waiting list accepting at least 5 members. Please see attached project rules/requirements for specific details on the waiting list system. Space will be limited to 10 market chicken projects.*

5. I understand that I may drop from the market project without penalty until March 1, 2024. If I drop after this time from the Market project, I will be disqualified from participating in the Small Market projects the following year. I may appeal to the Committee if there are extenuating circumstances. I also understand that all pictures with breed identified must be on file by 4:00 p.m. **August 1, 2024** with the MSU Extension Office (no exceptions... this is your responsibility, not your leaders). Colored pictures and breeds maybe submitted in-person or via email to [schaner4@msu.edu](mailto:schaner4@msu.edu) or [pumford5@msu.edu](mailto:pumford5@msu.edu) utilizing the Digital Picture Format form provided by MSU Extension. No other email picture formats will be accepted. No faxing of pictures.

6. I must have enrolled in 4-H through <https://v2.4honline.com/> must be completed and all signatures must be completed on this application for acceptance into the project.

7. I have read the above requirements and acknowledge that I have received a copy of the SMAA Rules & Guidelines pertaining to my project and agree to abide by them.

\_\_\_\_\_  
4-H Member Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

I, the parent of the above 4-H member hereby guarantee performance of the above agreement

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

I \_\_\_\_\_ the Leader of the \_\_\_\_\_ 4-H club

Agree to supervise and inspect the above member's project and performance and to report any violations to the Oceana County 4-H Small Market Animal Committee immediately.

\_\_\_\_\_  
4-H Leader Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date