



20th Annual Show
October 7th 2017
McLean Interstate Center
Bloomington, IL



Central Illinois Poultry Club

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Judges:

Jamie Carson	(New Brunswick)	Call Ducks
Brian Knox	(New Hampshire)	
Jeff Halbach	(Wisconsin)	
Clell Agler	(Ohio)	Jr. Show
Bob Gilbert	(Illinois)	Jr. Showmanship

Show Schedule: Birds will be received on Friday, October 6th between 3:00 P.M. and 9:00 P.M. The show room will be open at 6:00 A.M. on Saturday and the birds **must be cooped by 8:30 A.M.** Judging will begin at 9:00 A.M.

Show Rules

1. There will be classes for all varieties of Standard Poultry, Bantams, Geese, Ducks, and Pigeons, (**Land fowl - Turkeys, and Guineas.**) Cock, Hen, (**Cockerel, and Pullet under 1 year old.**)
2. **Pigeon's Young birds only** must be equipped with a seamless band indicating **2017**.
3. Central Illinois Poultry Club membership is not required to exhibit; however we would welcome your membership. (Dues are \$10.00 for family or \$5.00 for individual membership)
4. **Entries should be sent by Sept. 28th 2017. Mail all entries to Heath Gerdes P.O. Box 51 Benson, IL. 61516 Make all checks payable to Central Illinois Poultry Club. Entry fees must accompany Entry Form. (No refunds)**
5. Birds should be banded for owner protection. The Show Management will not be responsible for any loss or accident. The best care will be given to all.
6. **Entry fee is \$3.50 per bird for the open show and the junior show.**
7. (**Juniors must be under the age of 18**) Junior show entries will compete in the junior show only. Junior exhibitors will also have the right to enter birds in the open show if they wish to. (**If a junior exhibitor wishes to enter any birds in the open show they must distinguish which birds that are to be entered in the open show on their entry form.**) **The same bird cannot compete in both the open show, and the junior show.** Birds will be judged through 5th place, in both the open & junior show.
8. **The show superintendent or any club member of the Central IL. Poultry Club will have the right to handle the birds in the show. (Generally only for moving to Champion row, or removal of sick birds.)**
9. Birds showing evidence of disease will be removed from competition by show officials.
10. Advertising will not be permitted on coops until the judging is completed.
11. Feed, water, and bedding will be furnished. Exhibitors take care of their own birds. Exhibitors will not handle any exhibitor's bird without their permission.
12. The Central Illinois Poultry Club reserves the right to refuse any entry. The exhibition in all respects will be under the control of the Board of Directors, governed by the rules and regulations of the American Poultry Association. This show is APA and ABA sanctioned.

13. No exhibitor is allowed in the aisles, and no talking to the Judge is allowed during judging.
14. **There will be a concession stand available for Breakfast, and Lunch opening at 7:30 A.M.**
15. Birds will be released after the judging is completed, and after the awards ceremony.
16. **The club will be holding a raffle: Any donated items would greatly be appreciated. Must be present during drawing.** Drawing will be held at 1:00 P.M.
17. Sale coops available for \$3.50 per hole. Maximum of 4 birds per cage.
18. Outside selling fee added this year. If you are selling outside please send payment along with your entry fees. Thank you!
19. Accepting old or young trios and displays this year.
20. Bantam or Large fowl displays consist of seven birds: Trio, Cock, Hen, Cockerel, Pullet
21. Waterfowl display consist of seven birds: 1 young male, 1 young female, 1 old male, 1 old female, and the other three birds can be whichever you choose, waterfowl displays do not require you to have a trio.
22. Count trios as 3 entries, and displays as 7 entries at \$3.50 per entry.
23. The state of Illinois requires all poultry be pullorum tested or originate from a NPIP flock. You should have them tested before bringing them to the show. Please bring a copy of your testing paperwork or mail them along with your entries, Thank You!
24. Accommodations for campers are available on grounds. Call (309) 826-8055 to reserve a spot.

Youth Exhibition Poultry Association (Y.E.P.A. Sanctioned)
www.youexhibitonpoultry.org
Showmanship Contest!

Awards given 1st, 2nd, and 3rd in each age group.

Please wear appropriate attire!

Collared shirt, tucked in at the waist, closed toed shoes & White Lab Coat (Not Mandatory)

Open to any Junior Exhibitor:

Judged Ages: Novice – 8 & Up (Never done showmanship before.)

Pre-Junior Showmanship – (Ages 5-7)

Junior Sportsmanship – (Ages 8-10)

Intermediate – (Ages 11-13)

Senior Sportsmanship – (Ages 14 & Up)

Please indicate on entry if you will be participating. There is no charge.

Hotel Information:

Fairfield Inn & Suites by Marriott

1014 Wylie Drive, Bloomington IL. 61705 / Phone: 1-309-827-8000

Room Rates: \$79.00

Must Reserve by September 29th 2017 to get these rates!

Holiday Inn Express: 309-893-4184

Hawthorn Suites by Wyndham: 309-829-8111

Hampton Inn Bloomington West: 309-829-3700

Awards given by CLUB

There will be awards for all Class Champions, and Reserve Class Champions, For both the Open Show, and the Junior Show.

**There will be trophies or plaques awarded for Champion Standard, Champion Bantam, Champion Goose, Champion Duck, Champion Waterfowl, Champion Pigeon
Reserve Champion Standard, Reserve Champion Bantam, Reserve Champion Pigeon
Reserve Champion Goose, Reserve Champion Duck, Reserve Champion Waterfowl
Best of Show, and Reserve Best of Show, (for both the Open Show and the Junior Show.)**

**Champion Bantam of Show: \$50.00
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Champion Large Fowl of Show: \$50.00
Reserve Large Fowl: \$25.00
Champion Waterfowl: \$50.00
Reserve Waterfowl: \$25.00
Best of Breed Call Duck \$125
Reserve of Breed Call Duck \$75
Best Display Call Ducks \$50
Best Langshan of Show \$50
Best Large Fowl Langshan of Show \$25
Best Bantam Langshan of Show \$25**

Personal awards given will be posted on our website as they become available!

**We would also like to thank the donors that wish to stay unanimous
We appreciate their donations very much**

Any donations to help our club survive in the future would be greatly appreciated. Thank you for participating in our show.

In memory of **Steve Gerdes** one of our clubs founding members, the Central Illinois Poultry Club will Sponsor the Steve Gerdes Memorial Plaque to be given to the **Champion Waterfowl of the Show**. The plaque will stay with the club and be displayed at the show.

In memory of **Gene Springer** one of our clubs founding members, the Central Illinois Poultry Club will Sponsor the Eugene Springer Memorial Plaque to be given to the **Super Grand Champion of the Show**. The plaque will stay with the club and be displayed at the show.

In memory of **John Summer** one our clubs founding members, the Central Illinois Poultry Club will sponsor the John Summer Memorial Traveling Trophy given to the **Champion Wyandotte Bantam**. Anyone winning this trophy three consecutive years in a row automatically wins the trophy.

Any other awards will be posted on the day of the show.

Visit our website for a list of District Meets, State Meets, and Special Meets

Final Notes:

- Please consider eating with us during the show, our menu will be available on our site, thank you!
- Look to our website for up to date Meets as changes may continue the closer we get to the show.
- Anyone wanting to donate a trio of birds for the live bird silent auction please contact Kurt Gerdes. These birds should be of quality in which you might like to represent yourself and your specific breed of bird, Thank You!

Visit Our Website for Up to Date Info

www.centralillinoispoultryshow.com