## **LLAMA AND ALPACA**

**General Livestock Information**: See page 13 for more information

**Manual Information**: See page 11 for more information.

Mini 4-H - Refer to Mini 4-H rules on page 14.

**Animal Enrollment Deadline**: ALL animals MUST be identified in FairEntry by May 15<sup>th</sup>. See page 13 for more information.

**Quality Livestock Assurance:** In order to show an animal, 4-H members must be certified through Quality Assurance Training. Please See page 15 for more information.

**Animal Education Posters:** See Animal Education page 45. **ALL POSTERS** need to be turned in on check-in day for the exhibit buildings. **DO NOT** turn any posters in at animal check ins.

## Llama and Alpaca Exhibition General Rules

- 1. All exhibitors, parents, and spectators will behave positively. They will be expected to conduct themselves in a manner to set a good example for other 4-H exhibitors and other spectators at the show. Impolite behavior, poor sportsmanship, disruptive actions, may cause disqualification and/or cause for personal removal from the grounds.
- 2. To exhibit at the Dubois County 4-H Fair, a 4-H'er must complete and turn in an Indiana 4-H Llama and Alpaca Ownership, Enrollment and Entry Form by May 15 via 4-H Online. (Unlimited number of animals may be enrolled)
  - a. Use Google Chrome to access 4-H Online and any pictures uploaded need to be in jpeg format.
- 3. Any animal exhibited must be shown and owned by the contestant, or owned in partnership with the contestant's father, mother, brother, sister, grandparent, or legal guardian. Exception: Leased animals may be shown subject to approval of the extension educator in charge in the county from which the entry is submitted. Leasing is considered the equivalent of ownership of a 4-H project animal. The 4-H'er should be regularly involved in the care of the llama and alpaca regardless of where stabled and the 4-H'er should have exclusive show use of the animal during the 4-H lease period. Any animal, whether owned or leased by the exhibitor, must be on display at the fairgrounds DURING THE ENTIRE FAIR WEEK.
- 4. Exhibition Llama and Alpacas will be exhibition only until there are five to make a class. Potential classes could include showmanship and obstacles in hand.
- 5. 4-H Council Livestock Committee this group is the decision makers, review suggestions from species committees, review concerns and grievances from livestock individuals, set livestock dates, oversee, and enforce rules, and procedures of the livestock program.