

YOUTH CONVENTION

Rockingham County Fairgrounds
April 26, 2007

INSTRUCTION SHEET

1. POULTRY CARNIVAL:

The poultry carnival is an educational/fun activity, which will divide the groups into teams for the completion of educational events. Prizes will be awarded. All who have participated in the past enjoys this activity.

This event will be offered to those students attending this year's youth convention who will be completing at the Junior level.

2. JOB SHADOW ACTIVITY:

When registering your student for this activity please select an area for each student to participate. After lunch, students will divide into the selected groups and attend workshops in the particular field chosen.

Job Shadow categories have been structured to give participating youth a more concise hands-on experience of industry job opportunities.

The Job Shadow activity will be limited to students at the Senior level.

Due to strict biosecurity measures, no live production areas will be available this year.

3. Please keep a copy of each of your registration forms and bring that copy with you on the day of the Convention.
4. Please mail your registration forms to: Curtis Novak
Virginia Tech
Animal & Poultry Sciences Dept.
3300 Litton Reaves Hall (0306)
Blacksburg, VA 24061
5. If you have any questions please call Curtis Novak at 540-231-5087/cnovak@vt.edu
6. **DEADLINE FOR RETURNING REGISTRATION FORMS IS MARCH 26, 2007.**

**2007 Virginia Poultry Federation Youth Convention
Afternoon Activities Registration - Due by March 26, 2007**

This form must accompany your judging registration even if you do not plan to participate. This is to help us make the necessary plans to make the afternoon program a success.

Lunch registration

Number of individuals planning to attend lunch _____

Poultry Carnival registration

Number of youth up through 7th grade who plan to participate in the Poultry Carnival _____ (list names below)

Job Shadow registration

Please be as accurate as possible in how many youth plan to attend each area so we can make plans to accommodate everyone registered.

a. Chicken Processing Plant

-Students will visit and tour a chicken processing facility. Students will follow the process from live birds to whole carcasses and cut-up parts.

b. Turkey Processing Plant

-Students will visit and tour a turkey processing facility. Students will follow the process from live birds to whole carcasses and cut-up parts.

c. Feed Mill

-Students will visit and tour a poultry feed mill facility. Students will learn how poultry diets are formulated and see the process of feed preparation from whole ingredients to final product.

d. Necropsy

- Students will examine and explore avian anatomy. Students will be able to dissect broilers and laying birds with a veterinarian or serviceman.

e. Embryology

- Students will examine the developmental process of the egg. Students will be able see all of the developmental stages of the live chick (from days 1-21)

f. Other areas

- Other interests that are not listed here are welcome. If you have a great idea for this year or the next, let us know.

Please **PRINT** the name of participants in the job shadow or poultry carnival. Use the indicated letters above for each event, i.e. "c. for Feed Mill" You may use "PC" for Poultry Carnival.

| <u>Event</u> | <u>Name</u> | <u>Event</u> | <u>Name</u> |
|--------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|
| 1. _____ | _____ | 2. _____ | _____ |
| 3. _____ | _____ | 4. _____ | _____ |
| 5. _____ | _____ | 6. _____ | _____ |
| 7. _____ | _____ | 8. _____ | _____ |
| 9. _____ | _____ | 10. _____ | _____ |

Contact Person: _____

COACHES, If you are able to provide transportation for Job Shadow please circle yes

Van available? YES or NO

If YES, How many can you transport? _____

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Contest Day Check-In Sheet

Please fill out a separate sheet for each team attending

Please send in with registration by March 26, 2007 so we can make number assignments to each contestant

And

Bring to registration table to check-in team NO LATER THAN 8:30 am on April 26, 2007. Team cannot be checked in without this check-in sheet.

Team Name: _____

Division Entered (check one)

Division 1 – Intermediate 4-H

Division II – Senior 4-H

Division III – Junior FFA

Division IV – Senior FFA

Name and home address of each team member or independent individual:

Name: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Address: _____

Social Security #: _____

Social Security #: _____

Name: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Address: _____

Social Security #: _____

Social Security #: _____

Coach's Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ and Email: _____