

## 2020 Kansas Livestock Nomination Checklists:

I have a **market steer or market heifer** to nominate, what do I need to turn in?

- Completed Household **Declaration Form**, including all sections and signatures.
  - Make sure if you answered “No” for the housing question, you fully complete Section 2, including a description of how you will care for animals not housed at your primary residence.
- YQCA certificate** (attach to completed Declaration Form for each exhibitor in family).
- Animal is tagged by May 1** with a Kansas 4-H Electronic Identification (EID) tag.
- Completed **Market Beef Nomination Form** ([www.YouthLivestock.KSU.edu](http://www.YouthLivestock.KSU.edu)) including all contact information, signatures, tag numbers, and breeds. Make sure 4-H tag numbers on the form match those on the DNA envelopes.
- Completed official, sealed **DNA Hair Sample Envelope**; hair must be pulled, not cut. Obtain at least 40 follicles. All exhibitors within the family and a parent/guardian must sign the front of the DNA envelope. *It is also suggested families write the breed & secondary ID of each animal in the lower right corner on the front of the DNA envelope.*
- \$8.00 per animal **nomination fee**. Make checks payable to KJLS.
- All of the above must be completed and **postmarked by May 1**. Certified Mail highly encouraged.

I have a heifer that I would like to nominate as *both* a **commercial heifer AND a market heifer**, what do I need to turn in?

*\*No market heifer division at KJLS*

- Completed Household **Declaration Form**, including all sections and signatures.
  - Make sure if you answered “No” for the housing question, you fully complete Section 2, including a description of how you will care for animals not housed at your primary residence.
- YQCA Certificate** (attach to completed Declaration Form for each exhibitor in family).
- Animal is tagged by May 1** with a Kansas 4-H Electronic Identification (EID) tag.
- Completed **Market Beef Nomination form AND Commercial Heifer Nomination Form** ([www.YouthLivestock.KSU.edu](http://www.YouthLivestock.KSU.edu)) including all contact information, signatures, date of birth (MM/DD/YYYY), and tag numbers. Make sure 4-H tag numbers listed on the form match DNA envelopes.
- Completed official, sealed **DNA Hair Sample Envelope**; hair must be pulled, not cut. Obtain at least 40 follicles. All exhibitors within a family and a parent/ guardian must sign the front of the DNA envelope.
- \$8.00 per animal **nomination fee**. Make checks payable to KJLS.
- All of the above must be completed and **postmarked by May 1** for no additional nomination fee.
- If commercial heifer information is submitted separately by **June 15**, will incur one additional \$8.00 nomination fee. Certified Mail highly encouraged.

I have a **commercial heifer** to nominate, what do I need to turn in?

- Completed Household **Declaration Form**, including all sections and signatures.
  - Make sure if you answered “No” for the housing question, you fully complete Section 2, including a description of how you will care for animals not housed at your primary residence.
- YQCA Certificate** (attach to completed Declaration Form for each exhibitor in family).
- Animal is tagged by June 15** with a Kansas 4-H Electronic Identification (EID) tag.
- Completed **Commercial Heifer Nomination Form** ([www.YouthLivestock.KSU.edu](http://www.YouthLivestock.KSU.edu)) including all contact information, signatures, tag number, and date of birth (MM/DD/YYYY). Make sure 4-H tag number on form matches DNA envelope.
- Completed official, sealed **DNA Hair Sample Envelope**; hair must be pulled, not cut. Obtain at least 40 follicles. All exhibitors within a family and a parent/guardian must sign the front of the DNA envelope.
- \$8.00 per animal **nomination fee**. Make checks payable to KJLS.
- All of the above must be completed and **postmarked by June 15**. Certified Mail highly encouraged.

I have a **market hog or commercial breeding gilt** to nominate, what do I need to turn in?

- Completed Household **Declaration Form**, including all sections and signatures.
  - Make sure if you answered “No” for the housing question, you fully complete Section 2, including a description of how you will care for animals not housed at your primary residence.
- YQCA Certificate** or copy of YPQA+ card (attach to completed Declaration Form for each exhibitor in family).
- Animal is tagged by June 15** with a Kansas 4-H Electronic Identification (EID) tag.
- Completed **Swine Nomination Form** ([www.YouthLivestock.KSU.edu](http://www.YouthLivestock.KSU.edu)) including all contact information, signatures, tag numbers, genders, breeds, and ear notches. Include ear notch number *AND* draw ear notches in the space provided (on diagram) exactly as they appear in the pig’s ears. See Rookie Guide for further instructions on reading ear notches. Make sure 4-H tag numbers on form match DNA envelopes.
- Completed official, sealed **DNA Hair Sample Envelope**; hair must be pulled, not cut. Obtain at least 40 follicles. All exhibitors within a family and a parent/guardian must sign the front of the DNA envelope. *It is also suggested families write the breed and ear notch of each pig in the lower right corner of their DNA envelopes.*
- \$8.00 per animal **nomination fee**. Make checks payable to KJLS.
- All of the above must be completed and **postmarked by June 15**. Certified Mail highly encouraged.

I have a **meat goat (ALL wethers and does)** to nominate, what do I need to turn in?

- Completed Household **Declaration Form**, including all sections and signatures.
  - Make sure if you answered “No” for the housing question, you fully complete Section 2, including a description of how you will care for animals not housed at your primary residence.
- YQCA Certificate** (attach to completed Declaration Form for each exhibitor in family).
- Animal is tagged by June 15** with a Kansas 4-H Electronic Identification (EID) tag.
- \*ALL Meat Goats MUST be nominated**. No registered breeding classes are offered by either show, so ALL market goats, commercial does, and registered does must be nominated to be eligible to show.
- Completed **Meat Goat Nomination Form** ([www.YouthLivestock.KSU.edu](http://www.YouthLivestock.KSU.edu)) and all contact information, signatures, tag numbers, and scrapie tag numbers. Include scrapie tag number in its entirety (Flock ID/Premise ID & individual animal number – example: KSS0035 16121). See Rookie Guide for further instructions on reading scrapie tag #s. Make sure 4-H tag numbers on form match DNA envelopes.
- Completed official, sealed **DNA Hair Sample Envelope**; hair must be pulled, not cut. Obtain at least 40 follicles. All exhibitors within a family and a parent/guardian must sign the front of the DNA envelope. *It is also suggested families write the scrapie tag # of each goat in the lower right corner of their DNA envelopes.*
- \$8.00 per animal **nomination fee**. Make checks payable to KJLS.
- All of the above must be completed and **postmarked by June 15**. Certified Mail highly encouraged.

I have a **market lamb or commercial ewe** to nominate, what do I need to turn in?

- Completed Household **Declaration Form**, including all sections and signatures.
  - Make sure if you answered “No” for the housing question, you fully complete Section 2, including a description of how you will care for animals not housed at your primary residence.
- YQCA Certificate** (attach to completed Declaration Form for each exhibitor in family).
- Animal is tagged by June 15** with a Kansas 4-H Electronic Identification (EID) tag.
- Completed **Market Lamb Nomination form** ([www.YouthLivestock.KSU.edu](http://www.YouthLivestock.KSU.edu)) including all contact information, signatures, tag numbers, breeds, and scrapie tag numbers. Include scrapie tag number in its entirety (Flock ID/Premise ID and individual animal number – example: KSS0035 16121). See Rookie Guide for further instructions on reading scrapie tag #s. Make sure 4-H tag numbers on form match DNA envelopes.
- Completed official, sealed **DNA Hair Sample Envelope**; hair must be pulled, not cut. Obtain at least 40 follicles. All exhibitors within a family and a parent/guardian must sign the front of the DNA envelope. *It is also suggested that families write the breed and scrapie tag # of each lamb on the lower right corner of their DNA envelopes.*
- \$8.00 per animal **nomination fee**. Make checks payable to KJLS.
- All of the above must be completed and **postmarked by June 15**. Certified Mail is highly encouraged.

I have a **registered breeding heifer, registered breeding ewe, or pedigreed/purebred breeding gilt**, what do I need to turn in?

- Heifers** and **gilt**s must be registered in exhibitor's name no later than **June 15** of the current year.
- Ewes** must be registered in exhibitor's name no later than **July 1** of the current year.
- YQCA certification is required** for all exhibitors, including those only showing registered breeding females. Youth certification verification will be submitted as part of the online entry process for each show in which the exhibitor officially enters and plans to participate. Training needs to be complete by June 15.
- Registered Heifers must be identified with a permanent tattoo corresponding with registration papers.
- Registered Does **MUST** be nominated to be eligible to show; see market meat goat checklist for requirements.
- No nomination materials are required for Registered Heifers, Registered Breeding Ewes, and Pedigreed/Purebred Breeding gilts.
- Registered Heifers, Registered Breeding Ewes, and Pedigreed/Purebred Breeding gilts **do not** need to submit DNA hair samples.
- Pedigreed/Purebred Breeding Gilts need to be tagged with a Kansas 4-H EID tag to exhibit at KJLS.

**Mail all Kansas youth livestock nomination materials to:**

**Kansas State University  
Department of Animal Sciences & Industry  
State 4-H/FFA Shows  
Attn: Lexie Hayes, Youth Livestock Coordinator  
214 Weber Hall  
1424 Claflin Road  
Manhattan, KS 66506**

