

Attention Yakima Valley Fair & Rodeo Exhibitors:

The following is a clarification of the health regulations listed in the premium book for the 2011 Fair.

Please fully examine your animals prior to entering the fairgrounds. The following clinical signs may be an indication of a health condition that may prevent your animal from being exhibited.

- abscesses or other swellings
- diarrhea
- poor body condition
- lameness
- nasal or ocular discharge (abundant or cloudy)
- ear discharge
- coughing, sneezing, or increased respiratory effort
- signs of internal parasites (very thin, pale gums, poor coat)
- signs of external parasites (dry flaky skin, scabs, hair loss)
- open wounds
- wool rot or rain rot
- ulcerative lesions around the mouth, eyes, nose or other mucus membranes

Animals with any of these conditions will be evaluated, and at the discretion of the veterinarian, may be asked to leave the fairgrounds. We look forward to a healthy, fun fair for all the animals and exhibitors!

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