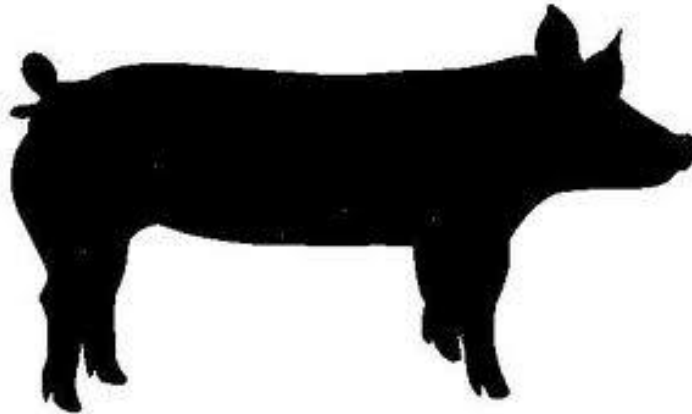


# Eastern Michigan Fair

## 4-H Market Swine Record Book

For ages 8-12



Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of 4-H Club: \_\_\_\_\_ Years in the Swine Project \_\_\_\_\_

Years in 4-H \_\_\_\_\_ Animal's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Project Leader's Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Record Started \_\_\_\_\_ Record Closed \_\_\_\_\_

Month/Day/Year

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- ❖ By keeping records up-to-date you will be able to see how much progress you have made toward the goals you set and how your work to accomplish them has paid off.
- ❖ Write neatly and clearly.
- ❖ ***Pictures are a required part of this Record Book.*** Taking pictures of you and your swine together at the beginning and the end of your project is a great way to see how your animal grew.
- ❖ Remember, pictures are more fun and interesting when you are in the picture. Feel free to add pictures to your records on a separate piece of paper or purchase a hard covered binder to keep your books and extra pictures in.
- ❖ You may get additional information on swine from the following sources; *Your 4-H Market Hog Project, 4-H Skills for Life Swine Series, Swine Learning Lab Kit.* All are available from your MSU Extension Office.

### *Project Information*

The start of your project will be the day you placed your swine on feed. Homegrown will use April 15  
 The end of the project will be the day of weigh in at fair

Project Start Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Project End Date: \_\_\_\_\_

What month were your pigs born? \_\_\_\_\_

Please fill in the following information about your swine:

Ear Tag Number	Sex	Date of Purchase	Breed	Sold/Kept/Died	Purchase Price
					\$
					\$
					\$
					\$
					\$

Total spent on purchase of project animals: \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

### *Monthly Feed Record*

Month	Type of feed used-What was the main ingredient?	Pounds of feed used.	Cost of Feed used.
April			
May			
June			
July			

Total cost of feed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

### *Expenses Other Than Feed*

Items	Before April	April	May	June	July
Veterinary Fees					
Bedding					
Fair Fees					
Other Expenses					
Monthly Totals					

\*Other expenses could include housing, show supplies, trucking, etc.

Total expenses other than feed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

### *Financial Summary*

Income and Sale Price at Close of Record

***Income***

Month of the Fair	Weight of Animal at Fair	Price per Pound at Auction* or Private Sale	Total Value animal's weight X price per pound
		\$ .	\$ .
		\$ .	\$ .

\* Based on average price at last year's auction. Average price was \$\_\_\_\_\_.

***Expenses***

Purchase price or value of swine at start of record.....\$\_\_\_\_\_.

Feed Cost.....(see page 2).....\$\_\_\_\_\_.

Other Expenses.....(see page 2).....\$\_\_\_\_\_.

Total Expenses.+. \$\_\_\_\_\_ total #1

Total Income (what you will sell your swine for).....\$\_\_\_\_\_.

Total Expenses.....(minus) - \$\_\_\_\_\_ (total #1 goes here)

Total Net Profit (Loss) \$\_\_\_\_\_.

***Medication Records***

Date	Medication	Reason	Dosage	Withdrawal Time

Medications include but are not limited to medicated feeds, wormers, topical applications, vaccines, and antibiotics.

**Just a few questions to answer!**

I enrolled in this project because I wanted to learn: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

I trained and prepared my swine for showing by \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

I kept my swine healthy by: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Just for fun!**

My pig's name is: \_\_\_\_\_

My pig's markings are: \_\_\_\_\_

My pig's breed is: \_\_\_\_\_

My favorite part about raising a pig was: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Taking pictures of your swine at the beginning and at the end of your project will show you how much your swine has grown and developed.

Paste photo here

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Beginning picture (April)

Ending picture (July)

Take pictures and paste them below or draw a picture of you and your pig.

