YOUTH EXHIBITION POULTRY ASSOCIATION

SHOWMANSHIP POINTS PROGRAM

"Judge Certification"



Once you have reached the age of 16, have participated in the Senior Class in showmanship competitions, earned 30 points and have completed "all" of your ACE record books (Coop Tender, Flock Tender, Flock Master) club members only are eligible to request permission to take the test to receive this certification. The record books are mandatory and you must be entering and working on the Poultry Master Program. This certification will verify you have studied and are qualified to judge the Pre-Junior (4-7 year olds), Junior (8-10 year old) and Intermediate showmanship classes.

Disclaimer: Certified Showmanship Judges are not qualified to judge the senior competitions. This senior age group (ages 14-18) is the class you can still participate in the competitions. Following your 18th birthday you will then be qualified to judge senior class as you can no longer participate in the youth exhibitions at most shows.

The test will be a written, open book test utilizing the APA Standard of Perfection and the ABA Bantam Standard. You must request in writing to the main YEPA office your desire to take the test for certification.

Our Showmanship Committee consists of two poultry judges and the national director of YEPA. Once the test is completed it will be scored by these three members.

Mr. Paul Gilroy, APA Licensed Judge, Ms. Linda Blackman, ABA Licensed Judge, Ms. Doris Robinson, National Director YEPA.

Mail your request to: YEPA Showmanship Committee

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