# Shaffer Goldrush 2025 Customer Appreciation Sale

## Show/Sale Requirements and Information

- 1. All pigs MUST be sired by boars in stud at Shaffer Goldrush.
- 2. It is recommended that all pigs weigh greater than forty (40) pounds. We prefer that pigs are born between *Dec. 1, 2024 and Jan. 20, 2025*. This is the age most buyers are looking for at the sale.
- 3. There is a maximum of 4 pigs per farm/individual.
- 4. We will run 2 rings for the sift; each with their own sifter. Gilts will all run through one ring, all males will run through the other ring. The sift will be in alphabetical order by breed.
- 5. We suggest that pigs be clipped and have good skin and hair condition.
- 6. All pigs must have standard ear notches.
- Classes will be divided by breed and sex. There will be 12 divisions: Berkshire, Chester, Duroc, Hampshire, Hereford, Landrace, Poland, Spot, Tamworth, Yorkshire, Dark Crossbred, and Light Crossbred. Each breed will show by sex (boars and barrows are together). \*Note –Both the Champion Light Cross & Champion Dark Cross will compete for the Champion Overall Title.
- 8. A Health Paper must accompany each pig. See the Health Regulation Requirements and Health Papers section for all of the requirements.
- 9. The sifters will sift entries to obtain a total between 175 200 pigs overall for the sale; so bring your best! Entries not making the sale will be the responsibility of the owner and they may be sold in the back from your pens.
- 10. Each pig will be given a TAG at check in that we will use as the pig's lot number for identification during the sift and sale. This is in addition to their 840 tag for health papers. \*Remember all pigs must be properly tagged before entering the fairgrounds to meet health requirements as well.
- 11. You must provide your own bedding. Shavings will be the only bedding allowed. There will be limited amount of shavings will be for sale, please let us know if you are planning on buying shavings so we can make sure there is enough.
- 12. It is the responsibility of the breeder to make sure purebred papers get transferred to the buyer of pigs in a timely manner. We request that all transfers occur within **30 days** of receiving the buyer information. This is to uphold the integrity of the sale. Failure to transfer pigs in a timely fashion can lead to penalties in future sales. *We suggest that you bring the registration papers with you, fill them out and give them directly to the buyer*.
- 13. Penning will be on a first come basis. We ask that you put 2 pigs per pen. If you bring 1 to 2 pigs we request you take 1 pen and with 3 to 4 pigs 2 pens. There should be plenty of space around the perimeter of the barn for tack.
- 14. All consigners who have their entries in by February 28<sup>th</sup>, will be promoted on the Goldrush website! We will list your name, location, and what entries you are bringing. If you know what breeds you are bringing or potentially bringing, let us know and we will add that information to the website as well.
- 15. Entry Fee and Commissions The entry fee is \$25 per head and must be postmarked by February 28, 2024. FEES MUST ACCOMPANY ENTRY FORM. Late entry fees will be accepted after this date at \$50 per head if space allows.

### 16. All entry fees are non-refundable.

- 17. A commission fee of 10% will be charged on all pigs sold through the sale. Proceeds from the sale will be mailed to the seller within 30 days of the sale date. *In case of insufficient funds and/or nonpayment by the buyer, settlement with the seller will be delayed until collection is secured.*
- 18. Concessions will be available.
- 19. **Prizes** Cash awards and banners will be given for all breed champions. Additional money will be given to the Grand and Reserve Grand Champion Male and Female Overall.
- 20. Shaffer Goldrush is not responsible for any accidents, injuries, theft, or property damage that may occur during the Customer Appreciation Sale or any other event.

#### Health Regulation Requirements and Health Papers

An official interstate health certificate of veterinary inspection from state of origin and issued by a licensed accredited veterinarian must accompany each animal. All animals may be listed on one health certificate. **Please have 1 copy for each pig entered in the sale along with the original at check-in**.

- Each certificate must show: Name, address, phone number and Premise ID of consignor and be consigned to <u>2025 Shaffer Goldrush Customer Appreciation Sale, Wayne Co. Fairgrounds, Richmond,</u>
- <u>Indiana</u>.
  Individual identification of each animal is required. All PIGS (both crossbred & purebred) must have a federally recognized, permanently numbered ear tag (ex. 840 tag).
- 3. Digital certificate of veterinary inspection (CVI): If your vet writes a digital CVI for your pigs consigned in the sale, the pre-entry permit requirement is waived by BOAH (you do not need a permit number). Please print and bring copies of this to the sale. *Traditional Paper CVI:* Swine that are accompanied by traditional paper CVIs **must** still have a pre-entry permit issued by BOAH. Out of State Exhibitors will need to have their vet call the Indiana Department of Animal Health at 317-544-2381 and ask for Barb Pierle to obtain this permit number.
- 4. Since all states are Stage 5 of Pseudorabies (PRV) eradication program, no testing is required for this sift and sale. If the animals come from a Pseudorabies qualified herd and from a Brucellosis validated herd, it is required that these numbers and the last test dates appear on the health certificate.
- 5. It is strongly suggested that all pigs be vaccinated for Mycoplasma, Erysipelas, Swine Influenza, and Circo Virus. Contact your local vet for these vaccinations.
- 6. All health certificates **MUST carry this updated statement**: Farm or origin of swine has not had any signs or diagnosis of PEDv within the past 30 days, herd is not under quarantine for any disease condition, fed no raw garbage, and uses no PRV vaccine.
- 7. Address any health paper questions to: **4 Star/Stoney Creek Veterinary Services, Dr. Daniel Hendrickson**, the official show veterinarian, at **765-468-6099**. The office staff can help you.

#### Address to Fairgrounds:

861 Salisbury Road North Richmond, IN 47374

**DIRECTIONS**: Take Exit 149B off of Interstate 70 at Richmond, Indiana. Go North on U.S. 35 for ½ mile, turn Southwest onto Salisbury Rd. Travel 2 miles – Wayne County Fairgrounds is on the left.

#### **Hotels in Richmond:**

Best Western – 765-939-9500 - Comfort Inn 765-935-4766, Hampton Inn 765-966-5200, Fairfield Inn 937-437-8009, Holiday Inn 765-488-1975, Home2 Suites by Hilton 765-277-2750

QUESTIONS CALL: 765-789-8349 – Ask for Aimee or Terry. You can also check out our website for more info at www.shaffergoldrush.com or email shaffer@shaffergoldrush.com.