



**Laurens County 4-H**

# Market Swine Project

The Laurens County 4-H Market Swine Project allows 4-H'ers to learn about swine production. Participants will learn about proper feeding, care, housing, swine anatomy, proper fitting and showing techniques and learn about pork cuts.

For more information, contact Katie Shaw, Laurens County 4-H Agent,  
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## **When & Where:**

### **~ Project Kick Off ~**

**December 5 – 9, 2016**

(Once all registrations have been received a final date will be set within that week by the supplier.)

Weight & Tagging-Noon- Until  
Raffle for Pigs-No Earlier than 2 PM  
Laurens County Fairgrounds

### **~ Swine Clinic ~**

February 25, 2017 10:00 AM

### **~ Final Show ~**

March 25, 2017

Weigh In 9:00 – 10:00 AM

Show 10:00 AM

Location to be determined  
at a later date

**Cost:** \$80 per pig

## **Registration:**

Please mail or deliver the  
registration form and fee to the  
Laurens County Extension Office  
by November 14, 2016.

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## Registration Form



4-H'ers Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Club Name or FFA Chapter: \_\_\_\_\_

Age as of Jan. 1, 2017: \_\_\_\_\_

Please read and review the project requirements below:

- Must be a 4-H member (For information in joining 4-H, please contact your local Clemson Extension Office.)
- Registration and payment for project participation is due November 14, 2016.
- Pigs require proper housing:
  - Provide warm, dry bedding in a shelter
  - Outdoor pens are fine as long as they include shelter
  - Minimum pen size is 10 ft. X 10 ft. per pig
- Participants must take proper care of their project animal to ensure healthy growth and a pleasant life.
- Free choice water must be provided at all times.
- We encourage participants to have their pigs processed at the end of the project for home use or we can offer your pig for sale at the conclusion of the project. Advanced notice of sale intention is required.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, agree to the responsibility of a market swine project. I understand the requirements and needs necessary for my animal to maintain a healthy and safe life. I also understand that it is my responsibility to sell, butcher or maintain my pig at the end of the project.

**Please mail or deliver this form with check or money order  
written payable to Clemson University by November 1, 2016 to:**

Laurens County 4-H  
219 W. Laurens Street  
Laurens, SC 29360