



2008
EAR TAGGING LOCATIONS & DATES
Revised as of 2/08

Per the 2008 State Rules for California Fairs, all exhibitors (including Independent Juniors) must own their project animals for 120 consecutive days for Market Beef and for 60 consecutive days for Market Swine, Sheep and Goats.

To help ensure that animal ownership requirements are being met, all market animal exhibitors competing at the Tulare County Fair in September are required to have their animal(s) ear tagged and entry forms completed on one of the following dates. There is no limit on the number of animals tagged by an exhibitor, however, exhibitors may only bring two (2) and sell one (1) market animal at the Tulare County Fair. Please note, due to the Swine circovirus, the Tulare County Fair will not be responsible for tagging any swine. It is the exhibitors responsibility! If you have any questions regarding the tagging process, please feel free to call the fair office at 686-4707.

At the time of tagging, the following is required:

- animal(s) being tagged (exhibitor does not have to be present)
- completed entry form (**including all signatures**)
- entry fee(s)
- bill of sale or bred and owned statement available for inspection
- scrapie tags (sheep and goats)

BEEF TAGGING will be available on the following dates:

Saturday, March 8 & Sunday, March 9	<u>Great Western Livestock Show</u> check in at the Livestock Office
Saturday, May 10	<u>Tulare County Fairgrounds</u> - 9am – 11am Livestock Area, Beef Scale Contact Day of Tagging: Allison, 469-6675
Tuesday, May 13	<u>Porterville Fairgrounds</u> - 5pm – 6pm 300 E. Olive Ave., Porterville Contact Day of Tagging: Diane Ennis, 359-3203

SHEEP & MARKET GOATS will be available on the following dates:

Saturday, June 28	<u>Porterville Fairgrounds</u> - 9am – 11am 300 E. Olive Ave., Porterville contact day of tagging: Diane Ennis, 359-3203
Monday, July 7	<u>Woodlake School Farm</u> - 6pm – 8pm 36220 Millwood Dr., Woodlake Contact Day of Tagging: Mike Schilperoort, (209) 996-2176
Tuesday, July 8	<u>Visalia School Farm</u> - 9am – 11am Corner of Noble and McAuliff Contact Day of Tagging: Allison, 686-4707
Saturday, July 12	<u>Tulare County Fairgrounds</u> - 9am – 11am Outdoor Arena