

2020 Summit County Fair Jr. Fair Swine Exhibitors

Paylean (Ractopamine) Ban

The Summit County Agriculture Society has decided to ban the use of the feed additive Ractopamine commonly known as Paylean from use in hogs exhibited at the 2020 Summit County Fair. This was based on the recommendations from the Ohio Department of Agricultural and due to the packers no longer accepting hogs being fed Ractopamine.

Packers will be testing for and rejecting any hogs that have been fed Paylean at any time during their life. Any hog testing positive for Paylean will result in a lifetime ban from showing at the Summit County Fair.

Exhibitors will be required to sign an affidavit that will be collected on May 3, 2020 on tag in day. You will also be required to sign a waiver on check in day at the fair when you turn in your DUNF forms. The affidavit can be found on the Summit County Fair website under the fair tab click Jr. Fair/4-H.

www.summitfair.com

Please be aware of the feed that you are purchasing may contain Paylean, read labels carefully.

You can reach out to your 4-H advisor or the fair office with any questions you may have.

