The Eighth Annual Poultry Prince and Princess Program at the 2017 Minnesota State Fair
Recognizing Young Leaders in Minnesota’s Poultry Industry

HOW DOES IT WORK?
The Poultry Prince and Princess scholarship program is open to Minnesota State Fair 4-H poultry participants who have completed 9th grade by the start of the 2017 Minnesota State Fair. *Note: Contestants are not eligible during the 13th grade in 4-H. Poultry Prince and Princess duties occur during the next 4-H year, which is why those in their final 4-H year are not eligible. Contestants must compete in the Poultry Interview, Quiz & Showmanship/Exhibit and Chicken BBQ Contest. The top three male and top three female contestants from the two competitions combined will be invited to compete in Q&A/Stage Presence at the Fair. The coronation of the 2017 Poultry Prince and Princess will occur immediately after the final round. The winners will then be in the Fair parade, pose for official portraits, win a $1,000 scholarship - and serve as the Official Poultry Prince or Princess!

HOW DO I ENTER?
• The official entry form will be available online at http://z.umn.edu/4hpoultryprinceprincess.
• The registration deadline is Friday, August 25, 2017 at 10 a.m.
• Be prepared to include information about your 4-H involvement and interest in the poultry industry.
• You may enter from home, at your local Extension Office (call first to schedule an appointment) or in the publicity trailer at the Fair.

2017 DATES AND TIMES
The Poultry Prince and Princess Program consists of three mandatory rounds and one optional judging round:
• Poultry Interview, Quiz & Showmanship/Exhibit - Thursday, Aug. 24
• Optional Judging Contest - Friday, Aug. 25
• Chicken BBQ Contest - Saturday, Aug. 26, at 8 a.m. on the East side of the Coliseum (Clough St. & Judson Ave.)
• Q&A/Stage Presence and Coronation Ceremony - Sunday, Aug. 27, at 10:30 a.m. in the Sheep and Poultry Barn

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