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Attention All Junior Fair Families,

As you have already likely heard, Governor DeWine recently announced his intention to issue a statewide mask mandate in the near future. In light of this news, the Shelby County Agricultural Society is working closely with the Shelby County Health Department to interpret this new order. While things continue to change daily, following are the expectations that Shelby County Agricultural Society and the Shelby County Health Department have at this time for all attendees, including exhibitors:

- There will be no admission fee and NO admission to any general public. Daily wristbands MUST be worn upon arrival to the main gate (Highland Avenue). The wristband MUST be worn by the exhibitor's chosen spectators, including immediate family. The wristband regulations have been implemented to limit the number of people on the grounds at one time.
- Exhibitors and advisors MUST have their 2020 photo ID pass with them upon arrival to the main gate in order to be admitted.
- All attendees MUST maintain a safe social distance (a minimum of six feet) from any person who is not a member of their household. Social distancing should be followed throughout all areas of the grounds, including barns and show arenas. In cases where social distancing is not possible, wearing a face covering is expected.
- All bedding and pens MUST be cleaned prior to exhibitors leaving the grounds that night.
- If you are blocking an animal, exhibitors and/or immediate family MUST be present to load the animal onto the truck.
- Junior Fair vouchers will be cashed an hour before the show starts and an hour after the show ends at the Secretary's Office.
- Parking on the grounds will be free and is first come, first serve.
- Curfew for the grounds will be from 10:00 PM to 6:00 AM daily.

We all appreciate the time and effort that each family has put into their projects, as well as their understanding as we work through the current circumstances. We look forward to seeing everyone in just a few days!

Sincerely,

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