



**NEW JERSEY FFA ASSOCIATION**  
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TO: FFA Advisors, State Officers and Executive Committee  
FROM: Erin Noble, State FFA Specialist  
RE: **State FFA Livestock Evaluation CDE** at Delaware Valley College on **Saturday, April 18, 2015**

### **LIVESTOCK EVALUATION**

Delaware Valley College of Science and Agriculture in Doylestown, PA, has announced their annual 4-H and FFA Judging Contests for Livestock to be held **Saturday, April 18, 2015**. Please register your teams with the State FFA Office no later than **Wednesday, April 1**. The State office will pre-register all New Jersey teams by the deadline with Delaware Valley College.

Preregistration is required for participation using the online registration form. Please email your completed registration form to [ag.ed.registration@ag.state.nj.us](mailto:ag.ed.registration@ag.state.nj.us) by **April 1, 2015**.

Teams must be accompanied by an adult advisor/coach.

**Due to National FFA CDE rules, a four (4) member team is required for competition. Since DVC only requires a three (3) member team, final New Jersey FFA team and individual ranks may differ from DVC's based on the inclusion of the fourth member's score. Only NJ FFA team and individual ranks will be used for NJ FFA awards and advanced competition.**

### **PAYMENT: Please note the varied payment plan:**

*Livestock registration fee is \$5.00 per contestant payable to: Delaware Valley College and a \$4.00 registration fee per contestant payable to: Treasurer, State of NJ. No lunch is included in registration. Students must bring a bag lunch. \*If your chapter has at least Blue Affiliation, the fee is waived.*

The Delaware Valley College registration fee **must** be paid on the day of the event. Please arrive at the event prepared to pay for the event at check-in.

**Checks made out to Treasurer, State of New Jersey (\$4.00/ registrant/Livestock) should be sent to Office of Agricultural Education, New Jersey Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 330, Trenton, NJ 08625.**

DVC's rules and scoring procedures will be followed completely; therefore, an FFA member may not also be a part of a 4-H team.

Schedule is as follows:

Registration	8:00 - 8:45 AM – Lobby Feldman Agricultural Building
General Meeting	8:45 AM Instructions – Mendel Science Building Room 114
Judging	9:00 AM Six classes, three reasons - At Farm III (2 cattle, 2 hog, 2 sheep)
Reasons Giving	Approximately 12:30 PM (3 sets of reasons)
Del Val Awards Presentation	Approximately 3:00 PM (NJ FFA Awards will be presented at the 86 <sup>th</sup> State FFA Convention in May)