

Selecting Eggs for Show

1. Select a clean carton with little or no writing.
2. Select 2 to 3 hens to gather from.
3. Start to gather eggs 1 to 2 weeks before the show, 2 to 3 dozen is a good number to work with.
4. Select clean eggs, clean and dry eggs if needed. Place point down in the carton.
5. Do not use any cracked or damaged eggs.
6. Look for uniformity in color and size. The more uniform the better.
7. Remove and replace any malformed or misshapen eggs. (The judge will be looking for these.)
8. Know what kind of hen laid your eggs and how long it took you to gather the eggs you needed for the perfect dozen. Know what you fed your hens, including Percent protein.
9. A notebook is required. (See guidelines)
10. Each fair entry will be judged on the consistency of color, shape, and size of the eggs, and the quality and effectiveness of the notebook presentation.