

# Animal Identification Forms

**POULTRY**

- ☺ Animal Identification Forms must be received at the PEI 4-H Office by July 15 or the last work day before the 15th if it falls on a weekend or holiday.
- ☺ We suggest, if faxing your forms, you call the office (368-4833) to make sure the fax was received.

**Send this ID Form to...**  
Provincial 4-H Office  
40 Enman Crescent, PO Box 2000  
Royalty Centre, Charlottetown  
C1A 7N8

## **MEMBER:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Club: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

## **Class Category:**

1. **Maximum of 4 birds** can be shown at any 4-H exhibition or fair. Example: Show 3 Standard Chickens and 1 Bantam Chicken or you could have one bird in each of the 4 classes.
2. **Turkeys can only be shown in the Market Turkey Project.**
3. Indicate the color of the bird.
4. You are allowed only one substitution for all classes. When registering at the exhibition, let them know of any changes.

Please complete the following information for each bird. (Please print neatly)

### **Standard Chickens**

	<u>Breed</u>	<u>Colour</u>	<u># of entries</u>
1.	_____	_____	_____
2.	_____	_____	_____
3.	_____	_____	_____
4.	_____	_____	_____

**Bantam Chickens**  
(1/5-1/4 Size of Standards)

	<u>Breed</u>	<u>Colour</u>	<u># of entries</u>
1.	_____	_____	_____
2.	_____	_____	_____
3.	_____	_____	_____
4.	_____	_____	_____

**Waterfowl**

	<u>Breed</u>	<u>Colour</u>	<u># of entries</u>
1.	_____	_____	_____
2.	_____	_____	_____
3.	_____	_____	_____
4.	_____	_____	_____

**Pigeons**

	<u>Breed</u>	<u>Colour</u>	<u># of entries</u>
1.	_____	_____	_____
2.	_____	_____	_____
3.	_____	_____	_____
4.	_____	_____	_____

Drop off this Animal Identification Form at the Provincial 4-H Office or mail to:

Provincial 4-H Office  
P.O.Box 2000  
Charlottetown, PE C1A 7N8  
Or

Fax: 368-6289 (if faxing form call to see if it arrived).

**Deadline for Animal Identification Statement is:**  
**JULY 15**

## *Prevention Program for Poultry Shows and Exhibitions*

### **PURPOSE**

To prevent the infection and spread of serious diseases among show birds and the spread of these diseases to our Island commercial poultry, egg and meat industries.

The one most serious disease is "Laryngotracheitis" or I.L.T. and the one we are most concerned about. I.L.T. is an acute, highly contagious respiratory disease of chickens, pheasants and other avian species. It is characterized by severe depression, coughing and wheezing.

The following program has been carried out over the past years and has been well received and effective...not one vaccinated show flock has been infected with this disease since the program started.

On P.E.I., in order for poultry breeders and fanciers to participate in any poultry exhibition, they must do the following:

1. Flock inspection will generally take place in late June or at the convenience of the majority of the flock owners - the birds should be a least two weeks old or older, at that time the flock will be checked for their general health and condition, each bird will be blood tested for pullorumtyphoid disease. Also at this time, each bird will be vaccinated for I.L.T. This complete procedure will take only a few minutes with no discomfort for the birds. Each vaccinated bird will be identified by a P.E.I. red wing tag with an identifying bird number. All birds on the farm are required to be vaccinated - excluding waterfowl—even though only a part of the flock may be exhibited.
2. Following the inspection and vaccination, the owner is asked to observe a 30 day quarantine period in which time he or she will refrain from visiting other poultry farms or allowing visitors from other vaccinated poultry farms to come in contact with the vaccinated birds. Also at this time, birds should not be traded between farms or entered in any shows or competitions. This period is to prevent infection of other non-vaccinated birds while the vaccinated flock develops its own immunity.
3. There is no charge for this inspection or vaccination service and the procedure is simple and quickly done. Assistance on management, feeding and housing will also be given if requested at the flock inspection visit or at any time a serious problem may develop.

### **Application for Pullorum-Typhoid Testing - ILT Vaccination Deadline: To Be Mailed by June 15.**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

4-H Club \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Civic # \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_

Number of birds to be vaccinated: \_\_\_\_\_

I, the undersigned, understand that following the I.L.T. Vaccination, I am to observe a 30 day quarantine period in which I will not visit any other poultry farm or will not allow any visitors from non-vaccinated poultry farms to come in contact with my vaccinated birds. I will also not trade birds between farms during the quarantine period.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of 4-H Member

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent

**Return To:  
Trevor MacDonald  
P.E.I. Poultry Technician  
P.O. Box 31  
Murray River, PE  
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