



2026 ERIE COUNTY FAIR CHICKEN SCRAMBLE



Ages 3-8 years as of 8-12-2026

August 12, 2026 @ 7pm in the Grandstands
(Scramble Order: Chicken, Lamb, Calf)

Return to Senior Fairboard Office by Aug 3 to receive T-shirt

Participant Name _____

Parent Names _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____ Phone _____

Date of Birth _____ Age on 8-12-26 _____ Male _____ Female _____

There is no entry fee for participation in the Chicken Scramble. HOWEVER, if you would like a 2026 Scramble T-shirt, please include \$2.00 with your entry form.

T-shirt size (circle): Youth or Adult Small Medium Large XL 2X 3X 4X

I(we), _____ PARENT of

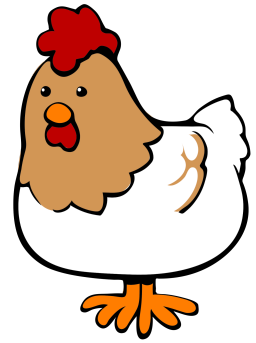
_____ do hereby consent and agree that it is permissible for my(our) minor child to compete in the 2025 ERIE COUNTY FAIR CHICKEN SCRAMBLE, and I(we), joined by my(our) said minor child, do hereby consent and agree to hold the Erie County Agricultural Society, referees, sponsors, participants, Scramble Committee, and all persons individually or collectively, harmless from any liability, bodily injury and any other damage or injury sustained or suffered while said minor child is a participant in the Scramble on the scheduled night.

I(we) also agree that I(we) have been given a copy of the official rules and regulations for the Chicken Scramble. I(we), along with our child, agree to abide by all rules until the completion of the Calf Scramble.

SIGNATURE OF PARENT _____ DATE _____

Erie County Fair Chicken Scramble Rules

Participants 3-8 years old



GENERAL RULES

1. There is no entry fee for participation in the Chicken Scramble. HOWEVER, if you would like a 2026 Scramble T-shirt, please include \$2.00 with your entry form.
2. Entry Form and Release Form must be filled out completely and signed by parent or guardian.
3. All participants are considered winners.
4. Spectator admission to the Scramble will be \$5.00. Only the applicant participating will be admitted free.
5. Check in will begin at 6:00 p.m. on 8-12-26 at the Grandstands.
6. You do not take possession of any animals.
7. Closed shoes or boots must be worn while participating. NO flip flops or sandals.

HOW THE SCRAMBLE WORKS

1. Participants will be split into heats by age.
2. Several chickens will be released into the arena per heat.
3. Participants will chase and attempt to catch a chicken then place it in the provided crates. This will continue until all chickens have been caught.
4. If a participant has hold of a chicken, NO other participant will be allowed to touch that chicken until it breaks away.
5. If two or more participants catch the same chicken at the same time, it will be turned loose.
6. All participants will be considered winners and will receive a T-shirt (if registered in time)..
7. Unnecessary roughness will NOT be tolerated; participants will be disqualified and the animal will be set free.
8. All decisions by Beagle Boys judges and referees will be final.