



Ontario Pork Congress

BACON MAKER CLASSIC 2018 Carcass Competition

Drop off at Bachert Meats Inc. by TnT Swine and Zantingh
Thursday, June 14, 2018 – Before/No later than 10:00 AM

- All pigs to be tagged in both ears with an Allflex tag provided by the Carcass Competition Committee
- All pigs need to be tattooed with the tattoo that is registered to the premise they depart from
- A maximum of 1 hog **per participant**
(live weight guideline approximately 125 to 136kg using an 80% dress percentage)
- All hogs entered:
 - ***DO NOT*** have to be pre-registered with the Bacon Maker Classic Live Show - *all producers are welcome!*
 - May be subjected to a **drug residue test** – any positive result will automatically be disqualified
 - If found to be a **ridgling/boar**, it will be discounted and disqualified; value to be determined by Bachert meats
- The judges will be provided with a list of tag # and tattoos for the entered carcasses following the judging.



Judging Criteria

The following 5 criteria will be evaluated by the judge (Colleen Rorhrig of Conestoga Meats)

1 | **Back Fat:** Ideal fat depth – 13-20 mm range (Max. 10 points)

	Points
< 13 mm	2
13 – 15 mm	8
16 – 17 mm	10
18 – 20 mm	8
20 – 22 mm	2

2 | **Marbling Bonus:** Subjective measure of the loin marbling (Max. 10 points)

	Points
Score \geq 4	10
Score 3	8
Score 2	4
Score 0-1	0

3 | **Loin Eye Colour:** Visual Colour Score Measurement (Max. 10 points)

	Points
< 2	0
2 – 3	5
3.5 – 4.5	10
5	5
> 5	0

4 | **Loin Eye Measurement:** (Max. 5 points)

Loin eye area will be measured by hand and rounded to one decimal place (e.g. 45.36 \rightarrow 45.4 cm²)

	Points
Largest Loin Area	5
Second Largest Loin	4
Third Largest Loin	3
Fourth Largest Loin	2
Fifth Largest Loin	1

5 | Overall Grid Placement Score

KGS DWT		< 80	80	90	95	100	105	110	115	120	> 125
Yield Class	Yield %	kg	89.9	94.9	99.9	104.9	109.9	114.9	119.9	125	kg
1	> 64.3	0	2	4	6	10	10	6	4	2	0
2	61.8 – 64.29	0	2	6	10	15	15	10	6	2	0
3	59.6 – 61.79	0	2	6	10	15	15	10	6	2	0
4	57.7 – 59.59	0	2	4	6	10	10	6	4	2	0

MAXIMUM TOTAL POINTS: 50

Other Details

- In the **event of a tie**, the carcass with the **highest carcass index** will be determined to be the winner. If a tie still exists, the largest size in loin eye area will be used to break the tie.
- **The top 4 carcasses will be awarded cash and trophy prizes**
- All qualifying carcasses will be provided with a **Summary Page** including a picture of their loin and all of their measurements
- 2018 OPC Judge – **Colleen Roehrig**, *Conestoga Meats*



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ENTRY FORM

Participant Name	Ear Tag #

Total # of Pigs From Farm	Farm Name	Premise ID	Tattoo #

ENTRY DEADLINE MAY 16, 2018
Submit entries to porkcongress@gmail.com

Name:

Address:

Postal Code:

Telephone:

Fax:

Lot:

Concession:

County:

Email:

Pork Producer Number:

**We require the pork producer number to ensure payment for hogs*

****Please note that cheques will be made out to each individual entrant after Ontario Pork Congress****