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Section 1

Thursday, September 29

8:00 AM	Early Move-In: Pan-Am/Youth Berkshire, Chester White, Duroc, Hampshire, Landrace, Poland China, Spotted, Yorkshire and Pan-Am Commercial Breeding Gilts (Swine Barn)	
	Early Move-In: Pan-Am/Youth Dairy Goats	(Cattle Barn 2)
	Early Move-In: Pan-Am Mini Zebu Cattle	(Cattle Barn 1)
	Early Move-In: Donkey and Mules	(Horse Barn)
5:00 PM	Checked-In/NMDA Measured: Donkey and Mules	(Horse Barn)

Friday, September 30

8:00 AM	Donkey and Mule Show	LJP
2:00 PM	Checked-In/Weighed: Pan-Am/Youth Dairy Goats and Wethers	(Cattle Barn 2)
5:00 PM	Checked-In: Pan-American Mini Zebu Cattle	(Cattle Barn 1)
6:00 PM	Checked-In: Pan-Am/Youth Breeding Gilts	(Swine Barn)
6:30 PM	Miniature Zebu Costume Contest	LJP

Saturday, October 1

8:00 AM	Donkey and Mule Show	LJP-West
9:00 AM	Youth Dairy Goats Showmanship, Wethers, and Youth Show	LJP-East
	Youth Swine Skill-a-thon Contest	BCLC
12:00 PM	Pan-Am Purebred Gilts, followed by Pan-Am Commercial Gilt Show	Swine Arena
7:30 PM	Exhibitor Appreciation Dinner	BCLC

Sunday, October 2

8:00 AM	Youth Gilt Showmanship, followed by Youth Purebred Breeding Gilts	Swine Arena
	Registration: Youth Range & Pasture Plant ID	BCLC
	Release: Donkey and Mules	
9:00 AM	Release: Pan-Am/Youth Breeding Gilts	(Swine Barn)
	Youth Range & Pasture Plant ID Contest, followed by awards	BCLC
10:00 AM	Miniature Zebu Club Show	LJP-West
	Pan-Am Dairy Goat Show	LJP-East
11:00 AM	Dairy Goat Club Show	

- 1:00 PM Pan-Am Miniature Zebu Show
- 4:00 PM **Release:** Miniature Zebu Cattle, Dairy Goats
- 7:00 PM ALL ANIMALS MUST BE OUT OF ALL BARNES

Section 2

Monday, October 3

Gate 15 will open for staging at 12am

- 4:00 AM-8:00AM **Move-In:** Youth Market Barrows (Wave 1: Dark OPB, Duroc, Hampshire, Dk Cross)
- 8:00 AM-1:00 PM **Move-In:** Youth Market Goats and Market Lambs (Cattle Barn 2)
- 9:00 AM Youth 4-H/FFA Food Challenge Contest Creative Arts Competition Kitchen
- 3:00 PM **Checked-In:** Youth Market Barrows (Wave 1), Market Goats, and Market Lambs
- 4:00 PM Show Ring Success Seminar, Barrows BCLC

Tuesday, October 4

Gate 15 will open for staging at 12am

- 6:00-8:00 AM Tack Load-in for Youth Market/Prospect Steers
- 8:00 AM Youth Market Barrow Show (Dark OPB, Duroc, Hampshire, Dk Cross) Swine Barn
- 8:00 AM-1:00 PM **Move-In:** Youth Market/Prospect Steers (Cattle Barn 1)
- 9:00 AM Show Ring Success Seminar, Sheep BCLC
- 10:00 AM Show Ring Success Seminar, Goats BCLC
- 10:00 AM National 4-H/FFA Food Challenge Contest Creative Arts Demonstration Kitchen
- 1:00 PM Youth Market Lamb Show LJP-West
- 2:00 PM **Relocate Sale & Consignment:** Youth Market Lambs and Market Barrows
- 4:00 PM **Release:** Youth Market Lambs (Non-Sale)
- Checked-In:** Youth Market/Prospect Steers
- 4:00 PM Show Ring Success Seminar, Steers BCLC
- 5:00 PM TACK MUST BE OUT OF SWINE BARN/RELOCATED 30 MIN. AFTER SHOW

Wednesday, October 5

Gate 15 will open for staging at 12am

- 4:00 AM-8:00 AM **Move-In:** Youth Market Barrows (Wave 2: White OPB, Yorkshire, Other Cross)
- 8:00 AM Youth Prospect Steer Show (American, British, and AOB) LJP-East

9:00 AM Youth Market Goat Show LJP- West
10:00 AM **Relocate Sale & Consignment:** Youth Market Goats
12:00 PM **Release:** Youth Market Goats (Non-Sale), Youth Prospect Steers
3:00 PM **Checked-In:** Youth Market Barrows (Wave 2)
5:00 PM LAMBS/GOATS MUST BE OUT OF BARN 30 MIN. AFTER SHOW

Thursday, October 6

8:00 AM Youth Market Steer Show (American, British, and AOB) LJP-West
Youth Market Barrow Show (White OPB, Yorkshire, Other Cross) Swine Arena
Move-In/Sift/Score: Youth Market Broilers (Cattle Barn 2)
9:00 AM **Release:** Youth Market Steers (Non-Sale)
Checked-In: Youth Market Broilers
9:30 AM Youth Market Broiler Show Cattle Barn 2
4:00 PM **Move-In:** 4x4 Chute Out
5:00 PM **Relocation Sale & Consignment:** Youth Market Steer
7:00 PM ALL ANIMALS/TACK MUST BE OUT OF BARN OR STEERS TO TIE OUTS

Friday, October 7

7:00 AM **Checked-In:** 4x4 Chute Out
8:00 AM 4x4 Chute-Out Competition LJP
Move-In: Pan-Am/Junior Longhorn Cattle (Cattle Barn 1&2)
Move-In: Pan-Am/Junior Llamas (Cattle Barn 1)
Move-In: Pan-Am Breeding Rabbits (Poultry Building)
1:00 PM YOUTH LIVESTOCK AUCTION: SALE OF CHAMPIONS BCLC
6:00 PM **Move-In:** Pan-Am/Youth Pygmy Goats (Swine Barn-East)
Checked-In: Pan-Am/Junior Longhorns
Checked-In: Pan-Am/Junior Llamas
Checked-In: Pan-Am Breeding Rabbits

Saturday, October 8

9:00 AM Pan-Am Breeding Rabbit Show Poultry Building
Pan-Am Llama Performance Classes & Showmanship LJP-East

10:00 AM	Pan-Am Haltered Longhorn Show	LJP-West
	Checked-In: Pan-Am Pygmy Goats	
2:00 PM	Southwest Classic Pygmy Goat Show	Swine Arena
5:00 PM	Pan-Am Non-Haltered Longhorn Show	LJP-West
7:00 PM	Grand Champion Longhorn Steer Selection	LJP-West
7:00 PM	Exhibitor Appreciation Dinner	BCLC

Sunday, October 9

8:00 AM	Pan-Am Haltered Llamas and Junior Judging Contest	LJP-East
9:00 AM	Pan-Am Breeding Rabbit Show	Poultry Building
	TLBT Junior Longhorn Show	LJP-West
	Pan-Am Pygmy Goat Show	Swine Arena
3:00 PM	Release: Llamas, Longhorn Cattle, Pygmy Goats, Breeding Rabbits	
6:00 PM	Coaches Meeting: Collegiate Livestock Judging	Sheraton Hotel
7:00 PM	ALL ANIMALS MUST BE OUT OF ALL BARNS	

Section 3

Monday, October 10

7:00 AM	Registration: Collegiate Livestock Judging	(BCLC)
7:30 AM	Collegiate Livestock Judging Contest	LJP
8:00 AM	Registration: Youth Agri-Science Fair Contest	BCLC
9:00 AM	Registration: 4-H/FFA Ag Product ID Contest	(Poultry Building)
	Youth Agri-Science Fair Contest, followed by awards	BCLC
10:00 AM	4-H/FFA Ag Product ID Contest, followed by awards	Poultry Building

Tuesday, October 11

8:00 AM	Registration: 4-H/FFA Livestock Judging Contest	(BCLC)
	Youth Ag Awareness Day Food Drive	Gate 15
9:00 AM	4-H/FFA Livestock Judging Contest	LJP
12:00 PM	Ag Awareness Day Awards	Chevy Main Stage
2:00 PM	4-H/FFA Livestock Judging Contest Awards	BCLC

Wednesday, October 12

- 7:00 AM-7:00 PM** **Move-In:** Pan-Am/Youth Angus, Charolais, Chianina, Hereford, Limousin, Maine-Anjou, Miniature Herefords, Red Angus, Polled Hereford, Shorthorn, ORB (Cattle Barn 1&2)
- Move-In:** Pan-Am/Youth Angora, C. Angora, Boer Goats & Wether Does (Swine Barn)
- 8:00 AM** **Registration:** Youth 4-H and FFA Wildlife Contest (Texas Discovery Gardens)
- 9:00 AM** 4-H and FFA Wildlife Contest Contest Texas Discovery Gardens
- 2:00 PM** 4-H and FFA Wildlife Contest Awards BCLC
- Move-In:** Youth Ag Mechanics/Tractor Restoration (LJP)
- 7:00 PM** **Checked-In:** Youth Ag Mechanics/Tractor Restoration (LJP)

Thursday, October 13

- 8:00 AM** Youth Agriculture Mechanics/Tractor Restoration Contest LJP
- 7:00 AM-2:00 PM** **Move-In:** Pan-Am/Youth Angus, Charolais, Chianina, Hereford, Limousin, Maine-Anjou, Mini Herefords, Red Angus, Polled Hereford, Shorthorn, and ORB (Cattle Barn 1&2)
- Move-In:** Pan-Am/Youth Angora, C. Angora, Boer Goats & Wether Does (Swine Barn)
- 4:00 PM** **Checked-In:** All Pan-Am/Youth Beef Heifers
- Checked-In:** Pan-Am/Youth Angora/Colored Angora and Boer Goats (Swine Barn)
- 5:30 PM** Youth Ag Mechanics/Tractor Restoration Awards LJP
- 7:00 PM** ALL AG MECHANICS/TRACTOR RESTORATION PROJECTS MUST BE OUT OF LJP

Friday, October 14

- 8:00 AM** Pan-Am Angus, Red Angus, Youth Red Angus Bred & Owned Show, and Red Angus Showmanship LJP-East
- Pan-Am Hereford, Polled Hereford, Mini Hereford, and Shorthorn Show LJP-West
- Move-In:** Youth Breeding Rabbits Show Poultry Barn
- 10:00 AM** Pan-Am Angora, Colored Angoras, followed by Boer Goats Swine Arena
- 1:00 PM** Youth Beef Skillathon BCLC
- 5:00 PM** **Release:** Pan-Am Angora, Colored Angora, and Boer Goats (Swine Barn)
- 6:00 PM** **Checked-In:** Youth Breeding Rabbits
- 6:30 PM** Exhibitor Appreciation Dinner BCLC

Saturday, October 15

9:00 AM	Youth Angus, Red Angus, Hereford, Polled Hereford	LJP
	Youth Breeding Rabbit Show	Poultry Barn
11:00 AM	Youth Boer Goat Showmanship	Swine Arena
	Pan-Am Wether Doe Show	Swine Arena
6:00 PM	The Club Calf Event Sale	BCLC

Sunday, October 16

8:00 AM	Youth Shorthorn, Charolais, Chianina, Limousin, Maine Anjou, and ORB Show	LJP
	Youth Breeding Rabbit Show	Poultry Building
9:00 AM	Youth Angoras, Colored Angoras, and Boer Goat Show	Swine Arena
	<i>Move-In: Horse Equestrian Drill Team</i>	<i>(Horse Barn)</i>
	<i>Release: Pan-Am/Youth Angus, Hereford, Mini Herefords, Polled Hereford, Red Angus</i>	
11:00 AM	<i>Release: Youth Angora/Colored Angoras, Boer Goats, Wether Does</i>	
12:00 PM	<i>Release: Youth Shorthorn, Charolais, Chianina, Limousin, Maine Anjou, and ORB</i>	
3:00 PM	<i>Release: Youth Breeding Rabbits</i>	
7:00 PM	ALL ANIMALS MUST BE OUT OF ALL BARNES	
5:00-8:00 PM	<i>Move-In: Brahman cattle to tie-outs only</i>	

Section 4

Monday, October 17

8:00 AM	Equestrian Drill Team Competition	LJP
	<i>Registration: 4-H/FFA Job Interview</i>	<i>BCLC</i>
	<i>Move-In: Pan-Am/Youth Brahman Cattle</i>	<i>(Cattle Barn 1)</i>
9:00 AM	4-H/FFA Job Interview Contest, followed by awards	BCLC

Tuesday, October 18

7:00 AM	<i>Registration: Youth Agricultural Public Speaking, followed by orientation</i>	<i>(BCLC)</i>
8:00 AM	Equestrian Drill Team Competition	LJP
8:30 AM	Youth Agricultural Public Speaking Contest	Cotton Bowl
2:00 PM	<i>Checked-In: Pan-Am/Youth Brahman Cattle</i>	<i>(Cattle Barn 1)</i>
5:00 PM	Agricultural Public Speaking Awards	BCLC

Wednesday, October 19

7:00 AM-7:00 PM	Move-In: Pan-Am/Youth Beefmaster, Brangus, Red Brangus, Santa Gertrudis, Simbrah, Simmental, Star 5 and ORAB Move-In: Pan-Am/Youth Breeding Sheep	(Cattle Barn 1&2) (Swine Barn)
10:00 AM	Pan-Am Brahman Female Show	LJP
2:00 PM	Checked-In: All Pan-Am/Youth Beef Cattle	
6:30 PM	Exhibitor Appreciation Dinner	BCLS

Thursday, October 20

7:00 AM-2:00 PM	Move-In: Pan-Am/Youth Beefmaster, Brangus, Red Brangus, Santa Gertrudis, Simbrah, Simmental, Star 5, and ORAB Move-In: Pan-Am/Youth Breeding Sheep	(Cattle Barn 1&2) (Swine Barn)
8:00 AM	Pan-Am Brahman Bulls	LJP-East
10:00 AM	Youth Brahman Heifer Show	LJP-West
10:00 AM	Release: Pan-Am/Youth Brahman Cattle	
2:00 PM	Checked-In: Pan-Am/Youth Breeding Sheep and Wether Dams	(Swine Barn)
4:00 PM	Checked-In: All Pan-Am/Youth Beef Cattle	
6:00 PM	Move-In: Pan-Am/Youth Dairy Cattle	(Cattle Barn 1)

Friday, October 21

8:00 AM	Pan-Am Santa Gertrudis, Brangus, and Red Brangus Show Pan-Am Beefmaster, Simbrah, and Simmental Show Move-In: Pan-Am Poultry Pan-Am Dorper, Fine Wool, and Medium Wool Breeding Sheep Show	LJP-West LJP-East (Poultry Building) Swine Arena
2:00 PM	Checked-In: Pan-Am/Youth Dairy Cattle	
6:30 PM	Exhibitor Appreciation Dinner	BCLC

Saturday, October 22

8:00 AM	Youth Beefmasters, Simbrah, Simmental, and Star 5 Show Youth Dairy Cattle Show In-Place: Pan-Am Poultry	LJP-West LJP-East (Poultry Building)
9:00 AM	Sheep Skill-a-thon	BCLC
10:00 AM	Pan-Am Egg and Poultry Show	Poultry Building

11:00 AM	Youth Breeding Sheep Showmanship	Swine Arena
1:00 PM (or immediately following showmanship)	Pan-Am Wether Dam Breeding Sheep Show	Swine Arena
2:00 PM	Registration: Youth Dairy Judging Contest	(BCLC)
3:00 PM	Youth Dairy Judging Contest, followed by awards (BCLC)	LJP

Sunday, October 23

8:00 AM	Youth Dorper, Fine Wools, Medium Wool Breeding Sheep Show	Swine Arena
	Youth Santa Gertrudis, Brangus, Red Brangus and ORAB	LJP-West
	Release: Beefmasters, Simbrah, Simmental, Star 5 and Pan Am Breeding Sheep	
9:00 AM	Pan-Am Dairy Cattle Show	LJP-East
10:00 AM	Youth Poultry Showmanship	Poultry Building
12:00 PM	Release: Youth Santa Gertrudis, Brangus, Red Brangus and ORAB	
1:00 PM	Rooster Crowing Contest	Poultry Building
2:00 PM	Poultry Champion Selection	Poultry Building
3:00 PM	Release: Pan-Am/Youth Dairy Cattle, Youth Breeding Sheep, Poultry	
8:00 PM	ALL ANIMALS MUST BE OUT OF ALL BARNES	

*LJP, Livestock Judging Pavilion

*BCLC, Briscoe Carpenter Livestock Center (former "Sale Pavilion")

GENERAL INFORMATION & RULES

WELCOME: The State Fair of Texas® (State Fair) encourages your participation in this year's Fair. The Fair staff looks forward to hosting you and your exhibits at Fair Park, and we welcome you to Dallas.

FAIR DATES: The 2016 State Fair of Texas (the Fair) will be held at Fair Park, Dallas, September 30 to October 23, unless postponed, shortened or extended by the Board of Directors, which they reserve the right to do if deemed necessary for the general welfare of all concerned.

HOMELAND SECURITY/EMERGENCY EVACUATION OF LIVESTOCK/PROPERTY STATEMENT: During such time as deemed necessary by local, state or federal authorities, the State Fair of Texas, and/or its officials may, temporarily or permanently evacuate Fair Park under the authority of the Homeland Security Act. Incidents such as, but not limited to, extreme weather conditions, bomb threats, acts of war, declarations of war, code red of the Homeland Security System, etc., will be acted upon in accordance and cooperation with local, state and federal authorities. Priority evacuation will be given to human life, then livestock and/or property. (In such cases, exhibitors may turn over the care of their livestock or property to State Fair, or as directed by governmental authorities). Proper animal husbandry practices will be followed within reasonable expectations. At such time the evacuation notice is lifted, exhibitors will be allowed to re-enter Fair Park and claim their livestock or property.

INTERPRETATION OF RULES: State Fair reserves to its Executive Committee the final and absolute right to interpret these General Rules and Regulations, the Youth Livestock Show Special Rules, and/or any applicable special requirements as published in this premium list (collectively, the "Rules") and to reasonably settle and determine all matters, questions and differences in regard thereto, or otherwise arising out of or connected with or incident to the Fair, and the right to amend or add to these rules as its judgment may determine. An exhibitor who violates any of the following rules may forfeit all privileges, fees paid and premiums and be subject to such penalty as the Executive Committee may order. The failure of the State Fair to enforce any of the provisions, rules, rights or remedies of this premium list or to exercise any options or sanctions herein provided will in no way be construed to be a waiver of such provisions, rules, rights, remedies, sanctions or options. Special rules or conditions are published in each department where necessary. If there is a conflict between the special rules or requirements of any department or division and the general rules and regulations, the special rules or requirements shall apply.

LIABILITY STATEMENT: All exhibitors and exhibits shall comply with the Rules of State Fair. State Fair shall not be liable to exhibitor for lost profit or other financial loss to exhibitor of any type or description including any special, indirect, reliance, incidental or consequential damages which may be caused directly or indirectly by the enforcement of such Rules, or for any time delays, inadequacies of services of State Fair or any use of the premises or by any deficiency or defect therein. Additionally, State Fair is not responsible for any loss, injury or damage caused by exhibitor or exhibitor's animal(s) that may arise directly or indirectly from exhibitor's participation at the Fair. Each exhibitor will be solely responsible for any such loss, injury or damage, whether to person or property, and shall indemnify State Fair, the City of Dallas and their officers, directors and employees against all legal proceedings arising there from.

DISCLAIMER OF WARRANTIES: State Fair expressly disclaims any express or implied warranties (including warranty of merchantability), whether the goods or services are provided by State Fair, its vendors or others (such as drug testing). State Fair does not provide special security or guard services for the livestock area and is not responsible for the acts of third parties. Exhibitor (and exhibitor's parent or legal guardian, if exhibitor is a minor) agree and acknowledge that State Fair will disqualify any exhibitor whose animal tests positive for ANY drug even if the exhibitor (and the exhibitor's parents/guardian) are innocent of any wrongdoing and had no role in the administration of the drug shown by the drug test. Even if the source of the drug is unknown, the State Fair shall be entitled to disqualify the exhibitor. Disqualification will result in the forfeiture of all auction proceeds and/or premiums, and the exhibitor may be prohibited from exhibiting livestock in future State Fair shows.

VETERINARIANS/MEDICATIONS: Animal under the care of a licensed veterinarian and/or taking ANY type of medication, including but not limited to steroids, diuretics, anti-inflammatories, tranquilizers and/or pain killers, are ineligible for competition. Exhibitors with questions regarding medications and/or eligibility should consult the Official State Fair Veterinarian prior to competition. Exhibitor (and exhibitor's parent or legal guardian, if exhibitor is a minor) agree and acknowledge that: (1) they are absolutely and solely responsible for the care and custody of their animals; (2) State Fair shall be entitled to disqualify an exhibitor whose animal(s) test positive for ANY medication, even if the exhibitor and the exhibitor's parents/guardians are innocent of any wrongdoing and did not administer the medication; and (3) the drug test results of the testing laboratories are final and binding upon the exhibitor and the exhibitor's parents/guardians.

PRESS INFORMATION: Members of the State Fair Agricultural Publicity Staff will be glad to furnish any information requested by representatives of newspapers, magazines, radio and television stations. Results of judging will be furnished as quickly as reasonably possible. All reasonable cooperation and assistance will be given to all representatives of the

working press covering the State Fair. Facilities for the working press will be available through the State Fair's Public Relations Department.

FIRE REGULATIONS: Smoking is prohibited in and around any buildings, regardless of whether such building is open air or enclosed. No containers containing flammable liquids will be allowed in any buildings.

GUEST ASSISTANCE: It is the intention of State Fair that all visitors be welcomed and treated with courtesy and respect. Should guests experience problems with a State Fair employee or vendor, these concerns should be reported immediately to State Fair Management, so that the matter can be addressed before the Fair concludes.

FIRST AID STATION: State Fair will maintain a completely equipped First Aid Station staffed by registered nurses, paramedics and ambulances to provide emergency treatment and reference facilities for accidents and illnesses occurring in Fair Park. The First Aid Station is located on the Southwest side of Fair Park Coliseum, call (214)421-8723 for assistance. Management assumes no responsibility for accidents in Fair Park.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

1. **SIGNED LIABILITY STATEMENT:** Each exhibitor/contestant (and exhibitor's parent or legal guardian, if exhibitor is a minor) must sign a statement acknowledging that he/she understands and will abide by the liability requirements and all Rules of State Fair. If the exhibitor does not sign this statement (contained on the entry application forms), application for entry will be rejected.
2. **ENTRY ELIGIBILITY:** The State Fair does not discriminate against any applicant, volunteer, customer or patron on the basis of race, sex, color, age, disability, religion, citizenship, veteran status, nationality or ethnic origin. Competition in all Pan-American Livestock Exposition (open show) classes is open to the public, except where stated in this premium list. Competition in Youth Livestock Show classes is restricted. Refer to the Youth Livestock Show Special Rules for entry eligibility. Youth Show exhibitors are permitted to enter the Open Show when an additional entry application and entry fee is submitted by the entry deadline. Only animals officially entered will be allowed on the Fairgrounds during their scheduled time (see individual competition rules).
 - a. **TAX IDENTIFICATION:** Each Youth Exhibitor, and Open Exhibitor MUST complete an IRS Form W-9 and return it with entry applications.
 - b. **ENTRY REQUIREMENTS:** Exhibitors and their exhibits must meet and adhere to the requirements of these Rules and any and all Special Rules listed under the appropriate department(s) and division(s) as printed in this premium list to be eligible for entry.
 - c. **HEALTH REQUIREMENTS:** Please refer to the Animal Health Requirements listed in this premium list.
 - d. **FIRMS AND PARTNERSHIPS:** Firms and partnerships entering animals for competition must be in existence at the time of making entry and, in all cases, must be bona fide.
 - e. **REGISTRATION:** All animals in the breeding classes must be recorded in the recognized books of record for their respective breeds and exhibitors must produce a certificate of registry at the request of the management at any time during the Fair. Tattoos, ear tags or other identification marks must match registration certificates. See applicable special rules.
 - f. **OWNERSHIP:** To be eligible for competition, whether singly or in groups, animals must be the bona fide property of the exhibitor, and all animals entered for competition in the open breeding classes must be entered in the name of the owner and must have been owned prior to entry closing date. If proof of ownership is required, an affidavit must be furnished. Jointly owned animals must be entered and shown under the multi-ownership (all co-owners) in the individual classes. In the group classes, jointly owned animals may be entered and exhibited under the name of one of the co-owners provided he owns a full or part interest in each of the animals in the group entry.
3. **INELIGIBLE TO ENTER:**
 - a. **DISQUALIFIED EXHIBITORS:** State Fair reserves the right to refuse entry of any contestant for violation of these Rules. Contestants who have previously been disqualified from State Fair shows will not be allowed entry until the time expressed to them by the Executive Committee of State Fair.
 - b. **DISEASED ANIMALS:** Diseased animals cannot enter the State Fair livestock area or grounds. Animal Health Officials, Superintendents, the Official State Fair Veterinarian, and/or State Fair Management will refuse unloading privileges to animals showing signs and symptoms of disease.
 - c. **BARREN ANIMALS:** Barren animals are not eligible for breeding classes. An affidavit verifying the animal is a breeder must be furnished upon request.
4. **ENTRY PROCEDURE:**
 - a. **ENTRY APPLICATION:** All applications for entry must be made on current, official State Fair of Texas entry application forms in accordance with instructions on same, giving division, class, and all other necessary information. Exhibitors may also enter online at www.bigtex.com. **All youth entries (including contests), must be submitted online by the CEA/AST. (See Youth Livestock Show Special Rules)**



- b. **GROUP ENTRIES:** Group classes are denoted by a “G” after the class number. An additional entry fee may be required for group classes, see individual department requirements. Group class entries will not be accepted after check-in deadline. All animals entered in a group class must be shown in their individual age class. The dam, sire, or breeder represented **MUST** be named on the entry application. Limit one entry per class.
- c. **DOUBLE ENTRIES:** If the exhibitor chooses to show in both the youth and open shows, separate fees are required.
- d. **ENTRY ACCEPTANCE:** In all cases, the management reserves the right to reject, accept, or accept conditionally an application for entry and does not guarantee space in the exhibition buildings. Rejected entries may be returned to the applicant.
- e. **ENTRY SUBSTITUTIONS:** Entry substitutions may be made within the same show, same breed and by the same owner of the original entry. The substitution may be made after the entry deadline with a processing fee of \$20 if the entry information for the substituted animal is provided to management at the time of check in. No substitutions will be allowed after the check-in deadline.
- f. **ERRONEOUS ENTRIES:** At the discretion of State Fair Management, exhibits that have been erroneously entered may be transferred to their proper classes prior to judging. Management will decide the disposition of each case of erroneous entry upon its merits.
- g. **INCOMPLETE ENTRIES:** Incomplete entries are defined as entries made by entry deadline (online, if required) but are missing signatures, W-9's, payment, or other required information and may be accepted conditionally.
- 5. **ENTRY DEADLINES:** Entries must be postmarked by the U.S., Canadian, or International Postal Service no later than the applicable deadline. Postal metered date is not acceptable.
 - a. Youth Livestock entries must be submitted **online by midnight, August 25th**.
 - b. Youth Contest entries must be submitted **online by midnight, September 1st**.
 - c. The following **must** also be postmarked on or before September 1st to be considered complete entries:
 1. One check per county/chapter
 2. One W-9 per exhibitor
 3. One Release and Liability Signature form per each exhibitor
 4. One Summary Sheet per county/chapter, signed by the CEA/AST for Livestock entries and/or Contests.
 - d. Pan American entries, Rabbits, and Poultry **must be postmarked by September 1st**.
 - e. The following **must** be submitted to be considered complete entries:
 1. One check for payment
 2. One W-9 per exhibitor
 3. One Release and Liability Signature form per each exhibitor
 - f. Late Fees will be assessed to any entry postmarked after applicable entry deadline (see misc. fees). SFT may reject any late entry without explanation.
- 6. **ENTRY FEES:** All applications for entry must be accompanied by related fees. If the entry does not have fees enclosed, the application for entry will not be accepted or accepted conditionally. All international exhibitors must pay fees in certified U.S. currency. Entry fees are not stall fees and do not dictate stall space.

LIVESTOCK	
YOUTH MARKET SHOWS	
Prospect/Market Steers	\$35 per entry
Market Barrows	\$30 per entry
Market Lambs	\$30 per entry
Market Goats	\$30 per entry
Market Broilers	\$25 per entry
YOUTH & PAN-AM BREEDING SHOWS	
Cattle	\$30 per entry
Swine	\$25 per entry
Sheep	\$25 per entry
Goats	\$25 per entry
Llamas	\$25 per class
Showmanship (Breeding Goats, Sheep, Gilts)	\$10 per entry
Group Classes	\$10 per entry
RABBITS & POULTRY	
Breeding Rabbits	\$3 per entry
Breeding Rabbits-Fur Classes	\$1 per entry
Poultry	\$2 per entry
Poultry Showmanship (section 4)	\$5 per entry

CONTESTS

Agricultural Mechanics	\$30 per entry
Agricultural Product ID	\$40/Team, \$10/Individual
Agricultural Public Speaking	\$25 per entry
Agri-Science Fair	\$25 per entry
Skillathon, all species	\$25 per entry
Youth Range & Pasture Plant ID	\$40/Team, \$10/Individual
Youth Wildlife	\$20/Team, \$10/Individual
Youth Livestock Judging	\$40/Team, \$10/Individual
Youth Dairy Judging	\$40/Team, \$10/Individual
Intercollegiate Livestock Judging	\$100/Team, \$20/Individual

MISCELLANEOUS FEES

Cattle Tie-Outs	\$12
Trim-Chute Sticker	\$35
Substitution Fee	\$20 per entry
Youth Processing Fee REQUIRED	\$15 per summary
Youth Late Fee (entry postmarked 8/26-9/1)	\$100 per entry
Youth Late Fee (entry postmarked after 9/1)	\$250 per entry
Pan Am Late Fees	Entry Fee x2 (ie: Cattle \$60/per entry)
Pan Am Certified Mail Fee OPTIONAL	\$8

7. COMPLIMENTARY ADMISSION AND PARKING CREDENTIALS:



- YOUTH SHOW:** All youth exhibitors will receive one complimentary admission pass per section in which they are entered.
- CEA/AST:** All Counties and Chapters that have youth exhibitors entered will receive one season admission and one season parking pass valid for the duration of the Fair.
- PAN AMERICAN SHOW:** See below.

No. of entries per section	Complimentary Parking	Complimentary Livestock Exhibitor Pass
1-3	0	0
4-10	1	1
11-20	2	2
21-30	3	3
30+	4	4
Certified Mail Fee, \$8 (optional, but recommended)		

8. COMPLIMENTARY TRAILER PARKING: The trailer parking lot is monitored by security personnel. State Fair assumes no responsibility for vehicles or trailers parked in this lot. No trailers will be allowed to park on grounds. Official release will be required to remove trailer from lot (See specific departments/divisions for release times).

9. LIVESTOCK EXHIBITOR ADMISSION AND PARKING CREDENTIALS

	Purchased by 9/1	Purchased after 9/1
Livestock Exhibitor Pass	\$15	\$25
Sec. 1 Parking	\$20	\$30
Sec. 2-4 Parking	\$45	\$55
Fur & Feather Parking	\$20	\$30
Season Admission Pass	\$40	\$50

10. DAILY SFT ADMISSION:

General Admission	\$18
Seniors, age 60+	\$14
Children, under 48"	\$14
Children, age 2 and under	Free
Daily Parking	\$15

11. RETURNED CHECKS: Any check issued for payment that fails to clear will have five (5) days to re-issue payment accompanied with a \$35 returned check fee in order to keep entries eligible.

12. REFUNDS:

- a. Entry fees for competitive events are refundable when written notification of cancellation is postmarked prior to the applicable entry deadline.
- b. Admission and parking pass fees are refundable when written notification of cancellation, along with all distributed credentials is received prior to the opening day of the Fair.
- c. All refund requests must be made for amounts greater than \$20.
- d. Refunds will be forwarded to the entry applicant after the closing of the Fair. Cash refunds are payable by bank check. All refunds, whatsoever, not claimed within 90 days upon receipt, shall be deemed forfeited to State Fair.

COMPETITION

13. JUDGES:

- a. **SELECTION OF JUDGES:** Judges will be selected by SFT Management. Judges will be familiar with all rules and department requirements.
- b. **JUDGES' DECISION:** The judges' decisions are final. See below for protest details.
- c. **INTERFERENCE WITH JUDGES:** If any exhibitor, in any way, whether in person or by their representative, interferes with the judge(s), or shows any disrespect to them or to show officials, State Fair management may excuse him/her from the ring and disqualify them from further competition; exhibitor premiums that may have been awarded may also be forfeited.

14. PROTESTS:

- a. **FILING:** All protests must be in writing and accompanied by a deposit of \$300.00, cash or certified check, which will be forfeited if protest is not sustained. Such protest must state plainly the cause of the complaint or appeal and must be delivered to State Fair Management immediately after the occasion for such protest.
 1. Protests will be accepted prior to, during and within 2 hours immediately following the conclusion of judging.
 2. Any protest as to the eligibility on account of age or breeding of animals must be filed with the management prior to the day on which they are to be judged.
 3. No protests will be accepted for over looked entries.
- b. **INVESTIGATION:** Judging procedures will not be interrupted for protest investigation; and depending on the basis of the protest, a decision may be withheld until a thorough investigation is completed.

15. SHOW RING COMPETITION:

- a. **HUMANE TREATMENT:** Exhibitors are to treat animals in a humane manner at all times. Show Management will provide a warning to any exhibitor deemed to be in violation of this basic principle of animal husbandry. Any exhibitor who fails to heed the warning will be disqualified and removed from show grounds. Show Instruments (ex: show sticks, driving sticks, bats, etc.) are to be used for the purpose of directing animals while they are in transit throughout the barn and while they are being exhibited in the show ring.
- b. **COMMUNICATION DEVICES:** **NO** electronic/communication devices are allowed in the show ring. This includes cell phones, PDA's, laptops, walkie-talkies, and other communication devices.
- c. **ENTRY NUMBER:** Each entry in the Pan-Am and Youth Livestock Shows will be assigned an entry number. This number will identify animals in the show and will correspond with the numbers in the Official Judge's Book and must be displayed by exhibitors when the entries are being judged.
- d. **METHOD OF AWARDING:** No animal will be awarded a prize unless removed from its stall or pen and exhibited, with entry number, before the judge(s) in the designated show ring. The management reserves the right to return entries and cancel any class in which, in its judgement, the numbers of entries are insufficient to ensure adequate competition. Where there are fewer entries in a class than the number of premiums offered, the judge(s) may, at their discretion, award a prize or prizes of such grade as the animal merits.
- e. **TIME OF JUDGING:** The Livestock Schedule, as published in this premium list, will be followed as closely as possible. Exhibitors should ascertain at what time the exhibits entered will be judged. Judging will not be delayed for exhibitors entering the show ring late. Any exhibit not presented promptly at the scheduled time will be ruled out and excluded from competition when the class is called.
- f. **JUDGING CONTESTS:** When an exhibitor is called upon to furnish one or more animals for any judging contest(s), he or she will cooperate with State Fair Management. Refusing to allow an animal to be used in this manner, without State Fair Management approval, will result in the forfeit of any prizes or such other action as State Fair Management deems necessary. Selection will be made under the direction of the department superintendent(s).
- g. **DISQUALIFICATION:** If an exhibit is disqualified after having won awards or premiums, the exhibits placing below WILL NOT be moved up to fill the vacated position. There will be no refund of any fees due to disqualification.
- h. **UNWORTHY EXHIBIT:** Judges shall not award a prize to an unworthy exhibit. It is the intention of the management that no premium or distinction of any kind shall be given to any exhibit that is not deserving.

- 16. PHOTOGRAPHS/VIDEOS:** Photographs of Champion and Reserve Champion exhibits will be taken by the official photographer of the State Fair. Exhibitors of Champion and Reserve Champion winners must make themselves and their exhibits available for the taking of official photographs with the possibility of videos. Exhibitor hereby grants State Fair permission to utilize photographs/videos, image or likeness in whole or in part for use in official State Fair publications and promotions.
- 17. PREMIUM PAYOUT:** Total premiums will be paid by State Fair unless otherwise stated. Premiums will be forwarded to designated person(s) as directed, as soon after the close of the Fair as they can properly be processed. Cash premiums are payable by bank check. Checks will be made payable to the exhibitor listed on the entry form. All premiums whatsoever, not claimed within 90 days upon receipt, shall be deemed forfeited to State Fair. State Fair reserves the right to withhold premiums awarded in every case in which it shall appear to the State Fair Management that the Rules have not been complied with, or that fraud or deception has been practiced or attempted.

COMPETITION EXHIBITS

- 18. HEALTH REQUIREMENT:** All animals entering Fair Park must comply with the requirements as determined by the Texas Animal Health Commission. TAHC reserves the right to modify requirements at any time. If needed, the State Fair of Texas requirements may exceed TAHC.
- 19. STALLS/BEDDING:** Stall space will only be assigned for animals that arrive on the grounds. Animals entered, but not arriving on the grounds will not receive stall space or first bedding. Assigned stalls will be pre-bed upon arrival or exhibitors will be provided a coupon that may be exchanged for first bedding material through the State Fair of Texas Feed Office on the grounds on the day of arrival only. Only bagged or baled wood shavings or chips and small square baled straw, in very limited quantities for an individual exhibitors use as first bedding, will be permitted on the grounds and the same will be available from the State Fair of Texas Feed Office. All additional bedding must be purchased from the State Fair of Texas Feed Office. Special and specific stall requests must be submitted on the Stall Request Form by September 1. There is no guarantee that any stall request can or will be honored.
- 20. FEED/HAY:** Feed grains of all types and hay will be available, at reasonable prices, through the State Fair Feed Office on grounds. Exhibitors are not allowed to bring large quantities of feed, bedding or hay on grounds. However, exhibitors who must use their own feed will be allowed to bring the feed on grounds in limited amounts daily.
- 21. ANIMAL/EXHIBITOR DISQUALIFICATION:** In order to foster fair competition, provide a level playing field and protect the safety of the food chain, the showing of unethically fitted livestock, livestock of ineligible age for exhibition in the class entered, and/or animals being administered unapproved drugs is strictly prohibited. Additionally, any animal that has been administered a drug, even though that drug is FDA approved for its species, is subject to disqualification if that animal tests positive for that drug once it has arrived at State Fair and/or participated in State Fair shows. All animals must remain negative/clear of all drug and chemical residues while on State Fair grounds.
- a. UNETHICAL FITTING:** Unethical fitting means any attempt to alter the natural appearance, conformation, musculature or weight of an animal by any unnatural means. Animals showing any signs of being unethically fitted will be disqualified. Examples of unethical fitting include, but are not limited to the following:
- Application of any substance to any part of the animal's body, unless specifically allowed in the department rules of that entry
 - Use of injection
 - Draining of fluids
 - Bruising
 - Feeding of material not conducive to the health of the animal, safety of food or marketability of its carcass
 - Surgical alterations
 - Artificially filling animals by stomach pumping or airing injections
- b. OVER AGE ANIMALS:** Over age animals will be disqualified.
- c. UNAPPROVED DRUG USE:** The showing of an animal that during its life has been administered any quantity of any unapproved drug, chemical or medication is strictly prohibited. Such drugs include, but are not limited to, any diuretic, unapproved growth stimulant or other unapproved medication. Unapproved means not approved by the FDA and/or the USDA for slaughter animals of a species, including animals that may be destined for human consumption.
- d. APPROVED DRUG USE:** If an animal has been administered a drug that is FDA approved for its species, sufficient time must have passed so that the drug has been completely eliminated from the animals system, and the animal does not test positive for that drug upon arrival at the Fairgrounds. Animals must remain free and clear of all drug and chemical residues while on the Fairgrounds and/or participating in State Fair shows. Please note that elimination time (the time it takes for no drug residue to be found in the system) is generally longer than the labeled withdrawal time for most approved drugs.
- e. ANIMAL INSPECTION:** As condition for participation in the State Fair shows, exhibitor agrees to submit any animal entered by the exhibitor for inspection by any veterinarian or show official appointed by State Fair Management. Exhibitor also agrees to have such animal submitted to any tests requested by State Fair. Exhibitor also agrees

that the opinion reached by State Fair or its officials as to whether such animal is unethically fitted or over age shall be final and binding without recourse against State Fair, its officials or any of its appointed veterinarians. Further, State Fair specifically reserves the right to have ultrasound, D.N.A., tissue, blood or urine laboratory analysis made on any animal entered for State Fair competition. The conclusions reached by the veterinarian or laboratory shall be final and binding without recourse against State Fair, its officials or any of its appointed veterinarians. An exhibitor of an animal that is found to be unethically fitted, over age, and/or testing positive for any drug or medication or unapproved substance

- f. may forfeit all titles, awards, auction proceeds, premiums, scholarships, as well as rights and privileges to exhibit livestock in the future at the Fair. Exhibitor waives any cause of action which he/she might have for any action taken under these Rules, and releases State Fair and any appointed veterinarian from any and all claims or demands whatsoever in connection with the inspection or testing of any such animal or any ruling or action taken by reason of the conclusion of such veterinarian.
 - g. **UNMANAGEABLE ANIMALS:** State Fair may disqualify any animal deemed unmanageable.
 - h. **NON-ADHERENCE TO THE RULES:** Any person found guilty of misrepresentation or not abiding by the Rules in this premium list will be disqualified and denied the privilege of showing at the Fair.
 - i. **EMERGENCY TREATMENT:** If an animal requires emergency treatment while on State Fairgrounds, only a licensed veterinarian will be allowed to administer any drug, chemical or feed additive. An exhibitor may choose a licensed veterinarian other than the Official State Fair Veterinarian, but the Official State Fair Veterinarian **MUST** be notified in advance and he/she **MUST** be present. Animals which are administered treatments with a withdrawal or extended elimination time period will be disqualified from competition. Furthermore, the Official State Fair Veterinarian, in agreement with State Fair Management, reserves the right to treat any animal if, in the opinion of the Official State Fair Veterinarian; it is in the best interest of the animal's health and well-being to be treated. If the Official State Fair Veterinarian administers treatment to an animal, and therefore uses any medication that does not meet the appropriate withdrawal and/or elimination time, such animal will be determined ineligible for competition.
 - j. **TREATMENT COSTS:** All treatment costs are the responsibility of the exhibitor.
 - k. **DISQUALIFICATION/CONDEMNATION OF ANIMAL:** State Fair practices a "zero tolerance" policy on all residue violations. State Fair reserves the right to condemn and/or disqualify any animal, either live or slaughtered, found in violation of the Rules, and the exhibitor will forfeit all auction sale and/or premium money if the animal is disqualified. If an animal(s) is disqualified, the class placing will not change. A disqualified exhibitor may forfeit all rights and privileges to exhibit livestock in the future at the Fair, as well as any and all State Fair scholarship opportunities. Disqualifications due to violations of State Fair Rules as stated in this premium list or the Entry Certification, Release and Indemnity agreement and any consequences will be decided by State Fair Management. These decisions may be appealed to State Fair's Executive Committee from whose decision there can be no further appeal.
- 22. POSTMORTEM EXAMINATIONS:** The City of Dallas and State Fair require a postmortem examination of any animal or poultry which dies during the Fair. This examination must be performed by the Official State Fair Veterinarian at the expense of the exhibitor.
- 23. CONDUCT:** Any exhibitors or their representatives not cooperating with State Fair officials in all matters, while on the Fairgrounds, will have their entries disqualified and will be ordered to remove their exhibit from the grounds immediately and may lose the opportunity to participate in future competitions.
- 24. GROOMING:** Animals are to be shown in natural conformation and color, except where stated otherwise in this premium list. Any product used externally to alter the conformation and/or appearance of an animal for exhibition is prohibited. This includes, but is not limited to, false hair, artificial color, adhesives, or other similar substances.
- 25. PUMPING:** Artificially filling animals by stomach pumping per esophagus is strictly prohibited.
- 26. MUZZLES:** Muzzles must be cloth, nylon or similar material. **NO METAL MUZZLES.**
- 27. DRENCHING:** Drench guns may not be used in any stall/pen, aisle or walkway. Stomach pumping, drench tubes or any other method per os (by esophagus) is prohibited.
- 28. RELEASE:** Entries must be on exhibit at the official opening of the Fair or any other time specified in the premium list and shall not be removed from the Fairgrounds prior to the release date printed in the premium list, except at the discretion of State Fair Management.

DISPLAYS AND NON-LIVESTOCK EXHIBITS

- 29. DISPLAYS:** All displays/exhibits must remain in assigned space and out of pedestrian aisles. All curtains, drapes, decorations, merchandise, or material must be Non-Combustible or Flame Proof. Fire Marshalls will inspect exhibits and ask you to remove any materials that they believe is a fire hazard.
- 30. CARE OF EXHIBITS/PROPERTY:** All owners or others in charge of livestock, poultry or other property shall care for, guard, protect and preserve the same, as State Fair does not undertake to do so, and it shall not be held responsible for any loss or damage to said property, poultry or livestock. State Fair does not provide special security or guard services for the livestock area and is not responsible for the acts of third parties.

- 31. OBJECTIONABLE EXHIBITS:** State Fair Management, in its sole and reasonable discretion, reserves the right to remove from the Fairgrounds any exhibit, animal, stand or display that may be falsely entered, or may be deemed unsuitable or objectionable. State Fair will refund any money already paid by the removed exhibitor which shall exonerate the State Fair from any claims whatsoever on the part of such removed exhibitor.
- 32. ADVERTISING:** No person will be permitted to distribute any literature or advertising materials on the Fairgrounds, except from a valid contracted exhibit space. The tacking or posting of any advertisement, bills, etc., other than within the exhibit space as defined by State Fair is strictly prohibited. The distribution of handbills, fliers and heralds will not be permitted. Nothing shall be sold or given away or otherwise disposed of by exhibitors which will in any way conflict with, or which is subject matter of, any privilege or concession granted or sold by State Fair.
- 33. CLEANUP:** All stalls, pens and exhibition places must be cleaned before 7:00 a.m. each day and refuse matter disposed of as directed by State Fair Management. For those exhibitors refusing to keep their stalls, pens and/or exhibits clean and neat, State Fair Management reserves the right to have said stalls or pens properly cleaned with the cost to be charged against the exhibitor. Said cost will be collected from the exhibitor before release is issued.
- 34. EQUIPMENT:** Any equipment brought in must be used in assigned stalls or space and must comply with and be used in compliance with all federal, state and municipal occupational safety and health regulations. Some equipment may require a special permit and a fee to be paid before being utilized on grounds.
 - a. SCALES:** State Fair will provide scales for the use of exhibitors during shows that classes are broken by weight. No other scales will be allowed on the Fairgrounds.
 - b. FANS:** Fans are not allowed in any pedestrian aisle. No rear fans are allowed. No exceptions.
 - c. GENERATORS:** City of Dallas Fire Prevention Code prohibits liquid or gas fired portable generators or other equipment in livestock facilities in all enclosed structural areas. No liquefied petroleum-fueled or flammable or combustible liquid-fuel generators or other devices will be allowed.
 - d. GROOMING/TRIM CHUTES:** Chutes will be allowed with appropriate, purchased permit. Chutes must remain in assigned stall space (if available based on entry numbers) and may not be placed in any aisle or walkway.
- 35. DOGS:** Dogs are not allowed on Fairgrounds, except service dogs aiding sight impaired or physically challenged persons, or dogs under contract with State Fair.
- 36. NURSE COWS:** Nurse cows are not allowed on grounds.

**STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
ANIMAL HEALTH SUMMARY OF REQUIREMENTS
Effective: June, 2016**

THESE REGULATIONS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE AT ANY TIME.

The following summary is a condensed version of the Texas Animal Health Commission regulations. The regulations will supersede this summary if there is a dispute between the two. **FOR MORE INFORMATION, contact the Texas Animal Health Commission by calling (512)719-0777 (24 hours) or 1(800)550-8242, ext. 777, or by writing the TAHC, P.O. Box 12966, Austin, TX 78711-2966.**

The State Fair of Texas® Youth Livestock Shows are restricted to intrastate entries. The Pan-American Livestock Exposition® and State Fair of Texas Horse Shows are open, interstate shows, accepting entries of livestock, equine and poultry from within Texas, other states, and other countries.

Certificate of Veterinary Inspection The certificate must indicate that the accredited veterinarian found the animals or fowl to be free of symptoms or evidence of communicable disease and that all tests, immunizations or treatments required by the Commission were completed. For certain diseases, a specific statement may be required indicating disease free status. The certificate is required to accompany animals and fowl entering the State of Texas and Fair Park as stated in the following summary of entry requirements.

THE CERTIFICATE IS VALID FOR 30 DAYS FOR ALL SPECIES.

Prior Entry Permit Entry permits are required as noted in the following summary of entry requirements. Permits may be obtained by calling (512)719-0777 (24 hours) or 1(800)550-8242, ext. 777, or by writing TAHC, P. O. Box 12966, Austin, TX 78711-2966. **The permit for entry is not required when livestock and ratites enter for the exhibition and return to the state of origin. All poultry entering Texas must be permitted.**

CATTLE (BEEF & DAIRY)

Texas Origin Breeding Cattle

1. **Certificate of Veterinary Inspection** current, within 30 (thirty) days.
2. Youth Market and Prospect Steers do **NOT** require a CVI.
3. All dairy cattle must be identified with official ID and recorded on the certificate of veterinary inspection.
4. Any bulls changing ownership, more than 18 months, must have a negative trichomoniasis test within 60 days. (Does not apply to exhibition only Bulls)

Out-of-State Origin Cattle

1. Must meet the same requirements as Texas Origin Breeding Cattle.
2. Negative tuberculosis (TB) test within 60 days for all sexually intact dairy cattle that are 2 months of age or older or originate from an accredited tuberculosis free herd. In addition, all sexually intact dairy cattle originating from a state or area with anything less than a tuberculosis free state status shall be tested negative for tuberculosis in accordance with the appropriate requirements for states or areas for that status, prior to entry with results of the test recorded on the certificate of veterinary inspection.
3. All bulls entering Texas for the purpose of participating at fairs, shows, exhibitions and/or rodeos and returning to the state of origin, which are more than (12) months of age and capable of breeding may enter the state without testing for trichomoniasis, **but shall obtain a permit prior to entry into the state.** Bulls permitted for entry into the State of Texas under the provisions of this subsection shall not **be commingled with female cattle or used for breeding.** **Bulls that stay in the state more than sixty (60) days must be tested negative for trichomoniasis with one official Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) test.**
4. **The Permit for Entry** is not required when cattle enter for exhibition and return to the state of origin, except for exhibition bulls that do not meet TAHC's Trich entry Requirements.
5. **All sexually intact cattle entering Texas for exhibition purposes and originating from Idaho, Montana or Wyoming must be individually identified and must have a statement on the certificate of veterinary inspection that the animals have never resided in the DSA.**

EQUINE

Texas Origin Equine

1. **Negative equine infectious anemia (EIA) test** (also known as "Coggins Test") within 12 (twelve) months. In state origin equine: foals, under eight months of age, nursing a negative dam are exempt from testing. Test document must be in hand or test results and related information must be shown on the certificate of veterinary inspection.

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- a. A Certificate of Veterinary Inspection, current, and issued within 30 days, and an EIA test is REQUIRED.

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- b. Exhibitors showing between the dates of August 12 - Sept. 26, are required to provide a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection, ONLY, if a horse originates within a 50 mile radius of a specific location that has been identified/quarantined for Vesicular Stomatitis VS/EHV1. An EIA test is still REQUIRED for all horses.

Out of State Origin Equine

1. **Certificate of Veterinary Inspection**, current, issued within 30 (thirty) days or a current, valid equine interstate passport or equine identification card, issued within 6 (six) months.
2. Must meet the same requirements as for Texas Origin Equine.

GOATS

**Texas Origin Goats & Out of State Origin Goats
(not including Youth Market Goats)**

1. **Certificate of Veterinary Inspection**, current, within 30 (thirty) days.
2. Texas - All sexually intact exhibition goats must be officially identified with a Scrapie Eradication Program eartag prior to entry, except registered goats with a registration tattoo and accompanied by registration papers.
3. Out of State – All exhibition goats must be officially identified with a Scrapie Eradication Program eartag prior to entry, except registered goats with a registration tattoo and accompanied by registration papers along with a scrapie premise ID number.

Youth Market Goats

Youth Market Goats are **NOT** required to have a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection.

LLAMAS (Camelidae)

Refer to Exotic Livestock and Ratites

POULTRY

**Texas Origin Poultry
(not including Youth Market Broilers)**

1. **Negative pullorum-typhoid test** within 30 (thirty) days or from flocks that meet either the Texas Pullorum-Typhoid Program or the National Poultry Improvement Plan (NPIP).
2. Poultry must originate from areas where reportable avian diseases are not known to have been active within the last 30 (thirty) days.

Out of State Origin Poultry

NO OUT OF STATE POULTRY ENTRIES PERMITTED.

Youth Market Broilers

Youth Market Broilers are **NOT** required to have a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection.

SHEEP

**Texas Origin Sheep
(not including Youth Market Lambs)**

1. **Certificate of Veterinary Inspection** issued within 30 (thirty) days.
2. All sexually intact exhibition sheep must be officially identified with a Scrapie Eradication Program eartag.

Out of State Origin Sheep

1. Must meet the same requirements as for Texas Origin Sheep.
2. All exhibition sheep must be officially identified with a Scrapie Eradication Program eartag prior to entry.
3. **Negative ELISA brucella ovis test** within 30 (thirty) days for all breeding rams 6 months of age or older. Each ram shall be individually identified with an individual eartag or registration tattoo. This number, along with the test results and name of the approved laboratory and date of test, shall be entered on the certificate of veterinary inspection.

Youth Market Lambs

Youth Market Lambs are **NOT** required to have a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection.

SWINE
Texas Origin Swine
(not including Youth Market Swine)

1. **Certificate of Veterinary Inspection** current, within 30 (thirty) days listing identification and including a **statement that they have not been fed garbage, have not been exposed to pseudorabies, have not been vaccinated for pseudorabies, and have not originated from a premises known to be affected by Novel Swine Enteric Coronavirus Disease(s) (SECD), and have not been exposed to SECD within the last 30 days.**
2. **Leptospirosis vaccination** is required on breeding swine, 6 months of age and older, within 30 (thirty) days with Leptospirosis vaccine containing the following strains: Canicola, Hardjo, Icterohaemorrhagiae, Grippotyphosa, and Pomona.

Out of State Origin Swine

1. Must meet the same requirements as Texas Origin Swine.
2. **Permanent Identification is required on all swine except swine designated to slaughter.**

Youth Market Swine

Certificate of Veterinary Inspection is desirable, but not required for this terminal show. All youth market swine entering the grounds must be in good health and disease free.

EXOTIC LIVESTOCK AND RATITES

Exotic Livestock are defined as grass-eating or plant-eating, single hooved or cloven-hooved mammals that are not indigenous to this state and are known as ungulates, including animals from the swine, horse, tapir, camel, llama, rhinoceros, elephant, deer, and antelope families.

Camelidae are defined as members of the family of animals which include camel, llamas, and vicunas. The domestic members of the genus lama include the llama, alpaca, and guanaco.

Ratites are defined as exotic fowl with a flat breast-bone and small or nonexistent wings, such as ostriches, emu, rheas, and kiwi.

Exotic bovidae are defined as non-indigenous members of the family of animals which includes water buffalo, gnu (wildebeest), addax, antelope and nilgai (among others).

Exotic cervidae are defined as non-indigenous members of the family of animals which includes deer, elk, moose, caribou, reindeer and the sub-family musk deer.

Texas Origin Camelidae

Certificate of Veterinary Inspection current, within 30 (thirty) days.

Texas Origin Ratites

1. **Certificate of Veterinary Inspection** current, within 30 (thirty) days.
2. Individually identified with an implanted electronic device (microchip), tag or band. The identification will be shown on the certificate of veterinary inspection along with the location and name brand of the implanted electronic device. If an animal has more than one implanted microchip, then the location, microchip number, and name brand of each will be documented on the certificate of veterinary inspection; and
3. Tested and found to be serologically negative for Avian Influenza and Salmonella pullorum-typhoid from a sample collected within 30 days of entry. Birds or hatching eggs must originate from flocks that show no evidence of infectious disease and have no history of Avian Influenza in the past six months.

Texas Origin Exotic Bovidae

1. **Certificate of Veterinary Inspection** current, within 30 (thirty) days.
2. **Negative brucellosis test** within the past 30 (thirty) days.
3. **Negative tuberculosis test** within the past 60 (sixty) days.

Texas Origin Exotic Cervidae

1. **Certificate of Veterinary Inspection** current, within 30 (thirty) days.
2. **Negative brucellosis test** within the past 30 (thirty) days.
3. **TWO Negative tuberculosis tests** conducted no less than 90 (ninety) days apart the second test must be conducted within 90 (ninety) days prior to the date of movement; and the animals must be isolated from all other members of the herd during the testing period, or;
 - A. Originate from an accredited free herd, or;

- B. Originated from a qualified herd and have a classified negative 90 (ninety) day tuberculosis test. If the qualifying herd test was administered within 90 (ninety) days of movement, the animal(s) do not require an additional test, or;
- C. Originate from a monitored herd and have a classified negative 90 (ninety) day tuberculosis test, or;
- D. Be less than 12 (twelve) months of age, originate and were born in accredited, qualified, or monitored herds and have not been exposed to cervids from a lower status.

Texas Origin Exotic Swine

1. **Certificate of Veterinary Inspection** current, within 30 (thirty) days.
2. **Negative brucellosis test** within the past 30 (thirty) days or originate from a validated free herd.
3. **Negative pseudorabies test** within the past 30 (thirty) days or originate from a qualified free herd.

Out of State Origin Exotic Livestock and Ratites

Must meet the same requirements as Texas Origin Exotic Livestock and Ratites.

DOGS

DOGS ARE NOT ALLOWED ON THE FAIR GROUNDS because of safety and public health regulations. This rule will be strictly enforced and applies to exhibitors and their employees, as well as to State Fair visitors. This rule does not apply to official dog entries in a sanctioned State Fair of Texas competitive and/or entertainment event or to guide dogs for those with sight impairment. A Certificate of Veterinary Inspection current within 30 days is required to accompany all dogs eligible to enter Fair Park. Certificate must state that the dog has had a rabies vaccination within 1 year.

PAN-AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION®
ANGUS CATTLE
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2016

SUPERINTENDENTS

Jason Cleere, Joe Mask
Randall Williams, Jason Hendricks
Radale Tiner

Entry Deadline		September 1
Move-In	October 12	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 13	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 13	4:00 PM
Show	October 14	8:00 AM
Release	October 16	9:00 AM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

The American Angus Association, 3201 Frederick Blvd., St. Joseph, MO 64506, (816) 233-3101, will participate in premiums offered for classes according to the premium schedule based on the number of head shown. The premium assistance provided by the American Angus Association for participation in this show is in conjunction to the premiums offered by the Fair.

1. A minimum of fifty (50) head must be shown in the division to receive AAA premium support for the following year.
2. Premiums from the association are paid only to registered Angus cattle and only if the registration number is a part of the show report provided to the Association. Therefore, all cattle should be registered at the time of entry to make certain they receive the association's portion of premiums. The association does not pay a percentage on premiums offered in championship classes.
3. Exhibitors must have the original registration certificate on each animal available for check-in at the show. Electronically stored registration certificates are NOT accepted – only the original certificates issued by the AAA.
4. Any female shown with calf at side, calf must be the cow's most recent, natural calf and the calf must be registered by show date and have the original registration certificate at check-in.
5. Only one person at a time shall lead animals into the show ring.
6. Exhibitors who participate in shows that accept premium monies contributed by the AAA are subject to the Association Rules as found in the Breeders Reference Guide of the Association. These rules are found in Part 2; Association Rules. The rules relating directly with the exhibition of Angus cattle are Part 2: Association Rules; Rule 800 Series; including Rule 800-810. These rules can be found at www.angus.org.
7. Altering the conformation and/or appearance of an animal for exhibition is prohibited. This includes the covering of white skin, false tail heads (or use of any false hair), with the exception of false tail switches. The use of graphite, powders, hemp or other similar substances used externally are also prohibited. Other prohibited products include those used internally such as steroids, illegal or unlicensed pharmaceuticals or artificial filling. Any animal found to be in violation will be barred from showing.
8. At any show for which the AAA appropriates funds toward the payment of premiums, no exhibitors, individuals assisting exhibitors or member owners at such show shall be allowed to use any coloring agents, on any animal exhibited. AAA may adopt and implement various tests designed to monitor this prohibition, including but not limited to a "white towel" or "white glove" test. No aerosol cans or other pressurized containers will be allowed in designated make up areas.
9. All animals exhibited are subject to DNA marker or blood type test to verify accuracy of parentage as covered under the Association Rules and for other testing as required by the individual show.
10. Authorized representatives of the Association have the authority to enforce the rules set forth herein, as well as in the Association Rules, including barring of a registered animal from a livestock show at which it is to be shown, if there are reasonable grounds to believe a violation has occurred.
11. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$90; 2nd \$75; 3rd \$60; 4th \$45; 5th \$30
12. **GROUP CLASS PREMIUMS:** 1st \$40; 2nd \$30; 3rd \$20

13. CLASSES OFFERED:

FEMALES

1. Cow/Calf- Cows three (3) years of age and younger, must be born January 1, 2013 – August 31, 2014. Calf must be the cow's most recent, natural calf and be no more than 280 days old on show day.
2. Cow/Calf- Cows four (4) years of age and older, must be born December 31, 2012 or earlier. Calf must be the cow's most recent natural calf and be no more than 280 days old on show day.
3. GRAND CHAMPION COW/CALF PAIR Banner
4. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION COW/CALF PAIR Banner

- Grand and Res. Cow/Calf pairs are ineligible for Grand Female or group classes.
5. Calved on or after March 1, 2016
 6. Calved February 1- February 28, 2016
 7. Calved January 1 – January 31, 2016
 8. Champion Junior Heifer Calf Ribbon
 9. Reserve Champion Junior Heifer Calf Ribbon
 10. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
 11. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
 12. Champion Senior Heifer Calf Ribbon
 13. Reserve Champion Senior Heifer Calf Ribbon
 14. Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015
 15. Calved May 1 – June 30, 2015
 16. Champion Intermediate Heifer Ribbon
 17. Reserve Champion Intermediate Heifer Ribbon
 18. Calved April 1 – April 30, 2015
 19. Calved March 1 – March 31, 2015
 20. Calved February 1 – February 28, 2015
 21. Calved January 1 – January 31, 2015
 22. Champion Junior Female Ribbon
 23. Reserve Champion Junior Female Ribbon
 24. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2014
 25. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2014
 26. Champion Senior Female Ribbon
 27. Reserve Champion Senior Female Ribbon
 28. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE Banner
 29. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE Banner

BULLS

30. Calved on or after March 1, 2016
31. Calved January 1 – February 28, 2016
32. Champion Junior Bull Calf Ribbon
33. Reserve Champion Junior Bull Calf Ribbon
34. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
35. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
36. Champion Senior Bull Calf Ribbon
37. Reserve Champion Senior Bull Calf Ribbon
38. Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015
39. Calved May 1 – June 30, 2015
40. Champion Intermediate Bull Ribbon
41. Reserve Champion Intermediate Bull Ribbon
42. Calved April 1 – 30, 2015
43. Calved March 1 – 31, 2015
44. Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015
45. Champion Junior Bull Ribbon
46. Reserve Champion Junior Bull Ribbon
47. Calved September 1 – December 31, 2014
48. Calved May 1 – August 31, 2014
49. Calved January 1 – April 30, 2014
50. Champion Senior Bull Ribbon
51. Reserve Champion Senior Bull Ribbon
52. GRAND CHAMPION BULL Banner
53. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL Banner

GROUP CLASSES

- 54G. Junior Get-Of-Sire: 3 offspring of 1 sire; both sexes represented; all shown in individual age classes; early summer yearling or younger class. Sire must be named.
- 55G. Get-Of-Sire: 4 offspring of 1 sire; both sexes represented; all shown in individual age class. Sire must be named.

56G. Breeder's 6 Head: The exhibitor must be the breeder and first owner, identified by the same member code for the animals exhibited. Cattle owned by other exhibitors may be included provided the exhibitor of the breeder's six head is the breeder and first owner of the included animal(s). Animals must be exhibited in individual classes. Cattle bred and owned by a junior member(s) may be included if the exhibitor of the breeders six head is an individual or married couple and is the parent or legal guardian of the junior member(s).

PAN-AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION®
BEEFMASTER SHOW
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2016

SUPERINTENDENT:
 Ralph Hawkins, Doug Andrews

Entry Deadline		September 1
Move-In	October 19	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 20	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 20	4:00 PM
Show	October 21	8:00 AM
Begin Release	October 23	9:00 AM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

Beefmaster Breeders United, 6800 Park Ten Blvd #290W, San Antonio, TX, 78213, (210) 732-3132

1. All animal tattoos will be checked for legibility and must match the registration papers for that animal. Animals with illegible tattoos or incorrect papers will not be allowed to show.
2. Animals entered in group classes must have been shown in an individual class.
3. Heifers exhibited at 24 months of age must be accompanied by a certificate of pregnancy or be nursing their calf at side (6 months or under).
4. No animal may be shown that has had any foreign objects glued to or otherwise attached in a manner so as to alter its conformation or change its appearance. Animals unethically fitted to alter the conformation or appearance of the animals will be disqualified.
5. All bulls 12 months and older must be led with a nose lead at all times.
6. All animals must be shown with their hair coats laying flat against their entire body. Hair trimming is permissible. Those few areas such as the legs, tail head and portions of the top line of the animal which may not naturally lay flat against the body must be trimmed to be flush with adjacent portions of the hair coat. Hair may not be trained or pulled upwards and forwards. No animals may have any foreign objects attached to it in any manner or have its natural color altered in a manner so as to change the conformation or appearance. An exhibitor who fails to abide by this rule will be dismissed from the arena and/or forfeit premiums, awards and points from the show.
7. All bulls 20 months of age or older that are exhibited must have passed a fertility examination given by a licensed veterinarian to be eligible to show.
8. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$50; 2nd \$40; 3rd \$35; 4th \$30
9. **GROUP CLASS PREMIUMS:** 1st \$30; 2nd \$15
10. **CLASSES:**

FEMALES

1. Calved on or after May 1, 2016
2. Calved April 1- April 30
3. Calved March 1- March 30, 2016
4. Calved February 1- February 29, 2016
5. Calved January 1- January 31, 2016
6. Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
7. Reserve Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
8. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
9. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
10. Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015
11. Calved May 1- June 30, 2015
12. Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
13. Reserve Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
14. Calved April 1 – April 30, 2015
15. Calved March 1- March 31, 2015
16. Calved February 1-February 28, 2015
17. Calved January 1-January 31, 2015
18. Champion Intermediate Heifer Ribbon
19. Reserve Champion Intermediate Heifer Ribbon
20. Calved November 1- December 31, 2014
21. Calved September 1- October 31, 2014
22. Calved May 1 – August 31, 2014
23. Calved January 1 – April 30, 2014

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| 24. | Champion Senior Female | Ribbon |
| 25. | Reserve Champion Senior Female | Ribbon |
| 26. | GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE | Banner |
| 27. | RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE | Banner |

BULLS

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| 28. | Calved on or after April 1, 2016 | |
| 29. | Calved March 1-31, 2016 | |
| 30. | Calved February 1- February 28, 2016 | |
| 31. | Calved January 1- January 31, 2016 | |
| 32. | Champion Bull Calf | Ribbon |
| 33. | Reserve Champion Bull Calf | Ribbon |
| 34. | Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015 | |
| 35. | Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015 | |
| 36. | Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015 | |
| 37. | Calved May 1- June 30, 2015 | |
| 38. | Champion Junior Bull | Ribbon |
| 39. | Reserve Champion Junior Bull | Ribbon |
| 40. | Calved April 1 – April 30, 2015 | |
| 41. | Calved March 1 – March 31 | |
| 42. | Calved February 1 – February 28, 2015 | |
| 43. | Calved January 1 – January 31, 2015 | |
| 44. | Champion Intermediate Bull | Ribbon |
| 45. | Reserve Champion Intermediate Bull | Ribbon |
| 46. | Calved September 1- December 31, 2014 | |
| 47. | Calved May 1 – August 31, 2014 | |
| 48. | Calved January 1 – April 30, 2014 | |
| 49. | Champion Senior Bull | Ribbon |
| 50. | Reserve Champion Senior Bull | Ribbon |
| 51. | GRAND CHAMPION BULL | Banner |
| 52. | RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL | Banner |

GROUPS CLASSES

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| 53G. | Get of Sire: Three offspring of one sire; all shown in individual age class; Sire must be named |
| 54G. | Produce of Dam: Two offsprings of one dam; all shown in individual age class; Dam must be named |

**PAN-AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION®
NATIONAL BRAHMAN SHOW
WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY OCTOBER 19-20, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENTS

Michael Schertz, Paul Maulsby

Entry Deadline		September 1
Move-In	October 16	8:00 PM (tie-outs only)
	October 17	8:00 AM
Checked-In	October 18	2:00 PM
Show	October 19	10:00 AM
Show	October 20	8:00 AM
Release	October 20	10:00 AM
Must be out of the barn	October 20	8:00 PM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

American Brahman Breeders Association, 3003 S Loop Ste 520, Houston, TX, 77054, (713) 349-0854

1. Animals must be registered in the American Brahman Breeders Association to be eligible to compete in association sponsored shows. The registration certificate (or photocopy) for each entry must be available for presentation to the superintendent or manager of the show at the time entries are verified prior to judging.
2. The registration number and animal identification number (number branded on animal) of (1) each animal must be entered in an individual class, (2) the sire of each get-of-sire entry and (3) the dam of each produce-of-dam entry must be listed on the entry card of each animal entered.
3. Entries that have not complied with rules one (1) and two (2) will not be eligible to show, receive premium monies or earn points in the association's Register of Renown.
4. Animals to be eligible to be shown in group classes must be entered and shown in individual classes.
5. Entries will be listed numerically according to age (oldest first) in catalogs and judging schedules. Include animal identification number (number brand) as a part of identification. When entering the arena for judging, the handlers will line cattle up numerically in the same order.
6. Judges will be allowed to comment on placings in selected classes when conditions permit.
7. Each animal will be presented in the show ring in its natural conformation and structure without alteration or modification. Alteration or modification shall be defined to include any surgical or circulatory constriction including banding or other appearance change, save only branding, tattooing, foot trimming or dehorning. Injections of foreign substances for cosmetic purposes shall be prohibited. If to the satisfaction of the ABBA's staff, Officers, Executive Committee or Board of Directors; any animal has had its natural conformation and structure altered or been administered steroids, growth hormones or stimulants; then said animal shall be ruled ineligible to compete until such time the show committee and owner/owners have reviewed the case. Any violators, both owner and fitter will be ineligible to exhibit cattle at ABBA approved shows for 5 years.
8. In cases where families, companies, corporations, etc., are operated as a unit under the same management but have cattle also registered in the name of individual partners, said cattle, even though bearing a different ownership brand, are eligible to be shown in competition under the firm name provided they have not been and will not be shown in the name of the individuals.
9. For females being shown in the three oldest classes ****CURRENT YEAR LESS 3 YEARS**** (females calved Sept. 1 - August 31, 2013 for Fall Shows), exhibitor must have a certificate of pregnancy issued by a licensed veterinarian and will be presented to show officials at time of check-in or registration paper check. The show reserves the right to perform pregnancy determination by palpation for females in the above classes at any given ABBA approved show if an official protest has been filed. For Fall Shows only the last class of females is required to have a calf at side. The only exemption from this rule will be cows that have already weaned a calf and a registration certificate of the calf **MUST** be presented to the judge.
10. **All bulls will be shown with a nose ring or nose restraint with lead attached.** For bulls showing in the oldest class, the exhibitor must have a certificate issued by a licensed veterinarian stating the bull has produced viable semen. This certificate must be available for inspection by the judge on request.
11. No exhibitor shall be permitted to show more than one produce or embryo - produce of dam, per dam.
12. Cows that are exhibited with calves at side must be in a lactating stage. Calves must be shown and exhibited with their dams and said calves must not exceed 240 days of age on day of judging. The judge will be made aware the ring steward for those cows whose calves are ineligible to show by this rule.
13. Cattle will not be allowed to show if their switches have been balled or glitter applied to their skin.
14. In the get-of-sire and produce-of-dam classes, breeders will not be allowed to show cattle of mixed color. They will be entered as to the color division they are assigned by the Color Committee for the show. If so, the following procedure

will apply. All grey cattle and solid black cattle will show grey. Red, black and white speckled or red and white speckled cattle will show red. Cattle with questionable colored pigmentation may be entered in the color division the breeder selects, however, said cattle are subject to inspection by a three member ABBA committee. If the Color Committee disagrees with the breeder, the pedigree of said animal will then be used to aid in the final determination, but color pigmentation will take preference. In those cases, where questionable colored cattle possess both red and grey breeding, then the committee will make the final determination. The decision of the committee is final. Once animals have been classified they will remain in that classification unless they were young at time of classification and it is apparent that they have changed their color. In the get-of-sire and produce-of-dam classes, breeders will be allowed to show cattle of varying color. They will be entered as to the color division of the sire in case of get-of-sire and dam in case of produce-of-dam. In other words, if a get is mixed red and grey and the sire was red; then the get will be entered in the red division show. At split shows where the color committee is not present, a staff member with (2) ABBA directors will clarify questionable colored cattle for that particular show. The final classification will be done by the Color Committee. {Revised 08/99}

15. The owner of record of any registered animal entered in an ABBA approved shows and/or his/her agent, exhibitor, fitter, handler and/or representative releases ABBA and its representatives from any and all liability that seller/owner might claim as a result of injury of any kind sustained before, during, or after handling cattle for any ABBA board approved activity.
16. For shows to remain approved ABBA point shows, show must maintain 20 head average for previous 2 years.
17. The official ABBA rules and procedures governing showing and exhibiting of registered Brahman cattle supersede any rules printed in any show catalog.
18. In an attempt to insure that all animals receive an equal evaluation at the National and International Shows, classes with more than 30 entries may at the discretion of the Show Management and/or ABBA Officials be split by age as evenly as possible.
19. Any animal that exceeds the weight & measurement requirements at the International Brahman Show, National Brahman Show or any other designated show where weights & measurements are taken will be ineligible to show at any future ABBA approved shows until they reach the Junior Division. Any animal that exceeds the parameters and is shown at an ABBA approved show before reaching the Junior Division will be ineligible to show their remaining career. Both the exhibitor and owner of the previously disqualified animal that is shown before reaching the Junior Division will be ineligible to show their animals for 13 months following the infraction.
20. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$70; 2nd \$45; 3rd \$30; 4th \$25; 5th \$20
21. **GROUP PREMIUMS:** 1st \$30; 2nd \$15;
22. **CLASSES:**

RED BRAHAM GROUPS

- 101G. Produce of Dam: Two natural born offspring of one dam; all shown in their individual age classes. Dam must be named. One entry per exhibitor per dam
- 102G. Embryo Produce of Dam: Two embryo transfer offspring of one dam; all shown in their individual age classes. Dam must be named. One entry per exhibitor per dam
- 103G. Get-Of-Sire: Four offspring of one sire; by at least two dams; both sexes represented; all shown in their individual age classes. Sire must be named. One entry per exhibitor per sire.

GRAY BRAHAM GROUPS

- 104G. Produce of Dam: Two natural born offspring of one dam; all shown in their individual age classes. Dam must be named. One entry per exhibitor per dam
- 105G. Embryo Produce of Dam: Two embryo transfer offspring of one dam; all shown in their individual age classes. Dam must be named. One entry per exhibitor per dam
- 106G. Get-Of-Sire: Four offspring of one sire; by at least two dams; both sexes represented; all shown in their individual age classes. Sire must be named. One entry per exhibitor per sire

RED BRAHAM FEMALES

1. Spring Heifer Calf, calved March 1 – April 30, 2016
2. Junior Heifer Calf, calved January 1 - February 28, 2016
3. Winter Heifer Calf, calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
4. Senior Heifer Calf, calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
5. Calf Champion Banner
6. Reserve Calf Champion Banner
13. Late Summer Yearling Heifer, calved July 1 – August 31, 2015
14. Early Summer Yearling Heifer, calved May 1 – June 30, 2015
15. Late Junior Yearling Heifer, calved April 1 – April 30, 2015
16. Junior Yearling Heifer, calved March 1 – March 31, 2015
17. Intermediate Champion Banner
18. Reserve Intermediate Champion Banner
25. Early Junior Yearling Heifer, calved January 1 – February 28, 2015
26. Late Senior Yearling Heifer, calved November 1 – December 31, 2014

- 27. Early Senior Yearling Heifer, calved September 1 – October 31, 2014
- 28. Junior Champion Banner
- 29. Reserve Junior Champion Banner
- 35. *Aged Summer Heifer, calved May 1 – August 31, 2014
- 36. *Aged Spring Heifer, calved January 1 – April 30, 2014
- 37. **Aged Fall Heifer, calved September 1 – December 31, 2013
- 38. Senior Champion Banner
- 39. Reserve Senior Champion Banner
- 40. GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER Banner
- 41. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER Banner
- * **Must be examined safe in calf**
- ** **Must have calf at side**

GRAY BRAHMAN FEMALES

- 7. Spring Heifer Calf, calved March 1 – April 30, 2016
- 8. Junior Heifer Calf, calved January 1 - February 28, 2016
- 9. Winter Heifer Calf, calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
- 10. Senior Heifer Calf, calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
- 11. Calf Champion Banner
- 12. Reserve Calf Champion Banner
- 19. Late Summer Yearling Heifer, calved July 1 – August 31, 2015
- 20. Early Summer Yearling Heifer, calved May 1 – June 30, 2015
- 21. Late Junior Yearling Heifer, calved April 1 – April 30, 2015
- 22. Junior Yearling Heifer, calved March 1 – March 31, 2015
- 23. Intermediate Champion Banner
- 24. Reserve Intermediate Champion Banner
- 30. Early Junior Yearling Heifer, calved January 1 – February 28, 2015
- 31. Late Senior Yearling Heifer, calved November 1 – December 31, 2014
- 32. Early Senior Yearling Heifer, calved September 1 – October 31, 2014
- 33. Junior Champion Banner
- 34. Reserve Junior Champion Banner
- 42. *Aged Summer Heifer, calved May 1 – August 31, 2014
- 43. *Aged Spring Heifer, calved January 1 – April 30, 2014
- 44. **Aged Fall Heifer, calved September 1 – December 31, 2013
- 45. Senior Champion Banner
- 46. Reserve Senior Champion Banner
- 47. GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER Banner
- 48. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER Banner
- * **Must be examined safe in calf**
- ** **Must have calf at side**

RED BRAHMAN BULLS

- 49. Spring Bull Calf, calved March 1 – April 30, 2016
- 50. Junior Bull Calf, calved January 1 - February 28, 2016
- 51. Winter Bull Calf, calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
- 52. Senior Bull Calf, calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
- 53. Calf Champion Banner
- 54. Reserve Calf Champion Banner
- 61. Late Summer Yearling Bull, calved July 1 – August 31, 2015
- 62. Early Summer Yearling Bull, calved May 1 – June 30, 2015
- 63. Late Junior Yearling Bull, calved April 1 – April 30, 2015
- 64. Junior Yearling Bull, calved March 1 – March 31, 2015
- 65. Intermediate Champion Banner
- 66. Reserve Intermediate Champion Banner
- 73. Early Junior Yearling Bull, calved January 1 – February 28, 2015
- 74. Late Senior Yearling Bull, calved November 1 – December 31, 2014
- 75. Early Senior Yearling Bull, calved September 1 – October 31, 2014
- 76. Junior Champion Banner
- 77. Reserve Junior Champion Banner
- 83. Aged Summer Bull, calved May 1 – August 31, 2014
- 84. Aged Spring Bull, calved January 1 – April 30, 2014
- 85. Aged Fall Bull, calved September 1 – December 31, 2013
- 86. Senior Champion Banner

87. Reserve Senior Champion	Banner
88. GRAND CHAMPION BULL	Banner
89. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL	Banner
GRAY BRAHMAN BULLS	
55. Spring Bull Calf, calved March 1 – April 30, 2016	
56. Junior Bull Calf, calved January 1 - February 28, 2016	
57. Winter Bull Calf, calved November 1 – December 31, 2015	
58. Senior Bull Calf, calved September 1 – October 31, 2015	
59. Calf Champion	Banner
60. Reserve Calf Champion	Banner
67. Late Summer Yearling Bull, calved July 1 – August 31, 2015	
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69. Late Junior Yearling Bull, calved April 1 – April 30, 2015	
70. Junior Yearling Bull, calved March 1 – March 31, 2015	
71. Intermediate Champion	Banner
72. Reserve Intermediate Champion	Banner
78. Early Junior Yearling Bull, calved January 1 – February 28, 2015	
79. Late Senior Yearling Bull, calved November 1 – December 31, 2014	
80. Early Senior Yearling Bull, calved September 1 – October 31, 2014	
81. Junior Champion	Banner
82. Reserve Junior Champion	Banner
90. Aged Summer Bull, calved May 1 – August 31, 2014	
91. Aged Spring Bull, calved January 1 – April 30, 2014	
92. Aged Fall Bull, calved September 1 – December 31, 2013	
93. Senior Champion	Banner
94. Reserve Senior Champion	Banner
95. GRAND CHAMPION BULL	Banner
96. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL	Banner

PAN-AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION®
BRANGUS CATTLE
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2016

SUPERINTENDENT:
Ralph Hawkins, Doug Andrews

Entry Deadline		September 1
Move-In	October 19	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 20	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 20	4:00 PM
Show	October 21	8:00 AM
Release	October 23	9:00 AM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

Texas Brangus Breeders Association, 5750 Epsilon, San Antonio, TX, 78249, (210) 558-0800

1. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$50; 2nd \$40; 3rd \$35; 4th \$30
2. **GROUP CLASS PREMIUMS:** 1ST \$50; 2ND \$30, 3RD \$20
3. **CLASSES:**

FEMALES

1. Calved on or after March 1, 2016
2. Calved February 1- February 28, 2016
3. Calved January 1- January 31, 2016
4. Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
5. Reserve Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
6. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
7. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
8. Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015
9. Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
10. Reserve Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
11. Calved May 1- June 30, 2015
12. Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015
13. Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015
14. Champion Intermediate Heifer Ribbon
15. Reserve Champion Intermediate Heifer Ribbon
16. Calved September 1- December 31, 2014
17. Calved May 1 – August 31, 2014
18. Calved January 1 – April 30, 2014
19. Champion Senior Female Ribbon
20. Reserve Champion Senior Female Ribbon
21. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE Banner
22. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE Banner

BULLS

23. Calved on or after March 1, 2016
24. Calved February 1- February 28, 2016
25. Calved January 1- January 31, 2016
26. Champion Bull Calf Ribbon
27. Reserve Champion Bull Calf Ribbon
28. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
29. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
30. Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015
31. Champion Junior Bull Ribbon
32. Reserve Champion Junior Bull Ribbon
33. Calved May 1- June 30, 2015
34. Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015
35. Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015
36. Champion Intermediate Bull Ribbon
37. Reserve Champion Intermediate Bull Ribbon
38. Calved September 1- December 31, 2014

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| 39. | Calved May 1 – August 31, 2014 | |
| 40. | Calved January 1 – April 30, 2014 | |
| 41. | Champion Senior Bull | Ribbon |
| 42. | Reserve Champion Senior Bull | Ribbon |
| 43. | GRAND CHAMPION BULL | Banner |
| 44. | RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL | Banner |

GROUPS:

- 45G. Get of Sire: Three offspring of one sire; all shown in individual age class; Sire must be named
- 46G. Best Three Head: Three animals; all owned (or co-owned) by exhibitor; all shown in individual age class.
- 47G. Produce of Dam: Two offsprings of one dam; all shown in individual age class; Dam must be named

PAN-AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION®
HEREFORD CATTLE
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2016

SUPERINTENDENTS

Jason Cleere, Joe Mask
Randall Williams, Jason Hendricks
Radale Tiner

Entry Deadline		September 1
Move-In	October 12	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 13	7:00AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 13	4:00 PM
Show	October 14	8:00 AM
Release	October 16	9:00 AM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

Texas Hereford Association, 4609 Airport FWY, Fort Worth, TX, 76117, (817) 831-3161

1. All Hereford entries must be duly recorded with the American Hereford Association. Any animal with a pending registration or without a legible tattoo will not be eligible for show competition. All entries are subject to provisions and rules for showing as set forth by the American Hereford Association Board of Directors, and are subject to supervision of the Show and Sale Committee representing the AHA.
2. Expected Progeny Difference (EPD) values will be provided to the judge and audience for all animals shown. Animals without EPD data are eligible to show, but will have N/A (not available) in place of missing EPD data.
3. The original registration certificate (or photocopy) for each entry must be available for presentation to the Superintendent of the Show at any time during the show.
4. An animal that is scurred (scurs are small, rudimentary horns that are loosely attached to the head, which are considered to be expressed only in animals that are genetically heterozygous for the polled gene) will show in the polled division of Hereford Shows. Once an animal is confirmed to be scurred by an AHA field representative, then this designation will be placed on the animal's registration papers. Once this determination has been made and reported to the AHA office, then the owner(s) may remove the scurs. Animals with scurs removed will show in the polled division of the Hereford Shows. Once an animal is confirmed polled or scurred they will retain this designation forever.
5. Premier Breeder and Premier Exhibitor are awarded with the following point system: 1ST=5 pts; 2ND=4 pts; 3RD=3 pts; 4TH=2 pts; 5TH=1 pt. No points awarded for champions. Points will be awarded for the Get of Sire and Best Six Head for Premier Exhibitor and Get of Sire for Premier Breeder using the same scoring system as above.
6. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$90; 2nd \$75; 3rd \$50; 4th \$40; 5th \$30
7. **GROUP CLASSES:** 1st \$40; 2nd \$30; 3rd \$20
8. **CLASSES:**

FEMALES

1. Calved on or after March 1, 2016
2. Calved February 1 - February 28, 2016
3. Calved January 1 – January 31, 2016
4. Champion Junior Heifer Calf Banner
5. Reserve Champion Junior Heifer Calf Banner
6. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
7. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
8. Champion Winter Heifer Calf Banner
9. Reserve Champion Winter Heifer Calf Banner
10. Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015
11. Calved May 1 – June 30, 2015
12. Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015
13. Champion Intermediate Heifer Banner
14. Reserve Champion Intermediate Heifer Banner
15. Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015
16. Calved September 1 – December 31, 2014
17. Champion Yearling Heifer Banner
18. Reserve Champion Yearling Heifer Banner
19. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE Banner
20. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE Banner
21. Cow/Calf: Any female older than above ages with a calf at side.

- Calf cannot be more than 270 days old. Calf is eligible to enter individual age class
22. Champion Cow/Calf
 23. Reserve Champion Cow/Calf

BULLS

24. Calved on or after March 1, 2016
25. Calved January 1 - February 28, 2016
26. Champion Junior Bull Calf Banner
27. Reserve Champion Junior Bull Calf Banner
28. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
29. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
30. Champion Winter Bull Calf Banner
31. Reserve Champion Winter Bull Calf Banner
32. Calved May 1 – August 31, 2015
33. Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015
34. Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015
35. Champion Junior Yearling Bull Banner
36. Reserve Champion Junior Yearling Bull Banner
37. Calved September 1 – December 31, 2014
38. Calved January 1 – August 31, 2014
39. Champion Senior Bull Banner
40. Reserve Champion Senior Bull Banner
41. GRAND CHAMPION BULL Banner
42. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL Banner

GROUPS

- 43G. Get-Of-Sire: Four animals shown in above single entry classes with both sexes represented and all to be the progeny of one sire. All cattle exhibited in the get-of-sire must be bred and owned by the exhibitor or a member of their immediate family.
- 44G. Best-Six-Head: Owned by exhibitor. All animals must have been shown in their respective single entry classes and they must be owned by exhibitor or by a member of their immediate family.
- 45P. Premier Exhibitor Banner
- 46P. Premier Breeder Banner

PAN-AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION®
LONGHORN CATTLE
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2016

SUPERINTENDENTS
Trigg Moore, Traci Moore

Entry Deadline		September 1
Move-In	October 7	8:00 AM
Checked-In	October 7	6:00 PM
Haltered Show	October 8	10:00 AM
Non-Haltered Show	October 8	5:00 PM
Grand Champion Selection	October 8	7:00 PM
Release	October 9	3:00 PM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

1. Entries in these classes for this show must be registered with the International Texas Longhorn Association (ITLA) and/or the Texas Longhorn Breeders Association of America (TLBAA).
2. The State Fair of Texas reserves the right to present for registry any animal entered in the show to any longhorn association recognized by the State Fair of Texas. This will be done at no charge to the exhibitor/owner.
3. **Entry fee is \$45.** (\$30 SFT fee, \$15 TLBAA fee.) All entries must be submitted to the State Fair of Texas either online or paper entry forms by September 1, 2016.
4. All animals must be at least 120 days old to be eligible to show.
5. No grooming chutes are allowed.
6. All animals will be shown at halter (with an exception to non-haltered classes). All bulls will be shown at halter WITH NOSE LEAD. Group classes will be shown at halter from female age classes 3-11 and bull age classes 22-29.
7. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$100; 2nd \$85; 3rd \$70; 4th \$60; 5th \$50
8. **GROUP CLASSES:** 1st \$40; 2nd \$30; 3rd \$20
9. **CLASSES OFFERED:**

HALTERED FEMALES

1. Born, September-December 2016
2. Born, July-August, 2016
3. Born, May-June, 2016
4. Born, March-April, 2016
5. Born, January-February, 2016
6. Junior Champion Haltered Female Ribbon
7. Reserve Junior Champion Haltered Female Ribbon
8. Born, September-December, 2015
9. Born, May-August, 2015
10. Born, January-April, 2015
11. Born, 2014
12. Senior Champion Haltered Female Ribbon
13. Reserve Senior Champion Haltered Female Ribbon
14. GRAND CHAMPION HALTERED FEMALE Banner, Buckle
15. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION HALTERED FEMALE Banner
16. Born 2010-2013
17. Born 2009 or before
18. GRAND CHAMPION HALTERED MATURE FEMALE Banner, Buckle
19. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION HALTERED MATURE FEMALE Banner

BULLS

20. Born, September-December 2016
21. Born, July-August, 2016
22. Born, May-June, 2016
23. Born, March-April, 2016
24. Born, January-February, 2016
25. Junior Champion Bull Ribbon
26. Reserve Junior Champion Bull Ribbon
27. Born, September-December, 2015
28. Born, May-August, 2015
29. Born, January-April, 2015

(Exhibitors in class 27-29 must be in the senior division of TLBT or older)

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| 30. Senior Champion Bull | Ribbon |
| 31. Reserve Senior Champion Bull | Ribbon |
| 32. GRAND CHAMPION BULL | Banner, Buckle |
| 33. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL | Banner |

GROUP CLASSES

- 34. Produce of Dam: Two natural born offspring of one dam; any sex; all shown in their individual age class. Dam must be named.
- 35. Get-Of-Sire: Three natural born offspring of one sire; both sexes; all shown in their individual age class. Sire must be named.

***All Non-Haltered cattle will be judged on horseback, loose and co-mingled with other entries. There will be no crossover between Halter and Non-Halter Divisions in the females.**

NON-HALTERED FEMALES

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| 36. Born, September-December 2016 | |
| 37. Born, July-August, 2016 | |
| 38. Born, May-June, 2016 | |
| 39. Born, March-April, 2016 | |
| 40. Born, January-February, 2016 | |
| 41. Junior Champion Non-Haltered Female | Ribbon |
| 42. Reserve Junior Champion Non-Haltered Female | Ribbon |
| 43. Born, September-December, 2015 | |
| 44. Born, May-August, 2015 | |
| 45. Born, January-April, 2015 | |
| 46. Born, 2014 | |
| 47. Senior Champion Non-Haltered Female | Ribbon |
| 48. Reserve Senior Champion Non-Haltered Female | Ribbon |
| 49. GRAND CHAMPION NON-HALTERED FEMALE | Banner, Buckle |
| 50. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION NON-HALTERED FEMALE | Banner |
| 51. Born 2012-2013 | |
| 52. Born 2010-2011 | |
| 53. Born 2009 | |
| 54. Born 2008 and before | |
| 55. GRAND CHAMPION NON-HALTERED MATURE FEMALE | Banner, Buckle |
| 56. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION NON- HALTERED MATURE FEMALE | Banner |

NON- HALTERED TROPHY STEERS

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| 57. Junior Steer, Born 2014-2015 | |
| 58. Junior Steer, Born 2012-2013 | |
| 59. Junior Champion Trophy Steer | Ribbon |
| 60. Reserve Junior Champion Trophy Steer | Ribbon |
| 61. Senior Steer, Born 2008-2011 | |
| 62. Senior Steer, Born 2007 and before | |
| 63. Senior Champion Trophy Steer | Ribbon |
| 64. Reserve Senior Champion Trophy Steer | Ribbon |
| 65. GRAND CHAMPION LONGHORN STEER | Banner, Buckle |
| 66. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION LONGHORN STEER | Banner |

PAN-AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION®
MINIATURE HEREFORD CATTLE
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2016

SUPERINTENDENTS

Jason Cleere, Joe Mask
Randall Williams, Jason Hendricks
Radale Tiner

Entry Deadline	October 12	September 1
Move-In	October 13	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
Checked-In	October 13	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Show	October 14	4:00 PM
Release	October 16	8:00 AM
		9:00 AM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

1. Entries must be registered with the American Hereford Association. Animals with pending or applied for registration are not eligible to show.
2. Entries are subject to provisions and rules for showing as set forth by the AHA Board of Directors and are subject to supervision of the show committee representing the MHBA.
3. All exhibitors must be current/paid members of the Miniature Hereford Breeders Association to be eligible.
4. All entries will be measured. Maximum height for all entries is a frame score one (1) on the extended graph of the AHA Chart. Mature females cannot measure more than 45" at the point of their hip. Mature males cannot measure more than 48" at the point of their hip. All entries will be measured on Friday, October 3. Entries exceeding the height requirement will be disqualified.
5. All horned and polled Miniature Hereford cattle will show together.
6. Any animal without a legible tattoo will not be eligible
7. Premier Breeder and Premier Exhibitor are awarded with the following point system: 1ST=5 pts; 2ND=4 pts; 3RD=3pts; 4TH=2pts; 5TH=1pt. No points awarded for champions. Points will be awarded for the Get of Sire and Best Six Head for Premier Exhibitor and Get of Sire for Premier Breeder using the same scoring system as above,
8. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$60; 2nd \$40; 3rd \$30; 4th \$20
9. **CLASSES:**

FEMALES

1. Calved on or after March 1, 2016
2. Calved January 1- February 28, 2016
3. Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
4. Reserve Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
5. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
6. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
7. Champion Junior Heifer Calf Ribbon
8. Reserve Champion Junior Heifer Calf Ribbon
9. Calved July 1 – August 30, 2015
10. Calved May 1 – June 30, 2015
11. Champion Intermediate Heifer Ribbon
12. Reserve Champion Intermediate Heifer Ribbon
13. Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015
14. Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015
15. Champion Yearling Heifer Ribbon
16. Reserve Champion Yearling Heifer Ribbon
17. Calved September 1 – December 31, 2014
18. Champion Senior Heifer Ribbon
19. Reserve Champion Senior Heifer Ribbon
20. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE Banner
21. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE Banner
22. Cow/Calf: Any female older than above ages with a calf at side. Calf cannot be older than 270 days of age. Calf is eligible to enter individual age class
23. Champion Cow/Calf Banner
24. Reserve Champion Cow/Calf Banner

BULLS

25. Calved on or after March 1, 2016	
26. Calved January 1- February 28, 2016	
27. Champion Bull Calf	Ribbon
28. Reserve Champion Bull Calf	Ribbon
29. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015	
30. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015	
31. Champion Junior Bull Calf	Ribbon
32. Reserve Champion Junior Bull Calf	Ribbon
33. Calved May 1 – August 30, 2015	
34. Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015	
35. Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015	
36. Champion Yearling Bull	Ribbon
37. Reserve Champion Yearling Bull	Ribbon
38. Calved September 1 – December 31, 2014	
39. Calved January 1 – August 31, 2014	
40. Champion Senior Bull	Ribbon
41. Reserve Champion Senior Bull	Ribbon
42. GRAND CHAMPION BULL	Banner
43. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL	Banner

STEERS: Prospect steers less than 16 months old at time of show, divided according to weight if there are more than 7 entries.

44. Light	
45. Medium	
46. Heavy	
47. Grand Champion Prospect Steer	Banner
48. Reserve Grand Champion Prospect Steer	Banner

GROUPS

49G. Two Females: bred and owned by exhibitor. Animals must have been entered and shown in individual classes	
50G. Two Bulls: bred and owned by exhibitor. Animals must have been entered and shown in individual classes	
51P. Premier Exhibitor	Banner
52P. Premier Breeder	Banner

**PRE-JUNIOR MINIATURE HEREFORD STEER & HEIFER SHOW
2016 RULES AND REGULATIONS**

1. Eligibility for Entry
 - a. To be eligible to exhibit, the youth must be three (3) years of age but not eleven (11) on January 1 of the show year. Birth certificates will be required at time of arrival.
 - b. Exhibitors must be current active members of the Miniature Hereford Breeders Association. Siblings may share family membership.
 - c. Steers must be registered in the AHA and meet height restrictions in order to participate.
 - d. Steers that are over the height restriction will show in an OCC (out of class) and will not be eligible for prizes or premiums.
 - e. Steers will be allowed ½ inch over the hip-height chart accepted for use by the MHBA until the animal reaches fourteen months of age. At that point, they must be within the chart range.
2. Rules and Regulations: General rules and regulations of individual shows apply to this division as well as those listed.
3. Ownership
 - a. Ownership of prospect steers must be established by September 1, 2016.
 - b. Ownership of Market steers must be established by May 1, 2016.
 - c. Animals must be in the name of the exhibitor or their parent/guardian.
4. Possession, Care and Feeding
 - a. Animals entered must be in the possession of the exhibitor no later than the above dates. The exhibitor is responsible for the general custody, care and feeding of their animal when possible, or to help when it is not possible to care for the animal unassisted. Family members and fellow participants may help with these tasks.
 - b. All animals in this division MUST be completely broke to lead for the safety of the exhibitor and others in the show ring. Animals not deemed fit will be removed from the show ring and disqualified from the competition.
5. Fitting of Animal
 - a. All animals will be fitted and be presented in proper condition for a beef show. Exhibitors are encouraged to help in any way that is safe and possible for them to do so, but not endanger either themselves, their animals, or others in the process.
 - b. Alteration of conformation and structure by prohibited substance or unethical fitting is prohibited. Any violation of this rule will result in immediate disqualification without recourse.
 - c. The injection, use or administration of any drug that is prohibited by Federal, State or Local Law or any drug that is used in a manner prohibited by Federal, State or Local Law will result in immediate disqualification without recourse.
 - d. Any physical or physiological attempt to alter the natural musculature or weight by use of injections or ingested material not conducive to the continued health or marketability of beef carcasses or for deception will result in immediate disqualification without recourse.
 - e. Every participant in consideration of their entry being accepted by the show, specifically represents that no animal entered is misrepresented in any way except trimming of feet and blocking of hair.
6. Official weight and height
 - a. The weight recorded at the time of check-in will be the official weight and height of the animal.
7. Check weight and height
 - a. The MHBA reserves the right, at its discretion, to check the weight and height of any animal.
8. Showing of animals
 - a. Participants in this division under the age of 5 will be required to have parental, sibling, or other participant accompaniment in the show ring, except showmanship classes.
 - b. All participants may have parental, sibling, or other participant accompaniment in the show ring, except showmanship classes.
 - c. Participants are to handle the majority of the showing, and the use of the show stick. Assistants may help in the control of the animal.
9. Show harness
 - a. All Pre-Junior exhibitors will be required to wear a show number harness for each animal shown in a class to hold the number in plain sight.
10. Showmanship
 - a. Any exhibitor who shows unassisted may compete in this class.
 - b. Animal must be owned and entered by participant to show in this class.
 - c. All animals' class and OCC may participate in this competition.
11. Safety
 - a. The purpose for the Pre-Junior steer classes is to offer the opportunity to young cattlemen and women to participate in cow shows despite their lack of age required to show in a Junior Show. In many cases, these

young people have spent HOURS at the barn with their parents and siblings working “show calves”. To go to a show and not be allowed to participate can be boring and tiresome for those with less than developed attention spans. Although the rules and regulations have been set, Safety is the most important factor in this event. We want these young agriculturalist to enjoy their showing days, from the beginning on up, so please, make sure the children and the animals are prepared to participate. Animals can be unpredictable, but the more time the exhibitor spends with the animal prior to the show, the better you can expect it to cooperate when the surroundings change.

CLASSES:

PROSPECT STEER: Steers less than 16 months of age at time of show; entries will be divided by weight if more than 5 entries.

1. Light
2. Medium
3. Heavy
4. Champion Prospect Steer Banner
5. Reserve Champion Prospect Steer Banner

MARKET STEER: Steers 16 months of age and older at time of show will be divided by weight if more than 5 entries.

6. Light
7. Medium
8. Heavy
9. Champion Market Steer Banner
10. Reserve Champion Market Steer Banner

HEIFERS

11. Junior Heifers born March 1, 2016 through September 30, 2016
12. Junior Heifers born September 1, 2015 through February 28, 2016
13. Champion Junior Heifer Banner
14. Reserve Champion Junior Heifer Banner
15. Intermediate Heifers born Mar 1, 2015 through August 30, 2015
16. Intermediate Heifers born September 1, 2014 through February 28, 2015
17. Champion Intermediate Heifer Banner
18. Reserve Champion Intermediate Heifer Banner
19. Grand Champion Pre Jr. Heifer Banner
20. Reserve Grand Champion Pre Jr. Heifer Banner

SHOWMANSHIP

21. Pre-Junior Showmanship Ribbons
22. Pre-Junior Champion Showmanship Banner
23. Pre-Junior Reserve Champion Showmanship Banner

**PAN AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION®
MINIATURE ZEBU CATTLE SHOW
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 2, 2016**

Entry Deadline		September 1
Move-In	September 29	8:00 AM
Checked-In	September 30	5:00 PM
Show	October 2	10:00 AM
Release	October 2	12:00 PM
Must be out of the barn	October 2	7:00 PM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

1. **RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this division shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations and Pan-Am Department Requirements as published in this premium list.
2. **OWNERSHIP:** All Miniature Zebu cattle must be owned by the exhibitor by September 1 prior to the show date of the Fair. **September 1, 2016 will be the date by which age will be determined.**
3. **REGISTRATION:** Each animal shown in this division must be registered with the American Miniature Zebu Association and a copy of the original certificate of registration must be presented to the superintendent prior to the registration check deadline and kept available at all times during the show for each animal exhibited.
4. **GROOMING, FITTING, AND SHOWING:** All animals must be clean and brushed; washing facilities are located on the fairgrounds. No foreign objects may be applied to the animal to alter its appearance, no artificial coloring, dye, glitter or additional hair of any kind. Horns and hooves may be polished but not painted. All animals must be shown in their natural state. Any animals deemed to be a management problem should be shown with halter **AND** nose lead. **Horned or de-horned animals are acceptable.**
5. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$45; 2nd \$35; 3rd \$25
6. **CHAMPION PREMIUMS:** Grand \$150; Reserve Grand \$75
7. **CLASSES:**

STEERS

1. Steers, 0 – 5 months old
2. Steers, 6 – 11 months old
3. Steers, 12 – 18 months old
4. Steers, 19 – 23 months old
5. Steers, 2 – 3 years old
6. Steers, 4 years and older
7. GRAND CHAMPION STEER Banner
8. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION STEER Banner
9. Champion Challenge Steer (entry fee required) Ribbon

BULLS

10. Junior Bull, 0 – 6 months old
11. Junior Bull, 7 – 12 months old
12. Junior Bull, 13 -18 months old
13. Junior Bull, 19 – 24 months old
14. DIVISION CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL Ribbon
15. RESERVE DIVISION CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL Ribbon
16. Senior Bull, 2 to under 3 years old
17. Senior Bull, 3 to under 4 years old
18. Senior Bull, 4 to under 5 years old
19. Senior Bull, 5 years and older
20. DIVISION CHAMPION SENIOR BULL Ribbon
21. RESERVE DIVISION CHAMPION SENIOR BULL Ribbon
22. GRAND CHAMPION BULL Banner
23. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL Banner
24. Champion Challenge Bulls (regular entry fees apply) Ribbon

FEMALES

25. Junior Heifer (never freshened), 0 – to under 4months
26. Junior Heifer (never freshened), 4 to under 8 months

27. Junior Heifer (never freshened), 8 to under 12 months
28. Junior Heifer (never freshened), 12 to under 18 months
29. Junior Heifer (never freshened), 18 to under 24 months
30. Junior Heifer (never freshened), 24 to under 30 months
31. Junior Heifer (never freshened), 30 to under 42 months
 - (Cows older than 42 months and never freshened may NOT be shown until they have calved at least once.)
32. DIVISION CHAMPION HEIFER Ribbon
33. RESERVE DIVISION CHAMPION HEIFER Ribbon
34. Senior Cows (freshened), under 3 years old
35. Senior Cows (freshened), 3 to under 4 years old
36. Senior Cows (freshened), 4 to under 5 years old
37. Senior Cows (freshened), 5 to under 6 years old
38. Senior Cows (freshened), 6 years and older
39. DIVISION CHAMPION SENIOR COW Ribbon
40. RESERVE DIVISION CHAMPION SENIOR COW Ribbon
41. Champion Challenge Cow (regular entry fees apply) Ribbon
42. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE Banner
43. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE Banner
- 44P. Premier Breeder Banner
- 45P. Premier Exhibitor Banner
- 46P. Herdsmanship Award Banner

**PAN-AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION®
POLLED HEREFORD CATTLE
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENTS

Jason Cleere, Joe Mask,
Randall Williams, Jason Hendricks
Radale Tiner

Entry Deadline		September 1
Move-In	October 12	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 13	7:00AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 13	4:00 PM
Show	October 14	8:00 AM
Release	October 16	9:00 AM

****EXHIBITORS MUST BE A MEMBER OF TPHA.**

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

Texas Polled Hereford Association, PO Box 1867, Port Lavaca, TX, 77979, (361) 571-8742

- RULES/REGULATIONS:** All Polled Hereford entries must be duly recorded with the American Hereford Association. Any animal with a pending registration or without a legible tattoo will not be eligible for show competition. All entries are subject to provisions and rules for showing as set forth by the American Hereford Association Board of Directors, and are subject to supervision of the Show and Sale Committee representing the AHA.
- ENTRY APPLICATION/FEE:** An entry application and fee of \$30 per class plus a TPHA show fee of \$20 per head; \$50 total per entry.
- Expected Progeny Difference (EPD) values will be provided to the judge and audience for all animals shown. Animals without EPD data are eligible to show, but will have N/A (not available) in place of missing EPD data.
- The original registration certificate (or photocopy) for each entry must be available for presentation to the Superintendent of the Show at any time during the show.
- An animal that is scurred (scurs are small, rudimentary horns that are loosely attached to the head, which are considered to be expressed only in animals that are genetically heterozygous for the polled gene) will show in the polled division of Hereford Shows. Once an animal is confirmed to be scurred by an AHA field representative, then this designation will be placed on the animal's registration papers. Once this determination has been made and reported to the AHA office, then the owner(s) may remove the scurs. Animals with scurs removed will show in the polled division of the Hereford Shows. Once an animal is confirmed polled or scurred they will retain this designation forever.
- Premier Breeder and Premier Exhibitor are awarded with the following point system: 1ST=5 pts; 2ND=4 pts; 3RD=3pts; 4TH=2pts; 5TH=1pt. No points awarded for champions. Points will be awarded for the Get of Sire and Best Six Head for Premier Exhibitor and Get of Sire for Premier Breeder using the same scoring system as above.
- PREMIUMS:** 1st \$90; 2nd \$75; 3rd \$50; 4th \$40; 5th \$30
- GROUP CLASSES:** 1st \$40; 2nd \$30; 3rd \$20

9. CLASSES:

FEMALES

- Calved on or after March 1, 2016
- Calved February 1 - February 28, 2016
- Calved January 1 – January 31, 2016
- Champion Junior Heifer Calf Banner
- Reserve Champion Junior Heifer Calf Banner
- Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
- Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
- Champion Winter Heifer Calf Banner
- Reserve Champion Winter Heifer Calf Banner
- Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015
- Calved May 1 – June 30, 2015
- Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015
- Champion Intermediate Heifer Banner
- Reserve Champion Intermediate Heifer Banner
- Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015
- Calved September 1 – December 31, 2014
- Champion Yearling Heifer Banner

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| 18. Reserve Champion Yearling Heifer | Banner |
| 19. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE | Banner |
| 20. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE | Banner |
| 21. Cow/Calf: Any female older than above ages with a calf at side. | |
| • Calf cannot be more than 270 days old. Calf is eligible to enter individual age class | |
| 22. Champion Cow/Calf | |
| 23. Reserve Champion Cow/Calf | |

BULLS

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| 24. Calved on or after March 1, 2016 | |
| 25. Calved January 1 - February 28, 2016 | |
| 26. Champion Junior Bull Calf | Banner |
| 27. Reserve Champion Junior Bull Calf | Banner |
| 28. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015 | |
| 29. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015 | |
| 30. Champion Winter Bull Calf | Banner |
| 31. Reserve Champion Winter Bull Calf | Banner |
| 32. Calved May 1 – August 31, 2015 | |
| 33. Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015 | |
| 34. Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015 | |
| 35. Champion Junior Yearling Bull | Banner |
| 36. Reserve Champion Junior Yearling Bull | Banner |
| 37. Calved September 1 – December 31, 2014 | |
| 38. Calved January 1 – August 31, 2014 | |
| 39. Champion Senior Bull | Banner |
| 40. Reserve Champion Senior Bull | Banner |
| 41. GRAND CHAMPION BULL | Banner |
| 42. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL | Banner |

GROUPS

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| 43G. Get-Of-Sire: Four animals shown in above single entry classes with both sexes represented and all to be the progeny of one sire. All cattle exhibited in the get-of-sire must be bred and owned by the exhibitor or a member of their immediate family. | |
| 44G. Best-Six-Head: Owned by exhibitor. All animals must have been shown in their respective single entry classes and they must be owned by exhibitor or by a member of their immediate family. | |
| 45P. Premier Exhibitor | Banner |
| 46P. Premier Breeder | Banner |

PAN-AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION®
RED ANGUS CATTLE
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2016

SUPERINTENDENTS

Jason Cleere, Joe Mask,
Randall Williams, Jason Hendricks
Radale Tiner

Entry Deadline		September 1
Move-In	October 12	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 13	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 13	4:00 PM
Show	October 14	8:00 AM
Release	October 16	9:00 AM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

Texas Red Angus Association: PO Box 725, Justin, TX 76247, (806) 742-4003

1. Exhibitors will be held responsible to request a complete copy of the Red Angus Standard Show Classification from the National office; Red Angus Association of America, 4201 I-35 North, Denton, TX 76201. Registered Red Angus cattle, including Category 1-A (100%) and Category 1-B (87% through 99%) will be eligible to show.
2. Cattle entered in the State Fair of Texas must be duly entered in their appropriate herdbook. Exhibitors are subject to all rules, regulations and policies of the Red Angus Association of America.
3. Entries in any Red Angus Show are accepted with the understanding that each exhibitor agrees to conform to the rules and regulations of the Red Angus Association with reference to inspection of entries, such as blood typing, mouthing and such other inspections prescribed by the Red Angus Association of America.
4. Any animal entered in a Red Angus Show found to have an illegible tattoo, improper/incorrect tattoo or no tattoo, or dental development in excess of allowable limits, will be disqualified for that and subsequent Red Angus Shows.
5. Each entry in a Red Angus Show must be made in the name of the owner of record, or a member of the immediate family of the owner of record, appearing on the registration certificate.
6. Partnership animals must be so registered and entered under the partnership designation.
7. Exhibitors must have the original registration certificate or the officially produced copies (obtainable from RAAA at no charge) on all entries available for inspection by association or show officials.
8. Animals entered for which registration certificates have been applied for, must have a letter of confirmation from the Red Angus Association national office that such papers are in process.
9. Entry or entries in any Red Angus show must have been registered in the name of the person entering said animal(s) on the date of the advertised deadline for entries.
10. Calf entries in the cow/calf classes may be shown individually, provided an individual entry has been made. Females in cow/calf class, if over maximum allowable age for individual class competition, are not eligible for such participation.
11. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$80; 2nd \$60; 3rd \$40; 4th \$35
12. **GROUP CLASSES:** 1st \$30; 2nd \$15
13. **CLASSES:**

FEMALES

1. May Heifer Calf, calved May 1, 2016 and after
2. April Heifer Calf, calved April 1 – April 30, 2016
3. March Heifer Calf, calved March 1 – March 31, 2016
4. February Heifer Calf, calved February 1 – February 28, 2016
5. January Heifer Calf, calved January 1 – January 31, 2016
6. Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
7. Reserve Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
8. Late Senior Heifer Calf, calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
9. Early Senior Heifer Calf, calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
10. Summer Yearling Heifer, calved May 1 – August 31, 2015
11. Intermediate Heifer Champion Ribbon
12. Reserve Intermediate Heifer Champion Ribbon
13. April Yearling Heifer, calved April 1 – April 30, 2015
14. March Yearling Heifer, calved March 1 – March 31, 2015
15. February Yearling Heifer, calved February 1 – February 28, 2015
16. January Yearling Heifer, calved January 1 – January 31, 2015
17. Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
18. Reserve Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon

19. Senior Yearling Heifer, calved September 1 – December 31, 2014
20. Two Year Old Cow & Calf, calved January 1 – August 31, 2014
21. Mature Cow & Calf, calved on or before December 31, 2013
22. Champion Senior Female Ribbon
23. Reserve Champion Senior Female Ribbon
24. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE Banner
25. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE Banner

BULLS

26. May Bull Calf, calved May 1, 2016 and after
27. April Bull Calf, calved April 1 – April 30, 2016
28. March Bull Calf, calved March 1 – March 31, 2016
29. February Bull Calf, calved February 1 – February 28, 2016
30. January Bull Calf, calved January 1 – January 31, 2016
31. Champion Bull Calf Ribbon
32. Reserve Champion Bull Calf Ribbon
33. Late Senior Bull Calf, calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
34. Early Senior Bull Calf, calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
35. Summer Yearling Bull, calved May 1 – August 31, 2015
36. Intermediate Bull Champion Ribbon
37. Reserve Intermediate Bull Champion Ribbon
38. April Yearling Bull, calved April 1 – April 30, 2015
39. March Yearling Bull, calved March 1 – March 31, 2015
40. February Yearling Bull, calved February 1 – February 28, 2015
41. January Yearling Bull, calved January 1 – January 31, 2015
42. Champion Junior Bull Ribbon
43. Reserve Champion Junior Bull Ribbon
44. Senior Yearling Bull, calved September 1 – December 31, 2014
45. Summer Senior Yearling Bull, calved May 1 – August 31, 2014
46. Two Year Old Bull, calved January 1 – April 30, 2014
47. Champion Senior Bull Ribbon
48. Reserve Champion Senior Bull Ribbon
49. GRAND CHAMPION BULL Banner
50. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL Banner

GROUP CLASSES

- 51G. Senior Get-Of-Sire: Four offspring of one sire; both sexes represented; all shown in their individual age class. Sire must be named.
- 52G. Junior Get-of-Sire: Three offspring of one sire; both sexes represented; all shown in their individual senior calf or younger class. Sire must be named.
- 53G. Produce-of-Dam: Two offspring of one dam; all shown in their individual age class. Dam must be named.
- 54P. Premier Breeder: Four animals; bred and owned by exhibitor (or member of immediate family); all shown in their individual age class. Breeder must be named.
- 55P. Premier Exhibitor: Computed from exhibitor's placement in individual classes only as follows: 1st=3 pts; 2nd=2 pts; 3rd=1 pt. Max. number of placements to be used to determine winner shall be limited to 5. In case of tie, group class placements will be used to determine the winner. Computation done by Texas Red Angus Association.

PAN-AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION®
RED BRANGUS CATTLE
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2016

SUPERINTENDENT:
Ralph Hawkins, Doug Andrews

Entry Deadline		September 1
Move-In	October 19	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 20	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 20	4:00 PM
Show	October 21	8:00 AM
Release	October 23	9:00 AM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

American Red Brangus Association, 3995 E Hwy 290, Dripping Springs, TX, 78620, (512) 858-5048

1. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$50; 2nd \$40; 3rd \$35; 4th \$30
2. **GROUP CLASS PREMIUMS:** 1ST \$30; 2ND \$15
3. **CLASSES OFFERED:**

FEMALES

1. Calved on or after March 1, 2016
2. Calved February 1- February 28, 2016
3. Calved January 1- January 31, 2016
4. Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
5. Reserve Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
6. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
7. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
8. Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015
9. Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
10. Reserve Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
11. Calved May 1- June 30, 2015
12. Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015
13. Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015
14. Champion Intermediate Heifer Ribbon
15. Reserve Champion Intermediate Heifer Ribbon
16. Calved September 1- December 31, 2014
17. Calved May 1 – August 31, 2014
18. Calved January 1 – April 30, 2014
19. Champion Senior Female Ribbon
20. Reserve Champion Senior Female Ribbon
21. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE Banner
22. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE Banner

BULLS

23. Calved on or after March 1, 2016
24. Calved February 1- February 28, 2016
25. Calved January 1- January 31, 2016
26. Champion Bull Calf Ribbon
27. Reserve Champion Bull Calf Ribbon
28. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
29. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
30. Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015
31. Champion Junior Bull Ribbon
32. Reserve Champion Junior Bull Ribbon
33. Calved May 1- June 30, 2015
34. Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015
35. Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015
36. Champion Intermediate Bull Ribbon
37. Reserve Champion Intermediate Bull Ribbon
38. Calved September 1- December 31, 2014

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| 39. | Calved May 1 – August 31, 2014 | |
| 40. | Calved January 1 – April 30, 2014 | |
| 41. | Champion Senior Bull | Ribbon |
| 42. | Reserve Champion Senior Bull | Ribbon |
| 43. | GRAND CHAMPION BULL | Banner |
| 44. | RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL | Banner |

GROUPS:

- 45G. Get of Sire: Three offspring of one sire; all shown in individual age class; Sire must be named
- 46G. Best Three Head: Three animals; all owned (or co-owned) by exhibitor; all shown in individual age class.
- 47G. Produce of Dam: Two offsprings of one dam; all shown in individual age class; Dam must be named

PAN AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION®
SANTA GERTRUDIS CATTLE
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2016

SUPERINTENDENTS

Ralph Hawkins, Doug Andrews

Entry Deadline		September 1
Move-In	October 19	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 20	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 20	4:00 PM
Show	October 21	8:00 AM
Begin Release	October 23	9:00 AM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

Santa Gertrudis Breeders International, PO Box 1257, Kingsville, Texas 7836, (361) 592-9357

1. All exhibits of Santa Gertrudis breeding cattle must be registered with the Santa Gertrudis Association, and shall be governed by the last revised version of the Rules and Regulations for Approved Santa Gertrudis Open & Junior Shows as approved by the board.
2. Each owner must be a bona fide member of SGBI. This means the active or junior member has paid all current dues and fees with no outstanding balances on their account.
3. ALL animals accepted for exhibition in an SGBI sanctioned show are subject to inspection at each show between arrival on grounds and prior to entering the show ring. The inspection will be conducted by a committee comprised of two (2) members of the Shows and Exhibits Committee and one (1) from the Breed Standards Committee.
4. Heifers 24 months of age or older must have produced a calf or be safe in calf as verified by a graduate veterinarian. If animal is open due to being in an embryo transfer program, this fact must be verified by a written statement signed by a licensed embryo technician.
5. A cow shown with calf at side:
 - a. Calf must be her natural calf meeting the Standard of Excellence.
 - b. Calf must be registered if older than 30 days. If calf is less than 30 days of age it is subject to registration.
6. All senior bull classes (late junior yearling bull and over) must have either a nose ring or a nose clip for show purposes.
7. All animals must be individually identified by tattoo and/or numerical fire or freeze brand.
8. All animals must be exhibited with the hair brushed down on the entire body, legs, and tail with no foreign objects attached to the animal in a manner as to alter the animal's conformation or change its appearance. *Exhibitors failing to abide by this rule will not be allowed to show. Specifically, all hair must be brushed down slick; head clipped smooth; underline clipped blending sides; udder and teats clipped with no long hair to emphasize udder; ears clipped as to environmental and local standards; neck and brisket clipped; body clip using common sense as to season; leg hair clipped (no steer or Brahman clips) and do not leave long from hock or knee to hoof; tailhead clipped; pull switch or brush out (no ball, etc.); trim tail (no shear except back side). Fitting handbook should be studied.
9. Each animal exhibited must be exhibited with the correct age and shown in the class corresponding with their correct age. SGBI reserves the right to tooth animals without prior notice to the breeders in order to verify age of cattle.
10. Animals are to be presented in descending order according to age.
11. Polled classes will be entered at the same time as class entries are required by each show.
12. To be eligible to show in Best of Polled, animals must be slick polled with no scurs, no scars, no dehorning and with no evidence of horny tissue.
13. There must be at least 5 exhibitors and 25 head of cattle, or a minimum of 50 head of cattle, to constitute a recognized Santa Gertrudis Show.
14. Shows in which 50 head or less are entered, all early and late classes may be combined at discretion of show officials.
15. Classes with over 30 entries should be divided into sections and section winners return for final placing.
16. The judge must be an SGBI approved judge.
17. Dress for exhibitors participating in SGBI sanctioned Open and Youth shows shall be of neat and clean clothing of collared shirts with sleeves, belts, no midribs showing and appropriate footwear – no tennis shoes. Exhibitors may wear hats or go bareheaded – no caps.
18. Each animal shall be presented in the show ring in its natural conformation and structure without alteration or modification. Alteration or modification shall be defined to include any surgical, chemical, electrical, pharmaceutical or other appearance change, save only branding, tattooing, foot trimming or dehorning. Additionally, no pumping or filling of an animal with a liquid diuretic or any other substance is allowed. ALL animals and exhibitors found to be in violation of this rule will be banned for life from showing at SGBI approved shows.

19. If entries are not properly fitted and good herdsmanship followed, the owner may be asked to not display their cattle until adhering to the proper procedures in herdsmanship paper.
20. Every exhibitor, in consideration of his/her entry being accepted, agrees to submit any animal so entered by him/her to inspection and agrees to have such animal submitted to any tests as may be designated and requested by the Shows and Exhibits Committee, or the authorized representatives of the relevant show or fair, and agrees that the conclusions reached by the committee/representative as to whether such animal is unethically fitted or over age, shall be final, without recourse, against SGBI and designated personnel. Any false representation, interference or unprofessional conduct on the part of any exhibitor will be dealt with by the Shows and Exhibits Committee according to the equities of the case.
21. Any person who furnished the birthday of an animal to SGBI either on the IPRA or some other document (whereby that birthday information is transferred to the registration certificate) and that animal is exhibited in an AGBI approved show with an incorrect age and the age determined by the SGBI designated veterinarian exceeds the age listed on the registration certificate by more than thirty (30) days, the person furnishing the birthday above and such person furnishing said information to SGBI for inclusion on the registration certificate shall be barred from showing in an SGBI approved show for a period of six (6) months for the first offense, one (1) year for the second offense and for life for the third offense. However, the animal, if transferred to another owner, may be placed in the correct class and be shown again.
22. For and in consideration of the opportunity to participate in any SGBI approved show, each exhibitor hereby releases SGBI, its officers, directors and representatives from negligence, any and all claims, suits and judgments, either past, present or future, arising from or connected with the administration or use of such test or examination and the resulting decision therefrom.
23. Any exhibitor desiring to dispute or challenge the results of any text, exam, or show rule enforcement, as applied to his/her animals, shall do so in accordance with the procedures established by the rules.
24. **APPEALS:**
 - a. The Chairman of the Shows and Exhibits Committee and the Vice President of Youth Activities in conjunction with the person(s) responsible for coordinating the individual shows will continue to be primarily vested with authority to determine whether animals entered shows meet the standards formally approved by the Breed Standards Committee.
 - b. In the event the Vice President of Youth Activities or individual show coordinating official disqualifies an animal from participating in a youth show and the exhibitor wants to appeal the disqualification, the appeal process outlined below must be followed.
 - c. In the event the Chairman of Shows and Exhibits or individual show coordinating official disqualifies an animal from participating in a sanctioned show, and the exhibitor wants to appeal the disqualification, the appeal process outlined below must be followed.
 - d. Additionally, any exhibitor participating in an individual youth show or other SGBI sanctioned show that wants to appeal a breed standards disqualification decision by either the Vice President for Youth Activities/youth show coordinating official or the Chairman of Shows and Exhibits/show coordinating official must follow the appeals process outlined below.

APPEALS COMMITTEE

The appeals committee will be comprised by the following three (3) members – Vice President of Breed Improvement, the Vice President of Marketing and Promotions and the Executive Director of SGBI. All three (3) members must be present to constitute a quorum. All decisions rendered by the Appeals Committee will be binding and final for all appeals submitted to the committee.

APPEALS PROCEDURE

- a. All qualification/disqualification appeals and appropriate supporting documentation submitted by exhibitors must be submitted in writing to the Executive Director of SGBI. The written appeal must be accompanied by a \$200 process fee. No waivers will be granted to the requirements for written appeals and the up front \$200 fee.
- b. Exhibitors must file written appeals postmarked or via e-mail within five (5) business days following the date of the show governing the qualification/disqualification decision by the primary officials (Vice President of Youth Activities/show coordinating official or Chairman of Shows and Exhibits/event coordinating official).
- c. The Executive Director will be responsible for coordinating meetings of the Appeals Committee and forwarding copies of the appeal and supporting documentation to the other committee members.
- d. The Appeals Committee will render a final decision within five (5) business days following receipt of the written appeal, appropriate supporting documentation and the \$200 fee.
- e. In the event an exhibitor appeals a disqualification decision by the primary official and the Appeal Committee approves the exhibitor's appeal, the animal covered by the appeal will be qualified to participate in all future SGBI sanctioned events.
- f. In the event an exhibitor appeals a disqualification decision by the primary official and the Appeals Committee disapproves the exhibitor's appeal, the animal covered by the appeal will be disqualified from participating in

future SGBI sanctioned events. Additionally, any points or awards previously given to the owner of the animal will be forfeited.

- g. In the event an exhibitor appeals a qualification decision by the primary official and the Appeals Committee rules that the animal covered by the appeal does not meet breed standards, the covered animal will be disqualified from participating in future shows and the owner of the animal will forfeit any points and awards previously granted.

25. PROCEDURES TO FILE PROTEST:

- a. File protest with show that infraction occurred. Follow their protest rules.
- b. File the same protest with the Shows and Exhibits Committee. Contact the chairman.
- c. Three (3) exhibitors must sign the protest.
- d. All protests must be in writing and accompanied by a deposit of \$100, cash or certified check, which will be forfeited if protest is not sustained. Such protest must state plainly the cause of the complaint or appeal and must be delivered to the Shows and Exhibits Committee within twenty four (24) hours after the occasion for such protest.
- e. Order of hearing a protest:
 - i. Chairman of Shows and Exhibits Committee
 - ii. Action by Shows and Exhibits Committee
 - iii. Final action by Board of Directors
 - iv. Follow appeal procedure as outlined in Rules and Regulations.
- f. All rules and regulations that have been properly protested to the Shows and Exhibits Committee shall be subject to the following penalties:
 - i. Loss of premium money.
 - ii. Loss of awards
 - iii. Suspension from showing the subject animal as deemed necessary. Penalty may be for one (1) show, two (2) shows or three (3) shows, or as long as deemed necessary for the offense.
 - iv. Suspension of the exhibitor being the same as the other SGBI Rules and penalties.

26. Failure to adhere to each show's specific rules shall also be subject to these penalties. Proper protest procedures must be adhered to according to that particular show's rules. SGBI will follow each show's rules, and any action taken by a show will be upheld by SGBI in relation to its bearing on our point show system.

27. **DISQUALIFICATIONS:** An exhibitor who has been disqualified from competition in any livestock show or has had a premium withheld or withdrawn on the grounds of rule violation(s) will not be allowed to compete in other shows. This shall include, but is not limited to, disqualification for fraud, misrepresentation, unethical fitting or deception. Judging procedures will not be interrupted for protest investigation; and depending on the basis of the protest, a decision may be withheld until a thorough investigation is completed. No complaint or appeal that a judge overlooked an animal will be considered. If any exhibitor, in any way, whether in person or by their representative, interferes with the judge(s), or shows any disrespect to them or to show officials, the existing show officials may excuse him/her from the ring and exclude them from further competition; exhibitor premiums that may have been awarded may also be withheld. If an animal is disqualified after having won awards or premiums, the animals placing below him/her may be moved up (at the option of the Shows and Exhibits Committee) to fill the vacated position.

28. RULES FOR HIGH POINT AWARDS:

- a. For each point show, 1ST=2 pts; 2ND=1 pt; Division Champion= 3 pts; Res. Division Champion=2 pts; Grand Champion= 5 pts; and Res Grand Champion= 4 pts; Best of Polled=1 pt, but does not count toward overall points
- b. Get of Sire and Produce of Dam points go toward Exhibitor/Breeder of the Year Awards.
- c. Points will stay with animal if sold.
- d. The Sire and Dam of the Year should have points from at least two (2) different offspring.
- e. All points earned at the National Open Show are to be doubled.

29. **SHOW RING CONDUCT:** If any exhibitor/owner/showman interferes in any way with the judge or shows disrespect to him, or to the show in the ring, the exhibitor/owner/showman may be dismissed by the judge or show management from the ring. The management may withhold premium monies that may have been awarded.

30. **DNA TESTING:** Santa Gertrudis Breeders International and its representatives reserve the right to require any test deemed necessary to verify the accuracy of entry, classification and/or the pedigree of exhibited Santa Gertrudis, including calves exhibited at the side.

31. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$80; 2nd \$65; 3rd \$55; 4th \$40; 5th \$30

32. **GROUP CLASSES:** 1st \$30; 2nd \$15

33. CLASSES:

FEMALES

- 1. Calved on or after March 1, 2016
- 2. Calved February 1- February 28, 2016
- 3. Calved January 1- January 31, 2016
- 4. Champion Heifer Calf

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| 5. | Reserve Champion Heifer Calf | Ribbon |
| 6. | Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015 | |
| 7. | Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015 | |
| 8. | Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015 | |
| 9. | Champion Junior Heifer | Ribbon |
| 10. | Reserve Champion Junior Heifer | Ribbon |
| 11. | Calved May 1- June 30, 2015 | |
| 12. | Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015 | |
| 13. | Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015 | |
| 14. | Champion Intermediate Heifer | Ribbon |
| 15. | Reserve Champion Intermediate Heifer | Ribbon |
| 16. | Calved September 1- December 31, 2014 | |
| 17. | Calved May 1 – August 31, 2014 | |
| 18. | Calved January 1 – April 30, 2014 | |
| 19. | Champion Senior Female | Ribbon |
| 20. | Reserve Champion Senior Female | Ribbon |
| 21. | GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE | Banner |
| 22. | RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE | Banner |
| 23. | Best of Polled Female: Must be smooth polled with no
horny tissue; must have paid entry fee prior to deadline. | Briefcase |

*Entries in classes 16 and 17 must have produced a calf; or verified safe in calf by a veterinarian.

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| 24. | Calved on or after March 1, 2016 | |
| 25. | Calved February 1- February 28, 2016 | |
| 26. | Calved January 1- January 31, 2016 | |
| 27. | Champion Bull Calf | Ribbon |
| 28. | Reserve Champion Bull Calf | Ribbon |
| 29. | Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015 | |
| 30. | Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015 | |
| 31. | Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015 | |
| 32. | Champion Junior Bull | Ribbon |
| 33. | Reserve Champion Junior Bull | Ribbon |
| 34. | Calved May 1- June 30, 2015 | |
| 35. | Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015 | |
| 36. | Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015 | |
| 37. | Champion Intermediate Bull | Ribbon |
| 38. | Reserve Champion Intermediate Bull | Ribbon |
| 39. | Calved September 1- December 31, 2014 | |
| 40. | Calved May 1 – August 31, 2014 | |
| 41. | Calved January 1 – April 30, 2014 | |
| 42. | Champion Senior Bull | Ribbon |
| 43. | Reserve Champion Senior Bull | Ribbon |
| 44. | GRAND CHAMPION BULL | Banner |
| 45. | RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL | Banner |
| 46. | Best of Polled Bull; Must be smooth polled with no horny
tissue; must have paid entry fee prior to deadline. | Briefcase |

GROUP CLASSES

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| 47G. | Get of Sire: Three offspring of one sire; all shown in individual age class; Sire must be named |
| 48G. | Best Three Head: Three animals; all owned (or co-owned) by exhibitor; all shown in individual class. |
| 49G. | Produce of Dam: Two offsprings of one dam; all shown in individual age class; Dam must be named |

PAN-AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION®
SHORTHORN CATTLE
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2016

SUPERINTENDENTS

Jason Cleere, Joe Mask,
Randall Williams, Jason Hendricks
Radale Tiner

Entry Deadline		September 1
Move-In	October 12	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 13	7:00AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 13	4:00 PM
Show	October 14	8:00 AM
Release	October 16	9:00 AM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

American Shorthorn Association, 8288 Hascall St, Omaha, NE, 68124, (402) 393-7200

1. All cattle must be registered with the Shorthorn Association to be eligible to show.
2. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$50; 2nd \$40; 3rd \$35; 4th \$30
3. **GROUP CLASS PREMIUMS:** 1ST \$40; 2ND \$30, 3RD \$20
4. **CLASSES:**

FEMALES:

1. Calved on or after March 1, 2016
2. Calved February 1- February 28, 2016
3. Calved January 1- January 31, 2016
4. Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
5. Reserve Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
6. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
7. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
8. Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015
9. Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
10. Reserve Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
11. Calved May 1- June 30, 2015
12. Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015
13. Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015
14. Champion Intermediate Heifer Ribbon
15. Reserve Champion Intermediate Heifer Ribbon
16. Calved September 1- December 31, 2014
17. Calved May 1 – August 31, 2014
18. Calved January 1 – April 30, 2014
19. Champion Senior Female Ribbon
20. Reserve Champion Senior Female Ribbon
21. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE Banner
22. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE Banner

BULLS:

23. Calved on or after March 1, 2016
24. Calved February 1- February 28, 2016
25. Calved January 1- January 31, 2016
26. Champion Bull Calf Ribbon
27. Reserve Champion Bull Calf Ribbon
28. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
29. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
30. Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015
31. Champion Junior Bull Ribbon
32. Reserve Champion Junior Bull Ribbon
33. Calved May 1- June 30, 2015
34. Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015
35. Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015
36. Champion Intermediate Bull Ribbon

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| 37. | Reserve Champion Intermediate Bull | Ribbon |
| 38. | Calved September 1- December 31, 2014 | |
| 39. | Calved May 1 – August 31, 2014 | |
| 40. | Calved January 1 – April 30, 2014 | |
| 41. | Champion Senior Bull | Ribbon |
| 42. | Reserve Champion Senior Bull | Ribbon |
| 43. | GRAND CHAMPION BULL | Banner |
| 44. | RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL | Banner |

GROUP CLASSES

- 45G. Get of Sire: Three offspring of one sire; all shown in individual age class; Sire must be named
- 46G. Best Three Head: Three animals; all owned (or co-owned) by exhibitor; all shown in individual age class.
- 47G. Produce of Dam: Two offsprings of one dam; all shown in individual age class; Dam must be named

PAN AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION®
SIMBRAH CATTLE
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2016

SUPERINTENDENTS

Ralph Hawkins, Doug Andrews

Entry Deadline		September 1
Move-In	October 19	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 20	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 20	4:00 PM
Show	October 21	8:00 AM
Begin Release	October 23	9:00 AM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

Texas Simmental-Simbrah Association, 501 N. Main St, Cleburne, TX, 76033 (817) 558-6651

1. Entries must be purebred Simbrah (5/8 Simmental x 3/8 Brahman) and registered with the American Simmental Association. Cattle not old enough to be eligible for registration must be accompanied by a completed Application for Registration (Herd Handler).
2. All entries will be subject to guidelines adopted by the Texas Simmental/Simbrah Association.
3. Two-year old heifers must have produced a calf or be safe in calf as verified by a licensed veterinarian or have been used as a donor female and have produced viable, fertilized embryos. No calf, either heifer or bull, can be shown at side of dam if older than 205 days of age on day of show.
4. Any product administered internally or used externally to alter the natural conformation and/or appearance of an animal for exhibition is prohibited. This includes false tail heads (or the use of any false hair), use of graphite, powders, hemp or other similar substances externally and steroids, growth stimulants or artificial filling internally. Any animal found to be in violation will be barred from showing. The exhibition of cattle displaying false hair will not be allowed.
5. All bulls must show with a nose-lead. The right to disqualify from the show any animal deemed unmanageable is reserved by the show superintendent and management.
6. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$85; 2nd \$70; 3rd \$50; 4th \$40; 5th \$30
7. **GROUP CLASSES:** 1st \$30; 2nd \$15
8. **CLASSES:**

FEMALES

1. Calved on or after March 1, 2016
2. Calved February 1- February 28, 2016
3. Calved January 1- January 31, 2016
4. Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
5. Reserve Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
6. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
7. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
8. Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015
9. Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
10. Reserve Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
11. Calved May 1- June 30, 2015
12. Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015
13. Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015
14. Champion Intermediate Heifer Ribbon
15. Reserve Champion Intermediate Heifer Ribbon
16. Calved September 1- December 31, 2014
17. Calved May 1 – August 31, 2014
18. Calved January 1 – April 30, 2014
19. Champion Senior Female Ribbon
20. Reserve Champion Senior Female Ribbon
21. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE Banner
22. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE Banner

BULLS

23. Calved on or after March 1, 2016
24. Calved February 1- February 28, 2016

25.	Calved January 1- January 31, 2016	
26.	Champion Bull Calf	Ribbon
27.	Reserve Champion Bull Calf	Ribbon
28.	Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015	
29.	Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015	
30.	Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015	
31.	Champion Junior Bull	Ribbon
32.	Reserve Champion Junior Bull	Ribbon
33.	Calved May 1- June 30, 2015	
34.	Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015	
35.	Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015	
36.	Champion Intermediate Bull	Ribbon
37.	Reserve Champion Intermediate Bull	Ribbon
38.	Calved September 1- December 31, 2014	
39.	Calved May 1 – August 31, 2014	
40.	Calved January 1 – April 30, 2014	
41.	Champion Senior Bull	Ribbon
42.	Reserve Champion Senior Bull	Ribbon
43.	GRAND CHAMPION BULL	Banner
44.	RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL	Banner

GROUP CLASSES

- 45G. Get of Sire: Three offspring of one sire; all shown in individual age class; Sire must be named
- 46G. Best Three Head: Three animals; all owned (or co-owned) by exhibitor; all shown in individual age class.
- 47G. Produce of Dam: Two offsprings of one dam; all shown in individual age class; Dam must be named

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SIMMENTAL CATTLE
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2016

SUPERINTENDENTS
Ralph Hawkins, Doug Andrews

Entry Deadline		September 1
Move-In	October 19	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 20	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 20	4:00 PM
Show	October 21	8:00 AM
Release	October 23	9:00 AM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

Texas Simmental-Simbrah Association, 501 N. Main St, Cleburne, TX, 76033 (817) 558-6651

1. Entries must be purebred Simmental and registered with the American Simmental Association. Cattle not old enough to be eligible for registration must be accompanied by a completed Application for Registration (Herd Handler).
2. All entries will be subject to guidelines adopted by the Texas Simmental/Simbrah Association.
3. Two-year old heifers must have produced a calf or be safe in calf as verified by a licensed veterinarian or have been used as a donor female and have produced viable, fertilized embryos. No calf, either heifer or bull, can be shown at side of dam if older than 205 days of age on day of show.
4. Any product administered internally or used externally to alter the natural conformation and/or appearance of an animal for exhibition is prohibited. This includes false tail heads (or the use of any false hair), use of graphite, powders, hemp or other similar substances externally and steroids, growth stimulants or artificial filling internally. Any animal found to be in violation will be barred from showing. The exhibition of cattle displaying false hair will not be allowed.
5. All bulls must show with a nose-lead. The right to disqualify from the show any animal deemed unmanageable is reserved by the show superintendent and management.
6. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$85; 2nd \$70; 3rd \$50; 4th \$40; 5th \$30
7. **GROUP CLASSES:** 1st \$30; 2nd \$15
8. **CLASSES:**

FEMALES

1. Calved on or after March 1, 2016
2. Calved February 1- February 28, 2016
3. Calved January 1- January 31, 2016
4. Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
5. Reserve Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
6. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
7. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
8. Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015
9. Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
10. Reserve Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
11. Calved May 1- June 30, 2015
12. Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015
13. Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015
14. Champion Intermediate Heifer Ribbon
15. Reserve Champion Intermediate Heifer Ribbon
16. Calved September 1- December 31, 2014
17. Calved May 1 – August 31, 2014
18. Calved January 1 – April 30, 2014
19. Champion Senior Female Ribbon
20. Reserve Champion Senior Female Ribbon
21. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE Banner
22. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE Banner

BULLS

23. Calved on or after March 1, 2016
24. Calved February 1- February 28, 2016
25. Calved January 1- January 31, 2016
26. Champion Bull Calf Ribbon

27.	Reserve Champion Bull Calf	Ribbon
28.	Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015	
29.	Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015	
30.	Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015	
31.	Champion Junior Bull	Ribbon
32.	Reserve Champion Junior Bull	Ribbon
33.	Calved May 1- June 30, 2015	
34.	Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015	
35.	Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015	
36.	Champion Intermediate Bull	Ribbon
37.	Reserve Champion Intermediate Bull	Ribbon
38.	Calved September 1- December 31, 2014	
39.	Calved May 1 – August 31, 2014	
40.	Calved January 1 – April 30, 2014	
41.	Champion Senior Bull	Ribbon
42.	Reserve Champion Senior Bull	Ribbon
43.	GRAND CHAMPION BULL	Banner
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GROUP CLASSES

- 45G. Get of Sire: Three offspring of one sire; all shown in individual age class; Sire must be named
- 46G. Best Three Head: Three animals; all owned (or co-owned) by exhibitor; all shown in individual age class.
- 47G. Produce of Dam: Two offsprings of one dam; all shown in individual age class; Dam must be named

**PAN-AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION®
DAIRY CATTLE**

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

1. **RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this department shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations as published in this premium list.
2. **ENTRY APPLICATION/FEE:** An entry application and fee of \$30 per head must be submitted by entry deadline. All fees must accompany online or mailed in applications for entry or mailed in signature forms. This fee is not a stall fee. A show fee in addition to the State Fair of Texas entry fee may be levied by a breed association or group. Late entries will be accepted until registration check in deadline, for fee per head equal to two times the regular entry fee per head. **The State Fair of Texas reserves the right to use any Dairy Cattle for the Dairy Judging Contest.**
3. **ENTRY LIMITATION:** No exhibitor shall be permitted to show more than two one entry in any group class. All animals shown in a group class must be shown in their individual age class.
4. **ADMISSION/PARKING:** See general rules.
5. **OWNERSHIP:** Ownership will be defined by the Registration Certificate. Pending transfers will not be accepted. Animals owned in partnership may be exhibited in one owner's name but such ownership must be declared by the exhibitor at the time registration certificates are checked by the superintendent. Where animals in a herd are registered in the name of members of a family residing on the same farm, and, where the herd is operated as one milking unit, or, if more than one milking unit, is legally incorporated and/or animals are registered with the same prefix, all entries will be considered as a single exhibitor and/or as a single breeder for purposes of substitutions, group class requirements and Premier Exhibitor and Breeder Awards. Animals registered in the name of different members of a family which meet the above requirements may be exhibited under the farm name EXCEPT animals entered in both the Open and Youth shows must be entered in the Youth's name in both shows. If it is necessary to change the ownership in the judges book to conform to registration certificate (except for animals owned in partnership), a \$10.00 fee will be charged.
6. **REGISTRATION:** Each animal shown in this division must be registered. An original certificate of registration must be presented to the superintendent at the registration check and kept available at all times during the show for each animal exhibited. Application for transfer and pending registration will not be accepted.
7. **MILK OUT:** A milk out may be requested by an exhibitor provided such request is made to the Superintendent prior to the judge lining up the class. Judge is not required to honor request.
8. **PREMIER EXHIBITOR DEFINED:** The award to be made to the exhibitor winning the most points on, not to exceed six, animals owned and exhibited by the exhibitor in the open single classes. Points will only be credited to present exhibitors. If needed, ties will be broken on exhibitor with the most 1st place entries Point system listed below.
9. **PREMIER BREEDER DEFINED:** This award to be made to the breeder winning the most points, on not to exceed six, animals bred and exhibited by the breeder and/or others in the open single classes. Points will only be credited to present exhibitors. If needed, ties will be broken on exhibitor with the most 1st place entries. Point system listed below.

	Placings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Senior Females	20	18	16	14	12	10	8	6	4	2	
Dry Cows/Junior Females	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	

10. Exhibitor and breeder are defined as follows: "Where a herd is registered in the names of different members of a family residing on one farm and where the herd is one unit, all entries may be considered as a single exhibitor for Junior Best Three Females and Best Three Females classes." Partnership bred animals, outside the family, cannot be used in either Best Three Females class.
11. **RELEASE:** Releases will be written at check in.
12. **PREMIUMS:**
 - a. **COW CLASSES:** 1st; \$100; 2nd \$80; 3rd: \$55; 4th \$40; 5th \$30
 - b. **HEIFER CLASSES:** 1st; \$80; 2nd \$65; 3rd: \$55; 4th \$35; 5th \$30
13. **CHAMPIONS:** GRAND CHAMPION: \$100; RESERVE GRAND CHAMPIONS: \$50
14. **SUPREME CHAMPION FEMALE OVERALL:** SUPREME: \$250; RESERVE SUPREME: \$100
15. **GROUP CLASSES:** 1st \$30; 2nd \$15

STATE HERD REQUIREMENTS

A qualifying State Herd entry submitted by the state secretary must include:

1. A list of names and addresses of exhibitors.
 2. The names of people in charge of the herd at the show.
 3. The name of the person designating the animals that shall constitute the group for the State herd class.
- When the state herd enters the judging ring, this person shall present the superintendent with a written list which shall include the name, registration number, date of birth and owner of each animal as well as the registration certificate of

each animal. The list will be retained in the judge's book.

The State Herd shall consist of six animals, properly entered in the show, representing the best of the breed from their respective state and shall be composed of the following animals:

- a. Two females shown in classes eligible to show for Junior Champion Female
Two females shown in class eligible to show for Senior Champion Female
Two females any age.
- b. The six animals in the state herd must be owned by not less than three exhibitors, from one state, with no exhibitor furnishing more than three animals and all animals in which a breeder owns a partnership interest will be counted in these three.
- c. All animals from a herd or farm, regardless of ownership, shall be counted in the three head allowed one exhibitor. Any partnership or syndicate animals must be shown in the herd of the state in which they are usually housed.
- d. Cattle owned by state institutions will be allowed to show in the state herd class, but all institutions in a state will be considered one exhibitor and allowed to show not more than three head in a state group.
- e. No entry fee required. Must be entered with the superintendent's at check in.
- f. **One entry per state.**

17. STATE HERD PREMIUMS: 1st: \$400, 2nd: \$300, 3rd: \$200

THE PUREBRED DAIRY CATTLE ASSOCIATION SHOW RING CODE OF ETHICS

Adopted April 3, 2004

The showing of registered dairy cattle stimulates and sustains interest in the breeding of registered dairy cattle. It is also an important part of the promotion, merchandising and breeding program of many breeders. For these reasons, the Purebred Dairy Cattle Association (PDCA) believes that it is in the best interest of all breeders of registered dairy cattle to maintain a reputation of integrity in dairy cattle shows and to present a wholesome and progressive image of dairy cattle in the show ring.

PDCA endorses this Show Ring Code of Ethics for all dairy breed shows and pledges its full cooperative support for its enforcement to show management, show judges, and the national breed associations.

The application of this Code of Ethics provides for absolute responsibility for an animal's condition by an owner, exhibitor, fitter or participant whether or not he or she was actually instrumental in or had actual knowledge of the treatment of the animal in contravention of this Code of Ethics. Dairy cattle exhibitors shall, at all times, deport themselves with honesty and good sportsmanship.

It is recognized that there are certain practices in the proper care and management of dairy cattle that are necessary in the course of moving dairy cattle to and between shows that are advisable to keep them in a sound, healthy state so they might be presented in the show ring in a natural, normal condition. At all times, exhibition livestock shall be treated in a humane manner and in accordance with dairy quality assurance practices so as to protect the health, safety and welfare of the livestock and the consuming public. No person shall present for exhibition or exhibit an animal which he or she knows, or has reason to suspect, is affected with or has been exposed to a dangerously contagious or infectious disease, or illegal or non-approved use of drugs, medication and/or prohibited substance, or residue.

The position of the Purebred Dairy Cattle Association is that all animals presented for exhibition shall be in their natural conformation and structure, free of any alteration or modification by injection or internal or external administration of any substance or by any involvement in unethical fitting.

Grooming and Preparation

Dairy cattle exhibitions are conducted under standards for evaluating conformation established by the PDCA *Unified Score Card* (2009), with specific breed characteristics taken into consideration by the show judge. In this connection, animals will be groomed and prepared for the judge's evaluation in order to display the animal's natural contour, conformation, performance and mobility. Specifically:

1. External applications of cosmetics that affect only appearance may be used, including by way of example hoof polishes and false switches.
2. The maximum allowable length of naturally growing hair anywhere on the topline is not to exceed 1". Exhibitors will be required to comply with this rule before the animal is allowed to enter the ring.
3. Addition of foreign objects, including but not limited to hair or hair substitutes, cloth or fiber, to change the natural contour or appearance of the animal's body is prohibited.
4. Externally sealing the teat end with a preparation that does not harm the animal's skin is permissible. Natural teat placement will be given preference over artificially positioned teats.

Violations: False, Deceptive or Unacceptable Practices

These practices are violations of the Code of Ethics and will be reported to show management

and may be reported to the respective national breed associations:

1. Misrepresenting the age and/or milking status of the animal for the class in which it is shown.
2. Treating the animal, particularly the udder, internally or externally:
 - a. with an irritant or counter-irritant,
 - b. using a device to artificially create or enhance the udder crease,
 - c. using other substances as detected by testing that causes changes in the udder to artificially improve the conformation.
 - d. plugging of teat canal with foreign substances.
3. Surgical or unethical insertion of any matter under the skin or into body cavities, performed to change the natural contour or appearance of the animal's body (e.g., administration of fluid via a stomach tube or other similar apparatus to fill the rumen), though not to preclude practices required or involved in normal management.
4. Criticizing or interfering with the judge, show management or other exhibitors while in the show ring or other conduct detrimental to the breed or the show.
5. Challenging, threatening or interfering with an ethics committee appointed by show management to monitor the animals on exhibit on the show grounds.

Exhibitor Responsibility

The act of entering an animal in a livestock show is the giving of consent by the owner, exhibitor, fitter and/or absolutely responsible person (hereinafter referred to as "Exhibitor") for show management to obtain any specimens of urine, saliva, blood, milk, or other substances from the animal to be used in testing. Materials may also be collected by ultrasound and photographic methods and by direct examination of animal.

The act of entering an animal is the giving of consent by the owner, exhibitor, fitter and/or absolutely responsible person (the "Exhibitor") to have disciplinary action for violation of this Show Ring Code of Ethics taken by show management, the state in which the show occurs, and/or the national dairy breed association without recourse.

Show Ethics Committee

Each show should have an Ethics Committee. The make-up of this committee should include official breed representatives, representative(s) of show management (e.g., dairy cattle show superintendent, General Manager), the official show veterinarian, and Extension representative.

The Ethics Committee will be responsible for monitoring violations of the Show Ring Code of Ethics. The Ethics Committee will investigate the report of any violation and determine the accuracy of the allegation. The Ethics Committee will have the authority to inspect animals and related material to determine if violations have occurred.

Violations: Reporting and Investigation

Complaints of alleged violations can be reported to the breed superintendent, the show superintendent, show management, and/or the Ethics Committee.

Before An Animal is Shown

If the Ethics Committee suspects that a violation of the Show Ring Code of Ethics will occur if the animal is shown, and that violation is reasonably well established before the animal is shown, the Ethics Committee will submit a report to show management.

Show management will discuss the violation with the Exhibitor:

1. If, at the Exhibitor's discretion, the animal in question is not shown, no violation will have occurred.
2. If the Exhibitor wishes to challenge that a violation occurred, he/she/they will have opportunity to appeal to the Ethics Committee. If its decision is not changed, the Exhibitor will be denied opportunity to exhibit the animal in question.

During and After an Animal is shown

All animals are subject to examination during judging. The judge and Ethics Committee are instructed to examine the top five (5) animals in each class closely for violations of the Show Ring Code of Ethics. When a violation may have occurred, a milkout may be called for. This call may be by breed association rule, or by request of an authorized representative of the national breed association, the judge, the Ethics Committee, or show management.

If an animal is exhibited and a violation of the Show Ring Code of Ethics is subsequently suspected, investigated, and determined to have occurred, the violation will be reported to the Ethics Committee and show management for action. The Exhibitor will be notified of the violation and the supporting evidence and invited to defend or explain the allegations.

Violations are subject to the disciplinary provisions of show management, the state in which the show occurs, and the national dairy breed association. Sanctions may include any one, or combination of the following:

- a. forfeiture or return of awards, prizes, premiums or proceeds;
- b. written letter of reprimand to the owner, exhibitor, fitter and/or absolutely responsible person (the "Exhibitor");
- c. disqualification of the exhibition livestock from an exhibition;
- d. disqualification of the Exhibitor from the show;
- e. publication of offense.

Disqualification may include any or all shows and classes and may be for any number of years.

History: Adopted by PDCA in March 1969, revised March 1971, February 1977, February 1981, February 1986, February 1988,

February 1989, February 1992, February 1993, November 1995, April 2002; April 2004.

PAN AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION®
DAIRY CATTLE SHOW
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2016

SUPERINTENDENTS

Sue Ann Claudon, Carrie Cherney,
Laura Lennon, Joe D Brand

Entry Deadline		September 1
Move-In	October 20	6:00 PM
Checked-In	October 21	2:00 PM
Show	October 23	9:00 AM
Release	October 23	3:00 PM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

1. **RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this department shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations and Pan-American Dairy Cattle rules as published in this premium list.
2. **BREEDS OFFERED** (In show order): Brown Swiss, Holstein, Jersey and ORB
3. **SPECIFIC BREED REQUIREMENTS:**
 - a. Holstein: Exhibitors must conform to Show Ring Policy adopted by Holstein-Friesian Association of America as of November, 1981. Prior to the announcement of placing in milking classes, the first and second place Best Uddered Cows will be recognized.
 - b. Jersey: Cows with a green bordered Certificate of Registration are eligible to show, including cows with the GR prefix but have entered the Herd Registry. Final selection of animals for Texas All-American State Herds, Open and Junior, will be made at this show.
 - c. ORB (Guernsey, Milking Shorthorn, Ayrshire)
4. **CLASSES:**
 1. Junior Heifer Calf, born March 1 – May 31, 2016
 2. Intermediate Heifer Calf, born December 1, 2015 – February 28, 2016
 3. Senior Heifer Calf, born September 1 – November 30, 2015
 4. Summer Yearling Heifer, not in milk, born June 1 – August 31, 2015
 5. Junior Yearling Heifer, not in milk, born March 1 – May 31, 2015
 6. Winter Yearling Heifer, not in milk, born December 1, 2014 – February 28, 2015
 7. Senior Yearling Heifer, not in milk, born September 1 – November 30, 2014
 8. Junior Champion Female Banner
 9. Reserve Junior Champion Female Banner
 - 10G. Junior Best of 3. Two females over two years; two females eligible for Junior Champion Female; and one female any age. At least three bred and all owned by exhibitor.
 11. Junior Two Year Old Cow, or younger, having freshened, born on or after March 1, 2014
 12. Senior Two Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2013– February 28, 2014
 13. Three Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2012 – August 31, 2013
 14. Four Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2011 – August 31, 2012
 15. Five Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2010 – August 31, 2011
 16. Aged Cow, born on or before August 31, 2010
 17. Senior Champion Female Banner
 18. Reserve Senior Champion Female Banner
 19. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE Banner
 20. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE Banner
 - 21G. Senior Best of 3 Females: Three females, any age, all bred by and at least one owned by exhibitor
 - 22G. Breeder's Herd of 5 Females: two females over two years old; two female's eligible for Junior Champion; and one female any age. Three must be bred by the exhibitor.
 - 23P. Premier Exhibitor Banner
 - 24P. Premier Breeder Banner
 - 25G. State Herd: See Dairy Rules Banner

**PAN-AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION
BREEDING GILTS
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENTS:

Ervin Homann, Jennifer Martin
Tate Rosenbusch, Dan Reed

Entry Deadline		September 1
Earliest Arrival	September 29	8:00 AM
Checked-In	September 30	6:00 PM
Show	October 1	12:00 PM
Release	October 2	9:00 AM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

- RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this division shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations and Department Requirements as published in this premium list.
- ENTRY LIMITATION:** There will be no entry limitations per breed or per class in this event.
- OWNERSHIP:** All entries must be owned by the exhibitor by September 1 prior to the show date of the Fair. The date of purchase shall be construed to be the date transfer is recorded with the association.
- REGISTRATION:** Each owner's name must be listed on the registration certificate. Animals with farm or ranch names listed as the owner will be allowed to compete. Stamped duplicate applications will NOT be accepted. (Exception: Commercial Gilts DO NOT REQUIRE registration papers.)
- CLASSES:** All animals should be born no earlier than January 1, 2016 and no later than April 30, 2016. Classes will be broken as evenly as possible with approximately four classes per breed according to birthdate. Commercial gilts will be broke by weight.
- BREEDS:** Berkshire, Chester White, Duroc, Hampshire, Landrace, Poland China, Spotted, Yorkshire and Commercial Gilts.
- CHAMPIONS:** Only Purebred gilts will eligible for Supreme and Reserve Supreme Gilt. Commercial Gilts will not compete for Supreme Champion or Reserve Supreme Champion. But rather in their own Commercial Gilt drive.
- AWARDS:**
 - Purebred Breeds:**

Breed Champion	\$175, Buckle, Banner
Reserve Breed Champion	\$50, Banner
 - Commercial Gilts:**

Grand Champion	\$1,000, Banner
Reserve Grand Champion	\$500, Banner
- PREMIUMS:** 1st \$40; 2nd \$35; 3rd \$30; 4th \$25

**PAN AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION®
REGISTERED BREEDING SHEEP
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENTS

Jerry Ashcraft, Karen Ashcraft
John Jackson

Entry Deadline		September 1
Move-In	October 19	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 20	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Check-In Deadline	October 20	2:00 PM
Show	October 21	8:00 AM
Release	October 23	8:00 AM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

- RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this division shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations and Department Requirements as published in this premium list.
- ENTRY LIMITATION:** No exhibitor shall be permitted to show more than one entry in any group class. All animals shown in a group class must be shown in their individual age class.
- ADMISSION/PARKING:** Please see "Admission and Parking" in the General Rules Section of this Premium List.
- OWNERSHIP:** All sheep must be owned by the exhibitor by September 1 prior to the show date of the Fair. The date of purchase shall be construed to be the date transfer is recorded with the association.
- REGISTRATION:** Each animal shown in this department must be registered. An original certificate of registration must be presented to the superintendent prior to the registration check deadline and kept available at all times during the show for each animal exhibited.
- BREEDS OFFERED:** Dorper, White Dorper Columbia, Merino, Dorset, Rambouillet, Other Registered Fine Wool Breeds, Southdown, Hampshire, Suffolk, and Other Registered Medium Wool Breeds
- BREED SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS:**
 - Dorset: Entries in the Dorset division are subject to inspection.
 - Rambouillet: Yearlings must be slick shorn with a machine on or after March 20 of current year.
 - Dorper ewes must be at least 7/8 blood and will show with full blood South African ewes
 - Dorper rams must be at least 15/16 blood and will show with full blood South African rams.
 - Medium wools, Dorper, and White Dorper must be slick shorn within one week prior to the show.
 - Ewes and rams must show in the division designated to their specific breed.
- PREMIER EXHIBITOR:** Premier Exhibitor will be calculated from the exhibitor's placement in individual classes only as follows: 1st= 4 pts, 2nd=3 pts, 3rd=2 pts, and 4th=1 pt. In case of a tie, 5th place will count.
- PREMIUMS:** 1st \$35; 2nd \$30; 3rd \$25; 4th \$20
- GROUP CLASSES:** 1st \$30; 2nd \$15
- CLASSES:**

RAMS

- Spring Ram Lamb, born on or after January 1, 2016
- Fall Ram Lamb, born September 1 – December 31, 2015
- 3G. Pair of Ram Lambs: 2 ram lambs; all shown in their age class; owned by exhibitor
- Yearling Ram, born September 1, 2014 – August 31, 2015.
- Aged Ram, born on or before August 31, 2014
- CHAMPION RAM
- RESERVE CHAMPION RAM

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EWES

- Spring Ewe Lamb, born on or after January 1, 2016
- Fall Ewe Lamb, born September 1– December 31, 2015
- 10G. Pair of Ewe Lambs: two ewe lambs; all shown in their age class; owned by exhibitor.
- Yearling Ewe, born September 1, 2014 – August 31, 2015
- Aged Ewe, born on or before August 31, 2014
- CHAMPION EWE
- RESERVE CHAMPION EWE

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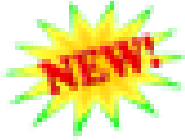
GROUP CLASSES

- 15G. Lamb Flock: one ram lamb; two ewe lambs; all shown in their age class; owned by exhibitor.
- 16P. Premier Exhibitor (all divisions competing) Banner, Briefcase
- * Lambs must have all milk teeth ** Yearlings may have as many as four permanent teeth.

12. **AWARDS:**

Grand Champion, each breed
Reserve Grand Champion, each breed
Premier Exhibitor

\$100, Banner
\$50, Banner
Banner, Buckle, Gear Bag



**PAN AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION
WETHER DAM BREEDING SHEEP
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENTS

Jerry Ashcraft,
John Jackson, Karen Ashcraft

Entry Deadline		September 1
Move-In	October 19	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 20	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 20	2:00 PM
Show	October 22	1:00 AM
Release	October 23	4:00 PM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

1. **RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this department shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations and Youth Livestock Show and Contest Special Rules.
2. **OWNERSHIP:** All entries must be owned and continuously cared for by the exhibitor by September 1.
3. **SHEARING:** Ewes must be shorn slick to the skin above knee and hock joints.
4. **FITTING:** Foreign material including (but not limited to) painting, powdering, oiling, artificial coloring, or adhesives is prohibited. No clippers, which require an electrical current, are allowed to be used on Wether Dams once they arrive on grounds. Touch-up clipping with cordless clippers, scissors, or hand shears will be allowed.
5. **AGE:** Sheep will be shown according to tooth development. There will be no appeal from this determination.
 - a. Ewe Lamb Division- All dams must be carrying all milk teeth at the time of Check-In and Show. Dams which show either or both of their first pair of permanent incisors will not be eligible to be shown in the Ewe Lamb Division.
 - b. 2 Tooth Division- All dams must show one or both teeth of first pair of permanent incisors. Dams which show one or both teeth of the first pair of permanent incisors are eligible to show only in the 2 Tooth Division.
 - c. Aged Division - All dams must show more than the first pair of permanent incisors. Dams which show more than the first pair of permanent incisors are eligible to show only in the Aged Class.
6. **SHOW WEIGHTS:** Exhibitors will turn in an official show weight for their sheep. Weight changes will not be allowed at any time.
7. **RE-WEIGH:** Sheep will be weighed at the time of judging. Upon re-weigh, sheep weighing more than 5 lbs. heavier than the official turn-in weight will be disqualified. The State Fair of Texas reserves the right to weigh any sheep after the completion of check-In.
8. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$40; 2nd \$35; 3rd \$30; 4th \$25
9. **CHAMPIONS:** Grand Champion \$500; Reserve Grand Champion \$250
10. **CLASSES:** Classes within each division will be broken by weight
 1. Ewe Lamb (minimum of 3 classes. Additional classes may be added at the discretion of Show Management)
 2. 2 Tooth (minimum of 1 class. Additional classes may be added at the discretion of Show Management)
 3. Aged Ewe (minimum of 1 class. Additional classes may be added at the discretion of Show Management)
 4. Grand Champion Wether Dam
 5. Reserve Grand Champion Wether Dam

PAN AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION®
ANGORA GOATS
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2016

SUPERINTENDENTS:

Gene Dickerson, Darlene Watkins
Rhonda Berry

Entry Deadline		September 1
Move-In	October 12	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 13	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 13	4:00 PM
Show	October 14	10:00 AM
Release	October 14	5:00 PM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

1. **RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this division shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations as published in this premium list.
2. **OWNERSHIP:** All goats must be owned by the exhibitor by September 1. The date of purchase shall be construed to be the date transfer is recorded with the record association. The breeder of an animal is the owner of the doe at the time of service. If an exhibitor showing goats in the registered classes is such a breeder, his or her kid must be registered in the exhibitor's name by opening day of the show.
3. **REGISTRATION:** Each animal shown in this division must be registered with the American Angora Goat Breeders Association, and bear such identification as that association requires, before entering the ring. Goats not carrying recognized identification at time of showing will be barred from competition. An original certificate of registration must be presented to the superintendent prior to the registration check deadline and kept available at all times during the show for each animal exhibited.
4. **SHORN DATE:** Angora goats must be machine shorn to the skin on or after August 1.
5. **IDENTIFICATION:** The judge making awards must have the clerk record ear number, ear tag or tattoo of all animals awarded prizes.
6. **PREMIER EXHIBITOR:** Premier Exhibitor will be calculated from the exhibitor's placement in individual classes only as follows: 1st=4 pts; 2nd= 3 pts; 3rd=2 pts; 4th=1 pt.; In case of a tie, 5th place will count.
7. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$40; 2nd \$35; 3rd \$30; 4th \$25;
8. **GROUP CLASS PREMIUMS:** 1st \$30; 2nd \$15
9. **CLASSES:**
 1. Buck Kid, born on or after January 1, 2016
 2. Yearling Buck, born January 1-December 31, 2015
 3. Aged Buck, born on or after December 31, 2014
 4. Champion Buck Banner
 5. Reserve Champion Buck Banner
 6. Doe Kid, born on or after January 1, 2016
 7. Yearling Doe, born January 1-December 31, 2015
 8. Aged Doe, born on or after December 31, 2014
 9. Champion Doe Banner
 10. Reserve Champion Doe Banner
 11. G Pair of Kids: 2 kids; all shown in individual age class
 12. G Pair of Yearlings: 2 yearlings; all shown in individual age class
 13. G Young Herd: 3 offspring of 1 sire; 1 buck; 2 doe kids; all shown in individual age class; bred and owned by exhibitor
 14. G Breeder's Herd: 1 buck; 1 yearling or older doe; 2 doe kids; all shown in individual age class; bred and owned by exhibitor
 15. P Premier Exhibitor Banner

PAN AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION®
COLORED ANGORA GOATS
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2016

SUPERINTENDENTS:

Gene Dickerson, Darlene Watkins
Rhonda Berry

Entry Deadline		September 1
Move-In	October 12	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 13	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 13	4:00 PM
Show	October 14	10:00 AM
Release	October 14	5:00 PM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

1. **RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this division shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations as published in this premium list.
2. **OWNERSHIP:** All angora goats must be owned by the exhibitor by September 1. The date of purchase shall be construed to be the date transfer is recorded with the record association. The breeder of an animal is the owner of the doe at the time of service. If an exhibitor showing goats in the registered classes is such a breeder, his or her kid must be registered in the exhibitor's name by opening day of the show.
3. **REGISTRATION:** Each animal shown in this division must be registered in the Flock Books of the Colored Angora Goat Breeders Association or American Angora Goat Registry, and bear such identification as that association requires, before entering the ring. Goats not carrying recognized identification at time of showing will be barred from competition. An original certificate of registration must be presented to the superintendent prior to the registration check deadline and kept available at all times during the show for each animal exhibited.
4. **SHORN DATE:** Angora goats must be machine shorn to the skin on or after August 1.
5. **IDENTIFICATION:** The judge making awards must have the clerk record ear number, ear tag or tattoo of all animals awarded prizes.
6. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$40 2nd \$35 3rd \$30 4th \$25
7. **GROUP CLASS PREMIUMS:** 1st \$30 2nd \$15
8. **CLASSES:**
 16. Buck Kid, born on or after January 1, 2016
 17. Yearling Buck, born January 1-December 31, 2015
 18. Aged Buck, born on or after December 31, 2014
 19. CHAMPION BUCK Banner
 20. RESERVE CHAMPION BUCK Banner
 21. Doe Kid, born on or after January 1, 2016
 22. Yearling Doe, born January 1-December 31, 2015
 23. Aged Doe, born on or after December 31, 2014
 24. CHAMPION DOE Banner
 25. RESERVE CHAMPION DOE Banner
 26. G Pair of Kids: 2 kids; all shown in individual age class
 27. G Pair of Yearlings: 2 yearlings; all shown in individual age class
 28. G Young Herd: 3 offspring of 1 sire; 1 buck; 2 doe kids; all shown in individual age class; bred and owned by exhibitor
 29. G Breeder's Herd: 1 buck; 1 yearling or older doe; 2 doe kids; all shown in individual age class; bred and owned by exhibitor
 30. P Premier Exhibitor Banner

PAN AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION®
ABGA BOER GOATS
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2016

SUPERINTENDENTS:

Gene Dickerson, Darlene Watkins
Rhonda Berry

Entry Deadline		September 1
Move-In	October 12	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 13	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 13	4:00 PM
Show	October 14	10:00 AM
Release	October 14	5:00 PM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

- 1. RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this division shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations and Pan-Am Department Requirements as published in this premium list.
- 2. ELIGIBILITY:** All goats must be registered in the herd book of American Boer Goat Association 30 days prior to arriving at the show. Original registration certificates are required, though a copy of a Registration Application, stamped with the date received by association, can be accepted for kids less than 3 months of age. Animals must be registered in the name of the exhibitor and must have been owned by the exhibitor on or before September 1. The term exhibitor is defined as the owner of the animal listed in the ABGA registry shown on entry deadline. All goats must be appropriately identified and comply with USDA Scrapie Eradication Program Guidelines.
- 3. ENTRY LIMITATION:** No exhibitor shall be permitted to show more than one entry in any group class. All animals shown in a group class must be shown in their individual age class.
- 4. TATTOOS:** All goats must have legible tattoos or other means of permanent identification consistent with its registration certificate or the animal will be disqualified. If the animal has a microchip as its permanent identification, the exhibitor is responsible for providing a microchip reader.
- 5. DISQUALIFICATION:** Any goat showing any pronounced defect or abnormality will be barred from showing in any of the breeding classes. Artificial coloring will be a disqualification as well as illegible tattoos or tattoos that are inconsistent with the goat's registration papers. Any doe over 24 months that has not kidded and cannot prove a current pregnancy will not be allowed to show.
- 6. HEELERS:** Heelers will not be allowed in any classes.
- 7. GROOMING:** Animals are to be shown in natural conformation and color. Grooming materials leaving any kind of residue are not permitted.
- 8. PREMIER EXHIBITOR:** Premier Exhibitor will be calculated from the exhibitor's placement in individual classes only as follows: 1st=4 pts; 2nd= 3 pts; 3rd=2 pts; 4th=1 pt.; In case of a tie, 5th place will count.
- 9. PREMIUMS:** 1st \$40; 2nd \$35; 3rd \$30; 4th \$25;
- 10. GROUP CLASS PREMIUMS:** 1st \$30; 2nd \$15
- 11. CLASSES:**

PERCENTAGE BOER DOES

1. Junior Doe Kid, born on or after May 1, 2016
2. Intermediate Doe Kid, born February 1 – April 30, 2016
3. Senior Doe Kid, born September 1, 2015 – January 31, 2016
4. Yearling Doe, born September 1, 2014 – August 31, 2015
5. Two Year Old Doe, born September 1, 2013 – August 31, 2014
6. Aged Doe, born on or before August 31, 2013
7. GRAND CHAMPION PERCENTAGE BOER DOE
8. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION PERCENTAGE BOER DOE
- 9G. Best Pair of Kids: two doe kids with milk teeth; all shown in their age class.

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Banner, Rosette

FULLBLOOD BOER GOATS

10. Junior Buck Kid, born on or after May 1, 2016
11. Intermediate Buck Kid, born February 1 – April 30, 2016
12. Senior Buck Kid, born September 1, 2015 – January 31, 2016
13. Yearling Buck, born September 1, 2014 – August 31, 2015
14. Two Year Old Buck, born September 1, 2013 – August 31, 2014
15. Aged Buck, born on or before August 31, 2013
16. GRAND CHAMPION BOER BUCK

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17. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BOER BUCK
Banner, Rosette
18. Junior Doe Kid, born on or after May 1, 2014
19. Intermediate Doe Kid, born February 1 – April 30, 2016
20. Senior Doe Kid, born September 1, 2015 – January 31, 2016
21. Yearling Doe, born September 1, 2014 – August 31, 2015
22. Two Year Old Doe, born September 1, 2013 – August 31, 2014
23. Aged Doe, born on or before August 31, 2013
24. GRAND CHAMPION BOER DOE
Banner, Rosette
25. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BOER DOE
Banner, Rosette
- 26G. Best Pair of Kids: two kids with milk teeth; both sexes represented; all shown in their age class.
- 27G. Best Pair of Does: two does; all shown in their age class.
- 28G. Breeder's Herd: one buck; two yearling or older does; two doe kids; all with the same breeder; all shown in their age classes.
- 29P. Premier Exhibitor
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PAN AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION®
DAIRY GOATS
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 2, 2016

SUPERINTENDENTS
Ginger Morrow, Terri Harris

Entry Deadline		September 1
Move-In	September 29	8:00 AM
Checked-In	September 30	2:00 PM
Show	October 2	10:00 AM
Club Show	October 2	11:00 AM
Begin Release	October 2	4:00 PM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

- 1. RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this department shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations. The Pan-American Dairy Goat Show is sanctioned by the American Dairy Goat Association for Alpine, LaMancha, Nigerian Dwarfs, Nubian, Oberhalsi, Saanen, Toggenburg and Recorded Grade does. The Junior and Senior Does are separately sanctioned. Show order will not change. ADGA rules shall govern the showing of animals not covered by State Fair of Texas Rules and Regulations.
- 2. OWNERSHIP:** All dairy goats must be owned by the exhibitor by September 1 prior to the show date of the Fair. Proof of ownership shall be the name on the Registration or Recordation Certificate. Pending transfers will not be accepted.
- 3. REGISTRATION:** Each animal shown in this division must be tattooed and registered. The tattoo must match the registration certificate. An original ADGA registration or recordation certificate must be presented to the superintendent prior to the registration check deadline and kept available at all times during the show for each animal exhibited. Stamped duplicate applications will NOT be accepted.
- 4. MILK OUT:** No official preshow milkout will be held.
- 5. SHOWMAN ATTIRE:** White shirt and white pants/skirt are preferred. White shirt and black pants/shirt are acceptable.
- 6. PREMIUMS:** 1st \$40; 2nd \$30; 3rd \$25; 4th \$20
- 7. BREEDS OFFERED:** Alpine, LaMancha, Nigerian Dwarf, Nubian, Oberhalsi, Saanen, Toggenburg and Recorded Grade.
- 8. CLASSES:**
 1. Yearling Milker, born on or after 9/1/2014
 2. 2 Yr Old Milker, born 9/1/2013-8/31/2014
 3. 3 Yr Old Milker, born 9/1/2012-8/31/2013
 4. 4 Yr Old Milker, born 9/1/2011-8/31/2012
 5. Aged Milker, born on or before 8/31/2011
 6. Grand Champion - Senior Doe Banner, ADGA Rosette
 7. Reserve Grand Champion - Senior Doe Banner, ADGA Rosette
 8. Best of Show - Senior Doe: all grand champions competing Special Award, Banner, ADGA Rosette
 9. Junior Kid, born on or after 4/1/2016
 10. Intermediate Kid, born 2/1-3/31/2016
 11. Senior Kid, born 9/1/2015-1/31/2016
 12. Junior Yearling, born 3/1-8/31/2015
 13. Senior Yearling, born 9/1/2014-2/28/2015
 14. Grand Champion - Junior Doe
 15. Reserve Grand Champion - Junior Doe
 16. Best of Show – Junior Doe Special Award, Banner, ADGA Rosette

PAN AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION®
PYGMY GOAT SHOW
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9, 2016

SUPERINTENDENT

Lynette Clooney

Entry Deadline		September 1
Move-In	October 7	6:00 PM
Checked-In	October 8	10:00 AM
Show	October 9	9:00 AM
Begin Release	October 9	3:00 PM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

1. **RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this division shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations as published in this premium list. This is a National Pygmy Goat Association sanctioned show. **NPGA rules shall govern the showing of the animals not covered by State Fair of Texas Rules and Regulations.**
2. **OWNERSHIP:** All pygmy goats must be owned by the exhibitor by September 1 prior to the show date of the Fair.
3. **REGISTRATION:** Each animal shown in this division must be registered with the exception of wethers. An original certificate of registration must be presented to the superintendent prior to the registration check deadline and kept available at all times during the show for each animal exhibited.
4. **PREMIER EXHIBITOR:** Premier Exhibitor will be calculated from the exhibitor's placement in individual classes only as follows: 1st=4 pts; 2nd= 3 pts; 3rd=2 pts; 4th=1 pt.; In case of a tie, 5th place will count.
5. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$30; 2nd \$25; 3rd \$20
6. **GROUP CLASSES:** 1st \$30; 2nd \$15
7. **CLASSES:**
 1. Wether, born on or after March 1, 2016
 2. Wether, born September 1, 2015 – February 28, 2016
 3. Wether, born on or before August 31, 2015
 4. Grand Champion Wether
 5. Reserve Grand Champion Wether
 6. Doe Kid, born on or after May 1, 2016
 7. Doe Kid, born January 1 – April 30, 2016
 8. Doe Kid, born September 1 – December 31, 2015
 9. Doe Yearling, born March 1 – August 31, 2015
 10. Doe Yearling, born September 1, 2014 – February 28, 2015
 11. Champion Junior Doe
 12. Reserve Champion Junior Doe
 13. Yearling Doe, freshened, born on or after September 1, 2015
 14. Two Year Old Doe, born September 1, 2013 – August 31, 2014
 15. Three Year Old Doe, born September 1, 2012 – August 31, 2013
 16. Four Year Old Doe, born September 1, 2011 – August 31, 2012
 17. Aged Doe, born on or before August 31, 2011
 18. Senior Milking Doe of any age
 19. Senior Champion Doe
 20. Reserve Champion Senior Doe
 21. Grand Champion Doe
 22. Reserve Grand Champion Doe
 23. Buck Kid, born on or after May 1, 2016
 24. Buck Kid, born January 1 – April 30, 2016
 25. Buck Kid, born September 1 – December 31, 2015
 26. Champion Junior Buck
 27. Reserve Champion Junior Buck
 28. Junior Yearling Buck, born March 1 – August 31, 2015
 29. Senior Yearling Buck, born September 1, 2014 – February 28, 2015
 30. Two Year Old Buck, born September 1, 2013 – August 31, 2014
 31. Three Year Old Buck, born September 1, 2012 – August 31, 2013
 32. Four Year Old Buck, born September 1, 2011 – August 31, 2012
 33. Aged Buck, born on or before August 31, 2011

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| 34. | Champion Senior Buck | Banner |
| 35. | Reserve Champion Senior Buck | Banner |
| 36. | Grand Champion Buck | Banner |
| 37. | Reserve Grand Champion Buck | Banner |
| 38. G | Dam and Produce: Dam and two daughters; all shown in their age class; owned by exhibitor. | |
| 39. G | Produce of Dam: three does from same dam; all shown in their age class; owned by exhibitor. | |
| 40. G | Junior Get-Of-Sire: three junior does from same sire; all shown in their age class; owned by exhibitor. | |
| 41. G | Get-Of-Sire: three does from same sire; all shown in their age class; owned by exhibitor. | |
| 42. G | Breeder's Trio: three senior does; all shown in their age class; bred and owned by exhibitor. | |
| 43. G | Premier Exhibitor | Banner, Briefcase |

SOUTHWEST CLASSIC PYGMY GOAT SHOW
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2016

SUPERINTENDENT
Lynette Clooney

Entry Deadline		September 1
Move-In	October 7	6:00 PM
Checked-In	October 8	10:00 AM
Show	October 8	2:00 PM
Begin Release	October 9	3:00 PM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

- 8. RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this division shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations as published in this premium list. This is a National Pygmy Goat Association sanctioned show. **NPGA rules shall govern the showing of the animals not covered by State Fair of Texas Rules and Regulations.**
- 9. OWNERSHIP:** All pygmy goats must be owned by the exhibitor by September 1 prior to the show date of the Fair.
- 10. ENTRY LIMITATION:** In order to be eligible for the Southwest Classic, exhibitors must also be entered in the Pan-American Pygmy Goat Show.
- 11. REGISTRATION:** Each animal shown in this division must be registered with the exception of wethers. An original certificate of registration must be presented to the superintendent prior to the registration check deadline and kept available at all times during the show for each animal exhibited.
- 12. PREMIUMS:** 1st \$30; 2nd \$25; 3rd \$20
- 13. GROUP CLASSES:** 1st \$30; 2nd \$15
- 14. CLASSES:**
1. Wether, born on or after March 1, 2016
 2. Wether, born September 1, 2015 – February 28, 2016
 3. Wether, born on or before August 31, 2015
 4. Grand Champion Wether
 5. Reserve Grand Champion Wether
 6. Doe Kid, born on or after May 1, 2016
 7. Doe Kid, born January 1 – April 30, 2016
 8. Doe Kid, born September 1 – December 31, 2015
 9. Doe Yearling, born March 1 – August 31, 2015
 10. Doe Yearling, born September 1, 2014 – February 28, 2015
 11. Champion Junior Doe
 12. Reserve Champion Junior Doe
 13. Yearling Doe, freshened, born on or after September 1, 2015
 14. Two Year Old Doe, born September 1, 2013 – August 31, 2014
 15. Three Year Old Doe, born September 1, 2012 – August 31, 2013
 16. Four Year Old Doe, born September 1, 2011 – August 31, 2012
 17. Aged Doe, born on or before August 31, 2011
 18. Senior Milking Doe of any age
 19. Senior Champion Doe
 20. Reserve Champion Senior Doe
 21. Grand Champion Doe
 22. Reserve Grand Champion Doe
 23. Buck Kid, born on or after May 1, 2016
 24. Buck Kid, born January 1 – April 30, 2016
 25. Buck Kid, born September 1 – December 31, 2015
 26. Champion Junior Buck
 27. Reserve Champion Junior Buck
 28. Junior Yearling Buck, born March 1 – August 31, 2015
 29. Senior Yearling Buck, born September 1, 2014 – February 28, 2015
 30. Two Year Old Buck, born September 1, 2013 – August 31, 2014
 31. Three Year Old Buck, born September 1, 2012 – August 31, 2013
 32. Four Year Old Buck, born September 1, 2011 – August 31, 2012
 33. Aged Buck, born on or before August 31, 2011
 34. Champion Senior Buck

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| 35. | Reserve Champion Senior Buck | Banner |
| 36. | Grand Champion Buck | Banner |
| 37. | Reserve Grand Champion Buck | Banner |
| 38. G | Dam and Produce: Dam and two daughters; all shown in their age class; owned by exhibitor. | |
| 39. G | Produce of Dam: three does from same dam; all shown in their age class; owned by exhibitor. | |
| 40. G | Junior Get-Of-Sire: three junior does from same sire; all shown in their age class; owned by exhibitor. | |
| 41. G | Get-Of-Sire: three does from same sire; all shown in their age class; owned by exhibitor. | |
| 42. G | Breeder's Trio: three senior does; all shown in their age class; bred and owned by exhibitor. | |
| 43. G | Premier Exhibitor | Banner, Briefcase |



**PAN-AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION
WETHER DOES
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENTS:

Gene Dickerson, Darlene Watkins
Rhonda Berry

Entry Deadline		September 1
Move-In	October 12	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 13	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 13	4:00 PM
Show	October 15	10:00 AM
Release	October 16	11:00 AM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

- RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this department shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations.
- OWNERSHIP:** All entries must be owned and continuously cared for by the exhibitor by September 1.
- PURPOSE:** The Wether Doe Show is intended to be an exhibition for does suited for market wether production. Does are not required to be registered. All breed types will show together within age divisions. Does may not double enter in the Pan-Am Breeding Boer Goat Show and the Pan-Am Wether Doe Show.
- SHEARING:** Does must be shorn slick (maximum of 3/8") to the skin above knee and hock joints.
- IDENTIFICATION:** All entries must have a form of identification including but not limited to an ear tag or tattoo.
- FITTING:** Foreign material including (but not limited to) painting, powdering, oiling, artificial coloring, or adhesives is prohibited. No clippers, which require an electrical current, are allowed to be used on Wether Does once they arrive on grounds. Touch-up clipping with cordless clippers, scissors, or hand shears will be allowed.
- AGE:** Does will be shown according to tooth development. There will be no appeal from this determination.
 - Doe Kid Division- All does must be carrying all milk teeth at the time of Check-In and Show. Does which show either or both of their first pair of permanent incisors will not be eligible to show in the Doe Kid Division.
 - Yearling Division-All does must show one or both teeth of first pair of permanent incisors. Does which show one or both teeth of the first pair of permanent incisors are eligible to show only in the Yearling Division.
 - Aged Division – All does must show more than the first pair of permanent incisors. Does which show more than the first pair of permanent incisors are eligible to show only in the Aged Division.
- SHOW WEIGHTS:** Exhibitors will turn in an official show weight for their goat. All goats must meet the minimum weight requirement of 50 lbs. Weight changes will not be allowed at any time
- RE-WEIGH:** Goats will be weighed at the time of judging. Upon re-weigh, goats weighing more than 4 lbs. heavier than the official turn-in weight will be disqualified. The State Fair of Texas reserves the right to weigh any entry after the completion of check-In.
- PREMIUMS:** 1st \$40; 2nd \$35; 3rd \$30; 4th \$25
- CHAMPIONS:** Grand Champion \$500; Reserve Grand Champion \$250
- CLASSES:** Classes within each division will be broken by weight
 - Doe Kid (minimum of 2 classes. Additional classes may be added at the discretion of Show Management.)
 - Yearling (minimum of 1 class. Additional classes may be added at the discretion of Show Management)
 - Aged Doe (minimum of 1 class. Additional classes may be added at the discretion of Show Management.)
 - Grand Champion Wether Doe
 - Reserve Grand Champion Wether Doe

**PAN AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION®
OPEN & JUNIOR LLAMA SHOW
SATURDAY-SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8-9, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENT

Janet White

Entry Deadline		September 1
Move-In	October 7	8:00 AM
Checked-In	October 7	6:00 PM
Performance & Showmanship	October 8	9:00 AM
Halter Classes & Jr. Judging Contest	October 9	8:00 AM
Release	October 9	3:00 PM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

- 1. RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this division shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations and Department Requirements as published in this premium list. This show is an Alpaca and Llama Show Association (ALSA) approved show sponsored by South Central Llama Association (SCLA). All rules and guidelines for this show not covered by the State Fair of Texas Rules and Regulations will be in accordance to the current ALSA Handbook. The State Fair of Texas Llama Show is a qualifier for the annual Central Regional ALSA Championship show.
- 2. ENTRY APPLICATION/FEE:** An entry application and fee of \$20 per class plus a one-time ALSA show fee of \$5 per head, and all stall fees must be submitted by entry deadline. All fees must accompany online applications for entry or mailed in signature forms. This fee is not a stall fee. Late entries will be accepted until September 15 for a late entry fee per head equal to two times the regular entry fee per head. An ALSA membership card must be presented at registration or a \$60 fee for adults/\$15 fee for youth must be paid to receive exhibitor's entry packet.

A COPY OFF ALL ENTRIES MUST BE MAILED TO:



**Mrs. Janet White
6037 County Road 311
Grandview, TX 76050**

- 3. OWNERSHIP:** Exhibitors must be the registered owners and make entry in the exact names (owner and animal) as they appear on the registration certificate. An exhibitor may or may not be the handler. Junior division entries must be made in the name of the junior.
- 4. REGISTRATION:** An original certificate of registration must be presented to the superintendent prior to the registration check deadline and kept available at all times during the show for each animal exhibited. All llamas, with the exception of in junior, performance and non-breeder classes, must be registered or have passed screening with the International Llama Registry (ILR) or the Canadian Livestock Record Corporation (CLRC). All llamas have to be registered with the ILR. Non-breeding llamas and llamas used in youth or performance classes do not have to be registered or have passed screening with the ILR or CLRC.
- 5. STALLS/BEDDING:** Stalling requests must be submitted at time of entry application. Limit two head per stall (not including cria 5 mos. or younger). No bedding provided. Special and specific stall requests must be submitted on the Stall Request Form included in this premium list by September 15, 2016. There is no guarantee that stall request can or will be honored.
- 6. WOOL DIVISIONS:** Llamas will be divided into four divisions based on length of wool.
 - i. Suri Wool:** Natural balanced, athletic type; Natural luster, hand and drape over the body, usually forming a natural part along the spine.
 - ii. Light Wool:** Minimal body wool, short neck wool with smooth legs.
 - iii. Medium Wool:** Moderate to long body wool, minimal to moderate neck wool, smooth to moderate leg wool.
 - iv. Heavy Wool:** Abundant body and neck wool with minimal to abundant leg wool. (i.e., leg wool at least to knee and hock.)
 - v.** Light and medium wools may be combined to have at least eight entries in the division. This will allow these entries to be eligible to show and receive points for Grand and Reserve Grand Champion
- 7. NON-BREEDER:** All ages and wool classifications of gelded males or surgically spayed females to be judged on soundness, conformation, a disposition. Non-breeding llamas must be accompanied by a registration or veterinarian certificate verifying gelded or spayed status. If three or less entries per class, classes may be combined.
- 8. ADVANCE/MASTER PERFORMANCE:** Open to all entries who meet the specific criteria for the respective ALSA approved class. A llama may be entered only once in either advance/master or youth classes.
- 9. NOVICE PERFORMANCE:** Open to all entries who meet the specific criteria for the respective ALSA approved class. A llama may be entered in only either novice or youth classes
- 10. YOUTH:** All junior ages 8-18 years of age as of January 1 of the current year. A junior who becomes 8 during the year is eligible to show as of his/her birthday. For junior performance and showmanship classes, ALSA points will be credited to

the handler. Junior ALSA number must be included on entry application. The age divisions at any show may be combined if there are fewer than 8 total entries in any two of the age categories. **Please be prepared to provide proof of age with a birth certificate.**

11. **SPECIAL NEEDS** (as described in ALSA Rulebook) will be combined with youth junior performance classes, but will be judged separately.
12. **PREMIER EXHIBITOR:** Premier Exhibitor will be calculated from the exhibitor's placement, in individual classes only, as follows: 1st=4 pts, 2nd=3 pts, 3rd=2 pts, 4th=1 pt. In case of a tie, 5th place will count. No entry fee, premium, or ALSA points. Llamas may not be entered more than once in the same class.
13. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$35; 2nd \$30; 3rd \$25; 4th \$20
14. **GRAND CHAMPIONS:** \$45; **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPIONS:** \$25
15. **CLASSES OFFERED:**

Saturday, October 8, 2016

Showmanship

1. Adult Showmanship – Exhibitors over the age of 19 years old
2. Senior Showmanship – Exhibitors 14 years through 18 years old
3. Intermediate Showmanship – Exhibitors 11 years through 13 years old
4. Junior Showmanship – Exhibitors 8 years through 10 years old
5. Sub-Junior Showmanship – Exhibitors under the age of 8 years old

Performance

6. Master Pack – (Llamas under 18 months shown first)
7. Advanced Pack – (Llamas under 18 months shown first)
8. Senior Pack – Exhibitors born January 1, 1998 – December 31, 2002
9. Intermediate Pack – Exhibitors born January 1, 2003 – December 31, 2005
10. Novice Pack
11. Junior Pack – Exhibitors born January 1, 2006 – September 28, 2008
12. Master Obstacle
13. Advanced Obstacle
14. Senior Obstacle – Exhibitors born January 1, 1998 – December 31, 2002
15. Intermediate Obstacle – Exhibitors born January 1, 2003 – December 31, 2005
16. Novice Obstacle
17. Junior Obstacle – Exhibitors born January 1, 2006 – September 28, 2008
18. Master Public Relations
19. Advanced Public Relations
20. Senior Public Relations – Exhibitors born January 1, 1998 – December 31, 2002
21. Intermediate Public Relations – Exhibitors born January 1, 2003 – December 31, 2005
22. Novice Public Relations
23. Junior Public Relations - Exhibitors born January 1, 2005 – September 28, 2008
24. Special Needs Obstacle
25. Sub-Junior Obstacle - Exhibitors under the age of 8 years old
26. Special Needs Public Relations
27. Sub-Junior Public Relations - Exhibitors under the age of 8 years old
28. Master Performance Champion
29. Master Performance Reserve Champion
30. Advanced Performance Champion
31. Advanced Performance Reserve Champion
32. Senior Performance Champion (classes 28, 31, 35)
33. Senior Performance Reserve Champion (classes 28, 31, 35)
34. Intermediate Performance Champion (classes 27, 30, 34)
35. Intermediate Performance Reserve Champion (classes 27, 30, 34)
36. Novice Performance Champion
37. Novice Performance Reserve Champion
38. Junior Performance Champion (classes 26, 29, 32)
39. Junior Performance Reserve Champion (classes 26, 29, 32)
40. Special Needs Performance Champion
41. Special Needs Performance Reserve Champion

Sunday, October 9, 2016

Youth Judging

42. Junior Judging Contest – Exhibitors born January 1, 2006 – September 28, 2008
43. Intermediate Judging Contest – Exhibitors born January 1, 2003 – December 31, 2005
44. Senior Judging Contest – Exhibitors born January 1, 1998 – December 31, 2002

Suri Wool Females

- 45. Juvenile – 5 thru 12 months, born September 29, 2015 – April 28, 2016
- 46. Yearling – 13 thru 24 months, born September 29, 2014 – September 28, 2015
- 47. Two year old – 25 thru 36 months, born September 29, 2013 – September 28, 2014
- 48. Adult – 37 months and older, born September 1, 2013 or before
- 49. GRAND CHAMPION SURI WOOL FEMALE
- 50. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION SURI WOOL FEMALE

**Banner, Trophy
Banner**

Light Wool Females

- 51. Juvenile – 5 thru 12 months, born September 29, 2015 – April 28, 2016
- 52. Yearling – 13 thru 24 months, born September 29, 2014 – September 28, 2015
- 53. Two year old – 25 thru 36 months, born September 29, 2013 – September 28, 2014
- 54. Adult – 37 months and older, born September 1, 2013 or before
- 55. GRAND CHAMPION LIGHT WOOL FEMALE
- 56. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION LIGHT WOOL FEMALE

**Banner, Trophy
Banner**

Medium Wool Females

- 57. Juvenile – 5 thru 12 months, born September 29, 2015 – April 28, 2016
- 58. Yearling – 13 thru 24 months, born September 29, 2014 – September 28, 2015
- 59. Two year old – 25 thru 36 months, born September 29, 2013 – September 28, 2014
- 60. Adult – 37 months and older, born September 1, 2013 or before
- 61. GRAND CHAMPION MEDIUM WOOL FEMALE
- 62. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION MEDIUM WOOL FEMALE

**Banner, Trophy
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Heavy Wool Females

- 63. Juvenile – 5 thru 12 months, born September 29, 2015 – April 28, 2016
- 64. Yearling – 13 thru 24 months, born September 29, 2014 – September 28, 2015
- 65. Two year old – 25 thru 36 months, born September 29, 2013 – September 28, 2014
- 66. Adult – 37 months and older, born September 1, 2013 or before
- 67. GRAND CHAMPION HEAVY WOOL FEMALE
- 68. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION HEAVY WOOL FEMALE

**Banner, Trophy
Banner**

Non-Breeders

- 69. Yearling – 13 thru 24 months, born September 29, 2014 – September 28, 2015
- 70. Two year old – 25 thru 36 months, born September 29, 2013 – September 28, 2014
- 71. Adult – 37 months and older, born September 1, 2013 or before
- 72. GRAND CHAMPION NON-BREEDER
- 73. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION NON-BREEDER

Suri Wool Males

- 74. Juvenile – 5 thru 12 months, born September 29, 2015 – April 28, 2016
- 75. Yearling – 13 thru 24 months, born September 29, 2014 – September 28, 2015
- 76. Two year old – 25 thru 36 months, born September 29, 2013 – September 28, 2014
- 77. Adult – 37 months and older, born September 1, 2013 or before
- 78. GRAND CHAMPION SURI WOOL MALE
- 79. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION SURI WOOL MALE

Light Wool Males

- 80. Juvenile – 5 thru 12 months, born September 29, 2015 – April 28, 2016
- 81. Yearling – 13 thru 24 months, born September 29, 2014 – September 28, 2015
- 82. Two year old – 25 thru 36 months, born September 29, 2013 – September 28, 2014
- 83. Adult – 37 months and older, born September 1, 2013 or before
- 84. GRAND CHAMPION LIGHT WOOL MALE
- 85. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION LIGHT WOOL MALE

Medium Wool Males

- 86. Juvenile – 5 thru 12 months, born September 29, 2015 – April 28, 2016
- 87. Yearling – 13 thru 24 months, born September 29, 2014 – September 28, 2015
- 88. Two year old – 25 thru 36 months, born September 29, 2013 – September 28, 2014
- 89. Adult – 37 months and older, born September 1, 2013 or before
- 90. GRAND CHAMPION MEDIUM WOOL MALE
- 91. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION MEDIUM WOOL MALE

Heavy Wool Males

- 92. Juvenile – 5 thru 12 months, born September 29, 2015 – April 28, 2016
- 93. Yearling – 13 thru 24 months, born September 29, 2014 – September 28, 2015
- 94. Two year old – 25 thru 36 months, born September 29, 2013 – September 28, 2014
- 95. Adult – 37 months and older, born September 1, 2013 or before
- 96. GRAND CHAMPION MEDIUM WOOL MALE
- 97. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION MEDIUM WOOL MALE

Groups

98G. Produce of Dam: 2 offspring, either sex, by same dam, shown in appropriate class. One entry per dam

99G. Get-Of-Sire: 3 offspring, either sex, by 2 same sire, from at least 2 dams, shown in appropriate class.

100. Best Of Show (All Grand Champions Competing)

101. Premier Llama Exhibitor

**PAN AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION®
BREEDING RABBITS
SATURDAY & SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8-9, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENTS:
Gay Sparks, Patti Walthrop

Entry Deadline		September 1
Move-In	October 7	8:00 AM
Checked-In	October 7	6:00 PM
Show	October 8	9:00 AM
Show	October 9	9:00 AM
Begin Release	October 9	3:00 PM

Sanctioned by:
American Rabbit Breeders Association, Inc.
Texas Rabbit Breeders Association

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

For points to count in the TRBA Sweepstakes series, exhibitor must be a member of the TRBA before the show starts.

- 1. RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this division shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations and Department Requirements as published in this premium list.
- 2.** The State Fair of Texas reserves the right to refuse entries from exhibitors placing an entry from all locations within 150 miles which has had a confirmed outbreak of RCV/RHD/VHD within the past 60 days of the entry deadline.
- 3. OWNERSHIP:** All rabbits must be owned by the exhibitor by September 1 prior to the show date of the Fair. If all entries in a class are owned by one (1) exhibitor or his immediate family, only one (1) premium will be paid.
- 4. EAR MARKS:** All stock must have permanent and legible ear marks in left ear.
- 5. COOPS:** All entries will be expected to be in their assigned coops at all times during the show except when on the judging table.
- 6. BREEDING:** No breeding will be allowed in the show room.
- 7. COMMENT CARDS AND RIBBONS:** Exhibitors must pick up comment cards and ribbons from the Secretary before leaving. They will not be mailed.
- 8. SUBSTITUTIONS:** Substitutions will be allowed only in the same breed, class, sex and color.
- 9. MEAT PENS AND LITTERS:** No meat pens or does and litters will be allowed in the show.
- 10. RELEASES:** No releases will be written until Sunday.
- 11. DIRECTED SPECIALS:** To qualify for Directed Specials, there must be min. 10 rabbits entered in every breed.
- 12. FUR CLASSES:** A separate entry fee must be paid for the fur classes.
- 13.** All exhibitors are responsible for presenting their animals at the judging table.
- 14. JUDGING:** Rabbits will be judged by coop number.
- 15.** Grooming tables and chairs will be allowed in designated areas only.
- 16.** All exhibitors are responsible for feeding and watering their own animals.
- 17. POINT SYSTEM:** All displays will be determined by the ARBA point system as follows:
 - 1st: 6 points x number of rabbits in class
 - 2nd: 4 points x number of rabbits in class
 - 3rd: 3 points x number of rabbits in class
 - 4th: 2 points x number of rabbits in class
 - 5th: 1 point x number of rabbits in class

18. CLASSES OFFERED:

Breeds maturing under eight pounds:

Junior Buck Junior Buck
Junior Doe
Senior Buck 6/8 Buck
Senior Doe 6/8 Doe

Breeds maturing over eight pounds:

Breed Fur
Junior Doe
Colored Satin
White Rex
Senior Buck
Senior Doe

Fur Classes:

White Satin

Colored Rex

PAN-AM RABBIT PREMIUM SCHEDULE

		1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th
20 or more shown	A:	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$7	\$6
10-19 shown	B:	\$10	\$8	\$7	\$6	
4 - 9 shown	C:	\$8	\$7	\$6		
1 - 3 shown		Ribbon				
Best in Show		Rosette				
Best of Breed		Rosette				
Best Opposite Sex		Rosette				

DIRECTED SPECIALS

All breeds having entries of ten (10) or more will be paid the following directed specials:

Best of Breed	\$25
Best Opposite Sex	\$15

SHOW DISPLAY AWARDS

The following will be paid by the State Fair of Texas as Show Display Awards. All breeds will compete and sweepstake points will count.

Best Display in Show	\$30
2 nd Best Display	\$25
3 rd Best Display	\$20
4 th Best Display	\$15
5 th Best Display	\$10

FUR CLASSES

The following premiums will be paid provided ten (10) or more are shown in a class.

1 st	\$5
2 nd	\$3
3 rd	\$2

PAN-AMERICAN DIVISION SANCTIONED BREEDS

- American Dutch Rabbit Club
- American Federation Of New Zealand Rabbit Breeders
- American Netherland Dwarf Rabbit Club
- American Polish Rabbit Club
- American Satin Rabbit Breeders Association
- American Thrianta Rabbit Breeders Association
- Californian Rabbit Specialty Club
- Florida White Rabbit Breeders Association
- Holland Lop Rabbit Specialty Club, Inc.
- Lop Rabbit Club Of America, Inc.
- National Federation of Flemish Giant Rabbit Breeders, Inc.
- National Jersey Wooly Rabbit Club
- National Mini Rex Rabbit Club
- Havana Rabbit Breeders Association
- The North American Lionhead Rabbit Club
- Palomino Rabbit Co-Breeders Association

**PAN-AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION®
POULTRY SHOW**



Entry Deadline		September 1
Move-In	October 21	8:00 AM
In-Place	October 22	8:00 AM
Release	October 23	4:00 PM

1. **RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this division is subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations and the Pan-Am Poultry Show Requirements as published in online premium list. **The American Standard of Perfection as revised by the American Poultry Association will be used as the guide in judging of this division.**

2. **ENTRY APPLICATION/FEE:** For show information and entry applications see bigtex.com.

3. **ALL ENTRIES TO BE MAILED TO:**



State Fair of Texas
Attn: Livestock Department
PO Box 150009
Dallas, TX 75315

4. **ADMISSION/PARKING:** All exhibitors are required to purchase a section admission pass and parking permit for the duration of each show entered. **Please see “Admission and Parking” in the General Rules Section of this Premium List.** When a request for Certified Mail is indicated on the entry application and the certified mail fee is included with all other fees, passes will be mailed to the exhibitor. Upon unloading, livestock personnel at the Animal Health Office will issue prepaid passes, not mailed, to the driver of vehicles with livestock upon arrival through Gate 15. **ALL LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY ARE REQUIRED TO ENTER THROUGH GATE 15.**

5. **HEALTH REQUIREMENT:** All animals entering Fair Park must comply with the requirements of the State Fair of Texas Animal Health Regulations. A **negative Pullorum-Typhoid test** within 30 (thirty) days or from flocks that meet either the Texas Pullorum-Typhoid Program or the National Poultry Improvement Plan (NPIP). Poultry must originate from areas where reportable avian diseases are not known to have been active within the last 30 (thirty) days. **All exhibitors must provide original documentation to animal health officials and/or show management upon arrival.** Forms must be kept available with exhibit at all times during the show.

6. **SHIPPING:** Express shipments will not be accepted.

7. **EXHIBITOR’S RESPONSIBILITIES:** Exhibitors are not permitted to place advertising material on the coops occupied with entries. Entries are not to be handled by anyone except the judge and/or owners.

8. **SUBSTITUTIONS;** Changes and substitutions may be accommodated upon arrival. Substitutions must be within the same breed and variety only.

9. **JUDGE’S RESPONSIBILITIES:** In the opinion of the judge, if an exhibit is unworthy of first award, the judge must give the exhibit the appropriate award. If unworthy of any award listed in the premium list, the judge must so designate.

10. **CLASSES:** Classes will be provided for all breeds/varieties currently recognized by the American Bantam Association and American Poultry Association.

11. **JUDGING:** The order of judging will be established by the Superintendent and completed on the following day, if necessary.

12. **NOTE:** For Youth Market Broiler information, refer to specific division on bigtex.com.

13. **DEFINITIONS:**

LARGE AND BANTAM CHICKENS, GUINEA FOWL

- Cock – Male bird over one year of age.
- Hen – Female bird over one year of age.
- Cockerel – Male bird under one year of age.
- Pullet – Female bird under one year of age.

DUCKS

- Old Drake – Male bird over one year of age.
- Old Duck – Female bird over one year of age.
- Young Drake – Male bird under one year of age.
- Young Duck – Female bird under one year of age.

GEESE

- Old Gander – Male bird over one year of age.
- Old Goose – Female bird over one year of age.
- Young Gander – Male bird under one year of age.
- Young Goose – Female bird under one year of age.

TURKEYS

- Old Tom – Male bird over one year of age.

Old Hen – Female bird over one year of age.
Young Tom – Male bird under one year of age.
Young Hen – Female bird under one year of age.

14. **PREMIUMS:**

5+ entries: 1st \$5; 2nd \$4; 3rd \$3; 4th \$2

1-4 entries: 1st \$3; 2nd \$2

15. **CHAMPION AWARDS:** Competition must exist between three or more birds owned by two or more exhibitors before champion awards will be presented.

16. **DISPLAY AWARDS:** Best displays will be awarded on a minimum of seven birds of the same variety owned by one individual, consisting of at least one cockerel, one pullet, one cock and one hen. The following point system will be used: 1st=6 pts, 2nd=4 pts, 3rd=3 pts, 4th=2 pts, 5th=1 pt. The points will be multiplied by the number of birds in a class at time of judging.

PAN-AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION®
BANTAM SHOW
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2016

SUPERINTENDENTS
Craig Rounsaville, Cathy Gleason

Entry Deadline
Show

October 22

September 1
10:00 AM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

1. **RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this division shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations and Pan-American Poultry Show Requirements as published in this premium list.

2. **CLASSES OFFERED:**

MODERN GAME:

- Modern Game

GAME:

- Old English Game; American Game

SINGLE-COMB, CLEAN-LEGGED, OTHER THAN GAME:

- Ancona-Single Comb; Andalusian-Blue; Australorp; Campine; Catalana-Buff; Delaware-Single Comb; Dorking-Single Comb; Dutch Holland; Japanese; Java; Jersey Giant; Lakenfelder; Lamona; Leghorn; Minorca; Naked Neck (Turken); Nankin; New Hampshire-Single Comb; Orpington Phoenix; Plymouth Rock; Rhode Island Red-Single Comb; Spanish, White-Faced Black; Sussex

ROSE-COMB, CLEAN LEGGED:

- Ancona, Rose Comb; Antwerp Belgian; Dominique, Rose Comb; Dorking, Rose Comb White; Hamburg; Leghorn; Minorca; Redcap, Rose Comb Nankin; Rose Comb Rhode Island Red; Rose Comb; Rhode Island White, Rose Comb; Rose Comb Sebright; Wyandotte

ALL OTHER COMBS, CLEAN LEGGED:

- Ameraucana; Araucana; Buckeye; Buttercup (Sicilian); Chantecler; Cornish; Crevecoeur; Cubalaya; Houdan, Ko Shamo; La Fleche, Black; Malay; Polish; Shamo; Sumatra; Yokohama

FEATHER-LEGGED

- Booted; Brahma; Cochin; D'Uccle; Faverolles; Langshan; Silkie; Sultan

3. **PREMIUMS:**

Best Cock, Cockerel, Hen & Pullet	Modern Game; Game; Single-Comb Clean-Legged; Rose-Comb Clean Legged;	\$10
Champion Cock, Cockerel, Hen & Pullet	All Other Comb Clean Legged, Feather Legged	\$15
Class Champion	All Varieties Competing Modern Game; Game; Single-Comb Clean-Legged; Rose-Comb Clean Legged;	\$10
Grand Champion Bantam Bird	All Other Comb Clean Legged, Feather Legged	\$25.00, Buckle
Reserve Grand Champion Bantam Bird		\$15.00, Banner
Bantam Display of Show		\$30.00, Plaque
Reserve Bantam Display of Show		\$20.00, Banner

**PAN-AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION®
DUCK & GEESE SHOW
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENTS
Craig Rounsaville, Cathy Gleason

Entry Deadline
Show

October 22

September 1
10:00 AM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

1. **RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this division shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations and Pan-American Poultry Show Requirements as published in this premium list.

DUCKS

1. **CLASSES:**

- A. HEAVY CLASS: Appleyard, Aylesbury,-White, Muscovy, Pekin-White, Rouen, Saxony
- B. MEDIUM CLASS: Buff, Cayuga-Black, Crested, Blue Swedish
- C. LIGHT CLASS: Khaki Campbell, Magpie, Runner, Welsh Harlequin
- D. BANTAM CLASS: Call, East India-Black, Mallard, Mandarin, Wood

2. **PREMIUMS/ AWARDS:**

Class Champion	\$10
Grand Champion	\$15, buckle
Reserve Grand Champion	\$10, banner

GEESE

1. **CLASSES:**

- A. HEAVY CLASS: African-Brown, Embden, Toulouse
- B. MEDIUM CLASS: American Buff – Pilgrim, Sebastopol-White, Pomeranian, Steinbacher
- C. LIGHT CLASS: Canada- Eastern (Common), Chinese (China), Egyptian, Tufled Roman

2. **PREMIUMS/ AWARDS:**

Class Champion	\$10
Grand Champion	\$15, buckle
Reserve Grand Champion	\$10, banner

PAN-AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION®
EGG SHOW
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2016

SUPERINTENDENTS
Craig Rounsaville, Cathy Gleason

Entry Deadline
Show

October 22

September 1
10:00 AM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

1. **RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this division shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations and the Pan-American Poultry Show Requirements as published in this premium list.
2. **EGG SHELL COLOR:** All eggs from any breed of chicken can compete. Three egg per entry contest. Enter shell color classes for White, Brown, and All Other Colors. There is a Triple Color Class, consisting of 3 eggs of a different color.
 - a. White classes include only white eggs. Cream or tinted eggs are exhibited in All-Other-Color class.
 - b. Brown classes include light, medium and dark brown eggs.
 - c. All Other Color eggs may include blues, greens, olives, plums, beiges, creams, pinks and pastels.
 - d. Tricolor is any three colors of the egg exhibitor's choice.
3. **CONTENTS:** Enter fresh eggs from your best fed chickens in the Contents Class. This is a single egg entry contest. A single egg entry is cracked open and judged on the color, shape and form of the yolk, albumin, freshness and visibility of the structures of the egg (such as the germinal spot). A fertile egg is a disqualification. The Contents class allows any single egg entry. It is not breed specific and not judged on shell color.
4. **EGG STANDARDS/QUALIFICATIONS:** Open to exhibitors of all age, Nationwide. Egg entries must be produced by exhibitor's chicken.
 - a. Exhibitor may submit two entries in each of the classes 1-10. An entry consists of one egg in contents classes (7-8) and three eggs for each entry in all other classes. Eggs shall be fresh and shell natural, (produced within 5 days would be optimum).
 - b. Exhibits must be brought to the poultry arena between 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. on show day.
 - c. Once entered, all eggs are property of the State Fair of Texas. All eggs will be destroyed after judging, at the conclusion of the egg show.
 - d. Awards will be presented after the completion of the show. All entries are eligible to receive prizes. Ribbons will be awarded for 1st-3rd in each class. An award for Champion Overall Egg Trio and Champion Overall Egg Contents will be awarded. Exhibitors must be present by show closing (6:00 p.m.) to claim any awards.
5. **CLASSES:**
 1. Bantam White Egg (three eggs make an entry)
 2. Bantam Brown Egg (three eggs make an entry)
 3. Bantam All Other Color (AOC) Egg (three eggs make an entry)
 4. Standard (large fowl) White Egg (three eggs make an entry)
 5. Standard Brown Egg (three eggs make an entry)
 6. Standard All Other Color Egg (three eggs make an entry)
 7. Contents One Egg Standard (large fowl)
 8. Contents One Egg Bantam

6. **EGG SHOW JUDGING CRITERIA:**

Classes 1-6:

Uniformity	25 points
Proper Size/Shape	20 points
Texture	20 points
Color	25 points
Cleanliness	10 points

Hint: Eggs should be uniform in color and size.

Classes 7-8:

Yolk color a rich golden yellow	30 points
Yolk Shape and Centering	25 points
Clear Albumin with Defined Shape	25 points
Chalazae Cords and Germ Spot Visible	20 points

Class 9:

Uniformity	20 points
Proper Size/Shape	20 points
Texture	20 points
Cleanliness	10 points
Color	30 points

Class 10:

Proper Size/Shape	20 points
Texture	20 points
Cleanliness	20 points
Uniqueness/Beauty	40 points

Contents Class Disqualifications:

- Artificial Color enhancements
- Active Germinal Spot
- Fertile Egg

**PAN-AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION®
STANDARD POULTRY SHOW
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENTS

Craig Rounsaville, Cathy Gleason

Entry Deadline
Show

October 22

September 1
10:00 AM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

1. **RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this division shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations and Pan-American Poultry Show Requirements as published in this premium list.
2. **CLASSES:**
 - AMERICAN:**
 - Buckeye, Chantecler, Delaware, Dominique, Holland, Java, Jersey Giant, Lamona, New Hampshire, Plymouth Rock, Rhode Island Red, Rhode Island White, Wyandotte
 - ASIATIC:**
 - Brahma, Cochin, Langshan
 - CONTINENTAL:**
 - NORTH EUROPEAN: Campine, Lakenvelder, Hamburg
 - FRENCH: Crevecoeur, Faverolles, Houdan, La Fleche, Marans, Polish
 - ENGLISH:**
 - Australorp, Cornish, Dorking, Orpington, Redcap, Sussex
 - MEDITERRANEAN:**
 - Ancona, Blue Andalusian, Buttercup, Catalana, Leghorn, Minorca, Spanish
 - ALL OTHER STANDARDS:**
 - GAMES: Modern Game, Old English Game
 - ORIENTAL: Aseel, Cubalaya, Malay, Phoenix, Shamo, Sumatra, Yokohama
 - MISCELLANEOUS: Ameraucana, Araucana, Naked Neck (Turken), Sultan
3. **PREMIUMS:**

Best Cock, Cockerel, Hen And Pullet, each	American, Asiatic, Continental, English, Mediterranean, All Other Standard Breeds	\$10
Champion Cock, Cockerel, Hen And Pullet	All varieties Compete	\$15
Class Champion	American, Asiatic, Continental, English, Mediterranean, All Other Standard Breeds, each	\$10
Grand Champion Standard Bird		\$25, Buckle
Reserve Grand Champion Standard Bird		\$15, Banner
Best American, Asiatic, Continental, English, Mediterranean, Other Display, each		\$10
Best Standard Display Of Show		\$30, Plaque
Reserve Standard Display Of Show		\$20, Banner

PAN-AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION®
TURKEY & GUINEA FOWL
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2016

SUPERINTENDENTS
Craig Rounsaville, Cathy Gleason

Entry Deadline
Show

October 22

September 1
10:00 AM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

4. **RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this division shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations and Pan-American Poultry Show Requirements as published in this premium list.

TURKEYS

1. **CLASSES:**

- Beltsville Small White, Black, Bourbon Red, Bronze, Narragansett, Royal Palm, Slate, White Holland

2. **AWARDS/PREMIUMS:**

Best in each recognized variety	\$10
Grand Champion Turkey	\$15, Buckle
Reserve Grand Champion Turkey	\$10, Banner

GUINEA FOWL

1. **CLASSES OFFERED:**

- Lavender, Pearl, White

2. **AWARDS/PREMIUMS:**

Best in each recognized variety	\$10
Grand Champion Guinea Fowl	\$15, Buckle
Reserve Grand Champion Guinea Fowl	\$10, Banner

**JUNIOR LIVESTOCK SHOW
POULTRY SHOWMANSHIP
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENTS

Craig Rounsaville, Cathy Gleason,
Lu Ann Shank

Entry Deadline
Show

October 23

September 1
10:00 AM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

1. **RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this division shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations and Department Requirements as published in this premium list.
2. **PURPOSE:** Exhibitors have an opportunity to demonstrate their knowledge of poultry, ability to carry, examine, and position their bird in the cage. The breeding or quality of the bird is disregarded. Cleanliness, condition, freedom from parasites, health, and vigor of the chicken is important. Contestants will be scored primarily about knowledge of their project and how well the birds were maintained.
3. **ELIGIBILITY.** Poultry Showmanship is open to registered Texas 4-H & FFA members. All participants must comply with the 4-H Poultry Fitting & Showmanship Members Guide (Michigan State University Extension Publication 4-H 1520) Regulations, <http://ebookbrowse.net/4h1520-4hpoultryfittingshowmanshipmembers-pdf-d213645997>
4. **AGE DIVISIONS:** As of September 1

Clover	Ages 5-7
Junior	Ages 8-9
Intermediate	Ages 10-14
Senior	Ages 15-18

5. **ENTRY/APPLICATION FEE,** \$5.00. 4-H and FFA members seeking to participate in the Poultry Showmanship are required to complete a showmanship entry form and submit with all other poultry or egg show entries. All fees for exhibitor passes, parking passes and entries must accompany application materials. Entries must be signed and complete. Please be sure to indicate on the age division applicable to exhibitor.
6. **SCORING.** The poultry showmanship judge will evaluate participants based on their knowledge of their project, presentation, and handling of their entry during the showmanship competition. Awards will be presented in each division, and recognition at the completion of the poultry showmanship competition. For further information, visit: <http://www3.ag.purdue.edu/counties/perry/Documents/4-H/Youth%20Poultry7%20Showmanship%20Guide.pdf>
7. **AWARDS:**
Champion Showman

Buckle

PAN-AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION®
ROOSTER CROWING CONTEST
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2016

SUPERINTENDENTS

Craig Rounsaville, Cathy Gleason

Entry Deadline
Contest

October 23

September 1
1:00 PM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

17. **RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this division shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations and the Pan-American Poultry Show Requirements as published in this premium list.
18. **ENTRY: \$10.00,** to be made at the time of entry for the Poultry Show, entry deadline is September 1. Due to space availability, entries will be limited to the first 12 entered, limit one entry per exhibitor.
19. **OBJECTIVE:** The rooster which crows the greatest number of times in a 15 minute time span will be declared the winner. Roosters will be cooped in individual coops and the exhibitor may use any method except touching the coop or the rooster, to coerce crowing from their rooster.
20. **TIE-BREAKER:** In case of ties, a "crow off" will be held as directed by the show superintendent. Any special rules will be set by show superintendent as necessary.
21. **PREMIUMS:** 1ST: \$50, 2ND: \$25
22. **AWARDS:** Winner, Special Award and Premium

PAN-AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION®
TLBT JUNIOR LONGHORN CATTLE
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 9, 2016

SUPERINTENDENTS

Traci Moore, Trigg Moore

Entry Deadline		September 1
Move-In	October 7	8:00 AM
Checked-In	October 7	6:00 PM
Show	October 9	9:00 AM
Release	October 9	3:00 PM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

1. Entries in the following classes must be registered with the International Texas Longhorn Association (ITLA) and/or the Texas Longhorn Breeders Association of America (TLBAA). All youth exhibitors must be a current member with the TLBT. A copy of your registration papers need to be included with your entries.
2. The State Fair of Texas reserves the right to present for registry any animal entered in the show to any longhorn association recognized by the State Fair of Texas. This will be done at no charge to the exhibitor/owner.
3. **Entry fee is \$45.** (\$30 SFT fee, \$15 TLBAA fee.) All entries must be submitted to the State Fair of Texas either online or on entry forms by September 1, 2016.
4. All animals must be at least 120 days old to be eligible to show.
5. No grooming chutes are allowed.
6. All animals will be shown at halter. All bulls will be shown at halter WITH NOSE LEAD.
7. **PREMIUM:** 1st \$50; 2nd \$45; 3rd \$40; 4th \$35; 5th \$30
8. **CLASSES:**

FEMALES

1. Born, September-December 2016
2. Born, July-August, 2016
3. Born, May-June, 2016
4. Born, March-April, 2016
5. Born, January-February, 2016
6. Junior Champion Haltered Female Ribbon
7. Reserve Junior Champion Haltered Female Ribbon
8. Born, September-December, 2015
9. Born, May-August, 2015
10. Born, January-April, 2015
11. Born, 2014
12. Senior Champion Haltered Female Ribbon
13. Reserve Senior Champion Haltered Female Ribbon
14. GRAND CHAMPION HALTERED FEMALE Banner, Buckle
15. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION HALTERED FEMALE Banner

BULLS

16. Born, September-December 2016
17. Born, July-August, 2016
18. Born, May-June, 2016
19. Born, March-April, 2016
20. Born, January-February, 2016
21. Born, September-December, 2015
(Exhibitors in class 21 must be in the senior division of TLBT)
22. GRAND CHAMPION BULL Buckle, Banner
23. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL Banner

STEERS

24. Born October – December 2016
25. Born July – September 2016
26. Steer born April – June 2016
27. Born January – March 2016
28. Junior Champion Steer Ribbon

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| 29. Reserve Junior Champion Steer | Ribbon |
| 30. Born September – December 2015 | |
| 31. Born May – August 2015 | |
| 32. Born January – April 2015 | |
| 33. Born 2014 | |
| 34. Champion Senior Steer | Ribbon |
| 35. Reserve Champion Senior Steer | Ribbon |
| 36. GRAND CHAMPION STEER | Banner, Buckle |
| 37. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION STEER | Banner |

SHOWMANSHIP:

1. Peewee: 6 years and under as of January 1, 2017
2. Junior: 7-9 years as of January 1, 2017
3. Intermediate: 10-12 years as of January 1, 2017
4. Teen: 13-15 years as of January 1, 2017
5. Senior: 16-18 years as of January 1, 2017

**STATE FAIR OF TEXAS®
YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW AND CONTESTS**

SPECIAL RULES

The State Fair of Texas® (State Fair) encourages a practical interest among young people in the responsibilities and practices of feeding and raising livestock and competing agricultural contests. The purpose of the Youth Livestock Shows/Contests at the State Fair is to encourage and promote the educational aspects of agriculture/livestock projects conducted only by youth exhibitors under the proper supervision and direction of an Agriculture Science Teacher (AST) or a County Extension Agent (CEA). State Fair recognizes that the Texas AgriLife Extension, through 4-H Clubs, and the Texas Education Agency, through FFA Chapters, provides a valuable service to the public in educating Texas students in the principles of successful production livestock and agricultural knowledge. In order to encourage participation in the 4-H Clubs and FFA Chapters throughout the state, State Fair includes as a part of its annual fair and exposition, the youth livestock division which is a special exhibition for Texas 4-H and FFA members.

1. **RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in the Youth Livestock Show and Contests shall be subject to and each contestant agrees to abide by the General Rules, Youth Livestock Show and Contest Special Rules, and any applicable special requirements as published in this premium list (collectively, the "Rules"). In the event of any conflict between the Youth Livestock Show Special Rules and the General Rules, the provisions of these Special Rules shall apply. Additionally, any conflict between any applicable additional special requirements and the Youth Livestock rules, the additional special rules shall apply.
2. **PARTICIPATION:**
 - a. **ELIGIBLE EXHIBITORS:** Participation in the Youth Livestock Show is limited to Texas residents only, who are members of a Texas 4-H Club or Texas FFA Chapter (except where stated otherwise) who have continuously owned and personally fed and cared for their animal under the direct supervision of a CEA or AST. Exhibitors must be enrolled in, and attending, public, private or home school elementary or secondary schools in Texas and they must be at least 8 years old and in the third grade, but not more than 18 years old on September 1. Exhibitors must be bona fide residents of the State of Texas. **ALL LIVESTOCK EXHIBITORS MUST BE QUALITY COUNTS CERTIFIED.**
 - b. **INELIGIBLE EXHIBITORS:**
 1. If an exhibitor is suspended under the Texas Education Code 33.081 "No Pass, No Play", then that exhibitor/competitor and their animal are not eligible for competition.
 2. Exhibitors who have been disqualified from competition at State Fair or any other livestock show or have had a premium withheld or withdrawn are not eligible for competition. This shall include, but is not limited to, disqualification for fraud, misrepresentation, unethical fitting, tampering or deception. State Fair of Texas reserves the right to determine show eligibility.
 3. Exhibitors who have had a Grand Champion market beef steer, pen of market broilers, market goat, market lamb, or market barrow at any prior State Fair Youth Livestock Show are not eligible to compete in the division in which their prior Grand Champion was exhibited.
3. **ENTRY PROCEDURE:**
 - h. **Entry Application:** All applications for entry must be made through the **online** entry procedures located at www.bigtex.com by **12:00 A.M. midnight, August 25th**. Payment along with entry authorization signatures must be submitted by AST/CEA on a school/county check, cashier's check, or money order and postmarked on or before September 1 to the State Fair of Texas, Livestock Office, PO Box 150009, Dallas, TX 75315.
 - i. **ENTRY CERTIFICATION:** The Certification, Release, and Indemnity portion of each entry application must be signed by the youth exhibitor, a parent or guardian, **AND** the CEA or AST. By signing the certification portion of the entry application, each party acknowledges that they have read, understood and will abide by all the Rules. Additionally, by signing the entry application, the youth exhibitor and the parent or guardian certify that the entry has not been administered any substance not approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) and/or the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) for food animals. Furthermore, the exhibitor and parent/guardian certifies that the entry is free and clear of ALL drug and chemical residue, regardless of whether such drug is FDA or USDA approved or whether the withdrawal or elimination periods have been met.
 - j. **HEALTH REQUIREMENTS:** Health papers are not required on Youth Market Steers, Barrows, Lambs, Goats or Broilers. Health papers are required on animals entered in the Youth Breeding Shows. See Animal Health Regulations in this premium list.
 - k. **ENTRIES:** Entries may not be made in joint or multiple names.
 - l. **CLUB/CHAPTER ENTRIES:** Entries made by 4-H Clubs and FFA Chapters will only be accepted in Youth Dairy Herd classes and Contests, where allowed.
 - m. **ENTRY LIMITATIONS:** No exhibitor will be allowed to show more than two market beef steers, three pens of three broilers each, one market goat, one market lamb, and one market barrow.
 - n. **INCOMPLETE ENTRIES:** Incomplete entries include entries made online by midnight, August 25 (Livestock), September 1 (Contests) that are missing signatures, W-9's or other required information. Those incomplete entries

will be accepted conditionally and will not be assessed the late fee(s) provided, however, that all information is received by State Fair's Livestock Office prior to show time. Otherwise, prizes and premium money may be withheld, or the entry may be disqualified.

- o. LATE ENTRIES:** Late entries are defined as entries not received online by 12:00 A.M. midnight, August 25 (Livestock), September 1 (Contests). Entries made after midnight, on entry deadline must be mailed to State Fair's Livestock Office. See General Rules for late fee amounts.

4. OWNERSHIP:

- a. All animals must be exhibited, shown, and sold by their owner.
- b. The exhibitor must own their animal at the beginning of and throughout the feeding period and must feed, care for and exhibit their animal entered without any aid or assistance during the entire feeding period except from parents, CEA, AST or other youth exhibitors and leaders from their county/chapter. All youth animal exhibits must be owned and continuously cared for by the exhibitor from June 30 through the show date of the Fair. Exception: market broilers must be owned and continuously cared for from hatch date to the show date of the Fair. See validation requirements.
- c. **JOINTLY OWNED ANIMALS:** Animals owned in joint names are not eligible to compete.
- d. **SUBSTITUTE EXHIBITORS:** A substitute exhibitor may be used, at the sole and reasonable discretion of the department superintendent, by submitting a substitute exhibitor form and meeting one of the following conditions: a) when an exhibitor has more than one entry in the Youth Livestock Show showing at the same time; or b) when an exhibitor is sick or injured (must be accompanied by a signed statement from a certified medical doctor). When one of the before conditions exists, the department superintendent may use his/her own discretion as to whether a substitute showman will be allowed. If a positive decision is rendered by the department superintendent, the substitute showman must be from the same county/chapter as the original exhibitor. The substitute must also meet all requirements of a youth livestock show exhibitor. If only one exhibitor is present from a county/chapter, the department superintendent can approve a substitute from another county. An exhibitor may be used as a substitute only one time per market department. The department superintendent will require positive identification of the substitute and will require documentation in any of the above conditions. **Substitute exhibitors must be verified by BOTH department superintendents and forms must be turned in at Reg. Check/Weight Card turn in.**

- 5. STALLING UPON ARRIVAL:** Youth Market entries are stalled upon arrival. To pen together, groups MUST arrive together at the staging area. No pen assignments will be made for animals in trailers coming later. Animals will be counted on trailers. Livestock officials reserve the right to deny stall requests.

- 6. USDA WHOLESOME MEAT ACT:** The United States Department of Agriculture Wholesome Meat Act applies to the sale of market livestock and poultry which are sold during the State Fair of Texas, which includes but is not limited to the following:

- a. Animals must be in good health and carcasses free of drug, chemical or foreign substance residues;
- b. Drug label directions for use and withdrawal periods must be followed; and
- c. If drug or chemical residues are found in tissue of carcasses, the entire carcass may be condemned.

- 7. NON-ADHERENCE TO THE RULES:** Any person found guilty of misrepresentation or not abiding by the Rules in this premium list will be disqualified and denied the privilege of showing at the Fair.

**YOUTH MARKET LIVESTOCK SHOW
AUCTION LIMITATIONS**

- The State Fair of Texas will host a public auction the second Friday, October 7, 2016 at 1:00 PM for selected youth project animals whereby the youth livestock exhibitor shall receive compensation as a result of a bidding process for his/her show animal according to the following procedure.
- The youth livestock exhibitor shall receive the **price from the bidder** brought at public auction **not to exceed the maximum price listed below**. If the price brought from the bidder at the public auction exceeds the maximum price listed, then the balance of such bid shall be donated by the bidder to the State Fair of Texas Youth Scholarship Fund. **The maximum price is not guaranteed.**
- Each youth livestock exhibitor shall be eligible to competitively apply for educational support upon completion and submission of the State Fair of Texas Scholarship Application Forms. For more scholarship information, refer to "Youth Scholarship Opportunities" in this premium list.
- ALL ANIMALS QUALIFYING FOR THE AUCTION ARE REQUIRED TO SELL. This is a terminal show for all auction animals. No animals will be released to individual buyers.

SPECIES	TOTAL LOTS	MAX. PRICE
STEER	56	STEER
Grand Champion	1	\$30,000
Reserve Grand Champion	1	\$15,000
Breed Champions	5(4)	\$10,000
Reserve Breed Champions	5(6)	\$7,500
Top Placing non-champions	44	\$5,500
BARROW	110	BARROW
Grand Champion	1	\$10,000
Reserve Grand Champion	1	\$5,000
Breed Champions	5(4)	\$3,500
Reserve Breed Champions	5(6)	\$2,000
Top Placing non-champions	98	\$1,000
LAMB	44	LAMB
Grand Champion	1	\$10,000
Reserve Grand Champion	1	\$5,000
Breed Champions	4(3)	\$3,500
Reserve Breed Champions	4(5)	\$2,000
Top Placing non-champions	34	\$1,000
GOAT	36	GOAT
Grand Champion	1	\$10,000
Reserve Grand Champion	1	\$5,000
Division Champions	2(1)	\$3,500
Reserve Division Champions	2(1)	\$2,000
Top Placing non-champions	30	\$1,000
BROILERS	10	BROILERS
Grand Champion	1	\$2,500
Reserve Grand Champion	1	\$1,250
3 RD thru 10 th place non-champions	8	\$750.00

**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
MARKET BEEF STEERS
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENT:

Chris Skaggs, Joe Taylor
Nelson Hogg, Gerald Young
Charles Elk

Entry Deadline		August 25
Tack Load-In	October 4	6:00 AM-8:00 AM
Move-In	October 4	8:00 AM-1:00 PM
Checked-In	October 4	4:00 PM
Show	October 6	8:00 AM
Release (Non-Sale)	October 6	9:00 AM
Accept Floor/Relocate	October 6	5:00 PM
Sale	October 7	1:00 PM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

- 1. RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this department shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations and Youth Livestock Show and Contest Special Rules.
- 2. ENTRY LIMITATION:** No exhibitor shall be permitted to show more than two market beef steers. If both steers place high enough to make the sale, only the highest placing steer will sale. Only exception to this rules is if exhibitor has BOTH the Grand and Reserve Grand Champion Steer.
- 3. OWNERSHIP:** All entries must be owned and continuously cared for by the exhibitor from June 30 through show date of the Fair.
- 4. VALIDATION:** This show will adhere to the Texas Youth Livestock Validation Program. Failure to abide by these rules will result in disqualification.
- 5. ASSISTANCE:** Parents or other adults will not be allowed to assist youth exhibitors during judging of classes
- 6. CHECK-IN:** Exhibitors must check-in with pre-distributed weight cards including State Validation Tag Number, weight, and declared breed. Check-in must be completed by deadline on check-in day, or be subject to disqualification. Upon completion of check-in, exhibitors will receive a two additional class cards. One class card will be required to show/consign animal; the second class card can be retained for exhibitor records or as a receipt. Once an exhibitor has officially checked-in and left the kiosk, the entry is final; no further changes can be made.
- 7. CLASSIFICATION:** Exhibitors will declare a breed at check-in. Breed changes by the exhibitor will not be allowed at any time. Steers are subject to reclassification by a three-member committee. Any steer classed out of the declared breed will be placed in the Crosses and Other Breed division. ***SEE CLASSIFICATION GUIDELINES**
- 8. PROCESSING:** Market steers must meet the following requirements or will be automatically sifted:
 - Be slick shorn to no more than 1/4" on any location of the body, excluding tail switch.
 - Be free of grubs or grub damage.
 - Be dehorned and show no secondary horn growth in excess of one inch.
 - Be trained to lead easily and handle properly through processing and in the show ring.Decisions of official veterinarians, classifiers, and/or sifters is final. No protests will be considered by show management.
- 9. SHOW WEIGHTS:** Exhibitors will turn in the official show weight for their steer at check-in. The minimum show weight for all market steers is 1,000 pounds. All steers weighing less than 1,000 pounds will be sifted.
- 10. EAR TAGS:** Steers must have a Texas State Validation ear tag. Only validation tags will be allowed. All other tags must be removed prior to arrival. If an animal is missing the Texas State Validation ear tag upon arrival, it is the exhibitor's responsibility to notify the Superintendent immediately.
- 11. TIE OUTS:** Tie outs may be purchased at time of entry or from the Livestock Office (if available), on a first come first serve basis. Tie outs will be assigned upon arrival when the exhibitor provides proof of purchase to the superintendent. Cattle will not be released to tie outs until 7:00 PM daily.
- 12. GROOMING:** All animals must be shorn before arrival on the grounds. Animals are to be shown in natural conformation and color. Grooming materials of any sort are not permitted.
- 13. RE-WEIGH:** After judging of each class is completed, all placing steers will be re-weighed. Any steer weighing less than 95% or more than 105% of the final declared weight will be disqualified. Animals remaining qualified after weigh-back will advance in placing if animals placing higher are disqualified. The State Fair of Texas reserves the right to weigh back any animal.
- 14. SHOW/SOLD BY RULE:** Exhibitors qualifying for the Youth Livestock Auction of Champions must be present sale day to sell their project and receive the proceeds. Any exhibitor not present sale day will FORFEIT ALL

SALE AND PREMIUM MONIES. If the exhibitor has met the qualifications for a substitute exhibitor during the show itself, **THEY** are the only one allowed to also walk through the Sale Ring with that animal.

- 15. AUCTION OF CHAMPIONS:** A total of 56 steers will be in the premium auction. All 1st and 2nd place, breed and reserve breed champions will sell. The number of steers qualifying within each breedtype division for the auction will be prorated based on the percentage that each division makes up of the total number shown. Within a division, sale priority will be determined in the following order: 1.) Class furnishing Division Champion, 2.) Class furnishing Division Reserve Champion, 3.) Heaviest class to lightest class. **ALL STEERS QUALIFYING FOR THE PREMIUM SALE ARE REQUIRED TO SELL.** See youth market auction caps.
- 16. AUCTION ANIMAL RELOCATION:** All drug tested animals need to be relocated to designated area 30 minutes after the completion of the show. All lower placing, non-drug tested animals that make the sale will deliver their animal directly to the consignment truck. All Breed Champion and Reserve Breed Champion will enter the auction block and be provided a designated relocation for holdover until the sale.
- 17. CLASSES AND DIVISIONS:** All animals will be weighed and divided into classes based on their classified breed. Divisions with forty (40) head or less will be broken into two (2) classes. Divisions with forty-one (41) or more head will be broken into classes with approximately twenty (20) head per class.
- Lightweight American
 - Heavyweight American
 - Lightweight British
 - Heavyweight British
 - Lightweight Other Breeds and Crosses
 - Heavyweight Other Breeds and Crosses
- 18. AWARDS:**
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| Division Champion | Banner, Jacket, Chair |
| Reserve Division Champion | Banner, Jacket, Chair |
| Grand Champion | Leather Banner, Buckle |
| Reserve Grand Champion | Leather Banner, Buckle |
| Auction: Grand Champion Buyer | Leather Banner, Buckle |
| Auction: Reserve Grand Champion Buyer | Leather Banner, Buckle |

**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
PROSPECT STEERS
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2015**

SUPERINTENDENT:

Chris Skaggs, Joe Taylor
Nelson Hogg, Gerald Young
Charles Elk

Entry Deadline		August 25
Tack Load-In	October 4	6:00 AM-8:00 AM
Move-In	October 4	8:00 AM-1:00 PM
Checked-In	October 4	4:00 PM
Show	October 5	8:00 AM
Release	October 5	12:00 PM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

- RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this department shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations and Contest Special Rules.
- ENTRY LIMITATION:** There is no entry limitation.
- OWNERSHIP:** All entries must be owned and continuously cared for by the exhibitor from June 30 through the show date of the Fair.
- VALIDATION:** This show will adhere to the recommendations of the Texas Youth Livestock Validation Program. Failure to comply with these rules will result in disqualification.
- ASSISTANCE:** Parents or other adults will not be allowed to assist youth exhibitors during judging of classes.
- CHECK-IN:** Exhibitors must check-in with pre-distributed weight cards including state validation tag number, weight, and declared breed. Check-in must be completed by deadline on check-in day, or be subject to disqualification. Upon completion of check-in, exhibitors will receive a two additional class cards. One class card will be required to show/consign animal; the second class card can be retained for exhibitor records or as a receipt. Once an exhibitor has officially checked-in and left the kiosk, the entry is final; no further changes can be made.
- CLASSIFICATION:** Exhibitors will declare a breed at check-in. Breed changes by the exhibitor will not be allowed at any time. Steers are subject to reclassification by a three-member committee. Any steer classed out of the declared breed will be placed in the cross division. ***SEE CLASSIFICATION GUIDELINES**
- PROCESSING:** Prospect beef will be classified by division. Prospect beef steers must meet the following requirements or automatically be sifted:
 - Weigh a maximum of 1100 pounds,
 - All prospect steers will be shown with hair in a natural state WITHOUT the use of glues, adhesives, paints, etc. Steers with any type of glue, paint, adhesive, etc. in the hair will be disqualified and premiums forfeited.
 - Be free of grubs or grub damage.
 - Be dehorned and show no secondary horn growth in excess of one inch.Decisions of official veterinarians, classifiers, and/or sifters are final and no protests will be considered by show management.
- SHOW WEIGHTS:** Exhibitors will turn in the official show weight for their steer. Show weight may not exceed 1100 pounds. All steers with weights above 1100 will be sifted.
- EAR TAGS:** Steers must have a Texas State Validation ear tag. Only validation tags will be allowed. All other tags must be removed prior to arrival. If an animal is missing the Texas State Validation ear tag upon arrival, it is the exhibitor's responsibility to notify the Superintendent immediately.
- TIE OUTS:** A limited number of tie out spaces will be sold on a first come first serve basis. Tie outs may be purchased at time of entry or from the Livestock Office upon arrive (if available). Tie outs will be assigned upon arrival when the exhibitor provides proof of purchase to the superintendent. Cattle will not be removed to tie outs until 7:00 PM daily.
- GROOMING:** This is a blow and go show. No clippers requiring an electrical outlet are permitted. Animals are to be shown in natural conformation and color. Grooming materials leaving any color residue are not permitted.
- RE-WEIGH:** After judging of each class is completed, all placing steers will be re-weighed. Any animal weighing more than 105% of the weight turned in will be disqualified. Animals remaining qualified after weigh-back will advance in placing if animals placing higher are disqualified. The State Fair of Texas reserves the right to weigh back any animal.
- AUCTION OF CHAMPIONS: STEERS ENTERED INTO THE PROSPECT STEER SHOW ARE NOT ELIGIBLE FOR THE AUCTION OF CHAMPIONS.**

15. CLASSES: Prospect steers will be show in a 17 breed format in the following order:

American: Brahman, Brangus, Santa Gertrudis, Simbrah, ABC.

British: Angus, Hereford, Polled Hereford, Red Angus, Shorthorn

Exotic: Charolais, Limousin, Maine Anjou, Simmental

Cross Division: Black Cross, Red Cross, and Other Cross

16. PREMIUMS: 1st: \$70 2nd: \$60 3rd: \$50 4th: \$40 5th: \$30

17. AWARDS:

Breed Champion

\$100, Banner, Chair

Reserve Breed Champion

\$50, Banner, Chair

Grand Champion

\$1000, Banner, Chair

Reserve Grand Champion

\$500, Banner, Chair

STEER CLASSIFICATION STANDARDS

BRITISH TYPE

This group includes cattle that appear to be purebred Angus, Hereford, Polled Hereford, Red Angus, and Shorthorn.

Angus

Acceptable Breed Characteristics

- Must physically exhibit breed characteristics of a purebred Angus
- Solid Black
- Polled
- Needs to have a tight sheath that is round and perpendicular to the ground
- *Angus*-type ear set, small to moderate ear size high on the head

Discriminatory Breed Characteristics

- Continental breed type structure (being coarse about his joints, not to be confused with big-boned cattle) and head
- Bumps where horns would be on a horned animal
- Birthmarks or white hair in the switch should be reviewed for the skin color (black skin color is acceptable; white or pink skin is a disqualification)

- *Non-Angus*-type ear set (Ear set and excessive ear size as in Continental breeds)
- Large navels and angular sheaths

Absolute Disqualifications:

- White skin resulting in white hair above the underline or in the front of the navel (White on the navel is acceptable)
- White skin resulting in white hair on the leg, foot or tail
- Horns or scurs
- Brindle
- Diluter color pattern
- Dehorning scars
- Double muscling

Hereford

Ideal Breed Characteristics

- Must physically exhibit breed characteristics of a purebred Hereford
- Some white on the back of both ears
- Red body with white face, white underline, and white-marked legs
- Traditional feather on crest
- Horned Herefords must show evidence of being dehorned

Acceptable Breed Characteristics - These characteristics are not necessarily desirable and in combination may be discriminating

- Dark red color
- Red neck
- Solid red ear(s)
- Excess white on legs
- Excess white above the underline
- Eye pigment
- Black hair in tail, or ear of animal
- Freckling on the nose
- White above switch in tail
- White across rump above the twist

Discriminatory Breed Characteristics

- Solid white ear(s)
- Questionable ear size and shape
- Straight-line white markings on legs or tail above the switch
- White above the hocks, on the outside and back side of rear legs
- Excess pigment or color around the eyes
- Red neck in combination with excess white on legs
- Line back
- Coarse joints, head, or ribs

Absolute Disqualifications

- Solid black nose
- Diluter color pattern
- Streaking of white from the feather off the shoulder
- Brindles
- Double muscling; extreme muscle definition
- Any color pattern other than red or white (birthmarks excluded)

Polled Hereford

Ideal Breed Characteristics

- Must physically exhibit breed characteristics of a purebred Polled Hereford
- Some white on the back of both ears
- Red body with white face, white underline, and white-marked legs
- Traditional feather on crest
- Must be polled or have loose scurs.

Acceptable Breed Characteristics - *These characteristics are not necessarily desirable and in combination may be discriminating*

- Dark red color
- Red neck
- Solid red ear(s)
- Excess white on legs
- Excess white above the underline
- Eye pigment
- Black hair in tail, or ear of animal
- Freckling on the nose
- White above switch in tail
- White across rump above the twist

Discriminatory Breed Characteristics

- Solid white ear(s)
- Questionable ear size and shape
- Straight-line white markings on legs or tail above the switch
- White above the hocks, on the outside and back side of rear legs
- Excess pigment or color around the eyes
- Red neck in combination with excess white on legs
- Line back
- Coarse joints, head, or ribs

Absolute Disqualifications

- Horn attachment to the skull
- Evidence of tampering with horns, or dehorning scars
- Solid black nose
- Diluter color pattern
- Streaking of white from the feather off the shoulder
- Brindles
- Double muscling; extreme muscle definition
- Any color pattern other than red or white (birthmarks excluded)

Red Angus

Acceptable Breed Characteristics

- Must physically exhibit breed characteristics of a Red Angus
- Solid red (shades may vary)
- Polled
- A blond, light red, or mixed switch
- Cattle may have black hair on the tail, muzzle, face, neck, and legs

Discriminatory Breed Characteristics

- Coarse joints (not to be confused with big boned cattle)
- Solid White Switch

Absolute Disqualifications

- Horns or scurs breaking through the skin
- White skin resulting in white hair above the underline or in front of the navel (white on navel is acceptable)
- White skin resulting in white hair on the leg
- Black pigmentation of the skin. Not to be confused with freckling on the nose or anus
- Roaning
- Dehorning scars or evidence of dehorning
- Black Nose

Shorthorn

Acceptable Breed Classifications

- Must physically exhibit breed characteristics of a purebred Shorthorn
- Solid red; solid white with red hair or red pigment on ear, muzzle, anus or tail; or any combination of red and white, with the red and white color pattern bleeding together

Discriminatory Breed Characteristics

- Motley face or brockle face
- Orange or light red color
- Black nose pigment
- Coarse head
- Coarse joints

Absolute Disqualifications

- Diluter color pattern, such as yellow or yellow roan
- Blacks, blue roans, or grays
- Brindle
- Solid white with no red pigment on the ears, tail, or anus
- Double muscling

BRAHMAN TYPE

This group is sometimes called American Breeds. Physical evidence of Brahman background is important (ear length and shape, amount of hide, hump/crest).

American Breeds Cross

Acceptable Breed Characteristics

- Any color or color pattern
- Progression of importance to include *Bos indicus*-influenced head, eye, and ear (of moderate length, slightly pointed, drooping and opening down and forward); showing *Bos indicus* influenced sheath
- Crest or evidence of hump
- With adequate *Bos indicus* head, eye, and ear characteristics; sheath score is of less importance

Discriminatory Breed Characteristics

- *Bos taurus* head
- *Bos taurus* short ear
- *Bos taurus* eye
- Sheath score of 1
- Slick neck (lack of crest or evidence of hump)

Absolute Disqualifications

- A combination of a *Bos taurus* head, eye, and ear

Brahman

Acceptable Breed Characteristics

- Must physically exhibit breed characteristics of a half-blood Brahman
- A prominent hump beginning at the shoulder and going forward but must angle back down to the neck to create a hump – not a crest
- Any color or color pattern
- With adequate *Bos indicus* head, eye, and ear characteristics; sheath score is of less importance

Discriminatory Breed Characteristics

- Sheath score of 1

Absolute Disqualifications

- A crest with an inadequate hump
- Lack of hump or presence of hump
- A combination of a *Bos taurus* head, eye, and ear

Brangus

Acceptable Breed Characteristics

- Must physically exhibit breed characteristics of a purebred black Brangus
- Solid black with no white above the underline or in front of the navel
- Polled
- Progression of importance to include *Bos indicus*-influence head, eye, and ear (of moderate length, slightly pointed, drooping and opening down and forward);
- With adequate *Bos indicus* head, eye, and ear characteristics; sheath score is of less importance
- Shows some evidence of a crest

Discriminatory Breed Characteristics

- Scurs or slick spots
- Excessive, pendulous sheath
- Inadequate *Bos indicus*-influence head, eye, and ear characteristics
- Brown dilution over ribs, fore flank, twist and muzzle
- Sheath score of 1

Absolute Disqualifications

- Horns
- Dehorning scars
- White above the underline or in front of the navel
- White on the legs, feet, or tail
- Any brindle

Santa Gertrudis

Acceptable Breed Characteristics

- Must physically exhibit breed characteristics of a half-blood Santa Gertrudis with adequate *Bos indicus* head, eye, and ear characteristics.
- Any color pattern of black, red, yellow or orange
- Moderate crest, no definite hump
- Moderate dewlap development
- Moderate length of ear, slightly drooping and opening forward
- Sheath score 2-5

Discriminatory Breed Characteristics

- Straight, pendulous sheath
- Slight brindle color
- Sheath score of 1

Absolute Disqualification

- Absence of any visible Santa Gertrudis characteristics
- Absence of *Bos indicus*-influence head, eye, ear, or sheath
- Smoke, silvers, grays or tiger-stripes

Simbrah

Acceptable Breed Characteristics

- Must physically exhibit breed characteristics of a purebred Simbrah (3/8 Brahman and 5/8 Simmental)
- A sheath score of 2 or greater
- With *Bos indicus* head, eye, and ear characteristics; sheath score is of less importance
- Stocking legs
- Bald, blaze, or streak face or mottled face
- Solid black, solid red or solid dun/tan combination with white or any of the previously listed colors
- Brindle color pattern preferably with white markings

Discriminatory Breed Characteristics

- A sheath score of 1
- A *Bos taurus* head
- A *Bos taurus* ear
- A *Bos taurus* eye

Absolute Disqualifications

- A combination of a *Bos taurus* head, ear, eye, and sheath
- Roans
- Grays
- Silver
- Smut
- Yellow
- Diluter color pattern

CONTINENTAL OR EXOTIC TYPE

Included here are Charolais (half-blood and higher), Limousin (purebred), Maine-Anjou (half or higher), and Simmental (purebred).

Charolais

Acceptable Breed Characteristics

- Must physically exhibit breed characteristics of a half-blood purebred Charolais
- White, yellow gray, or silver (moderate dappling allowed)
- Expression of diluter gene
- Minimal painting or spotting less than 20%
- Skunk tail, line back, baldy

Discriminatory Breed Characteristics

- Excessive painting or spotting (over 20%)
- Double muscling
- Brindles
- Frail bone work and frail general appearance
- Light red color or orange
- Short, stubby head
- Overly refined, narrow head
- Excessive dark pigmentation (eyes, nose, ears, and anus)
- Excessive dappling

Absolute Disqualifications

- Black, red, dark smuts
- Showing no diluter gene, unless solid white
- Excessive painting or spotting

Limousin

Acceptable Breed Characteristics

- Must physically exhibit breed characteristics of a Limousin
- Solid black, red/orange, light red, charcoal black, chocolate black, orange or brockle-face
- Bald face
- Tend to be smooth shouldered
- Head
 - Eye – Deeper socket, prominent brow, light pigment around eye on reds
 - Poll –Needs to have a wide poll
 - Ear – Tends to be smaller and rounder
 - Muzzle – Tends to be short
- Sheath
 - Tend to have a forward angle
- Legs/foot
 - Tend to be smooth jointed
 - Tend to be flat boned

Discriminatory Breed Characteristics

- Coarse joints, skeleton, and head
- Course open shoulders
- Brindle
- Pencil sheath, hanging straight down
- Pointed poll
- Excessive crest
- White Switch

Absolute Disqualifications

- Stocking legs
- Spotting above the underline
- Roans
- Yellow, Blonde, Grey, Silver
- Diluter Gene
- Red Cattle with Black noses
- Monkey/Parrot mouth

Maine Anjou

Acceptable Breed Characteristics

- Solid red
- Solid black
- Red and white
- Black and white
- Heavy skeletal structure

Discriminatory Breed Characteristics

- None

Absolute Disqualifications

- Brindle
- Roan
- Diluter color pattern
- Appears to be more than 50% of any other breed

Simmental

Acceptable Breed Characteristics

- Appear to physically exhibit characteristics of a purebred Simmental
- Solid black, red, red and white, yellow and white, black and white
- Some painting or spotting above the underline
- Bald, blaze, or streak face
- Typically longer head, larger ears

Discriminatory Breed Characteristics

- Motley/Brockle face
- Excessive white above the underline

Absolute Disqualifications

- Brindle
- Roans
- Smut or gray, white, smoky, silver or any combination of these
- Skunk tail

CROSS DIVISION (PROSPECT STEERS ONLY)

Black Cross Division

- Must have a black body cavity. Defined as the area behind the top of the shoulder blade down to the point of the shoulder and above the belly line.
- White in the body cavity is only acceptable in the following instances:
 - White is a continuation of the feathering
 - White is at the fore and/or rear flanks similar to Hereford color pattern
 - White spotting not collectively larger than 9 inches (basketball size) in diameter per side (cannot be all on the same side)
- Skunk tail cattle are permitted provided the white above the rectum does not exceed the amount of white spotting allowed (basketball size)
- Absent of diluter gene
- No roan or brindle cattle permitted

Red Cross Division

- Must have a red body cavity. Defined as the area behind the top of the shoulder blade down to the point of the shoulder and above the belly line.
- White in the body cavity is only acceptable in the following instances:
 - White is a continuation of the feathering
 - White is at the fore and/or rear flanks similar to Hereford color pattern
 - White spotting not collectively larger than 9 inches (basketball size) in diameter per side (cannot be all on the same side)
- No skunk tail cattle permitted. White in the tail is acceptable provided it is not higher than rectum
- Skunk tail cattle are permitted provided the white above the rectum does not exceed the amount of white spotting allowed (basketball size)
- Absent of diluter gene
- No roan or brindle cattle permitted

Other Cross Division

- Steers of any coloration pattern are acceptable

CROSS DIVISION (MARKET STEER SHOW ONLY)

Other Breeds and Crosses

- For any other steers not meeting the visual requirements of either the British or American divisions

**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
MARKET BARROWS
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2016, WAVE 1
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2016, WAVE 2**

SUPERINTENDENTS:

Cindy Dockter, Mike Bullock,
Tate Rosenbusch, Wendy Meadows
Stanley Young, Jennifer Martin



Entry Deadline		August 25
Move-in Wave 1	October 3	4:00 AM-8:00 AM
Checked in	October 3	3:00 PM
Show	October 4 (Dark OPB, Duroc, Hampshire, Dark Cross)	8:00 AM
Move-in Wave 2	October 5	4:00 AM-8:00 AM
Checked in	October 5	3:00 PM
Show	October 6 (White OPB, Yorkshire, Other Cross)	8:00 AM
Sale	October 7	1:00 PM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

- 1. RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this department shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations and Youth Livestock Show and Contest Special Rules.
- 2. ENTRY LIMITATION:** No exhibitor shall be permitted to show more than one market barrow. All animals entered must be physically neutered males.
- 3. STALLING:** Barrows may be stalled with other Counties/Chapters in each wave. There will be approximately 2-4 barrows per pen; BRING dividers, they will not be provided for you.
- 4. OWNERSHIP:** All entries must be owned and continuously cared for by the exhibitor from June 30 through the show date of the Fair.
- 5. VALIDATION:** This show will adhere to the recommendations of the Texas Youth Livestock Validation Program. Failure to abide by these rules will result in disqualification.
- 6. ASSISTANCE:** Parents or other adults will not be allowed to assist youth exhibitors during judging of classes.
- 7. CHECK-IN:** Exhibitors must check-in with pre-distributed weight cards including State Validation Tag Number, weight, and declared breed. Show weight can be no less than 230 lbs. and not exceed 280 lbs. All barrows outside this range will be sifted. Check-in must be completed by deadline on check-in day, or be subject to disqualification. Upon completion of check-in, exhibitors will receive a two additional class cards. One class card will be required to show/consign animal; the second class card can be retained for exhibitor records or as a receipt. Once an exhibitor has officially checked-in and left the kiosk, the entry is final; no further changes can be made.
- 8. EAR TAGS:** Barrows must have a Texas State Validation ear tag. Only validation tags will be allowed. All other tags must be removed prior to arrival. If an animal is missing the Texas State Validation ear tag upon arrival, it is the exhibitor's responsibility to notify the Superintendent immediately
- 9. GROOMING:** All animals must be clipped prior to arrival on the grounds. No mechanical clipping is allowed on grounds. Touch up clipping with scissors or hand shears will be allowed. Animals are to be shown in natural conformation and color. Grooming materials leaving any color or other residue are not permitted. **WATER ONLY!**
- 10. BEDDING:** Pens will be pre-bedded upon arrival. Outside shavings will NOT be allowed. Additional shavings will be available for purchase on grounds.
- 11. RE-WEIGH:** All barrows penned for sale consideration will be re-weighed. Barrows with weights more than 10 pounds above or below the weight turned in will be disqualified. SFT reserves the right to weigh back any animal. Barrows weighing 10 pounds lighter than the official turn-in weight will not be disqualified, but will be documented, sold on re-weight weight, and administered a \$20 penalty which will be deducted from their floor check.
- 12. AUCTION OF CHAMPIONS:** A total of 110 barrows will be in the premium auction. All first place barrows, Breed and Reserve Breed Champions will automatically make the sale. The number of barrows qualifying within each breed division will be pro-rated based on the percentage of entries that makes up each breed. Within a breed, sale priority will be determined in the following order: class furnishing Breed Champion, class furnishing Reserve Breed Champion, heaviest class to lightest class. **Auction lot numbers will be given at 10:00 AM Auction morning by superintendents.** See market youth auction caps.
- 13. AUCTION ANIMAL RELOCATION:** All drug tested barrows need to be relocated to designated area 30 minutes after completion of the show. Exhibitors that make the sale with lower placed animals will deliver their animals directly to the consignment truck. All Breed Champion and Reserve Breed Champions will enter the auction block and be provided a

designated relocation for holdover until the sale. **All tack and equipment must relocate 30 minutes after completion of show.**

- 14. SHOW AND SOLD BY RULE:** Exhibitors qualifying for the Youth Livestock Auction of Champions **MUST** be present sale day to sell their project and receive proceeds. Any exhibitor not present sale day will FORFEIT ALL SALE AND PREMIUM MONEY. If the exhibitor has met the qualifications for a substitute exhibitor during the show itself, THEY are the only one allowed to also walk through the Sale Ring with that animal.
- 15. CLASSES AND BREEDS:** All animals will be weighed and divided into classes as equal in number as possible. Any breeds with seventy (70) head or less will be broken into two classes. Breeds with seventy-one (71) head or more will be broken into to classes with approximately forty (40) head per class.
Wave 1: Dark OPB (must classify as Berkshire, Poland China, or Spot), Duroc, Hampshire, Dark Cross
Wave 2: Light OPB (must classify as Chester White or Landrace), Yorkshire, Other Cross
- 16. CLASSIFICATION:** Barrows will be classified at the time of judging by a three person committee.
a) If a Dark OPB, Duroc or Hampshire classes out, they will be required to re-class in order to show in the Dark Cross division.
b) Barrows in Wave 1 that do not meet the classification standards for the Dark Cross breed will be sifted/consigned.
c) Any barrows reclassified in Wave 2 will be placed in the Other Cross division.
- 17. TERMINAL SHOW:** All barrows arriving must be sold, including sifted, non-placing and placing barrows. All exhibitors are responsible for the care of their animal from arrival until the animal is delivered to the truck for consignment.

BARROW CLASSIFICATION STANDARDS

All animals must be properly ear notched within seven (7) days of birth with a litter notch in the right ear and individual notch in the left ear to be eligible for the Texas 4-H and FFA Swine Validation Program. Animals not properly notched in both ears will be disqualified.

BERKSHIRE

1. Black and white with erect ears exhibiting Berkshire character.
2. A Berkshire must have white on all four legs, face and tail (unless tail is docked). One of the white leg points may also be missing.
3. A Berkshire must NOT have a solid white or a solid black face from ears forward.
4. A Berkshire must NOT have a solid black nose (rim of nose).
5. White is allowed on the ears, but NO solid white may appear on the ears.
6. Occasional splash of white may appear on the body.

POLAND CHINA

1. Must possess Poland China Breed characteristics.
2. Must be black with six white points (face, feet and switch) Note* (tail docking is permissible) with an occasional splash of white on the body. A hog may not possess more than one solid black leg and be determined as Poland China.
3. Must have ears down.
4. Must not have evidence of a belt formation.
5. Cannot have red or sandy hair and/or pigmentation.
6. Hogs that have weighted ear tags or evidence of tampering of ears with possible ear tags are ineligible.

SPOTTED SWINE

1. Must be black and white.
2. Must possess Spotted Breed character.
3. Ears cannot be erect.
4. Any red tinted or brown spots are ineligible.
5. No solid black head from ears forward.
6. No distinct white belt pattern (hair or skin) encircling and extending down and onto each shoulder.
7. Any signs of weighted ear tags or evidence of passed existence of such tags are determined not to be permissible and are grounds for disqualification.

CHESTER WHITE

1. Must possess Chester White Breed characteristics..
2. Must be solid white in color, no color on the skin larger than a silver dollar, no colored hair.
3. Any skin pigmentation other than white that exceeds five in number are disqualified.
4. Ears must be down and medium size.
5. Any signs of weighted ear tags or evidence of past existence of such ear tags are determined to be not permissible and are grounds for disqualification.

LANDRACE

1. Must be white in color and possess Landrace Breed character. (ears must be down)

2. Must NOT allow any color hair other than white.
3. Must NOT allow more than three spots of skin pigmentation.
4. Must NOT allow any spot of skin pigmentation larger than one U.S. minted quarter.

DUROC

1. Must be red in color and possess Duroc Breed character (ears must be down and medium size).
2. Must NOT have any white hair located on the animal.
3. Must NOT have any black hair.
4. Must NOT have more than three black spots on the skin and none of these spots can be larger than two inches in diameter.
5. Must NOT have any shading or indication of a belt.

HAMPSHIRE

1. Must be black in color with a white belt starting on front leg. The belt may partially or totally encircle the body.
2. Must possess Hampshire Breed character. (ears must be erect and not rounded)
3. Must NOT have any white hair or indications of streaking on the forehead.
4. Must NOT have any red hair.

YORKSHIRE

1. Must be white in color and possess Yorkshire Breed character. (ears must be erect)
2. Must NOT have any colored hair other than white.
3. Must NOT have colored skin pigmentation larger than one U.S. minted silver dollar.
4. Must NOT have masking above the eyes larger than a silver dollar.

DARK CROSSBRED

1. Barrows with black pigmentation (NOT BLUE) comprising at least 20% of the total body and classed out Duroc shall be considered a Dark Cross.
2. The barrows may be black, black patched or spotted black. Barrows with blue pigmentation are NOT considered Dark Crosses.

18. AWARDS:

Grand Champion
Reserve Grand Champion
Breed Champions
Reserve Breed Champions
Auction: Grand Champion Buyer
Auction: Reserve Grand Champion Buyer

Leather Banner, Buckle
Leather Banner, Buckle
Banner, Jacket, Gear Bag
Banner, Jacket, Gear Bag
Leather Banner, Buckle
Leather Banner, Buckle

**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
MARKET LAMBS
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENTS:

Loren Sell, John Allen,
Frank Craddock, Colton Fritz

Entry Deadline		August 25
Move-In	October 3	8:00 AM-1:00 PM
Checked-In	October 3	3:00 PM
Show	October 4	1:00 PM
Accept Floor/Relocate	October 4	2:00 PM
Release (Non-Sale)	October 4	4:00 PM
Must be out of barn	October 5	5:00 PM
Sale	October 7	1:00 PM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

- RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this department shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations and Youth Livestock Show and Contest Special Rules.
- ENTRY LIMITATION:** No exhibitor shall be permitted to show more than one market lamb. All animals entered must be physically, castrated males.
- STALLING:** Lambs and goats will be stalled together by county or chapter upon arrival. BRING dividers, they will not be provided to you.
- OWNERSHIP:** All entries must be owned and continuously cared for by the exhibitor from June 30 through the show date of the Fair.
- VALIDATION:** This show will adhere to the recommendations of the Texas Youth Livestock Validation Program. Failure to abide by these rules will result in disqualification.
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- SHOW WEIGHTS:** Exhibitors will turn in the official show weight at check-in. All sheep weighing less than 100 lbs. (90 lbs. for Southdowns and Dorspers) will be sifted.
- EAR TAGS:** Sheep must have a Texas State Validation ear tag. Only validation tags will be allowed. All other tags must be removed prior to arrival. If an animal is missing the Texas State Validation ear tag upon arrival, it is the exhibitor's responsibility to notify the Superintendent immediately.
- GROOMING:** All animals must be shorn before arrival on the grounds. Sheep must be slick shorn to no more than 3/8" from knee and hock up. No mechanical clipping is allowed on grounds. Touch up clipping with scissors or hand shears will be allowed. Grooming tables are not allowed in any aisle or walkway. Animals are to be shown in natural conformation and color. Grooming materials leaving any kind of residue are not permitted. Sheep must be free of external parasites and fungus. Decisions of official veterinarians and/or sifters is final. No protests will be considered by show management.
- RE-WEIGH:** All lambs placing high enough for sale consideration will be re-weighed. Lambs with weights more than 5 pounds above or below the weight turned in will be disqualified. SFT reserves the right to weigh back any animal.
- SHOW/SOLD BY RULE:** Exhibitors qualifying for the Youth Livestock Auction of Champions must be present sale day to sell their project and receive the proceeds. Any exhibitor not present sale day will FORFEIT ALL SALE AND PREMIUM MONEY. If the exhibitor has met the qualifications for a substitute exhibitor during the show itself, THEY are the only one allowed to walk through the Sale Ring with that animal.
- AUCTION OF CHAMPIONS:** A total of 44 lambs will be in the premium auction. All first place, breed and reserve breed champions will sell. The number of lambs qualifying within each breed type division for the premium auction will be pro rated based on the percentage that each breed makes up of the total number shown. Within a division, sale priority will

be determined in the following order: 1.) Class furnishing Division Champion, 2.) Class furnishing Reserve Division Champion, 3.) Heaviest to lightest class. All lambs qualifying for the premium auction **ARE REQUIRED TO SELL. Auction lot numbers will be given at 10:00 AM Auction morning by the superintendents.** See youth market auction caps.

- 15. AUCTION ANIMAL RELOCATION:** All drug tested animals need to be relocated to designated area following the completion of the show. All lower placing, non-drug tested animals that make the sale will deliver their animal directly to the consignment truck. All Breed Champion and Reserve Breed Champion will enter the auction block and be provided a designated relocation for holdover until the sale.
- 16. CLASSES AND BREEDS:** All animals will be weighed and divided into classes as equal in number as possible. Any breeds with forty (40) head or less will be broken into two classes. Breeds with forty-one (41) head or more will be broken into to classes with approximately twenty (20) head per class.
- Dorper Sheep
 - Fine Wool
 - Fine Wool Cross
 - Southdown
 - Medium Wool

LAMB CLASSIFICATION GUIDELINES

DORPER

Acceptable Breed Characteristics

- Must be a Dorper, White Dorper, or a cross among these two breeds.
- Conformation - long, deep, wide body with well sprung ribs and excellent muscling. Relationship between body depth and hip height should be in equal proportion. Avoid extremely leggy, shallow bodied lambs.
- Head should be strong, bold, with a deep jaw.
- Polled or small horns or scurs.
- Must have at least 1/3 hair primarily on belly, forearm, and britch. Lambs should be shorn with blades that leave enough stubble to be able to distinguish hair and/or wool. Classifiers have the authority to disqualify lambs that have been clipped too close to make this distinction.
- Moderate size ear with no wool covering.
- No wool below the knees and hocks.
- Solid brown, red, rust colored head.
- No wool forward of poll.
- Color: Dorper - white sheep with black head or black head and neck. White Dorper - white sheep.

Discriminatory Breed Characteristics

- Tall, leggy, shallow bodied, narrow, light muscled lambs.
- Excessive wool covering more than 2/3 of body (belly, forearm, and britch).
- Heavy horns.
- Long, pendulous ears.
- Long, narrow muzzle.
- Wool forward of poll.
- Excessive coloring on the body (paints).
- Excessive speckling in the fleece or on the body.

Absolute Disqualifications

- All wool or very little evidence of hair on belly, forearm, or britch.
- Wool below the knees or hocks
- Wool on the ears.
- Lambs with predominately solid black bodies.
- Lambs with significant speckling on face, ears, or legs.
- Strong breed characteristics of breeds other than Dorper or White Dorper.
- Surgical alterations other than re-docking.
- Steep hip or tendency to show callipyge gene.

FINEWOOL

Acceptable Breed Characteristics

- Rambouillet, Delaine, Debouillet, or a cross between these breeds.
- Silky, white face.
- Silky ears, medium to moderate in length.
- Soft pelt.
- Yellow to white hooves (neutral)
- Black pads on hooves and black dew claws.

- Nose should be neutral to pink in color.
- May be polled or horned.

Discriminatory Breed Characteristics

- Moderate amounts of brown or black spots in the skin and/or wool.
- Moderate freckling or pigmented skin (brown or black) on the ears, eyes, nose, and lips.
- Moderate amount of black streaking in the hooves.
- Black eyelashes.
- Birthmarks.

Absolute Disqualifications

- Excessively coarse britch and/or harsh pelt.
- Excessive coarse, chalky, white hair on the face, in the flanks, and/or down the front and/or rear legs.
- Excessive brown or black spots in the skin and/or wool.
- Excessive freckling or pigmented skin (brown or black) on the ears, eyes, nose, and lips.
- Brown or black spots in hairline above hooves.
- Solid black hooves.
- Black lambs.
- Surgical alterations other than re-docking.
- Steep hip or tendency to show callipyge gene.

FINEWOOL CROSS

Acceptable Breed Characteristics

- Must be a cross with evidence of at least 50% finewool breeding (not showing evidence of Dorset breed type) and the remaining percentage exhibiting predominance of Hampshire and/or Suffolk breeding.
- Soft pelt which is characteristic of ½ blood wool (60's-62's spinning count).
- Face and ears should be soft and silky.
- Mottling and/or some spotting on the face and ears and on legs below the knees and hocks.
- Light brown face and ears with little to no mottling.
- Wool must be present below the hocks on the rear legs; wool below the knees on the front legs is not necessary.
- Reddish, rust colored legs are acceptable.
- White, ring-eyed crosses are acceptable if pelt is acceptable.
- Birth marks are acceptable.

Discriminatory Breed Characteristics

- Excessive black or brown spotting in the skin above the knees and hocks.
- Moderate amount of colored fibers (black or brown) in the wool.

Absolute Disqualifications

- Excessive black or solid, dark chocolate brown color on face, ears, and legs (including wool).
- Excessively coarse britch and/or harsh pelt.
- Excessive coarse, chalky, white hair on the face, in the flanks, and/or down the front and/or rear legs.
- Total absence of wool on rear legs.
- Black lambs.
- Evidence of Dorset breed type (head and ear shape of Dorset)
- Surgical alterations other than re-docking.
- Steep hip or tendency to show callipyge gene.

SOUTHDOWN

Acceptable Breed Characteristics

- Hair color on muzzle should be mouse colored, gray to brown.
- Nostril pigmentation may be black to purplish-gray.
- Moderate spots or speckling on skin of body.
- Muzzle should be broad.
- Head of moderate length and in proportion to body.
- Ears of moderate length, in proportion to body, and covered with short hair or wool.
- Reddish, rust colored legs are acceptable.
- Black hooves.
- Birth marks are acceptable.

Discriminatory Breed Characteristics

- Solid white color or dark chocolate color on muzzle.

- Coarse, chalky, white hair around eyes, extending to and including muzzle.
- Coarse hair in flank.
- Coarse britch and/or harsh pelt.
- Predominately pink nose with few black spots.
- Long, narrow nose.
- Excessive coloration on ears.
- Excessive ear length.
- Predominately slick ears.
- Scurs.
- Open poll on head.
- Striped hooves.
- Black fiber in wool.

Absolute Disqualifications

- Speckled face, ears, or legs.
- Horns.
- White hooves.
- Intentional alteration of hair color or skin pigmentation.
- Total pink pigmentation of nostrils.
- Black lambs.
- Surgical alterations other than re-docking.
- Steep hip or tendency to show callipyge gene.

MEDIUM WOOL

This class generally includes the Suffolk and Hampshire breeds, plus all lambs that do not fit into the Dorper, Finewool, Finewool Cross, and Southdown breed classes.

17. AWARDS:

Grand Champion

Reserve Grand Champion

Breed Champions

Reserve Breed Champions

Auction: Grand Champion Buyer

Auction: Reserve Grand Champion Buyer

Leather Banner, Buckle

Leather Banner, Buckle

Banner, Jacket

Banner, Jacket

Leather Banner, Buckle


Leather Banner, Buckle

**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
MARKET GOATS
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENT:
Loren Sell, John Allen
Frank Craddock, Colton Fritz

Entry Deadline		August 25
Move-In	October 3	8:00 AM-1:00 PM
Checked-In	October 3	3:00 PM
Show	October 5	9:00 AM
Accept Floor	October 5	10:00 AM
Release (Non-Sale)	October 5	12:00 AM
Must be out of barn	October 5	5:00 PM
Sale	October 7	1:00 PM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

- RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this department shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations and Youth Livestock Show and Contest Special Rules.
- ENTRY LIMITATION:** No exhibitor shall be permitted to show more than one market goat. All animals entered must be physically castrated males.
- STALLING:** Lambs and goats will be stalled together by county or chapter upon arrival. BRING dividers, they will not be provided to you.
- OWNERSHIP:** All entries must be owned and continuously cared for by the exhibitor from June 30 through the show date of the Fair.
- VALIDATION:** This show will adhere to the recommendations of the Texas Youth Livestock Validation Program. Failure to abide by these rules will result in disqualification.
- ASSISTANCE:** Parents or other adults will not be allowed to assist youth exhibitors during judging of classes.
-  **CHECK-IN:** Exhibitors must check-in with pre-distributed weight cards including State Validation Tag Number and show weight. Check-in must be completed by deadline on check-in day, or be subject to disqualification. Upon completion of check-in, exhibitors will receive a two additional class cards. One class card will be required to show/consign animal; the second class card can be retained for exhibitor records or as a receipt. Once an exhibitor has officially checked-in and left the kiosk, the entry is final; no further changes can be made.
- SHOW WEIGHTS:** Exhibitors will turn in the official show weight for their goat. All goats with weights less than 50 pounds and more than 115 pounds will be sifted.
- EAR TAGS:** Goats must have a Texas State Validation ear tag. Only validation tags will be allowed. All other tags must be removed prior to arrival. If an animal is missing the Texas State Validation ear tag upon arrival, it is the exhibitor's responsibility to notify the Superintendent immediately.
- CLASSES:** All animals will be weighed and divided into nine classes as equal in number as possible.
- GROOMING:** All animals must be shorn before arrival on the grounds. Slick shorn to be no more than 3/8" from knee and hock up, excluding tip of tail. Must have horns tipped, no sharp points allowed, dime size or larger. No mechanical clipping is allowed on grounds. Touch up clipping with scissors or hand shears will be allowed. Grooming tables are not allowed in any aisle or walkway. Animals are to be shown in natural conformation and color. Grooming materials of any kind are not permitted. Animals must be free of external parasites or fungus. Decisions of official veterinarians and/or sifters is final. No protests will be considered by show management.
- RE-WEIGH:** All goats placing high enough for sale consideration will be re-weighed. Goats with weights more than 5 lbs. above or below the weight turned in will be disqualified. SFT reserves the right to weigh back any animal.
- SHOW/SOLD BY RULE:** Exhibitors qualifying for the Youth Livestock Auction of Champions must be present sale day to sell their project and receive the proceeds. Any exhibitor not present sale day will FORFEIT ALL SALE AND PREMIUM MONEY. If the exhibitor has met the qualifications for a substitute exhibitor during the show itself, THEY are the only one allowed to walk through the Sale Ring with that animal.
- AUCTION OF CHAMPIONS:** A total of 36 goats will be in the premium auction. 1st-4th place goats in each class **ARE REQUIRED TO SELL.** Auction lot numbers will be given at 10:00 AM Auction morning by the superintendents. See youth auction caps.
- AUCTION ANIMAL RELOCATION:** All drug tested animals need to be relocated to designated area 30 minutes after the completion of the show. All lower placing, non-drug tested animals that make the sale will deliver their animal

directly to the consignment truck. Only Division Champion and Reserve Division Champions will enter the auction block. These lots will be provided a designated relocation for holdover until the sale.

16. CLASSES AND DIVISIONS: All animals will be weighed and divided into classes as equal in number as possible within three divisions. Each division will have three (3) classes, nine (9) classes total.

- Lightweight
- Medium weight
- Heavyweight

17. AWARDS:

Division Champions	Banner, Jacket
Reserve Division Champions	Banner, Jacket
Grand Champion	Banner, Buckle
Reserve Grand Champion	Banner, Buckle
Auction: Grand Champion Buyer	Leather Banner, Buckle
Auction: Reserve Grand Champion Buyer	Leather Banner, Buckle

**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
MARKET BROILERS
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENT:

Craig Coufal, Greg Archer

Entry Deadline		August 25
Move-In	October 6	8:00 AM
Sift/Score/Check-In	October 6	9:00 AM
Show	October 6	9:30 AM
Release	-	Terminal Show
Sale	October 7	1:00 PM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

- RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this department shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations and Youth Livestock Show and Contest Special Rules.
- ENTRY LIMITATION:** No exhibitor shall be permitted to show more than two pens of three broilers each. All broilers must be ordered from Texas A&M AgriLife Poultry Science Extension Unit.
- BROILER CHICK ORDERS:** Broiler chicks must be ordered through Texas A&M University's Poultry Science Department before June 30, 2016. See Texas A&M Poultry Science website. Exhibitors may only order 25, 50, or 75 chicks per exhibitor, and may only exhibit birds from their individual wing band numbers. Broiler pick up is located at the Louis Pearce Pavilion on the Texas A&M University Campus, College Station. All birds must be picked up by deadline on designated date published by the TAMU Poultry Science Department. Chicks will be straight run.
- HATCH DATE:** Broilers will be approximately 6 weeks of age at show date.
- WINGBANDS:** All chicks will be wing banded. The person picking up the chick order at TAMU is responsible for checking and confirming wing bands at the time of pickup. **No broiler will be accepted at the State Fair without the original wing band properly in place.** Exhibitors are requested to consult with their CEA/AST in the proper management methods of rearing wing banded birds. Each broiler must have the original wing band in place.
- OWNERSHIP:** All entries must be owned and continuously cared for by the exhibitor from hatch date through the show date of the Fair.
- SUBSTITUTIONS:** No substitutions will be allowed in this department.
- FEED:** Each exhibitor is required to provide (2) 16oz or smaller containers per entry, as well as their own feed & fresh water until birds are sifted/shown.
- LITTER:** Litter will be furnished by the Show.
- UNLOADING:** Upon arrival, all livestock and broilers are required to enter through Gate 15 for inspection at Animal Health.
- SHOW LOCATION:** Loading and unloading of broilers will be done at Cattle Barn II.
- SIFTING:** Pens of broilers will be sifted and scored at upon arrival. All entries must be of U.S. Grade A live market quality to be accepted. A pen may be sifted for the lack of uniformity. Any broiler which has no wing band, regardless of reason, will be sifted. Sick or diseased broilers will be refused entry and if discovered during the show, will be removed. Any broiler with reduced comb growth or other secondary sex characteristics, which indicate the presence of a hormone, will be sifted. Sifted birds will be marked at time of sifting. The fair assumes no responsibility for birds or coops.
- JUDGING PROCEDURES:** Birds will be split-shown by sex. Each pen must be the same sex throughout. Eligible youth are required to show/hold all birds **CEA/AST are responsible for having youth holders at judging. Otherwise, broilers will not be considered for premiums.**
- METHOD OF AWARDING:** No exhibitor will be awarded more than one place in the top 10 blue ribbon pens.
- TERMINAL SHOW:** This is a terminal show for all broilers shown/sifted.
- SHOW AND SOLD BY RULE:** Exhibitors qualifying for the Youth Livestock Auction of Champions must be present sale day to sell their project and receive the proceeds. Any exhibitor not present sale day will FORFEIT ALL SALE AND PREMIUM MONEY.
- AUCTION OF CHAMPIONS:** A total of 10 pens of broilers will be in the premium auction. The top 5 pens of each sex will make the sale with an exception of Grand and/or Reserve Grand Champion pens coming out of the same sex. In this instance, later placing pens become eligible for Auction.
- AWARDS:**

Grand Champion	Leather Banner, Buckle
Reserve Grand Champion	Leather Banner
Auction: Grand Champion Buyer	Leather Banner, Buckle
Auction: Reserve Grand Champion Buyer	Leather Banner

**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
BEEF HEIFERS**

SHOW RULES

1. **RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this department shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations and Youth Livestock Show Special Rules.
2. **ENTRY LIMITATION:** There is no entry limitation for beef heifers. All animals shown in a group class must be shown in their individual age class.
3. **TIE OUTS:** A limited number of tie out spaces will be sold on a first come first serve basis. Tie outs may be purchased at time of entry or from the Livestock Office. Tie outs will be assigned upon arrival when the exhibitor provides proof of purchase to the superintendent. Cattle will not be removed to tie outs until 7:00 PM daily. Cattle are limited to the assigned tie-out areas. Special provisions may be made for those breeds that have special requests which are submitted to the livestock and/or beef cattle superintendent in writing, prior to the start of the show. Tie-out fees must be paid for, in advance, before using tie-outs.
4. **FANS:** No fans permitted in any pedestrian aisle. No rear fans permitted. No exceptions.
5. **GENERATORS:** No generators permitted.
6. **GROOMING CHUTES:** Chutes may be brought on the grounds during the beef heifer shows provided a permit is purchased. Fee is to be paid at the time entries are made. Space for chutes will be in stalls or outside cattle buildings. No chutes permitted in any pedestrian aisle.
7. **GROOMING:** This is a blow and go show. Clipping, electric or manual will be permitted on the grounds. Animals are to be shown in natural conformation and color. Grooming materials leaving any color residue are not permitted.
8. **REGISTRATION:** Each animal shown in this division must be registered. An original certificate of registration must be kept available at all times during the show for each animal exhibited. Application for transfer and pending registration will not be accepted. All heifers must be exhibited in the designated breed division in which they are validated under.
9. **VALIDATION:** To be eligible, heifers must be validated with and adhere to all the rules of the Texas 4-H and FFA Breeding Heifer Validation Program administered by the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service and the Texas Education Agency, Department of Agriculture Education. Exhibitors need to check with their local County Extension Agent or Agriculture Science Teacher for local/county validation deadlines. <http://texasyouthlivestock.com/heifer-validation/>
10. **OWNERSHIP** Animals must be owned by and registered in the name of the exhibitor not later than June 30 of the current year. ***Bred-and-Owned Heifers** are a partial exception to the Ownership rule. Bred-and-owned heifers must be recorded with the respective breed association and exhibitor have in hand (at check-in time) a valid, original certificate of registration dated on or before August 25 with the exhibitor listed as the only breeder and owner.
11. **RELEASE:** Releases will be written upon arrival according to release times specific to each breed.

**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
ANGUS HEIFERS
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENTS:

Jason Cleere, Joe Mask, Randall
Williams, Jason Hendricks Radale
Tiner

Entry Deadline		August 25
Move-In	October 12	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 13	7:00AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 13	4:00 PM
Show	October 15	8:00 AM
Release	October 16	9:00 AM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

American Angus Association, 3201 Frederick Blvd., St. Joseph, MO 64506, (816) 233-3101, will participate in premiums offered in individual classes for junior Angus heifers, as included in its standard show classifications, according to the premium schedule based on the number of head shown. The premium assistance provided by the American Angus Association for participation in this show is in addition to the premiums offered by the show itself. The Association contributions will be included in the premium checks issued by the show.

1. **VALIDATION:** This show will adhere to the Texas Youth Livestock Validation Program. Failure to abide by these rules will result in disqualification.
2. This is a blow and go show. Clipping, electric or manual, will be permitted on the grounds.
3. Animals are to be shown in natural conformation and color. Grooming materials leaving any color residue are not permitted.
4. A minimum of fifteen (15) head must be shown in the junior Angus heifer classes to receive American Angus Association premium participation. The show is not required to have all classes to be eligible for premiums.
5. Separate classes for bred and owned heifers may be held if the size of the show merits a separate class.
6. Any female shown with a calf at side: the calf must be the cow's most recent natural calf, and the calf must be registered by show day and have the original registration certificate at check in.
7. To be eligible for Association premiums heifer entries must be recorded in the sole name of the junior exhibitor and the issue date on the registration certificate must conform to the individual show's requirements regarding ownership. The Association's contribution is included in the total premiums listed in each class.
8. Premiums from the Association are paid only to registered Angus cattle and only if the registration number is a part of the show report provided to the Association. Therefore, all cattle should be registered at the time of entry to make certain they receive the Association's portion of premiums. The Association does not pay a percentage on premiums offered in championship classes. An animal may only be counted one time toward the total count for premium participation by the Association.
9. Exhibitors must have the original registration certificate on each animal available for inspection at the show. Electronically stored registration certificates are NOT accepted – only the original certificates issued by the American Angus Association. Any animal, upon check-in, which does not have a legible permanent identification mark (ear tattoo marks, freeze-branded marks or hot-branded marks) corresponding to the permanent identification mark on the registration certificate is ineligible to show. Once disqualified due to an incorrect or illegible permanent identification mark, animals cannot be re-tattooed and rechecked at the show.
10. Only one person at a time shall lead animals into the show ring.
11. Exhibitors who participate in shows that accept premium monies contributed by the American Angus Association are subject to the Association Rules as found in the Breeder's Reference Guide of the Association. These rules are found in Part 2; Association Rules. The rules relating directly with the exhibition of Angus cattle are Part 2: Association Rules; Rule 800 Series; including Rule 800-810. These rules can be found at www.angus.org.
12. Altering the conformation and/or appearance of an animal for exhibition is prohibited. This includes the covering of white skin, false tail heads (or use of any false hair), with the exception of false tail switches. The use of graphite, powders, hemp or other similar substances used externally are also prohibited. Other prohibited products include those used internally such as steroids, illegal or unlicensed pharmaceuticals or artificial filling. Any animal found to be in violation will be barred from showing.
13. At any show for which the American Angus Association appropriates funds toward the payment of premiums, no exhibitors, individuals assisting exhibitors or member owners at such show shall be allowed to use any coloring agents,

on any animal exhibited. The Association may adopt and implement various tests designed to monitor this prohibition, including but not limited to a “white towel” or “white glove” test. No aerosol cans or other pressurized containers will be allowed in designated make up areas.

14. All animals exhibited are subject to DNA marker or blood type tests to verify accuracy of parentage as covered under the Association Rules and for other testing as required by the individual show.
15. Authorized representatives of the Association have the authority to enforce the rules set forth herein as well as in the Association Rules, including the barring of a registered animal from a livestock show at which it is to be shown, if there are reasonable grounds to believe a violation has occurred.
16. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$50; 2nd \$40; 3rd \$35; 4th \$30
17. **GRAND CHAMPION:** \$1,000; **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION:** \$500
18. **CLASSES:**
 1. Calved on or after March 1, 2016
 2. Calved February 1 - February 28, 2016
 3. Calved January 1 – January 31, 2016
 4. Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
 5. Reserve Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
 6. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
 7. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
 8. Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015
 9. Calved May 1- June 30, 2015
 10. Champion Intermediate Heifer Ribbon
 11. Reserve Champion Intermediate Heifer Ribbon
 12. Calved April 1 – April 30, 2015
 13. Calved March 1- March 31, 2015
 14. Calved February 1 - February 28, 2015
 15. Calved January 1 – January 31, 2015
 16. Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
 17. Reserve Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
 18. Calved September 1- October 31, 2014
 19. Calved November 1- December 31, 2014
 20. Champion Senior Heifer Ribbon
 21. Reserve Champion Senior Heifer Ribbon
 22. GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER Banner, Buckle, Chair
 23. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER Banner, Chair

**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
BEEFMASTER HEIFERS
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENT:
Ralph Hawkins, Doug Andrews

Entry Deadline		August 25
Move-In	October 19	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 20	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 20	4:00 PM
Show	October 22	8:00 AM
Release	October 23	8:00 AM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

Beefmaster Breeders United, 6800 Park Ten Blvd #290W, San Antonio, TX, 78213, (210) 732-3132

1. **VALIDATION:** This show will adhere to the Texas Youth Livestock Validation Program. Failure to abide by these rules will result in disqualification.
2. Must be a member of the Junior Beefmaster Breeders Association (JBBA).
3. Original BBU Certificate of Breeding (not copies) on each animal shown, including any calf-at-side, must be presented to a representative of the show at the time the cattle arrive on the premises. Application for a BBU Certificate of Breeding on calves under 30 days of age must be presented.
4. All heifers must be registered with Beefmaster Breeders United as a purebred and out of a BBU-Certified Purebred dam, Second Cross dam or as otherwise stated in the BBU By-Laws.
5. All identification numbers and holding brands branded or tattooed on the animal must match the description with the BBU Certificate of Breeding.
6. Any heifer that, in the opinion of the designated BBU official, would be a detriment to the breed shall be removed from the show, regardless of any prior classification. Examples would be heifers exhibiting signs of low fertility, genetic or physical defects.
7. Heifers that do not show the day of the month of birth on their BBU Certificate of Breeding shall be considered to be born on the first day of that month.
8. All animals will be shown with their hair coats laying flat against their entire body. Hair trimming is permissible. Those few areas such as the legs, tail head and portions of the top line of the animal which may not naturally lay flat against the body must be trimmed to be flush with adjacent portions of the hair coat. Hair may not be trained or pulled upwards or forwards. Animals will not be shown that have any foreign object(s) attached in any manner nor will animals be allowed to be shown that have their natural color altered in a manner so as to change the conformation or appearance. Exhibitors failing to abide by this rule will be dismissed from the arena and/or forfeit premiums, awards and points won by the same exhibitor.
9. Heifers two (2) years old and older on the day shown whose calf has died cannot be shown.
10. All heifers, two (2) years and older on the day of the show must be palpated safe in calf by a licensed veterinarian and so state on the health certificate, with the exception of heifers nursing their BBU registered natural calf-at-side (under 6 months of age), in which case the heifer may show open.
11. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$50; 2nd \$40; 3rd \$35; 4th \$30
12. **GRAND CHAMPION:** \$1,000; **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION:** \$500
13. **CLASSES:**
 1. Calved on or after March 1, 2016
 2. Calved February 1 - February 28, 2016
 3. Calved January 1 – January 31, 2016
 4. Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
 5. Reserve Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
 6. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
 7. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
 8. Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015
 9. Calved May 1- June 30, 2015
 10. Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
 11. Reserve Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
 12. Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015
 13. Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015
 14. Calved September 1- December 31, 2014

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| 15. Champion Senior Heifer | Ribbon |
| 16. Reserve Champion Senior Heifer | Ribbon |
| 17. GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER | Banner, Buckle, Chair |
| 18. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER | Banner, Chair |
| 19. Champion Bred and Owned Heifer | Banner |
| 20. Reserve Champion Bred and Owned Heifer | Banner |

**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
BRANGUS HEIFERS
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENT:
Ralph Hawkins, Doug Andrews,

Entry Deadline		August 25
Move-In	October 19	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 20	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 20	4:00 PM
Show	October 23	8:00 AM
Begin Release	October 23	12:00 PM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

Texas Brangus Breeders Association, 5750 Epsilon, San Antonio, TX, 78249, (210) 558-0800

1. **VALIDATION:** This show will adhere to the Texas Youth Livestock Validation Program. Failure to abide by these rules will result in disqualification.
2. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$50; 2nd \$40; 3rd \$35; 4th \$30
3. **GRAND CHAMPION:** \$1,000; **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION:** \$500
4. **CLASSES:**
 1. Calved on or after March 1, 2016
 2. Calved February 1 - February 28, 2016
 3. Calved January 1 – January 31, 2016
 4. Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
 5. Reserve Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
 6. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
 7. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
 8. Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015
 9. Calved May 1- June 30, 2015
 10. Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
 11. Reserve Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
 12. Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015
 13. Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015
 14. Calved September 1- December 31, 2014
 15. Champion Senior Heifer Ribbon
 16. Reserve Champion Senior Heifer Ribbon
 17. GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER Banner, Buckle, Chair
 18. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER Banner, Chair

**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
CHAROLAIS HEIFERS
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENT:

Jason Cleere, Joe Mask, Randall
Williams, Jason Hendricks Radale
Tiner

Entry Deadline		August 25
Move-In	October 12	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
Checked-In	October 13	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Show	October 13	4:00 PM
Release	October 16	8:00 AM
		12:00 PM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

American-International Charolais Association, 11700 NW Plaza Circle, Kansas City, MO 64153, (816) 464-5977

1. **VALIDATION:** This show will adhere to the Texas Youth Livestock Validation Program. Failure to abide by these rules will result in disqualification.
2. **PREMIUMS:** 1ST \$50; 2ND \$40; 3RD \$35; 4TH \$30
3. **GRAND CHAMPION:** \$1,000. **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION:** \$500
4. **CLASSES:**
 1. Calved on or after March 1, 2016
 2. Calved February 1 - February 28, 2016
 3. Calved January 1 – January 31, 2016
 4. Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
 5. Reserve Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
 6. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
 7. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
 8. Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015
 9. Calved May 1- June 30, 2015
 10. Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
 11. Reserve Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
 12. Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015
 13. Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015
 14. Calved September 1- December 31, 2014
 15. Champion Senior Heifer Ribbon
 16. Reserve Champion Senior Heifer Ribbon
 17. GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER Banner, Buckle, Chair
 18. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER Banner, Chair

**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
CHIANINA HEIFERS
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENTS:

Jason Cleere, Joe Mask,
Randall Williams, Jason Hendricks
Radale Tiner

Entry Deadline		August 25
Move-In	October 12	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 13	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 13	4:00 PM
Show	October 16	8:00 AM
Release	October 16	12:00 PM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

American Chianina Association, 1708 NW Prairie View Road, Platte City, MO, 64079 (816) 431-2808

1. **VALIDATION:** This show will adhere to the Texas Youth Livestock Validation Program. Failure to abide by these rules will result in disqualification.
2. **PREMIUMS:** 1ST \$50; 2ND \$40; 3RD \$35; 4TH \$30
3. **GRAND CHAMPION:** \$500. **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION:** \$250
4. **CLASSES:**
 1. Calved on or after March 1, 2016
 2. Calved February 1 - February 28, 2016
 3. Calved January 1 – January 31, 2016
 4. Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
 5. Reserve Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
 6. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
 7. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
 8. Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015
 9. Calved May 1- June 30, 2015
 10. Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
 11. Reserve Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
 12. Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015
 13. Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015
 14. Calved September 1- December 31, 2014
 15. Champion Senior Heifer Ribbon
 16. Reserve Champion Senior Heifer Ribbon
 17. GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER Banner, Buckle, Chair
 18. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER Banner, Chair

**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
GRAY BRAHMAN HEIFERS
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENTS:
Paul Maulsby, Michael Schertz

Entry Deadline		August 25
Move-In	October 17	8:00 AM
Checked-In	October 18	2:00 PM
Show	October 20	10:00 AM
Release	October 20	10:00 AM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

American Brahman Breeders Association, 3003 S Loop Suite 520, Houston, TX, 77054, (713) 349-0854

1. **VALIDATION:** This show will adhere to the Texas Youth Livestock Validation Program. Failure to abide by these rules will result in disqualification.

2. Entries must be registered with ABBA to be shown in this division. IZBA registration papers are not acceptable

3. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$50; 2nd \$40; 3rd \$35; 4th \$30

4. **GRAND CHAMPION:** \$1,000 **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION:** \$500

5. **CLASSES:**

1. Calved on or after March 1, 2016
2. Calved February 1 - February 28, 2016
3. Calved January 1 – January 31, 2016
4. Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
5. Reserve Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
6. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
7. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
8. Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015
9. Calved May 1- June 30, 2015
10. Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
11. Reserve Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
12. Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015
13. Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015
14. Calved September 1- December 31, 2014
15. Champion Senior Heifer Ribbon
16. Reserve Champion Senior Heifer Ribbon
17. GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER Banner, Buckle, Chair
18. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER Banner, Chair

**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
HEREFORD HEIFERS
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENTS:

Jason Cleere, Joe Mask,
Randall Williams, Jason Hendricks
Radale Tiner

Entry Deadline		August 25
Move-In	October 12	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 13	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 13	4:00 PM
Show	October 15	8:00 AM
Release	October 16	9:00 AM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

Texas Hereford Association, 4609 Airport Freeway, Fort Worth, TX, 76117, (817) 831-3161

1. **VALIDATION:** This show will adhere to the Texas Youth Livestock Validation Program. Failure to abide by these rules will result in disqualification.
2. Exhibitors in Hereford classes are subject to the AHA special rules on class qualification, and any animal without a legible tattoo will not be eligible for show.
3. **PREMIUMS:** 1ST \$50; 2ND \$40; 3RD: \$35; 4TH \$30
4. **GRAND CHAMPION:** \$1,000 **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION:** \$500
5. **CLASSES:**
 1. Calved on or after March 1, 2016
 2. Calved February 1 - February 28, 2016
 3. Calved January 1 – January 31, 2016
 4. Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
 5. Reserve Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
 6. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
 7. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
 8. Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015
 9. Calved May 1- June 30, 2015
 10. Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
 11. Reserve Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
 12. Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015
 13. Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015
 14. Calved September 1- December 31, 2014
 15. Champion Senior Heifer Ribbon
 16. Reserve Champion Senior Heifer Ribbon
 17. GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER Banner, Buckle, Chair
 18. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER Banner, Chair

**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
LIMOUSIN HEIFERS
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENT:

Jason Cleere, Joe Mask,
Randall Williams, Jason Hendricks
Radale Tiner

Entry Deadline		August 25
Move-In	October 12	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 13	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 13	4:00 PM
Show	October 16	8:00 AM
Release	October 16	12:00 PM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

North American Limousin Foundation, 6 Inverness Court East Suite 260, Eaglewood, CO, 80112, (303) 220-1693

6. **VALIDATION:** This show will adhere to the Texas Youth Livestock Validation Program. Failure to abide by these rules will result in disqualification.
7. Eligibility requirements for showing Limousin and Lim Flex heifers together are as follows; All orange papered Limousin heifers must be 75% or greater Limousin blood as indicated on registration certificate issued by the North American Limousin Foundation. All purple papered Lim Flex must be at least 50% or greater Limousin blood as indicated on registration certificate issued by the North American Limousin Foundation. NALF percentages, not actual percentages, shall be used to determine eligibility
8. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$50; 2nd \$40; 3rd \$35; 4th \$30
9. **GRAND CHAMPION:** \$1,000 **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION:** \$500
10. **CLASSES:**
 1. Calved on or after March 1, 2016
 2. Calved February 1 - February 28, 2016
 3. Calved January 1 – January 31, 2016
 4. Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
 5. Reserve Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
 6. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
 7. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
 8. Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015
 9. Calved May 1- June 30, 2015
 10. Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
 11. Reserve Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
 12. Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015
 13. Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015
 14. Calved September 1- December 31, 2014
 15. Champion Senior Heifer Ribbon
 16. Reserve Champion Senior Heifer Ribbon
 17. GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER Banner, Buckle, Chair
 18. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER Banner, Chair

**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
MAINE-ANJOU HEIFERS
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENT:

Jason Cleere, Joe Mask,
Randall Williams, Jason Hendricks
Radale Tiner

Entry Deadline		August 25
Move-In	October 12	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 13	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 13	4:00 PM
Show	October 16	8:00 AM
Release	October 16	12:00 PM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

American Maine-Anjou Association, 204 Marshall Rd, Platte City, MO, 64079, (816) 431-9950

1. **VALIDATION:** This show will adhere to the Texas Youth Livestock Validation Program. Failure to abide by these rules will result in disqualification.
2. Heifers must be at least 75% Maine-Anjou (no green certificates) and recorded with the American Maine-Anjou Association. Papers must be in order and tattoos will be checked and must match, exactly.
3. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$50; 2nd \$40; 3rd \$35; 4th \$30
4. **GRAND CHAMPION:** \$1,000 **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION:** \$500
5. **CLASSES:**
 1. Calved on or after March 1, 2016
 2. Calved February 1 - February 28, 2016
 3. Calved January 1 – January 31, 2016
 4. Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
 5. Reserve Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
 6. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
 7. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
 8. Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015
 9. Calved May 1- June 30, 2015
 10. Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
 11. Reserve Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
 12. Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015
 13. Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015
 14. Calved September 1- December 31, 2014
 15. Champion Senior Heifer Ribbon
 16. Reserve Champion Senior Heifer Ribbon
 17. GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER Banner, Buckle, Chair
 18. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER Banner, Chair

**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
AMERICAN REGISTERED BREED HEIFERS
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENT:
Ralph Hawkins, Doug Andrews,

Entry Deadline		August 25
Move-In	October 19	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 20	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 20	4:00 PM
Show	October 23	8:00 AM
Release	October 23	12:00 PM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

1. **VALIDATION:** This show will adhere to the Texas Youth Livestock Validation Program. Failure to abide by these rules will result in disqualification.
2. The Other Registered American Breed heifer show is open to heifers of *Bos Indicus* type, registered or issued a certificate of registry with a recognized breed association. **These breeds include:** Beefmaster E6 Certified, Beefmaster Advancer, Braford, Braford F-1, Brahman Golden Certified F-1, Brahmousin, Brangus Ultra Black, Brangus Ultra Red, Brangus Optimizer, Brangus Premium Gold, Charbray, Gelbray, and Simbrah (percentage).
3. Heifers **MUST** show in the division designated to their specific breed.
4. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$50; 2nd \$40; 3rd \$35; 4th \$30
5. **GRAND CHAMPIONS:** \$500; **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION:** \$250
6. **CLASSES:**
 1. Calved on or after March 1, 2016
 2. Calved February 1 - February 28, 2016
 3. Calved January 1 – January 31, 2016
 4. Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
 5. Reserve Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
 6. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
 7. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
 8. Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015
 9. Calved May 1- June 30, 2015
 10. Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
 11. Reserve Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
 12. Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015
 13. Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015
 14. Calved September 1- December 31, 2014
 15. Champion Senior Heifer Ribbon
 16. Reserve Champion Senior Heifer Ribbon
 17. GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER Banner, Buckle, Chair
 18. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER Banner, Chair

**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
OTHER REGISTERED BREEDS HEIFERS
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENT:

Jason Cleere, Joe Mask,
Randall Williams, Jason Hendricks
Radale Tiner

Entry Deadline		August 25
Move-In	October 12	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 13	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 13	4:00 PM
Show	October 16	8:00 AM
Release	October 16	12:00 PM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

1. **VALIDATION:** This show will adhere to the Texas Youth Livestock Validation Program. Failure to abide by these rules will result in disqualification.
2. The Other Registered Breeds heifer show is open to heifers of *Bos Taurus* type, registered or issued a certificate of registry from a recognized breed association. **These breeds include:** Braunvieh, Braunvieh Beef Builder, Charolais (percentage), Chiangus, Chianina (less than 6.25%), Gelbvieh, Gelbvieh Balancer, Lim-Flex, MainTainer, Pinzgauer, Shorthorn Plus, and Simmental (percentage)
3. Heifers MUST show in the division designated to their specific breed.
4. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$50; 2nd \$40; 3rd \$35; 4th \$30
5. **GRAND CHAMPIONS:** \$500; **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION:** \$250
6. **CLASSES:**
 1. Calved on or after March 1, 2016
 2. Calved February 1 - February 28, 2016
 3. Calved January 1 – January 31, 2016
 4. Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
 5. Reserve Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
 6. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
 7. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
 8. Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015
 9. Calved May 1- June 30, 2015
 10. Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
 11. Reserve Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
 12. Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015
 13. Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015
 14. Calved September 1- December 31, 2014
 15. Champion Senior Heifer Ribbon
 16. Reserve Champion Senior Heifer Ribbon
 17. GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER Banner, Buckle, Chair
 18. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER Banner, Chair

**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
POLLED HEREFORD HEIFERS
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENTS:

Jason Cleere, Joe Mask,
Randall Williams, Jason Hendricks
Radale Tiner

Entry Deadline		August 25
Move-In	October 12	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 13	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 13	4:00 PM
Show	October 15	8:00 AM
Release	October 16	9:00 AM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

Texas Polled Hereford Association, PO Box 1867, Port Lavaca, TX, 77979, (361) 571-8742

1. **VALIDATION:** This show will adhere to the Texas Youth Livestock Validation Program. Failure to abide by these rules will result in disqualification.
2. All Hereford entries must be duly recorded with the American Hereford Association. Any animal with a pending registration or without a legible tattoo will not be eligible for show competition. All entries are subject to provisions and rules for showing as set forth by the American Hereford Association Board of Directors, and are subject to supervision of the Show and Sale Committee representing the AHA. Scurs on polled Herefords should be left as is and should not be tampered with or removed.
3. **PREMIUMS:** \$1st \$50; 2nd \$40; 3rd \$35; 4th \$30
4. **GRAND CHAMPION:** \$1,000; **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION:** \$500
5. **CLASSES:**
 1. Calved on or after March 1, 2016
 2. Calved February 1 - February 28, 2016
 3. Calved January 1 – January 31, 2016
 4. Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
 5. Reserve Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
 6. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
 7. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
 8. Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015
 9. Calved May 1- June 30, 2015
 10. Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
 11. Reserve Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
 12. Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015
 13. Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015
 14. Calved September 1- December 31, 2014
 15. Champion Senior Heifer Ribbon
 16. Reserve Champion Senior Heifer Ribbon
 17. GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER Banner, Buckle, Chair
 18. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER Banner, Chair

**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
STATE RED ANGUS
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENTS:

Jason Cleere, Joe Mask,
Randall Williams, Jason Hendricks
Radale Tiner

Entry Deadline		August 25
Move-In	October 12	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 13	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 13	4:00 PM
Show	October 15	8:00 AM
Release	October 16	9:00 AM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

Texas Red Angus Association, Anne Kimmey, PO Box 725, Justin, TX 76247, offers a proportion of total premiums

1. **VALIDATION:** This show will adhere to the Texas Youth Livestock Validation Program. Failure to abide by these rules will result in disqualification.
2. Only registered Red Angus heifers of Category 1A may be entered in the show. Heifers entered in the show as well as being registered as Category 1A must exhibit only English characteristics and features. No white forward of the naval, above underline, or on legs. No combination of black on nose, eyes, and anus together. Smooth poll only, showing no evidence of scurs or "buttons" removed. Heifers will be subject to blood typing to prove percentage.
3. Entries into the heifer division in the Bred and Owned Show must also enter into the State Red Angus Show to be eligible to compete.
4. Fitting allowed in bred/owned & showmanship only!
5. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$50; 2nd \$40; 3rd \$35; 4th \$30
6. **GRAND CHAMPION:** \$1,000; **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION:** \$500;
7. **CLASSES:**
 1. Junior calves, calved on or after March 1, 2016
 2. February calves, calved February 1 – February 28, 2016
 3. January calves, calved January 1 – January 31, 2016
 4. Junior Calf Champion Ribbon
 5. Reserve Junior Calf Champion Ribbon
 6. Winter Heifers, calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
 7. Senior Heifers, calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
 8. Summer Yearling Heifers, calved May 1 – August 31, 2015
 9. Intermediate Champion Ribbon
 10. Reserve Intermediate Champion Ribbon
 11. April Spring Yearlings, calved April 1 – April 30, 2015
 12. March Yearlings, calved March 1 – March 31, 2015
 13. February Yearlings, calved February 1 – February 28, 2015
 14. January Yearlings, calved January 1 – January 31, 2015
 15. Junior Champion Ribbon
 16. Reserve Junior Champion Ribbon
 17. Senior Yearlings, calved September 1 – December 31, 2014
 18. Summer Senior Yearling Heifers, May 1 – August 31, 2014
 - *19. 2 Year Old Female w/Calf, calved after January 1, 2014
 - *20. Mature Cow & Calf, calved before January 1, 2014
 21. Senior Champion Ribbon
 22. Reserve Senior Champion Ribbon
 23. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE Banner, Buckle, Chair
 24. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE Banner, Chair

***Calf must be under 250 days of age and still nursing.**

**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
JUNIOR RED ANGUS BRED & OWNED
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENTS:

Jason Cleere, Joe Mask,
Randall Williams, Jason Hendricks
Radale Tiner

Entry Deadline		August 25
Move-In	October 12	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
Checked-In	October 13	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Show	October 13	4:00 PM
Release	October 14	8:00 AM
	October 16	9:00 AM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

***All ANIMALS MUST BE BRED & OWNED TO ENTER**

Texas Red Angus Association, Anne Kimmey, PO Box 725, Justin, TX 76247, offers a proportion of total premiums

- 1. VALIDATION:** This show will adhere to the Texas Youth Livestock Validation Program. Failure to abide by these rules will result in disqualification.
- Entries into the heifer division in the Bred and Owned Show must also enter into the State Red Angus Show to be eligible, if the junior member is still an eligible 4-H/FFA member. If they are not an eligible 4-H/FFA member, but under the age of 21; they must enter the Pan-American Red Angus Show to be eligible.
- Fitting will be allowed in bred/owned & showmanship only!
- 4. PREMIUMS:** 1st \$50; 2nd \$40; 3rd \$35; 4th \$30
- 5. GRAND CHAMPION BRED & OWNED:** \$500; **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BRED & OWNED:** \$250
- 6. CLASSES:**

FEMALES

1. Junior calves, calved on or after March 1, 2016
2. February calves, calved February 1 – February 28, 2016
3. January calves, calved January 1 – January 31, 2016
4. Junior Calf Champion Ribbon
5. Reserve Junior Calf Champion Ribbon
6. Winter Heifers, calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
7. Senior Heifers, calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
8. Summer Yearling Heifers, calved May 1 – August 31, 2015
9. Intermediate Champion Ribbon
10. Reserve Intermediate Champion Ribbon
11. April Spring Yearlings, calved April 1 – April 30, 2015
12. March Yearlings, calved March 1 – March 31, 2015
13. February Yearlings, calved February 1 – February 28, 2015
14. January Yearlings, calved January 1 – January 31, 2015
15. Junior Champion Ribbon
16. Reserve Junior Champion Ribbon
17. Senior Yearlings, calved September 1 – December 31, 2014
18. Summer Senior Yearling Heifers, May 1 – August 31, 2014
19. 2 Year Old Female w/Calf, calved after January 1, 2014
20. Mature Cow & Calf, calved before January 1, 2014
21. Senior Champion Ribbon
22. Reserve Senior Champion Ribbon
23. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE Banner, Buckle, Chair
24. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE Banner, Chair

BULLS

25. Junior calves, calved on or after March 1, 2016
26. February calves, calved February 1 – February 28, 2016
27. January calves, calved January 1 – January 31, 2016

28. Junior Calf Champion	Ribbon
29. Reserve Junior Calf Champion	Ribbon
30. Winter calves, calved November 1 – December 31, 2015	
31. Senior calves, calved September 1 – October 31, 2015	
32. Summer Yearlings, calved May 1 – August 31, 2015	
33. Intermediate Champion	Ribbon
34. Reserve Intermediate Champion	Ribbon
35. April Spring Yearlings, calved April 1 – April 30, 2015	
36. March Yearlings, calved March 1 – March 31, 2015	
37. February Yearlings, calved February 1 – February 28, 2015	
38. January Junior Yearlings, calved January 1 – January 31, 2015	
39. Junior Champion	Ribbon
40. Reserve Junior Champion	Ribbon
41. Senior Yearlings, calved September 1 – October 31, 2014	
42. Summer Senior Yearlings, calved May 1- August 31, 2014	
43. 2 Year Olds, calved before January 1 – April 30, 2014	
44. Senior Champion	Ribbon
45. Reserve Senior Champion	Ribbon
46. GRAND CHAMPION BRED & OWNED BULL	Banner, Buckle, Chair
47. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BRED & OWNED BULL	Banner, Chair

2016 Texas Junior Red Angus Association Futurity

GENERAL RULES

The **2016 Texas Junior Red Angus Association Futurity** will be held in conjunction with the **2016 State Fair of Texas**. The State Fair of Texas Junior Red Angus show will serve as the official Texas Junior Red Angus Association State Show.

1. **2016 Pan American Livestock Exposition Open Red Angus, October 14, 2016**
 - a. This show will follow and comply with all State Fair of Texas Rules and entry deadlines. Visit www.bigtex.com for complete premium list. **To participate in the show, you must enter through the State Fair of Texas by September 1, 2016. Entry Fee \$30/per head**
2. **2016 Texas Red Angus Junior State Bred and Owned Female and Bulls & Showmanship, October 14, 2016**
 - a. This show will follow and comply with all State Fair of Texas Rules and entry deadlines. Visit www.bigtex.com for complete premium list. **To participate in the show, you must enter through the State Fair of Texas by August 25, 2016. Entry Fee \$30/per head**
 - b. All cattle must be BRED AND OWNED by the Junior Exhibitor and must be entered to show in the State Fair of Texas Junior or Pan American Livestock Exposition Open Red Angus show.
3. **2016 State Fair of Texas & Texas Red Angus Youth State Show and Texas State Jr. Show, October 15, 2016**
 - a. This show will follow and comply with all State Fair of Texas Rules and entry deadlines. Visit www.bigtex.com for complete premium list. **To participate in the show, you must enter through the State Fair of Texas by August 25, 2016. Entry Fee \$30/per head**
4. **Futurity Contest Registration, Entry, and Fees**
 - a. **Individual entry forms and required fees for the Texas Junior Red Angus Association contests** must be postmarked by the entry deadline of **September 19**. If postmark is after September 19 a **late fee of \$10** per exhibitor will be incurred. The areas of competition in which an individual will participate must be designated at the same time.
 - b. Fees are located on the entry form. Entry fee of \$25 enters the junior into the futurity and to each contest.
 - c. All checks will be written to the **Texas Junior Red Angus Assoc.** and must accompany the entry form.
 - d. All entries will be returned to address designated on entry form.
5. **Eligibility**
 - a. Participants in the State Futurity Contests must be paid members of the Junior Texas Red Angus Association.
 - b. Contest participants must not have reached their 21st birthday prior to September 1, 2016.

COMPETITION AND AWARDS

1. **Novice, Junior, Intermediate, and Senior Division Eligibility**
 - a. Contestants 8 years and under who have not reached their 8th birthday by September 1, 2016, and are not eligible 4-H members must compete in the Novice division. Novice contestants may participate in all contests except the cattle shows. Contests will be age appropriate.
 - b. ****Novices who participate in showmanship may be accompanied by an adult in the showing. ****
 - c. To compete in the Junior Division, a contestant must be 8 years old prior to September 1, 2016, and not have reached their 13th birthday prior to September 1, 2016.
 - d. To compete in the Intermediate Division, contestants must be 13-16 years old on September 1, 2016,
 - e. and not have reached their 13th birthday prior to September 1, 2016.
 - f. To compete in the Senior Division, contestants must be 17-21 years old on September 1, 2016, and not have reached their 21st birthday prior to September 1, 2016.
2. **Individual Competition**
 - a. At the futurity, overall competition will be determined by points won in four events: Cattlemen's Quiz Public Speaking, Photography, Sales Talk, and Skill-A-Thon.

- b. The top 15 competitors in the Cattlemen's Quiz, Public Speaking, Photography, Sales Talk, and Skill-A-Thon, will receive points, with the highest score receiving 15 points and each subsequent score receiving one less point down to one point for fifteenth place.
- c. To compete in the overall contest and be eligible for awards, a contestant must compete in four of the five following events: Cattlemen's Quiz Photography, Public Speaking, Sales Talk, and Skill-A-Thon. **Contestants must compete in either sales talk or public speaking to be eligible for overall competition.**

3. Ties

- a. Ties will be broken by comparing scores in the order of the following events: Cattlemen's Quiz, Public Speaking, and Sales talk.

4. Recognition and Awards

- a. To receive awards, contestants must attend the awards ceremony and dinner on Saturday, October 15, 2016. The only exceptions must be approved by the TJRAA Board. Approval for early release must be brought to TJRAA Board's attention by the completion of contestant check-in.
- b. Awards will be presented to winners in the Novice, Junior, Intermediate, and Senior Divisions in each event.
- c. Overall competition – The top individuals in the Novice, Junior, Intermediate, and Senior Divisions will receive an award.

5. Conduct and Disciplinary Action

- a. All TJRAA members in attendance at the TJRAA Futurity are expected to conduct themselves in a manner becoming to a member of the TJRAA.
- b. Violations of the above standard include, but are not limited to: misrepresentation of animals, vandalism, theft, fighting, unsportsmanlike conduct, and failure to comply with the directives of Futurity officials, possessing or being under the influence of intoxicating beverages or other prohibited substances, or willful violation of rules.
- c. TJRAA Board Members and Advisers, upon finding an individual in violation of conduct, may take action as deemed necessary.

6. Liability Provisions

- a. All contestants must supply a signed release statement from a parent or legal guardian before being allowed to participate. The release statement is provided on the individual entry form.
- b. The Texas Junior Red Angus Association and/or any of its employees are not responsible for accidents or theft that may occur during the Futurity.

CONTEST RULES

Cattlemen's Quiz

1. The quiz will consist of multiple choice and true/false questions.
2. One and one half hour will be allotted for contestants to complete the quiz.
3. Notes, books, and reference materials are not permitted in the testing area. All materials will be provided, including a Sire Summary, quiz questions, answer sheet, and pencils.
4. Conferring with other contestants, use of cell phones, or any other form of cheating will be grounds for disqualification of contestants.
5. Ties will be broken according to pre-designated tie breaking questions.
 6. Primary resources for questions used on the quiz will be derived from the Texas 4-H Beef Bowl Quiz and Texas 4-H Managing Beef Cattle for Show. Both of these documents are located on the junior section of <http://www.texasredangus.org>

Public Speaking

- a. The junior age division will be doing a prepared speech, while Intermediate and Senior age divisions will participate in extemporaneous speaking.
- b. Contestant speaking order will be selected in a random drawing. Contestants are free to choose their subject matter. However, speech topics should pertain to the Red Angus breed, or the beef industry.
- c. Contestants should present prepared speeches composed of original material. Contestants MAY NOT repeat a speech previously used in this contest. If sources of information are used in speech preparation, the source should be cited. In speeches that address technical or scientific matter, resource information should be given. The speaker must give credit when he/she quotes directly the words or writings of another individual.

- d. Extemporaneous contestants will be given 30 minutes to prepare a speech on one of three randomly selected Red Angus and beef topics. Materials will be provided on the topics to develop speeches.
- e. Speeches will be 3 to 5 minutes in length. Time elapsed will be posted during the speech so contestants are aware of timing. Speakers, who finish before 3 minutes have elapsed, or after 5 minutes have passed, will be penalized 1 point for each second over/under. Following the speech, time is allowed to judges to ask questions.
- f. Following each speech, the panel of judges will be allowed to ask relevant questions to participants in ALL DIVISIONS.
- g. Contestants are permitted to use notes, but excessive reference to note cards may result in point deductions by the judge.
- h. No props, visual aids, music, etc. will be permitted.
- i. At the conclusion of each speaker, judges will total scores for that speaker. The scores shall then be averaged and a ranking of contestants determined at the conclusion of the contest.

Skill-A-Thon

- a. The purpose of this contest is to assess practical skills related to the beef industry and Red Angus cattle.
- b. Contest may include a visual identification via Power Point, identification of the actual equipment, or a combination of the two,
- c. Contest may include but is not limited to: identification, practical usage, beef industry problem solving, and practical application of ARA materials.
- d. Contestants may not bring notes, books, or reference materials into the contest area.
- e. While the contest is in progress, there shall be no conferring between contestants, use of cell phones, use of notes, or any other form of cheating. Any violation will be grounds for disqualification from the contest.
- f. Ties will be broken by clearly marked tie-breaker questions. If a tie still remains, the tie will be broken according to placing on the Cattlemen's Quiz.

Sales Talk

The Sales talk uses a live setting complete with animal or a photo (no larger than 8x10) and potential buyers. The purpose of this contest is to evaluate the effectiveness of the presentation and the contestant's ability to merchandise cattle.

- a. Contestants may use any entry or photo (no larger than 8x10) of a Red Angus animal as the subject of the Sales Talk. Contestants may use a heifer/cow other than their own. The contestant may hold or tie the heifer/cow, or have another contestant hold the heifer/cow during the talk. The heifer/cow is not to be fitted.
- b. Before the talk, contestants will be required to provide judges with a registration certificate for the animal being "sold". The judges will use the registration certificate to evaluate the accuracy of pedigree and performance information provided by the contestant and to also ask questions. The certificate will be returned to the contestant at the end of the talk.
- c. Contestants will be judged on their knowledge of the animal they are selling (25%), ability to relate important information about the heifer/cow (organization and style-25%), poise and delivery (25%), and overall effectiveness in convincing the judge to buy the animal (25%).
- d. A contestant's score will be reduced 10% if additional materials are presented to the judges other than those listed in the above rules.
- e. Sales Talk will be 5-7 minutes in length. Time elapsed will be indicated during the contest so that contestants are aware of time constraints.

Photography Contest

1. All work must be that of the entrant.
2. Photos are to be 8x10-inch (in.) color or black-and-white prints mounted on a 10x14-in. black foam core. Photos should not be matted or framed. Mount the completed 3x5 index card with the contestant name, age division, entry division and photo title on the back side, in the upper left-hand corner of the form core.

3. Photos must be taken by the contestant during the past year. Photo cannot be altered or image-enhanced in any way.
4. There will be four subject categories: Red Angus Cattle, Landscapes, People and Around the Farm or Ranch. Contestants may enter only one photo per category. Each entry may apply to no more than one subject category. The contestant should declare what subject category the photo is to be judged, as the photograph is representative of the contestant's interpretation of the category. Judges, however, reserve the right to move an entry to a more suitable category. Further explanation of the subject categories is listed below.
 - Red Angus Cattle - Photographs that highlight Red Angus cattle on the farm or ranch or at an Red Angus event. The cattle should be the dominate focus of the picture.
 - Landscape - Photographs that focus on scenery around the farm or ranch. Red Angus cattle should be included in the photo.
 - People - Photographs that show a Red Angus junior and/or family, friends, fellow junior members, etc., either involved in activities on the farm or ranch or at a Red Angus event.
 - Around the Farm or Ranch – Photographs that highlight activities and scenes around the farm or ranch.
5. A maximum of one entry per contestant is allowed.

**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
RED BRAHMAN HEIFERS
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENTS:
Michael Schertz, Paul Maulsby

Entry Deadline		August 25
Move-In	October 17	8:00 AM
Checked-In	October 18	2:00 PM
Show	October 20	10:00 AM
Release	October 20	10:00 AM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

American Brahman Breeders Association, 3003 S Loop Suite 520, Houston, TX, 77054, (713) 349-0854

1. **VALIDATION:** This show will adhere to the Texas Youth Livestock Validation Program. Failure to abide by these rules will result in disqualification.

2. Entries must be registered with ABBA to be shown in this division. IZBA registration papers are not acceptable.

3. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$50; 2nd \$40; 3rd \$35; 4th \$30

4. **GRAND CHAMPION:** \$1,000. **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION:** \$500

5. **CLASSES:**

1. Calved on or after March 1, 2016
2. Calved February 1 - February 28, 2016
3. Calved January 1 – January 31, 2016
4. Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
5. Reserve Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
6. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
7. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
8. Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015
9. Calved May 1- June 30, 2015
10. Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
11. Reserve Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
12. Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015
13. Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015
14. Calved September 1- December 31, 2014
15. Champion Senior Heifer Ribbon
16. Reserve Champion Senior Heifer Ribbon
17. GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER Banner, Buckle, Chair
18. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER Banner, Chair

**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
RED BRANGUS HEIFERS
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENT:
Ralph Hawkins, Doug Andrews

Entry Deadline		August 25
Move-In	October 19	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 20	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 20	4:00 PM
Show	October 23	8:00 AM
Release	October 23	12:00 PM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

American Red Brangus Association, 3995 E Hwy 290, Dripping Springs, TX, 78620, (512) 858-5048

11. **VALIDATION:** This show will adhere to the Texas Youth Livestock Validation Program. Failure to abide by these rules will result in disqualification.
12. To be eligible, all heifers must be registered with the American Red Brangus Association, the International Red Brangus Breeders Association, or the International Brangus Breeders Association. The exhibitor must be a Junior Member of one of these associations.
13. Entries must have a legible firebrand or legible ear tattoos depending upon their respective association. Scurs, brindling and white in front of the navel are prohibited. Artificial coloring, false tails or tail heads are prohibited.
14. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$50; 2nd \$40; 3rd \$35; 4th \$30
15. **GRAND CHAMPION:** \$1,000; **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION:** \$500
16. **ADDITIONAL PREMIUMS FROM ASSOCIATION:** Grand Champion: \$250; Reserve Grand Champion: \$250
17. **CLASSES:**

1. Calved on or after March 1, 2016
2. Calved February 1 - February 28, 2016
3. Calved January 1 – January 31, 2016
4. Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
5. Reserve Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
6. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
7. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
8. Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015
9. Calved May 1- June 30, 2015
10. Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
11. Reserve Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
12. Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015
13. Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015
14. Calved September 1- December 31, 2014
15. Champion Senior Heifer Ribbon
16. Reserve Champion Senior Heifer Ribbon
17. GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER Banner, Buckle, Chair
18. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER Banner, Chair

**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
SANTA GERTRUDIS HEIFERS
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENTS:

Ralph Hawkins, Doug Andrews

Entry Deadline		August 25
Move-In	October 19	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 20	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 20	4:00 PM
Show	October 23	8:00 AM
Release	October 23	12:00 PM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

Santa Gertrudis Breeders International, 2205 TX-141, Kingsville, TX 78363, (361) 592-9357

1. **VALIDATION:** This show will adhere to the Texas Youth Livestock Validation Program. Failure to abide by these rules will result in disqualification.
2. To be eligible to compete in this SGBI approved show, animal(s) must be recorded in the name of the junior member
3. Animals must be officially registered with SGBI and have an official SGBI Registration Certificate to be eligible to show. All animals must be individually identified by tattoo, numerical fire or freeze brand.
4. SGBI reserves the right to tooth animals without prior notice to exhibitor to verify age of cattle.
5. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$50; 2nd \$40; 3rd \$35; 4th \$30
6. **GRAND CHAMPION:** \$1,000; **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION:** \$500
7. **CLASSES:**
 1. Calved on or after April 1, 2016
 2. Calved March 1 – March 31, 2016
 3. Calved February 1 - February 28, 2016
 4. Calved January 1 – January 31, 2016
 5. Champion Heifer Calf
 6. Reserve Champion Heifer Calf
 7. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
 8. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
 9. Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015
 10. Calved May 1- June 30, 2015
 11. Champion Junior Heifer
 12. Reserve Champion Junior Heifer
 13. Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015
 14. Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015
 15. Calved October 1- December 31, 2014
 16. Calved July 1, 2014 – September 31, 2014
 17. Champion Senior Heifer
 18. Reserve Champion Senior Heifer
 19. GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER
 20. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER
 21. Best of Polled Female

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**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
SHORTHORN HEIFERS
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENT:

Jason Cleere, Joe Mask,
Randall Williams, Jason Hendricks
Radale Tiner

Entry Deadline		August 25
Move-In	October 12	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 13	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 13	4:00 PM
Show	October 16	8:00 AM
Release	October 16	12:00 PM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

American Shorthorn Association, 8288 Hascall St, Omaha, NE, 68124, (402) 393-7200

6. **VALIDATION:** This show will adhere to the Texas Youth Livestock Validation Program. Failure to abide by these rules will result in disqualification.
7. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$50; 2nd \$40; 3rd \$35; 4th \$30
8. **GRAND CHAMPION:** \$1,000; **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION:** \$500
9. **CLASSES:**
 1. Calved on or after March 1, 2016
 2. Calved February 1 - February 28, 2016
 3. Calved January 1 – January 31, 2016
 4. Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
 5. Reserve Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
 6. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
 7. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
 8. Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015
 9. Calved May 1- June 30, 2015
 10. Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
 11. Reserve Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
 12. Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015
 13. Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015
 14. Calved September 1- December 31, 2014
 15. Champion Senior Heifer Ribbon
 16. Reserve Champion Senior Heifer Ribbon
 17. GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER Banner, Buckle, Chair
 18. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER Banner, Chair

**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
SIMBRAH HEIFERS
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENTS:
Ralph Hawkins, Doug Andrews

Entry Deadline		August 25
Move-In	October 19	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 20	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 20	4:00 PM
Show	October 22	8:00 AM
Release	October 23	8:00 AM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

Texas Simmental-Simbrah Association, 501 N. Main St, Cleburne, TX, 76033 (817) 558-6651

1. **VALIDATION:** This show will adhere to the Texas Youth Livestock Validation Program. Failure to abide by these rules will result in disqualification.
2. Entries must be Purebred Simbrah (5/8 Simmental, 3/8 Brahman) and registered with the American Simmental Association.
3. Exhibitors agree that any animal shown in this show and registered with the American Simmental Association may be subject to a blood typing test or DNA test to verify parentage. For and in consideration of the opportunity to participate in any show in which the Texas Junior Simmental/Simbrah Association provides premium monies, each exhibitor hereby releases TJSSA, its officers, directors, and representatives from negligence, any and all claims, suits and judgement past, present or future, arising from or connected with the administration or use of such test or examination and resulting decision there from. Samples will be taken by an unbiased third party. If a recorded parent is excluded as a parent as the result of an above mentioned test, the owner may request, at his or her own expense, further determination of the actual parent. Failure to determine the sire and/or dam will result in the animal being disqualified from premiums provided by the TJSSA and the animal will be ineligible to compete in future shows in which the TJSSA provides premium monies.
4. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$50; 2nd \$40; 3rd \$35; 4th \$30
5. **GRAND CHAMPION:** \$1,000; **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION:** \$500
6. **CLASSES:**
 1. Calved on or after March 1, 2016
 2. Calved February 1 - February 28, 2016
 3. Calved January 1 – January 31, 2016
 4. Champion Heifer Calf
 5. Reserve Champion Heifer Calf
 6. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
 7. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
 8. Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015
 9. Calved May 1- June 30, 2015
 10. Champion Junior Heifer
 11. Reserve Champion Junior Heifer
 12. Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015
 13. Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015
 14. Calved September 1- December 31, 2014
 15. Champion Senior Heifer
 16. Reserve Champion Senior Heifer
 17. GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER
 18. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER

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Banner, Buckle, Chair
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**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
SIMMENTAL HEIFERS
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENTS:
Ralph Hawkins, Doug Andrews,

Entry Deadline		August 25
Move-In	October 19	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 20	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 20	4:00 PM
Show	October 22	8:00 AM
Release	October 23	8:00 AM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

Texas Simmental-Simbrah Association, 501 N. Main St, Cleburne, TX, 76033 (817) 558-6651 .

1. **VALIDATION:** This show will adhere to the Texas Youth Livestock Validation Program. Failure to abide by these rules will result in disqualification.
2. Entries must be Purebred Simmental and registered with the American Simmental Association.
3. Exhibitors agree that any animal shown in this show and registered with the American Simmental Association may be subject to a blood typing test or DNA test to verify parentage. For and in consideration of the opportunity to participate in any show in which the Texas Junior Simmental/Simbrah Association provides premium monies, each exhibitor hereby releases TJSSA, its officers, directors, and representatives from negligence, any and all claims, suits and judgement past, present or future, arising from or connected with the administration or use of such test or examination and resulting decision there from. Samples will be taken by an unbiased third party. If a recorded parent is excluded as a parent as the result of an above mentioned test, the owner may request, at his or her own expense, further determination of the actual parent. Failure to determine the sire and/or dam will result in the animal being disqualified from premiums provided by the TJSSA and the animal will be ineligible to compete in future shows in which the TJSSA provides premium monies.
4. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$50; 2nd \$40; 3rd \$35; 4th \$30
5. **GRAND CHAMPION:** \$1,000; **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION:** \$500
6. **CLASSES:**
 1. Calved on or after March 1, 2016
 2. Calved February 1 - February 28, 2016
 3. Calved January 1 – January 31, 2016
 4. Champion Heifer Calf
 5. Reserve Champion Heifer Calf
 6. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
 7. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
 8. Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015
 9. Calved May 1- June 30, 2015
 10. Champion Junior Heifer
 11. Reserve Champion Junior Heifer
 12. Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015
 13. Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015
 14. Calved September 1- December 31, 2014
 15. Champion Senior Heifer
 16. Reserve Champion Senior Heifer
 17. GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER
 18. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER

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**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
STAR 5 HEIFERS
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENTS:
Ralph Hawkins, Doug Andrews

Entry Deadline		August 25
Move-In	October 19	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 20	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 20	4:00 PM
Show	October 22	8:00 AM
Begin Release	October 23	8:00 AM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

Santa Gertrudis Breeders International, 2205 TX-141, Kingsville, TX 78363, (361) 592-9357

1. **VALIDATION:** This show will adhere to the Texas Youth Livestock Validation Program. Failure to abide by these rules will result in disqualification.
2. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$50; 2nd \$40; 3rd \$35; 4th \$30
3. **GRAND CHAMPION:** \$500; **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION:** \$250
4. **CLASSES:**
 1. Calved on or after March 1, 2016
 2. Calved February 1 - February 28, 2016
 3. Calved January 1 – January 31, 2016
 4. Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
 5. Reserve Champion Heifer Calf Ribbon
 6. Calved November 1 – December 31, 2015
 7. Calved September 1 – October 31, 2015
 8. Calved July 1 – August 31, 2015
 9. Calved May 1- June 30, 2015
 10. Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
 11. Reserve Champion Junior Heifer Ribbon
 12. Calved March 1 – April 30, 2015
 13. Calved January 1 – February 28, 2015
 14. Calved September 1- December 31, 2014
 15. Champion Senior Heifer Ribbon
 16. Reserve Champion Senior Heifer Ribbon
 17. GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER Banner, Buckle, Chair
 18. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER Banner, Chair

**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
DAIRY HEIFERS
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENT:
Sue Ann Claudon, Carrie Cherney,
Laura Lennon, Joe D Brand

Entry Deadline		August 25
Move-In	October 20	6:00 PM
Checked-In	October 21	2:00 PM
Show	October 22	8:00 AM
Release	October 23	3:00 PM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

- RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this department shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations and Youth Livestock Show and Events Special Rules.
- BREEDS OFFERED:** Brown Swiss, Holstein, Jersey, and ORB (Guernsey, Milking Shorthorn, Ayrshire)
- The State Fair of Texas reserves the right to use any Dairy Cattle for the Dairy Judging Contest.
- ENTRY LIMITATION:** There is no limitation to the number of entries in this division.
- SPONSORED ENTRIES (scramble heifers):** Youth exhibiting animals sponsored by other shows or organizations which are retaining the registration papers must obtain a photocopy of the registration papers, or the papers themselves. In case of photocopies, both sides of the papers must be copied and presented to the Superintendent. Name of show or organization must be officially shown on the papers by letterhead or official seal/logo. If the rules of the sponsoring organization prevent the transfer of registration papers to the exhibitor until certain obligations are met, a notarized certification must (1) state this fact and (2) give date the animal was awarded to the exhibitor. The date of awarding must be not later than the ownership deadline.
- OWNERSHIP:** Animals must be owned by and registered in the name of the exhibitor not later than June 30 of the current year. Animals owned in joint names are not eligible to compete. Entries must have been fed, fitted, and cared for continuously by the exhibitor from June 30 until shown at the Fair. Ownership date on registration paper will be interpreted as follows:

Ayrshire	date issued or transfer date
Brown Swiss	date registered or date of sale
Guernsey	date recorded or date transfer received
Holstein	date issued or transfer date
Jersey	date registered or date recorded
Milking Shorthorn	date issued

 - If "date of sale" appears on certificate, it will be accepted as the date of ownership.
 - If the official date on the certificate is later than June 30, entry will be eligible to show, **provided exhibitor has in hand a letter from the association involved, stating that registration application was received in the association office before June 20.**
 - Bred-and-Owned Heifers** are a partial exception to the Ownership rule. Bred-and-owned heifers must be recorded with the respective breed association and exhibitor have in hand (at check-in time) a valid, original certificate of registration dated on or before August 25 with the exhibitor listed as the only breeder and owner.
- Clothing worn into the arena may not bear any insignia or writing other than the FFA/4-H emblem.**
- PREMIUMS:** 1st \$60; 2nd \$55; 3rd \$50; 4th \$45; 5th \$40
- CHAPTER/COUNTY:** 1st \$125; 2nd \$100; 3rd \$75
- CLASSES:**
 - Spring Heifer Calf, born March 1 – May 31, 2016
 - Winter Heifer Calf, born December 1, 2015 – February 28, 2016
 - Fall Heifer Calf, born September 1 – November 30, 2015
 - Summer Yearling Heifer, born June 1 – August 31, 2015
 - Spring Yearling Heifer, born March 1 – May 31, 2015
 - Winter Yearling Heifer, not in milk, born December 1, 2014 – February 28, 2015
 - Fall Yearling Heifer, not in milk, born September 1 – November 31, 2014
 - Junior Champion Female

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| 9. Reserve Junior Champion Female | Ribbon |
| 10. Junior Two Year Old Cow born March 1 – August 31, 2014 | |
| 11. Two Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2013 – February 28, 2014 | |
| 12. Three Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2012 – August 31, 2013 | |
| 13. Four Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2011 – August 31, 2012 | |
| 14. Aged Cow, born on or before August 31, 2011 | |
| 15. Senior Champion Female | Ribbon |
| 16. Reserve Senior Champion Female | Ribbon |
| 17. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE | Banner, Buckle |
| 18. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE | Banner, Chair |
| 19. SUPREME CHAMPION FEMALE | |
| 20. RESERVE SUPREME CHAMPION FEMALE | |
| 21G. Youth Dairy Herd: 5 animals of the same breed; all shown in their age class, owned by 3 or more exhibitors from the same FFA Chapter or 4-H Club. One entry per breed per FFA Chapter or 4-H Club. | |
| 22G. Brown Swiss Dairy Herd | Banner |
| 23G. Holstein Dairy Herd | Banner |
| 24G. Jersey Dairy Herd | Banner |
| 25G. ORB Dairy Herd | Banner |

11. **SHOWMANSHIP:** Showmanship exhibitors must show animals that they exhibited in the appropriate class. Exhibitors will be broken into age divisions as of September 1.
- Junior 8-10 years old
 - Intermediate 11-13 years old
 - Senior 14-18 years old

CHAMPION PREMIUMS:

Lone Star Milk Producers will sponsor a \$500 premium for Grand Champion Jersey Female.

Select Milk Producers will sponsor a \$500 premium for Grand Champion Holstein Female.

Martindale Feed Company will sponsor a \$500 premium for Grand Champion Brown Swiss Female.

Alliance Bank will sponsor a \$250 premium for Grand Champion Guernsey/Other Female.

ADDITIONAL AWARDS:

American Jersey Cattle Association, 6486 E. Main St., Reynoldsburg, OH 43068, (614) 861-3636, furnishes 1st – 3rd place ribbons for each Jersey age class.

Holstein Foundation, P.O. Box 816, Brattleboro, VT 05302, (802) 451-4124, furnishes 1st – 5th place ribbons for each Holstein age class and Champion and Reserve Champion ribbons.

**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
BREEDING GILTS
SUNDAY OCTOBER 2, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENTS:

Ervin Homann, Jennifer Martin
Tate Rosenbusch, Dan Reed

Entry Deadline		August 25
Move-In	September 29	8:00 AM
Checked-In	September 30	6:00 PM
Skill-A-Thon	October 1	9:00 AM
Showmanship	October 2	8:00 AM
Show	October 2	Following showmanship
Release	October 2	9:00 AM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

1. **RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this division shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations and Department Requirements as published in this premium list.
2. **ENTRY LIMITATION:** There will be no entry limitations per breed or per class in this event.
3. **ADMISSION/PARKING:** Each youth exhibitor will receive one complimentary admission pass.
4. **OWNERSHIP:** All entries must be owned and continuously cared for by the exhibitor from June 30 through the show date of the Fair. The date of purchase shall be construed to be the date transfer is recorded with the record association.
5. **REGISTRATION:** Animals owned in joint names are not eligible to compete in the Gilt Show. Animals with farm or ranch names listed as the owner will not be allowed to compete. Stamped duplicate applications will NOT be accepted.
6. **CLASSES:** All animals should be born no earlier than January 1, 2016 and no later than April 30, 2016. Classes will be broken as evenly as possible with approximately four classes per breed according to birthdate.
7. **BREEDS:** Berkshire, Chester White, Duroc, Hampshire, Landrace, Poland China, Spotted, and Yorkshire
8. **SHOWMANSHIP:** Showmanship exhibitors must show animals that they exhibited in the appropriate class. Exhibitors will be broken into age divisions as of September 1. Entry fee for these classes is \$10 per exhibitor.

A. Junior, 8-10	Banner, Boot Certificate
B. Intermediate, 11-13	Banner, Boot Certificate
C. Senior, 14-18	Banner, Boot Certificate
9. **AWARDS:**

Breed Champions	\$175, Buckle, Banner
Reserve Breed Champions	\$50, Banner
Supreme Champion	\$1,000, Banner
Reserve Grand Champion	\$500, Banner
10. **PREMIUMS:** 1st \$40; 2nd \$35; 3rd \$30; 4th \$25

**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
ANGORA GOATS
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENTS:

Gene Dickerson, Darlene Watkins
Rhonda Berry

Entry Deadline		August 25
Move-In	October 12	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 13	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 13	4:00 PM
Show	October 16	10:00 AM
Release	October 16	11:00 AM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

- 10. RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this division shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations and Youth Livestock Show and Contest Special Rules as published in this premium list.
- 18. OWNERSHIP:** All entries must be owned and continuously cared for by the exhibitor from June 30 through the show date of the Fair. The date of purchase shall be construed to be the date transfer is recorded with the record association.
- 11. REGISTRATION:** Each animal shown in this show must be registered with the Angora Goat Breeders Association or American Angora Goat Registry, and bear such identification as that association requires, before entering the ring. Goats not carrying recognized identification at time of showing will be barred from competition. An original certificate of registration must be presented to the superintendent prior to the registration check deadline and kept available at all times during the show for each animal exhibited.
- 12. SHORN DATE:** Angora goats must be machine shorn to the skin on or after August 1.
- 13. IDENTIFICATION:** The judge making awards must have the clerk record ear number, ear tag or tattoo of all animals awarded prizes.
- 14. PREMIER EXHIBITOR:** Premier Exhibitor will be calculated from the exhibitor's placement in individual classes only as follows: 1st=4 pts; 2nd= 3 pts; 3rd=2 pts; 4th=1 pt.; In case of a tie, 5th place will count.
- 15. PREMIUMS:** 1st \$40 2nd \$35 3rd \$30 4th \$25
- 16. GROUP CLASS PREMIUMS:** 1st \$30 2nd \$15
- 17. CLASSES:**
1. Buck Kid, born on or after January 1, 2016
 2. Yearling Buck, born January 1-December 31, 2015
 3. Aged Buck, born on or after December 31, 2014
 4. Champion Buck Banner
 5. Reserve Champion Buck Banner
 6. Doe Kid, born on or after January 1, 2016
 7. Yearling Doe, born January 1-December 31, 2015
 8. Aged Doe, born on or after December 31, 2014
 9. Champion Doe Banner
 10. Reserve Champion Doe Banner
 11. G Pair of Kids: 2 kids; all shown in individual age class
 12. G Pair of Yearlings: 2 yearlings; all shown in individual age class
 13. G Young Herd: 3 offspring of 1 sire; 1 buck; 2 doe kids; all shown in individual age class; bred and owned by exhibitor
 14. G Breeder's Herd: 1 buck; 1 yearling or older doe; 2 doe kids; all shown in individual age class; bred and owned by exhibitor
 15. P Premier Exhibitor Banner

**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
COLORED ANGORA GOATS
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENTS:

Gene Dickerson, Darlene Watkins
Rhonda Berry

Entry Deadline		August 25
Move-In	October 12	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 13	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 13	4:00 PM
Show	October 16	10:00 AM
Release	October 16	11:00 AM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

- 18. RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this division shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations and Youth Livestock Show and Contest Special Rules as published in this premium list.
- 19. OWNERSHIP:** All angora goats must be owned by the exhibitor by June 30. The date of purchase shall be construed to be the date transfer is recorded with the record association. The breeder of an animal is the owner of the doe at the time of service. If an exhibitor showing goats in the registered classes is such a breeder, his or her kid must be registered in the exhibitor's name by opening day of the show.
- 20. REGISTRATION:** Each animal shown in this division must be registered in the Flock Books of the Colored Angora Goat Breeders Association or American Angora Goat Registry, and bear such identification as that association requires, before entering the ring. Goats not carrying recognized identification at time of showing will be barred from competition. An original certificate of registration must be presented to the superintendent prior to the registration check deadline and kept available at all times during the show for each animal exhibited.
- 21. SHORN DATE:** Angora goats must be machine shorn to the skin on or after August 1.
- 22. IDENTIFICATION:** The judge making awards must have the clerk record ear number, ear tag or tattoo of all animals awarded prizes.
- 23. PREMIER EXHIBITOR:** Premier Exhibitor will be calculated from the exhibitor's placement in individual classes only as follows: 1st=4 pts; 2nd= 3 pts; 3rd=2 pts; 4th=1 pt.; In case of a tie, 5th place will count.
- 24. PREMIUMS:** 1st \$40 2nd \$35 3rd \$30 4th \$25
- 25. GROUP CLASS PREMIUMS:** 1st \$30 2nd \$15
- 26. CLASSES:**
1. Buck Kid, born on or after January 1, 2016
 2. Yearling Buck, born January 1-December 31, 2015
 3. Aged Buck, born on or after December 31, 2014
 4. CHAMPION BUCK Banner
 5. RESERVE CHAMPION BUCK Banner
 6. Doe Kid, born on or after January 1, 2016
 7. Yearling Doe, born January 1-December 31, 2015
 8. Aged Doe, born on or after December 31, 2014
 9. CHAMPION DOE Banner
 10. RESERVE CHAMPION DOE Banner
 11. G Pair of Kids: 2 kids; all shown in individual age class
 12. G Pair of Yearlings: 2 yearlings; all shown in individual age class
 13. G Young Herd: 3 offspring of 1 sire; 1 buck; 2 doe kids; all shown in individual age class; bred and owned by exhibitor
 14. G Breeder's Herd: 1 buck; 1 yearling or older doe; 2 doe kids; all shown in individual age class; bred and owned by exhibitor
 15. P Premier Exhibitor Banner

**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
ABGA BOER GOATS
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENTS:

Gene Dickerson, Darlene Watkins
Rhonda Berry

Entry Deadline		September 1
Move-In	October 12	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 13	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 13	4:00 PM
Show	October 16	9:00 AM
Release	October 16	11:00 AM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

- 12. RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this division shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations and Youth Livestock Show and Contest Special Rules as published in this premium list.
- 13. ELIGIBILITY:** All goats must be registered in the herdbook of American Boer Goat Association (ABGA). Original registration certificates are required, though a copy of a Registration Application, stamped with the date received by ABGA, can be accepted for kids less than 3 months of age. Animals must be registered in the name of the exhibitor and must have been owned by the exhibitor on or before June 30. The term exhibitor is defined as the owner of the animal listed in the ABGA registry shown on entry deadline. All goats must be appropriately identified and comply with USDA Scrapie Eradication Program Guidelines.
- 14. ENTRY LIMITATION:** No exhibitor shall be permitted to show more than one entry in any group class. All animals shown in a group class must be shown in their individual age class.
- 15. TATTOOS:** All goats must have legible tattoos or other means of permanent identification consistent with its registration certificate or the animal will be disqualified. If the animal has a microchip as its permanent identification, the exhibitor is responsible for providing a microchip reader.
- 16. DISQUALIFICATION:** Any goat showing any pronounced defect or abnormality will be barred from showing in any of the breeding classes. Artificial coloring will be a disqualification as well as illegible tattoos or tattoos that are inconsistent with the goat's registration papers. Any doe over 24 months that has not kidded and cannot prove a current pregnancy will not be allowed to show.
- 17. HEELERS:** Heelers will not be allowed in any classes.
- 18. GROOMING:** Animals are to be shown in natural conformation and color. Grooming materials leaving any kind of residue are not permitted.
- 19. PREMIER EXHIBITOR:** Premier Exhibitor will be calculated from the exhibitor's placement in individual classes only as follows: 1st=4 pts; 2nd= 3 pts; 3rd=2 pts; 4th=1 pt.; In case of a tie, 5th place will count.
- 20. PREMIUMS:** 1st \$40; 2nd \$35; 3rd \$30; 4th \$25;
- 21. GROUP CLASSES:** 1st \$30; 2nd \$15
- 22. CLASSES:**

Percentage Boer Does

1. Junior Doe Kid, born on or after May 1, 2016
2. Intermediate Doe Kid, born February 1 – April 30, 2016
3. Senior Doe Kid, born September 1, 2015 – January 31, 2016
4. Yearling Doe, born September 1, 2014 – August 31, 2015
5. Two Year Old Doe, born September 1, 2013 – August 31, 2014
6. Aged Doe, born on or before August 31, 2013
7. GRAND CHAMPION PERCENTAGE BOER DOE Banner
8. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION PERCENTAGE BOER DOE Banner
- 9G. Best Pair of Kids: two doe kids with milk teeth; all shown in their age class.

Full blood Boer Goats

10. Junior Buck Kid, born on or after May 1, 2016
11. Intermediate Buck Kid, born February 1 – April 30, 2016
12. Senior Buck Kid, born September 1, 2015 – January 31, 2016
13. Yearling Buck, born September 1, 2014 – August 31, 2015
14. Two Year Old Buck, born September 1, 2013 – August 31, 2014
15. Aged Buck, born on or before August 31, 2013
16. GRAND CHAMPION BOER BUCK Banner

- 17. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BOER BUCK Banner
- 18. Junior Doe Kid, born on or after May 1, 2016
- 19. Intermediate Doe Kid, born February 1 – April 30, 2016
- 20. Senior Doe Kid, born September 1, 2015 – January 31, 2016
- 21. Yearling Doe, born September 1, 2014 – August 31, 2015
- 22. Two Year Old Doe, born September 1, 2013 – August 31, 2014
- 23. Aged Doe, born on or before August 31, 2013
- 24. GRAND CHAMPION BOER DOE Banner
- 25. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BOER DOE Banner
- 26G. Best Pair of Kids: two kids with milk teeth; both sexes represented; all shown in their age class.
- 27G. Best Pair of Does: two does: both shown in their age class
- 28G. Breeder's Herd: one buck; two yearling or older does; two doe kids; all with the same breeder; all shown in their age classes.
- 29P. Premier Exhibitor Banner

**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
DAIRY GOAT SHOW
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENTS:
Ginger Morrow, Terri Harris

Entry Deadline		August 25
Move-In	September 29	8:00 AM
Checked-In, Weigh-In	September 30	2:00 PM
Show	October 1	9:00 AM
Release	October 2	4:00 PM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

- RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this department shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations and Youth Livestock Show and Contest Special Rules. This is an American Dairy Goat Association® (AGDA) sanctioned show for Saanen, All Other Purebred, and Recorded Grade does. *The Junior and Senior Shows are not separately sanctioned.* ADGA rules shall govern the showing of animals not covered by State Fair of Texas Rules and Regulations.
- OWNERSHIP:** All entries must be owned and continuously cared for by the exhibitor from June 30 through the show date of the Fair. The date of purchase shall be construed to be the date transfer is recorded with the record association. The "owned by" date on the ADGA certificate will be used. Stamped duplicate applications will NOT be accepted.
- REGISTRATION:** Each animal shown in this division must be tattooed and registered solely in the name of the exhibitor, no herd names or joint ownership will be allowed. The tattoo must match the registration certificate. An original ADGA registration or recordation certificate must be presented to the superintendent prior to the registration check deadline and kept available at all times during the show for each animal exhibited. Stamped duplicate applications will NOT be accepted.
- SHOW ATTIRE:** White shirt and white pants/skirt are preferred. White shirt and black pants/skirt are acceptable.
- SHOWMANSHIP:**
 - ENTRY LIMITATION:** The animal used in showmanship must be entered and shown by the exhibitor in the Youth Dairy Goat Show.
 - AGE DIVISIONS:** Exhibitors will be broken into their class based on age as of September 1.
- WETHERS:** All wethers will be weighed and divided into three classes, equally as possible. Entries must meet the following requirements:
 - Purebred or cross wether of the following: Alpine, Lamancha, Nubian, Oberhalsi, Saanen, Toggenburg, or Nigerian Dwarf. No meat goat crosses.
 - Have temporary incisors (milk teeth) with no evidence of breaking skin or eruption of permanent front teeth.
 - Dehorned and show no secondary horn growth in excess of one inch. The judge will be assigned the responsibility of disqualifying wethers that do not meet these requirements
- PREMIER EXHIBITOR:** Premier Exhibitor will be calculated from the exhibitor's placement in individual classes only as follows: 1st=4 pts; 2nd= 3 pts; 3rd=2 pts; 4th=1 pt.; In case of a tie, 5th place will count.
- PREMIUMS:** 1st \$40, 2nd \$30, 3rd \$25, 4th \$20
- BREEDS:** Saanen, All Other Purebreds, and Recorded Grade
- SHOW ORDER:** Showmanship, Wethers, Doe Show (Saanen, AOP, Recorded Grade)
- CLASSES:**

WETHERS:

 - Lighweight
 - Middleweight
 - Heavyweight
 - Grand Champion Wether Banner, Special Award
 - Reserve Grand Champion Wether Banner

DOES:

 - Junior Kid, born on or after 4/1/2016
 - Senior Kid, born 9/1/2015-1/31/2016
 - Intermediate Kid, born 2/1-3/31/2016
 - Junior Yearling, born 3/1-8/31/2015
 - Senior Yearling, born 9/1/2014-2/28/2015
 - JUNIOR CHAMPION Banner
 - RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION Banner

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| 13. | Yearling Milker, born on or after 9/1/2014 | |
| 14. | 2 Yr Old Milker, born 9/1/2013-8/31/2014 | |
| 15. | 3 Yr Old Milker, born 9/1/2012-8/31/2013 | |
| 16. | 4 Yr Old Milker, born 9/1/2011-8/31/2012 | |
| 17. | Aged Milker, born on or before 8/31/2011 | |
| 18. | Senior Champion | Banner |
| 19. | Reserve Senior Champion | Banner |
| 20. | Grand Champion | Banner, ADGA Rosette |
| 21. | Reserve Grand Champion | Banner, ADGA Rosette |
| 22. | Best Of Show (all grand champions compete) | Special Award, Banner, Rosette |

11. SHOWMANSHIP DIVISIONS:

1. Junior 8 – 10 years old
2. Intermediate 11 -13 years old
3. Senior 14 – 18 years old

12. SHOWMANSHIP AWARDS:

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| Champion Showman | Banner, Boot Certificate |
| Reserve Champion Showman | Banner |

**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
REGISTERED BREEDING SHEEP
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENTS

Jerry Ashcraft,
John Jackson, Karen Ashcraft

Entry Deadline		August 25
Move-In	October 19	7:00 AM-7:00 PM
	October 20	7:00 AM-2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 20	2:00 PM
Showmanship	October 22	11:00 AM
Show	October 23	8:00 AM
Release	October 23	4:00 PM

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

- RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this department shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations and Youth Livestock Show and Contest Special Rules.
- ENTRY LIMITATION:** No exhibitor shall be permitted to show more than one entry in any group class. All animals shown in a group class must be shown in their individual age class.
- OWNERSHIP:** All entries must be owned and continuously cared for by the exhibitor by June 30. The date of purchase shall be construed to be the date transfer is recorded with the record association.
- REGISTRATION:** Each animal shown in this division must be registered. An original certificate of registration must be presented to the superintendent prior to the registration check deadline and kept available at all times during the show for each animal exhibited. Stamped duplicate applications will NOT be accepted.
- ASSISTANCE:** Exhibitors may be assisted in the ring ONLY by other qualified youth exhibitors.
- BREEDS OFFERED:** Dorper, White Dorper, Columbia, Merino, Dorset, Rambouillet, Southdown, Hampshire, Suffolk.
- BREED SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS:**
 - Dorset: Entries in the Dorset division are subject to inspection.
 - Rambouillet: Yearlings must be slick shorn with a machine on or after March 20 of current year.
 - Dorper ewes must be at least 7/8 blood and will show with full blood South African ewes
 - Dorper rams must be at least 15/16 blood and will show with full blood South African rams.
 - Medium wools, Dorper, and White Dorper must be slick shorn within one week prior to the show.
 - Ewes and rams must show in the division designated to their specific breed.
- PREMIER EXHIBITOR:** Premier Exhibitor will be calculated from the exhibitor's placement in individual classes only as follows: 1st= 4 pts, 2nd=3 pts, 3rd=2 pts, and 4th=1 pt. In case of a tie, 5th place will count.
- SHOWMANSHIP:** Showmanship exhibitors must show animals that they exhibited in the appropriate class. Exhibitors will be broken into age divisions as of September 1.
 - Junior 8-10 years old
 - Intermediate 11-13 years old
 - Senior 14-18 years old
- PREMIUMS:** 1st \$35; 2nd \$30; 3rd \$25; 4th \$20
- GROUP CLASSES:** 1st \$30; 2nd \$15
- AWARDS:**

Grand Champion, each breed	\$100, Banner
Reserve Grand Champion, each breed	\$50, Banner
Premier Exhibitor	Banner, Buckle, Gear Bag
- CLASSES:**

RAMS

- Spring Ram Lamb, born on or after January 1, 2016
- Fall Ram Lamb, born Sept. 1 - Dec. 31, 2015
- Pair of Ram Lambs: Two ram lambs; all shown in their age class; owned by exhibitor.
- Yearling Ram, born Sept. 1, 2014 - Aug. 31, 2015
- CHAMPION RAM Banner
- RESERVE CHAMPION RAM Banner

EWES

- 7. Spring Ewe Lamb, born on or after January 1, 2016
- 8. Fall Ewe Lamb, born Sept. 1- Dec.31, 2015
- 9. Pair of Ewe Lambs: Two ewe lambs; all shown in their age class; owned by exhibitor.
- 10. Yearling Ewe, born Sept. 1, 2014 - Aug. 31, 2015
- 11. CHAMPION EWE
- 12. RESERVE CHAMPION EWE

Banner

Banner

GROUP CLASSES:

- 13G. Lamb Flock: 1 ram lamb; two ewe lambs' all shown in their age class; owned by exhibitor.
- 14G. Exhibitors Flock: 1 ram, 2 yearling ewes; 2 ewe lambs; all shown in age class; owned by one exhibitor.
- 15G. Premier Exhibitor (all breeds competing)

* Lambs must have milk teeth

**Yearlings may have as many as four permanent teeth.

**YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW
BREEDING RABBITS
SATURDAY & SUNDAY, OCTOBER 15-16, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENTS:
Gay Sparks, Patti Walthrop

Entry Deadline		September 1
Move-In	October 14	8:00 AM
Checked-In	October 14	6:00 PM
Show	October 15	9:00 AM
Show	October 16	8:00 AM
Release	October 16	3:00 PM

Sanctioned by:
American Rabbit Breeders Association, Inc.
Texas Rabbit Breeders Association

SHOW REQUIREMENTS

For points to count in the TRBA Sweepstakes series, exhibitor must be a member of the TRBA before the show starts.

- 19. RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this division shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations and Department Requirements as published in this premium list.
- 20.** The State Fair of Texas reserves the right to refuse entries from exhibitors placing an entry from all locations within 150 miles which has had a confirmed outbreak of RCV/RHD/VHD within the past 60 days of the entry deadline.
- 21. OWNERSHIP:** All rabbits must be owned by the exhibitor by September 1 prior to the show date of the Fair. If all entries in a class are owned by one (1) exhibitor or his immediate family, only one (1) premium will be paid.
- 22. EAR MARKS:** All stock must have permanent and legible ear marks in left ear.
- 23. COOPS:** All entries will be expected to be in their assigned coops at all times during the show except when on the judging table.
- 24. BREEDING:** No breeding will be allowed in the show room.
- 25. COMMENT CARDS AND RIBBONS:** Exhibitors must pick up comment cards and ribbons from the Secretary before leaving. They will not be mailed.
- 26. SUBSTITUTIONS:** Substitutions will be allowed only in the same breed, class, sex and color.
- 27. MEAT PENS AND LITTERS:** No meat pens or does and litters will be allowed in the show.
- 28. RELEASES:** No releases will be written until Sunday.
- 29. DIRECTED SPECIALS:** To qualify for Directed Specials, there must be at least ten (10) rabbits entered in every breed.
- 30. FUR CLASSES:** A separate entry fee must be paid for the fur classes.
- 31.** All exhibitors are responsible for presenting their animals at the judging table.
- 32. JUDGING:** Rabbits will be judged by coop number.
- 33. GROOMING TABLES AND CHAIRS WILL BE ALLOWED IN DESIGNATED AREAS ONLY.**
- 34.** All exhibitors are responsible for feeding and watering their own animals.
- 35. POINT SYSTEM:** All displays will be determined by the ARBA point system as follows:
 - 1st: 6 points x number of rabbits in class
 - 2nd: 4 points x number of rabbits in class
 - 3rd: 3 points x number of rabbits in class
 - 4th: 2 points x number of rabbits in class
 - 5th: 1 point x number of rabbits in class

36. CLASSES OFFERED:

Breeds maturing under eight pounds:

Junior Buck
Junior Doe
Senior Buck
Senior Doe

Breeds maturing over eight pounds:

Junior Buck
Junior Doe
6/8 Buck
6/8 Doe
Senior Buck
Senior Doe

Fur Classes:

Breed Fur
White Satin
Colored Satin
White Rex
Colored Rex

YOUTH RABBIT PREMIUM SCHEDULE

		1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th
20 or more shown	A:	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$7	\$6
10-19 shown	B:	\$10	\$8	\$7	\$6	
4 - 9 shown	C:	\$8	\$7	\$6		
1 - 3 shown		Ribbon				
Best in Show		Rosette				
Best of Breed		Rosette				
Best Opposite Sex		Rosette				

DIRECTED SPECIALS

All breeds having entries of ten (10) or more will be paid the following directed specials:

Best of Breed	\$25
Best Opposite Sex	\$15

SHOW DISPLAY AWARDS

The following will be paid by the State Fair of Texas as Show Display Awards. All breeds will compete and sweepstake points will count.

Best Display in Show	\$30
2 nd Best Display	\$25
3 rd Best Display	\$20
4 th Best Display	\$15
5 th Best Display	\$10

FUR CLASSES

The following premiums will be paid provided ten (10) or more are shown in a class.

1 st	\$5
2 nd	\$3
3 rd	\$2

YOUTH DIVISION SANCTIONED BREEDS

- American Dutch Rabbit Club
- American Federation of New Zealand Rabbit Breeders
- American Netherland Dwarf Rabbit Club
- American Polish Rabbit Club
- American Satin Rabbit Breeders Association
- American Thrianta Rabbit Breeders Association
- Californian Rabbit Specialty Club
- Florida White Rabbit Breeders Association
- Havana Rabbit Breeders Association
- Holland Lop Rabbit Specialty Club
- Lop Rabbit Club Of America, Inc.
- National Federation of Flemish Giant Rabbit Breeders, Inc.
- National Jersey Wooly Rabbit Club
- National Mini Rex Rabbit Club
- The North American Lionhead Rabbit Club
- Palomino Rabbit Co-Breeders Association


**4-H/FFA/FCCLA
AGRICULTURAL MECHANICS
PROJECT SHOW AND TRACTOR RESTORATION CONTEST
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENT
Kelly Kimmey, Ted Ford

Entry deadline		September 1
Move-In	October 12	2:00 PM
Checked-In	October 12	7:00 PM
Judge – Tractor Restoration (Mechanical)	Upon Offloading	7:00 PM
Judging	October 13	8:00 AM
Awards	October 13	5:30 PM
Release	October 13	7:00 PM

This show will be governed by the General and Youth Rules and Regulations of the State Fair of Texas and the following special rules. The purpose of this show is to provide an opportunity for 4-H and FFA members to display projects constructed in agricultural mechanics labs; to promote the development of skills in agricultural mechanics through competition; to recognize individual and group accomplishments in the area of agricultural mechanics; and to provide an opportunity for public appreciation of this important phase of 4-H and FFA Youth Programs.

CONTEST REQUIREMENTS

1. **ELIGIBILITY:** Entries in this division are limited to Texas FFA and 4-H members. Entries must be included on the official group summary sheet submitted by the CEA or AST. Projects exhibited must have been constructed by FFA and 4-H members under direct supervision of the CEA or AST, either as a part of their agricultural mechanics instruction in agricultural science or as a part of their supervised work experience program. **Each exhibitor is required to return a Youth Entry Certification Form.**
2. **OWNERSHIP:** Projects may have been individually or group constructed and may be individually or chapter owned.
3. **CLUB ENTRIES:** Entries made in the name of FFA Chapters or 4-H Clubs are not eligible. All projects must be entered in the names of the exhibitors who participated in planning and construction of the project.
4. **ENTRY LIMITATION:** Each exhibitor may enter two individual projects and no more than one per class. Each group of students may enter no more than two group constructed projects and may have no more than one entry in any project class. No individual exhibitor may enter more than four projects total.
5. **INELIGIBLE PROJECTS:** Any project that does not fit into one of the stated classes will be disqualified by the Show committee.
6. **SUBSTITUTIONS:** All project substitutions must be made at check in with the superintendent. Substitutions will not be allowed after check-in. See Youth Show Rules for exhibitor substitution rules.
7. **CONSTRUCTION DATE (AG MECH):** A project can be exhibited only one time at the State Fair of Texas. All projects must be started on or after April 1, 2015.
8. **RESTORATION DATE (TRACTORS):** A tractor can be exhibited only one time at the State Fair of Texas. All restoration projects must be started on or after October 1, 2015.
9. **EXHIBIT SPACE:** Due to limited exhibit space, please note your space requirements on your entry form. Final space allotment is at the superintendent's discretion.
10. **PROJECT PRESENTATION:** All projects must be painted or properly treated and must be clean and in a presentable condition, even though they may have been used. Due to limited exhibit space, trailers and other equipment are to be displayed in transport position. Operation of ramps, extensions, and other special features may be demonstrated only as directed by the official judges and as space permits. No additional floor space will be provided for podiums, chairs, tables, show boxes, etc. No touch up painting of any type will be allowed.
11.  **ELECTRICITY:** There will be limited electrical supply provided by the show. Equipment should have an internal power supply for demonstrations
12. **EXHIBITOR PRESENTATION/SHOWMANSHIP:** Exhibitors should be dressed appropriately and be with their project when it is judged. Exhibitors should be courteous and helpful to those viewing their project, including those exhibiting next to them. Exhibitors should not interfere with or shield those who are exhibiting next to them. Exhibitors should be available to answer questions when their project is being judged. Knowledge of the project will be evaluated at this time. Exhibitors should be well informed of the project they are representing, but should not be boisterous or argumentative. Exhibitors should provide any equipment that may be necessary to judge their project (flashlights, mat or creeper for judging projects that the judge would need to get underneath such as trailers). Exhibitors may be requested to hold measuring tape and assist the judge in making measurements on projects. An anonymous judge will award showmanship.

12. **TRAILER REGISTRATION:** Current registration plates or one trip permits and paper plates are required on all trailers that are towed to the project show. Hauled trailers will be exempt from this rule.
13. **DOCUMENTATION:** An original (exhibitor drawn) plan and drawing, a bill of materials and photographs showing all phases of construction are to be provided with projects. TxDOT and/or ASABE regulations and specifications are to be provided as they apply to individual projects. Display of plans, photos, etc. must be done in such a manner that no additional floor space is required. Stands, podiums, etc. will be permitted only when they can be positioned on or under the project.
14. **PROJECT SAFETY:** Appropriate and safe display stands must be provided for gates, panels, and other projects that need support. Sharp edges and points, such as found on self feeder roofs, bale movers, etc. are to be padded or covered as necessary to prevent injury. All trailers and other equipment that is to be operated and/or transported on public roads are to be equipped with safety equipment specified in Title 7, Vehicles and Traffic Transportation Code of Texas Statutes, Specific chapters regarding width (621.201), lights and reflectors (545.106, 547.324 and 547.331), brakes (547.401), length (621.201) and inspection (621.204) are to be adhered to. Any trailer that exceeds 102 inches in width must have a signed permit. All towed equipment, regardless of standards, is to be equipped with safety chains. All three-point hitch and P.T.O. operated equipment are to meet current ASABE standards. The IMS WEB page will provide information on how to access or acquire TxDOT Equipment and Vehicle Registrations, and ASABE Standards. (www-ims.tamu.edu)
15. **ELECTRICAL SAFETY:** All 120 VAC and higher electrical plugs and receptacles are to be the equipment grounding type. All metal components are to be grounded. Ground fault circuit interrupters (GFCI) shall be provided for all 120 VAC receptacles. All 50 VAC and higher connections are to be protected in appropriate indoor or outdoor rated enclosures.
16. **GENERAL SAFETY:** Flammable and/or combustible liquids shall not be used, stored or sprayed inside any State Fair of Texas® building at any time. This shall include, but is not limited to, enamel paints, thinners, reducers, gasoline or any other petroleum based liquids. All liquids must be in properly labeled original containers. All compressed gas cylinders shall be properly secured in place. Hand wheels are to be removed. Protective caps installed and taped. No regulators or hoses are to be installed at any time. No extension cords allowed.
17. **OFFLOADING ASSISTANCE:** If the project can be removed safely from the trailer, the State Fair of Texas will provide assistance to unload the project. Unloading assistance is left to the discretion of the Superintendents.
18. **PROJECTS WITH ENGINES:** There is to be no more than two gallons of fuel in any fuel tank. The fuel tank cap is to be in place and sealed with tape. The battery is to be disconnected. This applies to all engines in the exhibit area.
19. **VEHICLES:** Tractors, truck or other vehicles (including non-entered trailers) are not allowed in the exhibit area as part of the display.
20. **PROJECT COMPLETENESS:** All projects should be complete including finish. Any item, necessary for use of the project, must be a part of it (example: hinges and latches on gates and panels) including documentation.
21. **SIGNS:** All projects are to be identified with standard club exhibitor cards. Additional signs, banners, etc. are encouraged, but are subject to approval by the Committee. No "For Sale" signs will be permitted.
22. **LOSS OR DAMAGE:** Every precaution will be taken to protect the projects entered; however, neither the SFT, its management, superintendents nor judges of this Division will be responsible for any loss or damage to projects.
23. **JUDGING CRITERIA for projects, excluding Tractor Restoration:**

CRITERIA	POINTS
Workmanship (including finish)	30
Design and Materials used (including practical)	20
Documentation	20
Knowledge of project (response to questions)	20
Degree of Difficulty	10
Total:	100

Blue Ribbon 90-100 Points / Red Ribbon 80-90 Points / White Ribbon 70-80 Points

Failure to provide all required documentation and information will result in projects being lowered one classification.

24. **TRACTOR RESTORATION:**
 - a. No yard tractors or riding lawnmowers.
 - b. Tractors with steel lugs – Exhibitors must provide mats or lumber/plywood to serve as runners to protect asphalt and concrete from damage.
 - c. Tractor Serial Number must be included with Description on Entry Form.
25. Judging Criteria for Tractor Restoration projects:
 - a. **Aesthetics: 15 points.** Overall appearance of tractor, including workmanship and finish. Items that will be considered include, but are not limited to the following:
 - Metal preparation prior to painting

- Completeness of all sheet metal
 - Painting and finish
 - Detail and completeness of components – steering wheels, seats, decals, instrument panels, wiring harness, etc.
- b. **Authentic: 10 points.** Must be as original as possible. To include:
- Paint color, fasteners, and other components such as magnetos, carburetors, exhaust systems
 - Mechanical systems, fuel, electrical, engine, transmission, final drive, cooling, etc.
 - Serial plates in place with unaltered serial numbers
- c. **Mechanical: 40 points.** To include the mechanical restoration of all systems including: (some tractors may not have all systems)
- Engine, transmission, final drive
 - Fuel, cooling, ignition, lighting, exhaust, charging, starting, hydraulic and steering systems
 - Exhibitors will be asked to start the tractor and drive it, demonstrating all gears along with systems (hydraulics, lights, brakes, etc.). Driving and mechanical evaluation will be done outside when offloading on Monday. Exhibitors may be asked to move tractors back outside for additional driving and mechanical evaluation on Tuesday.
 - A Mechanical Check Sheet, which tractor judges use in their evaluation, will be posted on the website as soon as it becomes available. These score sheets will include (a) Checks on Systems – engine – transmission – final drive – brakes/steering – lights/safety equipment – cranking/charging and PTO/lift/hydraulics; (b) example question that could be used in interviewing exhibitors to ascertain their knowledge; and (c) observations made when tractors are driven.
- d. **Safety Equipment: 5 points.** All equipment that was original to the tractor should be in place (includes all shields and decals). Tractor must be in safe operating condition. To exhibit a tractor, the following safety considerations must be followed:
- No more than 2 gallons of fuel in the fuel tank
 - Neat and functional drip pans containing floor absorbent material (cat litter) to collect any coolant, oil, or hydraulics that may drip from the tractor
 - Fuel shut off valves, under all fuel tanks, must be functional and all tractors must be exhibited with these valves off
 - An approved ABC fire extinguisher with a minimum of 5 lb. capacity must be provided and placed near the tractor
 - Tractors may be started only at the request of show officials
- e. **Documentation: 15 points.** Documentation must be typed (recommend word processor or spreadsheet) and include the following: (The National FFA Tractor Restoration Competition documentation format may be used.)
- One page description of the overall restoration project
 - Expense report identifying all costs involved in the restoration
 - Photos (before, during, after) – Safe working environments should be depicted in all photos
 - Mechanic's report detailing all mechanical work performed
- All documentation is to be arranged in a three-ring notebook, divided and sequenced with a table of contents and page numbers.
- f. **Knowledge: 10 points.** Judges will ask questions to determine the exhibitor/exhibitors knowledge of and involvement in the restoration.
- g. **Presentation: 5 points.** Showmanship includes meeting public, eye contact, introduction, and enthusiasm for describing tractor, articulate and assuring confidence.

DIVISIONS

AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT CLASSES

1. Hay handling equipment
2. Spraying equipment
3. Mounted and pull type tractor equipment
4. Hydraulic equipment
5. Shop equipment
6. Truck, tractor, and agriculture equipment accessories
7. Division Champion
8. Reserve Division Champion

ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT

9. Show and livestock equipment

10. Shop tools and equipment
11. Division Champion
12. Reserve Division Champion

LIVESTOCK EQUIPMENT

13. Gates and livestock panels
14. Squeeze chutes and restraining equipment
15. Trim chutes, blocking stands, livestock crates and headgates
16. Feeders – includes self and creep feeders
17. Other livestock equipment
18. Division Champion
19. Reserve Division Champion

TRAILER

20. Bumper Pull Utility – 10 ft. and under
21. Bumper Pull Utility – Over 10 to 16 ft.
22. Bumper Pull Utility – Over 16 ft.
23. Bumper Pull Stock – all lengths
24. Gooseneck Lowboy – bed between wheels
25. Gooseneck Flatbed/Float – bed over wheels
26. Gooseneck Stock Trailer – all lengths
27. Multibale
28. Other trailers – includes: welder trailers, dump bed (including hydraulic dump), cargo, and over wide trailers (more than 102 inches). All flatbed (bed over wheels) bumper pull trailers regardless of size.
29. Division Champion
30. Reserve Division Champion

RECREATIONAL PROJECT CLASSES

31. Barbecue Pits and Smokers – Stationary
32. Barbecue Pits and Smokers – Pull Type
33. Hunting equipment
34. Home Décor
35. Other
36. Division Champion
37. Reserve Division Champion

WILDLIFE EQUIPMENT

38. Wildlife Feeders
39. Traps
40. Hunting Stands
41. Other
42. Division Champion
43. Reserve Division Champion
- 44. Grand Champion Project**
- 45. Reserve Grand Champion Project**

TRACTOR RESTORATION (This division is separate from the divisions listed above.)

46. Tractors 1950 and older
47. Tractors 1951 – 1960
48. Tractors 1961 – 1990
49. Champion Tractor
50. Reserve Champion Tractor

Awards will be also be given to: Showmanship Group and Showmanship Individual

**4-H/FFA/FCCLA
DAIRY JUDGING CONTEST
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENT

Johnny Lennon

Entry deadline		September 1
Registration	October 22	2:00 PM
Contest	October 22	3:00 PM
Awards Presentation	October 22	4:30 PM

CONTEST REQUIREMENTS

- ELIGIBILITY:** Contestants must be bona fide 4-H or FFA members enrolled in public or private schools in Texas. All members from a team must be from the same county if entered by a CEA, or from the same school if entered by an AST. **Any contestant violating any rule will be disqualified from the contest along with his/her team.** If the eligibility of any student is protested, such protest must be made in writing at the Livestock Office the day of the contest before the contest begins. The protest must be accompanied by a check in the amount of \$100, which will be returned if the protest is sustained. If the protest is not sustained, the \$100 protest fee shall be forfeited. **Each exhibitor is required to return a Youth Judging Contest Liability and Indemnity Form.**
- TEAMS:** One (1) to four (4) students may constitute a team in this contest. Clubs/Chapters can enter individuals and/or teams. Contestants entered as individuals, and not teams, will be ineligible for Team Awards. Contestant names and birthdates will be submitted the morning of the contest at registration. Team scores will be determined by the combined scores of the three (3) highest scoring individual team members. The contestant with the lower score will be designated as alternate, but will be eligible to receive individual awards.
- ENTRY APPLICATION/FEE:** Entry applications, remittal summary, and fee of \$40 per team and \$10 each participant thereafter must be submitted by entry deadline. All fees must accompany application for entry. All entries must be signed and sent in together with one check by the CEA/AST. Entries will NOT be accepted from other individuals.
- CONDUCT OF CONTESTANTS:**
 - There will be no talking between contestants during the contest. Violating this rule may cause the contestants and their teams to be disqualified and ineligible to receive awards.
 - Only contestants and contest officials will be permitted in the contest area during the contest.
 - Contestants must have their group letter clearly visible on their clothing.
 - Contestants cannot smoke or use any tobacco products in contest facilities.
 - No electronic devices will be allowed in contest area.
- CLASSES:** Contestants will judge six (6) classes of four (4) animals each. Classes will not be handled. Contestants will have ten (10) minutes to observe and complete cards. There will be two (2) questions classes, consisting of five (5) questions each. Contestants will be notified of the classes requiring questions before placing that class. Contestants will have five (5) minutes to study notes and ten (10) minutes to answer questions.
- TIES:** Ties will be broken using question scores, then by a tie break class predetermined by Show Officials. No duplicate awards will be given.
- SCORING:** Scan sheets will be provided. All contestants must provide their own #2 pencil and may bring an unmarked clipboard and/or manila folder for use during the contest. Forms that are bent or abused will not be scored.
- RESULTS: The contest results, as announced, will be final.**
- AWARDS:**

High Team	\$300, Plaque, Team Member Jackets
Reserve High Team	\$150, Plaque
3 rd -5 th Place Team	Banner
High Team Coach	Briefcase
High Individual	Buckle, Special Award
2 nd -10 th Individual	Special Award

Southwest Dairy Museum will provide a \$1,000 certificate for the purchase of a Dairy Heifer to the High Individual.

Dairy Max will provide a \$1,000 certificate for the purchase of a Dairy Heifer to the 2nd High Individual.

Alliance Bank, Sulphur Springs will provide a \$1,000 certificate for purchase of a Dairy Heifer to the 3rd High Ind

*All heifers must be shown at the 2017 State Fair of Texas Youth Dairy Cattle Show.

- Certificates** will be awarded to the top 3 individuals that have never received a heifer certificate at the State Fair of Texas. Winners who receive the certificate must report to the contest superintendent within 15 minutes after the results have been announced, or the next ranking winner will be moved up to receive the certificate. Students who accept the certificate are required to complete and turn in an agreement form before leaving the awards area. Certificate winners are required to purchase a dairy female prior to June 30, 2017, and mail original registration papers to the State Fair Livestock Office no later than July 15, 2017.

**4-H/FFA/FCCLA
FOOD CHALLENGE CONTEST
MONDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENT:
Courtney Dodd, Lindsey Yeager

Entry deadline		September 1
Registration	October 3	8:00 AM
Preparation Begins	October 3	Creative Arts Building, See Rule #18

The Texas 4-H Food Challenge Guidelines, including the official supply box list, can be accessed at:
http://texas4-h.tamu.edu/healthy_lifestyles

- RULES/REGULATIONS:** Entries made in this department shall be subject to and each exhibitor agrees to abide by the General Rules and Regulations and Youth Livestock Show and Events Special Rules.
- AGE DIVISIONS:** Determined by a participant's age as of September 1.
 - Junior Division: be eight (8) years old and in the third grade, but not have reached their fourteenth (14th) birthday on September 1, 2016.
 - Senior Division: be in the ninth grade or have passed their fourteenth (14th) birthday, but not older than nineteen (19) years old on September 1, 2016.
- MEMBERS PER TEAM:** Each team will have at least three (3) and no more than five (5) members. Teams may not include members in different age divisions (i.e. juniors mixed with seniors).
- ENTRY FEE:** An entry fee of \$75 per team made payable to the State Fair of Texas will be charged. Entries **MUST** be submitted online or by mail prior to entry deadline, September 15, 2016.
- FOOD CATEGORIES:** There will be four food categories in each age division: 1) Main Dish, 2) Fruits and Vegetables, 3) Bread and Cereal, and 4) Nutritious Snacks. Teams will be randomly assigned to a category, which will not be announced until check-in the day of the contest.
- ATTIRE:** All contestants should wear closed-toe shoes and clothes appropriate for cooking. Each team has the option of wearing coordinated clothing, aprons or hair coverings; however, such attire is not required.
- RESOURCE MATERIALS:** Resource materials will be provided for each team to use during the contest to help prepare their team presentation. These include Choose My Plate - 10 Tips to a Great Plate, Fight Bac - Fight Foodborne Bacteria Brochure, Nutrient Needs at a Glance, Altering Recipes for Good Health, Food Challenge Worksheet, and copies of grocery receipts. No other resource materials will be allowed. Teams may not use their personal copies of the resources during the contest.
- SUPPLY BOX:** Each team must supply their own equipment for the food challenge. Teams may bring only the supplies listed in the contest supply box list. Supply boxes will be checked by contest officials as teams check in for the contest. Any extra equipment will be removed from the team's supply box.
- CONTEST FORMAT:** The contest consists of two parts: 1) Preparation and 2) Presentation.
- PREPARATION:** Each team will be assigned a cooking station (one table) and provided with a set of ingredients reflective of the assigned category. Each team will then have forty minutes to plan and prepare the dish using the ingredients provided at the cooking station and in the pantry, develop a presentation, and clean up their cooking station. The amounts of ingredients, based upon a recipe, and a clue will be at each station to assist the team.
 - The ingredients provided to each team are based upon a recipe. Teams are challenged with being creative and developing their own recipe with the ingredients provided.
 - Teams must incorporate each ingredient into the dish. However, teams may determine the exact amount of each ingredient to use.
 - Teams will have access to a "pantry" of additional ingredients that may be incorporated into their recipe. The number of additional ingredients a team may get will be determined by contest officials and announced during orientation.
 - The ingredients provided to each team at the cooking station and in the pantry may also be used to garnish the dish. Additional garnishing items will not be provided.
 - Note cards and the Food Challenge Worksheet may be used to write down the recipe that the team invents, along with notes related to nutrition, food safety and cost analysis. Teams should be exact on ingredients used, preparation steps, cooking time, temperature, etc.
 - Teams are judged during the preparation portion of the contest. Teams should refer to the scorecard for judging criteria.
 - Only participants and contest officials will be allowed in food preparation areas. However, spectators may view the contest from designated areas.

11. **ELECTRICITY:** Electric access will be provided at each cooking station. However, based upon number of entries and electricity capacity, teams should be prepared to use only one heat source at a time.
12. **EQUIPMENT MALFUNCTIONS:** Teams that may experience any equipment malfunction(s) may not replace the equipment with supplies from another team, leaders, volunteers, CEA/ASTs or contest officials. Team members must work together and be creative in completing preparation without the malfunctioning equipment.
13. **PRESENTATION:** After the 40-minute preparation time is complete, teams will be called to present their dish to a panel of at least two judges. Teams should refer to the scorecard for judging criteria and what to include in their presentation.
 - a. All team members must participate in the presentation with at least three of them having a speaking role.
 - b. Judging time will include:
 - 5 minutes for presentation
 - 3 minutes for judges' questions
 - 2 minutes between team presentations for judges to score and write comments.
 - c. Teams are allowed the use of note cards during the presentation but should not read from them, as this minimizes the effectiveness of their presentation.
 - d. Judges may ask teams questions that are not directly related to the dish prepared. Instead, some questions may address the general knowledge gained through personal experience in a food and nutrition program.
 - e. No talking or writing is allowed among any team members while waiting to give their team presentation. Team members caught talking and/or writing will receive a warning. The second time, the team will be disqualified and asked to leave. Team members should not have pens or pencils in their possession while waiting to present.
14. **CLEAN-UP:** Teams must clean up their preparation areas. Clean-up time is included in the 40-minute preparation allotment. Teams should plan to not have access to a kitchen facility; therefore, dirty dishes should be placed in a plastic container, bag or box to be cleaned at a later time. Left-over food can be disposed of in trash cans made available.
15. **TASTING:** Judges may taste at their personal discretion. Therefore, teams should be prepared to serve a portion of their dish to the judges during their presentation.
16. **FINAL ROUND:** The first place team in each category per age division will compete in the final round competition. Teams competing in the finals round will be provided with an area to wash their supplies in preparation for the finals.
17. **AWARDS:** The top three teams in each category, in each age division, will receive awards. Additional placing awards will be provided for the teams competing in the final challenge.
18. **SCHEDULE:** The following is a tentative/example schedule. A finalized schedule will be determined based upon the number of entries received and shared with contestants and coaches prior to the contest.

Heat 1:

8:00 am – Team check-in
8:30 am – Preparation begins
9:00 am – Presentations begin

Heat 2:

9:00 am – Team check-in
9:30 am – Preparation begins
10:00 am – Presentations begin

Heat 3:

10:00 am – Team check-in
10:30 am – Cooking/Preparation begins
11:00 am – Presentations begin
12:30 pm – Preliminary Awards

Final Championship Round:

2:00 pm – Final Challenge Begins (tentatively)

Awards:

4:30 pm – Final Challenge Awards (tentatively)

**4-H/FFA/FCCLA
LIVESTOCK JUDGING CONTEST
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENTS:
Bill Botard, Joe Behrens

Entry Deadline		September 1
Registration	October 11	8:00 AM
Contest	October 11	9:00 AM
Awards Presentation	October 11	2:00 PM

This contest will be governed by the General Rules and Regulations of the State Fair of Texas, the Livestock Judging Contests, and the following special rules. Each county and FFA chapter must furnish at least one (1) adult leader to assist with the contest as needed. Leaders and contestants should report to the Superintendent.

CONTEST REQUIREMENTS

- ELIGIBILITY:** Contestants must be bona fide 4-H or FFA members enrolled in public or private schools in Texas. All members from a team must be from the same county if entered by a CEA, or from the same school if entered by an AST.
Junior Division: Contestants must be entered as a member of a Junior Team, be eight (8) years old and in the third grade but not have reached their fourteenth (14th) birthday on September 1, 2016.
Senior Division: Contestants must be entered as a member of a Senior Team, be in the ninth grade or have passed their fourteenth (14th) birthday but not older than nineteen (19) years old on September 1, 2016. Any contestant classified as a junior may move up to compete on a senior team. This will make the junior contestant ineligible for any Junior Division Awards.
Any contestant violating any rule will be disqualified from the contest along with his/her team. If the eligibility of any student is protested, such protest must be made in writing at the Livestock Office the day of the contest before the contest begins. The protest must be accompanied by a check in the amount of \$100, which will be returned if the protest is sustained. If the protest is not sustained, the \$100 protest fee shall be forfeited. **Each exhibitor is required to return a Youth Judging Contest Liability and Indemnity Form.**
- Teams:** One (1) to four (4) students may constitute a team in this contest. Clubs/Chapters can enter individuals and/or teams. Contestants entered as individuals, and not teams, will be ineligible for Team Awards. Contestant names and birthdates will be submitted the morning of the contest at registration. Team scores will be determined by the combined scores of the three (3) highest scoring individual team members. The contestant with the lower score will be designated as alternate, but will be eligible to receive individual awards.
- ENTRY APPLICATION/FEE:** An entry applications, remittal summary, and fee of \$40 per team and \$10 each participant thereafter must be submitted by entry deadline. All fees must accompany application for entry. All entries must be signed and sent in together with one check by the CEA/AST. Entries will NOT be accepted from other individuals.
- CONDUCT OF CONTESTANTS:**
 - There will be no talking between contestants during the contest. Violating this rule may cause the contestants and their teams to be disqualified and ineligible to receive awards.
 - Only contestants and contest officials will be permitted in the contest area during the contest.
 - Contestants must have their group letter clearly visible on their clothing.
 - Contestants cannot smoke or use any tobacco products in contest facilities.
 - No electronic devices will be allowed in contest area.
- CLASSES:** Contestants will judge nine (9) classes of four (4) animals each. The classes will be made up of animals representing the following species: Cattle, Goats, Sheep, and Swine. Classes will not be handled. Contestants will have ten (10) minutes to observe and complete cards. There will be three (3) questions classes, consisting of five to ten (5 - 10) questions each. Contestants will be notified of the classes requiring questions before placing that class. Contestants will have five (5) minutes to study notes and five (5) minutes to answer questions. No notes will be allowed while answering questions.
- TIES:** Ties will be broken using species question scores, overall question scores and overall score when breaking ties within species. Ties within questions will be broken by overall score and ties within overall score will be broken by overall questions. Scores tied after application of these tie breakers will be broken by a method determined by contest officials. No duplicate awards will be given.

7. **Scoring:** Scan sheets will be provided. All contestants must provide their own #2 pencil and may bring an unmarked clipboard and/or manila folder for use during the contest. Forms that are bent or abused will not be scored.
8. **RESULTS: The contest results, as announced, will be final.**

TEAM AWARDS

Junior High Team – \$300, Plaque, 4 Jackets	Senior High Team – \$300, Plaque, 4 Jackets
Junior Reserve High Team – \$150, Plaque	Senior Reserve High Team – \$150, Plaque
Junior 3 rd – 5 th High Teams – Banner	Senior 3 rd – 5 th High Teams – Banner
Junior High Team Coach – Briefcase	Senior High Team Coach – Briefcase
Junior High Team–(Cattle, Sheep, Swine & Questions) – Plaque	Senior High Team–(Cattle, Sheep, Swine & Questions)–Plaque

HIGH INDIVIDUAL AWARDS

Junior High Individual – Buckle, Special Award	Senior High Individual – Buckle, Special Award
Junior 2 nd – 10 th High Individual – Special Award	Senior 2 nd – 10 th High Individual – Special Award
Junior High Individual–(Cattle, Sheep & Swine)–Plaque	Senior High Individual–(Cattle, Sheep & Swine)–Plaque
Junior High Individual (Questions) – Plaque	Senior High Individual (Questions) – Plaque

**4-H/FFA/FCCLA RANGE AND PASTURE PLANT
IDENTIFICATION CONTEST
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 2, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENT
Dr. Barron Rector

Entry deadline		September 1
Registration	October 2	8:00 AM
Contest	October 2	9:00 AM
Awards Presentation	October 2	11:30 AM

CONTEST REQUIREMENTS

- ELIGIBILITY:** Any Agriculture Science Teacher (AST) or County Extension Agent (CEA) may enter up an unlimited number of teams trained under his/her supervision in each Division.
 - Participants must be enrolled in a public or private elementary or secondary school of Texas to be eligible to compete. **Each exhibitor is required to return a Youth Judging Contest Liability and Indemnity Form.**
 - Junior Division** participants must be 8 years old and in the third grade and no more than a freshman in high school on August 31.
 - Senior Division** participants must be at least a sophomore in high school and not more than 18 years old on August 31 or have been on a winning Junior Division team at a statewide contest in the previous year.
 - Individuals who have been on a 1st place Senior Division team in a statewide contest in the previous year are not eligible to compete.
- TEAMS:** Competing teams will consist of three (3) or four (4) members. Scores of the three highest scoring team members will comprise a team score. Individual participants may compete and contend for individual awards. Participants must bring a legal size clipboard and two (2) pencils.
- ENTRY APPLICATION/FEE:** An entry applications, remittal summary, and fee of \$5 per participant must be submitted by entry deadline. All fees must accompany application for entry.
 - All entries must be signed and sent in together with one check by the Agricultural Science Teacher or County Extension Agent. Entries will NOT be accepted from other individuals.
 - Late entries will be accepted through contest day registration, for a late entry fee per participant equal to two times the regular entry fee per participant.
- PLANTS:** Plants may be mounted specimens or live specimens.
 - For a master plant list and characteristics of each plant, contact Dr. Barron Rector, Contest Coordinator, Extension Range Specialist Office, Texas AgriLife Extension Service, Room 225, Ag Bldg., TAMU, College Station, Texas 77843-2126, (979) 845-2755. This master list of plants was prepared by the Texas AgriLife Extension Service, Department of Vocational Agriculture, Natural Resources Conservation Service, Association of Texas and Water Conservation Districts and show officials.
- SCORING:** Participants will be given scorecards. Participants will have 45 seconds per plant to identify the plant, write in the common name on the scorecard and check the characteristics. Scoring will be done by points. If the plant name is incorrect, no credit will be given for characteristics correctly identified.
- AWARDS:**

High Individual, Both Divisions
Individual Placing, 2nd-10th, Both Divisions
Champion Advisor, Both Divisions

Buckle
Special Award
Briefcase

Dallas Agricultural Club will award plaques to the Junior Division Champion Team, Junior Division Reserve Champion Team, Senior Division Champion Team, and Senior Division Reserve Champion Team.

Specimens for the contest will be selected from the following plants:

GRASSES

Alkali sacaton	Hairy grama	Rescuegrass
Bahiagrass	Hairy tridens	Ryegrass
Barnyardgrass	Hall panicum	Sand dropseed
Beaked panicum	Hooded windmillgrass	Sand lovegrass
Bermudagrass	Inland saltgrass	Scribner dichanthelium
Big bluestem	Japanese brome	Sideoats grama
Black grama	Johnsongrass	Silver bluestem
Blue grama	King Ranch bluestem	Switchgrass
Broomsedge bluestem	Kleingrass	Tall dropseed
Brownseed paspalum	Knotroot bristelgrass	Tall fescue
Buffalograss	Little barley	Tanglehead
Buffelgrass	Little bluestem	Texas cupgrass
Burrogras	Lonspike tridens	Texas grama
Bush muhly	Lonton paspalum	Texas wintergrass
California cottontop	Marshhay cordgrass	Thin paspalum
Canada wildrye	Meadow dropseed	Tobasa
Common carpetgrass	Oldfield threeawn	Tumblegrass
Common curlymesquite	Pink pappusgrass	Tumble windmillgrass
Dallisgrass	Plains bristlegrass	Vinemesquite
Eastern camagrass	Plains lovegrass	Virginia wildrye
Fall witchgrass	Purple threeawn	Weeping lovegrass
Florida paspalum	Purpletop	Western wheatgrass
Green sprangletop	Rattail smutgrass	White tridens
Gluf cordgrass	Red grama	Wright threeawn
Hairawn muhly	Red lovegrass	Yellow indiagrass

GRASS-LIKE

Cedar sedge	Cherokee sedge
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FORBS

Bitter sneezeweed	Maximillian sunflower	Texas croton
Broadleaf milkweed	Mexican sagewort	Threadleaf groundsel
Broom snakeweed	Orange zexmenia	Upright prairie-coneflower
Common broomweed	Prairie tea	Western bitterweed
Engelmann daisy	Silverleaf nightshade	Western ragweed
Field bindweed	Slim aster	Yankeeweed

LEGUMES

Alfalfa	Singletary pea	White sweetclover
Bur-clover	Texas bluebonnet	Woolly loco
Crimson clover	Trailing ratany	Yellow neptunia
Nuttall milkvetch		

WOODY

Algerita	Gum bumelia	Sand sage
Ashe juniper	Honey mesquite	Shortleaf pine
Black brush	Huisache	Skunkbush
Blackjack oak	Live oak	Spiny hackberry
Common buttonbush	Loblolly pine	White brush
Coyotillo	Lotebush	Willow baccharis
Flameleaf	Post oak	Yaupon
Guajillo	Redberry juniper	

**4-H/FFA/FCCLA
AGRICULTURE PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION CONTEST
MONDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENT

Chris Boleman, Amy Dromgoole

Entry deadline			September 1
Registration	October 10	9:00 AM	BCLC
Contest	October 10	10:00 AM	BCLC
Awards Presentation			Following Contest

CONTEST REQUIREMENTS

1. **ENTRY FEE:** \$40 per team; \$10 per individual
2. **ELIGIBILITY:** Entries in this division are limited to Texas FFA, 4-H and FCCLA members. **Each exhibitor is required to return a Youth Judging Contest Liability and Indemnity Form.**
3. **All teams** must consist of members from the same county 4-H, FFA Chapter or FCCLA Chapter.
4. Each team shall consist of a minimum of three and maximum of 4 contestants, with the three highest scores being used to compute team scores.
5. Each club or chapter may enter as many teams as desired. Each team must be designated by the teacher or county agent at the time of entry.
6. Contestants must be passing all subjects for the semester or grading period immediately preceding the contest.
7. There will be no talking between contestants during the contest. Violating this rule may cause the contestants and their teams to be disqualified and ineligible to receive awards.
8. Only contestants and contest officials will be permitted in the contest area during the competition.
9. Contestants must have their contestant number clearly visible on their clothing.
10. Contestants must advance from one exhibit to the next when instructed to do so.
11. Contestants must evaluate each exhibit in sequence and will not be allowed to return to any exhibit after advancing.
12. Contestants should not in any way willfully obstruct the work of another contestant.
13. If an ineligible contestant is permitted to judge, the team and individual members of that team will be ineligible for prizes and future entry into this contest may be denied to the FFA, 4-H or FCCLA.
14. No electronic communication devices will be allowed in the contest area.
15. **CONTEST FORMAT:** Twenty Texas agricultural products selected from the Texas Agriculture Product List will be exhibited at separate stations. Contestants will select the correct identification of each product from four possible answers and bubble their answer in on a scantron sheet. Each station will also have one multiple choice question pertaining to the product on display. Questions may be: a) general to the industry that produced the product (i.e. Texas' national ranking, economic impact to Texas, general nutritional content, region of production); or b) specific to the individual product that is on display (i.e. cooking method use, growing season, specific nutrition of the cut or variety). Contestants will be allowed 40 seconds at each station before they are asked to advance to the next station.
16. **SCORING:** Contestants will receive five points for each product that is correctly identified and five points for each question that is correctly answered. However, for points to be awarded on questions pertaining directly to the product displayed, the product must be correctly identified. Points will be awarded for correct answers to questions general to the industry regardless of the product being correctly identified. (Total possible points: 200 per individual, 600 per team).
17. **TIES:** Five stations will be selected as tie breakers in advance of the contest. Teams with the highest cumulative scores at these five stations will win any ties. If ties still remain, winners will be determined by the toss of a coin.
18. **REFERENCES:** The following websites are recommended references. Teams will also benefit from their own web searches and by visiting supermarkets to view products listed on the Texas Agriculture Product List.

Pick Texas <http://www.texasproduceassociation.com/index.asp>

TAMU Extension Horticulture (http://aggie-horticulture.tamu.edu/lawn_garden/)

TAMU Extension Texas Crops (<http://aggiehorticulture.tamu.edu/extension/TexasCrops/index.html>)

USDA Cuts of Beef (<http://consumer.certifiedangusbeef.com/cuts/Default.aspx>)

Pork Cuts (<http://www.texaspork.org/Consumer.htm>)

Texas Agricultural Products (http://texas4-h.tamu.edu/agriculture_products)

19. **AWARDS:** Cash prizes will be awarded to the top Chapter/Club teams. Individual members will receive a special award as well

- 1st Place Team – \$150, banner
- 2nd Place Team – \$100, banner
- 3rd Place Team – \$50, banner
- 4th Place Team – banner
- 5th Place Team – banner
- High Individual – Buckle
- 2nd through 10th High Individuals – Special Award

Suggested study list:

Almond	Olive
Aloe Vera	Onion (Dry)
Apple	Onion (Green)
Apricot	Orange
Artichoke	Papaya
Asparagus	Peach
Avocado	Pear
Banana	Peas
Bean	Pecan
Beet	Pepper (Bell)
Black-Eyed Peas	Pepper (Chile)
Blackberry	Persimmon
Blueberry	Pineapple
Bok Choy	Plum
Broccoli	Pomegranate
Brussels Sprout	Potato
Cabbage	Pumpkin
Cantaloupe	Radish
Carrot & Maroon Carrot	Rosemary
Cauliflower	Serrano
Celery	Snap Peas
Cherry	Spinach
Cilantro	Squash (Summer)
Coconut	Squash (Winter)
Collard Greens	Strawberry
Cucumber	Sweet Corn
Dill	Sweet Potato
Eggplant	Tangerine
Fig	Tomatillo
Ginger	Tomato
Grapefruit	Turnip
Green Bean	Walnut
Guava	Watermelon
Honeydew	
Jalapeno	* All beef and pork products
Jicama	are also subject to inclusion in
Jujube	this contest
Kohlrabi	
Leeks	
Lemon	
Lettuce	
Lime	
Loquat	
Mandarin	
Mango	
Mayhaw	
Muscadine	
Napa	
Okra	

**YOUTH WILDLIFE CONTEST
(VARIES FROM TYPICAL 4-H/FFA CONTEST)
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENT:
Larry Hysmith

Entry deadline			September 1
Registration	October 12	8:00 AM	The Texas Discovery Gardens
Contest	October 12	9:00 AM	The Texas Discovery Gardens
Awards	October 12	2:00 PM	BCLC

- PURPOSE.** This contest is designed to challenge any youth currently in a wildlife study and enhance their education in the subject of wildlife species and wildlife habitat management.
- REGISTRATION:** Registration for this contest should be conducted through your local county extension office and in accordance to the registration deadlines of the State Fair of Texas. Additional rules and registration details for this contest in accordance with the State Fair of Texas are found in the Exhibitor Handbook on their webpage; <http://bigtex.com/livestock/exhibitorinfo/>.
- TEAMS.**
 - Contestants may compete as Individuals or as a Team. A Team consists of 2 persons in the same age division. Team members must be from the same school or county program. Team scores will include the total of both members.
 - Contestants are divided into two age divisions (as of September 1, 2016);
 - Junior (8-13 years old)
 - Senior (14-19 years old).
 - Each exhibitor is required to return a Youth Judging Contest Liability and Indemnity Form.***
- STUDY RESOURCE:** The study resource for this contest is on the following pages and can be obtained at the following website: http://texas4-h.tamu.edu/project_wildlife/wildlife/. Scroll down to 'State Fair Wildlife Contest' and select 'Contest Study Resource and Rules'. **Refer to this resource to understand the contest procedure.**
- EQUIPMENT.**
 - Teams will be provided scan sheets.
 - Each contestant will be allowed to bring the following items to the contest area:
 - Clipboard
 - Colored map pencils
 - Plastic bag for storing scan sheet in wet weather
 - Small ruler or straight edge to help align rows on the score sheets
 - 2 or more #2 pencils
 - Backpack with necessary items to be outdoors such as drinking water, sunscreen, raincoat, binoculars, etc.
 - Contestants will NOT be allowed to bring any of the following items to the contest area:
 - Any electronic device (calculators, compasses, phones, PDA's, etc.)
 - Papers of any kind containing contest written information
 - Any contestant bringing any of these items into the contest area will be immediately disqualified from competition.
- SCORING:** All parts of the contest will be scored for Individual and Team scores. On Teams, each team member's individual score will be used to determine their team score. All contestants are eligible for the high individual placings in their age division. Ties will be broken by the highest score for Part B. Further ties will be broken by using the first miss on Part A.
- CONTEST PARTS:** The contest will be presented in two parts:
 - Identification and Knowledge
 - Wildlife Habitat Management

Each of these parts is further explained in the contest **Study Resource** referenced earlier in this document. **Refer to this resource to understand the contest procedure.** All contestants will complete the two parts independently even when on a team.

Study Resource and Procedures

This contest will follow the **Woodland Ecoregion** of Texas as described in this study resource. The wildlife species to study are listed on the chart located in the **Woodland** section of this resource. Only these listed wildlife species will be represented on the contest materials, therefore the only ones within the **Wildlife Species** section necessary for study. The chart also cross references each management practice utilized for each of the wildlife species. Contestants should study and be familiar with all of the practices within the **Wildlife Management Practices (WMPs)** section.

Part A: Identification and Knowledge (120 points possible):

This part of the contest consists of **30 identification items** and **30 multiple choice knowledge questions**. Contestants will be asked to identify an item and answer a question related to the item. Identification items can consist of the listed wildlife species and management practice related items to depict specific management practices (ex: photo of a white-tailed deer spotlight survey, an actual herbicide spray rig, a resulting effect in a habitat [disked ground], etc.). Wildlife species can be presented as photos or drawings, mounted specimen, external body parts (pelts, wings, feet, antlers, etc.), tracks, or calls. Wildlife management practice related items can be presented as photos or drawings, actual items, or a resulting effect in a habitat. Knowledge questions will be developed from any portion of the study resource within the sections **Wildlife Species** (only species listed on the chart) and **Wildlife Management Practices (WMPs)**. Each Identification item and Knowledge Question will be worth 2 points for a total of 120 points possible for this part. Contestants will be given 1 hour to complete this part.

Part B: Wildlife Habitat Management (100 points possible):

This part of the contest requires the contestant to evaluate a habitat and select the wildlife management practices necessary for the current habitat condition specific to **10 of the 18 listed wildlife species** on the chart. The 10 wildlife species will be announced at the contest. A **virtual habitat** depicting an example of the Woodland ecoregion will be presented for evaluation by the contestants. This virtual habitat could be presented in a combination of text, photographs, and videos. Contestants will choose the necessary wildlife management practices by circling the X's on the chart provided (see example chart on next page). Only the wildlife management practices marked with an 'X' are utilized for the specific wildlife species in each column of the chart. Contestants should not add X's to the chart and should circle only the X's needed for each wildlife species based on management requirements and their habitat evaluation. Contestants will be given 1 hour to complete this part.

Part B

Wildlife Habitat Management Answer Sheet-Example

Woodland	American widgeon	Golden-cheeked warbler	Greater roadrunner	Ladder-backed woodpecker	Mourning dove	Northern bobwhite	Prairie falcon	Red-tailed hawk	Western bluebird	Wild turkey
*Circle the X's for the Wildlife Management Practices to be used in this habitat										
Habitat Management Practices										
Conservation Easement		x				x				
Control Nonnative Invasive Vegetation	x	x	x	x	x	x		x	x	x
Create Snags				ⓧ				ⓧ	ⓧ	
Delay Crop Harvest					ⓧ			ⓧ		
Edge Feathering						ⓧ		ⓧ	ⓧ	ⓧ
Field Borders						x		x	x	x
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**COLLEGIATE LIVESTOCK JUDGING CONTEST
MONDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENTS

Jeff Thayne, Moriah Beyers
Jess Yeaman, Brandon Gunn

Entry deadline		September 1
Coaches Meeting	October 9	6:00 PM
Registration	October 10	7:00 AM
Contest	October 10	7:30 AM
Awards Banquet	October 10	7:00 PM

CONTEST REQUIREMENTS

- COLLEGE ELIGIBILITY:** Junior colleges in the U.S. with agriculture departments are eligible to enter the Junior contest. Senior colleges in the U.S. which offer a degree in animal Science are eligible to enter the Senior contest. The entry application must be signed officially by the team coach, certifying that all team members are eligible for entry in this contest. Each college will be permitted to enter one team in the Senior Division, or one team in each Junior division.
- JUNIOR TEAM:** Each Junior team will consist of 5 members and all 5 scores will count for the team total. Each team member is eligible for individual awards in their division. Junior college individual participants designated as alternates will be eligible for individual overall awards in their division. Contestants must be regularly enrolled in a Junior (2 –year program) College and may not have credit for more than 66 semester hours or the equivalent. Contestants must have attended full time the previous semester at the school from which they are competing, or not attended and Junior College the previous semester, in order to be eligible to compete. Students must have a 2.0 GPA on a 4 point scale to be eligible.
 - Novice –** Junior colleges may enter (1) team in this division. Contestants entered in this division may be eligible to complete in the Professional division in future contests. (Subject to other eligibility rules.)
 - Professional –** Junior colleges may enter (1) team in this division. Contestants entered in this division must not have competed in the Junior College Professional Division in past years, and may be eligible to enter the Senior College Division in future contests.
- SENIOR TEAM:** Each Senior College may enter 1 team consisting of 5 members and all 5 will count for the team total. Each team member is eligible for individual awards. Senior college individual participants designated as alternates will be eligible for individual overall awards. Contestants must be regularly enrolled in a senior college which offers a degree in animal science. Students who have participated as contestants in senior intercollegiate livestock judging contests of interstate or international character previous to January 1 are not eligible to enter this contest. Contestants must have been regularly enrolled in their respective colleges the previous semester and must not have served any time as an animal science instructor at any secondary school or college.
- BARN ENTRY:** No contestant or coach will be permitted to enter the Show barns 24 hours prior to the contest.
- ARENA SEATING:** Coaches and alternates will not be permitted in the seats of the arena while the contest is in progress. Coaches and alternates may be permitted to see the classes after the judging is completed.
- CLASS MAKEUP:** Each class will consist of four animals. Animals within a class will be designated by numbers 1, 2, 3 and 4. The following classes will be judged: a total of four sheep/goat classes (any combination of market lamb classes, market goat classes, breeding sheep classes (fine wool or medium wool), and/or breeding goat classes); a total of four to five classes of cattle (any combination of market steer classes and/or breeding cattle classes); and a total of three to four swine classes (any combination of market and/or breeding hogs). When available, records may be used for evaluation of breeding classes. Actual class makeup is subject to change within the aforementioned list of classes.
- TIME:** On each class of livestock, contestants will be allowed fifteen (15) minutes to make their observations, record their placings, and take such notes as will assist them in remembering the class when they appear before the judge. All groups will be notified two (2) minutes before the time is up. All contestants shall hand their cards bearing their number, class of animals, and placings, to the group leader immediately when called for. When final time is called, groups will change to other classes as directed by the Superintendent.
- ORAL REASONS:** After placing all classes in the contest, the contestants will appear singly before a judge to give oral reasons substantiating their placings on certain classes. Each contestant will be allowed two (2) minutes to give reasons on each class. No contestant will be allowed to hold any paper or device of any kind that will assist in stating reasons to the judge. Seniors 8 sets, Junior Professionals 8 sets, and Junior Novice 6 sets.
- DRESS CODE:** No contestant will wear any uniform, college colors or belt buckle, or will in any way signify to the judge his/her identity or the identity of the college represented.
- TALKING:** While the contest is in progress, there is to be no conferring between contestants or anyone else, except as directed by the Superintendent or his representative.

11. **RULE VIOLATIONS:** Any coach or contestant who violates any of the rules of this contest will be barred from competing in future contests and their team will be disqualified for any awards.
12. **TIES:** Ties will be broken using species reasons scores, overall reasons scores and overall score when breaking ties within species. Ties within reasons will be broken by overall score and ties within overall score will be broken by overall reasons. Scores tied after application of these tie breakers will be broken by a method determined by contest officials. No duplicate awards will be given.
13. **SCORING:** Scan sheets used for scoring will be provided by the Fair. Standard rules that apply to optical scanning should be followed (blacken only one bubble per class, completely blacken the bubble, avoid stray marks). Each contestant must provide their own #2 pencil and may bring a clipboard for use during the contest. Forms that are bent or abused will not be scored. Team number and contestant number are assigned at registration.
14. **AWARDS**

TEAM AWARDS

High Team Overall	Plaque, 5 Goblets
High Team Overall Coach	Boot Bag
Reserve High Team Overall	Plaque, 5 Trophies
3rd – 5th High Team Overall	Plaque
High Team (Cattle, Sheep/Goats, Swine, Reasons)	Plaque

INDIVIDUAL AWARDS

High Individual Overall	Buckle, Goblet
2 nd -10 th High Individual Overall	Silver Platter
High Individual (Reasons)	Buckle, Goblet
2 nd – 5 th High Individual (Reasons)	Trophy
High Individual (Cattle, Sheep/Goats, Swine)	Jacket
2 nd – 5 th High Individual (Cattle, Sheep/Goats, Swine)	Award

**4-H/FFA/FCCLA
AGRICULTURAL SCIENCE FAIR
MONDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENT
Dr. David Frazier

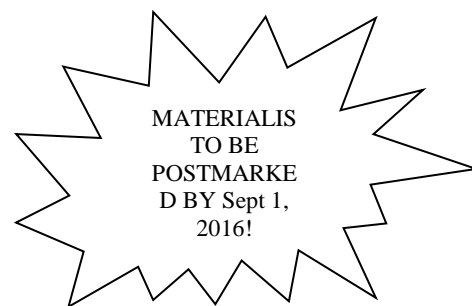
Entry deadline		September 1
Registration	October 10	8:00 AM
Contest	October 10	9:00 AM

CONTEST REQUIREMENTS

- ENTRY:** An entry fee of \$25 made payable to State Fair of Texas will be charged. Entries must be made through official State Fair of Texas entry forms. The entry must be postmarked by September 1, 2016. Participants are limited to one individual entry, team entries are not allowed.
- ENTRY LIMITATION:** Each student may enter only one project. There is no limit to the number of participants a chapter or club may submit.
- ELIGIBILITY:** Entries are limited to Texas 4-H, FFA and FCCLA members. Upon receiving Grand Champion Overall, contestants are ineligible to compete again.
- DIVISIONS:** As of September 1
 - JUNIOR:** 3rd-8th grade
 - SENIOR:** 9th-12th grade
- A project may be exhibited only one time at the State Fair of Texas and must have been researched and developed within one calendar year of the exhibition date. If the project is a continuation of a longitudinal (multi-year) study, the student's focus for research, display and presentation must center on the most recent year's data.
- JUDGING:** Within the contest, judging will consist of a 15 minute time limit per each contestant.
- DOCUMENTATION:** Participants must submit the following information to the State Fair of Texas:

State Fair of Texas
Attn: Livestock Office
PO Box 150009
Dallas, TX 75315

- Four copies of the entry's research paper (stapled or bound copies)
- One copy of Adult sponsor/safety assessment form
- One Human Vertebrate Endorsement
- One Non-Human Vertebrate Endorsement
- One Hazardous Material Waiver Form
- One Research Expense Form



These forms can be located on the Printable Forms Section of the website.

- CONTEST FORMAT:**
 - Participants are provided a 10ft X 10ft booth space to put up a table display and poster board explaining the project.
 - Participants must be present at their booths during judging on Tuesday to explain their research/science project and answer questions to the public and judges
 - Participants must provide all supplies including backing to mount poster board.
 - Participants must provide their own extension cords and tape to safely secure cords and prevent tripping.
 - No external power supplies will be provided. Equipment should have an internal power supply for demonstrations.
 - Table will be provided by the Fair.

9. COMPETITIONS CATEGORIES

Animal Systems: The study of animal systems, including life processes, health, nutrition, genetics, management and processing, through the study of small animals, aquaculture, livestock, dairy, horses and/or poultry.

Environmental Services/Natural Resource Systems: The study of systems, instruments and technology used in waste management; the study of the management of soil, water, wildlife, forests and air as natural resources and their influence on the environment.

Food Products and Processing Systems: The study of product development, quality assurance, food safety, production, sales and service, regulation and compliance and food service within the food service industry.

Plant Systems: The study of plant life cycles, classifications, functions, structures, reproduction, media and

nutrients, as well as growth and cultural practices, through the study of crops, turf grass, trees and shrubs and/or ornamental plants.

Power, Structural and Technical Systems: The study of agricultural equipment, power systems, alternative fuel sources and precision technology, as well as woodworking, metalworking, welding and project planning for agricultural structures.

Social Systems: The study of human behavior and the interaction of individuals in and to society, including agricultural education, agribusiness economic, agricultural communication, agricultural leadership and other social science applications in agriculture, food and natural resources.

10. **AWARDS:**

Senior division:

Division Champion

Banner, Trophy, Scholarship
Banner

Reserve Division Champion

Grand Champion

Banner, Buckle, Scholarship
Banner, Buckle

Reserve Grand Champion

Junior division:

Division Champion

Special Award

Reserve Division Champion

Special Award

**4-H/FFA/FCCLA
BEEF SKILLATHON
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENTS:
Chris Skaggs, Jason Cleere

Entry Deadline		September 1
Registration	October 14	12:00 PM
Contest	October 14	1:00 PM
Awards Presentation	October 14	Following contest

- 1. RULES/REGULATIONS:** This show/contest is subject to the State Fair of Texas General Rules, Youth Livestock and Contest Special Rules listed in this section. The Skill-A-Thon will be comprised of an exam and station(s). Point totals will be clearly written for each section at the time of the contest.
- 2. ENTRY:** An entry fee of \$25 made payable to State Fair of Texas will be charged per entry. Entries must be made through official State Fair of Texas entry forms and must be entered online at www.bigtex.com by CEA/AST by entry deadline.
- 3. ELIGIBILITY:** Contestants must be between the ages of 8 years old – 18 years old.
- 4. DIVISIONS:** The contestants will be divided into three age divisions (aged as of September 1, 2016):
 - a. Junior:** 8-10
 - b. Intermediate:** 11-13
 - c. Senior:** 14-18

5. CONTEST:

A. JUNIOR:

Preliminary Round- Consists of a written exam and identification stations.

Finals- The top 5 scoring contestants will advance to a final round of skill stations.

B. INTERMEDIATE/SENIOR:

Preliminary Round- Consists of a written exam and identification stations.

Finals- The top 5 scoring contestants will advance to a final round of skill stations and a speech/thought question on a beef industry issue.

6. STUDY MATERIALS:

<http://bigtex.com>

<http://animalscience-old.tamu.edu/beef-skillathon/index.html>

**4-H/FFA/FCCLA
SHEEP SKILLATHON
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENTS:

Shawn Ramsey

Entry Deadline		September 1
Registration	October 22	8:00 AM
Contest	October 22	9:00 AM
Awards Presentation	October 22	Following contest

7. **RULES/REGULATIONS:** This show/contest is subject to the State Fair of Texas General Rules, Youth Livestock and Contest Special Rules listed in this section. The Skill-A-Thon will be comprised of an exam and station(s). Point totals will be clearly written for each section at the time of the contest.
8. **ENTRY:** An entry fee of \$25 made payable to State Fair of Texas will be charged per entry. Entries must be made through official State Fair of Texas entry forms and must be entered online at www.bigtex.com by CEA/AST by entry deadline.
9. **ELIGIBILITY:** Contestants must be between the ages of 8 years old – 18 years old.
10. **DIVISIONS:** The contestants will be divided into three age divisions (aged as of September 1, 2016):
 - a. **Junior:** 8-10
 - b. **Intermediate:** 11-13
 - c. **Senior:** 14-18

11. CONTEST:

A. JUNIOR:

Preliminary Round- Consists of a written exam and identification stations.

Finals- The top 5 scoring contestants will advance to a final round of skill stations.

B. INTERMEDIATE/SENIOR:

Preliminary Round- Consists of a written exam and identification stations.

Finals- The top 5 scoring contestants will advance to a final round of skill stations and a speech/thought question on a sheep industry issue.

12. STUDY MATERIALS:

<http://bigtex.com>

<http://animalscience.tamu.edu/academics/sheep-goats/>

**4-H/FFA/FCCLA
SWINE SKILLATHON
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2016**

Entry deadline		September 1
Registration	October 1	8:00 AM
Contest	October 1	9:00 AM
Awards	October 1	at the conclusion of the contest

- 13. RULES/REGULATIONS:** This show/contest is subject to the State Fair of Texas General Rules, Youth Livestock and Contest Special Rules listed in this section. The skillathon will be comprised of an exam and station(s). Point totals will be clearly written for each section at the time of the contest.
- 14. ENTRY:** An entry fee of \$25 made payable to State Fair of Texas will be charged per entry. Entries must be made through official State Fair of Texas entry forms and must be entered online at www.bigtex.com by CEA/AST by entry deadline.
- 15. ELIGIBILITY:** Contestants must be between the ages of 8 years old – 18 years old.
- 16. DIVISIONS:** The contestants will be divided into three age divisions (age as of September 1, 2016):
- Junior:** 8-10
 - Intermediate:** 11-13
 - Senior:** 14-18
- 17. STUDY MATERIALS:**
- <http://bigtex.com>
<http://animalscience.tamu.edu/livestock-species/swine/skillathon/> (study quality counts and from carcass quality down through the remainder of the page)
<http://www.pork.org>
<http://texaspork.org/> (Youth, then skillathon)
http://citrus.ifas.ufl.edu/4-H/pdfs/2010-11swine_study_guide.pdf (PQA+ Youth Manual (National Pork Board)
<http://swinecarehandbook.pork.org/wp-content/uploads/2015/11/SCH-draft-150826.pdf> (Swine Care Handbook- 2016 Draft)
<http://estore.osu-extension.org/Swine-Resource-Handbook-for-Market-and-Breeding-Projects-P148.aspx> (Swine Resource Handbook for Marketing and Breeding (Ohio State University publication)

**4-H/FFA/FCCLA AGRICULTURAL
JOB INTERVIEW CONTEST
MONDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENTS:

Tammy Glascock, Sue Witt

Entry deadline		September 1
Cover Letter/ Résumé Statement of Originality Submission		September 1
Registration	October 17	8:00 AM
Contest	October 17	9:00 AM

CONTEST REQUIREMENTS

- 1. OBJECTIVE:** Participants will apply for a position in the agricultural industry and write a cover letter/résumé pertaining to the job description. During the contest, participants will fill out a job application, interview before a panel of judges and write a follow up letter once the interview is completed. However, the cover letter, résumé and past work experiences should all reflect true and correct information about the applicant. It is encouraged that participants apply for an agricultural related job that best reflects his/her interests and work experiences.
- 2. ENTRY:** An entry fee of \$25 made payable to the State Fair of Texas will be charged for each job interview entry. Entries must be made through official State Fair of Texas entry forms and completed online at <http://www.bigtex.com>. All entries for the 2016 job interview contest will be completed by using the State Fair of Texas entry system. All forms must be completed. Forms with missing information will be considered incomplete entries and will not be accepted. Contestants failing to submit a copy of these materials by this deadline are subject to disqualification.
- 3. ELIGIBILITY:** Entries in this division are limited to Texas FFA, 4-H and FCCLA members. Cover letters and résumés submitted must have been constructed by FFA, 4-H or FCCLA members under direct supervision of the Agricultural Science Teacher, County Extension Agent or FCCLA Advisor. Participants may enter the contest under only one youth organization (FFA, 4-H, FCCLA). Entries in multiple organizations will result in both submissions being disqualified. Participants must be an actively enrolled member in either the Texas FFA Program, Texas 4-H and Youth Development Program or Texas FCCLA.
- 4. ENTRY LIMITATION:** Participants may enter only one time in the job interview contest each year under one organization.
- 5.** All materials submitted must have been created and written, in their entirety, by a member of FFA, 4-H or FCCLA.
- 6. CONTEST FORMAT:** The event will be held in the following contest format:
 - A maximum of 30 participants will be selected from the cover letter/résumé submission as the top participants. Those selected will be notified of their advancement by September 30 and compete on October 17. The first round of interviews will be divided among a maximum of three rooms. The top two individuals from each room will then advance to the final round and participate in the interview \ portion of the contest again.
 - Contest order will be determined by a random system to determine the order in which they will compete in both rounds.
 - At the beginning of the contest, all participants will be given 15 minutes to fill out the job application in unison and then wait their turn to compete in the interview portion of the contest.
 - Finalists will compete for Grand and Reserve Champions placing, unless otherwise announced.
- 7. GUIDELINES:**
 - Cover Letter:** The cover letter must be the result of the participants' own effort and cannot exceed more than one page and must be single spaced, 12 pt. size and Times New Roman font with 1" margins. **The cover letter/resume should be upload to judgingcard.com no later than September 1.**
 - The cover letter should be dated for the day of the contest and addressed to:
Daryl E. Real
State Fair of Texas
PO Box 150009
Dallas, TX 75315
 - Résumé:** Submit an accurate résumé with no fictitious experience and not to exceed two pages. Participants are free to format the résumé in the way they deem most professional. The résumé should be submitted no later than September 1.
 - A statement of originality signed by the participant, parent(s), and AST, CEA or teacher must be attached to each copy of the cover letter and résumé. The statement of originality should be submitted.
 - If a participant exceeds the guidelines for the cover letter and/or the résumé, point deductions will be taken at the discretion of the Superintendent, Show Management and Judges.

- f. Each participant should bring **six copies** of their cover letter/résumé on the day of the contest. Printing will not be available onsite. Points will be deducted if six copies are not presented at the time of registration.
 - g. Dress Attire: Business attire or Official FFA/4-H/FCCLA attire is recommended.
 - h. Application: The participants will begin this portion of the contest in unison before the personal interviews start. The participants will have 10 minutes to complete the application and may bring in a copy of their résumé to use as reference for past employment information.
 - i. Personal Interview: Participants will proceed to a room during the contest with two (2) to five (5) judges who will act as the hiring managers for the position in which the participant has applied. The interview will last no more than 10 minutes.
 - j. Follow-Up Letter: Participants will conclude the contest by writing or typing a letter to the interview panel thanking them for their time. Contestants are permitted to utilize cover letters and résumés at this time.
 - k. Outside Materials: The use of outside materials is limited to business cards and notepads for the personal interview and a copy of the résumé and cover letter for the application. All other materials are prohibited and violation will result in disqualification.
- 8. SCORE SHEET:** The cover letter and résumé will be reviewed and scored by judges prior to the contest. Judges' comments will be returned by mail to the Agriculture Science Teacher, County Extension Agent or FCCLA Advisor following the contest.
- 9. AWARDS:** Awards will be based on the evaluation of the job interview segments to a set of standards.
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| Grand Champion | Banner, \$250 |
| 2 nd place | \$125, Special Award |
| 3 rd -6 th | Special Award |
- 10. TIEBREAKERS:** Ties will be broken based on the highest score in the rubric category that carries the most weight. If a tie still exists, then the rubric category that carries the next amount of weight will be used to break the tie. This process will continue in the event that a tie still exists. The superintendent has the authority to further determine tie breakers to declare a winner.

CATEGORY	DESCRIPTION
APPLICATION (Max Percent: 20)	Was the information presented in a legible format? Were all the questions and required areas filled in correctly? Were the answers to the application grammatically correct?
COVER LETTER (Max Percent: 15)	Did the cover letter meet the one page maximum? Was it addressed and dated correctly? Is the information in the cover letter true and is the information relevant to the position being applied? Did the cover letter create interest in the applicant? Was the letter grammatically correct and professional?
RESUME (Max Percent: 15)	Did the résumé meet the one page maximum? Was the information and work experience non-fictitious and highlight the applicants experience in the most professional manner? Was the résumé easy to read and follow?
PERSONAL INTERVIEW (Max Percent: 40)	Was the applicant confident and able to relate their past experience to the position in which they are applying? Did the applicant seem knowledgeable about the position applied for and able to answer questions thoroughly?
FOLLOW-UP COORES-PONDENCE (Max Percent: 10)	Did the applicant provide a grammatically correct, professional, business letter following the interview? Did the applicant express their gratitude for the time of the employer and reiterate their interest in the position?

- 11. REFERENCES:** This list of references is not intended to be inclusive. Other sources may be utilized, and teachers are encouraged to make use of the very best instructional materials available. The following list contains references that may prove helpful during event preparation:
- National FFA Core Catalog – Strunk and White
 - Greggs Manual
 - Elements of Style* – Strunk and White
 - Microsoft® Word® résumé templates
 - 101 Toughest Interview Questions...and Answers That Win Job*, Daniel Porto, Daniel Porot/Paperback/Published 1999
 - 25 Reasons Why I Won't Hire You! What You Did Wrong Before, During & After the Interview!* Zenja

Glass/Paperback/Published 1998

Best Answers to the 201 Most Frequently Asked Interview Questions, Matthew J. DeLuca, Mathew J.

DeLuca/Paperback/Published 1996

The Complete Job Interview Handbook, John J. Marcus/Paperback/Published 1994

**4-H/FFA/FCCLA
AGRICULTURAL PUBLIC SPEAKING CONTEST
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2016**

SUPERINTENDENT:

Laura Huebinger

Entry deadline		September 1
Registration	October 18	7:00 AM (Sales Pavilion)
Orientation	October 18	8:00 AM (Sales Pavilion)
Contest	October 18	8:30 AM (Cotton Bowl)
Awards	October 18	5:30 PM (or conclusion of contest), Briscoe Carpenter Livestock Center

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- 1. ENTRY:** An entry fee of \$25 made payable to State Fair of Texas will be charged per entry. Entries must be made through official State Fair of Texas entry forms and completed online at <http://www.bigtex.com>. The form must be completed online; printed; signed by the youth contestant, parent/guardian, and AST/CEA. The original must be post marked by the entry deadline. Any missing forms will be considered incomplete entries and will not be accepted. ONLY ONE speech per contestant. Speeches and manuscripts must be uploaded to judgingcard.com by September 1. Any speech with obscene language will be disqualified.
- 2. MANUSCRIPT:** *The manuscript and bibliography must be uploaded to judgingcard.com as a single PDF file by September 1, 2016.* No late entries will be accepted.
 - Manuscripts will be certified and validated by a contest committee to determine if the appropriate division was entered.
 - Do not bring a copy of the manuscript to the speaking contest.
 - The manuscript must be completed in APA style. Included but not limited to: page numbers, cover page including name, division, age group, and a bibliography. Entry abstract is not required. Information about APA can be found at the following link: www.apastyle.org.
 - A bibliography following APA style must be included. Lack of bibliography will result in disqualification.
- 3. ORIGINALITY:** The manuscript and speech presentation must be the contestant's own effort. A statement of originality is included on the entry form that must be completed online, signed, and mailed.
- 4. ELIGIBILITY:** Participation is limited to Texas residents only, who are members of a Texas 4-H Club, FCCLA or Texas FFA Chapter. Exhibitors must be enrolled in, and attending, public, private or home school elementary or secondary schools in Texas and they must be at least 8 years old and in the third grade, but not more than 18 years old on August 31. Exhibitors must be bona fide residents of the State of Texas. Past State Fair of Texas Grand Champion speaking contestant winners who have won scholarships are ineligible to enter.
- 5. AGE GROUPS:** Contestants will be divided into two age groups.
 - Junior: 8 years old and in the third grade, but no more than in the eighth grade on August 31.
 - Senior: At least ninth grade, but no more than 18 years old on August 31.
- 6. CONTEST FORMAT:**
 - The speech presentations will be judged by a panel of 2-3 judges.
 - The junior age group may be combined into one division for judging. The top two junior contestants will compete for Grand and Reserve Champion during the Public Awards Ceremony in the Food & Fiber Pavilion, unless otherwise announced.
 - Senior contestants will be divided based on Division entered.
 - The top two contestants in each Division will advance to the Semi-Finals where they will compete for division championship.
 - If there are more than 15 entries in a Division, show management reserves the right to randomly divide into sub-divisions. The top two entries in the sub-division will advance to the Division Semi-Finals. The top two contestants in the Division Semi-Finals will advance to the Semi-Finals.
 - Top two senior finalists will compete for Grand and Reserve Champion during the Public Awards Ceremony in the Food & Fiber Pavilion, unless otherwise announced.
- 7. TIME LIMIT:** Each speech shall be a minimum of six (6) minutes and a maximum of eight (8) minutes. Deductions will be applied to overall score if time is under/over the allotted time. Time point deductions will apply as follows: Under six minutes – one point per ten seconds, over eight minutes – one point per ten seconds.
- 8. QUESTION/ANSWER PERIOD:** A three-minute question/answer period will follow each speech. At the end of three minutes, time will be called and all questioning will end. If time is called during the student's answer to a question, the contestant may complete his or her answer. Only official judges may ask questions of the contestants.

- 9. ATTIRE:** Business attire or official 4-H or FFA dress is recommended.
- 10. PROPS:** The use of props of any kind is prohibited. Violation will result in disqualification.
- 11. DIVISIONS:** Each contestant will enter their speech in one of nine divisions. The division must be declared on the entry form when submitting the manuscript. There are topics which may be appropriate in more than one division. If a topic is appropriate in more than one division, final division determination of all speeches will be at the discretion of show management.
- a. **Agribusiness:** Any current or future subject that addresses topics such as cooperatives, sales, service, communications, entrepreneurship, marketing, finance, commodities, hedging, advertising, etc.
 - b. **Agricultural Policy:** Any current or future subject that addresses police or legislation on the following: domestic farm issues, international trade, international competition, rural economic development, legal issues, animal welfare, subsidies, price supports, etc.
 - c. **Agriculture Communication:** Any current or future subject that addresses the process or act of communicating agricultural related information to the public.
 - d. **Animal Science:** Any current or future subject that addresses any aspects of the dairy, equine, poultry, sheep, goat, swine, beef or specialty animal industries.
 - e. **Livestock Show Ethics:** Any current or future subject that addresses any aspect of the ethics practiced in the livestock show industry.
 - f. **Natural Resources:** Any current or future subject that addresses topics such as soil, water, air, water quality, wildlife, forestry, aquaculture, conservation, recreation, recycling, energy environmental issues, etc.
 - g. **Horticulture:** Any current or future subject that addresses any aspect of the horticulture and/or agronomy industries including floriculture, fruit and/or vegetable production, nursery operations, turf and landscape management, crop production or specialty crop production.
 - h. **Western Heritage:** Any current or future subject that addresses topics such as western history, culture or heritage.
 - i. **Agricultural Technology:** Any current or future subject regarding advancements made in agricultural practices through the use of technology, computer systems, or cutting-edge ideas.
- 12. SCORE SHEET:** The manuscripts will be reviewed and validated by show management prior to the speaking contest. A separate panel of judges will evaluate and score the presentation. Judges' comments will be returned by mail to the County Extension Agent or Agriculture Science Teacher following the contest. Score sheets can be found at www.bigtex.com.
- 13. RESULTS:** The contest results as announced will be final.
- 14. AWARDS:**
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| Division Champions | Banner, Trophy |
| Reserve Division Champions | Banner |
| Grand Champion, Division | Banner, Buckle |
| Reserve Grand Champion, Division | Banner, Buckle |
| Grand Champion Speaker Overall | \$5000 Scholarship |
| Reserve Grand Champion Overall Speaker | \$2000 Scholarship |