

RANDALL COUNTY JUNIOR LIVESTOCK SHOW

January 16-17-18-19, 2009

Horse Center West Texas A&M University Canyon, TX

SHOW SCHEDULE

Friday, January 16

3-6 p.m.	Weigh in of all species
5 p.m.	Begin Heifer Show
	Begin Breeding Gilt Show following the Heifers
	Begin Mystery Pig Show following the Gilts
5:30 p.m.	Rabbits must be in place
7:00 p.m.	Begin Rabbit Show

Saturday, January 17

8 a.m.	Goat show begins
	Lamb Show following the Goat Show
11 a.m.	Steer Show begins
1 p.m.	Prospect Swine Show followed by Market Swine Show

Sunday, January 18

2 p.m.	Cleanup of WT Horse Center
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Monday, January 19

6 p.m.	Begin serving Buyers' Meal
7 p.m.	Awards and Sale

GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Anyone who is a bonafide 4-H or FFA members in Randall County is eligible to show if supervised by the County Agent or Vocational Agriculture teachers. No exhibitor may be entered that has shown at another county show. No animal may be shown that has been sold through a premium sale.
2. Entry cards must be in the hands of the agent or teacher by 5 p.m., December 15, 2008. Entry fees for all species will be \$20. **No late entries will be accepted.** No females are allowed in the market show with the exception of rabbits.
3. All health rules which apply to assembling animals by the Texas Animal Health Commission will be in effect.
4. NOTICE: PREMIUM SALE ONLY
 - A. Each exhibitor is limited to one entry in the sale.
 - B. Only the top 80% of each class in eligible divisions will be eligible to sell in the premium sale. Only the top 20% in the Prospect Swine Class.
 - C. **Each exhibitor must notify the computer staff of the disposition of all of their animals within ten (10) minutes of the conclusion of the final class they participate in. If this is not done, the exhibitor's highest placing eligible animal will be automatically placed in the sale and the animal will be considered take home.**
5. All animals sold in the sale must have been withdrawn from all drugs, shots, dips and feed additives according to Federal-State regulations. Any drugs administered during the show and sale **must** be administered under the supervision of the division superintendent or the show veterinarian. The showing of any animal that has been administered any quantity of diuretic, unapproved growth stimulant or other unapproved medication, or that has not been properly withdrawn from approved drugs is prohibited. An exhibitor of an animal producing an analysis with a quantity of diuretic, unapproved growth stimulant or any other unapproved medication will forfeit all rights and privileges to exhibit livestock in the future at the show as well as any monies derived from the animal.
6. Any question that arises concerning the show will be settled by the Department Superintendent, Committee Chairman or by the Executive Committee.
7. No animals may be washed in the Horse Center. No manual or electric clippers may be used on any species.
8. All animals must be kept within the piped arena boundaries.
9. Exhibitors may remove their animals from the facility after the showing of their species.
10. Anyone displaying inappropriate behavior toward any show official, judge or classifier will be subject to immediate removal from the show premises.
11. Any exhibitor found under the influence of any intoxicant or who commits unacceptable behavior will be immediately withdrawn and removed from the show with their animals.
12. 4% will be retained from each exhibitor's sales check as a consignment fee.
13. The barn will be closed to the general public at midnight.
14. The Executive Committee will be in charge of handling any protests. Protests must be accompanied by a \$25 fee which will be refunded if the protest is upheld. All decisions by the Executive Committee are final.
15. Only bedding materials supplied by or purchased from the RCJLA may be used in the horse center.
16. All custom kill animals will be selected by the species superintendents.
17. All animals must be taken out immediately following the show. Each exhibitor is responsible for their animals until the animals leave the show barn.
18. All persons are to stay out of restricted and off limit areas. No dogs will be allowed in the barn. Off limit areas are any areas other than the arena, parking areas, classroom, and conference room. The roping chute and announcer's stand are also off limit areas.
19. **All** pen assignments will be made by the species superintendents.
20. Exhibitors of Grand Champion and/or Reserve Grand Champion animals in the Beef Heifer division may collect added monies on no more than one animal or sell one animal or an eligible species in the premium sale.
21. Any exhibitor suspended under the Texas Education Code 33.081 "**No pass, no play**" is ineligible to participate in the Randall County Junior Livestock Show. Any animal owned by an ineligible exhibitor is ineligible for competition.
22. All Sr Showmanship winners will be eligible to sell their animal after the Reserve Grand Champion of their

species sells subject to Rule 4A.

SWINE DEPARTMENT

Market Swine Show

5. Market Swine Show exhibitor will be limited to 2 head. (Barrows only)
6. Minimum weight 200 lbs., maximum weight 270 lbs. No tolerance given.
7. Ownership and validation: State Deadline.
8. The Swine Superintendent will be responsible for determining breed classes other than Hamp, York, Cross, Duroc, Black OPB and White OPB.
9. Classes will be made up after weigh in.
10. No artificial dressings may be used.
11. The top 80% of each class is eligible to sell in the premium sale.
12. Swine will be classified at weigh-in.
13. The swine classifier will have a separate area for classifying, only the classifier, the exhibitor, and the animal will be allowed in this area. The decision of the classifier is final.
14. Each pen will be supplied with 1 bale of shavings. Any additional bales used must be purchased from the RCJLA. Each exhibitor will be responsible for removing the shavings from their pens at the conclusion of the show.
15. Floor weight is minimum 220 pounds. Animal will not be considered for floor purchase under this weight.

Prospect Swine Show

1. Anything below 200 lbs will show in this division.
2. All breeds will show together and classes broken by weight.
3. The top 20% in each weight class will be eligible for the sale.
4. This division will not be eligible for grand champions drive.
5. Exhibitor is limited to 2 pigs total between the market and prospect classes.
6. All other market swine rules apply to the prospect swine.
7. Classes will be broken by the superintendent.
8. Barrows Only

Breeding Gilt Show

1. All entries will conform to the rules of the show.
2. Exhibitors are limited to two entries.
3. December 1 ownership deadline.
4. All breeds will show together and be split by age.
5. **Registered Gilts Only.**
6. Registered in exhibitor's name only, no partnerships.
7. **GILTS ARE NOT ELIGIBLE FOR PREMIUM SALE**
8. \$200 payback to the Champion Overall, Winner Take All.

Mystery Pig Division

1. Each exhibitor will turn in paper work and \$150 deposit to the Extension Office by October 1, 2009 to enter this division.
2. Scholarships are available to assist with the initial \$150 mystery pig cost.
3. Mystery pigs will be purchased by Extension Agent prior to November 1, 2008
4. Breeders and Individuals can contribute to the mystery pig project with the final approval of the Extension Agent.
5. Premiums will be paid to the three highest placing mystery pigs.
6. The following premiums will be paid:
1st place = \$300, 2nd place = \$200, 3rd place = \$100.
7. The mystery pig show will not be a part of the sale, but mystery pigs are eligible for the Randall County Swine Show or Prospect Show.
8. Animals will follow general rules and guidelines of the show unless stated otherwise.
9. The \$150 fee will be used to cover the cost of the animal, feed, medicine, death loss, etc. If there is any money left over, it will be put towards the scholarship program for this project.
10. There will be no limit to the number of pigs eligible for the mystery pig show.
11. There will be no weight limit in the mystery pig show. Pigs will be shown by weight and broken into equal classes.

BEEF CATTLE DEPARTMENT

Steer Division

1. Exhibitor will be limited to 2 steers.
2. Minimum weight 900 lbs. Steers may not be pumped.
3. Ownership and validation: State Deadline.
4. Classes will be made up after weigh in.
5. The top 80% of each class id eligible to sell in the premium sale.
6. No glues or adhesives may be used in fitting animals in this division.
7. A minimum of 3 steers are required for a breed class. This will be at the discretion of the superintendent.
8. There will not be a floor available for market steers.

Junior Heifer Division

1. Any breed of female 2 years of age and younger may be shown as long as she is owned by the exhibitor on or before September 15, 2008.
2. Classes will be English, Exotic, and American breeds and will be broken according to the department superintendent's designation.
3. All entries in this division will conform to the general rules and regulations of the stock show.
4. A maximum of two heifers per exhibitor may be shown in this division.
5. Entries in this division are not eligible for the premium sale.
6. Winner Take All. \$200 payback to overall champion.

LAMB DEPARTMENT

1. Exhibitor will be limited to 2 lambs. (Wethers only)
2. Minimum weight 80 lbs; small breeds (Southdowns, Shropshires and Dorsets), 70 lbs.
3. Ownership and Validation: State Deadline.
4. Classes will be made up after weight in.
Class will be: 1. Finewool 3. Medium Wool
 2. Finewool Cross 4. Small Breeds
5. It will take a minimum of 3 lambs to make up a breed classification.
6. The Lamb Superintendent will be responsible for determining breed classes other than Finewool, Finewool Cross, Medium Wool and Small Breeds. If there is not a minimum number of a breed for a class, then classes 1 & 2, and 3 & 4 will be combined.
7. No artificial dressings may be used.
8. Lambs will be classified at weigh in.
9. The top 80% of each class is eligible to sell in the premium sale.
10. The lamb classifier will have a separate area for classifying. Only the classifier, the exhibitor, and the animal will be allowed in this area. The decision of the classifier is final.

RABBIT DEPARTMENT

Market Rabbits

1. Ownership and validation: December 15, 2008.
 - Any animals not already tattooed will be tattooed at validation.
 - Existing tattoos will be recorded for validation purposes.
 - No rabbit will be allowed to show that does not have a permanent, legible tattoo in the left ear by validation date.
2. Acceptable entries include roasters and stewers. Roasters and stewers are defined as ARBA class six breeds weighing a minimum of 5 pounds and at least 14 weeks of age by the date of show.
3. An exhibitor is limited to 2 entries per market show. Entry fee for the market show is \$20 per entry.
4. The top 80% of market rabbits in each class will be eligible for the sale provided the rabbits did not participate in a previous year's sale.
5. Classes will be made up after check in and will consist of the following:
 - junior rabbits over 14 weeks but under 6 months old
 - intermediate (6-8) rabbits 6 months to 8 months old
 - senior rabbits over 8 months old
6. First place rabbits from each class will compete for Champion Individual and Reserve Individual title according to the ARBA rules for the Best in Show.
7. There will be a Showmanship Class for the rabbit division held after selection of the Champion rabbit. Contestants may show a rabbit they competed with in the open or market show. Showmanship will be divided into junior and senior divisions based on age of the entrant.

Market classes may be from ARBA six class rabbits. These include the following breeds: French Angora, Giant Angora, Satin Angora, Blanc de Hotot, Champagne d' Argent, Californian, Cinnamon, American Chinchilla, Crème d'Argent, French Lop, Harlequin, New Zealand, Palomino, Rex, American Sable, Satin, Silver Fox, and Silver Marten.

GOAT DEPARTMENT

(All entries in this department subject to the General Rules and Relations.)

1. Exhibitor will be limited to 2 head. (Wethers only)
2. Minimum weight 50 lbs, maximum weight 120 lbs.
3. Ownership and validation: State Deadline. Must be county or state validated.
4. Goats must be dehorned or tipped blunt.
5. No artificial dressings or materials may be used.
6. Minimum of 3 head to make a class. Classes will be divided by weight.
7. Goats must have their milk teeth.
8. The top 80% of each class is eligible to sell in the premium sale.

SHOWMANSHIP

All departments are eligible for the Showmanship Show.

Showmanship for the beef division will be for steers and heifers together and will be held after the steer show.

There will be 2 divisions in each department. A Junior Division will be for exhibitors who are 9-13 years old, and a Senior Division for exhibitors who are 14-18 years old.

Swine will come into the ring in groups to be decided by the Swine Superintendent.

Showmanship winners will be announced at the end of each species contest.

Pee Wee Showmanship classes will be held at the digression of the species superintendent. Announcement will be made at the show.

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