

# Judson Agriculture Exposition

In Honor of Patrick Real



## Rules and Regulations

Show Dates: January 16 - 18, 2025

### Directors

Chair: Jay Trees

### Committee:

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Schedule

**Thursday- January 16, 2025**

Ag Mechanics Arrival	Show Barn	2:30 - 4:00 pm
Silent Auction	Show Barn	4:00 pm - Completion of show
Handicraft Arrival	E-wing/Food Lab	4:30 - 5:30 pm
Ag Mechanics Show Begins	Show Barn	5:00 pm
Handicraft Show Begins	E-wing/Food Lab	5:30 pm

**Friday- January 17, 2025**

Silent Auction	Show Barn	10:00 am - Completion of Show
Rabbit Arrival	Show Barn	10:00 - 11:15 am
Rabbit Showmanship	Show Barn	11:30 - 2:15 pm
Heifer Arrival	Outside Show Arena	2:30 pm
Poultry Sift	Poultry Barn	2:30 pm
Livestock Show Order: 1. Rabbits 2. Poultry 3. Heifer 4. Gilts	Show Barn	Immediately after Rabbit Showmanship- Each show will start 15 min after completion of previous species

**Saturday- January 18, 2025**

Vendor Check In	Show Barn Gate	6:30 am - 7:45 am
Vendor Fair	Show Barn Lot	8:00 am - Completion of Show
Weigh In/Check In	Show Barn	7:00 am - 7:30 am
Cattle Arrival	Show Barn	7:30 - 7:45 am
Silent Auction	Show Barn	8:00 - 1:00 pm
Livestock Show Order: 1. Goats 2. Lambs 3. Cattle 4. Swine	Show Barn	8:00 am - Each show will start 15 min after completion of previous species.
Sponsor Dinner and Awards	Show Barn	6:30pm

## SHOW RULES & REGULATIONS

The Judson Agriculture Exposition is an Invitational Show for Youth of Judson FFA.

As such, the exhibitor agrees to the following rules:

Livestock, Poultry & Rabbits:

1. LIABILITY RULE—THE JAE WILL IN NO CASE WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY LOSS, INJURY AND/OR DAMAGE THAT MAY OCCUR DURING THE SHOW.

2. Livestock and agriculture mechanics exhibitors must be supervised by a Judson FFA Agriculture Teacher and be enrolled in a Judson ISD school as well as be a Judson FFA member in good standing. Handicraft entries must be supervised by a Judson High School art or ag teacher.

3. All exhibitors must meet UIL guidelines as determined by Judson ISD. Each Agriculture Teacher will provide a written list of ineligible students to the JAE chair before judging of any animal, Handicrafts, or Ag mech project begins. Deadline is according to the secondary grading timeline. Any ineligible exhibitor and their project will not participate.

4. Entry forms shall be printed and distributed to FFA Advisors and exhibitors. The master entry list will be certified by the ag teacher.

5. A non-refundable entry fee of \$30.00 per animal, \$20.00 per Ag Mech project, \$10.00 per handicraft project must accompany the entry form. Late entries will be accepted for a non-refundable fee of double per project after November 1, 2024. Ag mechanics and Handicrafts projects will be double per entry after December 6, 2024.

6. Official weight will be taken when the animal crosses the scale at weigh-in. There will be no re-weighing of the animal for any reason.

7. Validation rules and dates for swine, lambs, goats, rabbits, poultry, and cattle will comply with State validation guidelines.

8. Monies will not be given out at the show but will be given at a later date. The checks must be cashed within 90 days of the distribution date or all premium money will be forfeited. All reissued checks will be charged a fee of \$200.

9. All judges' and classifiers' decisions will be final and may not be protested. One or more classifiers may be used in each division at the discretion of the Show. Show superintendent will be the final classifier.

10. Exhibitors must be in attendance and stay until dismissal by the superintendent of the show at the Judson Agricultural Exposition Dinner. Failure to attend and stay through the entirety of the dinner and clean up will result in a \$100.00 deduction of the exhibitor's JAE check.

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11. Exhibitor must contribute \$150.00 in sponsorships. If Exhibitor fails to contribute they will have \$150.00 deducted from the final JAE check. Incentive: For every \$500.00 sponsorship the student brings in they will receive an additional \$100.00 on their final JAE check.
12. All protests on other matters must be in writing and accompanied by a non refundable fee of \$100. Such protest must plainly state the cause of the complaint or appeal and must be delivered to the Chair immediately after the occasion for such protest. Protests must be submitted within 1 hour following the show; once the hour is up no protest can be submitted.
13. All livestock, poultry and rabbits will be placed according to quality. Ribbons will be given for up to 10 placings. In the large animal divisions, the Grand Champion will be selected from the first-place animals of each class; Reserve Champion animals will be selected from the remaining first-place animals plus the animal that stood second in the class from which the champion was selected. In order to be a Breed Champion, there must be competition. The Division Superintendent, in accordance with the rules for their respective division shall set classes and breeds for market animals.
14. Showmanship awards will be given in each division and will be based on showing and fitting. The exhibitor's neatness in appearance and dress will be taken into consideration. The exhibitor must own the animal and must have submitted and shown the entry in that division.
15. Each exhibitor is responsible for feeding and watering their animals and cleaning their stalls or pens. A Spirit of JAE award will be given to the top 2 animal exhibitors for maintaining clean pens, and being courteous and knowledgeable about their projects.
16. Unethical fitting will be deemed to consist of changing the normal conformation of any part of the animal's body or using drugs including over the counter and/or extra-label, or mechanical devices to alter the physical makeup and/or performance of the animal.
17. In the event any animal is declared by the show superintendent to be unethically fitted, the Executive Committee is authorized to permanently ban the exhibitor from any further participation in the Judson Agriculture Exposition. The exhibitor will forfeit all titles, awards, prizes, and premiums. Disqualification by this rule will not affect the class or championship placement and points of lower placed animals.
18. All owners or persons in charge of property, or livestock, shall care for, guard, protect, and preserve the same. THE JAE IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR THE ACTS OF THIRD PARTIES.
19. Health certificates are not required. However, no animal may be exhibited that is not healthy or is the carrier of any disease at the discretion of the show superintendent.

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20. It is the sole responsibility of the exhibitor to bring out the animal or animals when the class is called. No animal may be brought into the ring once judging has begun. No complaints or protest on the grounds that an entry was overlooked will be considered.

21. All market animals and poultry will be ear tagged, tattooed, or banded. No persons other than exhibitors and officials appointed by the show may be in the classification area during classification or in the show ring during judging.

22. Exhibitors must show their own animals unless they have more than one animal in a class, in case of a family or medical emergency, or other extenuating circumstance as approved by the Show Chair. Substitute exhibitors must be eligible in accordance with rules 2 and 3. The animal's owner is to furnish the substitute showman's name to the Show Superintendent prior to judging.

23. All placing entries must be photographed with the exhibitor for presentation to the sponsors. All exhibitors shall be responsible for attending the Thank You Letter Night on January 30, 2025 from 4:30 pm - 6:00 pm and bringing 10 blank thank you cards. The show will be responsible for mailing the photographs and letters.

24. No dogs will be allowed on the grounds during the show, with the exception of service animals per ADA compliance.

25. No change in entries may be made after weigh-in.

26. Dress Code: All exhibitors will be required to wear long pants or ankle length skirts and collared shirts with no midriffs or cleavage exposed and closed toed shoes must be worn during the show and all pictures.

27. All ear tags must be in compliance with State Validation guidelines.

28. No exhibitor can wear anything in the show ring that could be a hazard to themselves or the animal. (Excessive jewelry, etc.)

29. All rule change recommendations from the general public must be submitted via the suggestion form at the JAE meeting immediately following JAE.

30. No animal may be decorated with paint or any other item to alter its appearance in any way during the show.

31. Animals may not be removed and returned from the JISD facility prior to 30 days of the JAE Show, unless it is for a veterinary emergency. The exhibitor will be disqualified from all JAE participation if this rule is violated. If you decide to leave, the animal may return the day of the animal showing in JAE.

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### Judges:

32. The Show Chair will be responsible for providing judges for each show. Judges may be judging multiple species/categories.

33. No judge can be related to any exhibitor in the animal species they are judging. Judges cannot have any animal representation in any species they are judging.

34. VIOLATIONS OF ANY OF THESE RULES WILL RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION OF THE EXHIBITOR.

# SHOW RULES & REGULATIONS

## STEERS

1. VALIDATION - Market steers must be validated in accordance with the Texas Steer Validation Program.
2. WEIGHT - Minimum weight is 850 pounds, there is no maximum weight limit. Milk teeth need not be in place.
3. CLASSES - All animals will be weighed and broken into classes by weight and breed classification. Breed classes will consist of English, American, and Exotic. Each class will be divided into weight classes. The Cattle Show Superintendent will be in charge of splitting classes as they see fit. There must be at least 3 of one breed to make a class.
4. Market Steer Show is a blow and go show. No clipping of steers shall be allowed on the grounds on show day. Any violation will result in the disqualification of that animal. A determination of violation shall be made by the Market Steer Superintendent. No show day grooming products that alter the appearance of the animal (adhesives, paints, leg builder, etc...) shall be permitted, nor any product that can be wiped off on show day.
5. The exhibitor may participate in showmanship providing they have an entry in their species. A Showmanship Champion and Reserve Champion will be selected for the cattle.
6. Only the exhibitor and their animal will be allowed in the exhibitor/holding area before the show. In the case of multiple entries, the exhibitor will be allowed one assistant in the exhibitor/holding area.
7. No halters with spikes or cable halters may be used.

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### BREEDING BEEF

1. The Cattle Show Superintendent will be in charge of splitting classes as they see fit. If there are more than ten (10) heifers, classes will be split by breed (American, British, Exotic) then birthdate. Under 10 heifers will be shown together.
2. Only the exhibitor and his or her animal will be allowed in the holding area before the show. In case of multiple entries the person or persons may be in the area at the same time before going in.
3. Blow and go show. No clipping of heifers shall be allowed on the grounds on show day. Any violation will result in the disqualification of that animal. A determination of violation shall be made by the heifer superintendent. No show day grooming products that alter the appearance of the animal (adhesives, paints, leg builder, etc...) shall be permitted, or any product that can be wiped off on show day.
4. Validation: Heifers must be currently validated with the Texas 4-H and FFA Breeding Heifer Validations Program in the exhibitor's name.
5. No halters with spikes or cable halters may be used.
6. The exhibitor may participate in showmanship providing they have an entry in their species. A Showmanship Champion and Reserve Champion will be selected for the cattle.



# SHOW RULES & REGULATIONS

## MARKET SWINE

1. VALIDATION - All market swine must be validated in accordance with rules in the state/county validation program. All market swine must have a State Validation tag to show.
2. WEIGHT - The minimum weight is 120 pounds and a maximum weight is 280 pounds with a 5 pound tolerance either end. Hogs will be divided into three equal weight classes, however if a class has more than 10 hogs, they will be divided into four weight classes.
3. CLASSES - Either barrows or gilts may be shown in the market show. Gilts may be double entered in both market and breeding swine classes.
4. DISQUALIFICATION
  - a. No powder, oil, etc. may be used on the hogs in the show ring.
  - b. A hog with fresh ear notches may not be shown. Any infraction of rules, that exhibitor's animal will be disqualified
5. GROOMING - No clipping of swine will be permitted on show day.
6. Adults may not enter the holding areas or show ring at any time, unless approved or requested by the Swine Show Superintendent.
7. Exhibitors ONLY shall be allowed to "drive" hogs thru the weigh and sift, and show ring holding pens. In case of multiple entries the person or persons may be in the area at the same time before going in.
8. The exhibitor may participate in showmanship providing they have an entry in their species. A Showmanship Champion and Reserve Champion will be selected for the swine show.

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## BREEDING SWINE

### **There must be 5 total gilts to make a breeding show.**

The breeding swine must have original registration of ownership by Dec. 1 and original papers to be checked into classes according to show schedule. Only exception to this Rule is the calf scramble certificate, or crossbred gilts.

1. BREEDS - Only purebred Berkshire, Chester White, Duroc, Hampshire, Landrace, Poland China and Spotted Poland China, Yorkshire and other breeds designated by the Show Superintendent may be shown in the classes.

a. Breeding Swine will show in alphabetical order.

### 2. CLASSES

- A. The minimum weight is 140 pounds and a maximum weight is 280 pounds. Hogs will be divided into equal weight classes assuming there is more than 5 hogs per class.
- B. There will be classes for gilts of each age category, as long as there is 5 or more of each age. If there are less than 5 pigs of an age category, that age will be shown as one class.

Classes will be:

- a. July - pigs farrowed in July
  - b. August - pigs farrowed in August
  - c. September - pigs farrowed in September
- C. If there are less than 5 purebred gilts in the show, purebred and crossbred gilts will be shown together. Classes will be divided by weight.

3. FITTING - Fitting of breeding swine will be in accordance with major show fitting rules for breeding swine.

4. DISQUALIFICATIONS - Breeding hogs with fresh ear notches will not be eligible to show. A fresh ear notch is any notch that has scabs and/or is not completely healed.

5. The exhibitor may participate in showmanship providing they have an entry in their species. A Showmanship Champion and Reserve Champion will be selected for the swine show.

# SHOW RULES & REGULATIONS

## MARKET LAMBS

1. VALIDATION - All market lambs must be validated in accordance with rules in the state/county validation program. All animals must have a State validation tag in its ear.

2. WEIGHT - Minimum weight is 90 pounds (80 pounds for Southdowns and Dorpers). There will be five (5) pound tolerance at weigh-in.

3. CLASSES -

a. Both wether (castrated male) and ewe (female < 1 yr) lambs may be shown.

b. Classes

1. To make a separate breed class there must be 3 or more entries.

2. Classes will be broken by weight.

c. All lambs will be classified and sifted at the time of weigh-in. Weigh & sift Market lambs by breed (same as show order) to be done by show superintendent.

d. Breed Classifications

A Finewool may be a Rambouillet, Merino or a cross between these two breeds.

A Finewool Crossbred will be a typical first cross of a Finewool with a  
Suffolk, Hampshire, Corriedale or Columbia.

Only pure Southdowns will be shown in the Southdown class.

Medium Wool lambs will be all other breeds and crosses not eligible in the  
preceding classes.

4. Show order for lambs: Southdown, Dorper, Finewool, Finewool Cross and Medium Wool.

5. All lambs must be slick sheared to the skin above knee and hock joints, with no more than 1/4 inch wool in length before arrival on the grounds before time of show. There will be no clipping of animals at the time of the show. All animals must be fitted (blown and washed) before the start of the show at 8:00am.

6. The exhibitor may participate in showmanship providing they have an entry in their species. A Showmanship Champion and Reserve Champion will be selected for the swine show. A Showmanship Champion and Reserve Champion will be selected for the lambs.

# SHOW RULES & REGULATIONS

## MARKET GOAT

1. Validation - All market goats must be validated in accordance with rules in the state/county validation program. All animals must have a State validation tag in the ear.
2. Must be a wether goat (castrated billy) or doe (female) goat.
3. Must weigh a minimum of 50 pounds with no maximum weight limit. A three (3) pound tolerance on the minimum weight.
4. Market goats must be body clipped (slick sheared) with no more than 1/4 inch hair before Show day. NO CLIPPING ON GROUNDS ON SHOW DAY.
5. Goats must be shown in collars or halter (including chains). No chains or collars with spikes may be used.
6. Classes will be broken by weight, with no more than 10 goats per class. Classes will be divided into 3 weight divisions (Division I, II, III. ) There must be at least 3 entries to make a class.
7. Exhibitors will be required to have horns tipped blunt on all goats before showing in the ring.
8. Showmanship Champion and Reserve Champion will be selected. The students must have ownership of the goat shown in showmanship.
9. Students must clip their own animal, the agriculture science teacher or parent only can assist.

# SHOW RULES & REGULATIONS

## POULTRY

1. CHECK-IN - All birds must be presented to the Superintendent for identification and pen Assignment.
2. SIFT - Pre- sift will be done by the Show Superintendent prior to the show.
3. EXHIBITING - Only students or designated volunteers of school age may hold birds during judging. Assistance will be provided to the exhibitors, if needed, at the discretion of the superintendent. Parents must stay out of the arena until all judging is complete; any questions or complaints should be directed to the superintendent only.
4. RELEASE - Poultry will be released upon completion of the show.
5. Showmanship - Showmanship will consist of a written test created by a JAE official. Study material will be provided by the Show superintendent. There will be a Grand and Reserve Champion selected. Tests will not be handed back.

## BROILERS

1. Birds will be straight run birds (both pullets and cockerels may be shown) and banded for identification. All birds will be purchased through the AST from the Texas A&M University Poultry Science Department in College Station.
2. All chicks will be of the same hatch and date. Chicks will be hatched so their age will be approximately 6-8 weeks of age at the time of the show. All birds must be picked up at a time and place to be determined by JAE Poultry Superintendent.
3. Each student must select and exhibit their pen of three birds from within the number range assigned to their family.
4. Orders shall consist of 25 birds per exhibitor.
5. Deadline for ordering will be determined each school year. All orders will be placed with the superintendent by the deadline determined by TAMU.
6. There will be no weight limit.
7. CLASSES - There will be a cockerel and a pullet class. The superintendent will determine the sex of the birds at the time of check in. Only the JAE Superintendent and exhibitors will be allowed in the broiler pen area during the broiler sex identification validation. If a pullet exhibits cockerel characteristics, the pen of 3 will be placed in the cockerel class.

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## RABBITS

1. SPECIAL RULES - Rabbit classes will be governed by the rules of the ARBA's, current Standard of Perfection issue. No crossbred or mixed breed rabbits will be allowed in the show.
2. WEIGHTS - Minimum weight on market rabbits is 3.5 pounds each, maximum weight is 5.5 pounds each. No tolerance.
3. TATTOOS - All rabbits will be permanently earmarked in the left ear, using two or more separate numbers or a numbers\letters combination. No two market rabbits from the same exhibitor shall have the same earmarks.
4. SUBSTITUTIONS - No substitutions or changes of ear tattoo or age groups on entries will be allowed after the judging begins.
5. SIFT - Sifted rabbits will be clearly marked with a paint stick and may not be presented again for sift.
6. Validation dates- All market rabbits must be JAE validated. Rabbits will be validated per family. Only eligible exhibitors in that family may exhibit these animals. Exhibitor may validate as many rabbits as they wish. Meat Pen Validation dates will be scheduled by the Rabbit Superintendent the week the rabbits are to turn 6 weeks old. The Locations, Dates, and Times will be provided by the AST.

Showmanship; Showmanship will consist of a written test created by a JAE official only. Tests will not be handed back. Study materials will be provided by the Rabbit Superintendent.

### MEAT PENS

- a. Each pen is to consist of three rabbits of not less than 3.5 pounds and not over 5.5 pounds each.
- b. Entries may not be over 70 days of age. (Depending on the date of the show).
- c. All entries must have been raised to fryer size by the exhibitor (see ownership period in item 16 of the General Rules).

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## Agricultural Mechanics Show

PURPOSE: TO PROVIDE AN OPPORTUNITY FOR FFA TO DISPLAY THE PROJECTS CONSTRUCTED IN AN AGRICULTURE MECHANICS LABORATORY AND TO

- Promote the development of skills in agriculture mechanics through competition,
- Recognize individual accomplishments in the area of agricultural mechanics,
- Provide an opportunity for the public to develop an appreciation of this important phase of our youth programs.

### **RULES**

1. An entry fee of \$20 is required for each project. All entry fees are handled the same as for the livestock show.
2. There is no refund of entry fees.
3. Entries are limited to FFA and 4H Members that attend Judson ISD only.
4. Projects exhibited must be constructed by FFA members or 4H members that attend Judson ISD as part of their agriculture mechanics instruction in Agriculture Science class or under the supervision of the Ag Mechanics Instructor.
5. Each exhibitor may enter no more than one (1) individually constructed project per Division.
6. Team projects are allowed; a maximum of four (4) members per team. If a team member becomes ineligible, the member will be removed from the team.
7. A project may be entered only one time at the JAE and must be constructed within one calendar year of the exhibition date.
8. All projects must be painted or properly treated and must be in clean and presentable condition, even though they may have been used. No professional paint jobs.
9. An original working plan or drawing, photographs showing stages of construction, and a bill of materials are **required** for each project. See Show Superintendent or refer to the JAMShow.org for references.
10. No tractors, trucks, or other vehicles will be allowed in the exhibit area as part of the display.

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11. Appropriate and safe display stands must be provided by the exhibitor 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 and/or covered as necessary to prevent possible injury.
12. Entries must be in place by 5:30pm on move-in day.
13. All projects are to be identified with a standard exhibitor's card provided by the show superintendent. Additional signs, banners, etc. are encouraged, but are subject to approval by the division Superintendent.
14. Every precaution will be taken to protect the projects entered. However, the JAE Directors, nor the officials of this division will be liable for the loss of or damage to projects.
15. The JAE reserves the right to display the projects as space and quality of projects allow. It is possible for larger projects to be displayed at an alternate site
16. This division will award cash premiums and will be presented to the champions.
17. Divisions will be competing as single or group activities.
18. Documentation: An original working plan or drawing, photographs showing stages of construction and a bill of materials are required with each project.
  - a. Working Drawing - Should include a working drawing of the project with dimensions shown on drawing should be specific and complete enough for it to be apparent that drawing was used to plan and construct the project. May be hand drawn, CAD, or pre-engineered plan.
  - b. Bill of Materials: Must include a list or a description of material, including quantity, size, and cost. Other Information such as date of purchase, vendor name and/or Purchase Order Number, etc. may be included.
  - c. Photographs - Showing work in progress should depict proper safety procedures including clothing, eye and face shields, etc. Photographs should be sequenced in the order of constructing the project. Any project not having documentation will be disqualified.
  - d. Any project not having all three documents will be placed down a ribbon.
  - e. All Items must be properly displayed in a three ring notebook. No Poster Boards!



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### 19. Judging Standards:

a. Workmanship and Variety of Skills Performed	30%
b. Design and Structural Balance	30%
c. Degree of Difficulty	20%
d. Plans, with measurements, photos, bill of materials	10%
e. Ability to answer judges questions	10%
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### 20. Projects will be rated based on rule number 20.

- Purple - Superior
- Blue - Excellent 100-90
- Red - Good 89-90
- White - Fair 79-70

### 21. Awards include:

- A. Champion and Reserve Champion for Division.
- B. Grand and Reserve Grand Champions over all divisions.
- C. Purple, Blue, Red, and White Ribbons.

- Additional Prizes will be awarded if they become available. White ribbons will not be available for additional prizes

### 22. Showmanship - There will be a Champion and Reserve Champion Showmanship selection.

Examples :

Presentation of Project - Neatness of Project, Neatness of area surrounding project, safety and documentation.

Exhibitor Presentation - Attire, sportsmanship, Knowledge

### 23. Exhibitors will leave all projects following the announcement of the Ag Mech awards ceremony for display during the remainder of the JAE show.

### 24. A second show judge may be utilized for questioning exhibitors and/or if the number of entries requires an additional judge to complete the show in a timely manner.

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## JAE Divisions of Shop Projects

### **Division I - Agricultural Machinery**

- A. Tractor Accessories, Truck Accessories, Livestock & Utility Trailers
- B. Shop Equipment, Shop Tools

### **Division II - Livestock Equipment**

- A. Livestock Accessories - ex. Panels, gates, chutes, restraining, stands, crates, show equip
- B. Wildlife Accessories - ex. Deer Blinds, feeders, hog traps

### **Division III - Home & Yard Conveniences & Non Ag Projects**

- A. Home and Yard Accessories - ex. outdoor furniture
- B. Non Ag - ex. Birdfeeders, ornamental items

### **Division IV - Non Ag Projects BBQ Pits**

- A. BBQ Pits - ex. BBQ Pits and Pit Trailers
- B. Cooking Equipment - ex. Fire Pits, Cooking accessories

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## Handicraft Show

1. Entry Fee for each item entered will be \$10.00. Late entry fee \$20.00. Use entry form specific to Foods, Arts & Craft shows. Late entry will be accepted until the day of show. Handicraft exhibitors are exempt from the Activity fee associated with FFA membership and must be currently enrolled in Art or Ag Courses.
2. Check in will follow the official schedule for the day of the scheduled Project Show. Students must check in the project unless showing in a JAE sanctioned event.
3. All Food items must be picked up within one (1) hour of the end of the creative arts show by the exhibitor. All items left after one (1) hour will become the property of JAE, and will be disposed of.
4. The Grand and Reserve Champion non-food division winners will be held for display until the conclusion of the JAE show. All items must be picked up within one (1) hour of the conclusion of the show. All items left after one (1) hour will become the property of JAE, and will be disposed of.
5. All entries must be accompanied by a 3X5 index card with the category, division and class on it filled out by the student before the time of check in. (See individual categories for any additional information you may need to put on this card) Entries must be properly identified and labeled. Items not meeting the labeling may be denied. **Accuracy will be checked at check in.**
5. Do not put your name anywhere on the entry. You will be given an entry number to correspond with your name.
6. This will be a Ribbon Show. An overall Grand and Reserve Champion winner will be named. Additional awards and prizes will be awarded if they become available.
7. Superintendent, division chairpersons and judges will reserve the right to change the class of an entry or disqualify an entry if deemed necessary in the Creative Arts project show.

# SHOW RULES & REGULATIONS

## Food Division

### Baked Goods Category I

Division	Class	Description
A	1	Drop cookies
A	2	Bar- cookies
A	3	Rolled and Formed Cookies
A	4	Brownies
A	5	Holiday or Party Cookies

### Baked Foods Category II

Division	Class	Description
B	1	Iced Caked
B	2	Un-iced cakes
B	3	Yeast Bread – Plain
B	4	Yeast Bread- Sweet
B	5	Quick Breads
B	6	Pies

### Baked Foods Category III

Division	Class	Description
C	1	Candy- Fudge
C	2	Candy – other than fudge
C	3	Hand dipped candies

### Baked Foods Category IV ( see special rules)

#### Decorated Cakes and Cupcakes Category

Division	Class	Description
D	1	Decorated Cakes
D	2	Un-Decorated Cakes

### Food Preservation Canned Goods Category VI (see special rules )

Division	Class	Description
H	1	Canned Foods – Jam/Jelly
H	2	Canned Foods – Fruits and
H	3	Salsa/ Picante
H	4	Herbed Vinegars

1. Baking contest entries must have a sample and recipe attached to the outside.
2. All entrants are reminded to exercise health and sanitation precautions when preparing food items. No food to be carried through Animal Show Barns to be delivered for Creative Arts Show, if seen the food item will be disqualified. Any entrant who has a contagious disease in their family (includes any person(s) living in the same household) is asked NOT to enter a food item.
3. All entries in the foods categories, with the exception of Decorated Cakes, must be accompanied by the recipe typed or hand written in on an 8 X 11" white paper or an index card, listing the complete recipe including pie crust recipes in pie category.
4. No pre-packaged mixes (biscuit, cornbread, muffins, cookies or icing) or purchased pie crusts or alcohol may be used in any Food Category.

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5. All entries in the Decorated Cake and cupcake category will be judged on creativity and originality only. None of these entries will be tasted; however, the entry must be edible. Place all items on a sturdy base and covered with clear plastic wrap. All decorated items must be covered.

6. No items requiring refrigeration will be accepted. Due to health regulations, no soft cheeses, including cream cheese, ricotta cheese and cottage cheese will be allowed in any category, except as a cooked ingredient. All food entries (with exception of Food Preservation) MUST be on either foil-covered cardboard or a sturdy plate, and then placed into a clear plastic bag. If that type of bag does not work, cover with clear plastic wrap and secure with tape.

7. All pies must be in an aluminum pie pan at least 8" in diameter. Baked-Good Cakes and Decorated Cakes should be covered with clear plastic wrap or a clear, disposable plastic cover from a bakery. The JAE will not be responsible for any non-disposable plates and platters.

8. All loaves of bread must be a minimum of 4"X8" (rectangular) or 6" in diameter (round).

9. All cookies, candy, rolls, biscuits, etc..., must contain thirteen (13) items. The 13th item should be wrapped separately and attached to the top of the entry.

10. Commercial cake mixes will be accepted ONLY in the Decorated Cake and cupcake Category. A cupcake entry must include 12 cupcakes. Number of items displayed must reflect the recipe yield.

11. Specific rules related to the Food Preservation Goods Category:

- A. All entries in the Food Preservation Category must be in a standard jar (quart or pint or half pint jar).
- B. All jars must be filled up to the first rim under the lid. A standard jar is one made especially for canning. It will have the name of the manufacturer in raised letters on the side of the jar. The same manufacturer should make the jars and the jar lids. Rims should be free from rust.
- C. The jar should be clear and should be labeled as to the contents and date it was preserved (not more than 12 months prior to the show).
- D. Food Preservation must be edible.
- E. All Jams and Jellies must have been water bathed.
- F. All vegetable and Low Acid Foods must be pressure canned.
- G. Jars entered for competition must be properly sealed by pressure cooker or hot water bath method.
- H. EACH ENTRY MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY A RECIPE - TYPED OR PRINTED, ON A SEPARATE 8 1/2 x 11 INCH SHEET OF PAPER. ENTRIES CANNOT BE JUDGED WITHOUT THE RECIPES WHICH MUST BE RECEIVED BEFORE JUDGING. Recipe must include the process type (i.e. water bath or pressure canned with the amount of time listed for the process).

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12. Entry Card must include class description and date item was constructed. (No longer than 12 months prior to show) be attached to the back of recipe. All entries must be handmade. (No purchased items allowed).

### SEWING DIVISION

Clothing Category

Division	Class	Description
A	1	Clothing Group (All types)
B	1	Monogram/Embroidery Work
C	1	Toys
D	1	Pillows Class
E	1	Accessories (Purses, Hat, Tote Bag)
F	1	Other

Needlework

Division	Class	Description
A	1	Knitting Group ( original or kit
B	1	Crocheting Group
C	1	Embroidery Work Group
D	1	Quilt Group
E	1	Needlepoint Group
F	1	Crewel Group
G	1	Appliqué
H	1	Counted Cross Stitch Group
I	1	Candle Wicking Group – Original
J	1	Other

1. All entries must have been completed within 12 months of show. Please show the date on the index card.
2. On the index card write division, class and description and date of completion.

### ARTWORK DIVISION

Division	Class	Description
A	1	Paintings Group – acrylic or oil
B	1	Sketch Group - Pencil & pen, and scratch, charcoal,
C	1	Sculpture
D	1	Other including sculpture

1. On an entry card write division, class and description, date completed on the card.
2. If needed on a second index card give a brief construction history of entry on index card. It will give the judges a better idea of your time and particular skill applied.
- 3.. All entries must be completed within 12 months of show.

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## CRAFTS DIVISION

Division	Class	Description
A	1	Macramé Group
B	1	Leather Work
C	1	Leaded and Stained Glass Group
D	1	Dried & Cloth Flower Arrangement
E	1	Bread Dough Group
F	1	Ceramics Group
G	1	Weaving
H	1	Decoupage Group
I	1	Homemade Toy Group
J	1	Latch Hook Group
K	1	Wearable Art Group – Decorated /Painted Clothing
L	1	Handcrafted Wood Work
M	1	Metal Work Class
N	1	Recycled or Re purposed
O	1	Other

1. On an entry card write division, class and description, date completed on the card.
2. If needed on a second index card give a brief construction history of entry on the index card. It will give the judges a better idea of your time and particular skill applied.
3. All entries must be completed within 12 months of show.

## PHOTOGRAPHY DIVISION

### Black and White

Division	Class	Description
A	1	People
A	2	Animals
A	3	Landscape and architectural elements
A	4	Flora
A	5	Photo story group
A	6	All others

### Color

Division	Class	Description
B	1	People
B	2	Animals
B	3	Landscape and architectural elements
B	4	Flora
B	5	Photo story group
B	6	All others

1. No more than 5 photos can be submitted by an exhibitor.
2. Photographs should be mounted for easier handling.
3. Photo size can be no bigger than 8X10.
4. Photographs entered may be 35mm or digital with no special effects.

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5. Photo Story must include a minimum of 3 photos, maximum of 6. Photo story can be no bigger than 22X24 inches in size. Photos should be mounted to depict a sequence or to communicate a message.
6. All photographs may be commercially processed or self-developed.
7. Other category can include special effects
8. Photographs must have been taken within 12 months of show. Please show the date on the index card.



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### PREMIUM RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. No exhibitor may earn premiums for more than one unit, a unit being one market animal, one pen of broilers, or one pen of rabbits. The highest place unit will be used for calculation of points for premium distribution.
2. The JAE will retain ten percent (10%) of all premium monies raised from sponsor donations including add ons.
3. Premium money will be distributed to exhibitors by a point system. Each exhibitor will receive an amount to commensurate with the award his/her entry earned in the show.

#### POINTS WILL BE ASSIGNED AS FOLLOWS:

##### STEERS

Grand Champion	37 points	1st place	12 points
Reserve Grand Champion	30 points	2nd Place	11 points
Division Champion	25 points	3rd Place	10 points
Reserve Division Champion	20 points		

**All placings below 3rd will decrease by 1 point value, not to drop below 1 Point**

##### HOGS, LAMBS and GOATS:

Grand Champion	30 points	1st place	12 points
Reserve Grand Champion	25 points	2nd Place	11 points
Division Champion	20 points	3rd Place	10 points
Reserve Division Champion	17 points		

**All placings below 3rd will decrease by 1 point value, not to drop below 1 Point**

##### BROILERS and RABBITS

Grand Champion	23 points	1st place	12 points
Reserve Grand Champion	20 points	2nd Place	11 points
Champion Cockerel/Pullet	15 points	3rd Place	10 points
Reserve Champion Cockerel/Pullet	12 points		

**All placings below 3rd will decrease by 1 point value, not to drop below 1 Point**

**The following are awards that are given in each division:**

##### BUCKLES

Grand Champion Steer	Grand Champion Goat
Grand Champion Lamb	Grand Champion Heifer

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Grand Champion Rabbit  
 Grand Champion Broiler  
 Champion Swine Showmanship  
 Champion Goat Showmanship  
 Grand Champion Breeding Swine

Grand Champion Swine  
 Champion Lamb Showmanship  
 Champion Cattle Showmanship  
 Champion Rabbit Showmanship  
 Champion Poultry Showmanship

### BANNERS

Reserve Champion Lamb Showmanship  
 Reserve Champion Cattle Showmanship  
 Reserve Champion Rabbit Showmanship  
 Grand Champion Ag Mech Project  
 Reserve Champion Handicraft  
 Reserve Champion Rabbit  
 Reserve Champion Lamb  
 Reserve Champion Steer  
 Reserve Champion Poultry Showmanship

Reserve Champion Swine Showmanship  
 Reserve Champion Goat Showmanship  
 Grand Champion Handicraft  
 Reserve Champion Ag Mech Project  
 Reserve Champion Swine  
 Reserve Champion Heifer  
 Reserve Champion Goat  
 Reserve Grand Champion Broiler  
 Reserve Champion Breeding Swine

#### Example

All money donated, gained from silent auction, vendors, or other sources will be pooled into a single fund. JAE will take 10% for operating expenses, then the remaining monies will be distributed out to the students based on the point system in 3 above. For example:

Total money earned=	\$40,000
JAE -10%=	\$36,000

Total money / Total ribbon points =	\$53.97/point
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If a Steer wins 5th place = 8 points

8 points x \$53.97/point =	Total money for student \$431.78
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- A. Add ons will be available at the end of the show. Students will receive an amount based on placement, plus an amount given to that specific student.

JAE will withhold an exhibitor's check if the exhibitor, parent or guardian has a past due balance with the JAE, AET record books are not approved, or thank you letters were not received. Additionally, if the check is not cashed within 90 days of distribution the check will be forfeited.

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## The Point System

### Purpose

The point system was developed and designed to reward each exhibitor for the quality of his/her entry in the show.

How does it work?

1. Each entry in the division is assigned a certain number of points in accordance with the table in Rule 4 in Premium Rules and Regulations. The points for all entries in the division are totaled.
2. The premium money, the amount donated, is totaled for all the entries in each division. Ten percent (10%) of the premium money is thereby retained by the JAE for operating expenses and capital improvements.
3. The remainder of the premium money is divided by the total points from "1" above to establish a point value per division.
4. Each selling exhibitor receives the point value times the number of points their entry earned.

**This is only an example!!!!!!**

Steer Example: These numbers are not official.

Division Point value equals \$53.97

A 8th place ribbon steer can earn:

1 points X \$ 53.97 per point = \$53.97

Broiler Example: These numbers are not official.

Division Point value equals \$53.97

A grand champion broiler can earn:

23 points X \$53.97 per point = Total \$1241.38

Goat Example: These numbers are not official.

Division Point value equals \$53.97

A Reserve champion goat can earn:

25 points X \$53.97 per point = \$1349.33